

# **PROPOSAL PACKET** For Solicitation

2024-2008 HCV Monthly File Audits

# Submitted by

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_



### PROPOSAL PACKET CHECKLIST

Unless otherwise specifically required, the items listed below must be **Instructions:** completed and included in the quote packet. Please complete this form by marking an "X," where provided, to verify that the referenced completed form or information has been included within the quote submittal submitted by the proposer.

X=ITEM INCLUDED	SUBMITTAL ITEMS
	HUD Form Packet
	Proof of Insurance and Licensing
	Professional References and Experience Summary
	Equal Employment Opportunity Policy
	Subcontractor/Joint Venture Information
	Other Information (Optional)
	Contract Award and Acceptance Form
	Fee Submission Form

- Debarred Statement: Has this firm, or any principal(s) ever been debarred from providing any services by the Federal Government, any state government, the State of Ohio, or any local government agency within or without the State of Ohio? Yes No If "Yes," please attach a full detailed explanation, including dates, circumstances and current status.
- Disclosure Statement: Does this firm or any principals thereof have any current or past personal or professional relationship(s) with any Commissioner, Officer or employee of the Cincinnati Metropolitan Housing Authority (the Authority)? Yes No
- If "Yes," please attach a full detailed explanation, including dates, circumstances and current status
- Non-Collusive Affidavit: The undersigned party submitting this proposal hereby certifies that such proposal is genuine and not collusive and that said proposer entity has not colluded, conspired, connived or agreed, directly or indirectly, with any proposer or person, to put in a sham proposal or to refrain from proposing, and has not in any manner, directly or indirectly sought by agreement or collusion, or communication or conference, with any person, to fix the proposal price of affiant or of any other proposer, to fix overhead, profit or cost element of said proposal price, or that of any other proposer or to secure any advantage against the Authority or any person interested in the proposed contract; and that all statements in said proposal are true.

### **PROPOSER'S STATEMENT**

The undersigned proposer hereby states that by completing and submitting this Form and all other documents within this quote submittal, he/she is verifying that all information provided herein is, to the best of his/her knowledge, true and accurate, and that if the Authority discovers that any information entered herein to be false, such shall entitle the



Authority to not consider or make award or to cancel any award with the undersigned party. Further, by completing and submitting the quote, the undersigned proposer is thereby agreeing to abide by all terms and conditions pertaining to this RFP as issued by the Authority, either in hard copy or on the noted Internet System. Upon issuance of award to proposer, CMHA is accepting Contractor's offer contained in the quote submittal and Best and Final Offer (if applicable). No other contractual documents will be necessary or accepted unless specifically expressed in the Contract Acceptance and Award. Pursuant to all RFP Documents and all attachments, and pursuant to all completed Documents submitted, including these forms and all attachments, the undersigned proposes to supply the Authority with the services described herein for the fee(s) submitted pertaining to this RFP.

Signature	Date	Printed Name	Company
E-mail			
Phone			

Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 5 minutes per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information.

This form includes clauses required by OMB's common rule on bidding/offering procedures, implemented by HUD in 24 CFR 85.36, and those requirements set forth in Executive Order 11625 for small, minority, women-owned businesses, and certifications for independent price determination, and conflict of interest. The form is required for nonconstruction contracts awarded by Housing Agencies (HAs). The form is used by bidders/offerors to certify to the HA's Contracting Officer for contract compliance. If the form were not used, HAs would be unable to enforce their contracts. Responses to the collection of information are required to obtain a benefit or to retain a benefit. The information requested does not lend itself to confidentiality.

#### 1. Contingent Fee Representation and Agreement

(a) The bidder/offeror represents and certifies as part of its bid/ offer that, except for full-time bona fide employees working solely <u>for the bidder</u>/offeror, the bidder/offeror:

- (1) has, has not employed or retained any person or company to solicit or obtain this contract; and
- (2) has, has not paid or agreed to pay to any person or company employed or retained to solicit or obtain this contract any commission, percentage, brokerage, or other fee contingent upon or resulting from the award of this contract.

(b) If the answer to either (a)(1) or (a)(2) above is affirmative, the bidder/offeror shall make an immediate and full written disclosure to the PHA Contracting Officer.

(c) Any misrepresentation by the bidder/offeror shall give the PHA the right to (1) terminate the resultant contract; (2) at its discretion, to deduct from contract payments the amount of any commission, percentage, brokerage, or other contingent fee; or (3) take other remedy pursuant to the contract.

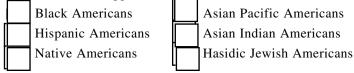
## 2. Small, Minority, Women-Owned Business Concern Representation

The bidder/offeror represents and certifies as part of its bid/ offer that it:

- (a) is, is not a small business concern. "Small business concern," as used in this provision, means a concern, including its affiliates, that is independently owned and operated, not dominant in the field of operation in which it is bidding, and qualified as a small business under the criteria and size standards in 13 CFR 121.
- (b) is, is not a women-owned small business concern. "Women-owned," as used in this provision, means a small business that is at least 51 percent owned by a woman or women who are U.S. citizens and who also control and operate the business.
- (c) is, is not a minority enterprise which, pursuant to Executive Order 11625, is defined as a business which is at least 51 percent owned by one or more minority group members or, in the case of a publicly owned business, at least 51 percent of its voting stock is owned by one or more minority group members, and whose management and daily operations are controlled by one or more such individuals.

For the purpose of this definition, minority group members are:

(Check the block applicable to vou)



#### 3. Certificate of Independent Price Determination

(a) The bidder/offeror certifies that—

- The prices in this bid/offer have been arrived at independently, without, for the purpose of restricting competition, any consultation, communication, or agreement with any other bidder/offeror or competitor relating to (i) those prices, (ii) the intention to submit a bid/offer, or (iii) the methods or factors used to calculate the prices offered;
- (2) The prices in this bid/offer have not been and will not be knowingly disclosed by the bidder/offeror, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder/offeror or competitor before bid opening (in the case of a sealed bid solicitation) or contract award (in the case of a negotiated solicitation) unless otherwise required by law; and
- (3) No attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder/ offeror to induce any other concern to submit or not to submit a bid/offer for the purpose of restricting competition.
- (b) Each signature on the bid/offer is considered to be a certification by the signatory that the signatory:
  - Is the person in the bidder/offeror's organization responsible for determining the prices being offered in this bid or proposal, and that the signatory has not participated and will not participate in any action contrary to subparagraphs (a)(l) through (a)(3) above; or
  - (2) (i) Has been authorized, in writing, to act as agent for the following principals in certifying that those principals have not participated, and will not participate in any action contrary to subparagraphs (a)(1) through (a)(3) above (insert full name of person(s) in the bidder/offeror's organization responsible for determining the prices offered in this bid or proposal, and the title of his or her position in the bidder/offeror's organization);

(ii) As an authorized agent, does certify that the principals named in subdivision (b)(2)(i) above have not participated, and will not participate, in any action contrary to subparagraphs (a)(1) through (a)(3) above; and

(iii) As an agent, has not personally participated, and will not participate in any action contrary to subparagraphs (a)(1) through (a)(3) above.

(c) If the bidder/offeror deletes or modifies subparagraph (a)2 above, the bidder/offeror must furnish with its bid/offer a signed statement setting forth in detail the circumstances of the disclosure.

### 4. Organizational Conflicts of Interest Certification

(a) The Contractor warrants that to the best of its knowledge and belief and except as otherwise disclosed, it does not have any organizational conflict of interest which is defined as a situation in which the nature of work under a proposed contract and a prospective contractor's organizational, financial, contractual or other interest are such that:

> (i) Award of the contract may result in an unfair competitive advantage;

> (ii) The Contractor's objectivity in performing the contract work may be impaired; or

> (iii) That the Contractor has disclosed all relevant information and requested the HA to make a determination with respect to this Contract.

- (b) The Contractor agrees that if after award he or she discovers an organizational conflict of interest with respect to this contract, he or she shall make an immediate and full disclosure in writing to the HA which shall include a description of the action which the Contractor has taken or intends to eliminate or neutralize the conflict. The HA may, however, terminate the Contract for the convenience of HA if it would be in the best interest of HA.
- (c) In the event the Contractor was aware of an organizational conflict of interest before the award of this Contract and intentionally did not disclose the conflict to the HA, the HA may terminate the Contract for default.
- (d) The Contractor shall require a disclosure or representation from subcontractors and consultants who may be in a position to influence the advice or assistance rendered to the HA and shall include any necessary provisions to eliminate or neutralize conflicts of interest in consultant agreements or subcontracts involving performance or work under this Contract.

#### 5. Authorized Negotiators (RFPs only)

The offeror represents that the following persons are authorized to negotiate on its behalf with the PHA in connection with this request for proposals: (list names, titles, and telephone numbers of the authorized negotiators):

### 6. Conflict of Interest

In the absence of any actual or apparent conflict, the offeror, by submission of a proposal, hereby warrants that to the best of its knowledge and belief, no actual or apparent conflict of interest exists with regard to my possible performance of this procurement, as described in the clause in this solicitation titled "Organizational Conflict of Interest."

### 7. Offeror's Signature

The offeror hereby certifies that the information contained in these certifications and representations is accurate, complete, and current.

Signature & Date:



Typed or Printed Name:

Title:

#### Certification A: Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, and Other Responsibility Matters - Primary Covered Transactions

1. The prospective primary participant certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief that its principals;

a. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal debarment or agency;

b. Have not within a three-year period preceding this proposal, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State, or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification, or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;

c. Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State, or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph (1)(b) of this certification; and

d. Have not within a three-year period preceding this application/ proposal had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) terminated for cause or default.

2. Where the prospective primary participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

#### Instructions for Certification (A)

1. By signing and submitting this proposal, the prospective primary participant is providing the certification set out below.

2. The inability of a person to provide the certification required below will not necessarily result in denial of participation in this covered transaction. The prospective participant shall submit an explanation of why it cannot provide the certification set out below. The certification or explanation will be considered in connection with the department or agency's determination whether to enter into this transaction. However, failure of the prospective primary participant to furnish a certification or an explanation shall disqualify such person from participation in this transaction.

3. The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was place when the department or agency determined to enter into this transaction. If it is later determined that the prospective primary participant knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency may terminate this transaction for cause of default. 4. The prospective primary participant shall provide immediate written notice to the department or agency to whom this proposal is submitted if at any time the prospective primary participant learns that its certification was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.

5. The terms **covered transaction, debarred, suspended, ineligible, lower tier covered transaction, participant, person, primary covered transaction, principal, proposal, and voluntarily excluded**, as used in this clause, have the meanings set out in the Definitions and Coverage sections of the rules implementing Executive Order 12549. You may contact the department or agency to which this proposal is being submitted for assistance in obtaining a copy of these regulations.

6. The prospective primary participant agrees by submitting this proposal that, should the proposed covered transaction be entered into, it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by the department or agency entering into this transaction.

7. The prospective primary participant further agrees by submitting this proposal that it will include the clause titled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion - Lower Tier Covered Transaction," provided by the department or agency entering into this covered transaction, without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions.

8. A participant in a covered transaction may rely upon a certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that it is not debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. A participant may decide the method and frequency by which it determines this eligibility of its principals. Each participant may, but is not required to, check the Nonprocurement List.

9. Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this clause. The knowledge and information of a participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.

10. Except for transactions authorized under paragraph (6) of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency may terminate this transaction for cause of default.

#### Certification B: Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion - Lower Tier Covered Transactions

1. The prospective lower tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency.

2. Where the prospective lower tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

#### Instructions for Certification (B)

1. By signing and submitting this proposal, the prospective lower tier participant is providing the certification set out below.

2. The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was entered into. If it is later determined that the prospective lower tier participant knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.

3. The prospective lower tier participant shall provide immediate written notice to the person to which this proposal is submitted if at any time the prospective lower tier participant learns that its certification was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.

4. The terms covered transaction, debarred, suspended, ineligible, lower tier covered transaction, participant, person, primary covered transaction, principal, proposal, and voluntarily excluded, as used in this clause, have the meanings set out in the Definitions and Coverage sections of rules implementing Executive Order 12549. You may contact the person to which this proposal is submitted for assistance in obtaining a copy of these regulations. 5. The prospective lower tier participant agrees by submitting this proposal that, should the proposed covered transaction be entered into, it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by the department or agency with which this transaction originated.

6. The prospective lower tier participant further agrees by submitting this proposal that it will include this clause titled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion - Lower Tier Covered Transaction," without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions.

7. A participant in a covered transaction may rely upon a certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that it is not debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. A participant may decide the method and frequency by which it determines the eligibility of its principals. Each participant may, but is not required to, check the Nonprocurement List.

8. Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this clause. The knowledge and information of a participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.

9. Except for transactions authorized under paragraph (5) of these instructions, if a participant in a lower covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies including suspension and/or debarment.

Applicant		Date
Signature of Authorized Certifying Official	Title	

Public reporting burden for this information collection is estimated to average 30 minutes. This includes the time for collecting, reviewing, and reporting data. The information requested is required to obtain a benefit. This form is used to ensure federal funds are not used to influence members of Congress. There are no assurances of confidentiality. HUD may not conduct or sponsor, and an applicant is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Applicant Name

Program/Activity Receiving Federal Grant Funding

The undersigned certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

(1) No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of an agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.

(2) If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of an agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying, in accordance with its instructions. (3) The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subcontracts, subgrants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all sub recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

I hereby certify that all the information stated herein, as well as any information provided in the accompaniment herewith, is true and accurate. **Warning:** HUD will prosecute false claims and statements. Conviction may result in criminal and/or civil penalties. (18 U.S.C. 1001, 1010, 1012; 31 U.S.C. 3729, 3802)

Name of Authorized Official	Title	
Signature		Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

			Approved by OMB
Complete this form to disclose lobbying	g activities pursuant	to 31 U.S.C. 1352	0348-0046
(See reverse for put	olic burden disclosu	re.)	
1. Type of Federal Action: 2. Status of Federa	I Action: ffer/application award award	3. Report Type: a. initial filing b. material change For Material Change O year qua date of last report tity in No. 4 is a Subawarde	arter
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11. Information requested through this form is authorized by title 31 U.S.C. section 1352. This disclosure of lobbying activities is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed by the tier above when this transaction was made or entered into. This disclosure is required pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1352. This information will be available for public inspection. Any person who fails to file the required disclosure shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.	Signature: Print Name: Title: Telephone No.:		Date:
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#### INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETION OF SF-LLL, DISCLOSURE OF LOBBYING ACTIVITIES

This disclosure form shall be completed by the reporting entity, whether subawardee or prime Federal recipient, at the initiation or receipt of a covered Federal action, or a material change to a previous filing, pursuant to title 31 U.S.C. section 1352. The filing of a form is required for each payment or agreement to make payment to any lobbying entity for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with a covered Federal action. Complete all items that apply for both the initial filing and material change report. Refer to the implementing guidance published by the Office of Management and Budget for additional information.

- 1. Identify the type of covered Federal action for which lobbying activity is and/or has been secured to influence the outcome of a covered Federal action.
- 2. Identify the status of the covered Federal action.
- 3. Identify the appropriate classification of this report. If this is a followup report caused by a material change to the information previously reported, enter the year and quarter in which the change occurred. Enter the date of the last previously submitted report by this reporting entity for this covered Federal action.
- 4. Enter the full name, address, city, State and zip code of the reporting entity. Include Congressional District, if known. Check the appropriate classification of the reporting entity that designates if it is, or expects to be, a prime or subaward recipient. Identify the tier of the subawardee, e.g., the first subawardee of the prime is the 1st tier. Subawards include but are not limited to subcontracts, subgrants and contract awards under grants.
- 5. If the organization filing the report in item 4 checks "Subawardee," then enter the full name, address, city, State and zip code of the prime Federal recipient. Include Congressional District, if known.
- 6. Enter the name of the Federal agency making the award or loan commitment. Include at least one organizationallevel below agency name, if known. For example, Department of Transportation, United States Coast Guard.
- 7. Enter the Federal program name or description for the covered Federal action (item 1). If known, enter the full Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) number for grants, cooperative agreements, loans, and loan commitments.
- 8. Enter the most appropriate Federal identifying number available for the Federal action identified in item 1 (e.g., Request for Proposal (RFP) number; Invitation for Bid (IFB) number; grant announcement number; the contract, grant, or loan award number; the application/proposal control number assigned by the Federal agency). Include prefixes, e.g., "RFP-DE-90-001."
- 9. For a covered Federal action where there has been an award or loan commitment by the Federal agency, enter the Federal amount of the award/loan commitment for the prime entity identified in item 4 or 5.
- 10. (a) Enter the full name, address, city, State and zip code of the lobbying registrant under the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 engaged by the reporting entity identified in item 4 to influence the covered Federal action.
  - (b) Enter the full names of the individual(s) performing services, and include full address if different from 10 (a). Enter Last Name, First Name, and Middle Initial (MI).
- 11. The certifying official shall sign and date the form, print his/her name, title, and telephone number.

According to the Paperwork Reduction Act, as amended, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB Control Number. The valid OMB control number for this information collection is OMB No. 0348-0046. Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 10 minutes per response, including time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Send comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden, to the Office of Management and Budget, Paperwork Reduction Project (0348-0046), Washington, DC 20503.



## Proof of Insurance and Licensing

Attach proof of insurance coverage as required by the Terms and Conditions (re-stated below) and any licenses required for the scope of work.

- **12.** <u>**Insurance**</u>: Contractor shall obtain and maintain during the performance under this Agreement the following insurance and the amount of such coverage shall be in an amount to cover all indemnity obligations and shall include, but not necessarily be limited to, the following:
  - **12.1.** Commercial general liability insurance, including a contractual liability endorsement, in an amount not less than: \$1,000,000 each occurrence; \$2,000,000 general aggregate; \$50,000 damage to premises and fire damage; and \$5,000 medical expenses for any one person.
    - **12.1.1.** The Authority and its affiliates must be named as an Additional Insured and as the Certificate Holder.
    - **12.1.2.** Commercial General Liability Insurance shall cover premises operations, fire damage, independent contractors, products and completed operations, blanket contractual liability, personal injury, and advertising liability.
    - **12.1.3.** If any aggregate limit is reduced below \$1,000,000 because of claims made or paid, the Contractor shall immediately obtain additional insurance to restore the full aggregate limit and furnish to CMHA a certificate of insurance showing compliance with this provision.
  - **12.2. Professional liability and/or "errors and omissions"** coverage with a limit not less than \$1,000,000.
    - **12.2.1.** This is required for vendors who render observational services to the Authority such as appraisers, inspectors, attorneys, engineers, or consultants.
    - **12.2.2.** The coverage shall be not less than \$1,000,000 each occurrence and \$1,000,000 general aggregate.
    - **12.2.3.** The Authority and its affiliates must be named as an Additional Insured and be a Certificate Holder.
    - **12.2.4.** If any aggregate limit is reduced below \$1,000,000 because of claims made or paid, the Contractor shall immediately obtain additional insurance to restore the full aggregate limit and furnish to CMHA a certificate of insurance showing compliance with this provision.
  - 12.3. Automobile Liability Insurance with CMHA named as an additional insured and as the Certificate Holder with minimum limits as follows: \$1,000,000 combined single limit; \$50,000/\$100,000 for vehicles utilized during the contract if such vehicles are not owned by the Contractor or any agent, owner, or employee of the Contractor (i.e., rental vehicles); \$5,000 medical pay.
    - **12.3.1.** This is required of any contractor who will be doing hands on work at the Authority properties.



- 12.4. Workers' Compensation Insurance as required by state statute and Employer's Liability Insurance covering all of Contractor's employees acting within the course and scope of this Contract.
  - **12.4.1.** Worker's Compensation is required for any contractor made up of more than one person.
  - **12.4.2.** Employer's Liability Insurance must cover all of Contractor's employees acting within the course and scope of this Contract. Employer's Liability limit is \$500,000 bodily injury for each accident, \$500,000 bodily injury by disease for each employee, and \$500,000 bodily injury disease aggregate. The Authority and its affiliates must be a Certificate Holder.
- **12.5.** Excess Liability Insurance (Umbrella Policy): may compensate for a deficiency in general liability or automobile insurance coverage limits.
- **12.6.** The coverages provided to CMHA shall be primary and not contributing to or in excess of any existing CMHA insurance coverages.
- 12.7. The Insurance shall contain provisions preventing cancellation or non-renewal without at least 45 days' notice to CMHA and stating that the carrier will waive all rights of recovery, under subrogation or otherwise, against CMHA, its office, agents, employees or Board of Commissioners.
- **12.8.** Contractor shall provide certificates evidencing the coverage required under this Provision of this Agreement to CMHA upon execution of this Agreement and annually thereafter evidencing renewals thereof. At any time during the term of this Agreement, CMHA may request, in writing, and the Contractor shall thereupon within 10 days supply to CMHA evidence satisfactory of compliance with the provision of this section.

**12.8.1.** The Contract may be terminated if the insurance lapses.

- **12.9.** Provide evidence of deductibles. If awarded a contract, CMHA may require lower deductibles depending on the risk to the Agency.
- **12.10.** Coverage required of this Contract will be primary over any insurance or self-insurance carried by CMHA.



### Professional References and Experience Summary

CMHA must be referenced if previous work has been provided to the Authority References should be relevant to the scope of work of this solicitation.

	Business Name	
	Address	
	Phone # & e-mail	
1	Individual's Name (if applicable)	
	Description of Services	
	Length of Contract	
	Business Name	
	Address	
2	Phone # & e-mail	
2	Individual's Name (if applicable)	
	Description of Services	
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	Business Name	
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2	Phone # & e-mail	
3	Individual's Name (if applicable)	
	Description of Services	
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	Business Name	
	Address	
4	Phone # & e-mail	
4	Individual's Name (if applicable)	
	Description of Services	
	Length of Contract	
	Business Name	
	Address	
5	Phone # & e-mail	
5	Individual's Name (if applicable)	
	Description of Services	
	Length of Contract	

### **Experience Summary**

Please provide a summary of your company's approach and understanding of the task, experience and qualifications, and previous client satisfaction as requested in Section 4 of the RFP document.

Answer in the space below or attach a response to your proposal submittal.

### **Equal Employment Opportunity Policy**

Please provide a copy of your company's Equal Employment Opportunity Policy.

Answer in the space below or attach a response to your proposal submittal.

### Subcontractor/Joint Venture Information (If Applicable):

The proposer shall identify hereunder whether or not he/she intends to use any subcontractors for this job, if awarded, and/or if the proposal is a joint venture with another firm. Please remember that all information required from the proposer under the proceeding Sections must also be included for any major subcontractors (10% or more) or from any joint venture. At a minimum, the following forms must be submitted for the subcontractor:

- Contractor's business name, contact name, address, email address, phone number
- HUD Packet of forms
- Section 3 forms
- Licensing and Insurance

Label forms clearly to indicate whether they are for the contractor or subcontractor. Answer in the space below or attach a response to your proposal submittal.

### **Other Information (Optional)**

The proposer may include hereunder any other general information that the proposer believes is appropriate to assist CMHA in its evaluation.

Answer in the space below or attach a response to your quote submittal.

### CINCINNATI METROPOLITAN HOUSING AUTHORITY

#### CONTRACT ACCEPTANCE AND AWARD

FOR

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Note: The vendor should complete the vendor authorized signatures as part of the solicitation response. If the vendor is awarded a contract, then the bottom portion of this form will be completed by CMHA and sent to the vendor.

### Vendor

Full business legal name:

(Note: Full business legal name should match the name registered with the Secretary of State or should be the owner's name followed by dba then the business name.)

I acknowledge receipt of this form which will become the contract if I am awarded and the following exhibits which are incorporated herein.

Attachment	Contractor's signature
Statement of Work	
Fees	
General Terms and Conditions including HUD 5370-C General Conditions for Non-Construction Contracts Section I (With or without Maintenance Work)	
Addendum Dated	

Addendum _	Dated			
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The undersigned hereby proposes and agrees to furnish goods and/or services in strict compliance with the terms, specifications and conditions at the fees proposed. The undersigned further certifies that he/she is an officer of the company and has authority to negotiate and bind the company named below and that the company is qualified and authorized to perform all services as set forth.

Further, by completing and submitting this form and the response, the undersigned is thereby agreeing to abide by all terms and conditions pertaining to this solicitation as issued by CMHA. Upon issuance of award to proposer, CMHA is accepting Contractor's offer contained in the submittal. No other contractual documents will be necessary or accepted. The Contract commences upon CMHA's signature and issuance of Award on this form. Pursuant to this Contract Acceptance and Award including attachments, and pursuant to all Documents submitted, the undersigned proposes to supply the Authority with the services described herein for the fee(s) submitted pertaining to this solicitation.

Date:			
Company:			
By:			
(Authorized Signature)			
By:(Print Name)		Title:	
Award by CMHA			
Term of Contract	to		

This Agreement shall become effective upon CMHA executing and issuing this Contract Acceptance and Award. Unless otherwise stated, this contract is good for a period of one year with an option to renew annually for an additional four years at CMHA's sole discretion. However, at no time may the term of this Agreement exceed five years.

Cincinnati Metropolitan Housing Authority

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



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### Attachment B: Contractor's Fee Submission Form

The fees shall be a firm fixed price inclusive of all elements required to deliver the services, including but not limited to: employee costs and benefits, clerical support, supplies, materials, licensing, insurance, travel, fuel surcharges, franchise fees, etc. Please note that such cost is inclusive of all elements required to provide these services as specified herein and each fee proposed shall be fully "burdened" with profit and overhead costs. <u>Firm fixed fee shall not exceed</u> <u>\$25.00 per file.</u>

Description	Firm Fixed Fee per Certification
Determination and documentation of reasonable rent for each unit leased.	\$
Ensure correct payment standard used to determine subsidy amount.	\$
Monthly Re-certification, interim and other change of unit (OCU) file reviews for correct rent calculations and that all supportive documentation is enclosed in accordance with regulations, processes and procedures.	\$
Review PHA established Utility Allowance Schedule and Payment Standards.	\$
Accurate determination and documentation of household's income.	\$
Accurate determination and documentation of household's adjusted income.	\$
Be available to conduct onsite internal audits and ongoing remote consulting/compliance reviews, if needed.	\$
Ensures that HAP Contracts and leases are executed in accordance with HCV program rules and regulations.	\$
Review all HAP Contracts and le leases, TICs and addendums if applicable including HUD model leases, etc. to ensure compliance.	\$
Monthly Training on common errors discovered from audits.	\$
Correct calculation of the tenant share of the rent and housing assistance payment.	\$



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Utilize CMHA's checklist to ensure that all forms are executed and included in file.	\$
Firm Fixed Fee for monthly review of 10% of CMHA's file for indicators listed in 1.0.	\$

### **Additional Services**

Provide a firm fixed hourly rate for related services

Name/Position	Firm Fixed Hourly Rate
	\$
	\$
	\$
	\$

Notes and Exclusions:

**DISCOUNT OFFERED FOR EARLY PAYMENT**: \_\_\_\_\_\_% if invoice paid within \_\_\_\_\_ days of properly submitted invoice as stated in the QSP.



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### **PROPOSER'S STATEMENT**

The undersigned proposer hereby states that by completing and submitting this Form and all other documents within this submittal, he/she is verifying that all information provided herein is, to the best of his/her knowledge, true and accurate, and that if the Authority discovers that any information entered herein to be false, such shall entitle the Authority to not consider or make award or to cancel any award with the undersigned party. Pursuant to all QSP Documents including attachments, this Fee Submission Form, and pursuant to all Documents submitted, the undersigned proposes to supply the Authority with the services and/or products described herein for the fee(s) submitted pertaining to this QSP.

Date:	
Company:	
Address:	
City, State, Zip	
Phone:	Email:
By:(Signature of Offerer)	
By:(Print Name)	Title:
Fed Tax ID:	