

**APPROVAL AS TO FORM OF A SINGLE CONTRACT MODIFICATION**

CONTRACTOR'S NAME: Center for New York City Neighborhoods

Pursuant to the powers vested in me by Section 394, subd. B of the New York City Charter, I hereby approve as to form the annexed contract entered into by the Department of Social Services of the Human Resources Administration on behalf of the City of New York.

MAR 24 2015

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
CERTIFIED AS TO LEGAL  
AUTHORITY

*Marion Carter* *RCB*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Acting Corporation Counsel

2015-003302

FIRST AMENDMENT OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN  
THE NEW YORK CITY HUMAN RESOURCES ADMINISTRATION AND  
THE CENTER FOR NEW YORK CITY NEIGHBORHOODS

THIS MODIFICATION AGREEMENT ("Modification Agreement") dated this 30 day of March, 2015, between the City of New York, acting through the Department of Social Services / Human Resources Administration ("HRA" or the "Department"), located at 150 Greenwich Street, New York, New York 10007; and the Center for New York City Neighborhoods ("CNYCN" or "Contractor"), a not-for-profit corporation having its principal office at 17 Battery Place South, Suite 723, New York, NY 10004 (collectively "the Parties").

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the Mayor's Office of Housing Recovery Operations ("HRO") is providing necessary housing recovery programs in order to assist those New York City residents directly affected by Hurricane Sandy ("Residents"); and

WHEREAS, the City's housing recovery programs are designed to meet the housing assistance needs described in the NYC Community Development Block Grant – Disaster Response (CDBG-DR) Action Plan in order to assist Residents in achieving permanent housing, finding sustainable housing solutions that allow them to remain in New York City, and, where possible, returning to their neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, HRA, as the local social services district, procured the case management services required in support of the New York City housing recovery programs on behalf of HRO pursuant to an MOU dated April 1, 2013; and

WHEREAS, HRA entered into an agreement ("Agreement") with PFM whereby PFM agreed to provide case management services for a two (2) year period from June 24, 2013, through June 23, 2015 for an amount not-to-exceed \$50,219,564.00; and

WHEREAS, under Task III of the Scope of Work of the Agreement, PFM, by subcontract with CNYCN, assumed responsibility for providing counseling services (the "Services"); and

WHEREAS, due to unanticipated programmatic changes and delays in the Agreement, PFM's team encountered significant difficulties in administering the Services and with the consent and approval of CNYCN and the Department assigned Task III counseling services to CNYCN, effective December 16, 2013; and

WHEREAS, such unanticipated programmatic changes have resulted in the need to modify the Scope of Work, Budget and Term of the Agreement, as assigned to CNYCN; and

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WHEREAS, HRO seeks to enhance the services provided under the Agreement, as assigned, in order to properly administer and provide the Services necessary for HRO's operations by modifying the Scope of Work of the Agreement pursuant to § 4-02(b)(1)(i), § 4-02(b)(1)(ii), and § 4-02(b)(2) of the PPB Rules; and

WHEREAS, HRO seeks to modify the terms of payment of the Agreement and increase the amount not-to-exceed for the Services by \$564,331.70 from \$13,058,071.00 to \$13,622,402.70, in order to properly administer and provide the Services necessary for HRO's operations, by modifying the Budget of the Agreement pursuant to § 4-02(b)(1)(i), § 4-02(b)(1)(vii), and § 4-02(b)(2) of the PPB Rules; and

WHEREAS, the Parties seek to extend the term of performance through December 31, 2015, pursuant to § 4-02(b)(1)(iii) of the PPB Rules, in order to ensure the effective delivery of critical Services to Residents; and

WHEREAS, the increased costs resulting from the modification of the Budget for new and existing deliverables are necessary and reasonable;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual covenants herein contained, the parties hereto have agreed and do hereby agree as follows:

1. Except as modified herein or modified previously, all of the covenants, terms and conditions of the Agreement shall remain unchanged, and are hereby ratified and confirmed as in full force and effect.

2. MODIFICATION OF TERM OF PERFORMANCE

The Department, pursuant to § 4-02(b)(1)(iii) of the PPB Rules, hereby amends the Term of Performance of the Agreement, as assigned, to extend the term of the Agreement from June 24, 2015, through December 31, 2015, unless sooner terminated as provided by the relevant terms of the Agreement.

3. MODIFICATION OF SCOPE OF WORK

A. The Scope of Work of the Agreement, as assigned to CNYCN, is hereby replaced in its entirety with a new Scope of Work, attached hereto as Appendix A-1 and incorporated herein by this reference. Contractor shall perform all services and activities in program areas or programs listed and described in the new Scope of Work, Appendix A-1.

B. The Hurricane Sandy CDBG-DR Appendix, attached to the Agreement as Appendix B, is hereby replaced in its entirety by a new CDBG Rider, attached hereto as Appendix B-1 and incorporated herein by this reference. Contractor shall comply with all requirements of Appendix B-1.

4. MODIFICATION OF BUDGET AND PAYMENT STRUCTURE

- A. HRA agrees to pay and Contractor agrees to accept a total amount not to exceed thirteen million, six hundred twenty-two thousand, four hundred two dollars and seventy cents (\$13,622,402.70) for all Services provided under this Modification Agreement performed from June 24, 2013 through December 31, 2015. The Task 3 portion of the budget contained in Appendix C-1 of the Agreement, as previously modified, is replaced with a new Task 3 Budget annexed hereto as Appendix C-2 of this Modification Agreement, and incorporated herein by reference, effective June 24, 2013. Payment for all Services under this Agreement shall be made in accordance with the amounts and payment structure as detailed in the annexed Budget and this Article 4, and in accordance with HRA's Contracts Fiscal Manual.
- B. The Program Management fees for costs for program design and program deployment incurred for months 1-6 of the Agreement specified in the attached Task 3 Budget, Appendix C-2, ("Start-Up Fee") shall be billed as a lump sum. The Parties agree that the lump sum fee covering months 1-6 of the Agreement is inclusive of all pre-engagement design and deployment activities carried out during months 1-6 as described in Appendix C-2, and is being billed based on the prices stated therein.
- C. The Program Management fees for ongoing operations for months 7-30 of the Agreement specified in the attached Task 3 Budget, Appendix C-2, ("Monthly Management Fee") shall be billed on a monthly basis. The pricing for the Monthly Management Fee is based on the assumption that the Task 3 counseling program will engage more than 100 clients per month. A client is "engaged" if scheduled for an intake or assisted via Housing Recovery Center Outreach services. If the counseling program engages between 50 and 100 clients during the relevant month, Contractor shall invoice and be paid for half the normal Monthly Management Fee, or \$57,000. If the counseling program engages less than 50 clients during the relevant month, Contractor shall not invoice for, and shall not be paid the Monthly Management Fee.
- D. Housing Recovery Center Outreach specified in the attached Task 3 Budget ("Housing Recovery Center Outreach") shall be billed on a monthly basis per Housing Recovery Center. The Parties agree that the monthly fee provides for one fulltime counselor at up to three (3) Housing Recovery Centers. Counselor staff will be available on both weekdays and weekends during open hours at the Housing Recovery Centers. The Contractor must have prior written approval from HRO regarding the length of engagement at each of the Centers before proceeding with the outreach effort.
- E. Community Outreach efforts shall be billed on a time and materials basis. In order to accurately track outreach work performed, the Contractor shall submit timesheets and a written report documenting its outreach efforts with each invoice submitted to HRA. The Contractor shall document the extent of the outreach effort and cost thereof in its report. The specific scope of all requested outreach efforts shall be communicated to the Contractor in writing. The Contractor must have prior written approval from HRO before proceeding with the outreach effort. Invoices and related documents relating to

outreach efforts shall be subject to pre- and post-audit review as to scope and reasonableness of price.

- F. The prices and/or hourly rates in the annexed budget shall be deemed inclusive of any and all expenses incurred by the Contractor in performing the Services, except for expenses separately listed in the Budget, but including any appropriate overhead or auxiliary costs (including but not limited to printing, copying, secretarial, invoicing, etc.), travel, lodging or meals. The Contractor may not impose any other charges or be reimbursed by the City for any expenses incurred by the Contractor in providing such Services in accordance with the Scope of Work.
- G. All payments made by HRA for work performed under the Agreement, as assigned to CNYCN and amended by this Modification Agreement, shall be subject to audit by HRA and any other City, State, or Federal entity having authority to do so. The parties understand that multiple invoices may be submitted for work performed during the same period of services. The Contractor is solely responsible for ensuring that invoices are submitted only for work performed pursuant to the Agreement. In the event that multiple payments have been made to the Contractor for the same work, Contractor shall remit any and all duplicate payments to HRA immediately upon demand.
- H. All invoices submitted by Contractor, and payments made by HRA for work performed pursuant to the annexed Scope of Work, as amended, shall clearly identify the deliverable(s) for which the Contractor is billing HRA, or for which HRA is paying.

5. PROCUREMENT POLICY BOARD RULES

This Modification Agreement is subject to the Rules of the Procurement Policy Board of the City of New York ("PPB Rules"). In the event of a conflict between the said Rules and a provision of the Modification Agreement, the Rules shall take precedence.

6. APPROVALS

THE CITY OF NEW YORK

This Modification Agreement shall not become effective or binding unless:

- A. authorized by the Mayor; approved pursuant to the New York City Charter and Procurement Policy Board Rules for contracts not subject to public letting; and the Comptroller shall have endorsed his certificate that there remains unexpended and unapplied a balance of the appropriation of funds applicable hereto sufficient to pay the estimated expense of executing this Modification Agreement; and
- B. approved by the Mayor pursuant to the provisions of Executive Order No. 42, dated October 9, 1975, in the event the Executive Order requires such approval; and

- C. certified by the Mayor (Mayor's Fiscal Committee created pursuant to Executive Order No. 43, dated October 14, 1975) that performance thereof will be in accordance with the City's financial plan.

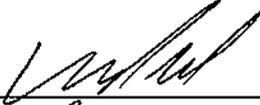
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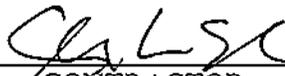
On December 16, 2014, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) implemented the new Uniform Administrative Requirements at 2 CFR Part 200, pursuant to 2 CFR section 200.110, as amended. Pursuant to 2 CFR section 200.104, the new Uniform Administrative Requirements shall supersede OMB Circulars A-87, A-102, A-110, A-122, and A-133. In addition, the Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Cooperative Agreements in the HUD regulations have been superseded by 2 CFR Part 200. Where this Agreement refers to such an OMB Circular, a Uniform Administrative Requirement for Grants and Cooperative Agreements in the HUD regulations, or 2 CFR Part 200, the requirement in effect at the time of the activity shall apply.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have duly executed this Modification Agreement on the date first above written.

CITY OF NEW YORK  
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES  
HUMAN RESOURCES ADMINISTRATION

By   
Title Asst

  
CONTRACTOR

By CHRISTIE PEALE

Title EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

83-0506416  
Fed. Employer I.D. No. or Soc. Sec. No.

STATE OF NEW YORK )

: SS:

COUNTY OF NEW YORK)

On this 30 day of March 2015, before me personally came Vincent J. Nino, to me known and known to me to be ACCO of the HUMAN RESOURCES ADMINISTRATION/DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES of the CITY OF NEW YORK, the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and she/he acknowledged to me that she/he executed the same for the purpose therein mentioned.

Sharon James-Leonce

NOTARY PUBLIC

SHARON JAMES-LEONCE  
Commissioner of Deeds  
City of New York No. 2-13026  
Certificate Filed in New York County  
Commission Expires May 01, 2016

STATE OF

) NEW YORK

:SS:

COUNTY OF

) WESTCHESTER

VERONICA DELLI CARPINI  
Notary Public, State of New York  
No. 01DE6202722  
Qualified in Westchester County  
Commission Expires 3/23/2017

On this 24<sup>th</sup> day of MARCH 2015, before me personally came CHRISTIE PEALE, to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that she/he resides at 25 BETHUNE STREET, NEW YORK, NY 10014, that she/he is the EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR of THE CENTER FOR NEW YORK CITY NEIGHBORHOODS, INC., the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; and that she/he signed her/his name thereto by order of the board of directors of said corporation.

Veronica Delli Carpin  
NOTARY PUBLIC

5. Assist applicants with other counseling related to issues with the applicant's application to the Program as directed by HRO.
- B. ***Intake/Signed Form:*** Counselors shall submit a signed form(s) indicating session(s) completed with summary of applicants' key concerns and potential for resolution (to the extent permitted while protecting privacy).
  - C. ***Action Plan:*** Counselors shall develop an Action Plan for meeting eligibility requirements, overcoming mortgage distress, or addressing issues.
  - D. ***Written Report:*** Contractor shall produce a report providing analysis of homeowner's individual financial situation (housing counseling only).
  - E. ***Intensive Counseling Certification:*** Contractor shall provide additional counseling for applicants with cases requiring more intensive counselor assistance as defined by more than ten hours of counseling (approximately 30% of all homeowners referred to counseling are anticipated to require this level of service). CNYCN and its network partners shall keep track of their time spent with the applicant.
  - F. ***Housing Counseling by Phone:*** CNYCN shall provide, at HRO's direction, housing counseling services via phone. Phone counseling sessions completed either by a housing counseling agency or by CNYCN staff shall be considered equivalent to "Housing Intake/Signed Form" for billing purposes, except that an intake form signed by the applicant shall not be required. CNYCN must document the completion and outcome of phone counseling sessions in CMS in accordance with HRO specifications. HRO must approve the scope of phone counseling services in writing to CNYCN before CNYCN may proceed with such an effort.
    1. The Contractor may perform and bill for multiple phone counseling sessions for an applicant if the applicant presents a new issue(s) that are distinct and unrelated to the issue that the applicant presented in a prior phone counseling session and where a new session would be required to properly address the issue(s). If the aforementioned conditions are not met, such counseling session shall be treated as a continuation of the prior session and the Contractor may not bill for multiple phone counseling sessions for the same issue.

#### **Article 4: Legal Counseling:**

- A. Contractor shall:
  1. Provide one-on-one counseling sessions with individual homeowners on the legal implications of their housing assistance options;
  2. Help applicants address foreclosure and mortgage distress;
  3. Assist homeowners with resolution of complex case management process issues including but not limited to contractor fraud, bank-held insurance proceeds, complex coordination of benefits documentation, and SBA loan issues that inhibit progress towards Grant Agreement;

4. Assist homeowners in understanding their legal rights and responsibilities with respect to real estate, tenants, etc.; and
  5. Assist applicants with other counseling related to issues with the applicant's application to the Program directed by HRO.
- B. ***Intake/Signed Form:*** Counselors shall submit signed form indicating sessions completed with summary of applicants' key concerns and potential for resolution (to the extent permitted while protecting privacy.)
- C. ***Action Plan:*** Counselors shall develop Action Plans for meeting eligibility requirements, overcoming mortgage distress, or issue resolution.
- D. ***Intensive Counseling Certification:*** Contractor shall provide additional counseling for applicants with cases requiring more intensive counselor assistance as defined by more than ten hours of counseling (Approximately 30% of all homeowners referred to counseling are anticipated to require this level of service). CNYCN and their network partners shall keep track of their time spent with the applicant.
- E. ***Legal Counseling by Phone:*** CNYCN shall provide, at HRO's direction, legal counseling services via phone. Phone counseling sessions completed by a legal counseling agency shall be considered equivalent to "Legal Intake/Signed Form" for billing purposes, except that an intake form signed by the applicant shall not be required. CNYCN must document the completion of phone counseling sessions in CMS in accordance with HRO specifications. HRO must approve the scope of phone counseling services in writing to CNYCN before CNYCN may proceed with such an effort.
1. The Contractor may perform and bill for multiple phone counseling sessions for an applicant if the applicant presents new issue(s) that are distinct and unrelated to the issue that the applicant presented in the prior phone counseling session, and where a new intake meeting would be required to properly address the issue(s). If the aforementioned conditions are not met, such counseling session shall be treated as a continuation of the prior session and the Contractor may not bill for multiple phone counseling sessions for the same issue.

#### **Article 5: Special Projects**

- A. The Contractor shall provide the following services:
1. ***SBA Declined Loan Workbook:*** For applicants who have cancelled an SBA loan and are requesting that it be removed from their coordination of benefits analysis as a received benefit, counselor will work with applicants to complete a Cancelled SBA Loan Workbook and produce a Counselor Report that documents, quantifies, and explains any hardship that lead to the applicant's declination of the SBA loan.

2. ***SBA Declined Loan CNYCN Determination:*** Reviewers will rely upon the information contained in the Cancelled SBA Loan Workbook and Counselor Report and complete a determination as required by HUD that sets forth whether an award of program funds would be duplicative of Build it Back benefits and whether an award of program funds would be necessary and reasonable given the cancelled SBA loan. Reviewers will ensure that determinations are communicated appropriately to vendor team and counselors. Where determinations are positive, SBA loans will be removed as a received-benefit for purposes of coordination of benefits; where determinations are negative, counselors will be informed of the determination and will advise applicants about their options for continuing through the program.
3. ***Housing Recovery Center Outreach:*** Drawing from its network of community-based counseling agencies, CNYCN shall provide counselors to staff outreach desks at 3 housing recovery centers. The counselor staffing each desk will provide brief advice to applicants and assist with completing complex program documents, including the F13. Applicants visiting a counseling desk who need more in-depth assistance will be scheduled for a follow-up appointment with Build it Back counseling. Counselors at outreach desks will also connect applicants with appropriate resources outside of the Build it Back program.
4. ***Community Outreach:*** CNYCN shall also provide, upon request, community outreach services lead by counselors with the goal of ensuring that LMI applicants understand their options and remain engaged in the program, or become engaged with the program. These services will be provided upon request by HRO. The specific scope of these outreach efforts will be in writing from HRO. In response to an HRO request, CNYCN shall provide a level of effort and cost. CNYCN must obtain prior approval in writing from HRO before proceeding with such efforts. (Time and Materials)

#### **Article 6: Temporary Relocation Advisory Services**

- A. In accordance with HRO's plan to ensure compliance with the Uniform Relocation Act (URA), counselors shall provide advisory services to tenants who may need to temporarily relocate due to work being performed by the program. HRO will provide CNYCN with a list of applicants and their tenants required to relocate. HRO will provide CNYCN with any requirements regarding the delivery of tenant advisory services that may be necessary to ensure compliance with the URA. CNYCN will be responsible for scheduling the advisory service meeting. During this meeting, counselors will gather required tenant information and will provide tenants who will be temporarily relocated with the rights and conditions of their temporary move. The counselor will also ask tenants to sign the Relocation Agreement indicating that they understand their relocation benefits and responsibilities. After the meeting the counselor shall complete and submit a Tenant Advisory Services Session Record reflecting the date of the meeting and key outcomes and upload the Relocation Agreement if signed. Subsequent to the tenant advisory services meeting, if the landlord's signature on the Relocation Agreement is still not available, CNYCN will contact the landlord to obtain signature. CNYCN shall

provide ongoing counseling as provided for in Article 3 or Article 4, as appropriate, to landlord applicants as needed for other issues.

#### **Article 7: Performance Outcomes**

- A. Effective January 1, 2015, the Contractor shall close 75 percent of counseling cases within 21 calendar days. This performance outcome is calculated by dividing the number of counseling cases completed in 21 days or less from the date of case commencement by the total number of counseling cases completed during the quarter. The Contractor shall achieve this performance outcome on a quarterly basis, as reported on the HRO performance RecoveryStat Report. The quarters are defined as follows:
  - a. January 1, 2015 through March 31, 2015;
  - b. April 1, 2015 through June 30, 2015;
  - c. July 1, 2015 through September 30, 2015; and
  - d. October 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015.
- B. The City shall withhold ten percent (10%) of the amount payable on each monthly invoice as retainage. At the end of each quarter, if the Contractor has achieved the required performance outcome in paragraph A above, on average, for the quarter, or at the sole discretion of the City, the amount retained by the City shall immediately become payable the following month. All remaining retainage amounts, if any, will become payable to the Contractor at the end of the Agreement term, except as otherwise provided in this Agreement.
- C. If Contractor exceeds the required performance outcome in paragraph A above for a rating quarter, the City shall, on the following month's invoice, pay Contractor a performance bonus. The performance bonus shall be ten percent (10%) of the following month's invoice.

#### **Article 8: Sandy Hiring**

##### **A. JOB POSTING REQUIREMENTS**

- I. Contractor and all subcontractors agree to inform Sandy Recovery Workforce1, managed by NYC Department of Small Business Services, of all job opportunities arising from this Contract. The Contractor must inform Sandy Recovery Workforce1 of any hiring need, and the requirements of the jobs to be filled, no less than three weeks prior to the intended first day of employment for each new position, unless otherwise approved by the City. Sandy Recovery Workforce1 will work with Contractor to develop a recruitment plan which will outline clear instructions as to when, where, and how interviews will take place. Sandy Recovery Workforce1 will screen applicants based on employer requirements and refer applicants whom it reasonably believes are qualified to the Contractor for interviews. The Contractor must interview referred applicants whom it reasonably believes are qualified, and must provide feedback on all interviewed

candidates within two business days and report new hires to Sandy Recovery Workforce1 once confirmed.

2. Sandy-impacted residents will be given first priority to register for opportunities with the rebuilding effort on-line and at Workforce1 and Build it Back centers.

#### B. WORKFORCE RECORDKEEPING REQUIREMENTS

1. The Contractor must provide at least one full-time staff dedicated to tracking local hiring daily at the job sites and ensuring implementation of the requirements of this Rider.
2. The Contractor must comply with monthly reporting requirements set forth by HRO, which include, but are not limited to, data that HRO is required to report under Local Law 140 of the City of New York and Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, as well as data collection related to Executive Order 11246. The Contractor must provide HRO with a Monthly Report of such data by the fifteenth of every month for the prior month using the paper and/ or electronic reporting format provided by HRO, and must complete all applicable fields. In the situation that reporting particular information is impossible for the Contractor, the Contractor may apply for an exemption. Any application for an exemption must be made before the expiration of thirty (30) days after the commencement date of this Agreement, and shall be in the form specified by HRO. Exemption may be granted upon a showing that the operation of this Section will constitute a hardship, within the sole discretion of the Department. The content of this Monthly Report may change at any time as the City's reporting needs change.

#### **Article 9: Changes to Scope of Work**

The City reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to remove services from the Scope of Work of the Agreement, as modified herein. If the City chooses to exercise this right, it shall provide twenty (20) calendar days written notice to Contractor, and Contractor shall no longer be required to perform the services specified in the City's notice, nor shall the City be required to make continued payment for the specified services.

## **Appendix B-1: CDBG Rider**

## HURRICANE SANDY CDBG-DR APPENDIX

### NOTICE

THIS DOCUMENT CONTAINS CONDITIONS FOR USE WITH PROCUREMENT CONTRACTS AND SUBRECIPIENT AGREEMENTS, ALONG WITH APPENDIX B, WHICH PROVIDE FOR AN ELIGIBLE ACTIVITY FUNDED IN WHOLE OR IN PART BY CDBG-DR FUNDS APPROPRIATED PURSUANT TO THE DISASTER RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2013 (P.L. 113-2). IT MUST BE ANNEXED TO ALL SUCH CONTRACTS ALONG WITH A LINK TO HUD DOCKET NO. FR056960-N-01 (MAR. 5, 2013) AND APPENDIX B, AND EXPRESSLY MADE A PART OF, AND INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE INTO THOSE CONTRACTS.

## ARTICLE 1. DEFINITIONS

The definitions in Article 1 of Appendix B apply to this Hurricane Sandy CDBG-DR Appendix.

## ARTICLE 2. ADMINISTRATIVE CAP

Pursuant to the Disaster Relief Appropriations Act of 2013 (P.L. 113-2) and Section VI(A)(10)(b) of HUD Docket No. FR-56960-N-01, attached, a Subrecipient shall not be reimbursed for general administration costs that exceed five percent.

## ARTICLE 3. FLOOD INSURANCE

Subrecipients shall implement procedures and mechanisms to ensure that assisted property owners comply with all flood insurance requirements set forth in Section VI(B)(31) of HUD Docket No. FR-56960-N-01.

## ARTICLE 4. CIVIL RIGHTS REQUIREMENTS

Subrecipients shall comply with all civil-rights related requirements, pursuant to 24 CFR § 570.503(b)(5).

## ARTICLE 5. RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATIONS

In addition to the provisions in Article 2(m)(iv) of Appendix B, which cover a religious or denominational institution or organization operated for religious purposes which is supervised or controlled by or in connection with a religious or denominational institution or organization, payment may be authorized for a portion of eligible rehabilitation or construction costs attributable to the non-religious use of a facility that is not used exclusively for religious purposes, pursuant to Section VI(A)(4)(c) of HUD Docket No. FR-56960-N-01.

## ARTICLE 6. QUARTERLY REPORTS

The reports required by Article (5)(b) of Appendix B shall be provided by the Contractor or Subrecipient to the City on a quarterly basis, pursuant to Section VI(A)(2)(e) of HUD Docket No. FR-56960-N-01.

## ARTICLE 7. CONSTRUCTION STANDARDS

The Contractor or Subrecipient shall comply with the construction standards concerning energy efficiency set forth in section VI(A)(1)(a)(5) of HUD Docket No. FR-5696-N-01.

## ARTICLE 8. PROGRAM INCOME

To the extent deemed necessary by the City, the Program Income provisions set forth in Article 2(1) of Appendix B may be waived and instead the City may apply the alternative program requirements set forth in Section VI(A)(17)(a)-(b) of Docket No. FR-56960-N-01, which concern the definition of program income. In such event, the alternative requirements shall be set forth in the Subrecipient Agreement.

## ARTICLE 9. PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS AND LIQUIDATED DAMAGES

Contractor and or Subrecipient shall be subject to the performance requirements and liquidated damages set forth in the Agreement.

**DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT**

**[Docket No. FR-5696-N-01]**

**Allocations, Common Application, Waivers, and Alternative Requirements for Grantees  
Receiving Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Disaster Recovery Funds in  
Response to Hurricane Sandy**

**Available On-line at  
[http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/documents/huddoc?id=CDBG-FR\\_Sandy\\_Notice.PDF](http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/documents/huddoc?id=CDBG-FR_Sandy_Notice.PDF)**

**APPENDIX B**

**NOTICE**

THIS PACKAGE CONTAINS SUPPLEMENTARY GENERAL CONDITIONS FOR USE WITH PROCUREMENT CONTRACTS AND SUBRECIPIENT AGREEMENTS WHICH PROVIDE FOR AN ELIGIBLE ACTIVITY FUNDED IN WHOLE OR IN PART UNDER TITLE I OF THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 1974 (P.L. 93-383) AS AMENDED. IT MUST BE ANNEXED TO ALL SUCH CONTRACTS, AND EXPRESSLY MADE A PART OF, AND INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE INTO THOSE CONTRACTS.

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## ARTICLE I

### DEFINITIONS

As used in this Contract:

- (a) "Act" means Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (P.L. 93-383) as amended.
- (b) "Agency" and/or "Recipient" means the entity, or entities, executing this Agreement on behalf of the City of New York.
- (c) "City" means the City of New York.
- (d) "Construction" means the building, rehabilitation, alteration, conversion, extension, demolition, painting or repair of any improvement to real property.
- (e) "Contractor" and/or "Subrecipient" means the entity or entities executing this Agreement, other than the Agency.
- (f) "Grant" means Community Development Block Grant Program funds provided to the Contractor through the City of New York and by the Federal Department of Housing and Urban Development.
- (g) "HUD" means the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development or a person authorized to act on his or her behalf.
- (h) "Program" means the New York City Community Development Block Grant Program approved by HUD as the same may from time to time be amended.
- (i) "Subcontractor" means any person, firm or corporation, other than employees of the Contractor, or another Subcontractor who is engaged by the Contractor to furnish labor or labor and materials at the site of the work performed under this agreement.

## ARTICLE 2

### FEDERAL CONDITIONS

This Agreement is subject to:

(a) Title 1 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (P.L. 93-383) as amended (The Act) and all rules, regulations and requirements now issued or hereafter issued pursuant to the Act; the Agreement may be suspended and/or terminated without liability to the City if the Grant to the City pursuant to the Act is suspended or terminated, and unless and until the City or Agency receives Community Development funds in an amount that is deemed sufficient to enable it to fund this Agreement, the City or Agency is under no obligation to make any payments to the Contractor. In this regard, the Agency is under no obligation to make any payments to the Contractor, and shall not make any such payment, and the Contractor shall not commence performance, until:

- (i) the Agency has received from the City's Office of Management and Budget instructions to proceed, evidencing compliance with the National Environmental Policy Act, as amended, and with regulations of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, related thereto, found at 24 CFR Part 58, and;
- (ii) the Contractor has been notified of such instructions by the Agency. Furthermore, the Contractor and the City mutually agree that the Contractor shall not advance any funds, from any source without limitation, to pay for costs intended to be paid for under this Agreement prior to the receipt and notification described in this paragraph (a), and the City shall not reimburse the Contractor for any costs incurred in violation of this provision.

(b) Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968 (P.L. 90-284; 42 U.S.C. §§ 3602-3620), as amended, which prohibits discrimination in the sale or rental of housing and in the provision of brokerage services based on race, color, religion, sex, national origin, disability, or familial status, and which requires affirmative action in the furtherance of Fair Housing objectives.

(c) Executive Order 11063, as amended by Executive Order 12259, pursuant to regulations issued at 24 CFR Part 107 which prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, sex or national origin and requires equal opportunity in housing constructed, operated or provided with federal funds.

(d) Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (P.L. 88-352; 42 U.S.C. §§ 2000d *et seq.*) and implementing regulations in 24 CFR Part 1, which states that no person shall, on the ground of race, color or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or otherwise be subject to discrimination under any Program or activity made possible by, or resulting from, this agreement. The provisions of this Article 2(d) shall be incorporated in and made a part of all subcontracts executed in connection with this agreement.

(e) Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 (P.L. 90-448). Pursuant to 24 CFR § 135.38, the Contractor agrees to the following:

A. The work to be performed under this Agreement is subject to the requirements of Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, as amended, 12 U.S.C. § 1701 u (Section 3). The purpose of Section 3 is to ensure that employment and other economic opportunities generated by HUD assistance or HUD-assisted projects covered by Section 3, shall, to the greatest extent feasible, be directed to low- and very low-income persons, particularly persons who are recipients of HUD assistance for housing.

B. The parties to this Agreement agree to comply with HUD'S regulations in 24 CFR Part 135, which implement Section 3. As evidenced by their execution of this Agreement, the parties to this Agreement certify that they are under no contractual or other impediments that would prevent them from complying with the Part 135 regulations.

C. The Contractor agrees to send to each labor organization or representative of workers with which the Contractor has a collective bargaining agreement or other understanding, if any, a notice advising the labor organization or workers' representative of the Contractor's commitments under this Section 3 clause, and will post copies of the notice in conspicuous places at the work site where both employees and applicants for training and employment positions can see the notice. The notice shall describe the Section 3 preference, shall set forth minimum number and job titles subject to hire, availability of apprenticeship and training positions, the qualifications for each; and the name and location of the person(s) taking applications for each of the positions; and the anticipated date the work shall begin.

D. The Contractor agrees to include this Section 3 clause in every subcontract subject to compliance with regulations in 24 CFR Part 135, and agrees to take appropriate action, as provided in an applicable provision of the subcontract or in this Section 3 clause, upon a finding that the Subcontractor is in violation of the regulations in 24 CFR Part 135. The Contractor will not subcontract with any Subcontractor where the Contractor has notice or knowledge that the Subcontractor has been found in violation of the regulations in 24 CFR Part 135.

E. The Contractor will certify that any vacant employment positions, including training positions, that are filled (1) after the Contractor is selected but before the Agreement is executed, and (2) with persons other than those to whom the regulations of 24 CFR Part 135 require employment opportunities to be directed, were not filled to circumvent the Contractor's obligations under 24 CFR Part 135.

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

G. With respect to work performed in connection with Section 3 covered Indian Housing Assistance, Section 7(b) of the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act (25 U.S.C. 450e) also applies to the work to be performed under this Agreement. Section 7(b) requires that to the greatest extent feasible (i) preference and opportunities for training and employment shall be given to Indians, and (ii) preference in the award of contracts and subcontracts shall be given to Indian organizations and Indian-owned Economic Enterprises. Parties to this Agreement that are subject to the provisions of Section 3 and Section 7(b) agree to comply with Section 3 to the maximum extent feasible, but not in derogation of compliance with Section 7(b).

(f) Lead-Based Paint Poison Prevention provisions found in 24 CFR § 570.608, the Lead-Based Paint Poisoning Prevention Act (42 U.S.C. §§ 4821-4846), the Residential Lead Based Paint Hazard Reduction Act of 1992 (U.S.C. §§ 4851-4856, and 24 CFR Part 35, subparts A, B, J, K, and R. This Article 2(f) is to be included in all subcontracts, for work in connection with this Agreement, which relate to residential structures.

(g) Pursuant to the provisions in 24 CFR § 570.605, Section 202(a) of the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973 (42 U.S.C. § 4106), and the regulations in 44 CFR Parts 59-79 apply to this Agreement.

(h) Consistent with 24 CFR § 570.614, the Contractor warrants that all services, programs, and/or Construction (including design and alteration) under this Agreement shall be performed in accordance with all federal, state and local laws and regulations regarding accessibility standards for persons with disabilities including, but not limited to, the following: Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act, the Architectural Barriers Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. § 4151-4157), the Uniform Federal Accessibility Standards (Appendix A to 24 CFR Part 40 and Appendix A to 41 CFR Part 101-19, subpart 101-19.6), and the Americans with Disabilities Act (42 U.S.C. § 12131; 47 U.S.C. §§ 155, 201, 218, and 225).

(i) The Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (P.L. 89-665; 16 U.S.C. §§ 470 *et seq.*), the Archeological and Historic Preservation Act of 1974 (P.L. 93-291; 16 U.S.C. §§ 469-469c), Executive Order 11593 and regulations at 36 CFR Part 800. In general, this requires concurrence from the State Historic Preservation Officer for all rehabilitation and demolition of historic properties that are fifty years old or older or that are included on a Federal, state, or local historic property list.

(j) The Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 (42 U.S.C. §§ 4601-4655) and regulations at 49 CFR Part 24.

(k) Uniform Administrative Requirements.

(i) Subrecipients that are governmental entities, including those that are public agencies or authorities, shall comply with the following:

a. Federal Office of Management and Budget (OMB) circular A-87, Cost Principles for State, Local and Indian Tribal Governments;

b. Federal Office of Management and Budget (OMB) circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations (rev. 6/27/03);

c. The sections of 24 CFR Part 85, Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Cooperative Agreements to State and Local Governments, that are set forth in 24 CFR § 570.502(a).

(ii) Subrecipients, except those which are governmental entities, public agencies or authorities, shall comply with the following:

a. Federal Office of Management and Budget (OMB) circular A-122, Cost Principles Non-Profit Organizations;

b. In the event that the Contractor is an educational institution, Federal Office of Management and Budget (OMB) circular A-21, Cost Principles for Educational Institutions;

c. The sections of 24 CFR Part 84, Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Agreements with Institutions of Higher Education, Hospitals and other Non-Profit Organizations, that are set forth in 24 CFR § 570.502(b). The provisions of 24 CFR Part 84 implement OMB circular A-110;

d. Federal Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations (rev. 6/27/03).

e. Execution of a subrecipient agreement.

(iii) Contractors shall comply with the provisions of 24 CFR Part 85 and 48 CFR Part 31, as applicable.

(l) The Contractor agrees that if any income is generated from the Community Development Block Grant Program funded activities, Contractor shall return such income to the City's Community Development Block Grant Program

unless expressly authorized by the City. Such funds are subject to all applicable requirements governing the use of Community Development Block Grant funds, including 24 CFR § 570.503(b)(3), which provides that, at the end of the program year, the City may require remittance of all or part of any program income balances (including investments thereof) held by the Subrecipient (except those needed for immediate cash needs, cash balances of a revolving loan fund, cash balances from a lump sum drawdown, or cash or investments held for section 108 security needs).

(m) If the Contractor is, or may be deemed to be, a religious or denominational institution or organization operated for religious purposes which is supervised or controlled by or in connection with a religious or denominational institution or organization, the Contractor agrees that in connection with services to be provided under this Agreement:

- (i) it shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment on the basis of religion and shall not limit employment or give preference in employment to persons on the basis of religion.
- (ii) it shall not discriminate against any person applying for such public services on the basis of religion or religious belief and shall not limit such services or give preference to persons on the basis of religion or religious belief.
- (iii) it shall provide no religious instruction or counseling, conduct no religious worship or services, engage in no religious proselytizing, and exert no other religious influence in the provision of such public services.
- (iv) it shall not use CDBG funds for the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation of structures to the extent that those structures are used for inherently religious activities. CDBG funds may be used for the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation of structures only to the extent that those structures are used for conducting eligible activities under 24 CFR Part 570. Where a structure is used for both eligible and inherently religious activities, CDBG funds may not exceed the cost of those portions of the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation that are attributable to eligible activities in accordance with the cost accounting requirements applicable to CDBG funds in 24 CFR Part 570. Sanctuaries, chapels, or other rooms that a CDBG-funded religious congregation uses as its principal place of worship, however, are ineligible for CDBG-funded improvements. Disposition of real property is subject to 24 CFR § 570.200(j)(5).

(n) Executive Order 11246, as amended, and the implementing regulations contained in 41 CFR Chapter 60, as amended, prohibit discrimination in employment due to race, color, religion, sex or national origin during the performance of all Federal or federally assisted contracts.

- (i) During the performance of this Agreement the Contractor agrees as follows:
  - a. The Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. The Contractor will take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. Such action shall include, but not be limited to, the following: employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. The Contractor agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants

for employment, notices to be provided by the contracting officer setting forth the provisions of this nondiscrimination clause.

b. The Contractor will, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the Contractor, state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, sex, religion or national origin.

c. The Contractor will send to each labor union or representative of workers with which he/she has a collective bargaining agreement or other Agreement or understanding, a notice to be provided by the Agency contracting officer, advising the labor union or worker's representatives of the Contractor's commitments under Section 202 of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, as amended, and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment.

d. The Contractor will comply with all provisions of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, as amended, and of the rules, regulations and relevant orders of the Secretary of Labor.

e. The Contractor will furnish all information and reports required by Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, as amended, and by the rules, regulations and orders of the Secretary of Labor, or pursuant thereto, and will permit access to his books, records and accounts by the Department and the Secretary of Labor for purposes of investigations to ascertain compliance with such rules, regulations, and orders.

f. In the event of the Contractor's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination clauses of this Agreement or with any of such rules, regulations, or orders, this Agreement may be cancelled, terminated or suspended in whole or in part and the Contractor may be declared ineligible for further Government contracts or federally assisted Construction contracts in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, as amended, and such other sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked as provided in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, as amended, or by rule, regulation or order of the Secretary of Labor, or as otherwise provided by law.

g. The Contractor will include the provisions of this Article 2(n) in every subcontract or purchase order unless exempted by rules, regulations, or orders of the Secretary of Labor issued pursuant to Section 204 of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, as amended, so that provisions will be binding upon each Subcontractor or vendor. The Contractor will take such action with respect to any subcontract or purchase order as may be directed by the Secretary of Labor as a means of enforcing such provisions, including sanctions for non-compliance: Provided, however, that in the event a Contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a Subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction, the Contractor may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interest of the United States.

(o) The Contractor agrees that if it enters a Construction subcontract as part of its Agreement with the City, and this Construction subcontract is for an amount more than \$10,000, the notice found at FEDERAL EXHIBIT 1 of this Agreement must be included in that Construction subcontract.

### ARTICLE 3

### ADDITIONAL FEDERAL CONDITIONS FOR CONSTRUCTION

In the event that this Agreement involves Construction work, design for Construction or Construction services, all such work or services performed or administered by the Contractor shall be subject to the following requirements in addition to those set forth in Article 2.

- (a) Federal Labor Standards: The Contractor will comply with the following:
  - (i) The Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. §§ 3141 *et seq.*): In Construction contracts involving an excess of \$2000, unless exclusively in connection with the rehabilitation of residential property containing fewer than 8 units, all laborers and mechanics must be paid at a rate not less than those determined by the Secretary of Labor to be prevailing for the City, which rates are to be provided by the Agency. These wage rates are a federally mandated minimum only, and will be superseded by any State or City requirement mandating higher wage rates. The Contractor also agrees to comply with Department of Labor Regulations pursuant to the Davis-Bacon Act found in 29 CFR Parts 1, 3, 5 and 7 which enforce statutory labor standards provisions.
  - (ii) Sections 103 and 107 of the Contract Work Hours and Safe Standards Act (40 U.S.C. §§ 3701 *et seq.*), which provides that no laborer or mechanic shall be required or permitted to work more than eight hours in a calendar day or in excess of forty hours in any workweek, unless such laborer or mechanic is paid at an overtime rate of 1½ times his/her basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of these limits, under any Construction Agreement costing in excess of \$2000. In the event of a violation of this provision, the Contractor shall not only be liable to any affected employee for his/her unpaid wages, but shall be additionally liable to the United States for liquidated damages.
  - (iii) The Copeland "Anti-Kickback" Act (18 U.S.C. § 874), as supplemented by the regulations contained in 29 CFR Part 3, requiring that all laborers and mechanics shall be paid unconditionally and not less often than once a week, and prohibiting all but "permissible" salary deductions.
  - (iv) The more complete detailed statement of Federal Labor Standards annexed hereto as FEDERAL EXHIBIT 2.
  - (v) The provisions of Article 3(a) of this Agreement shall be included in all subcontracts for work in connection with this Agreement.
- (b) Executive Order 11246, as amended by Executive Order 11375, and as supplemented in Department of Labor regulations (41 CFR chapter 60) for Construction contracts or subcontracts in excess of \$10,000.

#### **Standard Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Construction Contract Specifications for Contracts and Subcontracts in Excess of \$10,000.**

- 1. As used in these specifications:
  - a. "Covered area" means the geographical area described in the solicitation from which this Agreement resulted;
  - b. "Director" means Director, Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, United States Department of Labor, or any person to whom the Director delegates authority;

- c. "Employer identification number" means the Federal Social Security number used on the Employer's Quarterly Federal Tax Return, U.S. Treasury Department Form 941.
- d. "Minority" includes:
  - (i) Black (all persons having origins in any of the Black African racial groups not of Hispanic origin);
  - (ii) Hispanic (all persons of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American or other Spanish Culture or origin, regardless of race);
  - (iii) Asian and Pacific Islander (all persons having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, the Indian Subcontinent, or the Pacific Islands); and
  - (iv) American Indian or Alaskan Native (all persons having origins in any of the original peoples of North America and maintaining identifiable tribal affiliations through membership and participation or community identification).
2. Whenever the Contractor, or any Subcontractor at any tier, subcontracts a portion of the work involving any Construction trade, it shall physically include in each subcontract in excess of \$10,000 the provisions of these specifications and the Notice which contains the applicable goals for minority and female participation and which is set forth in the solicitations from which this Agreement resulted.
3. If the Contractor is participating (pursuant to 41 CFR 60-4.5) in a Hometown Plan approved by the U.S. Department of Labor in the covered area either individually or through an association, its affirmative action obligations on all work in the Plan area (including goals and timetables) shall be in accordance with that Plan for those trades which have unions participating in the Plan. Contractors must be able to demonstrate their participation in and compliance with the provisions of any such Hometown Plan. Each Contractor or Subcontractor participating in an approved Plan is individually required to comply with its obligations under the EEO clause, and to make a good faith effort to achieve each goal under the Plan in each trade in which it has employees. The overall good faith performance by other Contractors or Subcontractors toward a goal in an approved Plan does not excuse any covered Contractor's or Subcontractor's failure to take good faith efforts to achieve the Plan goals and timetables.
4. The Contractor shall implement the specific affirmative action standards provided in paragraphs 7 a through p of these specifications. The goals set forth in the solicitation from which this Agreement resulted are expressed as percentages of the total hours of employment and training of minority and female utilization the Contractor should reasonably be able to achieve in each Construction trade in which it has employees in the covered area. Covered Construction Contractors performing Construction work in geographical areas where they do not have a Federal or federally assisted Construction contract shall apply the minority and female goals established for the geographical areas where the work is being performed. Goals are published periodically in the Federal Register in notice form, and such notices may be obtained from any Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs office or from Federal procurement contracting officers. The Contractor is expected to make substantially uniform progress in meeting its goals in each craft during the period specified.
5. Neither the provisions of any collective bargaining agreement, nor the failure by a union with whom the Contractor has a collective bargaining agreement, to refer either minorities or women shall excuse the Contractor's obligations under these specifications, Executive Order 11246, or the regulations promulgated pursuant thereto.
6. In order for the nonworking training hours of apprentices and trainees to be counted in meeting the goals, such apprentices and trainees must be employed by the Contractor during the training period,

and the Contractor must have made a commitment to employ the apprentices and trainees at the completion of their training, subject to the availability of employment opportunities. Trainees must be trained pursuant to training programs approved by the U.S. Department of Labor.

7. The Contractor shall take specific affirmative actions to ensure equal employment opportunity. The evaluation of the Contractor's compliance with these specifications shall be based upon its effort to achieve maximum results from its actions. The Contractor shall document these efforts fully, and shall implement affirmative action steps at least as extensive as the following:
  - a. Ensure and maintain a working environment free of harassment, intimidation, and coercion at all sites, and in all facilities at which the Contractor's employees are assigned to work. The Contractor, where possible, will assign two or more women to each Construction project. The Contractor shall specifically ensure that all foremen, superintendents, and other on-site supervisory personnel are aware of and carry out the Contractor's obligation to maintain such a working environment, with specific attention to minority or female individuals working at such sites or in such facilities.
  - b. Establish and maintain a current list of minority and female recruitment sources, provide written notification to minority and female recruitment sources and to community organizations when the Contractor or its unions have employment opportunities available, and maintain a record of the organization's responses.
  - c. Maintain a current file of the names, addresses and telephone numbers of each minority and female off-the-street applicant and minority or female referral from a union, a recruitment source or community organization and of what action was taken with respect to each such individual. If such individual was sent to the union hiring hall for referral and was not referred back to the Contractor by the union or, if referred, not employed by the Contractor, this shall be documented in the file with the reason therefor, along with whatever additional actions the Contractor may have taken.
  - d. Provide immediate written notification to the Director when the union or unions with which the Contractor has a collective bargaining agreement has not referred to the Contractor a minority person or woman sent by the Contractor, or when the Contractor has other information that the union referral process has impeded the Contractor's efforts to meet its obligations.
  - e. Develop on-the-job training opportunities and/or participate in training programs for the area which expressly include minorities and women, including upgrading programs and apprenticeship and trainee programs relevant to the Contractor's employment needs, especially those programs funded or approved by the Department of Labor. The Contractor shall provide notice of these programs to the sources compiled under 7b above.
  - f. Disseminate the Contractor's EEO policy by providing notice of the policy to unions and training programs and requesting their cooperation in assisting the Contractor in meeting its EEO obligations; by including it in any policy manual and collective bargaining agreement; by publicizing it in the company newspaper, annual report, etc.; by specific review of the policy with all management personnel and with all minority and female employees at least once a year; and by posting the company EEO policy on bulletin boards accessible to all employees at each location where Construction work is performed.
  - g. Review, at least annually, the company's EEO policy and affirmative action obligations under these specifications with all employees having any responsibility for hiring, assignment, layoff, termination or other employment decisions including specific review of these items with on-site supervisory personnel such as Superintendents, General Foremen, etc., prior to the initiation of Construction work at any job site. A written record shall be made and maintained identifying the time and place of these meetings, persons attending, subject matter discussed, and disposition of the subject matter.
  - h. Disseminate the Contractor's EEO policy externally by including it in any advertising in the news media, specifically including minority and female news media, and providing written

notification to and discussing the Contractor's EEO policy with other Contractors and Subcontractors with whom the Contractor does or anticipates doing business.

- i. Direct its recruitment efforts, both oral and written, to minority, female and community organizations, to schools with minority and female students and to minority and female recruitment and training organizations serving the Contractor's recruitment area and employment needs. Not later than one month prior to the date for the acceptance of applications for apprenticeship or other training by any recruitment source, the Contractor shall send written notification to organizations such as the above, describing the openings, screening procedures, and tests to be used in the selection process.
  - j. Encourage present minority and female employees to recruit other minority persons and women and, where reasonable, provide after school, summer and vacation employment to minority and female youth both on the site and in other areas of a Contractor's work force.
  - k. Validate all tests and other selection requirements where there is an obligation to do so under 41 CFR Part 60-3.
  - l. Conduct, at least annually, an inventory and evaluation at least of all minority and female personnel for promotional opportunities and encourage these employees to seek or to prepare for, through appropriate training, etc., such opportunities.
  - m. Ensure that seniority practices, job classifications, work assignments and other personnel practices, do not have a discriminatory effect by continually monitoring all personnel and employment related activities to ensure that the EEO policy and the Contractor's obligations under these specifications are being carried out.
  - n. Ensure that all facilities and company activities are non-segregated except that separate or single-user toilet and necessary changing facilities shall be provided to assure privacy between the sexes.
  - o. Document and maintain a record of all solicitations of offers for subcontracts from minority and female Construction contractors and suppliers, including circulation of solicitations to minority and female Contractor associations and other business associations.
  - p. Conduct a review, at least annually, of all supervisor's adherence to and performance under the Contractor's EEO policies and affirmative action obligations.
8. Contractors are encouraged to participate in voluntary associations which assist in fulfilling one or more of their affirmative action obligations (7a through p). The efforts of a Contractor association, joint Contractor-union, Contractor-community, or other similar group of which the Contractor is a member and participant, may be asserted as fulfilling any one or more of its obligations under 7a through p of these specifications provided that the Contractor actively participates in the group, makes every effort to assure that the group has a positive impact on the employment of minorities and women in the industry, ensures that the concrete benefits of the Program are reflected in the Contractor's minority and female work force participation, makes a good faith effort to meet its individual goals and timetables, and can provide access to documentation which demonstrates the effectiveness of actions taken on behalf of the Contractor. The obligation to comply, however, is the Contractor's and failure of such a group to fulfill an obligation shall not be a defense for the Contractor's noncompliance.
9. A single goal for minorities and a separate single goal for women have been established. The Contractor, however, is required to provide equal employment opportunity and to take affirmative action for all minority groups, both male and female, and all women, both minority and non-minority. Consequently, the Contractor may be in violation of the Executive Order if a particular group is employed in a substantially disparate manner (for example, even though the Contractor has achieved its goals for women generally, the Contractor may be in violation of the Executive Order if a specific minority group of women is underutilized).

10. The Contractor shall not use the goals and timetables or affirmative action standards to discriminate against any person because of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin.
11. The Contractor shall not enter into any Subcontract with any person or firm debarred from Government contracts pursuant to Executive Order 11246 or suspended or is otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in federal assistance programs.
12. The Contractor shall carry out such sanctions and penalties for violation of these specifications and of the Equal Opportunity Clause, including suspension, termination and cancellation of existing subcontracts as may be imposed or ordered pursuant to Executive Order 11246, as amended, and its implementing regulations, by the Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs. Any Contractor who fails to carry out such sanctions and penalties shall be in violation of these specifications and Executive Order 11246, as amended.
13. The Contractor, in fulfilling its obligations under these specifications, shall implement specific affirmative action steps, at least as extensive as those standards prescribed in paragraph 7 of these specifications, so as to achieve maximum results from its efforts to ensure equal employment opportunity. If the Contractor fails to comply with the requirements of the Executive Order, the implementing regulations, or these specifications, the Director shall proceed in accordance with 41 CFR 60-4.8.
14. The Contractor shall designate a responsible official to monitor all employment related activity to ensure that the company EEO policy is being carried out, to submit reports relating to the provisions hereof as may be required by the Government and to keep records. Records shall at least include for each employee the name, address, telephone numbers, Construction trade, union affiliation if any, employee identification number when assigned, social security number, race, sex, status (e.g., mechanic, apprentice trainee, helper, or laborer), dates of changes in status, hours worked per week in the indicated trade, rate of pay, and locations at which the work was performed. Records shall be maintained in an easily understandable and retrievable form; however, to the degree that existing records satisfy this requirement, Contractors shall not be required to maintain separate records.
15. Nothing herein provided shall be construed as a limitation upon the application of other laws which establish different standards of compliance or upon the application of requirements for hiring of local or other areas residents (e.g., those under the Public Works Employment Act of 1977 and the Community Development Block Grant Program).

#### ARTICLE 4

##### NONDISCRIMINATION

(a) The Contractor shall not, in any Program or activity receiving funds under this Agreement, discriminate against any person on the grounds of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, age, or disability. The Contractor agrees to comply with provisions of 24 CFR Part 6, 8, and 146.

#### ARTICLE 5

##### RECORDS AND AUDITS

(a) Records shall be maintained in accordance with requirements prescribed by HUD and/or the City with respect to all matters covered by this Agreement and retained for at least three years after the City makes final payments and all other pending matters concerning this Agreement are closed.

(b) At such times on such forms as HUD and/or the City may require, there shall be furnished to HUD and/or the City such statements, records, reports, data and information, as HUD and/or the City may request pertaining to matters covered by this Agreement. At a minimum, such forms will include the following:

- (i) Annual Data Collection Report forms for the purpose of including specific Program description, accomplishment, expenditure and beneficiary information in the City's Annual Performance Report.
- (ii) Annual Property Register forms for the purpose of tracking the use of CDBG purchased real property.

(c) At any time during normal business hours and as often as the City, the Agency, HUD, Inspector General, U.S. General Accounting Office, and/or the Comptroller General of the United States may deem necessary, the Contractor shall make available for examination to the City, HUD, Inspector General, U.S. General Accounting Office and/or representatives of the Comptroller General all of its books, accounts, records, reports, files, and other papers or property with respect to all matters covered by this Agreement and shall permit the City, HUD and/or representatives of the Comptroller General and the U.S. General Accounting Office to audit, examine, make excerpts of, and make transcriptions from such books, accounts, records, reports, files, and other papers or property and to make audits of all contracts, invoices, materials, payrolls, records or personnel, conditions of employment and other data relating to all matters covered by this Agreement.

## ARTICLE 6

### UNEARNED PAYMENTS

Unearned payments under this Agreement may be suspended or terminated upon refusal to accept any additional conditions that may be imposed by HUD at any time, or if the Grant to the City under the Act is suspended or terminated. Unearned payments received by the Contractor will be returned to the City. All interest on funds advanced to the Contractor will be returned to the City.

## ARTICLE 7

### DISBURSEMENT RESTRICTIONS

No money under this Agreement shall be disbursed by the Agency to any Contractor except pursuant to a written contract which incorporates the applicable Supplementary General Conditions and unless the Contractor is in compliance with HUD requirements with regard to accounting and fiscal matters, to the extent they are applicable, and provided that the Agency has completed HUD requirements, including but not limited to environmental certifications pursuant to 24 CFR 58.

## ARTICLE 8

### DOCUMENTATION OF COSTS

All costs shall be supported by properly executed payrolls, time records, invoices, contracts, or vouchers, or other official documentation evidencing in proper detail the nature and propriety of the charges. All checks, payrolls, invoices, contracts, vouchers, orders or other accounting documents, pertaining in whole or in part to the Contract, shall be clearly identified and readily accessible.

## ARTICLE 9

### BONDING

The Agency must receive a statement from the Contractor's chief fiscal officer or their insurer assuring that all persons handling funds received or disbursed under this Agreement are covered by fidelity insurance in an amount and

manner consistent with the coverage deemed necessary by the City of New York for its own employees. If the bond is cancelled or coverage is substantially reduced, the Contractor shall promptly notify the Agency of this fact in every case not later than 48 hours. In such event, the Agency shall not disburse any more funds to the Contractor until it has received assurance that adequate coverage has subsequently been obtained.

## ARTICLE 10

### ACCOUNTING SYSTEM

The Contractor shall submit to the Agency a detailed description of its accounting, reporting and internal control systems, including but not limited to the procedures for cash receipts, cash disbursements, payrolls, personnel policies, fixed petty cash controls and other systems which are necessary under the circumstances. The Agency shall evaluate and document all systems and only upon acceptance and approval of the accounting, reporting and internal control systems by the Agency, shall funds be disbursed to the Contractor, other provisions of the Agreement notwithstanding.

## ARTICLE 11

### COPYRIGHTS

(a) Any reports, documents, data, photographs, deliverables, and/or other materials produced pursuant to this Agreement and any and all drafts and/or other preliminary materials in any format related to such items produced pursuant to this Agreement, shall upon their creation become the exclusive property of the City.

(b) Any reports, documents, data, photographs, deliverables, and/or other materials, including software, produced pursuant to this Agreement ("Copyrightable Materials"), shall be considered "work-made-for-hire" within the meaning and purview of Section 101 of the United States Copyright Act, 17 U.S.C. § 101, and the City shall be the copyright owner thereof and of all aspects, elements and components thereof in which copyright protection might subsist. To the extent that the Copyrightable Materials do not qualify as "work-made-for-hire," the Contractor hereby irrevocably transfers, assigns and conveys exclusive copyright ownership in and to the Copyrightable Materials to the City, free and clear of any liens, claims, or other encumbrances. The Contractor shall retain no copyright or intellectual property interest in the Copyrightable Materials. The Copyrightable Materials shall be used by the Contractor for no purpose other than in the performance of this Agreement without the prior permission of the City. The Department may grant the contractor a license to use the Copyrightable Materials on such terms as determined by the Department and set forth in the license.

(c) The Contractor acknowledges that the City may, in its sole discretion, register copyright in the Copyrightable Materials with the U.S. Copyright Office or any other government agency authorized to grant copyright registrations. The Contractor shall cooperate in this effort, and agrees to provide any further documentation necessary to accomplish this.

(d) The Contractor represents and warrants that the Copyrightable Materials: (i) are wholly original material not published elsewhere (except for materials that is in the public domain); (ii) do not violate any copyright law; (iii) do not constitute defamation or invasion of the right of privacy or publicity; and (iv) are not infringement, of any kind, of the rights of any third party. To the extent that the Copyrightable Materials incorporate any non-original material, the Contractor has obtained all necessary permissions and clearances in writing, for the use of such non-original material under this Agreement, copies of which shall be provided to the city upon execution of this Agreement.

(e) HUD reserves a royalty-free, nonexclusive, perpetual and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish, display, perform, distribute, or otherwise use, and to authorize others to use, for Federal or State government purposes, the copyright in any Copyrightable Materials developed under or the rights to which are purchased under this Agreement.

(f) If the Contractor publishes a work dealing with any aspect of performance under this Agreement, or with the results of such performance, the City shall have a royalty-free, non-exclusive irrevocable license to reproduce, publish or otherwise use such work for City governmental purposes.

## ARTICLE 12

### PATENTS

The Contractor shall promptly and fully report to the City any discovery or invention arising out of or developed in the course of performance of this Agreement. In addition, any discovery or invention arising out of or developed in the course of work aided by this Agreement shall be promptly and fully reported to HUD for determination by HUD as to whether patent protection on such invention or discovery, including rights under any patent issued thereon, shall be disposed of and administered, in order to protect the public interest.

## ARTICLE 13

### SUBCONTRACTORS

(a) The provisions of this Agreement shall apply to Subcontractors and their officers, agents and employees in all respects as if they were employees of the Contractor. The Contractor shall not be discharged from its obligations and liabilities, but shall be liable for all acts and negligence of Subcontractors, and their officers, agents and employees, as if they were employees of the Contractor.

(b) Employees of the Subcontractor shall be subject to the same provisions as employees of the Contractor.

(c) The services furnished by Subcontractors shall be subject to the provisions hereof as if furnished directly by the Contractor, and the Contractor shall remain responsible therefor.

## ARTICLE 14

### SUSPENSION AND TERMINATION

(a) Where the Contractor fails to perform the work satisfactorily as enumerated in the part of this Agreement known as the scope of work, the City may withhold payment, in addition to any other remedy provided for by this Agreement. Where there is failure to comply with the Agreement terms, the City reserves the right to terminate the Agreement. The City further reserves the right to terminate the Agreement for convenience.

(b) The Contractor certifies that neither it nor its principals is currently in a state of debarment, suspension or other ineligible status as a result of prior performance, failure, fraud, or violation of City laws. The Contractor further certifies that neither it nor its principals is debarred, suspended, otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in Federal assistance programs. The City reserves the right to terminate this Agreement if knowledge of debarment, suspension or other ineligibility has been withheld by the Contractor.

(c) If this Agreement is between the City and a subrecipient, the City may suspend or terminate the Agreement if Subrecipient materially fails to comply with any terms of this Agreement, pursuant to 24 CFR § 85.43, and for convenience, pursuant to 24 CFR § 85.44.

## ARTICLE 15

### REVERSION OF ASSETS

(a) At the Contract's expiration, the Contractor shall transfer to the City all Community Development funds on hand at the time of expiration and any accounts receivable attributable to the use of Community Development funds.

(b) Any real property under the City's or the Contractor's control that was acquired in whole or in part with Community Development funds in excess of \$25,000 will be used to meet the national objectives in Section 570.208 or disposed in a manner which results in the Program being reimbursed in the amount of the current fair market value of the property less any portion thereof attributable to expenditures of non-Community Development funds for acquisition of, or improvements to, the property.

(c) Any real property under the City's control that was improved in whole or in part with Community Development funds in excess of \$25,000 will be used to meet the national objectives in Section 570.208 for a period equal to the life of those improvements. The term shall be determined by the Office of Management and Budget's Office of Community Development. If the City decides to dispose of or change the use of that property so that it no longer continues to meet a national objective, the Program shall be reimbursed in the amount of the current replacement cost of those improvements, divided by the number of years of the life of the improvements, multiplied by the number of years that remain in the life of the improvements.

(d) Any real property under the Contractor's control that was improved in whole or in part with Community Development funds in excess of \$25,000 will be used to meet the national objectives in Section 570.208 for a period of five years after the date of completion of those improvements or disposed in a manner which results in the Program being reimbursed in the amount of the current replacement cost of those improvements.

(e) Title to all equipment in excess of \$150 purchased or leased pursuant to this Agreement with Community Development funds or furnished by the City shall vest in the City and the same shall be conspicuously labeled as such.

## ARTICLE 16

### SMALL FIRMS, M/WBE FIRMS, AND LABOR SURPLUS AREA FIRMS

The Contractor shall take the following affirmative steps in the letting of subcontracts, if subcontracts are to be let, in order to ensure that minority firms, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms are used when possible:

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

## ARTICLE 17

### ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

For agreements, subcontracts, and subgrants of amounts in excess of \$100,000, the Contractor shall comply with all applicable standards, orders, or requirements issued under the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. § 7401, Federal Water Pollution control Act (33 U.S.C. §§ 1251, *et seq.*) Section 508 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. § 1368), Executive

Order 11738, and Environmental Protection Agency regulations (provisions of 40 CFR Part 50 and 2 CFR Part 1532 related to the Clean Air Act and Clean Water Act).

**ARTICLE 18**

**ENERGY EFFICIENCY**

The Contractor shall comply with mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency that are contained in the New York State energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy Conservation Act (Pub. L. 94-163).

**ARTICLE 19**

**HATCH ACT; LOBBYING; CONFLICT OF INTEREST**

(a) Hatch Act: The Subrecipient agrees that no funds provided, nor personnel employed under this Agreement, shall be in any way or to any extent engaged in the conduct of political activities in violation of Chapter 15 of Title V of the U.S.C.

(b) Lobbying: The Subrecipient agrees that no funds provided will be used by it or its subcontractors in violation of 24 CFR § 87.100.

(c) Conflict of Interest: The Subrecipient agrees to abide by the provisions of 24 CFR §§ 84.42, 85.36, and 570.611.

**ARTICLE 20**

**CONFLICTS; EXHIBITS; SUBCONTRACT PROVISIONS**

If any provision in this Appendix B directly conflicts with any other provision in the Contract, the provision in Appendix B shall be controlling.

Federal Exhibits 1 and 2, are attached to, and made a part of this Appendix B.

Any subcontracts entered into pursuant to this Agreement shall incorporate the following City of New York provisions by reference, which shall be binding on every Subcontractor:

- Investigations;
- Executive Order 50; and
- Conflicts of Interest

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

**NOTICE OF REQUIREMENT FOR AFFIRMATIVE ACTION TO ENSURE EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY (EXECUTIVE ORDER 11246, as amended) FOR ALL CD FUNDED CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS AND SUB-CONTRACTS IN EXCESS OF \$10,000.**

1. The Offeror's or Bidder's attention is called to the "Equal Opportunity Clause" and the "Standard Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Construction Contract Specifications" set forth herein.

2. The goals and timetables for minority and female participation, expressed in percentage terms for the Contractor's aggregate workforce in each trade on all Construction work in the covered area, are as follows:

**Goals and Timetables for Minorities**

<u>Trade</u>	<u>Goal (percent)</u>	
Electricians .....	9.0 to	10.2
Carpenters .....	27.6 to	32.0
Steamfitters .....	12.2 to	13.5
Metal Lathers .....	24.6 to	25.6
Painters .....	28.6 to	26.0
Operating Engineers .....	25.6 to	26.0
Plumbers .....	12.0 to	14.5
Iron Workers (structural) .....	25.9 to	32.0
Elevator Constructors .....	5.5 to	6.5
Bricklayers .....	13.4 to	15.5
Asbestos Workers .....	22.8 to	28.0
Roofers .....	6.3 to	7.5
Iron Workers (ornamental) .....	22.4 to	23.0
Cement Masons .....	23.0 to	27.0
Glazers .....	16.0 to	20.0
Plasterers .....	15.8 to	18.0
Teamsters .....	22.0 to	22.5
Boilermakers .....	13.0 to	15.5
All Other .....	16.4 to	17.5

**Goals and Timetables for Women**

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These goals are applicable to all the Contractor's Construction work (whether or not it is Federal or federally assisted) performed in the covered area. If the Contractor performs Construction work in a geographical area located outside of the covered area, it shall apply the goals established for such geographical area where the work is actually

performed. With regard to this second area, the Contractor also is subject to the goals for both its federally involved and nonfederally involved Construction.

The Contractor's compliance with the Executive Order and the regulations in 41 CFR Part 60-4 shall be based on its implementation of the Equal Opportunity Clause, specific affirmative action obligations required by the specifications set forth in 41 CFR 60-4.3(a), and its efforts to meet the goals. The hours of minority and female employment and training must be substantially uniform throughout the length of the contract, and in each trade, and the Contractor shall make a good faith effort to employ minorities and women evenly on each of its projects. The transfer of minority or female employees or trainees from Contractor to Contractor or from project to project for the sole purpose of meeting the Contractor's goals shall be a violation of the contract, the Executive Order and the regulations in 41 CFR Part 60-4. Compliance with the goals will be measured against the total work hours performed.

3. The Contractor shall provide written notification to the Director of the Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs within 10 working days of award of any Construction subcontract in excess of \$10,000 at any tier for Construction work under the contract resulting from this solicitation. The notification shall list the name, address and telephone number of the Subcontractor; employer identification number of the Subcontractor; estimated dollar amount of the subcontract; estimated starting and completion dates of the subcontract; and the geographical area in which the contract is to be performed.

4. As used in this Agreement, the "covered area" is the City of New York.

## Federal Labor Standards Provisions

## U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Office of Labor Relations

### Applicability

The Project or Program to which the construction work covered by this contract pertains is being assisted by the United States of America and the following Federal Labor Standards Provisions are included in this Contract pursuant to the provisions applicable to such Federal assistance.

A. 1. (I) **Minimum Wages.** All laborers and mechanics employed or working upon the site of the work, will be paid unconditionally and not less often than once a week, and without subsequent deduction or rebate on any account (except such payroll deductions as are permitted by regulations issued by the Secretary of Labor under the Copeland Act (29 CFR Part 3), the full amount of wages and bona fide fringe benefits (or cash equivalents thereof) due at time of payment computed at rates not less than those contained in the wage determination of the Secretary of Labor which is attached hereto and made a part hereof, regardless of any contractual relationship which may be alleged to exist between the contractor and such laborers and mechanics. Contributions made or costs reasonably anticipated for bona fide fringe benefits under Section 1(b)(2) of the Davis-Bacon Act on behalf of laborers or mechanics are considered wages paid to such laborers or mechanics, subject to the provisions of 29 CFR 5.5(a)(1)(iv); also, regular contributions made or costs incurred for more than a weekly period (but not less often than quarterly) under plans, funds, or programs, which cover the particular weekly period, are deemed to be constructively made or incurred during such weekly period.

Such laborers and mechanics shall be paid the appropriate wage rate and fringe benefits on the wage determination for the classification of work actually performed, without regard to skill, except as provided in 29 CFR 5.5(a)(4). Laborers or mechanics performing work in more than one classification may be compensated at the rate specified for each classification for the time actually worked therein: Provided, That the employer's payroll records accurately set forth the time spent in each classification in which work is performed. The wage determination (including any additional classification and wage rates conformed under 29 CFR 5.5(a)(1)(ii) and the Davis-Bacon poster (WH-1321) shall be posted at all times by the contractor and its subcontractors at the site of the work in a prominent and accessible, place where it can be easily seen by the workers.

(II) (a) Any class of laborers or mechanics which is not listed in the wage determination and which is to be employed under the contract shall be classified in conformance with the wage determination. HUD shall approve an additional classification and wage rate and fringe benefits therefor only when the following criteria have been met:

(1) The work to be performed by the classification requested is not performed by a classification in the wage determination; and

(2) The classification is utilized in the area by the construction industry; and

(3) The proposed wage rate, including any bona fide fringe benefits, bears a reasonable relationship to the wage rates contained in the wage determination.

(b) If the contractor and the laborers and mechanics to be employed in the classification (if known), or their representatives, and HUD or its designee agree on the classification and wage rate (including the amount designated for fringe benefits where appropriate), a report of the action taken shall be sent by HUD or its designee to the Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division, Employment Standards Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Washington, D.C. 20210. The Administrator, or an authorized representative, will approve, modify, or disapprove every additional classification action within 30 days of receipt and so advise HUD or its designee or will notify HUD or its designee within the 30-day period that additional time is necessary. (Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under OMB control number 1215-0140.)

(c) In the event the contractor, the laborers or mechanics to be employed in the classification or their representatives, and HUD or its designee do not agree on the proposed classification and wage rate (including the amount designated for fringe benefits, where appropriate), HUD or its designee shall refer the questions, including the views of all interested parties and the recommendation of HUD or its designee, to the Administrator for determination. The Administrator, or an authorized representative, will issue a determination within 30 days of receipt and so advise HUD or its designee or will notify HUD or its designee within the 30-day period that additional time is necessary. (Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under OMB Control Number 1215-0140.)

(d) The wage rate (including fringe benefits where appropriate) determined pursuant to subparagraphs (1)(ii)(b) or (c) of this paragraph, shall be paid to all workers performing work in the classification under this contract from the first day on which work is performed in the classification.

(III) Whenever the minimum wage rate prescribed in the contract for a class of laborers or mechanics includes a fringe benefit which is not expressed as an hourly rate, the contractor shall either pay the benefit as stated in the wage determination or shall pay another bona fide fringe benefit or an hourly cash equivalent thereof.

(iv) If the contractor does not make payments to a trustee or other third person, the contractor may consider as part

of the wages of any laborer or mechanic the amount of any costs reasonably anticipated in providing bona fide fringe benefits under a plan or program. Provided, That the Secretary of Labor has found, upon the written request of the contractor, that the applicable standards of the Davis-Bacon Act have been met. The Secretary of Labor may require the contractor to set aside in a separate account assets for the meeting of obligations under the plan or program. (Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under OMB Control Number 1215-0140.)

2. **Withholding.** HUD or its designee shall upon its own action or upon written request of an authorized representative of the Department of Labor withhold or cause to be withheld from the contractor under this contract or any other Federal contract with the same prime contractor, or any other Federally-assisted contract subject to Davis-Bacon prevailing wage requirements, which is held by the same prime contractor so much of the accrued payments or advances as may be considered necessary to pay laborers and mechanics, including apprentices, trainees and helpers, employed by the contractor or any subcontractor the full amount of wages required by the contract in the event of failure to pay any laborer or mechanic, including any apprentice, trainee or helper, employed or working on the site of the work, all or part of the wages required by the contract, HUD or its designee may, after written notice to the contractor, sponsor, applicant, or owner, take such action as may be necessary to cause the suspension of any further payment, advance, or guarantee of funds until such violations have ceased. HUD or its designee may, after written notice to the contractor, disburse such amounts withheld for and on account of the contractor or subcontractor to the respective employees to whom they are due. The Comptroller General shall make such disbursements in the case of direct Davis-Bacon Act contracts.

3. (i) **Payrolls and basic records.** Payrolls and basic records relating thereto shall be maintained by the contractor during the course of the work preserved for a period of three years thereafter for all laborers and mechanics working at the site of the work. Such records shall contain the name, address, and social security number of each such worker, his or her correct classification, hourly rates of wages paid (including rates of contributions or costs anticipated for bona fide fringe benefits or cash equivalents thereof of the types described in Section 1(b)(2)(B) of the Davis-bacon Act), daily and weekly number of hours worked, deductions made and actual wages paid. Whenever the Secretary of Labor has found under 29 CFR 5.5 (a)(1)(iv) that the wages of any laborer or mechanic include the amount of any costs reasonably anticipated in providing benefits under a plan or program described in Section 1(b)(2)(B) of the Davis-Bacon Act, the contractor shall maintain records which show that the commitment to provide such benefits is enforceable, that the plan or program is financially responsible, and that the plan or program has been

communicated in writing to the laborers or mechanics affected, and records which show the costs anticipated or the actual cost incurred in providing such benefits. Contractors employing apprentices or trainees under approved programs shall maintain written evidence of the registration of apprenticeship programs and certification of trainee programs, the registration of the apprentices and trainees, and the ratios and wage rates prescribed in the applicable programs. (Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under OMB Control Numbers 1215-0140 and 1215-0017.)

(ii) (a) The contractor shall submit weekly for each week in which any contract work is performed a copy of all payrolls to HUD or its designee if the agency is a party to the contract, but if the agency is not such a party, the contractor will submit the payrolls to the applicant sponsor, or owner, as the case may be, for transmission to HUD or its designee. The payrolls submitted shall set out accurately and completely all of the information required to be maintained under 29 CFR 5.5(a)(3)(i) except that full social security numbers and home addresses shall not be included on weekly transmittals. Instead the payrolls shall only need to include an individually identifying number for each employee (e.g., the last four digits of the employee's social security number). The required weekly payroll information may be submitted in any form desired. Optional Form WH-347 is available for this purpose from the Wage and Hour Division Web site at <http://www.dol.gov/esa/whd/forms/wh347instr.htm> or its successor site. The prime contractor is responsible for the submission of copies of payrolls by all subcontractors. Contractors and subcontractors shall maintain the full social security number and current address of each covered worker, and shall provide them upon request to HUD or its designee if the agency is a party to the contract, but if the agency is not such a party, the contractor will submit the payrolls to the applicant sponsor, or owner, as the case may be, for transmission to HUD or its designee, the contractor, or the Wage and Hour Division of the Department of Labor for purposes of an investigation or audit of compliance with prevailing wage requirements. It is not a violation of this subparagraph for a prime contractor to require a subcontractor to provide addresses and social security numbers to the prime contractor for its own records, without weekly submission to HUD or its designee. (Approved by the Office of Management and Budget under OMB Control Number 1215-0149.)

(b) Each payroll submitted shall be accompanied by a "Statement of Compliance," signed by the contractor or subcontractor or his or her agent who pays or supervises the payment of the persons employed under the contract and shall certify the following:

(1) That the payroll for the payroll period contains the information required to be provided under 29 CFR 5.5 (a)(3)(ii), the appropriate information is being maintained under 29 CFR 5.5(a)(3)(i), and that such information is correct and complete;

(2) That each laborer or mechanic (including each helper, apprentice, and trainee) employed on the contract during the payroll period has been paid the full weekly wages earned, without rebate, either directly or indirectly, and that no deductions have been made either directly or indirectly from the full wages earned, other than permissible deductions as set forth in 29 CFR Part 3;

(3) That each laborer or mechanic has been paid not less than the applicable wage rates and fringe benefits or cash equivalents for the classification of work performed, as specified in the applicable wage determination incorporated into the contract.

(c) The weekly submission of a properly executed certification set forth on the reverse side of Optional Form WH-347 shall satisfy the requirement for submission of the "Statement of Compliance" required by subparagraph A.3.(ii)(b).

(d) The falsification of any of the above certifications may subject the contractor or subcontractor to civil or criminal prosecution under Section 1001 of Title 18 and Section 231 of Title 31 of the United States Code.

(iii) The contractor or subcontractor shall make the records required under subparagraph A.3.(i) available for inspection, copying, or transcription by authorized representatives of HUD or its designee or the Department of Labor, and shall permit such representatives to interview employees during working hours on the job. If the contractor or subcontractor fails to submit the required records or to make them available, HUD or its designee may, after written notice to the contractor, sponsor, applicant or owner, take such action as may be necessary to cause the suspension of any further payment, advance, or guarantee of funds. Furthermore, failure to submit the required records upon request or to make such records available may be grounds for debarment action pursuant to 29 CFR 5.12.

#### 4. Apprentices and Trainees.

(i) **Apprentices.** Apprentices will be permitted to work at less than the predetermined rate for the work they performed when they are employed pursuant to and individually registered in a bona fide apprenticeship program registered with the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration, Office of Apprenticeship Training, Employer and Labor Services, or with a State Apprenticeship Agency recognized by the Office, or if a person is employed in his or her first 90 days of probationary employment as an apprentice in such an apprenticeship program, who is not individually registered in the program, but who has been certified by the Office of Apprenticeship Training, Employer and Labor Services or a State Apprenticeship Agency (where appropriate) to be eligible for probationary employment as an apprentice. The allowable ratio of apprentices to journeymen on the job site in any craft classification shall not be greater than the ratio permitted to the contractor as to the entire work force under the registered program. Any worker listed on a payroll at an apprentice wage rate, who

is not registered or otherwise employed as stated above, shall be paid not less than the applicable wage rate on the wage determination for the classification of work actually performed. In addition, any apprentice performing work on the job site in excess of the ratio permitted under the registered program shall be paid not less than the applicable wage rate on the wage determination for the work actually performed. Where a contractor is performing construction on a project in a locality other than that in which its program is registered, the ratios and wage rates (expressed in percentages of the journeyman's hourly rate) specified in the contractor's or subcontractor's registered program shall be observed. Every apprentice must be paid at not less than the rate specified in the registered program for the apprentice's level of progress, expressed as a percentage of the journeymen hourly rate specified in the applicable wage determination. Apprentices shall be paid fringe benefits in accordance with the provisions of the apprenticeship program. If the apprenticeship program does not specify fringe benefits, apprentices must be paid the full amount of fringe benefits listed on the wage determination for the applicable classification. If the Administrator determines that a different practice prevails for the applicable apprentice classification, fringes shall be paid in accordance with that determination. In the event the Office of Apprenticeship Training, Employer and Labor Services, or a State Apprenticeship Agency recognized by the Office, withdraws approval of an apprenticeship program, the contractor will no longer be permitted to utilize apprentices at less than the applicable predetermined rate for the work performed until an acceptable program is approved.

(ii) **Trainees.** Except as provided in 29 CFR 5.16, trainees will not be permitted to work at less than the predetermined rate for the work performed unless they are employed pursuant to and individually registered in a program which has received prior approval, evidenced by formal certification by the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration. The ratio of trainees to journeymen on the job site shall not be greater than permitted under the plan approved by the Employment and Training Administration. Every trainee must be paid at not less than the rate specified in the approved program for the trainee's level of progress, expressed as a percentage of the journeyman hourly rate specified in the applicable wage determination. Trainees shall be paid fringe benefits in accordance with the provisions of the trainee program. If the trainee program does not mention fringe benefits, trainees shall be paid the full amount of fringe benefits listed on the wage determination unless the Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division determines that there is an apprenticeship program associated with the corresponding journeyman wage rate on the wage determination which provides for less than full fringe benefits for apprentices. Any employee listed on the payroll at a trainee rate who is not registered and participating in a training plan approved by

the Employment and Training Administration shall be paid not less than the applicable wage rate on the wage determination for the work actually performed. In addition, any trainee performing work on the job site in excess of the ratio permitted under the registered program shall be paid not less than the applicable wage rate on the wage determination for the work actually performed. In the event the Employment and Training Administration withdraws approval of a training program, the contractor will no longer be permitted to utilize trainees at less than the applicable predetermined rate for the work performed until an acceptable program is approved.

(III) **Equal employment opportunity.** The utilization of apprentices, trainees and journeymen under 29 CFR Part 5 shall be in conformity with the equal employment opportunity requirements of Executive Order 11246, as amended, and 29 CFR Part 30.

**5. Compliance with Copeland Act requirements.** The contractor shall comply with the requirements of 29 CFR Part 3 which are incorporated by reference in this contract

**6. Subcontracts.** The contractor or subcontractor will insert in any subcontracts the clauses contained in subparagraphs 1 through 11 in this paragraph A and such other clauses as HUD or its designee may by appropriate instructions require, and a copy of the applicable prevailing wage decision, and also a clause requiring the subcontractors to include these clauses in any lower tier subcontracts. The prime contractor shall be responsible for the compliance by any subcontractor or lower tier subcontractor with all the contract clauses in this paragraph.

**7. Contract termination; debarment.** A breach of the contract clauses in 29 CFR 5.5 may be grounds for termination of the contract and for debarment as a contractor and a subcontractor as provided in 29 CFR 5.12.

**8. Compliance with Davis-Bacon and Related Act Requirements.** All rulings and interpretations of the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts contained in 29 CFR Parts 1, 3, and 5 are herein incorporated by reference in this contract

**9. Disputes concerning labor standards.** Disputes arising out of the labor standards provisions of this contract shall not be subject to the general disputes clause of this contract. Such disputes shall be resolved in accordance with the procedures of the Department of Labor set forth in 29 CFR Parts 5, 6, and 7. Disputes within the meaning of this clause include disputes between the contractor (or any of its subcontractors) and HUD or its designee, the U.S. Department of Labor, or the employees or their representatives.

**10. (I) Certification of Eligibility.** By entering into this contract the contractor certifies that neither it (nor he or she) nor any person or firm who has an interest in the contractor's firm is a person or firm ineligible to be awarded Government contracts by virtue of Section 3(a) of the Davis-Bacon Act or 29 CFR 5.12(a)(1) or to be

awarded HUD contracts or participate in HUD programs pursuant to 24 CFR Part 24.

(II) No part of this contract shall be subcontracted to any person or firm ineligible for award of a Government contract by virtue of Section 3(a) of the Davis-Bacon Act or 29 CFR 5.12(a)(1) or to be awarded HUD contracts or participate in HUD programs pursuant to 24 CFR Part 24.

(III) The penalty for making false statements is prescribed in the U.S. Criminal Code, 18 U.S.C. 1001. Additionally, U.S. Criminal Code, Section 1 01 0, Title 18, U.S.C., "Federal Housing Administration transactions", provides in part: "Whoever, for the purpose of . . . influencing in any way the action of such Administration..... makes, utters or publishes any statement knowing the same to be false..... shall be fined not more than \$5,000 or imprisoned not more than two years, or both."

**11. Complaints, Proceedings, or Testimony by Employees.** No laborer or mechanic to whom the wage, salary, or other labor standards provisions of this Contract are applicable shall be discharged or in any other manner discriminated against by the Contractor or any subcontractor because such employee has filed any complaint or instituted or caused to be instituted any proceeding or has testified or is about to testify in any proceeding under or relating to the labor standards applicable under this Contract to his employer.

**B. Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act.** The provisions of this paragraph B are applicable where the amount of the prime contract exceeds \$100,000. As used in this paragraph, the terms "laborers" and "mechanics" include watchmen and guards.

(1) **Overtime requirements.** No contractor or subcontractor contracting for any part of the contract work which may require or involve the employment of laborers or mechanics shall require or permit any such laborer or mechanic in any workweek in which the individual is employed on such work to work in excess of 40 hours in such workweek unless such laborer or mechanic receives compensation at a rate not less than one and one-half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in such workweek.

(2) **Violation; liability for unpaid wages; liquidated damages.** In the event of any violation of the clause set forth in subparagraph (1) of this paragraph, the contractor and any subcontractor responsible therefor shall be liable for the unpaid wages. In addition, such contractor and subcontractor shall be liable to the United States (in the case of work done under contract for the District of Columbia or a territory, to such District or to such territory), for liquidated damages. Such liquidated damages shall be computed with respect to each individual laborer or mechanic, including watchmen and guards, employed in violation of the clause set forth in subparagraph (1) of this paragraph, in the sum of \$10 for each calendar day on which such individual was required or permitted to work in excess of the standard workweek of 40 hours without payment of the overtime wages required by the clause set forth in subparagraph (1) of this paragraph.

(3) **Withholding for unpaid wages and liquidated damages.** HUD or its designee shall upon its own action or upon written request of an authorized representative of the Department of Labor withhold or cause to be withheld, from any moneys payable on account of work performed by the contractor or subcontractor under any such contract or any other Federal contract with the same prime contract, or any other Federally-assisted contract subject to the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act which is held by the same prime contractor such sums as may be determined to be necessary to satisfy any liabilities of such contractor or subcontractor for unpaid wages and liquidated damages as provided in the clause set forth in subparagraph (2) of this paragraph.

(4) **Subcontracts.** The contractor or subcontractor shall insert in any subcontracts the clauses set forth in subparagraph (1) through (4) of this paragraph and also a clause requiring the subcontractors to include these clauses in any lower tier subcontracts. The prime contractor shall be responsible for compliance by any subcontractor or lower tier subcontractor with the clauses set forth in subparagraphs (1) through (4) of this paragraph.

**C. Health and Safety.** The provisions of this paragraph C are applicable where the amount of the prime contract exceeds \$100,000.

(1) No laborer or mechanic shall be required to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous, or dangerous to his health and safety as determined under construction safety and health standards promulgated by the Secretary of Labor by regulation.

(2) The Contractor shall comply with all regulations issued by the Secretary of Labor pursuant to Title 29 Part 1926 and failure to comply may result in imposition of sanctions pursuant to the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act, (Public Law 91-54, 83 Stat 96). 40 USC 3701 et seq.

(3) The contractor shall include the provisions of this paragraph in every subcontract so that such provisions will be binding on each subcontractor. The contractor shall take such action with respect to any subcontractor as the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development or the Secretary of Labor shall direct as a means of enforcing such provisions.

**Appendix C-2: Budget (June 24, 2013 through December 31, 2015)**

NYC Housing Recovery Program Case Management Services

Program Management			
Deliverables	Quantity	Unit Rate	Total
Start-Up Fee (Year 1, Months 1-6)	1	\$ 500,000.00	\$ 500,000.00
Ongoing Operations (Months 7-30)	24	\$ 115,000.00	\$ 2,760,000.00
		SUBTOTAL	\$ 3,260,000.00
Housing Counseling			
Deliverables	Quantity	Unit Rate	Total
Intake/Signed Form	2400	\$ 220.77	\$ 529,848.00
Action Plan	2400	\$ 147.18	\$ 353,232.00
Written Report	2400	\$ 147.18	\$ 353,232.00
Intensive Counseling Certification	700	\$ 883.08	\$ 618,156.00
		SUBTOTAL	\$ 1,854,468.00
Legal Counseling			
Deliverables	Quantity	Unit Rate	Total
Intake/Signed Form	4000	\$ 359.54	\$ 1,438,160.00
Action Plan	4000	\$ 479.39	\$ 1,917,560.00
Intensive Counseling Certification	1500	\$ 1,438.16	\$ 2,157,240.00
		SUBTOTAL	\$ 5,512,960.00
Special Projects			
Deliverables	Quantity	Unit Rate	Total
SBA Declined Loan Workbook	1200	\$ 599.00	\$ 718,800.00
SBA Declined Loan CNYCN Determination	1200	\$ 298.00	\$ 357,600.00
Options Review Meeting Pilot	96	\$ 238.00	\$ 22,848.00
Housing Recovery Center Outreach (Per month/center)*	54	\$ 24,126.14	\$ 1,302,811.56
Community Outreach (Time and Material)	250	\$ 96.00	\$ 24,000.00
Tenant Advisory Services Session	926	\$ 479.39	\$ 443,915.14
		SUBTOTAL	\$ 2,869,974.70
		TOTAL MAXIMUM BONUS PAYMENT**	\$ 125,000.00
		TOTAL	\$ 13,622,402.70

\*Up to 3 centers per month

\*\*City shall only make bonus payments to Contractor if earned pursuant to Article 7 of the Scope of Work, Appendix A-1.