



# ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS

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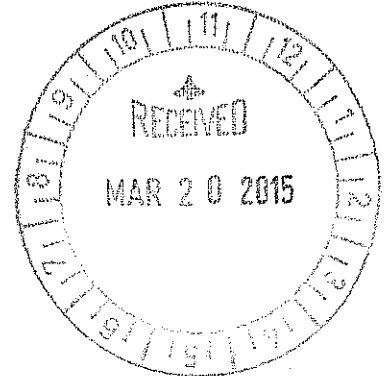
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March 19, 2015

FN 20 15-143

**READ & FILED**



Mr. Mikale Billard  
Clerk of the Board of Legislators  
Oneida County  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

Dear Mike:

Pursuant with Section 5 of the County's written investment policy, please find a list of the current/approved depositories for Oneida County:

First Niagara Bank  
Bank of Utica  
National Bank & Trust  
J.P. Morgan Chase  
Adirondack Bank  
Chemung Canal Trust Company (and/or Capital Bank, as a Division of)  
State Bank of Chittenango, subsidiary of Oneida Financial Corporation\*

If you have any questions, please call.

Very truly yours,

Anthony Carvelli  
Commissioner of Finance

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cc: Anthony J. Picente, Jr., Oneida County Executive  
Gerald J. Fiorini, Chairman of the Board

\*This may change to Community Bank pending proposed sale of Oneida Financial.

**PETITION BY ONEIDA COUNTY, N. Y., BOARD OF LEGISLATORS**

for

FN 20 15-146  
**READ & FILED**

**MEMORIALIZING PETITION**

F.N. 2015 –

**SPONSORS: Messrs: Flisnik, Porter, Furgol, Davis, Clancy, Fort, Keenig, Welsh, Davis, Speciale**

**A MEMORIALIZING PETITION URGING GOVERNOR CUOMO TO STOP THE STATE'S RAIDING OF THE 911 SURCHARGE AND TO TRANSFER THIS SURCHARGE TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS FOR THE INTENDED USE, WHICH IS FOR 911 CALL CENTER SERVICES AND THE UPGRADE OF TECHNOLOGY AND THAT ONEIDA COUNTY RECEIVE 100% OF FUTURE 911 SURCHARGE FUNDS COLLECTED WITHIN THE COUNTY**

**WHEREAS**, New York State enacted a monthly wireless 911 surcharge of 70 cents per month in 1992 and in 2002 the surcharge was raised to \$1.20 per month, and funding was directed to the State Police to finance the system of handling 911 wireless calls; and

**WHEREAS**, the revenue from this fee was and is intended to be transferred from the State to local governments to pay for 911 call center services and technology upgrades; and

**WHEREAS**, the New York State 911 Coordinators Association estimates that New York state has collected over \$1.2 billion in surcharges since 1994. \$190 million was collected in 2012, of that amount collected the State only transferred the sum of \$9.3 million to county governments and the vast majority of the 911 surcharges collected were never used for the 911 system development, in fact only 7% of the wireless surcharge money collected has reached the local counties to fund 911 wireless technologies; and

**WHEREAS**, for Oneida County the 911 surcharge revenue paid by the State in 2011 was \$120,994.00; 2012 was \$123,601.00; 2013 was \$121,338.00; 2014 was \$26,561 and the proposed amount for 2015 is \$0; and

**WHEREAS**, for Oneida County the E911 telephone surcharge for 2011 was \$468,994.00; 2012 was \$345,737.00; 2013 was \$337,208.00; 2014 was \$327,550.00; and the County budgeted amount for 2015 is \$305,000.00; and

**WHEREAS**, the number of counties handling wireless calls at 911 centers continues to increase, the use of hard-line phones will continue to decline (as per above), resulting in decreased revenue to counties who are struggling to maintain current levels of equipment and the level of 911 services varies considerably from county to county across New York State; and

**WHEREAS**, funding allocations should also take into account increases in population due to factors such as seasonal homes, tourist attractions, and large spectator events; and

**WHEREAS**, Albany's improper use and distribution of funds collected should not have to force counties to raise sales and/or property taxes or be forced to impose additional fees upon the backs of taxpayers when they are already financially strapped; and

**WHEREAS**, Oneida County has successfully consolidated its 911 call center that now includes the entire county. The County of Oneida is doing what is expected by streamlining government while attempting to maintain a quality of service that taxpayers deserve; and

**WHEREAS**, the 35 cent E911 surcharged assessed on landline service is not generating the revenue necessary to support our consolidation efforts or to keep up with frequent, expensive, and extensive equipment upgrades. Landline usage is declining as users change over to wireless communications, which significantly reduces the money being collected for the E911 tax; and

**WHEREAS**, forty-seven counties in New York State currently impose a monthly 30 cent surcharge on wireless communication services to help finance their 911 services; and

**WHEREAS**, Oneida County is only seeking its rightful place among those counties already utilizing the funding mechanism currently in place to fulfill its obligation to provide for health, safety and welfare of the people of Oneida County; and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED**, that the Oneida County Board of Legislators urges the Governor of the State of New York, the New York State Senate and the New York State Assembly to stop the State's raiding of the 911 surcharge funds and to transfer this surcharge to local governments for the intended use, which is for 911 call centers and the upgrades to technology and that Oneida County receive 100% of future 911 surcharge funds collected within the county; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this Petition shall be forwarded by mail to the following: New York State Governor Andrew Cuomo, New York State Senator Joseph A. Griffo, New York State Senator David Valesky, New York State Assembly Representative Anthony Brindisi, New York State Assembly Representative Claudia R. Tenney, New York State Assembly Representative Ken Blankenbush, New York State Assembly Representative, William Magee, New York State Assembly Representative Marc Butler, County Executive Anthony Picente, Oneida County Director of Emergency Services Kevin Revere and all others deemed necessary and proper.

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Dated: March 11, 2015

**PETITION BY ONEIDA COUNTY, N. Y., BOARD OF LEGISLATORS**

for

FN 20 15-147  
**READ & FILED**

**MEMORIALIZING PETITION**

F.N. 2015 –

**SPONSORS: Messrs: Waterman, Fiorini, Miller, Paparella, Porter, Welsh, Idzi, Koenig, Joseph, Fort, Special**

**A MEMORIALIZING PETITION SUPPORTING THE NEW YORK STATE SENATE'S PASSAGE OF BILLS TO CLOSE DANGEROUS LOOPHOLES IN SEX OFFENDER LAWS**

**WHEREAS**, the Oneida County Board of Legislators puts the protection and safety of children from sex offenders as a top priority; and

**WHEREAS**, in 2007 the Oneida County Board of Legislators passed Local Law No. 6, prohibiting registered sex offenders from residing within or entering within one thousand five hundred feet of any school grounds, child care facilities, play ground or park ; and

**WHEREAS**, recently the Court of Appeals invalidated Nassau County's sex offender residency rules, finding local efforts to keep offenders away from places where children congregate were trumped by the states "comprehensive and detailed" laws; and

**WHEREAS**, the New York Senate acted swiftly after the Court of Appeals ruling to pass nine bills to close the dangerous loopholes in the sex offenders law and;

**WHEREAS**, the Oneida County Board of Legislators support Senate bill S.3925, that authorizes municipalities to establish residency restrictions for sex offenders required to register with the Division of Criminal Justice Services ; and

**WHEREAS**, the Oneida County Board of Legislators support Senate bill S.3926, that prohibits level three sex offenders from being within 1,000 feet of a day care facility; and

**WHEREAS**, the Oneida County Board of Legislators support Senate bill S.3811, that directs the Division of Criminal Justice Services to update its sex offender registry to include a search by zip code of a registrant's residency and place of employment; and

**WHEREAS**, the Oneida County Board of Legislators support Senate bill S.2981, that established a definition of a residence in relation to a convicted sex offender as any place where he or she spends or intends to spend more than two days a week; and

**WHEREAS**, the Oneida County Board of Legislators support Senate bill S.2950, that restricts level two and three sex offenders from living within 1,500 feet of the residence of the victim of the sex offense; and

**WHEREAS**, the Oneida County Board of Legislators support Senate bill S.2269(Co-sponsored by Senator Joseph Griffo), that restricts all sex offenders from residing within 1,000 feet of a school; extends restrictions to those post-release from parole, probation, conditional discharge and restricted obligations; and

**WHEREAS**, the Oneida County Board of Legislators support Senate bill S.1520, that prohibits sex offenders whose victim was under the age of 18 and level three sex offenders from knowingly being within 1,000 feet of a facility where kindergarten or kindergarten instruction is provide; and

**WHEREAS**, the Oneida County Board of Legislators support Senate bill S.22, that directs school districts to notify residents of sex offenders living within its school district upon notification from law enforcement agencies; and

**WHEREAS**, the Oneida County Board of Legislators support Senate bill S.712, that shortens the amount of time by which the court may notify a sex offender about an impending risk level determination hearing and the time by which the hearing must be held upon the disposition of a case or parole; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Oneida County Board of Legislators hereby declares that the safety and protection of children and all sex offender victims is and always will be a top priority; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Oneida County Board of Legislators salutes the New York State Senate for their swift action in passing bills that will protect the safety of our children and all the victims of sex offenders; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that Oneida County Board of Legislators strongly encourages the Governor and State Assembly to join the New York Senate in passing legislation that closes the dangerous loopholes in the sex offenders laws that jeopardize the safety of our children and all victims of sex offenders; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this Petition shall be forwarded by mail to the following: New York State Governor Andrew Cuomo, New York State Senator Joseph A. Griffo,, New York State Senator David Valesky, New York State Assembly Representative Anthony Brindisi, New York State Assembly Representative Claudia R. Tenney, New York State Assembly Representative Ken Blankenbush, New York State Assembly Representative, William Magee, New York State Assembly Representative Marc Butler, County Executive Anthony Picente, and all others deemed necessary and proper.



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Dated: March 11, 2015

**PETITION BY ONEIDA COUNTY, N. Y., BOARD OF LEGISLATORS**

for

FN 20 15-148  
**READ & FILED**

**MEMORIALIZING PETITION**

F.N. 2015 –

**SPONSORS: Messrs: Waterman, Miller, Mandryck, Idzi, Welsh, Flisnik, Koenig, Fort, *Speciale***

**A MEMORIALIZING PETITION SUPPORTING “LOCAL ROADS MATTER” CAMPAIGN, A BIPARTISAN GROUP OF STATE LEGISLATORS ALONG WITH COUNTY AND TOWN HIGHWAY SUPERINTENDENTS AND OTHER LOCAL LEADERS FROM ACROSS NEW YORK TO CALL FOR A MULTI-YEAR INCREASE OF \$300 MILLION PER YEAR IN STATE SUPPORT FOR LOCAL ROADS, BRIDGES AND CULVERTS**

**WHEREAS**, locally owned roads and bridges account for nearly 90% of the State’s 110,000 miles of roadways, and half of the State’s 18,000 bridges; and

**WHEREAS**, a 2013 study conducted by the town highway superintendents association reported that New York needs to invest an additional \$1.3 billion per year on local roads and bridges to prevent them from becoming deficient; and

**WHEREAS**, a 2013 report from State Comptroller Thomas DiNapoli found that 32% of the state’s local bridges and 40% of the local roads were in poor condition; and

**WHEREAS**, a recent report from a national transportation advocacy group, Trip, said that deteriorating roads cost the average driver in New York State roughly \$1,600 annually in lost time, fuel costs, vehicle repairs and other expenses; and

**WHEREAS**, a coalition of State lawmakers, highway superintendents and local government leaders recently rallied at the state Capitol to call on Governor Cuomo to add \$200 million to the current \$438 million Consolidated Highway Improvement Program, known as CHIPS, that provides state aid to repair local infrastructure; and

**WHEREAS**, the same coalition is asking Governor Cuomo to create a new multi-year, \$500 million(\$100 million per year) dedicated state fund to undertake locally designated bridge and culvert improvement projects statewide; and

**WHEREAS**, the group also pointed to a report showing how deteriorating conditions of local roads and bridges and the impact the decline has on the economy, high property taxes and motorist safety; and

**WHEREAS**, a bipartisan coalition of lawmakers also have signed a letter to the governor, legislative leaders and top administration officials, part of which reads, “We believe it’s the right time to transform this critical sector of the state-local partnership in the ways we have outlined. The commitment and investments we are seeking to build on last year’s foundation will further solidify our strong belief that ‘local roads matter’. This newfound state commitment and investment will finally move us toward the fully safe and reliable local infrastructure we envision, and serve as a true catalyst for future economic development and job creation in our local communities”; and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED**, that the Oneida County Board of Legislators declares their support for “Local Roads Matter” campaign, a bipartisan group of legislators, along with county and town highway superintendents and other local leaders from across New York to call for multi-year increase of \$300 million per year in state support for local roads, bridges and culverts; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Oneida County Board of Legislators believe that the maintenance and safety of our local roads, bridges and culverts is an integral part of our future economic development that will help create more jobs and lower property taxes in Oneida County; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this Petition shall be forwarded by mail to the following: New York State Governor Andrew Cuomo, New York State Senator Joseph A. Griffo, New York State Senator David Valesky, New York State Assembly Representative Anthony Brindisi, New York State Assembly Representative Claudia R. Tenney, New York State Assembly Representative Ken Blankenbush, New York State Assembly Representative, William Magee, New York State Assembly Representative Marc Butler, County Executive Anthony Picente, Oneida County Commissioner of Public Works Dennis Davis and all others deemed necessary and proper.

LEGISLATORS SUPPORTING PETITION

LEGISLATORS OPPOSING PETITION

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**PETITION BY ONEIDA COUNTY, N. Y., BOARD OF LEGISLATORS**

for

FN 20

15-149

**MEMORIALIZING PETITION**

**READ & FILED**

F.N. 2015 –

**SPONSORS: Messrs: Waterman, Fiorini, Mandryck, Idzi, Miller, Koenig, Leach, Porter, Flisnik, Paprella, Joseph, Fort, Clancy, Furgol, Tallarino, Hendricks**

**A MEMORIALIZING PETITION SUPPORTING THE AMENDMENTS TO THE NEW YORK SAFE ACT of 2013**

**WHEREAS**, the right to bear arms is guaranteed by the Second Amendment of the U.S. Constitution, as well as the Civil Rights Law of the State of New York; and

**WHEREAS**, the New York Secure Ammunition and Firearms Enforcement Act of 2013 commonly known as the NY SAFE Act is a gun control law of the state of New York. The law was rushed to pass by the New York State Senate and Assembly on January 15, 2013, and was signed into law by Governor of New York Andrew Cuomo on the same day; and

**WHEREAS**, on February 13, 2013 the Oneida County Board of Legislators passed a resolution opposing the New York Safe Act of 2013; and

**WHEREAS**, several of our local state representatives are sponsoring or co-sponsoring legislation amending the NY SAFE Act of 2013; and

**WHEREAS**, the Oneida County Board of Legislators support the Senate/Assembly bill that will amend the NY SAFE Act to once again allow for the gifting of long guns to close relatives and to holders of valid New York State pistol permits; and

**WHEREAS**, the Oneida County Board of Legislators support the Senate/Assembly bill that will repeal the provision of the SAFE Act that was struck down in federal court that limits the number of legally permissible cartridges in a 10 –round magazine to seven; and

**WHEREAS**, the Oneida County Board of Legislators support the Senate/Assembly bill that will terminate a state program requiring all ammunition retailers register with the state and conduct background checks on all customers and redirect state funding allocated for this program to public school districts to assist in hiring a resource officer; and

**WHEREAS**, the Oneida County Board of Legislators support the Senate/Assembly bill that will prohibit county judges and other licensing officers from imposing extraneous restrictions when issuing pistol and handgun licenses; and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED**, that the Oneida County Board of Legislators does hereby support the four amendments that are being put forth by our local state representatives that will eliminate some of the unnecessary burdens that the NY Safe Act puts on law abiding gun owners; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that this Legislature hereby calls upon the New York State Legislature and the Governor to pass the four amendments to the NY SAFE Act that will lessen the unnecessary burdens on the law abiding and responsible gun owners of the State of New York; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this Petition shall be forwarded by mail to the following: New York State Governor Andrew Cuomo, New York State Senator Joseph A. Griffo, New York State Senator David Valesky, New York State Assembly Representative Anthony Brindisi, New York State Assembly Representative Claudia R. Tenney, New York State Assembly Representative Ken Blankenbush, New York State Assembly Representative, William Magee,

New York State Assembly Representative Marc Butler, County Executive Anthony Picente, and all others deemed necessary and proper.

LEGISLATORS SUPPORTING PETITION

LEGISLATORS OPPOSING PETITION

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Dated: March 11, 2015



**PETITION BY ONEIDA COUNTY, N. Y., BOARD OF LEGISLATORS**

FN 20 15-150  
**READ & FILED**

for

**MEMORIALIZING PETITION**

F.N. 2015 –

**SPONSORS:** Messrs: D'Onofrio, Paparella, Waterman, Welsh, Fort, *Speziale*

**A MEMORIALIZING PETITION SUPPORTING INCREASE FUNDING IN THE 2015-2016 STATE BUDGET FOR PEOPLE WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES AND THEIR FAMILIES/ADVOCATES WITH QUALITY OF LIFE ISSUES**

**WHEREAS,** On November 10, 2014 a package of four bills that were passed unanimously by the State Legislature, concerning services for people with developmental disabilities were delivered to the Governor Cuomo to either be vetoed or approved. The Governor vetoed all four bills; and

**WHEREAS,** the Oneida County Board of Legislators are committed in our support of people with developmental disabilities and their families/advocates and understand the hardships that the transformation agenda with OPWDD has caused them; and

**WHEREAS,** we must stay committed in asking Governor Cuomo to ensure that for people with developmental disabilities that residential and self-directed services include options such as certified group homes, certified supported apartments, and certified homeownership by service agencies; and

**WHEREAS,** we must stay committed in asking Governor Cuomo to provide for existing not-for-profit service agencies to be included as service providers and managed care organizations in the upcoming transition to managed care for people with developmental disabilities; and

**WHEREAS,** we must stay committed in asking Governor Cuomo to assure that ISPs (Individual Service Plans) of people with developmental disabilities are adhered to as legal documents; and

**WHEREAS,** we must stay committed in asking Governor Cuomo to make certain that people with developmental disabilities and their guardians are provided options, which are consistent, permanent, and flexible; and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED,** that the Oneida County Board of Legislators strongly supports the increase of funding in the 2015-2016 State budget for people with developmental disabilities and their families/advocates with quality of life issues; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that a copy of this Petition shall be forwarded by mail to the following: New York State Governor Andrew Cuomo, Acting Commissioner of OPWDD, Kerry A. Delaney, New York State Senator Joseph A. Griffo, New York State Senator David Valesky, New York State Assembly Representative Anthony Brindisi, New York State Assembly Representative Claudia R. Tenney, New York State Assembly Representative Ken Blankenbush, New York State Assembly Representative, William Magee, New York State Assembly Representative Marc Butler, County Executive Anthony Picente, and all others deemed necessary and proper.

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Dated: March 11, 2015



ONEIDA COUNTY  
OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

ANTHONY J. PICENTE, JR.  
County Executive  
ce@ocgov.net

April 1, 2015

Oneida County  
Board of Legislators  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

FN 20 15-151

WAYS & MEANS

Honorable Members:

I have received a letter from Oneida County Legislator, Rose Ann Convertino, requesting some funding for the Mohawk Valley Regional Volunteer Center. As the enclosed letter explains, the Mohawk Valley Regional Volunteer Center is housed in the Parkway Rec Center. The Mohawk Valley Regional Volunteer Center apparently has lost its New York State Funding in the 2015-2016 New York State Budget. This loss of funding will jeopardize the Regional Volunteer Centers existence.

As Legislator Convertino points out in her letter, the Volunteer Center has played a crucial role in some of the local disasters this area has experienced in the last few years including working with the Red Cross during the recent flooding.

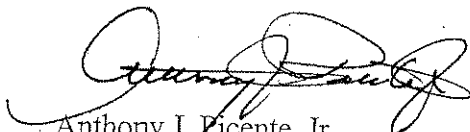
With your help, I would like to use some of the contingency funds to provide some assistance to the Mohawk Valley Volunteer Center.

I therefore request your Board's approval of the following 2015 transfer:

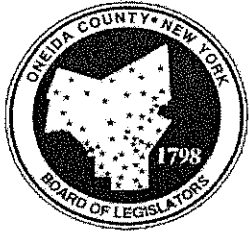
TO:  
AA# A6414.495 Oneida County Regional Assistance ..... \$ 49,000.00

FROM:  
AA# 1998.1992 Budget/Special Items - Contingent ... \$ 49,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

CC: Comptroller  
County Attorney  
Budget Director



**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS**  
*Rose Ann Convertino, Oneida County Legislator-District 22*

609 Blandina Street, Utica N.Y. 13501  
PH: (315)732-2403

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March 24, 2015

Oneida County Executive Anthony Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Office Building  
800 Park Ave, FL-10  
Utica NY 13501

Dear County Executive Picente:

We have both been made aware of a budgetary issue with the Parkway Rec Center, specifically its Mohawk Valley Regional Volunteer Center. Apparently this state-funded program was not included in the 2015 state budget and therefore will not be operational unless Oneida and Herkimer Counties and our state representatives will assist. Based upon my research of their work, it seems warranted and would be money well-spent for Oneida County to provide such financial support.

With all of the service agencies within the county I questioned the necessity of the specific work of the Volunteer Center. When I posed this question, specifically with reference to The Red Cross and The Salvation Army, I was surprised to learn that there are some 57 organizations within the county deriving the benefits of volunteer recruitment, coordination, management and training through this effort. The Executive Director, Kelly Walters, explained that the flooding of 2013 clearly demonstrated the need for a point of contact for civilian volunteers, the Disaster Agency Liaison Program came into existence. This element of the effort provides community preparation presentations, recruits veterans with their very special skill sets in such situations and facilitates during disasters between government and civilian volunteers.

The funding we would provide, the sum of \$49,000, is a one-time support to enable the program to devise a self-sustaining funding stream. These funds would be spent in Oneida County and would enable the more than 12,000 volunteers to continue to effectively use their time and talents (over 153,000 hours of service valued at over \$4 million). I believe you would agree that this is a most worthy expenditure and ask you to accept this letter of support and allocate these one-time funds for this project.

Sincerely,

ROSE ANN CONVERTINO, (D-22) Utica  
Oneida County Legislator



## ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF LAW

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April 2, 2015

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
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FN 20 15-152

### WAYS & MEANS

#### Re: VVS City School District Revenue Sharing Agreement

Dear Mr. Picente, Jr.:

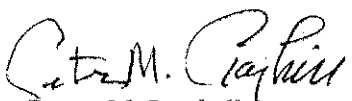
Attached are copies of an Agreement between Oneida County and Vernon-Verona-Sherrill City School District.

Pursuant to this Agreement, the County will pay the District a percentage of the gaming proceeds which the County receives pursuant to the Settlement Agreement, equal to the District's proportionate share of the County's population based on the most recent decennial census, as computed by the Oneida County Planning Department. Such payment shall be accepted by the District in lieu of any lost revenue it may experience in real estate tax, sales tax, or any other tax, or any other loss of revenue or item of expense whatsoever, resulting from the implementation of the Settlement Agreement. The gaming proceeds referred to herein consist of the 25% of Nation Payment to be shared with the County pursuant to Section III B of the Settlement Agreement.

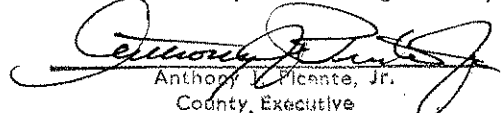
This agreement shall be in effect as long as the Settlement Agreement is in effect and will result in a yearly payment of \$643,524.00 based on the 2010 census figures.

If this meets with your approval, please forward to the Board of Legislators for their consideration at the next meeting.

Very truly yours,

  
Peter M. Rayhill, Esq.  
Oneida County Attorney

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 4/6/15

Oneida Co. Department:

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Federal Agreement/Revenue \_\_\_\_\_

Oneida County Contract Summary

Name of Proposing Organization: Vernon-Verona-Sherrill City School District  
5275 State Route 31  
Verona, New York 13478

Title of Activity or Service: Revenue Sharing Agreement

Proposed Dates of Operation: Continual – As long as the OIN Settlement Agreement is in effect.

Client Population/Number to be Served: --

**Summary Statements**

- 1) **Narrative Description of Proposed Services:** To proportionally distribute the Settlement Agreement revenue among the effected communities.
- 2) **Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:** "In-lieu of" payments – due to lost revenue resulting from the implementation of the Settlement Agreement.
- 3) **Program Design and Staffing:** --

**Total Funding Requested:** \$643,524.00/year or as calculated by most recent decennial census thereafter

**Account #:** A1915.49576

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** To be paid by monies resulting from gaming proceeds shared with the County by the OIN pursuant to Section III B of the Settlement Agreement.

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):** --

**Cost Per Client Served:** --

**Past Performance Data:** --

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** --

## AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT, made the     day of                     , 2014, by and between the COUNTY OF ONEIDA, a municipal corporation, having its office and principal place of business located at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York, hereinafter referred to as the COUNTY, and the VERNON-VERONA-SHERRILL CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, a municipal corporation; having its office and principal place of business at 5275 State Route 31, Verona, New York 13478, hereinafter referred to as the DISTRICT.

WHEREAS, the County on May 16, 2013, entered into an agreement with the Oneida Nation, among other parties, settling various disputes and lawsuits which have existed among the parties, hereinafter referred to as the SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT, which agreement took effect on March 4, 2014, upon its approval by the United States District Court of the Northern District of New York, and

WHEREAS, concerns have been expressed that the Settlement Agreement may adversely affect the interests of municipalities where Nation Land, as defined in the Settlement Agreement, will exist, and

WHEREAS, the parties hereto wish to make provisions which will result in the Settlement Agreement being of mutual benefit to the parties, and remove such concerns,

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises, terms and obligations hereinafter made, the parties hereto hereby agree as follows:

- 1.) Upon the effective date of this agreement, the County will pay the District the percentage of the gaming proceeds which the County receives pursuant to the Settlement Agreement, equal to the District's proportionate share of the County's population based on the most recent decennial census, as computed by the Oneida County Planning Department. In making that computation, the population of all census blocks, the centroids of which fall within the Oneida County portion of the District shall be included in the District's population, and the population of all other census blocks shall be excluded.
- 2.) Such payment shall be accepted by the District in lieu of any lost revenue it may experience in real estate tax, sales tax, or any other tax, or any other loss of revenue or item of expense whatsoever, resulting from the implementation of the Settlement Agreement. Nothing herein



impacts revenues which may still be due to the District such as utilities and service fees. The amount to be paid shall not be affected by any payments which the District receives or does not receive from the Oneida Nation, or by additional land purchased by the Nation, or by any land being taken into trust by the United States for the Nation's benefit.

- 3.) The gaming proceeds referred to herein consist of the 25% of Nation Payment to be shared with the County pursuant to Section III B of the Settlement Agreement and not the additional payment to be made to the County for a period of time pursuant to that section.
- 4.) The County shall make each payment to the District within 30 days of its receipt of the proceeds due to it from New York State.
- 5.) To illustrate the operation of this Agreement, assume the County receives three million one hundred twenty five thousand dollars (\$3,125,000.00) gaming proceeds in a calendar quarter (based on an estimated \$12.5 million annually). Pursuant to 2010 census figures, the District's population in Oneida County is 12,092 and the County's population is 234,878. The population of the portion of the district which is within Oneida County is 5.1482 % of the County's population and the County would therefore pay the District \$160,881 for that calendar quarter. (Percentages will be rounded off to four decimal places and payments will be rounded off to whole dollar amounts).
- 6.) This agreement shall remain in effect for as long as the Settlement Agreement remains in effect.
- 7.) In exchange for the County's above-stated obligations, the District agrees:
  - a.) It will not challenge nor will it directly or indirectly fund any challenge to the Secretary of the Interior's May 20, 2008 decision to accept Nation Land into trust pursuant to 25 U.S.C. § 465, to any supplemental decision on any matter remanded by a court in connection with any challenge to that decision, or to any challenge to a transfer of excess land pursuant to 40 U.S.C. § 523.
  - b.) It will not litigate, nor will it assist or fund, directly or indirectly, any further litigation of the hybrid tax grievance/declaratory judgment actions regarding state statutory property tax exemptions and other issues that were filed by the Nation.

- c.) It will not engage in, nor shall it assist or fund, directly or indirectly, any administrative or judicial opposition or challenge to the Nation's application to transfer Nation Land, subject to the Cap limitation specified in the Settlement Agreement, into trust pursuant to 25 U.S.C §465, or to any transfer of excess federal land within the Reservation to the Department of Interior to be held in trust pursuant to 40 U.S.C. § 523.
  - d.) It will not judicially or administratively challenge, or in any way fund or assist others in challenging, the Settlement Agreement.
  - e.) In the event that the District takes any such actions, the County's obligations hereunder shall cease and the District shall, within 30 days of demand therefor, refund to the County all payments previously made to the District pursuant to this agreement, with statutory interest. The County shall be entitled to seek injunctive relief enjoining the District from taking or continuing such actions if such repayment is not timely made. This provision shall survive the termination or expiration of this agreement regardless of the cause of such termination or expiration.
- 8.) The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Agreement to the District or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Agreement. However, in the event that the County receives gaming proceeds pursuant to the Settlement Agreement and neither appropriates nor pays the agreed share of such proceeds to the District within a period of 180 days, the District may provide the County with notice of such failure and if such payment is not appropriated or made within 90 days of such notice being provided, the District shall not be bound by its obligations set forth in sub-paragraphs 7a), b), c), and d) herein. Provided however, that if the appropriations referenced above are not made in accordance herewith and the District determines to commence, engage in, support, fund or participate in a proceeding, action or effort of any kind or nature related to the issues prohibited by sub-paragraphs 7a), b), c), or d), the District shall complete the refund set forth in sub-paragraph 7 e) prior to the commencement of any such proceeding.
- 9.) Notice required by or related to this Agreement will be made in writing and served by overnight FedEx, UPS, certified mail or the equivalent: if by the County, to the Vernon-Verona-Sherrill City School District, 5275 State Route 31, Verona, New York 13478; and, if by the District, to the Oneida County Executive, 800 Park Avenue, Utica, NY 13501, or to such other address as either party may hereafter designate in writing.

- 10.) This Agreement shall be effective upon the later to occur of (i) its approval by the Oneida County Legislature or (ii) its approval by the Vernon-Verona-Sherrill City School District Board of Education. Additionally, upon effective date of this Agreement, the County shall pay to the District revenue pursuant to paragraph 1 herein based upon the amount received by the County for the period from July 1, 2014 to the effective date of this agreement.
- 11.) This Agreement may not be modified or amended except by a writing of equal formality signed by both parties.

County of Oneida

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Oneida County Executive

Vernon-Verona-Sherrill City School District

By: \_\_\_\_\_

President, Vernon-Verona-Sherrill City  
School District Board of Education

\_\_\_\_\_  
Oneida County Assistant Attorney  
Approved as to Form



## ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF LAW

Oneida County Office Building  
800 Park Avenue • Utica, New York 13501-2975  
(315) 798-5910 • Fax (315) 798-5603

ANTHONY J. PICENTE JR.  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

PETER M. RAYHILL  
COUNTY ATTORNEY

April 1, 2015

FN 20 15-153

Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, NY 13501

WAYS & MEANS

Re: Claimant: Paul Ferrone  
File #2013-000583

Dear County Executive Picente:

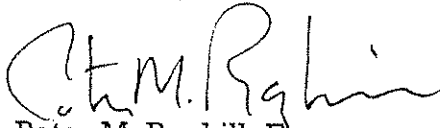
I am requesting authority to assign a claim arising out of an incident which occurred on October 24, 2012

The Claimant, Paul Ferrone, alleges property damages and personal injuries sustained in a motor vehicle accident with a County Employee.

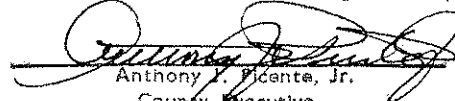
It is the opinion of the insurance adjusters, our claims administrator and our attorney that this claim will not be settled within the County's Retention of \$100,000.00. We have been asked by our insurance carrier, HCC to assign the remainder of the Retention to HCC.

I recommend and request that the Board of Legislators authorize an assignment of the Retention of this claim to HCC.

Very truly yours,

  
Peter M. Rayhill, Esq.  
Assistant County Attorney

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 4/6/15



## ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF CENTRAL SERVICES

Oneida County Office Building ♦ 800 Park Avenue ♦ Utica, New York 13501  
(315) 798-5905 ♦ Fax: (315) 797-3047 ♦ Email: helpdesk@ocgov.net

March 27, 2015

FN 20

15-154

The Honorable Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, NY 13501

GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS  
WAYS & MEANS

Subject: Contract Amendment Recommendation – Northland Communications upgrades for:

- 300 W. Dominick Street and 301 W. Dominick Street, Rome
- 930 York Street, 321 Main Street, 185 Genesee Street and 406 Elizabeth Street, Utica
- 6000 Airport Road and 120 Airline Street, Oriskany

Dear County Executive Picente:

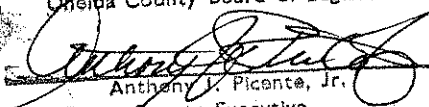
In August 2010, Oneida County established a Master Contract with Northland Communication located at 317 Court Street, Utica, NY to provide Multi-Protocol Label Switching (MPLS) network connections to Oneida County facilities on West Dominick Street and Griffiss Airport in Rome. In July 2012, the Master Contract was modified to add MPLS service for Child Advocacy Center (CAC), 930 York Street and Women's Infants and Children (WIC), 617 South Street, Utica. Then, in 2013, we modified the contract twice. First to to have MPLS installed at 120 Airline Street, Oriskany and Union Station then later in the year to add MPLS connections at 6000 Airport Road, Oriskany and 185 Genesee Street, Utica. In 2014, MPLS was added for the Stop DWI facility at 200 Base Road, Oriskany.

Oneida County selected an MPLS solution because:

- It is a modern network solution that handles data efficiently
- It offers a guaranteed connection covered by a Service Level Agreement
- Northland monitors the MPLS connection 24x7 from their Network Operations Center (NOC) so that they can immediately and proactively respond should a connection fail
- It's easy to use and simplifies maintenance – non-County Office Building (COB) users log on to the network, work and print as if they were physically located inside the COB; Network Administrators can more easily address network issues, perform backups and assist users remotely over an MPLS connection

At the time the MPLS Master Contract was put into place in 2010, it was agreed that incremental additions of MPLS sites would be evaluated on a case by case basis at the time each new site was identified. At this time, I am recommending that we upgrade our MPLS network and increase the MPLS connection speeds for eight of our existing MPLS locations. Please see the Cost Benefit table that follows.

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date

3/31/15

### Northland MPLS Network Connections Upgrade Cost Benefit

Location	Current		Proposed					Benefits
	MPLS Size in Mb	Monthly Cost	MPLS Size in Mb	Monthly Cost	Monthly Cost Difference	% MPLS Size Increase	% Cost Increase	
300 W. Dominick, Rome	3	\$387.11	10	\$497.11	\$110.00	333%	28%	Increase frustratingly low speeds for Public Defender and other Departments - to improve employee performance and efficiency.
301 W. Dominick, Rome	3	\$387.11	10	\$497.11	\$110.00	333%	28%	Support effective implementation of Probation Caseload Explorer Case Management System implementation plus enable shift work to be performed by DSS in case of disaster at COB.
930 York St., Utica	1	\$287.11	10	\$497.11	\$210.00	1000%	73%	Easier server maintenance - Central Services will move CAC server to the County Office Building Data Center on B-1
120 Airline, Oriskany	10	\$497.11	30	\$597.11	\$100.00	300%	20%	Support more effective DR Site, data replication/mirroring/data backup
321 Main Street, Utica	10	\$397.11	30	\$522.11	\$125.00	300%	31%	To support Probation Department Caseload Explorer Case Management System implementation plus add network capacity for other Departments including Board of Elections and Planning.
6000 Airport Rd., Oriskany	10	\$407.11	30	\$597.11	\$190.00	300%	47%	Easier server maintenance - Central Services will move DPW server to the County Office Building Data Center on B-1
406 Elizabeth Street, Utica	3	\$387.11	10	\$497.11	\$110.00	333%	28%	To enable effective use of eClinical Medical Records system being purchased by Health Department.
185 Genesee Street, Utica	10	\$397.11	30	\$522.11	\$125.00	300%	31%	To enable effective use of eClinical Medical Records system purchased by Health Department as well as to increase network speeds for Health users to improve employee performance and efficiency.
200 Base Rd., Oriskany	3	\$387.11	No Change	\$387.11	\$0.00	0%	0%	NO CHANGE - Included for cost Calculation to extend end date by 26 months
800 Park Ave, Utica	50	\$597.11	No Change	\$597.11	\$0.00	0%	0%	NO CHANGE - Included for cost Calculation to extend end date by 26 months
<b>Totals</b>		<b>\$4,131.10</b>		<b>\$5,211.10</b>	<b>\$1,080.00</b>			

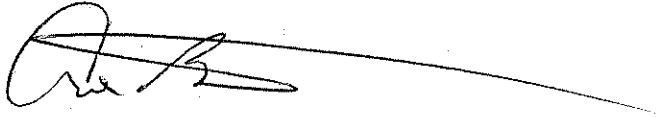
Note: Total contract value must include \$287.11 per month for 617 South Street, Utica for 13 months

The upgrades being proposed will increase Oneida County cost by a total of \$1,080 per month and extend the end date of the current contract by one year from 6/1/2016 to 6/1/2017. With the one year contract extension, Northland has agreed to waive a \$70 installation fee for each site saving the County \$560. The only site that will not be extended under this proposed contract is 617 South Street Utica. The contract for 617 South Street will end as scheduled on 6/1/2016. Monthly MPLS charges for 800 Park Avenue, Utica and 200 Base Road, Oriskany will not change but the agreement for MPLS connections for these locations will be extended to 6/1/2017 as a part of this contract amendment.

If this contract amendment is approved as recommended, the contract value will increase by \$16,944.91 from \$122,276.12 to \$139,221.03.

I respectfully request that you forward this contract modification recommendation to the Board of Legislators for consideration and approval.

Respectfully submitted,



Anne B. Hartman  
Director, Central Services

Attachments:

1. 3 Copies of Northland Communications Service Agreement for Oneida County Central Services signed by Northland
2. Northland Communications Dedicated Internet, Cloud and MPLS Service Level Agreement (SLA)
3. Original Northland Communications Service Agreement for Oneida County dated July 9, 2010

Oneida Co. Department: Central Services

Competing Proposal – N/A  
Only Respondent – N/A  
Sole Source RFP - N/A

### Oneida County Board of Legislators

**Name of Proposing Organization:** NORTHLAND COMMUNICATIONS  
317 COURT ST.  
UTICA, NY 13502

**Title of Activity or Service:** NORTHLAND COMMUNICATIONS  
MPLS

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** From installation until 6/1/2017

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** 850

#### **Summary Statements:**

- 1. Narrative Description of Proposed Services:** MPLS network communication.
- 2. Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:** Improved speed, server maintenance, DR and user productivity.
- 3. Program Design and Staffing:** N/A

**Total Funding Requested:** Adds \$16,944.91 to current contract. Total contract value increases from \$122,276.12 to \$139,221.03.

**Account #:** 1610

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** N/A

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/State \$/County \$):** County

**Cost per Client Served:** Approximately \$19.94

**Past Performance Data:** MPLS connections have been exceptionally reliable since our first installation in 2010.

**O.C. Departmental Staff Comments:** Recommend contract amendment based on excellent reliability for Oneida County users.



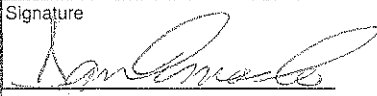


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 Phone: (315)571-5200 Fax: (315)571-0050  
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## NORTHLAND COMMUNICATIONS SERVICE AGREEMENT FOR ONEIDA COUNTY CENTRAL SERVICES

Effective March 19, 2015, Northland Communications and Oneida County Central Services will enter into the following agreement for the period of 26 months. Northland Communications will provide the following list of services at the location(s) listed below.

BTN: N/A

VOICE/FACILITY SERVICE					ORDER INFORMATION	
<u>Units</u>	<u>Service</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Monthly</u>	<u>Install Charge</u>		
1	50M Fiber Local Loop - 800 Park Ave., Utica, NY	\$ 400.00	\$ 400.00	N/A		
1	10M Local Loop - 300 W Dominick St., Rome, NY	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	N/A		
1	10M Local Loop - 301 W Dominick St., Rome, NY	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	N/A		
1	10M Local Loop - 930 York St., Utica NY	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	N/A		
1	30M Local Loop - 120 Airline Dr., Oriskany, NY	\$ 400.00	\$ 400.00	N/A		
1	30M Local Loop - 321 Main St., Utica, NY	\$ 325.00	\$ 325.00	N/A		
1	30M Local Loop - 6000 Airport Rd., Oriskany, NY	\$ 400.00	\$ 400.00	N/A		
1	10M Local Loop - 406 Elizabeth St., Utica, NY	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00	N/A		
1	3M Local Loop - 200 Base Rd., Oriskany, NY	\$ 275.00	\$ 275.00	N/A		
1	30M Local Loop - 185 Genesee St., Utica, NY	\$ 325.00	\$ 325.00	N/A		
PRIVATE DATA NETWORK					CANCELLATION OF CIRCUITS	
Northland provides tariffed and non-tariffed network facilities. In the event that tariffed facilities are used, the pricing is reflective of tariffed services purchased from another network provider on behalf of Oneida County, plus a monthly access coordination charge for services performed by Northland Communications. In the event of a tariff change by the other network provider, Northland Communications reserves the right to adjust this pricing in accordance with the tariffed rate change.					Any private network circuits with Northland or any other provider, require a minimum 30 day written notification to cancel the circuits to the appropriate provider.	
<u>Service</u>		<u>Monthly</u>	<u>Install Charge</u>		<u>Initials</u>	<u>Date</u>
MPLS Data Network (50M Fiber) - 800 Park Ave, Utica, NY		\$ 197.11	N/A			
MPLS Data Network (10M) - 300 W Dominick St., Rome, NY		\$ 197.11	N/A			
MPLS Data Network (10M) - 301 W Dominick St., Rome, NY		\$ 197.11	N/A			
MPLS Data Network (10M) - 930 York St., Utica, NY		\$ 197.11	N/A			
MPLS Data Network (30M) -120 Airline Drive, Oriskany, NY		\$ 197.11	N/A			
MPLS Data Network (30M) - 321 Main St., Utica, NY		\$ 197.11	N/A			
MPLS Data Network (30M) 6000 Airport Rd., Oriskany, NY		\$ 197.11	N/A			
MPLS Data Network (30M) 185 Genesee St., Utica, NY		\$ 197.11	N/A			
MPLS Data Network (10M) 406 Elizabeth St., Utica, NY		\$ 197.11	N/A			
MPLS Data Network (3M) 200 Base Rd., Oriskany, NY		\$ 112.11	N/A			
INTERNET					ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	
Northland Communications will provide dedicated Internet access using IP routing.					Pricing is subject to change, without the bundled services of Northland which may include local usage, long distance, dedicated Internet, communications equipment and/or data services. Additional installation charges may apply for inside wiring beyond the Telco demarcation location. Taxes and surcharges are not included in the pricing.	
<u>Service</u>		<u>Monthly</u>	<u>Install Charge</u>		<u>Initials</u>	<u>Date</u>
10M Dedicated Internet - 800 Park Ave., Utica, NY		\$ 325.00	N/A			
CUSTOMER AGREEMENT					VENDOR INFORMATION	
I agree to the terms and conditions of this Service Agreement.					All vendor related charges are the responsibility of the customer, if required.	
Customer Name & Title					<u>Initials</u>	<u>Date</u>
Signature					<u>Signature</u>	<u>Date</u>
Date						3/19/15
Signature					Northland Authorized Signature	
Date					Date	

ORIGINAL  
 AGREEMENT  
 (for reference only)

**Northland COMMUNICATIONS**  
 17 Technology Pl., East Syracuse, NY 13057  
 Phone: (315) 671-6200 Fax: (315) 671-0030  
 317 Court St., Utica, NY 13502  
 Phone: (315) 624-2000 Fax: (315) 624-6288

NORTHLAND COMMUNICATIONS  
 SERVICE AGREEMENT FOR  
 ONEIDA COUNTY

Effective July 9, 2010, Northland Communications and Oneida County will enter into the following agreement for the period of 36 months. Northland Communications will provide the following list of services at the location(s) listed below.

BTN: N/A

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Approved As To Form  
 ONEIDA COUNTY ATTORNEY  
[Signature]

NORTHLAND COMMUNICATIONS  
STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS

The parties hereby mutually agree as follows:

**Incorporation of Tariffs:** The services provided pursuant to this Agreement are governed by tariffs filed with and approved by regulatory authorities having jurisdiction over such services, as they may be in effect from time to time, including the Federal Communications Commission and the New York State Public Service Commission. All rates, terms and conditions set forth in such tariffs, shall apply to and govern the provision of service under this Agreement and the relationship of the parties hereto, and such tariffs are specifically incorporated by reference into this Agreement. The rates, terms and conditions of said tariffs shall govern unless specifically superseded by a provision of the Agreement, in which case the rate, term or condition of this Agreement will apply.

**Financial Responsibility:** Customer will be invoiced on a monthly basis. Invoices are payable upon receipt by Customer. If payments are not received by Northland Communications (NC) within (30) days of the invoice date, NC may at any time thereafter discontinue service, and/or terminate this Agreement, and/or impose a late charge of one and one-half percent (1 1/2%) per month of the balance due, or such lesser maximum charge as permitted by applicable law. NC may, in addition, apply any Customer deposit to the unpaid bill. Customer agrees to pay NC all NC's costs and expenses of collection of any amounts due from Customer hereunder, including reasonable attorney's fees.

**Terms and Conditions for Voice / Facility Services, Private/ Data Network & Internet Services:** Customer agrees to follow standard Acceptable Use Policy (AUP) Guidelines (<http://www.dreamscape.com/aup>).

**Termination Charges:** Should the customer choose to deactivate any service before the end of the contract term, the customer will incur one or both of the cost considerations outlined below:

1. An early termination penalty consisting of the total of any promotional discounts, credits, or waivers identified on page 1 of 2 on this document and additionally, any monthly charges for the remaining months and fraction thereof through the end of the contract term.
2. Upon termination of part of a bundle of services, which may include local usage, long distance, dedicated Internet, communications equipment and/or data services; any remaining service pricing is subject to change for the remainder of the specified term.

**Liability of NC:** The liability and obligation of the carrier to the Customer is specifically controlled and limited by such tariffs, which provide that carrier shall have no liability of any nature in the absence of gross negligence or willful misconduct, and that, in any event, regardless of the form of the action, whether for breach of contract, warranty, negligence, strict liability, tort, or otherwise, the Customer's exclusive remedy, and the total liability of carrier and/or any supplier of services to carrier, arising out of or in any way connected directly or indirectly, with this Agreement, for any cause whatsoever, including but not limited to any failure or disruption of service provided hereunder, shall be limited to payment by carrier in any amount equivalent to the proportionate charge to the customer for the period of service during which such

mistakes, omission, interruptions, delays, errors or defects in transmission occur. In no event shall carrier and/or any supplier of services be liable to customer for any special, consequential or incidental damages.

**General Provisions:** Except for the incorporation of terms of tariffs from time to time on file with regulatory authority, there are no terms, conditions or obligations other than those contained herein. There are no written or verbal statements, representations, warranties or agreements with respect to this transaction, which have not been embodied herein. The carrier makes no warranties or representations express or implied, either in fact or by operation of law, statutory or otherwise, including warranties of merchantability and fitness for a particular use, except those expressly set forth herein. No waiver of any breach of this Agreement will be implied or will be deemed a waiver of any future breach. This Agreement shall in all respects be governed by and construed in accordance with the law of the State of New York, including all matters of construction, performance and validity. Neither party may assign this Agreement, or any interest herein or part hereof, by operation of law or otherwise, without the express written consent of the other party which shall not be unreasonably withheld. In the event that any of the provisions of this Agreement shall be held to be illegal, invalid or unenforceable as a matter of law, the same shall not invalidate this Agreement which shall be construed as if containing such provision and the rights and obligations of the parties shall be construed and enforced as if a commercially reasonable provision had been substituted in place thereof, consistent with the undertaking of the parties hereto. Introductory headings used in the Agreement are solely for the convenience of the parties and do limit the content of the respective paragraphs hereof.

**Network Equipment:** Provision of NC services to Customer may require the installation of channel banks/data equipment. Unless otherwise contracted in writing by both parties equipment will remain the property of NC. Upon termination of service, the said channel bank/data equipment will be returned to Northland Communications. Should equipment not be returned in working condition (reasonable wear and tear accepted) customer must pay replacement cost.

**Customer Proprietary Network Information (CPNI):** CPNI is any information that relates to the quantity, technical configuration, type, destination, location, and amount of use of a telecommunications service subscribed to by any customer of a telecommunications carrier, and that is made available to the carrier by the customer solely by virtue of the carrier-customer relationship. CPNI also includes information contained in the bills pertaining to the telephone exchange service or telephone toll service received by a customer of a carrier. You have a right and Northland Communications has a duty, under Federal Law, to protect the confidentiality of CPNI.

We may use or share your CPNI information with our affiliates, agents, and contractors solely for the purpose of developing or bringing to your attention any products or services. You have the right to deny our use of your CPNI for these purposes, or to "opt-out". Denying approval for us to use your CPNI will not affect your services. Granting approval will enhance our ability to offer you new products and services tailored to your needs.

Orinda County  
Company Name)

[Signature] 8-26-10  
[Signature] (Date)

NORTHLAND COMMUNICATIONS  
SCHEDULE A TERMS AND CONDITIONS  
ONEIDA COUNTY

Term Agreement:

The original contract term shall be for a period of three (3) years  
Beginning on the date the contract is executed by Oneida County.  
Upon mutual agreement, Oneida County has the option to renew  
a contract on the same terms for two (2) additional three (3) year  
terms after the expiration of the original contract.

Oneida County  
(Company Name)

[Signature] 8-21-10  
(Signature) (Date)

[Signature]  
(Northland Authorized Signature)

7-9-2010  
(Date)



## Introduction

Northland's Service Level Agreement (SLA) specifies minimum service levels measured as Service Availability, Network Latency, Packet Loss and Jitter. This SLA applies to Internet and MPLS services delivered over T1, Ethernet, fiber optic facilities and wireless only.

### I. Service Availability for Network Connectivity

Service Availability is defined as a customer's ability to exchange IP packets with Northland's network through network components provided or owned by Northland. Service availability is continuously monitored by logging any connectivity status changes on the customer's router. If there is no connectivity for **10 consecutive minutes**, the service is considered to be in a "network outage" situation. If the outage is a result of a failure of any component on Northland's network or customer premise equipment supplied and managed by Northland, Northland will issue a credit based on the length of the outage, subject to the "Eligible Service Credit" and "Service Credit Process" below. Service outages caused by planned maintenance, unauthorized modification of installed hardware, excessive bandwidth use caused by the customer, failure of telco circuits, power failures or failure of any customer premises equipment obtained from a source other than Northland are not covered by this Service Availability Agreement and are not eligible for compensation. Situations where Northland cannot reach the technical contact and/or arrange access to customer premise for repair may also not be eligible for some or all credit. For Northland products that are not supported 24/7, credits may only apply for outages that occur during business hours.

For any outage that occurs during business hours, (Mon-Fri 8am – 6pm), Northland will provide 1 day of credit for each complete hour of the outage. During non-business hours (nights, weekends and holidays), Northland will provide 1-day credit for any outage lasting more than 1 hour. A maximum of **15 days** of credit may be provided during any single month. One day's credit is based on 1/30th of the monthly service charge.

#### Minimum Service Level Guarantee Metric

The following metric describes the minimum percentage of time each month that network connectivity is guaranteed to be available, subject to exclusions above. Should this target not be met, the customer may be eligible for credit as described above.

Service Level Guarantee	Metric
Network Availability	99.999%



## II. Service Availability for Cloud Computing Services

Service availability for cloud servers is defined as Northland's ability to provide a fully functional infrastructure that can support a running operating system based on the specifications (RAM, CPU and Disk) purchased by the customer.

Service availability for cloud storage and cloud backup is defined as Northland's ability to provide storage that is operable and readily available to customers over network connections (such as internet or MPLS connections).

Service availability is continuously monitored by logging the operational status of Northland's cloud infrastructure. If the infrastructure that supports the customer's service is inoperable for 10 consecutive minutes, the service is considered to be in an "outage" situation.

Service outages caused by planned maintenance, issues caused by customer's operating system or software applications, excessive bandwidth use caused by the customer or failure of equipment or network connections at the customer's location are not covered by this Service Availability Agreement and are not eligible for compensation.

Northland will provide 1 day of credit for each complete hour of the outage. A maximum of 15 days of credit may be provided during any single month. One day's credit is based on 1/30th of the monthly service charge.

## III. Network Latency Guarantee

Network Latency refers to the amount of time (Round Trip Time) that it takes for an IP packet to traverse Northland's network backbone. Northland monitors latency at regular intervals and compiles the data into a monthly average. Northland target objective is to maintain the following standard:

Type of Connection	Metric
T1, Ethernet, Optical and licensed point to point wireless	45ms
NorthAir Wireless	80ms

Network Latency Credit: In the event that guaranteed network latency measurements are not met during any one calendar-month period, Northland will provide a credit equivalent to one (1) day of service charges (based on 1/30<sup>th</sup> of the monthly service charge).



#### IV. Packet Loss

"Packet Loss" is a measurement of the percentage of packets that are dropped on the Northland network backbone. Northland monitors packet loss at regular intervals and compiles the data into a monthly average. Northland's target objective is to meet the following standard:

Type of Connection	Metric
T1, Ethernet, Optical and licensed point to point wireless	.05%
NorthAir Wireless	1%

Packet Loss Credit: In the event that guaranteed packet loss measurements are not met during any one calendar-month period, Northland will provide a credit equivalent to one (1) day of service charges (based on 1/30<sup>th</sup> of the monthly service charge), for each day the measurement is not met.

#### V. Jitter

"Jitter" is a measurement of packet delay variation between network nodes on the Northland network backbone. Northland monitors jitter at regular intervals using packet tests and compiles the data into a monthly average. Northland's target objective is to maintain the following standard:

Type of Connection	Metric
T1, Ethernet, Optical and licensed point to point wireless	2ms
NorthAir Wireless	150ms

Jitter Credit: In the event that jitter loss measurement standards are not met during any one calendar-month period, Northland will provide a credit equivalent to one (1) day of service charges (based on 1/30<sup>th</sup> of the monthly service charge), for each day the measurement is not met



## VI. Mean Time to Restore

The mean time to restore (MTTR) measurement is the average time between the start of a service impacting issue and the resolution of the issue.

There are two (2) priority levels of Trouble Ticket severity (Critical and Major).

MTTR objectives for each severity level is:

Severity 1 – Critical	Average within 2 hours
Severity 2 – Major	Average within 4 hours

“Severity 1 – Critical” is defined as a complete outage affecting Customer's Service.

“Severity 2 – Major” is defined as a partial outage or service degradation affecting Customer's Service.

## VII. Exclusivity of Remedy

The credits described herein are customer's sole remedy for failure to meet any criteria, standard, measurement, goal, or objective set forth in this Service Level Agreement, regardless of cause. In no event shall the cumulative credits for all missed measurements in any month exceed the payments by Customer for recurring charges in that month.

## VIII. Eligible Service Credits

Credits are based on Internet or MPLS bandwidth charges only and only apply to the specific circuit or affected service. This excludes credit for any other fees that might be charged to the customer. This includes, but is not limited to, set-up fees, local loop fees, muxing charges, and fees for additional services such as additional IP addresses, support charges, and other services.

## IX. Service Credit Process:

### Filing Period

Claims for service availability credits must be submitted within 2 weeks of the event. Network Latency, Jitter and Packet Loss claims must be submitted within 30 days after the last day of the month when service levels are not met.





### Claim Process

Customer must submit the required information by electronic mail to:

[sla-claims@northlandcom.com](mailto:sla-claims@northlandcom.com)

Northland will acknowledge all claims within two business days and will review all claims within ten business days of receipt. Customer will be informed by electronic mail whether the appropriate service credit claim will be granted or rejected. If rejected, the notification will specify the basis for rejection. Customer has the right to contest any rejection of credit issued by Northland.

### Required Information

The claim must include the following information:

- a. Organization name
- b. Administrative Contact's name and contact information
- c. Date and beginning/end time of outage or failed metric
- d. Brief description of the characteristics of the outage or failed metric.

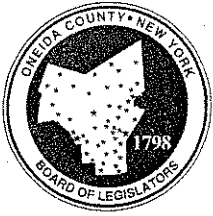
### Credit Process

Approved Service Level Guarantee credits will be applied to the Customer's billing during the billing cycle following the claim approval.

### Policy Change

Northland reserves the right to change, amend, or revise this policy at any time.

The Northland Network does not include equipment located at Customer's premises whether or not provided by Northland, telephone circuits or networks between a POP and Customer's location, inactive POPs, or any networks, network equipment, or telephone circuits not owned or controlled by Northland.



# ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS

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## WAYS & MEANS

Honorable Members:

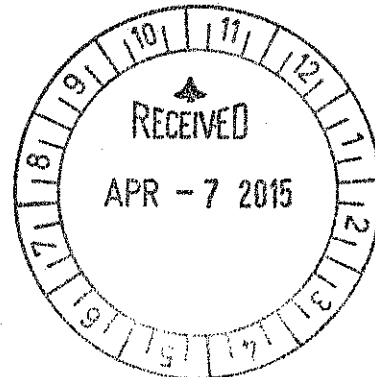
The Oneida County Board of Legislators designated January 1 through January 31, 2015 as "Open Enrollment" for farm-land owners in Oneida County, pursuant to an amendment by New York State to the Agriculture and Markets Law. This "open enrollment" period allowed the opportunity for landowner inclusion in an agricultural district, without waiting till the traditional review period of a district.

I have received the attached documentation after the Oneida County Agricultural and Farmland Protection Board's review found 28 landowners owning 2148.9 acres to be in accordance with the qualifications for inclusion within an agricultural district.

I hereby submit the attached packet of information for final approval of the "Open Enrollment" period and respectfully request that this be considered by committee, and subsequently by the full Board at the meeting of **May 13, 2015** thereafter being submitted to the State for final approval.

Respectfully submitted,

  
GERALD J. FIORINI,  
CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD



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attachments

**2015 OPEN ENROLLMENT NYS AGRICULTURAL DISTRICTS IN ONEIDA COUNTY**

<b>TAX PARCEL ID#</b>	<b>OWNER</b>	<b>TOWN</b>	<b>DISTRICT</b>	<b>ACRES</b>
<b>301.000-2-27.2</b>	<b>Albrecht, Anthony</b>	<b>Westmoreland</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>85.3</b>
208.000-1-69.1	Bejian, Timothy C.	Floyd	7	240.0
<b>371.000-1-10.2</b>	<b>Bilow, Vincent</b>	<b>Vernon</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>39.5</b>
380.000-2-25.4	Brenneman, Alvin	Augusta	4	101.9
380.000-2-23.2	Brenneman, David	Augusta	4	36.4
380.000-2-25.3	Brenneman, David	Augusta	4	99.0
380.000-2-6	Brenneman, Joel	Augusta	4	133.0
380.000-2-25.1	Brenneman, Joel	Augusta	4	24.1
33.000-1-11.3	Britton, Jerome	Boonville	3	18.0
33.000-2-2	Britton, Jerome	Boonville	3	39.1
33.010-1-26	Britton, Jerome	Boonville	3	38.6
33.010-1-36.2	Britton, Jerome	Boonville	3	1.0
33.010-1-37.1	Britton, Jerome	Boonville	3	4.2
33.011-1-18	Britton, Jerome	Boonville	3	3.0
350.000-3-44.1	Collins Farm Realty, LLC	New Hartford	5	8.1
372.000-1-40	Dugan, Andrew	Augusta	4	29.0
<b>362.003-1-2</b>	<b>Hershberger, Andy</b>	<b>Augusta</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>30.6</b>
<b>362.003-1-4</b>	<b>Hershberger, Andy</b>	<b>Augusta</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0.3</b>
<b>362.003-1-69</b>	<b>Hershberger, Andy</b>	<b>Augusta</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>23.1</b>
61.000-1-1.3	Hroboni, Eric	Ava	2	12.5
245.000-1-33.2	Koenig, Justin	Floyd	7	134.8
245.000-1-33.5	Koenig, Justin	Floyd	7	3.8
245.000-1-89	Koenig, Justin	Floyd	7	32.0
346.000-1-37.3	Macri, Samuel & Darlene	Kirkland	5	8.5
346.000-1-37.4	Macri, Samuel & Darlene	Kirkland	5	3.1
312.000-1-23	Makarchuk, Paul & Joanne	Vernon	4	47.7
<b>350.000-1-61.1</b>	<b>Massoud, Anthony</b>	<b>New Hartford</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>21.6</b>
350.000-1-61.3	Massoud, Anthony	New Hartford	5	32.2
248.000-1-19.8	Mower, Donald A.	Trenton	7	200.1
264.000-2-2.2	Mower, Donald A.	Trenton	7	5.0
264.000-2-2.4	Mower, Donald A.	Trenton	7	1.6
264.000-2-2.5	Mower, Donald A.	Trenton	7	76.0
264.000-2-2.6	Mower, Donald A.	Trenton	7	7.2
350.000-2-36	Reath, Roger C.	New Hartford	5	57.4
194.015-1-63	Ryan, Craig & Barbara	Barneveld (V)	7	4.9
371.000-1-12.2	Schwartz, Alvin	Augusta	4	130.6
<b>380.000-2-3</b>	<b>Schwartz, David</b>	<b>Augusta</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>17.7</b>
<b>380.000-2-5</b>	<b>Schwartz, David</b>	<b>Augusta</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>27.7</b>
362.000-1-32.1	Schwartz, Jacob D.	Augusta	4	28.4
362.000-1-32.4	Schwartz, Jacob D.	Augusta	4	12.5
362.000-1-34.1	Schwartz, Jacob D.	Augusta	4	16.6
371.000-1-18.2	Schwartz, Mahlon S.	Augusta	4	92.2
371.000-1-16.2	Schwartz, Samuel	Augusta	4	57.8
380.000-2-21.1	Shetler, Johnnie E.	Augusta	4	23.9
380.000-2-23.1	Shetler, Johnnie E.	Augusta	4	31.8
<b>352.000-1-1.2</b>	<b>Shetler, Mahlon. H.</b>	<b>Augusta</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>11.5</b>
262.000-2-10.2	Shikula, Aleksandr	Marcy	7	5.5
372.000-1-46	Spooner Living Trust - Terrence & Christine	Augusta	4	66.4
71.000-1-19.1	Stacy, Bradley J.	Florence	1	23.7

**BOLD = ownership change only**

**Total Acres 2148.9**



# ONEIDA COUNTY FARMLAND PROTECTION BOARD



Brymer Humphreys, Chair

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## ONEIDA COUNTY FARMLAND PROTECTION BOARD REPORT OPEN ENROLLMENT ADDITIONS TO EXISTING AGRICULTURAL DISTRICTS MARCH 2015

### I. INTRODUCTION

Oneida County established January 1, 2015 – January 31, 2015 as the Open Enrollment Period for Agricultural Districts. A public hearing was held on March 24, 2015. This report reflects the recommendations of the Oneida County Farmland Protection Board.

### II. DISCUSSION

A total of 28 landowners, owning 2148.9\* acres of farmland, expressed a desire to be within an agricultural district by submitting an Agricultural District Enrollment Form to the Agricultural and Farmland Protection Board. These landowners, together with the specific parcels and acreages to be enrolled in the modified district, are shown on the attached list. In addition to the new properties added, there were several instances where property changed ownership and the new owner decided to re-enroll the properties into the agricultural district. Maps were also created for those parcels where changes in ownership occurred and also where parcel boundaries changed. All of the maps are included in the package of materials.

### III. FINDINGS MADE BY THE ONEIDA COUNTY AGRICULTURAL AND FARMLAND PROTECTION BOARD

The Oneida County Agricultural and Farmland Protection Board reviewed all of the applications and parcels on an individual basis and found all of them to be in accordance with the qualifications for inclusion within an agricultural district. The Board did reject one application due to lack of proof of ownership. A second application was rejected due to the property being all woodlands.

### IV. RECOMMENDATION

The Oneida County Agricultural and Farmland Protection Board recommend that the 28 landowners and 2148.9\* acres of farmland shown on the attached list be incorporated into the existing, corresponding agricultural districts. It is further recommended that the Oneida County Board of Legislators forward the list of properties and landowners to the NYS Commissioner of Agriculture and Markets for approval and certification.

\* These figures include properties currently enrolled in agricultural districts where there was a change in ownership or a change in parcel boundaries. Without these properties the total number of acres added is 1891.6.

Oneida County Farmland Protection Board \* C/O Cornell Cooperative Extension  
121 Second Street \* Oriskany, New York \* 13424 \* (315) 736-3394

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Appendix B  
Short Environmental Assessment Form

**Instructions for Completing**

**Part 1 - Project Information.** The applicant or project sponsor is responsible for the completion of Part 1. Responses become part of the application for approval or funding, are subject to public review, and may be subject to further verification. Complete Part 1 based on information currently available. If additional research or investigation would be needed to fully respond to any item, please answer as thoroughly as possible based on current information.

Complete all items in Part 1. You may also provide any additional information which you believe will be needed by or useful to the lead agency; attach additional pages as necessary to supplement any item.

<b>Part 1 - Project and Sponsor Information</b>			
Name of Action or Project: 2015 Open Enrollment for New York State Agricultural Districts in Oneida County			
Project Location (describe, and attach a location map): Multiple towns throughout Oneida County.			
Brief Description of Proposed Action: The addition of multiple properties to various existing NYS Agricultural Districts within Oneida County as a result of the annual Open Enrollment period established for Oneida County.			
Name of Applicant or Sponsor: Oneida County Board of Legislators		Telephone: (315) 798-5900	
		E-Mail: pparry@ocgov.net	
Address: 800 Park Avenue			
City/PO: Utica		State: NY	Zip Code: 13501
1. Does the proposed action only involve the legislative adoption of a plan, local law, ordinance, administrative rule, or regulation? If Yes, attach a narrative description of the intent of the proposed action and the environmental resources that may be affected in the municipality and proceed to Part 2. If no, continue to question 2.			NO <input type="checkbox"/>
			YES <input type="checkbox"/>
2. Does the proposed action require a permit, approval or funding from any other governmental Agency? If Yes, list agency(s) name and permit or approval:  New York State Department of Agriculture and Markets			NO <input type="checkbox"/>
			YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3.a. Total acreage of the site of the proposed action?		_____ 2148.9 acres	
b. Total acreage to be physically disturbed?		_____ acres	
c. Total acreage (project site and any contiguous properties) owned or controlled by the applicant or project sponsor?		_____ acres	
4. Check all land uses that occur on, adjoining and near the proposed action.			
<input type="checkbox"/> Urban <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rural (non-agriculture) <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Residential (suburban)			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Forest <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agriculture <input type="checkbox"/> Aquatic <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): _____			
<input type="checkbox"/> Parkland			



18. Does the proposed action include construction or other activities that result in the impoundment of water or other liquids (e.g. retention pond, waste lagoon, dam)? If Yes, explain purpose and size: _____ _____	NO	YES
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
19. Has the site of the proposed action or an adjoining property been the location of an active or closed solid waste management facility? If Yes, describe: _____ _____	NO	YES
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
20. Has the site of the proposed action or an adjoining property been the subject of remediation (ongoing or completed) for hazardous waste? If Yes, describe: _____ _____	NO	YES
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>I AFFIRM THAT THE INFORMATION PROVIDED ABOVE IS TRUE AND ACCURATE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE</b>		
Applicant/sponsor name: _____ Gerald J. Fiorini _____ Date: _____ May 13, 2015 _____		
Signature: _____		

**Part 2 - Impact Assessment. The Lead Agency is responsible for the completion of Part 2.** Answer all of the following questions in Part 2 using the information contained in Part 1 and other materials submitted by the project sponsor or otherwise available to the reviewer. When answering the questions the reviewer should be guided by the concept "Have my responses been reasonable considering the scale and context of the proposed action?"

	No, or small impact may occur	Moderate to large impact may occur
1. Will the proposed action create a material conflict with an adopted land use plan or zoning regulations?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Will the proposed action result in a change in the use or intensity of use of land?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Will the proposed action impair the character or quality of the existing community?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Will the proposed action have an impact on the environmental characteristics that caused the establishment of a Critical Environmental Area (CEA)?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Will the proposed action result in an adverse change in the existing level of traffic or affect existing infrastructure for mass transit, biking or walkway?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Will the proposed action cause an increase in the use of energy and it fails to incorporate reasonably available energy conservation or renewable energy opportunities?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Will the proposed action impact existing:		
a. public / private water supplies?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. public / private wastewater treatment utilities?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Will the proposed action impair the character or quality of important historic, archaeological, architectural or aesthetic resources?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Will the proposed action result in an adverse change to natural resources (e.g., wetlands, waterbodies, groundwater, air quality, flora and fauna)?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

	No, or small impact may occur	Moderate to large impact may occur
10. Will the proposed action result in an increase in the potential for erosion, flooding or drainage problems?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Will the proposed action create a hazard to environmental resources or human health?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Part 3 - Determination of significance. The Lead Agency is responsible for the completion of Part 3.** For every question in Part 2 that was answered "moderate to large impact may occur", or if there is a need to explain why a particular element of the proposed action may or will not result in a significant adverse environmental impact, please complete Part 3. Part 3 should, in sufficient detail, identify the impact, including any measures or design elements that have been included by the project sponsor to avoid or reduce impacts. Part 3 should also explain how the lead agency determined that the impact may or will not be significant. Each potential impact should be assessed considering its setting, probability of occurring, duration, irreversibility, geographic scope and magnitude. Also consider the potential for short-term, long-term and cumulative impacts.

<input type="checkbox"/>	Check this box if you have determined, based on the information and analysis above, and any supporting documentation, that the proposed action may result in one or more potentially large or significant adverse impacts and an environmental impact statement is required.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Check this box if you have determined, based on the information and analysis above, and any supporting documentation, that the proposed action will not result in any significant adverse environmental impacts.
Oneida County Board of Legislators	, May 13, 2015
Name of Lead Agency	Date
Gerald J. Fiorini	Chairman
Print or Type Name of Responsible Officer in Lead Agency	Title of Responsible Officer
Signature of Responsible Officer in Lead Agency	Signature of Preparer (if different from Responsible Officer)
	<i>John R. Kent, Jr.</i>

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## Farmland Protection Board Minutes March 24, 2015

**Present:** Brymer Humphreys, Guy Sassaman, Marty Broccoli, Cliff Kitchen, Chris Burtch, Paul van Lieshout.

**Guests:** Jim Manning

**Meeting was called to order by Humphreys at 12:20 P.M.**

**Motion to approve February's minutes by Burtch. Second by Broccoli. Motion carried.**

**2015 Open Enrollment:** During the February board meeting, four applications required additional information before proceeding.

- Regan-ownership verification
- Shikula – extent and nature of agricultural activity
- Mappa Hill Farm-ownership verification
- Albrecht – ownership verification

Sassaman indicated proof of ownership was established for Albrecht but it was not for Regan. Burtch explained that ownership of the Mappa Hill Farm property was established and there was an error in the tax parcel identification at the town level. Shikula presented his case at the public hearing and the board voted on his application after the hearing.

**Motion to approve the Albrecht and Mappa Hill Farm applications by Broccoli. Second by Burtch. Motion carried.**

**Motion to deny the Regan application by Kitchen. Second by Burtch. Motion carried.**

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**Ag District 6:** The board reviewed nineteen (19) new applications for district #6. Fifteen (15) of the applications were deemed to be legitimate. Four (4) applications required further information. Three of the four applications are in the Town of Bridgewater (Biel, Dibble, & Freedom Guide Dogs, Inc.), the fourth one (Ford) is in the Town of Marshall. Sassaman will try to get further information on the parcels for the April meeting.

## **PUBLIC HEARING FOR THE 2015 OPEN ENROLLMENT OF NYS AGRICULTURAL DISTRICTS**

**The floor was opened to the public at 1:00 P.M. by Humphreys. Attendees were asked to sign in.**

Attendees: Aleksandr Shikula, Town of Marcy

Humphreys asked Mr. Shikula to explain the nature of his agricultural operation. Shikula explained that his grandfather has 10 active hives on his property and that the honey cultivated is used by his immediate family and also distributed to other family and friends. Shikula also explained his issues with the Town of Marcy. Currently he has four accessory buildings on his property and the town only allows three. The town has ordered him to remove one of the accessory structures within a year to conform to town codes. Shikula indicated his willingness to comply with the town codes.

Humphreys explained to Shikula that the process to add his property to Agricultural District #7 will take some time because of the various county and state approvals required. He further explained that until his property is certified for inclusion into District #7 by the New York State Department of Agriculture and Markets that no protection could be provided.

Shikula was satisfied with the board's explanation of the process and expressed his thanks for the board allowing him to present his case. The board was satisfied with Shikula's explanation of his situation and indicated that he would be notified by letter if his property is certified for inclusion into District #7.

**Motion by Kitchen to close the public hearing. Second by Broccoli. Motion carried.**

**The public hearing was closed at 1: 16 P.M.**

**Following the hearing Kitchen made a motion to approve the Shikula application. Second by Broccoli. Motion carried.**

**The Farmland protection board has approved 28 applications for the 2015 Open Enrollment period. As soon as all of the updated information necessary to complete the required mapping is prepared, the Oneida County Planning Department will forward the maps and related paperwork to the Board of Legislators for their next scheduled board meeting**

Meeting was adjourned at 1: 26 P.M.

Next meeting on April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2015 at 7:00 P.M.

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## Farmland Protection Board Minutes February 24, 2015

**Present:** Brymer Humphreys, Guy Sassaman, Paul Snider, Tom Cassidy, Mike Cosgrove, Brian Mandryck, Chris Burtch Remi Link and Marty Broccoli.

**Guests:** Linda Garrett, John Wagner and Jim Manning

**Meeting was called to order by Humphreys at 11:00AM**

**Motion to approve December's minutes by Cosgrove. Second by Kitchen. Motion carried.**

**Farmland Protection Plan Update:** Jim Manning meet with the County Executive to review the proposed task force. The Executive suggested to broaden the list of participants and reach out to the public. A press release went out seeking volunteers who can participate in the development of the Farmland Protection Plan. The board discussed and reviewed the new task force list.

**Motion to submit to the County Executive the revised Farmland Protection Plan Task Force list by Cassidy. Second by Cosgrove. Motion carried.**

Jim will present the revised list of names to the County Executive.

**Replacement of Board Member:** After discussions from the last meeting, Brymer has reached out to Paul van Lieshout explaining the responsibilities of the position. He is willing to participate.

**Motion to recommend Paul van Lieshout to the Board of Legislators to fill the term for George Gafner by Kitchen. Second by Cosgrove. Motion carried.**

**Farmland Implementation Grant:** Linda Garrett from the Tug Hill Tomorrow Land Trust addressed the board on the two applications they submitted for Oneida County. She is analyzing the applications to identifying their weakness and ways to bring the scores up. She believes that commitment from the local municipality and county are key factors in an application. Cassidy noted that the successful applications included watershed protection. She recommends that the Implementation Grants are addressed in the upcoming revised Oneida County Farmland Protection Plan.

**Open Enrollment:** Four applications required more information from the December's meeting. Discussion as follows.

- Bejian-replied and sent a letter stating his agricultural business intentions.
- Raymer-no reply has been received.
- Regan-ownership issues remain. Burtch will report back to the board at the March board meeting.
- Shikula-letter was sent to the town. No clear resolution from the town's response. Sassaman will send letter to request more information from Mr. Shikula and inform him on the March Public Hearing to answer any questions of the board.

Eleven applications for open enrollment were reviewed. One application, Mappa Hill Farm, needs verification of ownership. Burtch will report back to the board in March on the Mappa Hill Farm application.

**Motion to approve ten applications by Cosgrove. Second by Kitchen. Motion carried.**

**Motion to approve the Bejian application by Kitchen. Second by Cosgrove. Motion carried.**

Raymer application denied. Regan and Shikula applications tabled until the March board meeting.

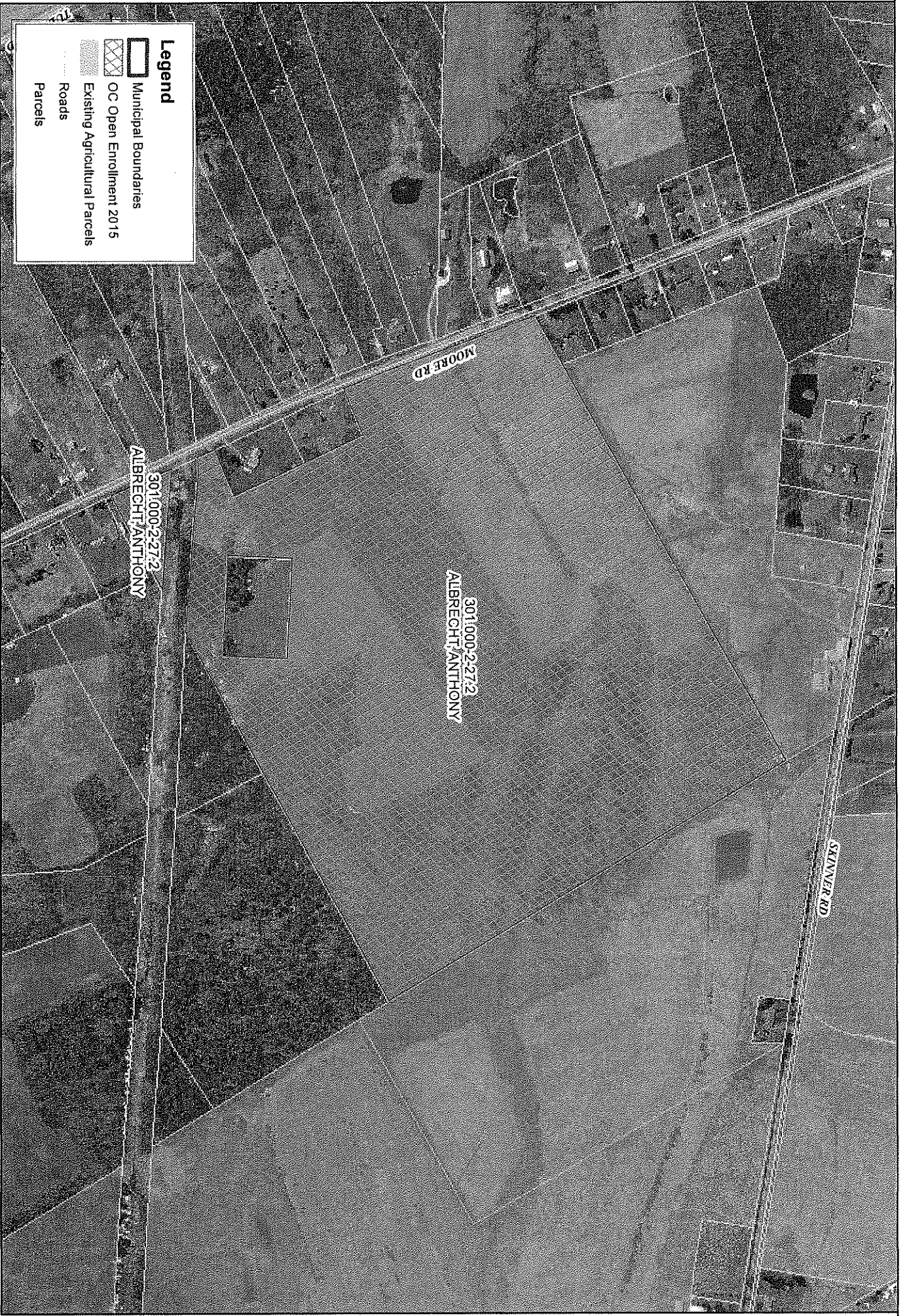
**Town of Westmoreland:** Sassaman received a request for clarification on Westmoreland's Local Law No. 4 as it pertains to using a storage container as an agricultural application. They were referred to send in a 305-a review to the Department of Agriculture and Markets for determination.

**Ag District 6:** Sassaman noted that several new applications were received for the 2015 renewal. He indicated that part of the reason for the increase could be attributed to Brittany Moorhead's efforts in identifying properties that would qualify to be in an Ag District and letters being sent to the property owners notifying them of their eligibility to be in Ag District #6. The board will need to set a date for reviewing these applications.






Meeting was adjourned at 1:00 P.M.

**Next meeting on Tuesday March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2015 at 12:00 P.M.**

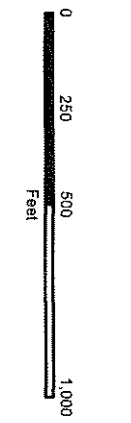
**Public Hearing on Open Enrollment at 1:00 P.M.**



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**ALBRECHT, ANTHONY**  
**WESTMORELAND**  
 85.3 acres








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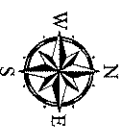
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**BEJIAN, TIMOTHY C.**  
**FLOYD**  
 240.0 acres



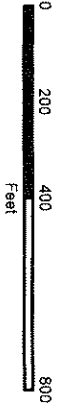
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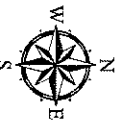
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

**BILLOW, VINCENT**  
 Augusta  
 39.5 acres



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



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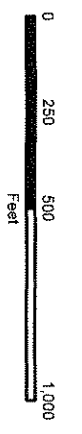
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MCATLAND RD

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BRENNEMAN, ALVIN  
AUGUSTA  
101.9 acres

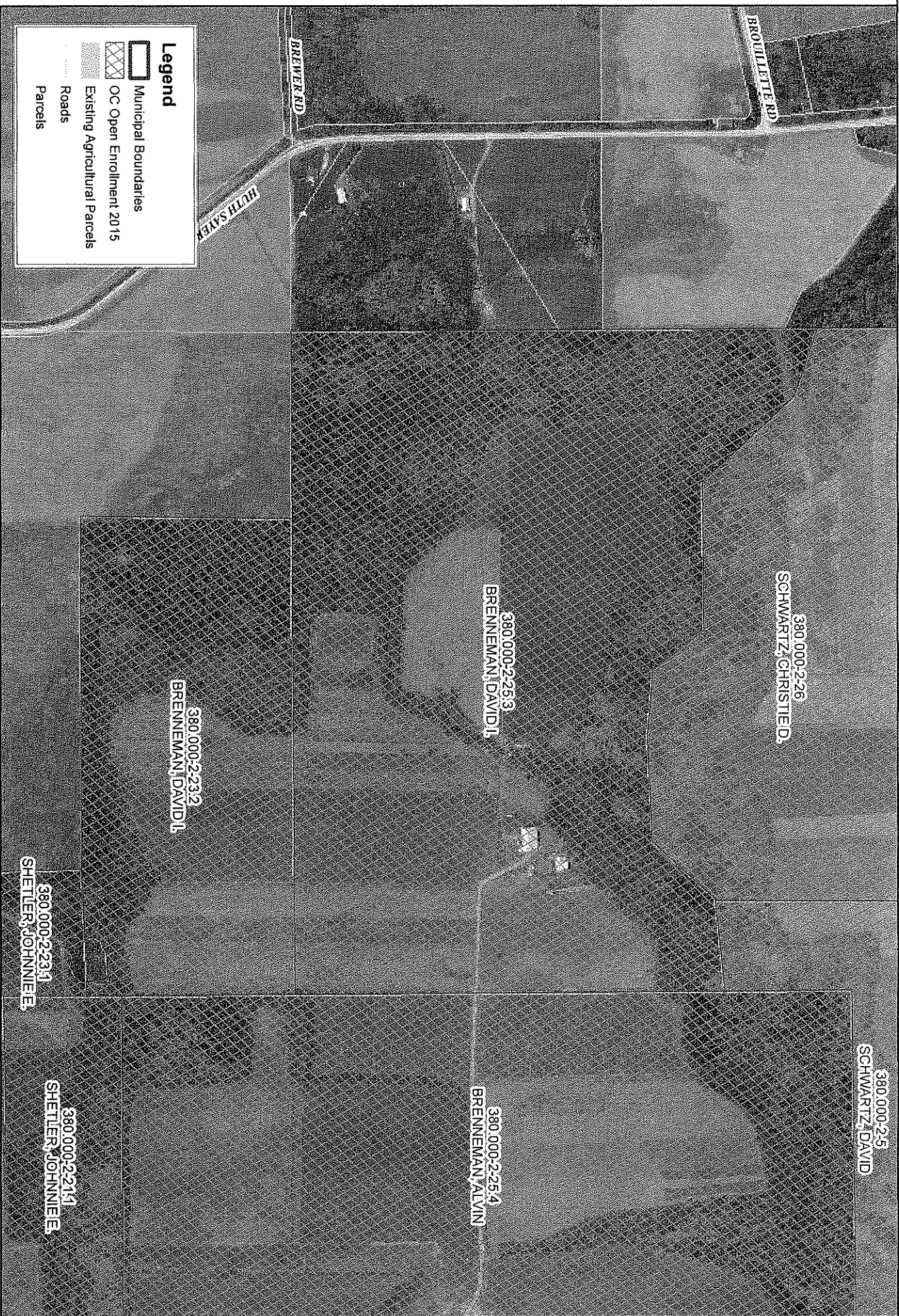


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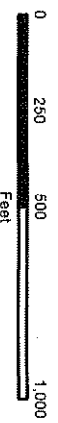




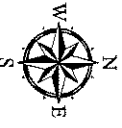
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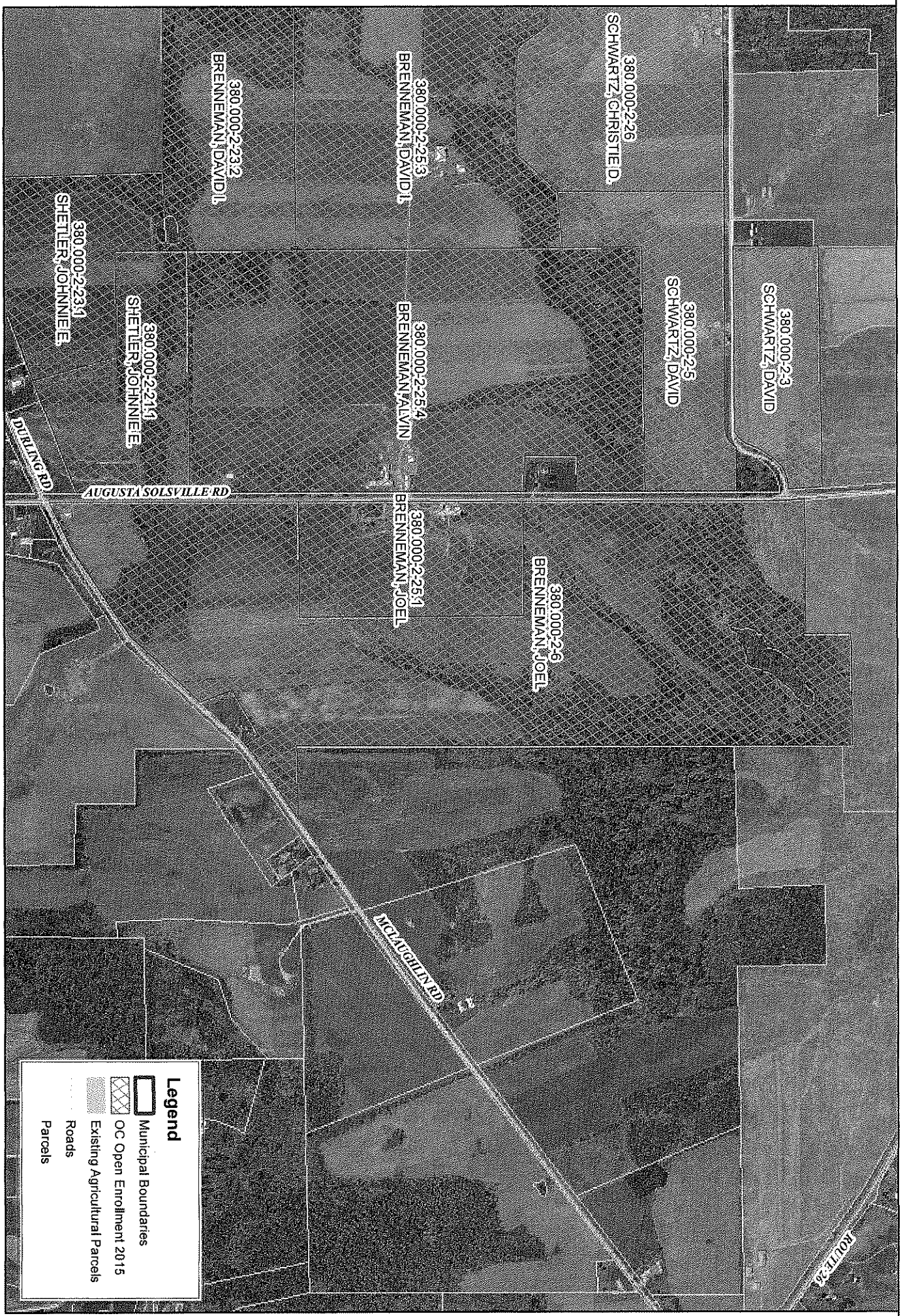
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**AUGUSTA**  
 135.4 acres



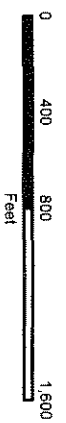
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**BRENNEMAN, JOEL**  
**AUGUSTA**  
 157.1 acres



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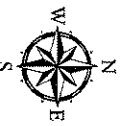
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BRITTON, JEROME  
Boonville  
103.9 acres

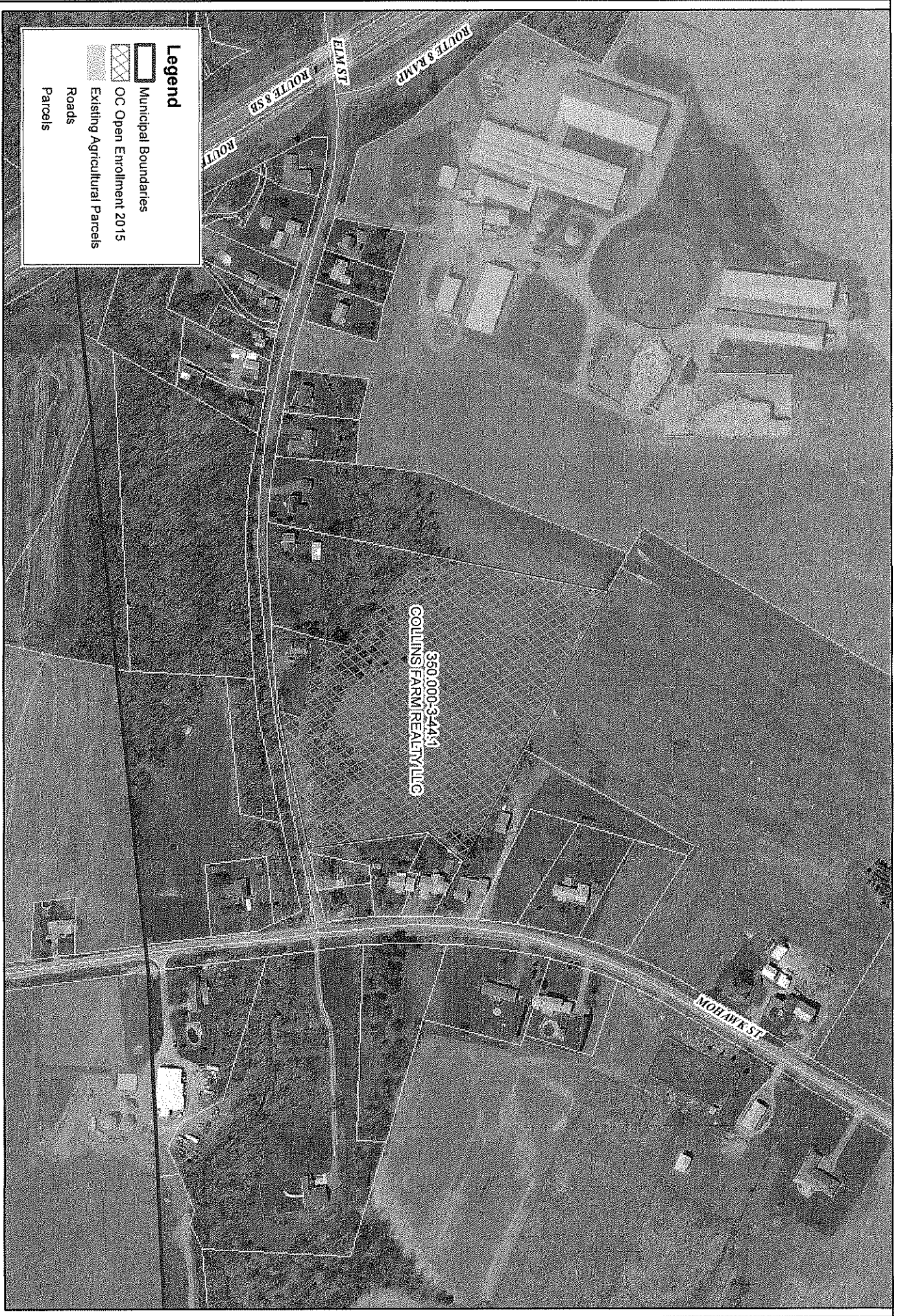
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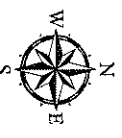
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**COLLINS FARM REALTY LLC**  
 New Hartford  
 8.1 acres

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
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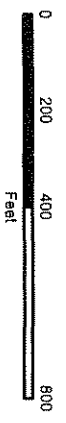
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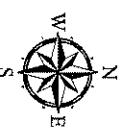
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HERSHBERGER, ANDY  
 AUGUSTA  
 54.0 acres



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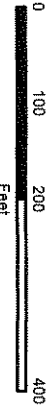
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HROBONI, ERIC  
AVA  
12.5 acres



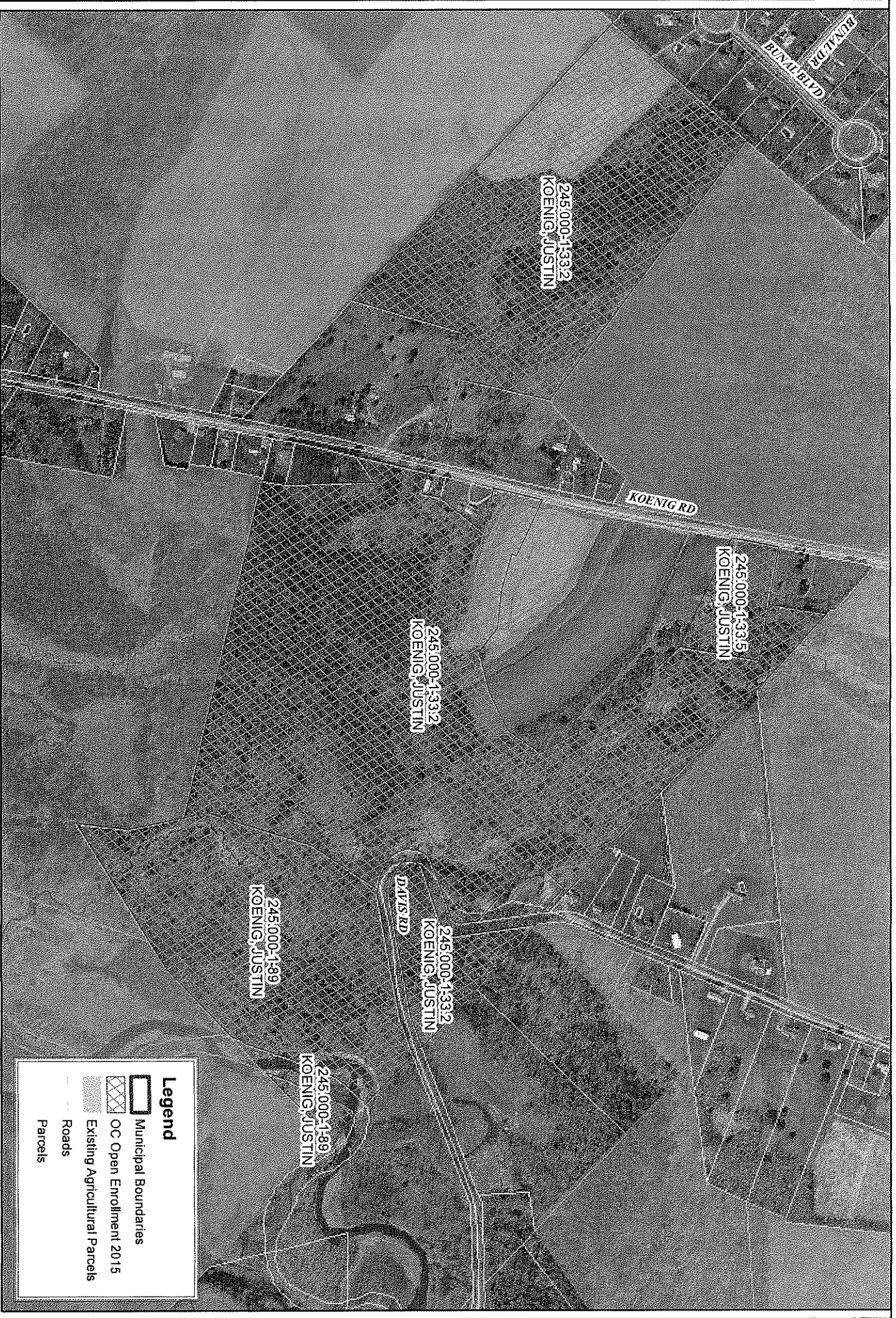
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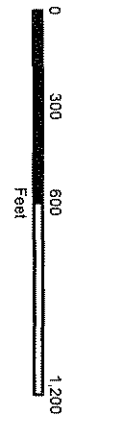
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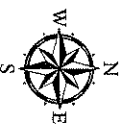
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KOENIG, JUSTIN  
 FLOYD  
 170.6 acres



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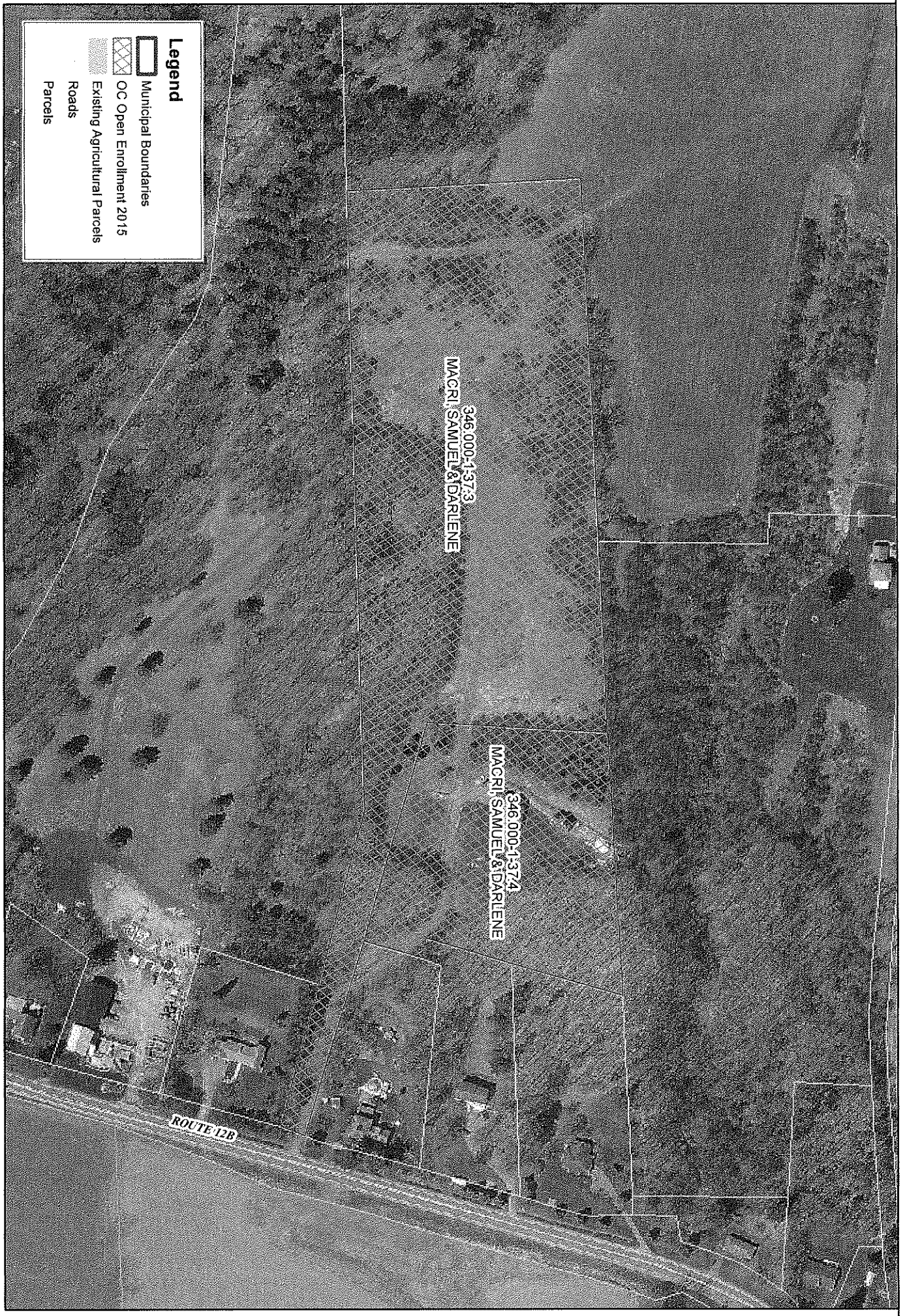


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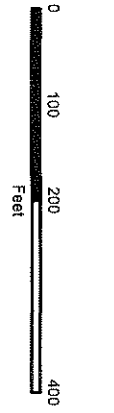




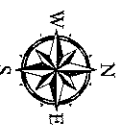
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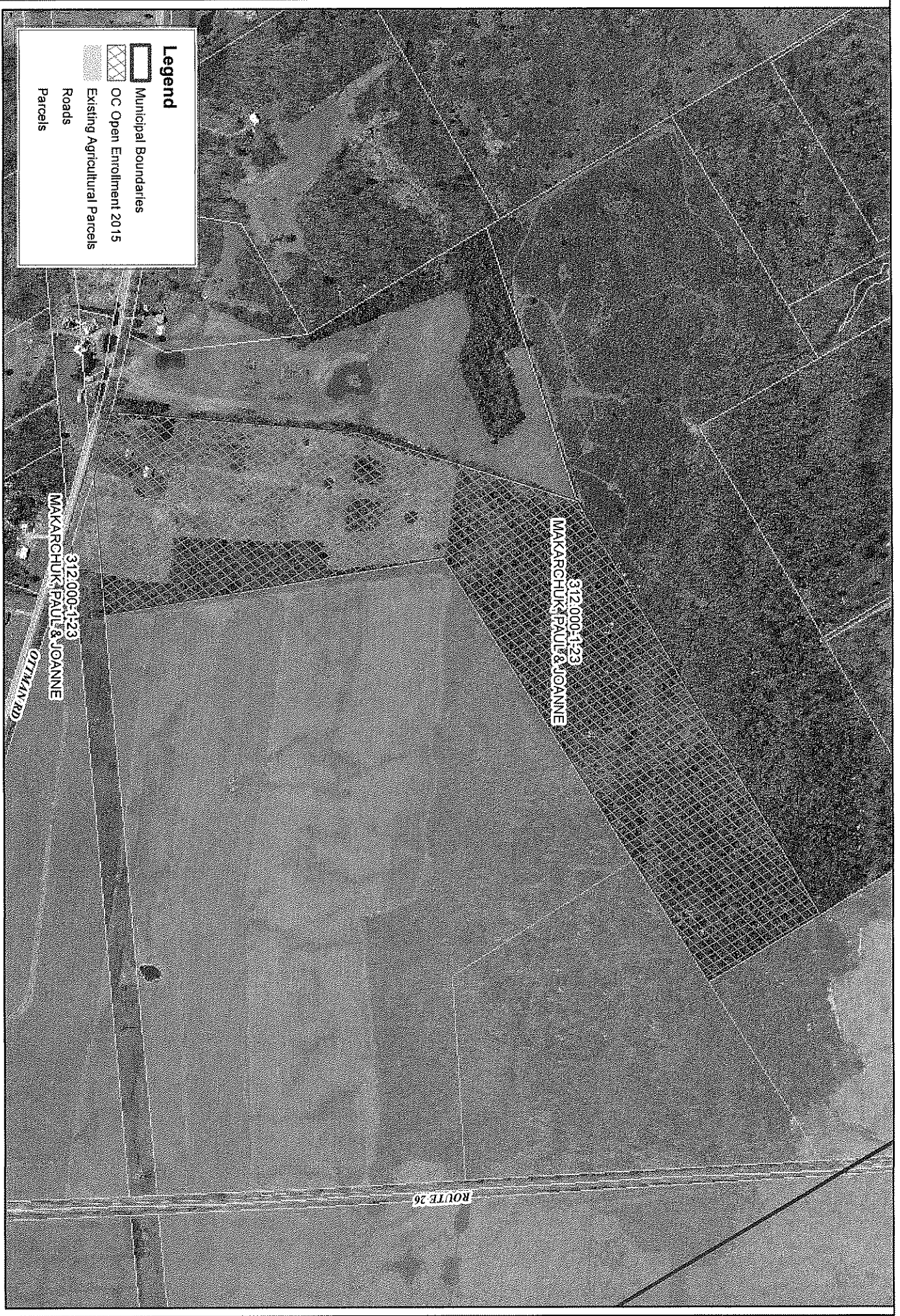
**MACRI, SAMUEL & DARLENE**  
**KIRKLAND**  
**11.6 acres**








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**Open Enrollment**  
 Oneida County  
 2015



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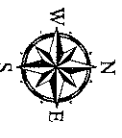
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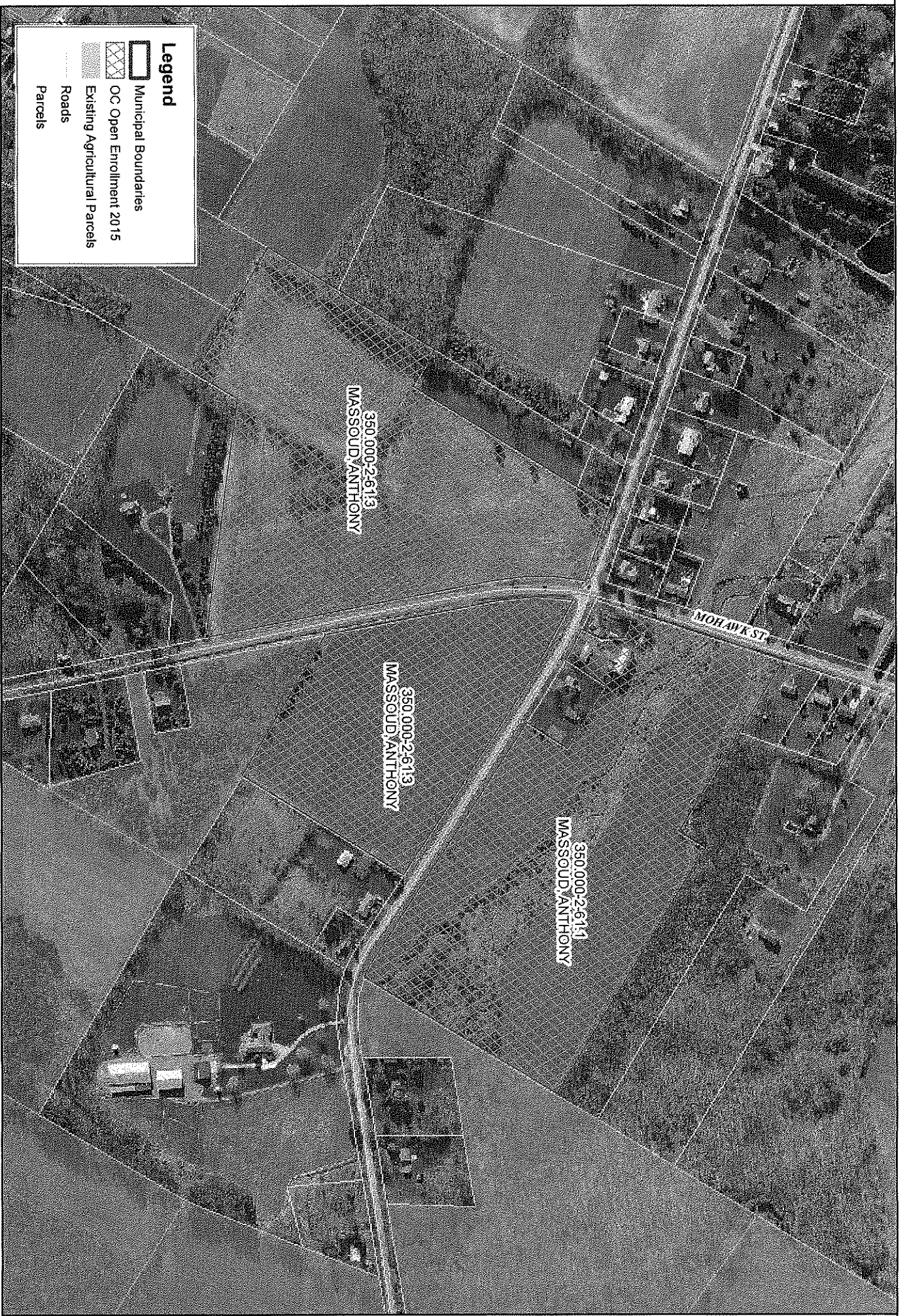
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**47.7 acres**







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 Oneida County  
 2015



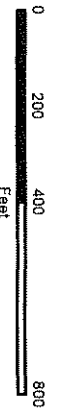
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**MASSOUD, ANTHONY**  
**NEW HARTFORD**  
**53.8 acres**








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**Oneida County**  
**2015**



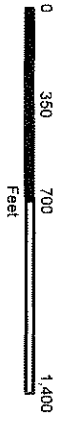
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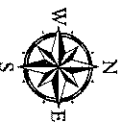
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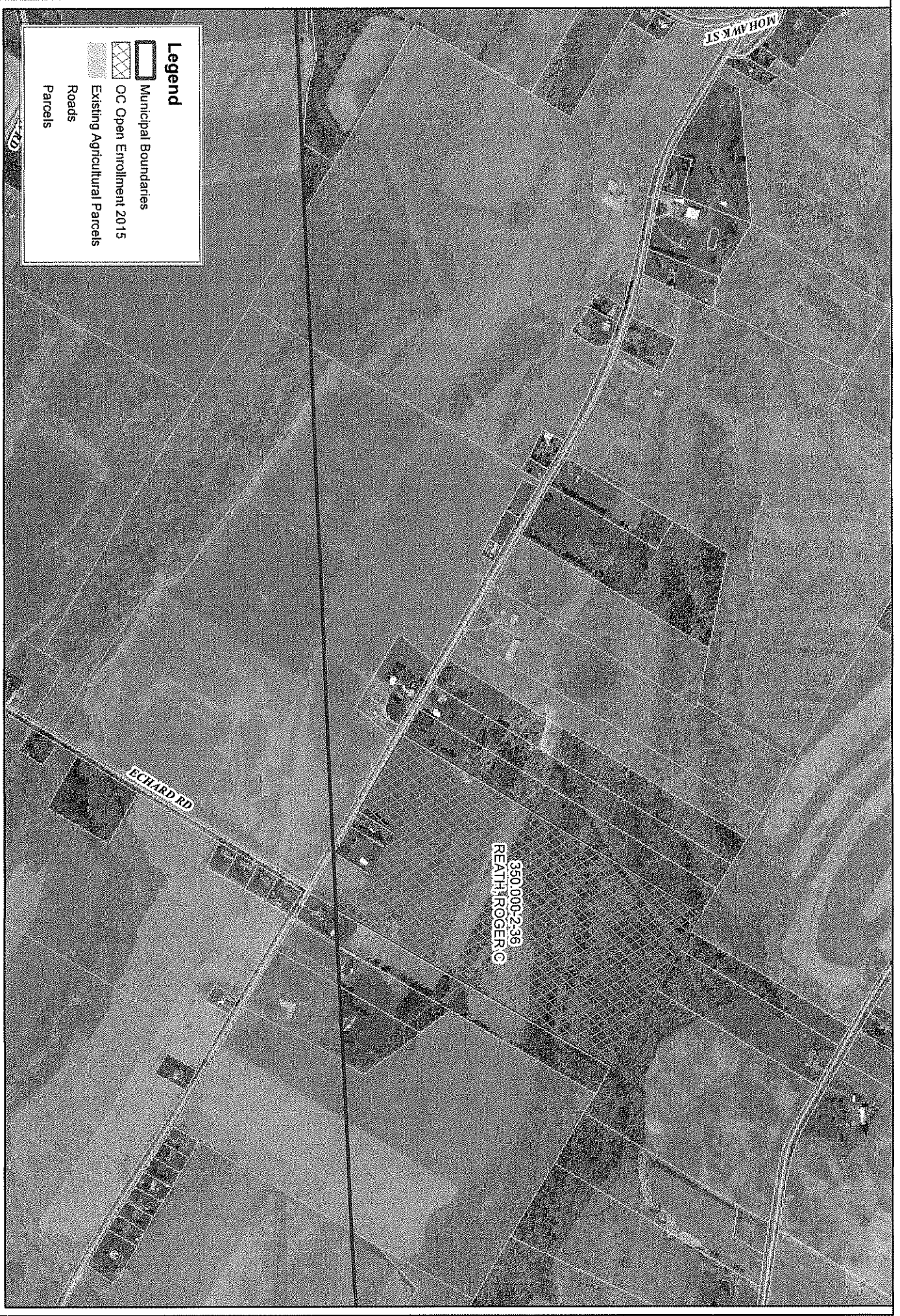
MOWER, DONALD A.  
 TRENTON  
 289.9 acres








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 Open Enrollment  
 Oneida County  
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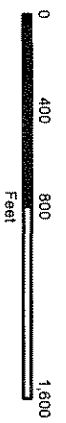
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**REATH, ROGER C**  
**NewHartford**  
**57.4 acres**



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RYAN, CRAIG & BARBARA  
 BARNEVELD  
 4.9 acres

1941054163  
 RYAN, CRAIG & BARBARA






MARPLE

VANDERKEMP AVE

MILL ST



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SCHWARTZ, MAHLON S.

371000-4-162  
SCHWARTZ, SAMUEL






HUTH SAVER RD

371000-4-122  
SCHWARTZ, ALVIN

371000-4-122  
SCHWARTZ, ALVIN

AUGUSTA SOLSVILLE RD

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**SCHWARTZ, ALVIN**  
Augusta  
130.6 acres








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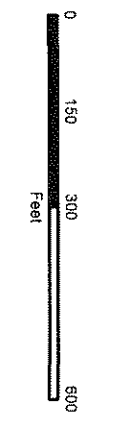
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**SCHWARTZ, DAVID**  
 Augusta  
 45.4 acres



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 BRENNEMAN, DAVID L.

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 BRENNEMAN, ALVIN

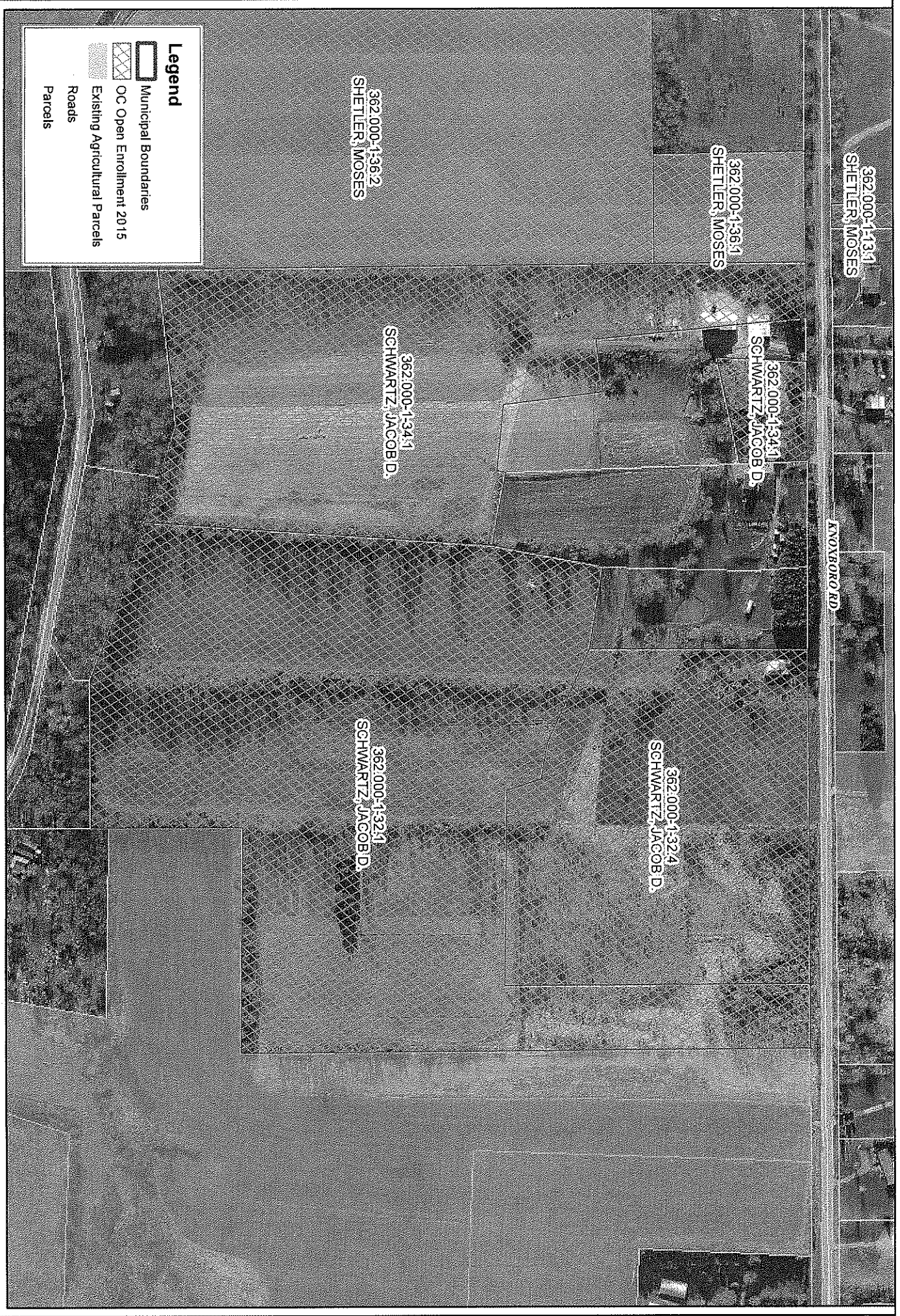
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 SCHWARTZ, DAVID






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AUGUSTA SOLSVILLE RD

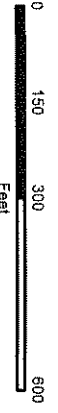




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**SCHWARTZ, JACOB D.**  
 Augusta  
 57.5 acres








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PERRY SHUMAKER RD

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SCHWARTZ, MAHLON S.

371,000-1-162  
SCHWARTZ, SAMUEL

SCHWARTZ, MAHLON S.

Augusta

92.2 acres








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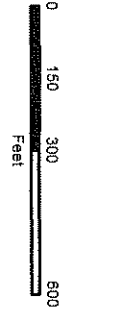
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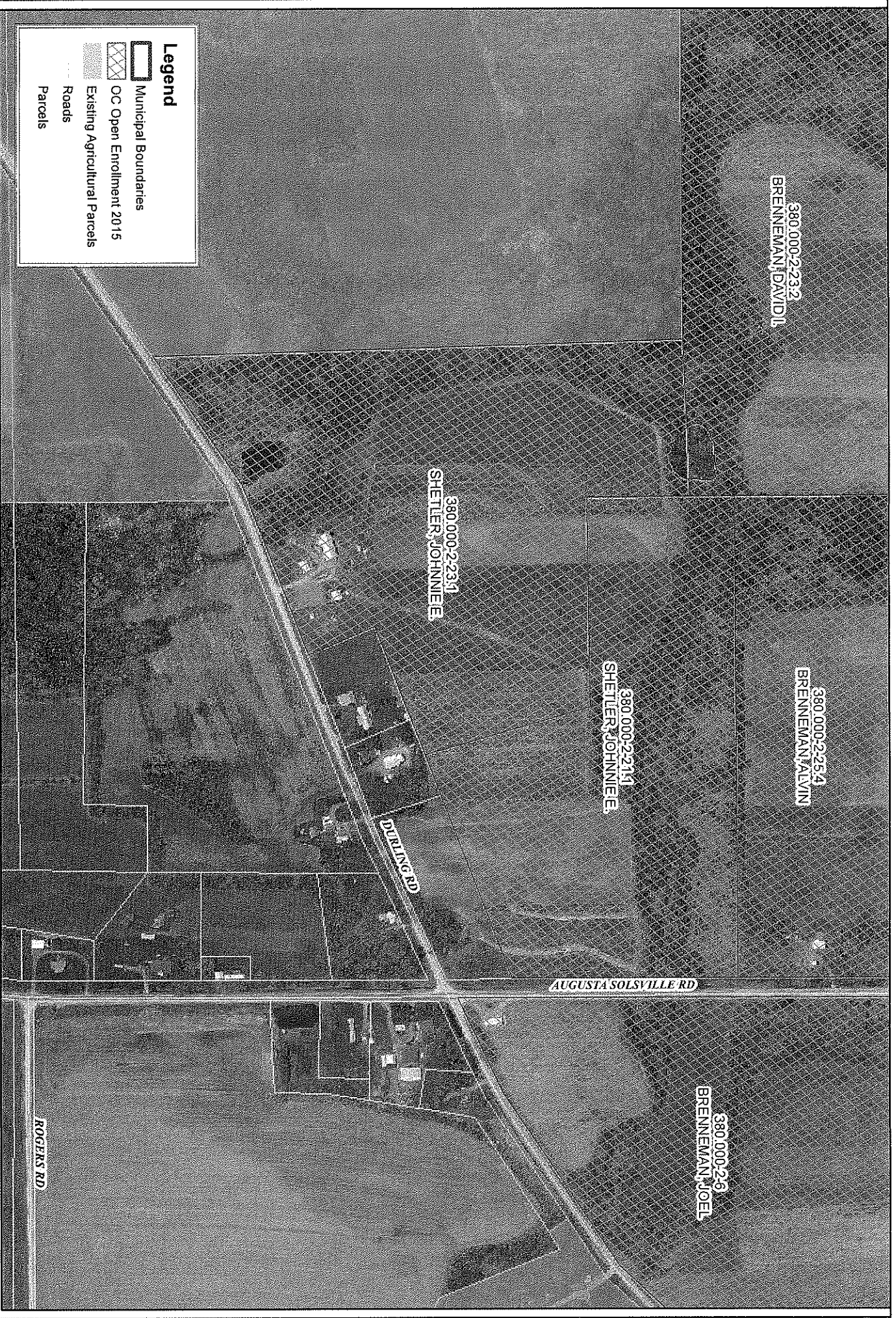
**SCHWARTZ, SAMUEL**  
 Augusta  
 57.8 acres



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380.000-2-234  
BRENNEMAN, ALVIN

380.000-2-3  
BRENNEMAN, JOEL

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SHETLER, JOHNNIE E.





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SHETLER, JOHNNIE E.

DUNBAR RD

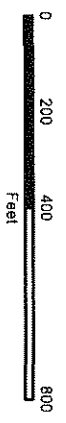
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ROGERS RD

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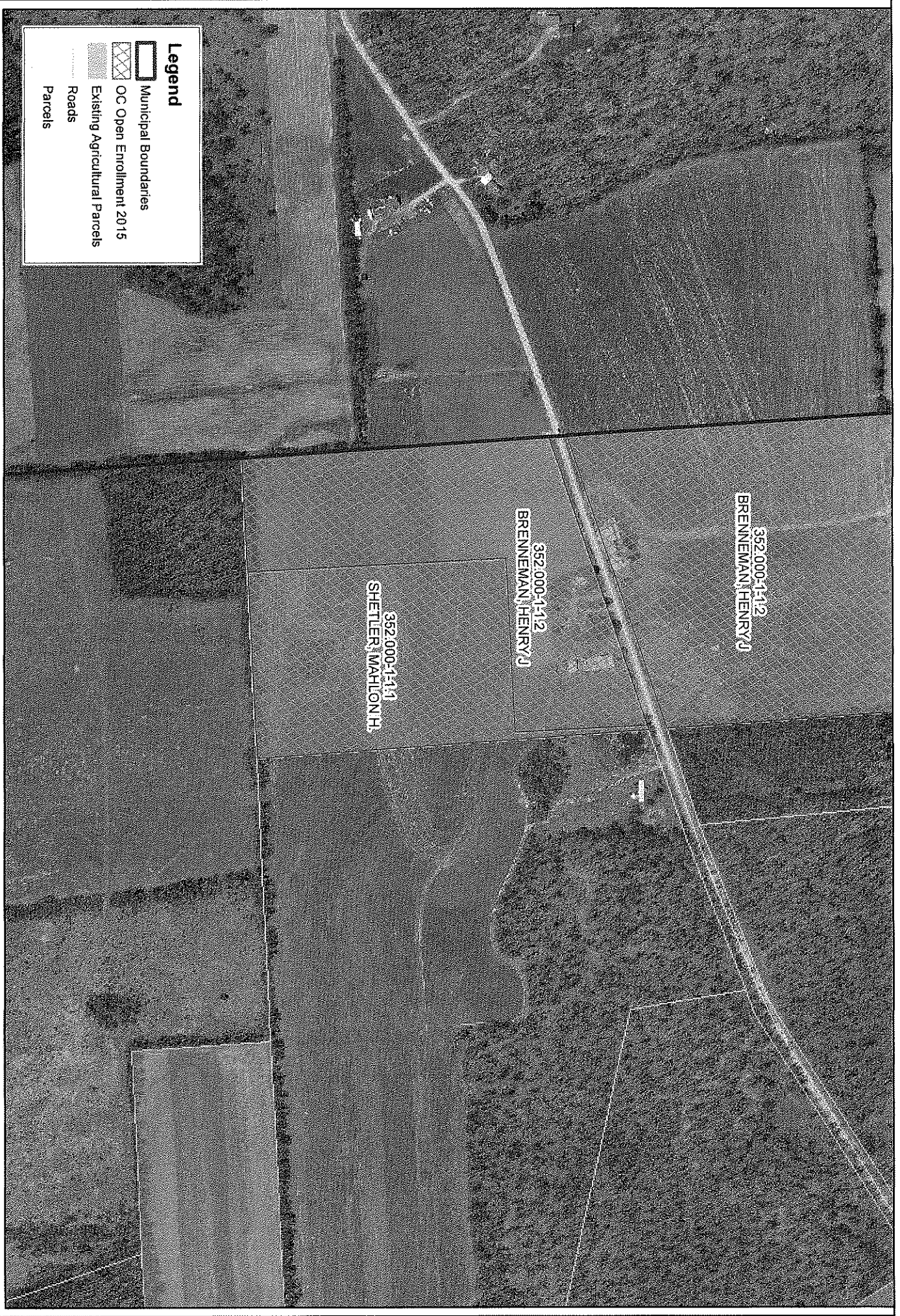
SHETLER, JOHNNIE E.  
Augusta  
55.7 acres








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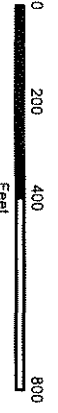
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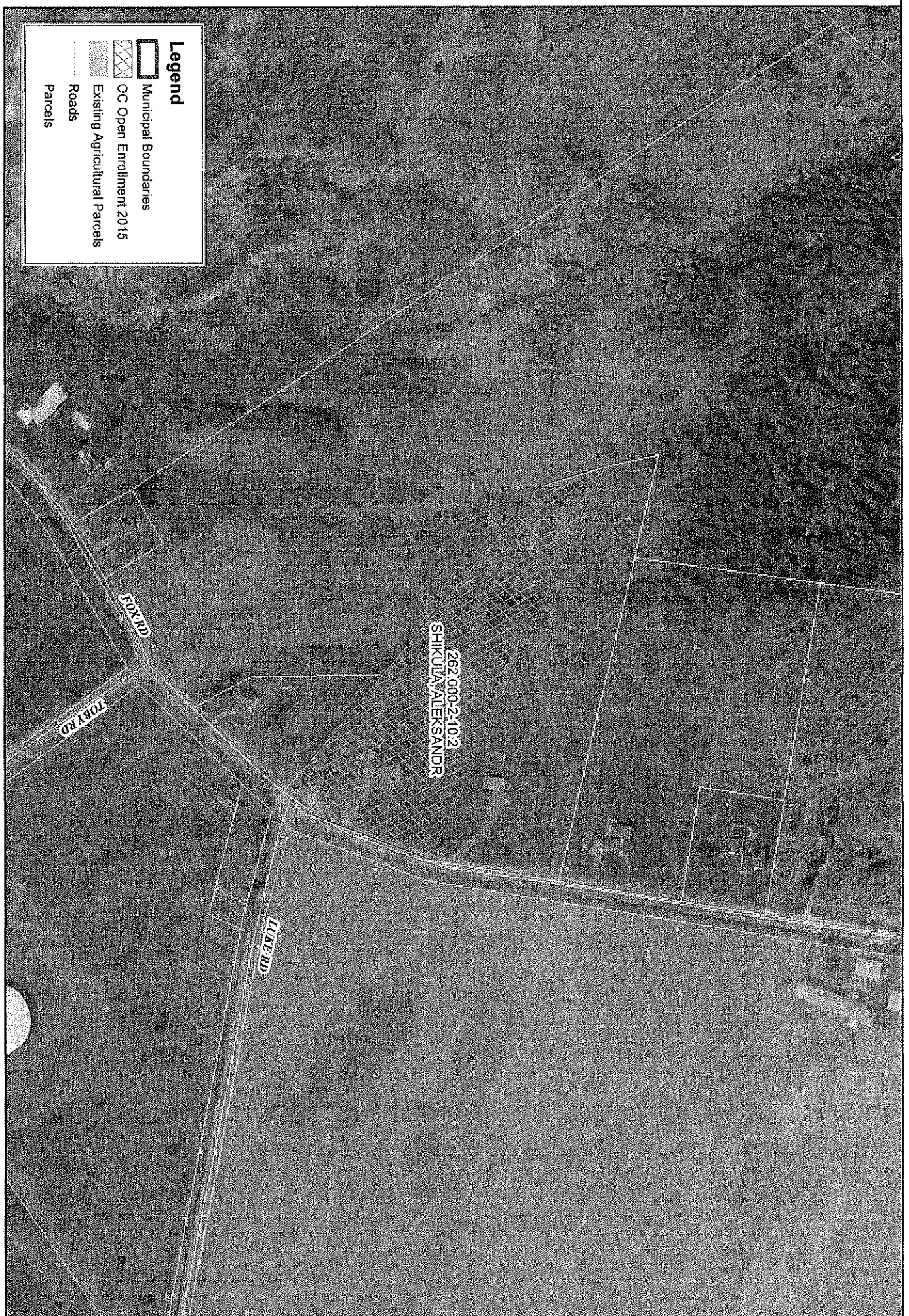
**SHETLER, MAHLON H.**  
 Augusta  
 11.5 acres








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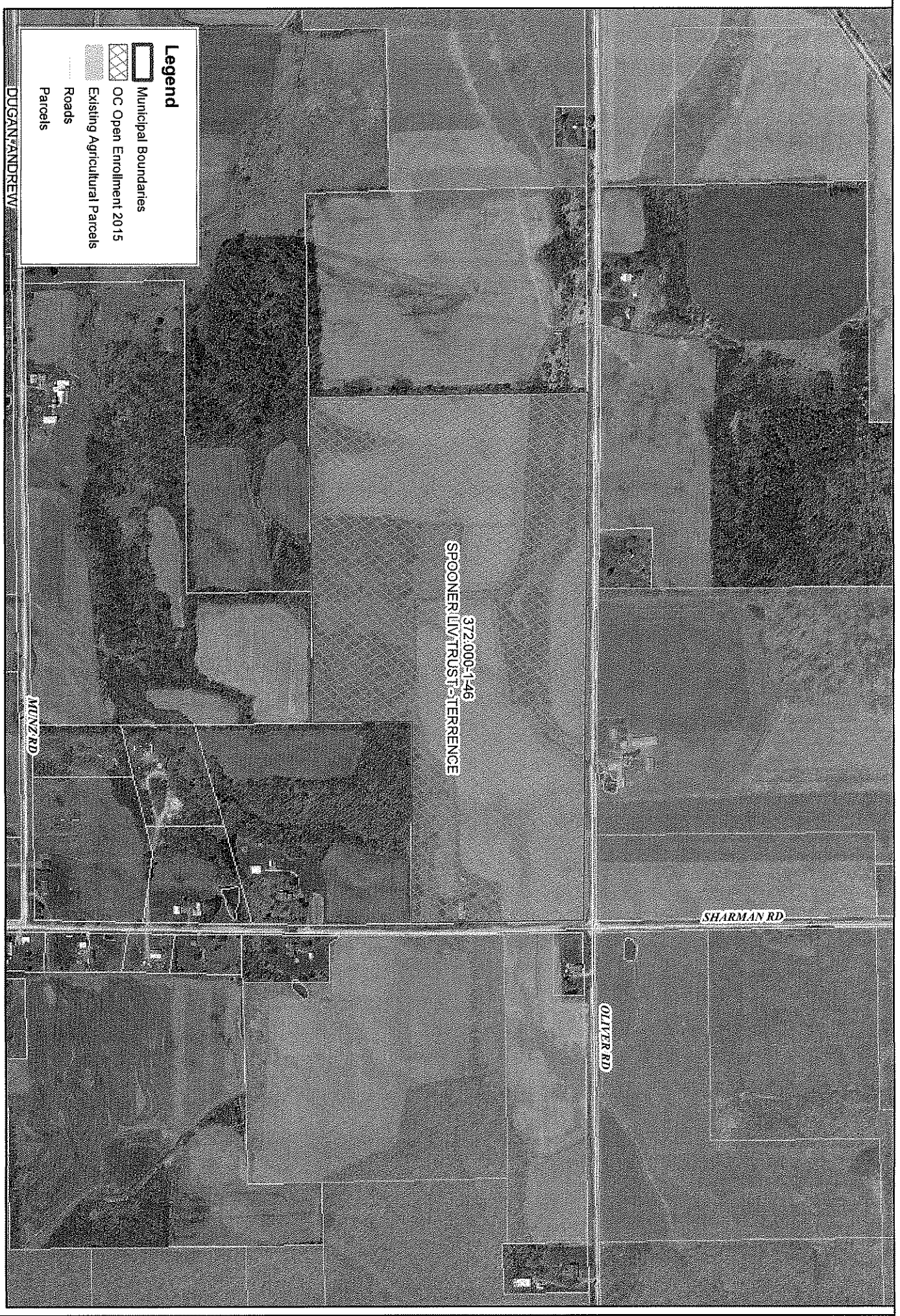
**SHIKULA, ALEKSANDR**  
 Marcy  
 5.5 acres








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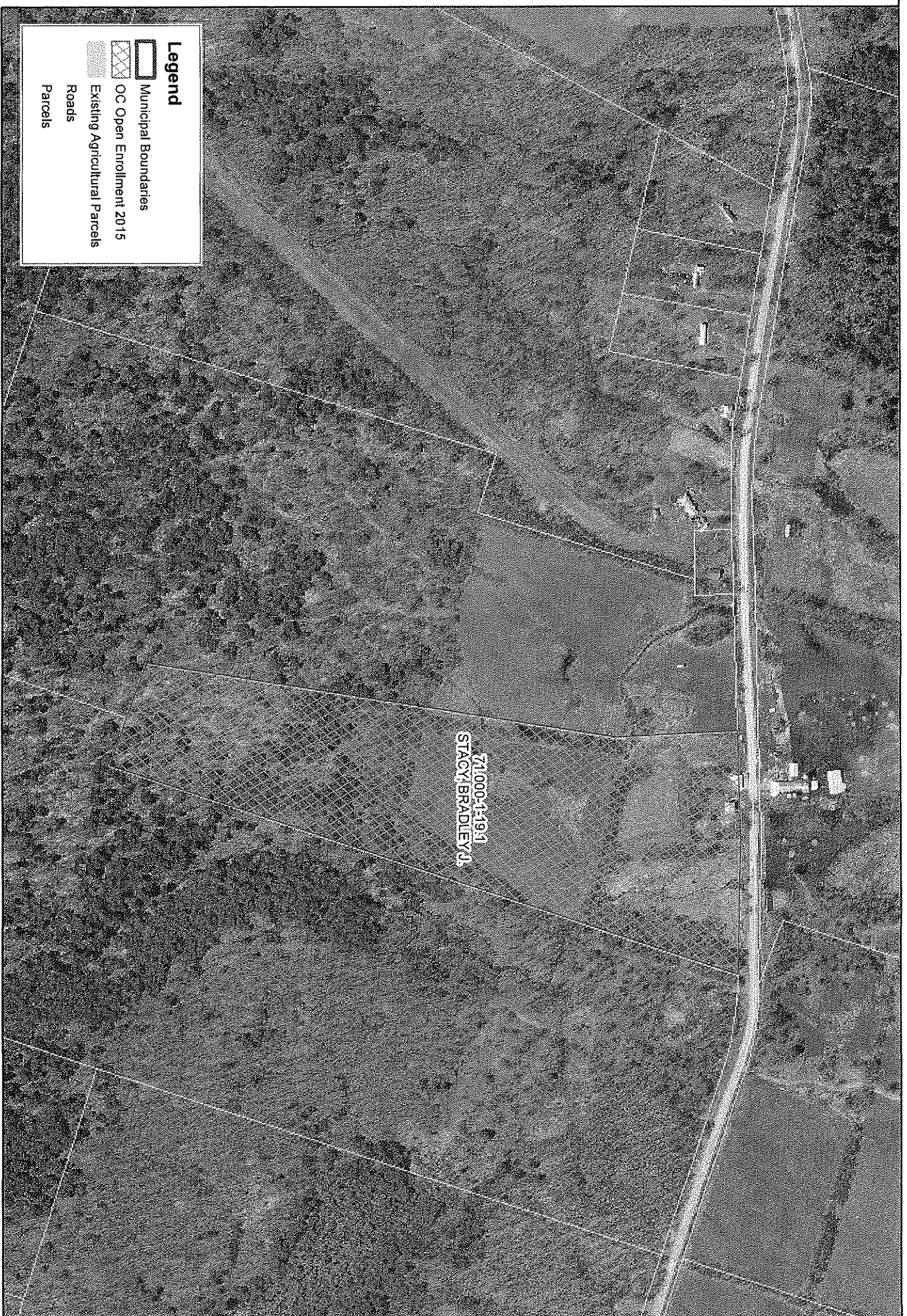
**SPOONER LIVING TRUST - TERENCE & CHRISTINE**  
**AUGUSTA**  
 66.4 acres








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**STACY, BRADLEY J.**  
 Florence  
 23.7 acres



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FN 20 15-156

April 1, 2015

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

**ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT  
& TOURISM**

**WAYS & MEANS**

Dear County Executive:

Please find enclosed the Cornell Cooperative Contract for 2015. This contract totals \$613,958 which was included in 2015 Oneida County Budget and was approved on November 12, 2014 by resolution # 315.

Also find enclosed the Cornell Cooperative 2015 Budget, Agreement BR (Cornell Agreement), and a copy the positions and salaries for 2015.

Since the total contact is more than the \$50,000 limit, I respectfully request you have your Board of Legislators approve this contract. I also request you have your Board act on this legislation at its next scheduled meeting of **April 8, 2015**, due to time constraints with Cornell University.

Sincerely,

Thomas B. Keeler  
Budget Director

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 4/6/15

Oneida Co. Department: Budget

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_  
Other X

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**Name of Proposing Organization:** Cornell Cooperative Extension of Oneida County  
2<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Oriskany, New York 13424

**Title of Activity or Service:** Multiple program services

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Oneida County residents

**Summary Statements**

**1) Narrative Description of Proposed Services:** Support and maintenance of the work of CCE of Oneida County and the conduct of the extended educational programs of the New York State College of Agriculture and Life Sciences, the College of Human Ecology, and other units at Cornell University.

**2) Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:** Determined by program

**3) Program Design and Staffing:** Determined by program.

**Total Funding Requested:** \$613,958.20                      **Account #** A8752

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** \$615,958.20

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):** County

**Cost Per Client Served:** N/A

**Past Performance Data:** The programs provided through this partnership have been provided successfully for many years in Oneida County and provide many lasting benefits to the residents of the County.

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** Funding for this program was approved in the 2015 Budget resolutions passed by the Board on November 12, 2014; Resolution #2014-315.

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

Between the County of Oneida  
and the  
Cornell Cooperative Extension Association of Oneida County  
concerning

PAYMENT OF COUNTY APPROPRIATIONS

Dated January 1, 2015

**WHEREAS,** (1) the Cornell Cooperative Extension Association of Oneida County has been duly organized and has been approved by Cornell University;

(2) the purpose of this agreement is to carry out in a legal and proper manner the provisions of Subdivision 8 of Section 224 of the County Law of the State of New York as amended, and to provide for the expenditure of the money appropriated by the County of Oneida Oneida County for the support and maintenance of the work of the Cooperative Extension in said county and in the conduct of the extended educational programs of the New York State College of Agriculture and Life Sciences, the College of Human Ecology, and other units at Cornell University.

(3) the County of Oneida has appropriated \$ 613,958.20 for the Cooperative Extension program.

**NOW THEREFORE,** it is agreed by the parties hereto:

**FIRST,** that the Cornell Cooperative Extension Association shall expend the funds in accordance with an agreement between the Association and Cornell University as agent for the state for the cooperative management of the educational work of the Cornell Cooperative Extension Association and the proper employment and supervision of the staff employed therefore, and in accordance with the attached budget of the Association submitted to Cornell University and to the County Executive of that county. The budget may be amended by formal action of the Association Board of Directors in consultation with the representative(s) of the County of Oneida and with Cornell University.

**SECOND**, that the Cornell Cooperative Extension Association shall render an annual program report to the County Executive of said county accounting for receipts, expenditures, and financial condition of said Association.

**THIRD**, that funds appropriated by the County of Oneida shall be paid to the bonded treasurer of the Association in such manner as may be agreed upon by and between the parties hereto.

It is understood that the aforementioned budget shall be considered to be executory only insofar as funds shall be made available therefore by the Legislature of the State of New York, the Federal Government, and the County.

In accordance with the provisions of Subdivision 8 of Section 224 of the County Law of the State of New York as amended, this agreement shall be nonexecutory until the Association has effectuated an agreement with Cornell University.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF** the parties hereto have caused this agreement to be duly signed and executed by the County Executive of the Oneida County and by the President of the Cornell Cooperative Extension Association of Oneida County, the day and year first above written.

The County of Oneida By \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_

The Cornell Cooperative Extension Association of Oneida County  
By Deborah J. Finn, President  
Date 2/3/15

**AGREEMENT BR (Cornell Agreement)**

**MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT**

Between Cornell University and the  
Cornell Cooperative Extension Association of Oneida  
For the year 2015

**THIS AGREEMENT** is between Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, an educational Corporation of the State of New York, ("Cornell") and the Cornell Cooperative Extension Association of Oneida, New York, ("Association") for the calendar year 2015. The Cornell Cooperative Extension Association of Oneida is a subordinate governmental agency and not a part of Cornell University.

**WHEREAS**, The State of New York, pursuant to County Law Section 224 has created a means by which, in cooperation with Cornell University, the educational programs of the New York State College of Agriculture and Life Sciences and the New York State College of Human Ecology and subjects relating thereto, may be extended to the people of the State of New York;

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Subdivision 8 of Section 224 of the County Law of the State of New York, Cornell has been designated agent of the State of New York for the cooperative management of Cooperative Extension work of the Association, including the support of the professional staff employed, and the certification of the expenditure of state monies provided within each county of the state to bring educational programs of its colleges thereto to the people of the state therefore;

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to and by virtue of Subdivision 8 of Section 224, the Association has qualified, and, therefore, exists, as the subordinate governmental agency to serve Oneida in the aforesaid programs and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Sections 341-348 of Title 7 U.S.C. and a Memorandum of Understanding between Cornell and the United States Department of Agriculture, Cornell has been authorized as agent for the United States to receive and supervise the expenditure of monies of the United States in the organization and conduct of Cooperative Extension work in the State of New York.

**NOW THEREFORE**, in view of the above-identified authorization, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. Cornell agrees to:

- a. provide general oversight of program and operation consistent with Subdivision 8 of Section 224 of the County Law of New York State as amended, and pursuant to said agreement with the United States Department of Agriculture;
- b. provide consultation in the planning, development, and conduct of the Cooperative Extension programming in the county;
- c. provide information, and advice concerning organizational and business management;
- d. provide or facilitate the administration of payroll, workers' compensation, and unemployment insurance, as required;
- e. establish standards for the professional staff employed by the Association, including criteria for civil rights compliance, hiring, and performance assessment by the Association of all staff;
- f. provide or facilitate system support and educational tools to the Association for recruitment and selection of staff employed by the Association;
- g. provide in-service training opportunities and staff development support for staff employed in regional positions;
- h. provide leadership for the development and approval of an Association plan of work;
- i. provide the regional leadership with policies and procedures related to accounting/financial, Human Resources, and Information Technology activities and provide in-service training opportunities related thereto for Executive Directors, finance staff, human resources staff, IT staff, managers and supervisors;
- j. periodically conduct compliance reviews of the Association's governance practices, program alignment, business systems and operating practices, and human resources practices, and render a written report on their status, including recommendations necessary to continue the Association's qualification as an Association;
- k. provide state and federal funds, as available, as follows and as stated in Attachment A of this agreement:
  - State (County Law 224)
  - Smith-Lever (3b and 3c)
  - Smith-Lever (3d)
  - EFNEP
  - EFNEP (Regional)
- l. provide federal or college funds for special projects/programs mutually negotiated between Cornell and partnering Associations.
- m. provide support to the Association for specific programs for which payments are provided in 2(u);
- n. employ staff at Cornell to provide necessary expertise to support specific programs contracted for by Cornell and for which the Association is providing payment under 2(t).
- o. Ensure the Association use of Cornell's seal and logo, and other programmatic logos such as 4-H, within established guidelines, so long as the Association remains a qualified Association.
- p. Provide support to Shared Business Networks (SBN) through participation in

the Administrative Management Groups (AMG).

- i. SBN Lead Staff support for developing projects in HR, Finance and IT
- ii. Leadership for Lead SBN staff
- iii. Funding collaboration as long as funds are available
- iv. Setting standards for SBN performance

2. The Association agrees to:

- a. maintain its qualification as an Association, as determined by Cornell in its capacity as Agent for the State of New York under Subdivision 8 of Section 224 of the County Law of New York State as amended, and pursuant to Cornell's agreement with the United States Department of Agriculture;
- b. develop and implement a plan of work approved by Cornell that meets accountability needs consistent with local, state, and federal guidelines, regulations, and laws;
- c. submit annually an approved budget for the current fiscal year by **March 31**;
- d. hire, employ, and supervise Extension Educator staff selected from candidates who meet the hiring criteria set forth by Cornell. In order for Cornell to fulfill its obligations under County Law 224 (8e), all position descriptions should be reviewed at Cornell or by designated Shared Business Network HR staff. The parties agree that such employees are and will remain employees of the Association and subject to the exclusive supervision and control of the Association;
- e. implement the classification plan set forth by Cornell and a compensation plan for all Association employees, meeting minimum established requirements for Resource Educator through Executive Director's titles;
- f. adopt, implement and abide by appropriate personnel policies in accordance with Cornell guidelines for all Association employees;
- g. implement and abide by the same requirements as set forth in University Policy 5.10 Information Security  
[http://www.it.cornell.edu/services/guides/data\\_discovery/policy\\_details.cfm](http://www.it.cornell.edu/services/guides/data_discovery/policy_details.cfm)
- h. Financially participate in mutually agreed upon cost-share arrangement for connections to operational business systems in the areas of Finance, HR and IT (i.e., Shared Business Network); whereas the Executive Director or a board appointed designee represents the Association on the Administrative Management Group; works collaboratively with SBN staff to develop and implement standard operating procedures in functional business operations.
- i. at a minimum, complete an annual performance review for each staff member as well as an in-depth performance review at least once every four years for Exempt Educator employees. Develop and implement ongoing performance development processes for all staff;
- j. provide bonds for officers and employees of the Association, expense of bonds to be borne by the Association;
- k. maintain adequate third party liability insurance covering the Association's potential liability for bodily injury and property damage resulting from the performance of its functions and maintain a current certificate of insurance. The Association shall be named as an insured in each of said policies;
- l. submit program and administrative reports as requested;
- m. comply with applicable local, state and federal civil rights laws and regulations and applicable affirmative action laws, Equal Employment Opportunity and Equal Program Opportunity laws, and all related policies;
- n. adhere to financial management policies as issued in the Financial Operations

Resource Manual (F.O.R.M.) or issued in special memorandums by Cornell, including invoicing monthly

- o. by **May 15th** of each year prepare and submit the Federal IRS form 990T and the New York State form CT13 to the appropriate agencies;
- p. submit requested financial information for each ending fiscal year to Cornell by **March 31st** of the following year (or more often if requested), and make necessary documents available for audits;
- q. by **January 31st** of each year prepare IRS Form 1099 in accordance with F.O.R.M. Code 1207;
- r. collect sales tax in compliance with New York State's laws and regulations. Remit taxes to New York State in a timely manner and maintain detailed records to support sales tax returns;
- s. comply with the New York State escheat laws in existence;
- t. provide to Cornell payments for:

Association Services	2% of 2014 County Appropriations and Agreements to be determined
ACCPAC Support Services	(based on annual snapshot of users in May)
Unemployment Insurance Premium	as determined by insurer
Worker's Compensation	as determined by insurer
4-H Accident & General Liability	as determined by insurer

- u. provide to Cornell payments for programs included in the following agreements per budgets mutually negotiated between Cornell and partnering Associations:

- Lake Erie Regional Grape Program (LERGP)
- Central New York Dairy and Field Crops Program (CNYDFC)
- Cornell Vegetable Program (CVP)
- Lake Ontario Fruit Program (LOF)
- Finger Lakes Area Grape Program (FLGP)
- South Central Southern Tier Dairy and Field Crops Program (SCDFC)
- Harvest NY (HARVNY)
- Northwest NY Dairy Livestock and Field Crops (NWNIDLFC)
- Eastern New York Commercial Horticulture Program (ENYCHP)

- v. submit invoices monthly for operating expenses for programs included under 1(k) , 1(l) and 2(u) as stated in Attachment A of this agreement
3. Cornell and the Association each acknowledge the importance of abiding by the spirit and intent of all applicable Federal and State legislation including, but not limited to, laws pertaining to equal opportunity in employment and program and Fair Labor Standards Act regulations. Each agrees:
- a. To cooperate in seeking diversity through its mission and vision, staff, audiences, groups and organizations.
  - b. To cooperate in the development of program (including evaluation and



reporting systems) and in the development and implementation of Association personnel practices and administrative processes.

- c. The Board President and identified Cornell Cooperative Extension Administration representative shall conduct annual and, at least every four years, in-depth reviews of the Executive Director's performance to ensure quality program and organizational performance of the Association, and to assess qualification for conferral of the Executive Director title by the Director of Cornell Cooperative Extension at Cornell.
  - d. The Association Executive Director serves at the pleasure of the Association. The use of the title of Association Executive Director shall be permitted subject to criteria established by Cornell.
  - e. Under the umbrella of this Memorandum of Agreement, to negotiate and execute additional agreements that enable multi-Association and regional programming and/or business operations, and, for each such agreement, to expend funds according to a mutually negotiated annual budget. Assure that only the Treasurer and President of the CCE Association are authorized to bind the Association resources or enter into binding agreements for the Association.
  - f. Under the umbrella of this Memorandum of Agreement, should the Association wish to enter into other grants, contracts, or agreements to accomplish its mission or programs, then all such grants, contracts, or agreements should be reviewed through a process established by Cornell prior to execution by the board president of the Association.
4. Under Subdivision 8 of Section 224, the relationship between the parties generally set forth herein is continuous until either party to the agreement shall notify the other party in writing at least six months in advance preceding any action to annul this agreement.
- a. Inasmuch as this agreement contains provisions relating to program and financial considerations covering the calendar year 2015, it is understood that its detailed provisions will be negotiated each year.
  - b. Moreover, this agreement shall be executory to the extent that funds are made available by the County, the State of New York, and the Federal Government.
  - c. This agreement may be modified or amended at any time upon mutual written agreement of the parties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this agreement to be duly signed and executed by the President of the Cornell Cooperative Extension Association and by the Director of Cornell Cooperative Extension at Cornell University. This agreement is contingent upon receipt of a fully executed agreement AR or equivalent with county government(s) by March 31, 2015.

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(Print name of Board President)

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Board President Signature  
Cornell Cooperative Extension  
Association of Oneida

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Date

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For Cornell University  
Director of Cornell Cooperative Extension  
at Cornell University

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Date

<b>CCE of Oneida County 2015 Budget</b>	<b>2015</b>
<b>Revenue:</b>	
Smith-Lever	12,000.00
224 Funding	69,796.00
Federal Contracts	2,469,710.00
State Funds	34,300.00
County Contracts	95,035.00
Other Grants & Contracts	338,350.25
Enrollment Fees	4,300.00
Program Registration Fees	8,200.00
Fund Raising	12,200.00
Special Events	7,500.00
Contributions	13,860.00
Advertising Fees	4,200.00
Enterprise Sales	3,240.00
Interest/Dividends	2,160.00
NYS Payroll Taxes and Fringe Benefits	1,075,782.55
County Appropriation	521,906.20
Donated Use of Facilities	92,052.00
Transfer from Designated	27,576.00
Transfers from Plant	13,000.00
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>4,805,168.00</b>
<b>Expense:</b>	
<b>Total Payroll</b>	<b>2,011,560.50</b>
<b>OTPS Expenses:</b>	
Payroll Taxes/Fringe Benefits	1,075,782.55
Unemployment Insurance	17,355.50
Workers Compensation	20,868.85
Disability Insurance	4,412.00
Staff Development - Registrations (Board Development)	21,650.00
Staff Development - Travel/Mileage	9,487.00
Staff Development - Meals/Lodging	16,049.00
Accounting & Auditing Fees	15,640.00
Advertising Fees	250.00
Publicity	220,100.00
Awards & Prizes	1,740.00
Association Services	11,678.00
Bank Fees	700.00
Contracted Services	405,096.00
Regional Support - SBN	13,018.00
Legal Fees	5,000.00
Travel, Mileage & Tolls	122,596.96

Travel, Mileage & Tolls - Admin.	1,500.00
Meetings, Food and Beverages	14,325.00
Meeting, Other Expenses	1,625.00
Fund Raising Expenses	7,200.00
Postage and Express Delivery	24,995.00
Printing, Copying and Binding	24,300.00
Purchase of Small Equipment	22,600.00
Regional Program Support	750.00
Rental Equipment	6,936.00
Repairs & Maintenance & Building	14,686.70
Enterprise - Cost	3,240.00
Supplies - Teaching	17,736.00
Supplies - Teaching - Pass Thru	450,000.00
Supplies - Teaching - LE Compliance	4,175.00
Supplies - Teaching - LE Intensive	3,250.00
Supplies - Teaching - ITA Regulated	3,350.00
Supplies - Teaching - ITA Prospective	350.00
Supplies - Nutritional	13,800.00
Supplies, Office	24,481.00
Special Event Costs	7,000.00
Telecommunications	48,099.44
Trips & Tours	7,715.00
Insurance: General Liability	16,242.50
Subscriptions & Memberships	8,175.00
Licenses & Fees	600.00
Miscellaneous	0.00
Rental Facilities	92,052.00
Depreciation	13,000.00
<b>Total OTPS Expenses</b>	<b>2,793,607.50</b>
<b>Total Payroll &amp; OTPS Expenses</b>	<b>4,805,168.00</b>



**ADDENDUM**

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this 1 day of January 2015, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as COUNTY, and a contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as CONTRACTOR.

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CONTRACTOR have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which COUNTY is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

**1. Executor or Non-Appropriation Clause.**

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

**2. Oneida County Board of Legislators: Resolution #249 Solid Waste Disposal Requirements.**

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislator Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

**3. Certification Regarding Lobbying; Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters; and Drug-Free Workplace Requirements.**

- a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:
1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, and officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any Federal Grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal grant or cooperative agreement.
  2. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
  3. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,
1. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
    - a. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
    - b. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract 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 contracts 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 indicated or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government 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 Contract had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) for cause or default; and
  2. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.

- c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
1. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:
    - a. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
    - b. Establishing an on-going drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:
      1. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
      2. The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
      3. Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
      4. The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;
    - c. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a);
    - d. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:
      1. Abide by the terms of the statement; and
      2. Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;
    - e. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (d)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position title, to: Director Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.
    - f. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted;
      1. Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the Requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
      2. Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;
    - g. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (a),(b),(c),(d),(e),(f).



2. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.

Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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- d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F. for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

1. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and
2. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to: Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

4. **Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).**

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

- a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:
  1. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
  2. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
  3. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to filing cabinets, and locks on drawers, cabinets, and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.
- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:
  1. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
  2. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.
- c. The Contractor shall:
  1. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
  2. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
  3. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
  4. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
  5. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.524;

6. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
  7. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
  8. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
  9. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County that the Contractor still maintains in any form and retain no copies of such information or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.
- d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:
1. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
  2. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  3. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

**5. Non-Assignment Clause.**

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and attempts to do so are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

**6. Worker's Compensation Benefits.**

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

**7. Non-Discrimination Requirements.**

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

**8. Wage and Hours Provisions.**

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

**9. Non-Collusive Bidding Certification.**

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor affirms, under penalty of perjury, that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

**10. Records.**

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails and attachments, rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute") provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

**11. Identifying Information and Privacy Notification.**

a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. The number is any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payees, on its invoice or claim for payment, must give the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.

b. Privacy Notification. (1) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (2) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

**12. Conflicting Terms.**

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

**13. Governing Law.**

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal supremacy clause requires otherwise.

**14. Prohibition on Purchase of Tropical Hardwoods.**

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the County.

**15. Compliance with New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act.**

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

**16. Gratuities and Kickbacks.**

a. Gratuities. It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request, influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard, rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application, request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

**17. Audit**

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a Federal financial assistance program from a Federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

**18. Certification of compliance with the Iran Divestment Act.**

Pursuant Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each Bidder/Contractor, any person signing on behalf of any Bidder/Contractor and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (OGS) website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each Bidder/Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the Bidder/Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any Bidder/Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a Bidder/Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he/she/it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be



appropriate including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the Bidder/Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a Bidder/Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any Bidder/Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

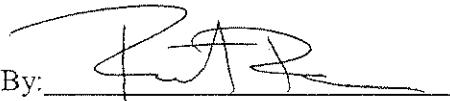
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have signed this document on the day and year first above written.

**County of Oneida**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Oneida County Executive

**Contractor**

By:  \_\_\_\_\_

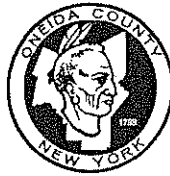
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Approved as to Form only

Nichole M. Himmer

Oneida County Attorney

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive



David Tomidy  
Director



## Oneida County Probation Department

321 Main Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Utica, New York 13501

Utica ~ Phone: (315) 798-5914 Fax: (315) 624-3684  
Rome ~ Juvenile: (315) 337-0080 Adult: (315) 337-0073  
E-mail: [probation@ocgov.net](mailto:probation@ocgov.net) · Web Site: [www.ocgov.net](http://www.ocgov.net)

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Patrick Cady

Supervisors  
Thomas Brognano  
Mark Joseph  
Holly Matthews  
Paula Mrzlikar

March 9, 2015

### WAYS & MEANS

Mr. Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
Oneida County Office Building  
800 Park Avenue – 10th Floor  
Utica, New York 13501

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 4/6/15

Re: Regional Youth Justice Team Grant

Dear Mr. Picente:

As you are aware Oneida County chairs the 6 county Regional Youth Justice Team. RYJT applied for and was granted a \$100,000 allotment. Oneida County will act as the lead agency and these funds will run through us. The grant is for an Assessment of Juvenile Delinquency Procedures in each county and a Needs Assessment. It will also pay for targeted training like Family Engagement, Needs of Rural Youth, Cultural Competency, and Trauma.

This project is timely and consistent with our plans for Arrest Diversion and to help prepare us for "Raise the Age". If you approve please forward this contract to the Board for their consideration. We only received the actual contract recently so your assistance in forwarding this along for the April Board date (if possible) would be most helpful and appreciated.

Very truly yours,

DAVID TOMIDY  
PROBATION DIRECTOR

DT:kas  
Enclosures

Oneida Co. Department: Central Services

Competing Proposal – No  
Only Respondent – Yes  
Sole Source RFP – No

### **Oneida County Board of Legislators**

**Name of Proposing Organization:** Oneida County Probation Department, Union Station, 321 Main Street, Utica, New York 13501

**Title of Activity or Service:** Regional Youth Justice Team Grant

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** November 1, 2014 to April 30, 2016

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Juvenile Delinquents in the counties of Oneida, Herkimer, Otsego, Fulton, Montgomery, and Schoharie.

#### **Summary Statements:**

- 1. Narrative Description of Proposed Services:** We will hire a consulting agency to comprehensively evaluate Juvenile Delinquency Procedures and conduct a needs assessment. We will also provide targeted training in each county on issues of Family Engagement, Needs of Rural Youth, Cultural Competency, and Trauma.
- 2. Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:** Our plan is for these findings to be a part of Juvenile Delinquency summits to be held in each county to refine procedures and prepare for the “Raise the Age” changes on the horizon.
- 3. Program Design and Staffing:** We will sub-contract with Kids Oneida, Refugee Center, and Social Science Consulting for these services.

**Total Funding Requested:** \$100,000.00

**Account #:** A4325.1

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** We recommend approval of Oneida County to act as the Pass Through county for these funds.

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/State \$/County \$):** State Funds as a Pass-through from OJJDP (Federal)

**Cost per Client Served:** NA

**Past Performance Data:** NA

**O.C. Departmental Staff Comments:** This effort is a timely and wise strategy to assess where each county stands with Juvenile Delinquency, prepare for the future, and to seek the best outcomes for our troubled youth.

<b>STATE AGENCY</b> Division of Criminal Justice Services 80 South Swan Street Albany, NY 12210	<b>NYS COMPTROLLER'S NUMBER:</b> C612270 (Contract Number)  <b>ORIGINATING AGENCY CODE:</b> 01490 - Division of Criminal Justice Services
<b>GRANTEE/CONTRACTOR:</b> (Name & Address) Oneida County 800 Park Avenue Utica, NY 13501-2939	<b>TYPE OF PROGRAMS:</b> Support for RYJT Priorities. <b>DCJS NUMBERS:</b> JB11612270 JB13612270 <b>CFDA NUMBERS:</b> 16.523 16.523
<b>FEDERAL TAX IDENTIFICATION NO:</b> 156000460 <b>MUNICIPALITY NO:</b> (if applicable) 300100000000	<b>INITIAL CONTRACT PERIOD:</b> FROM 11/01/2014 TO 04/30/2016 <b>FUNDING AMOUNT FROM INITIAL PERIOD:</b> \$100,000.00
<b>STATUS:</b> Contractor is not a sectarian entry. Contractor is not a not-for-profit organization.	<b>MULTI-YEAR TERM:</b> (if applicable): 0 1-year renewal options.
<b>CHARITIES REGISTRATION NUMBER:</b> <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 150px; height: 15px; margin: 5px 0;"></div> (Enter number or Exempt) if "Exempt" is entered above, reason for exemption. <u>N/A</u>  <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content;">           Contractor has _____ has not _____ timely            filed with the Attorney General's Charities            Bureau all required periodic or annual written            reports.         </div>	<b>APPENDIX ATTACHED AND PART OF THIS AGREEMENT</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX A Standard Clauses required by the Attorney General for all State contracts <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX A1 Agency-specific Clauses <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX B Budget <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX C Payment and Reporting Schedule <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX D Program Workplan <input type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX F Guidelines for the Control and Use of Confidential Funds <input type="checkbox"/> APPENDIX G Procedural Guidelines for the Control of Surveillance Equipment <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Identify)
IN WITNESS THERE OF, the parties hereto have electronically executed or approved this AGREEMENT on the dates of their signatures.	
NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services BY: _____ Date: _____ Office of Program Development and Funding <b>State Agency Certification:</b> "In addition to the acceptance of this contract, I also certify that original copies of this signature page will be attached to all other exact copies of this contract". GRANTEE: BY: Hon. Anthony J. Picente jr., County Executive Date: _____	
<b>ATTORNEY GENERAL'S SIGNATURE</b>  _____ Title: _____ Date: _____	APPROVED, Thomas P. DiNapoli, State Comptroller  _____ Title: _____ Date: _____

**Award Contract****Support for RYJT Priorities.**

<b>Project No.</b>	<b>Grantee Name</b>	
RY14-1000-E00	Oneida County	03/04/2015
AGREEMENT		

STATE OF NEW YORK  
AGREEMENT

This AGREEMENT is hereby made by and between the State of New York agency (STATE) and the public or private agency (CONTRACTOR) identified on the face page hereof.

## WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the STATE has the authority to regulate and provide funding for the establishment and operation of program services and desires to contract with skilled parties possessing the necessary resources to provide such services; and

WHEREAS, the CONTRACTOR is ready, willing and able to provide such program services and possesses or can make available all necessary qualified personnel, licenses, facilities and expertise to perform or have performed the services required pursuant to the terms of this AGREEMENT;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises, responsibilities and covenants herein, the STATE and the CONTRACTOR agree as follows:

## I. Conditions of Agreement

A. This AGREEMENT may consist of successive periods (PERIOD), as specified within the AGREEMENT or within a subsequent Modification Agreement(s) (Appendix X) Amendment. Each additional or superseding PERIOD shall be on the forms specified by the particular State agency, and shall be incorporated into this AGREEMENT.

B. Funding for the first PERIOD shall not exceed the funding amount specified on the face page hereof. Funding for each subsequent PERIOD, if any, shall not exceed the amount specified in the appropriate appendix amendment for that PERIOD.

C. This AGREEMENT incorporates the face page attached as presented in the Grants Management System (GMS) AWARD online printable report, and all of the marked appendices identified on the face page hereof.

D. For each succeeding PERIOD of this AGREEMENT, the parties shall prepare new appendices, to the extent that any require modification, and a Modification Agreement. Any terms of this AGREEMENT not modified shall remain in effect for each PERIOD of the AGREEMENT.

To modify the AGREEMENT within an existing PERIOD, the parties shall revise or complete the appropriate appendix form(s). Any change in the amount of consideration to be paid, change in scope, or change in term is subject to the approval of the Office of the State Comptroller. Any other modifications shall be processed in accordance with agency guidelines as stated in Appendix A-1.

E. The CONTRACTOR shall perform all services to the satisfaction of the STATE. The CONTRACTOR shall provide services and meet the program objectives summarized in the Program Workplan (Appendix D) in accordance with: provisions of the AGREEMENT; relevant laws, rules and regulations, administrative and fiscal guidelines; and where applicable, operating certificates for facilities or licenses for an activity or program.

F. If the CONTRACTOR enters into subcontracts for the performance of work pursuant to this AGREEMENT, the CONTRACTOR shall take full responsibility for the acts and omissions of its subcontractors. Nothing in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the STATE under this AGREEMENT. No contractual relationship shall be deemed to exist between the subcontractor and the STATE.

G. Appendix A (Standard Clauses as required by the Attorney General for all State contracts) takes precedence over all other parts of the AGREEMENT.

## II. Payment and Reporting

A. The CONTRACTOR, to be eligible for payment, shall submit to the STATE's designated payment office (identified in Appendix C) any appropriate documentation as required by the Payment and Reporting Schedule (Appendix C) and by agency fiscal guidelines, in a manner acceptable to the STATE.

B. The STATE shall make payments and any reconciliations in accordance with the Payment and Reporting Schedule (Appendix C). The STATE shall pay the CONTRACTOR, in consideration of contract services for a given PERIOD, a sum not to exceed the amount noted on the face page hereof or in the respective Appendix designating the payment amount for that given PERIOD. This sum shall not duplicate reimbursement from other sources for CONTRACTOR costs and services provided pursuant to this AGREEMENT.

C. The CONTRACTOR shall meet the audit requirements specified by the STATE.

## III. Terminations

A. This AGREEMENT may be terminated at any time upon mutual written consent of the STATE and the

**CONTRACTOR.**

B. The STATE may terminate the AGREEMENT immediately, upon written notice of termination to the CONTRACTOR, if the CONTRACTOR fails to comply with the terms and conditions of this AGREEMENT and/or with any laws, rules, regulations, policies or procedures affecting this AGREEMENT.

C. The STATE may also terminate this AGREEMENT for any reason in accordance with provisions set forth in Appendix A-1.

D. Written notice of termination, where required, shall be sent by personal messenger service or by certified mail, return receipt requested. The termination shall be effective in accordance with the terms of the notice.

E. Upon receipt of notice of termination, the CONTRACTOR agrees to cancel, prior to the effective date of any prospective termination, as many outstanding obligations as possible, and agrees not to incur any new obligations after receipt of the notice without approval by the STATE.

F. The STATE shall be responsible for payment on claims pursuant to services provided and costs incurred pursuant to terms of the AGREEMENT. In no event shall the STATE be liable for expenses and obligations arising from the program(s) in this AGREEMENT after the termination date.

**IV. Indemnification**

A. The CONTRACTOR shall be solely responsible and answerable in damages for any and all accidents and/or injuries to persons (including death) or property arising out of or related to the services to be rendered by the CONTRACTOR or its subcontractors pursuant to this AGREEMENT. The CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless the STATE and its officers and employees from claims, suits, actions, damages and costs of every nature arising out of the provision of services pursuant to this AGREEMENT.

B. The CONTRACTOR is an independent contractor and may neither hold itself out nor claim to be an officer, employee or subdivision of the STATE nor make any claim, demand or application to or for any right based upon any different status.

**V. Property**

Any equipment, furniture, supplies or other property purchased pursuant to this AGREEMENT is deemed to be the property of the STATE except as may otherwise be governed by Federal or State laws, rules or regulations, or as stated in Appendix A-1.

**VI Safeguards for Services and Confidentiality**

A. Services performed pursuant to this AGREEMENT are secular in nature and shall be performed in a manner that does not discriminate on the basis of religious belief, or promote or discourage adherence to religion in general or particular religious beliefs.

B. Funds provided pursuant to this AGREEMENT shall not be used for any partisan political activity, or for activities that may influence legislation or the election or defeat of any candidate for public office.

C. Information relating to individuals who may receive services pursuant to this AGREEMENT shall be maintained and used only for the purposes intended under the contract and in conformity with applicable provisions of the laws and regulations, or specified in Appendix A-1.

Certified by - on

**Award Contract****Support for RYJT Priorities.****Project No.**

RY14-1000-E00

**Grantee Name**

Oneida County

03/04/2015

## APPENDIX A

## STANDARD CLAUSES FOR NYS CONTRACTS

The parties to the attached contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter, 'the contract' or 'this contract') agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the contract (the word 'Contractor' herein refers to any party other than the State, whether a contractor, licenser, licensee, lessor, lessee or any other party):

1. EXECUTORY CLAUSE. In accordance with Section 41 of the State Finance Law, the State shall have no liability under this contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond funds appropriated and available for this contract.

2. NON-ASSIGNMENT CLAUSE. In accordance with Section 138 of the State Finance Law, this contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the State's previous written consent, and attempts to do so are null and void. Notwithstanding the foregoing, such prior written consent of an assignment of a contract let pursuant to Article XI of the State Finance Law may be waived at the discretion of the contracting agency and with the concurrence of the State Comptroller where the original contract was subject to the State Comptroller's approval, where the assignment is due to a reorganization, merger or consolidation of the Contractor's business entity or enterprise. The State retains its right to approve an assignment and to require that any Contractor demonstrate its responsibility to do business with the State. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the State's prior written consent unless this contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Article 5-A of the State Finance Law.

3. COMPTROLLER'S APPROVAL. In accordance with Section 112 of the State Finance Law (or, if this contract is with the State University or City University of New York, Section 355 or Section 6218 of the Education Law), if this contract exceeds \$50,000 (or the minimum thresholds agreed to by the Office of the State Comptroller for certain S.U.N.Y. and C.U.N.Y. contracts), or if this is an amendment for any amount to a contract which, as so amended, exceeds said statutory amount, or if, by this contract, the State agrees to give something other than money when the value or reasonably estimated value of such consideration exceeds \$10,000, it shall not be valid, effective or binding upon the State until it has been approved by the State Comptroller and filed in his office. Comptroller's approval of contracts let by the Office of General Services is required when such contracts exceed \$85,000 (State Finance Law Section 163.6-a). However, such pre-approval shall not be required for any contract established as a centralized contract through the Office of General Services or for a purchase order or other transaction issued under such centralized contract.

4. WORKERS' COMPENSATION BENEFITS. In accordance with Section 142 of the State Finance Law, this contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

5. NON-DISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS. To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this contract shall be performed within the State of New York, Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of

race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this contract. Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

6. WAGE AND HOURS PROVISIONS. If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the State of any State approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

7. NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION. In accordance with Section 139-d of the State Finance Law, if this contract was awarded based upon the submission of bids, Contractor affirms, under penalty of perjury, that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. Contractor further affirms that, at the time Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the State a non-collusive bidding certification on Contractor's behalf.

8. INTERNATIONAL BOYCOTT PROHIBITION. In accordance with Section 220-f of the Labor Law and Section 139-h of the State Finance Law, if this contract exceeds \$5,000, the Contractor agrees, as a material condition of the contract, that neither the Contractor nor any substantially owned or affiliated person, firm, partnership or corporation has participated, is participating, or shall participate in an international boycott in violation of the federal Export Administration Act of 1979 (50 USC App. Sections 2401 et seq.) or regulations thereunder. If such Contractor, or any of the aforesaid affiliates of Contractor, is convicted or is otherwise found to have violated said laws or regulations upon the final determination of the United States Commerce Department or any other appropriate agency of the United States subsequent to the contract's execution, such contract, amendment or modification thereto shall be rendered forfeit and void. The Contractor shall so notify the State Comptroller within five (5) business days of such conviction, determination or disposition of appeal (2NYCRR 105.4).

9. SET-OFF RIGHTS. The State shall have all of its common law, equitable and statutory rights of set-off. These rights shall include, but not be limited to, the State's option to withhold for the purposes of set-off any moneys due to the Contractor under this contract up to any amounts due and owing to the State with regard to this contract, any other contract with any State department or agency, including any contract for a term commencing prior to the term of this contract, plus any amounts due and owing to the State for any other reason including, without limitation, tax delinquencies, fee delinquencies or monetary penalties relative thereto. The State shall exercise its set-off rights in accordance with normal State practices including, in cases of set-off pursuant to an audit, the finalization of such audit by the State agency, its representatives, or the State Comptroller.

10. RECORDS. The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this contract (hereinafter, collectively, 'the Records'). The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The State Comptroller, the Attorney General and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the State of New York or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the State, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The State shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the 'Statute') provided that: (i) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate State official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; and (ii) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (iii) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the State's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation.

11. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION AND PRIVACY NOTIFICATION.



(a) Identification Number(s). Every invoice or New York State Claim for Payment submitted to a New York State agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or services or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. The number is any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Failure to include such number or numbers may delay payment. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payee, on its invoice or Claim for Payment, must give the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.

(b) Privacy Notification. (1) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the State is mandatory. The principal purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their tax liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (2) The personal information is requested by the purchasing unit of the agency contracting to purchase the goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this contract or lease. The information is maintained in the Statewide Financial System by the Vendor Management Unit within the Bureau of State Expenditures, Office of the State Comptroller, 110 State Street, Albany, New York 12236.

12. EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR MINORITIES AND WOMEN. In accordance with Section 312 of the Executive Law and 5 NYCRR 143, if this contract is: (i) a written agreement or purchase order instrument, providing for a total expenditure in excess of \$25,000.00, whereby a contracting agency is committed to expend or does expend funds in return for labor, services, supplies, equipment, materials or any combination of the foregoing, to be performed for, or rendered or furnished to the contracting agency; or (ii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby a contracting agency is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon; or (iii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby the owner of a State assisted housing project is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon for such project, then the following shall apply and by signing this agreement the Contractor certifies and affirms that it is Contractor's equal employment opportunity policy that:

(a) The Contractor will not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force on State contracts and will undertake or continue existing programs of affirmative action to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Affirmative action shall mean recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgradings, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination and rates of pay or other forms of compensation;

(b) at the request of the contracting agency, the Contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish a written statement that such employment agency, labor union or representative will not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the Contractor's obligations herein; and

(c) the Contractor shall state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees, that, in the performance of the State contract, all qualified applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

Contractor will include the provisions of 'a', 'b', and 'c' above, in every subcontract over \$25,000.00 for the construction, demolition, replacement, major repair, renovation, planning or design of real property and improvements thereon (the 'Work') except where the Work is for the beneficial use of the Contractor. Section 312 does not apply to: (i) work, goods or services unrelated to this contract; or (ii) employment outside New York State. The State shall consider compliance by a contractor or subcontractor with the requirements of any federal law concerning equal employment opportunity which effectuates the purpose of this section. The contracting

agency shall determine whether the imposition of the requirements of the provisions hereof duplicate or conflict with any such federal law and if such duplication or conflict exists, the contracting agency shall waive the applicability of Section 312 to the extent of such duplication or conflict. Contractor will comply with all duly promulgated and lawful rules and regulations of the Department of Economic Development's Division of Minority and Women's Business Development pertaining hereto.

13. **CONFLICTING TERMS.** In the event of a conflict between the terms of the contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Appendix A, the terms of this Appendix A shall control.

14. **GOVERNING LAW.** This contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal supremacy clause requires otherwise.

15. **LATE PAYMENT.** Timeliness of payment and any interest to be paid to Contractor for late payment shall be governed by Article 11-A of the State Finance Law to the extent required by law.

16. **NO ARBITRATION.** Disputes involving this contract, including the breach or alleged breach thereof, may not be submitted to binding arbitration (except where statutorily authorized), but must, instead, be heard in a court of competent jurisdiction of the State of New York.

17. **SERVICE OF PROCESS.** In addition to the methods of service allowed by the State Civil Practice Law & Rules ('CPLR'), Contractor hereby consents to service of process upon it by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested. Service hereunder shall be complete upon Contractor's actual receipt of process or upon the State's receipt of the return thereof by the United States Postal Service as refused or undeliverable. Contractor must promptly notify the State, in writing, of each and every change of address to which service of process can be made. Service by the State to the last known address shall be sufficient. Contractor will have thirty (30) calendar days after service hereunder is complete in which to respond.

18. **PROHIBITION ON PURCHASE OF TROPICAL HARDWOODS.** The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law, (Use of Tropical Hardwoods) which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted, by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the State.

In addition, when any portion of this contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in §165 State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with the approval of the State; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the State.

19. **MACBRIDE FAIR EMPLOYMENT PRINCIPLES.** In accordance with the MacBride Fair Employment Principles (Chapter 807 of the Laws of 1992), the Contractor hereby stipulates that the Contractor either (a) has no business operations in Northern Ireland, or (b) shall take lawful steps in good faith to conduct any business operations in Northern Ireland in accordance with the MacBride Fair Employment Principles (as described in Section 165 of the New York State Finance Law), and shall permit independent monitoring of compliance with such principles.

20. **OMNIBUS PROCUREMENT ACT OF 1992.** It is the policy of New York State to maximize opportunities for the participation of New York State business enterprises, including minority and women-owned business enterprises as bidders, subcontractors and suppliers on its procurement contracts.

Information on the availability of New York State subcontractors and suppliers is available from:

NYS Department of Economic Development  
Division for Small Business  
Albany, New York 12245  
Telephone: 518-292-5100

Fax: 518-292-5884  
email: opa@esd.ny.gov

A directory of certified minority and women-owned business enterprises is available from:

NYS Department of Economic Development  
Division of Minority and Women's Business Development  
633 Third Avenue  
New York, New York 10017  
212-803-2414  
email: mwbecertification@esd.ny.gov <http://esd.ny.gov/MWBE/directorySearch.html>

The Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992 requires that by signing this bid proposal or contract, as applicable, Contractors certify that whenever the total bid amount is greater than \$1 million:

- (a) The Contractor has made reasonable efforts to encourage the participation of New York State Business Enterprises as suppliers and subcontractors, including certified minority and women-owned business enterprises, on this project, and has retained the documentation of these efforts to be provided upon request to the State;
- (b) The Contractor has complied with the Federal Equal Opportunity Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-261), as amended;
- (c) The Contractor agrees to make reasonable efforts to provide notification to New York State residents of employment opportunities on this project through listing any such positions with the Job Service Division of the New York State Department of Labor, or providing such notification in such manner as is consistent with existing collective bargaining contracts or agreements. The Contractor agrees to document these efforts and to provide said documentation to the State upon request; and
- (d) The Contractor acknowledges notice that the State may seek to obtain offset credits from foreign countries as a result of this contract and agrees to cooperate with the State in these efforts.

21. **RECIPROCITY AND SANCTIONS PROVISIONS.** Bidders are hereby notified that if their principal place of business is located in a country, nation, province, state or political subdivision that penalizes New York State vendors, and if the goods or services they offer will be substantially produced or performed outside New York State, the Omnibus Procurement Act 1994 and 2000 amendments (Chapter 684 and Chapter 383, respectively) require that they be denied contracts which they would otherwise obtain. NOTE: As of May 15, 2002, the list of discriminatory jurisdictions subject to this provision includes the states of South Carolina, Alaska, West Virginia, Wyoming, Louisiana and Hawaii. Contact NYS Department of Economic Development for a current list of jurisdictions subject to this provision.

22. **COMPLIANCE WITH NEW YORK STATE INFORMATION SECURITY BREACH AND NOTIFICATION ACT.** Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa; State Technology Law Section 208).

23. **COMPLIANCE WITH CONSULTANT DISCLOSURE LAW.** If this is a contract for consulting services, defined for purposes of this requirement to include analysis, evaluation, research, training, data processing, computer programming, engineering, environmental, health, and mental health services, accounting, auditing, paralegal, legal or similar services, then, in accordance with Section 163 (4-g) of the State Finance Law (as amended by Chapter 10 of the Laws of 2006), the Contractor shall timely, accurately and properly comply with the requirement to submit an annual employment report for the contract to the agency that awarded the contract, the Department of Civil Service and the State Comptroller.

24. **PROCUREMENT LOBBYING.** To the extent this agreement is a 'procurement contract' as defined by State Finance Law Sections 139-j and 139-k, by signing this agreement the contractor certifies and affirms that all disclosures made in accordance with State Finance Law Sections 139-j and 139-k are complete, true and accurate. In the event such certification is found to be intentionally false or intentionally incomplete, the State may terminate the agreement by providing written notification to the Contractor in accordance with the terms of the agreement.

25. CERTIFICATION OF REGISTRATION TO COLLECT SALES AND COMPENSATING USE TAX BY CERTAIN STATE CONTRACTORS, AFFILIATES AND SUBCONTRACTORS. To the extent this agreement is a contract as defined by Tax Law Section 5-a, if the contractor fails to make the certification required by Tax Law Section 5-a or if during the term of the contract, the Department of Taxation and Finance or the covered agency, as defined by Tax Law 5-a, discovers that the certification, made under penalty of perjury, is false, then such failure to file or false certification shall be a material breach of this contract and this contract may be terminated, by providing written notification to the Contractor in accordance with the terms of the agreement, if the covered agency determines that such action is in the best interest of the State.

26. IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT. By entering into this Agreement, Contractor certifies in accordance with State Finance Law §165-a that it is not on the - Entities Determined to be Non-Responsive Bidders/Offerers pursuant to the New York State Iran Divestment Act of 2012 - (Prohibited Entities List) posted at: <http://www.ogs.ny.gov/about/regs/docs/ListofEntities.pdf>

Contractor further certifies that it will not utilize on this Contract any subcontractor that is identified on the Prohibited Entities List. Contractor agrees that should it seek to renew or extend this Contract, it must provide the same certification at the time the Contract is renewed or extended. Contractor also agrees that any proposed Assignee of this Contract will be required to certify that it is not on the Prohibited Entities List before the contract assignment will be approved by the State.

During the term of the Contract, should the state agency receive information that a person (as defined in State Finance Law §165-a) is in violation of the above-referenced certifications, the state agency will review such information and offer the person an opportunity to respond. If the person fails to demonstrate that it has ceased its engagement in the investment activity which is in violation of the Act within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the state agency shall take such action as may be appropriate and provided for by law, rule, or contract, including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages, or declaring the Contractor in default.

The state agency reserves the right to reject any bid, request for assignment, renewal or extension for an entity that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award, assignment, renewal or extension of a contract, and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any entity that is awarded a contract and appears on the Prohibited Entities list after contract award.

January, 2014

Certified by - on

**Award Contract****Support for RYJT Priorities.****Project No.**

RY14-1000-E00

**Grantee Name**

Oneida County

03/04/2015

## APPENDIX A1

## AGENCY-SPECIFIC CLAUSES

1. If this Agreement exceeds \$50,000, it shall not take effect until it is executed by the parties hereto and approved by the Attorney General and the Comptroller of the State of New York. If this Agreement is for \$50,000 or less, it shall not take effect until it is executed by both parties.
2. This Agreement sets forth the entire understanding of the parties and may not be altered or amended except in format approved by DCJS and the NYS Office of the State Comptroller, and electronically signed by the parties hereto.
3. The failure of a party to enforce a contractual obligation shall not eliminate the other party's obligation to perform such contractual obligation.
4. In the event that any provision of this Agreement is determined to be null and void, all remaining provisions shall continue to be in full force and effect.
5. The Grantee must notify DCJS in writing of any change in the number, title, job duties or rate of remuneration of project staff which changes the Personal Service Project Budget line by 10 percent or under. Any change in the number, title, job duties or rate of remuneration of project staff which changes the Project Budget line more than 10 percent must be approved in writing by DCJS prior to implementation. The Grantee agrees to provide DCJS with resumes and supporting documentation upon request.
6. The Grantee shall submit detailed itemization forms for personal service and fringe benefit expenditures, in a format determined by DCJS, with any voucher and Fiscal Cost Reports requesting payment for expenditures.
7. The Grantee must maintain specific documentation as support for project related personal service expenditures, depending upon whether this grant contract project is supported by State or Federal funds:

## A. For State funded grants:

For all Grantee's staff whose salaries are paid in whole or in part from grant funds provided under this Agreement, the Grantee shall maintain a time recording system which shows the time devoted to the grant project. The system shall consist of time sheets, computerized workload distribution reports, or equivalent systems. The time devoted to grant activities must be determinable and verifiable by DCJS. If time sheets are used, each must be signed by the individual and certified by the individual's supervisor in a higher level position at the end of each time reporting period.

## B. For Federally funded grants:

Depending upon the nature or extent of personal service provided under this Agreement, the Grantee shall maintain semi-annual (or more frequent) personal service certifications and/or an after-the-fact personnel activity reporting system (or equivalent) which complies with the requirements of the Federal Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circulars A-21, A-87 or A-122, as applicable:

1. OMB Circular A-21 [Item J, General provisions for selected items of cost] identifies documentation required for educational institutions as support for grant project personnel costs.
2. OMB Circular A-87 [Attachment B, Selected Items of Cost] identifies the documentation required for local government agencies as support for grant project personnel costs.
3. OMB Circular A-122 [Attachment B, Selected Items of Cost] identifies the documentation required for non-profit organizations as support for grant project personnel costs.

The most current version of these Federal OMB Circulars may be viewed on-line at: [http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/circulars\\_default/](http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/circulars_default/). The Grantee is to ensure full compliance with specific personal service documentation requirements of these OMB Circulars as applicable directly to the Grant recipient and to any sub-recipient (or collaborative agency/organization). Failure to do so may result in disallowance of costs upon audit.

8. Budget amendments are governed as follows:

A. Any proposed modification to the contract must be submitted for prior approval by DCJS and the NYS Office of the State Comptroller (OSC) when:

1. The amount of the modification is equal to or greater than ten percent of the total value of the contract for contracts of less than five million dollars; or
2. The amount of the modification is equal to or greater than five percent of the total value of the contract for contracts of five million dollars or more.

An Appendix X setting forth the proposed amendment must be electronically signed via the Grants Management System by the Grantee for approval by DCJS and the NYS Office of the State Comptroller before the next voucher and/or fiscal cost report will be approved.

B. For proposed modifications to the contract below the DCJS/OSC approval thresholds as set forth in 8 (A), the following shall apply:

1. The Grantee is not permitted to reallocate funds between Personal Service and Non-Personal Service budget categories without the prior approval of DCJS. A grant amendment setting forth the proposed reallocation must be approved by DCJS via the Grants Management System before the next voucher and/or fiscal cost report will be approved.
2. The Grantee is not permitted to reallocate funds between Non-Personal Service budget categories without the prior approval of DCJS when the amount of the modification is equal to or greater than ten percent of the category. A grant amendment setting forth the proposed reallocation must be approved by DCJS via the Grants Management System before the next voucher and/or fiscal cost report will be approved.
3. Prior approval by DCJS is not required for Non-Personal Service budget changes which are less than 10 percent. These changes, however, must be submitted to DCJS with the next voucher or fiscal cost report submission.

Requests for modifications must be made in writing by an authorized representative of the Grantee.

9. Space rental provided by this Agreement must be supported by a written lease, maintained on file and made available by the Grantee upon request.

10. The Grantee's request for travel, meals or lodging reimbursement shall be in accordance with Appendix B, Budget, and, unless prior written authorization has been received from DCJS, shall not exceed rates authorized by the NYS Office of the State Comptroller.

11. The Grantee's employment of a consultant must be supported by a written agreement executed by the Grantee and the consultant. A consultant is defined as an individual or organization hired by the Grantee for the stated purpose of accomplishing a specific task relative to the funded project. A copy of the agreement must be submitted to DCJS with the appropriate voucher for payment. All consultant services must be obtained in a manner that provides for fair and open competition. The Grantee shall retain copies of all solicitations seeking a consultant, written agreements and documentation justifying the cost and selection of the consultant. The Grantee further agrees that it shall assume sole and complete responsibility for fulfilling all the obligations set forth in the Agreement and the Grantee must guarantee the work of the consultant as if it were its own.

A. The rate for a consultant should not exceed \$650 for an eight-hour day (not including travel and subsistence costs). A rate exceeding \$650 per eight-hour day requires prior written approval from DCJS and may be approved on a case-by-case basis where adequate justification is provided and expenses are reasonable and

allowable.

B. In addition to the above requirements, a Grantee that is a local government or a not-for-profit must adhere to the following guidelines at a minimum when obtaining consultant services:

1. Consultant services that cost up to \$999 under this grant agreement can be obtained at the Grantee's discretion.
2. Consultant services that cost between \$1,000 and \$4,999 under this grant agreement must be supported by at least three telephone quotes and a record created of such quotes.
3. Consultant services that cost between \$5,000 and \$9,999 under this grant agreement must be supported by at least three written quotes on a vendor's stationery and a record created of competitive procurement process utilized.
4. A Grantee obtaining consultant services that cost in excess of \$10,000 must use a competitive bidding process. Guidance may be obtained from DCJS. At a minimum, the competitive bidding process must incorporate the following: open, fair advertisement of the opportunity to provide services; equal provision of information to all interested parties; reasonable deadlines; sealed bids opened at one time before a committee who will certify the process; establishment of the methodology for evaluating bids before the bids are opened; and maintenance of a record of competitive procurement process.

C. A Grantee who proposes to obtain consultant services from a particular vendor without competitive bidding, must obtain the prior written approval of DCJS. The request for approval must be in writing and set forth, at a minimum, a detailed justification for selection and basis upon which the price was determined to be reasonable. Further, such consultant services must be in accordance with the guidelines, bulletins and regulations of the NYS Office of the State Comptroller, State Procurement Council, and the U.S. Department of Justice. A copy of DCJS' approval must also be submitted with the voucher for payment.

D. Notwithstanding the provisions of this paragraph, the Parties agree that DCJS' prior written approval is not required for the employment of a consultant when such employment is secured in relationship to a criminal matter as an expert witness, consultant or investigator. The Parties agree that the employment shall be supported by a written agreement and that all requests for reimbursement shall be supported by documentation identifying the criminal matter involved, services provided, time commitment and schedule. Such agreement and documentation shall be submitted to DCJS with the appropriate voucher for payment.

12. All procurements, other than consultant services, shall be conducted in the following manner. Written justification and documentation for all procurements must be maintained on file and made available upon request. Detailed itemization forms for non-personal service expenditures, in a format determined by DCJS, shall accompany each voucher and Fiscal Cost Report requesting payment. All procurements must be made in a fair and open manner and in accordance with the pre-determined methodology established for evaluating bids (e.g., lowest responsive bidder or best value).

A. A Grantee that is a state entity must make all procurements in accordance with State Finance Law Article 11, and any other applicable regulations.

B. A Grantee that is a local government must make procurements in accordance with General Municipal Law Article 5-A and any other applicable regulations.

C. In addition, a Grantee that is a not-for-profit must also make all procurements as noted below:

1. If the Grantee is eligible to purchase an item or service from a government contract or is able to purchase such item or service elsewhere at a lower than or equal price, then such purchase may be made immediately.
2. A Grantee may purchase any single piece of equipment, single service or multiples of each that cost up to \$999 at its discretion.
3. Before purchasing any piece of equipment, service or multiples of each that have an aggregate cost between \$1,000 and \$4,999, a Grantee must secure at least three telephone quotes and create a record for audit of such

quotes.

4. Before purchasing any piece of equipment, service or multiples of each that have an aggregate cost between \$5,000 and \$9,999, the Grantee must secure at least three written quotes on a vendor's stationery and maintain a record of the competitive procurement process for audit purposes.

5. A Grantee spending in aggregate of \$10,000 and above must use a competitive bidding process. Guidance may be obtained from DCJS. At a minimum, the competitive bidding process must incorporate the following: open, fair advertisement of the opportunity to provide services; equal provision of information to all interested parties; reasonable deadlines; sealed bids opened at one time before a committee who will certify the process; establishment of the methodology for evaluating bids before the bids are opened; and maintenance of a record of competitive procurement process.

6. A Grantee who proposes to purchase from a particular vendor without competitive bidding must obtain the prior written approval of DCJS. The request for approval must be in writing and set forth, at a minimum, a detailed justification for selection and the basis upon which the price was determined to be reasonable. Further, such procurement must be in accordance with the guidelines, bulletins and regulations of the NYS Office of the State Comptroller, State Procurement Council, and the U.S. Department of Justice. A copy of DCJS' approval must also be submitted with the voucher for payment.

13. Applicable equipment purchased with funds provided by this Agreement as listed in Appendix B, Budget, shall be assigned a unique inventory number. The Grantee shall list all applicable equipment purchased with such funds in the GMS Property Module at the time the last program progress report is filed or sooner. Items of equipment costing less than \$500 do not need to be listed in the GMS Property Module although the Grantee is encouraged to maintain an internal inventory for audit purposes. Upon completion of all contractual requirements by the Grantee, DCJS will consider a request for continued use and possession of the equipment purchased with grant funds provided the equipment continues to be used in conducting a criminal justice program.

14. Grant funds may be expended only for purposes and activities set forth in this Agreement. Accordingly, the most important single requirement of accounting for this grant is the complete and accurate documentation of grant expenditures. If the Grantee receives funding from two or more sources, all necessary steps must be taken to ensure that grant-related transactions are not commingled. This includes, but is not limited to, the establishment of unique budget codes, a separate cost center, or a separate chart of accounts. Expenditures must be cross-referenced to supporting source documents (purchase orders, contracts, real estate leases, invoices, vouchers, timesheets, mileage logs, etc.). Grantee agrees it shall maintain adequate internal controls and adhere to Generally Accepted Accounting Principles for Government or Generally Accepted Accounting Principles for Not-for-Profit Organizations.

This Agreement may be subject to a fiscal audit by DCJS to ascertain financial compliance with Federal and/or State laws, regulations, and guidelines applicable to this Agreement. Such audits may include review of the Grantee's accounting, financial, and reporting practices to determine compliance with the Agreement and reporting requirements; maintenance of accurate and reliable original accounting records in accordance with governmental accounting standards as well as generally accepted accounting principles; and specific compliance with allowable cost and expenditure documentation standards prescribed by applicable Federal, State, and DCJS guidelines.

15. Where advance payments are approved by DCJS, the Grantee agrees to expend the advance payments in accordance with the purposes set forth in Appendix D and consistent with Appendix B.

16. DCJS reserves the right to suspend program funds if the Grantee is found to be in noncompliance with the provisions of this Agreement or other grant agreements between the Grantee and DCJS or, if the Grantee or principals of the Grantee are under investigation by a New York State or local law enforcement agency for noncompliance with State or Federal laws or regulatory provisions or, if in DCJS' judgment, the services provided by the Grantee under the Agreement are unsatisfactory or untimely. DCJS shall provide the Grantee with written notice of noncompliance. Upon the Grantee's failure to correct or comply with the written notice by DCJS, DCJS reserves the right to terminate this Agreement, recoup funds and recover any assets purchased with the proceeds of this Agreement. DCJS reserves the right to use approved grant related expenditures to offset disallowed expenditures from any grant funded through its offices upon issuance of a final audit report and appropriate notification to the Grantee, or upon reasonable assurance that the Grantee is not in compliance with



## Agreement terms.

17. The Grantee agrees, as a material condition of the Agreement, to comply with all applicable provisions of the Hatch Act (5 U.S.C. "1501 et seq.) as amended.

18. Program income earned by the Grantee during the funding period as a direct result of the grant award must be reported in writing to DCJS, in addition to any other statutory reporting requirements. This includes income received from seized and forfeited assets and cash, as well as: sale of grant purchased property; royalties; fees for services; and registration/tuition fees. Interest earned on grant funds is not program income unless specified in Appendix D. The Grantee agrees to report the receipt and expenditures of grant program income to DCJS. All income, including interest, generated by the use of these grant funds will be used to enhance the grant project.

19. If applicable, the Grantee agrees to obtain not-for-profit status, a federal identification number, and a charitable registration number (or a declaration of exemption) and to furnish DCJS with this information as soon as it is available.

20. Unless otherwise specified, in accordance with the State Finance Law, the availability of all State funds for liabilities already incurred thereunder shall cease on September 15th of the year following the fiscal year in which the funds were appropriated, unless such funds are reappropriated by the New York State Legislature. To ensure payment, vouchers must be received by DCJS by August 1st of the year following the fiscal year in which the funds were appropriated.

21. The Grantee will submit program progress reports to DCJS via the GMS system and additional information or amended data as required in Appendix D.

A. Program progress reports will be due on the last day of the month following the end of each calendar quarter or on an alternate schedule as prescribed in Appendix D. The first program progress report will be due on the last day of the month following the last day of the calendar quarter from the start date of the contract.

Program progress reports thereafter will continue to be made until such time as the funds subject to this Agreement are no longer available, have been accounted for, and/or throughout the Agreement period or project duration.

Calendar quarters, for the purposes of making program progress reports, shall be as follows:

Calendar Quarter  
Report Due

January 1 - March 31  
April 30

April 1 - June 30  
July 31

July 1 - September 30  
October 31

October 1 - December 31  
January 31

B. The final progress report will summarize the project's achievements as well as describe activities for that quarter.

22. If for any reason the State of New York or the federal government terminates its appropriation through DCJS or fails to pay the full amount of the allocation for the operation of this program, this Agreement may be terminated or reduced at the discretion of DCJS, provided that no such reduction or termination shall apply to allowable costs already incurred by the Grantee where funds are available to DCJS for payment of such costs. Upon termination or reduction of the Agreement, all remaining funds paid to the Grantee that are not subject to allowable costs already incurred by the Grantee shall be returned to DCJS. In any event, no liability shall be

incurred by DCJS or by the State of New York beyond monies available for the purposes of this Agreement. The Grantee acknowledges that any funds due to DCJS because of disallowed expenditures after audit shall be its responsibility.

23. If Appendix B, Program Budget, makes provisions for overtime payment, the Grantee agrees to submit vouchers for such payment of overtime charges by the last day of the month following the last day of the quarter for the reporting period. The Grantee further agrees to limit overtime earnings to no more than 25 percent (25%) of the employee's annual personnel cost (salary plus fringe benefits) during the term of this Agreement. No reimbursements for overtime charges in excess of this 25 percent (25%) limit will be made unless prior written approval has been obtained from DCJS.

24. None of the goals, objectives or tasks set forth in Appendix D shall be subawarded to another organization without specific prior written approval by DCJS. Where the intention to make subawards is clearly indicated in the application, DCJS' approval is deemed given, if these activities are funded as proposed.

If this Agreement makes provisions for the Grantee to subgrant funds to other recipients, the Grantee agrees that all subgrantees shall be held accountable by the Grantee for all terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement. The Grantee further agrees that it shall assume sole and complete responsibility for fulfilling all the obligations set forth in the Agreement and the Grantee must guarantee the work of any subgrantee as if it were its own.

The Grantee agrees that all subgrantee arrangements shall be formalized in writing between the parties involved. The writing must, at a minimum, include the following information:

Activities to be performed;

Time schedule;

Project policies;

Other policies and procedures to be followed;

Dollar limitation of the Agreement;

Appendix A, Appendix A-1, Appendix C, Appendix M, Certified Assurances for Federally Supported Projects, Certification Regarding Lobbying, Debarment and Suspension and any special conditions set forth in the Agreement; and

Applicable Federal and/or State cost principles to be used in determining allowable costs.

The Grantee will not be reimbursed for subgranted funds unless all expenditures by a subgrantee are listed on certification forms. Backup documentation for such expenditures must be made available upon request. All expenditures must be programmatically consistent with the goals and objectives of this Agreement and with the financial plan set forth in Appendix B.

#### 25. Federal Funds

A. In accordance with Federal requirements, a Grantee which receives during its fiscal year \$500,000 or more of Federal funds (including pass-through and direct) from all sources, including this Agreement, must agree to have an independent audit of such Federal funds conducted in accordance with the Federal Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133. OMB Circular A-133 further requires that the final report for such audit be completed within nine months of the end of the Grantee's fiscal year. The Grantee further agrees to provide one copy of such audit report(s) to DCJS within nine months of the end of its fiscal year(s).

B. In accordance with Federal requirements, a Grantee receiving Federal pass-through funds must also agree to comply with the terms and conditions of any and all applicable Federal OMB Circulars. For the convenience of the Grantee, the following OMB circulars are noted as the most common applicable to federal funds passed through DCJS:

OMB Circular A 21, Cost Principles for Educational Institutions;

OMB Circular A 87, Cost Principles for State, Local and Indian Tribal Governments;

OMB Circular A 102, Grants and Cooperative Agreements With State and Local Governments;

OMB Circular A 110, Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Other Agreements with Institutions of Higher Education, Hospitals and Other Non Profit Organizations; and

OMB Circular A 122, Cost Principles for Non Profit Organizations.

The Parties agree that, dependent upon the status of the Grantee, additional circulars may also be applicable. The most current version of all Federal OMB Circulars may be viewed on-line at: [http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/circulars\\_default/](http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/circulars_default/).

The Grantee is to ensure full compliance with all cost documentation requirements of OMB Circulars as applicable directly to the Grant recipient and to any sub-recipient (or collaborative agency/organization). Failure to do so may result in disallowance of costs upon audit.

26. Any creative or literary work developed or commissioned by the Grantee with grant support provided by DCJS shall become the property of DCJS, entitling DCJS to assert a copyright therein, unless the parties have expressly agreed otherwise in a written instrument signed by them.

A. If DCJS shares its right to copyright such work with the Grantee, DCJS reserves a royalty-free, non-exclusive, and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish or otherwise use, and to authorize others to use: (a) the copyright in any work developed under a grant, subgrant, or contract under a grant or subgrant; and (b) any rights of copyright to which a Grantee, Subgrantee, or a Contractor purchases ownership with grant support.

B. If the grant support provided by DCJS is federally sponsored, the federal awarding agency also reserves a royalty-free, nonexclusive, and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish or otherwise use, and to authorize others to use: (a) the copyright in any work developed under a grant, subgrant or contract under a grant or subgrant; and (b) any rights of copyright to which a Grantee, Subgrantee, or a Contractor purchases ownership with such grant support.

C. The Grantee shall submit one copy of all reports and publications resulting from this Agreement to DCJS. Any publications must contain the following statement, in visible print, of any document generated pursuant to a grant administered by DCJS:

This project was supported by a grant administered by the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services. Points of view in this document are those of the author and do not necessarily represent the official position or policies of the Division of Criminal Justice Services.

27. Original records must be retained for six years following the submission of the final claim against this Agreement. In the event of a fiscal audit, the project manager or a designated responsible party must be prepared to produce source documents that substantiate claimed expenditures. DCJS requires that all documentation materials be organized, readily accessible, and cross-referenced to the Fiscal Cost Reports previously submitted. If fiscal records, such as purchase orders, vouchers, payroll registers, payroll tax records, etc., are to be kept in a fiscal office which is separate and apart from the program office, the project manager must have access to these original records. Such fiscal records must readily identify the associated project. In addition, a separate set of records must be retained for each project year.

28. Grant-related expenditures shall be reported on Fiscal Cost Reports and detailed itemization forms provided

by DCJS. These reports must be prepared periodically as defined in Appendix C of this Agreement. All reported expenditures must reconcile to the program accounting records. Prior period adjustments shall be reported in the same accounting period that the correction was made.

#### 29. General Responsibility Language

The Contractor shall at all times during the Contract term remain responsible. The Contractor agrees, if requested by the Commissioner of the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services or his or her designee, to present evidence of its continuing legal authority to do business in New York State, integrity, experience, ability, prior performance, and organizational and financial capacity.

#### 30. Suspension of Work (for Non-Responsibility)

The Commissioner of the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services or his or her designee, in his or her sole discretion, reserves the right to suspend any or all activities under this Contract, at any time, when he or she discovers information that calls into question the responsibility of the Contractor. In the event of such suspension, the Contractor will be given written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of such notice, the Contractor must comply with the terms of the suspension order. Contract activity may resume at such time as the Commissioner of the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services or his or her designee issues a written notice authorizing a resumption of performance under the Contract.

#### 31. Termination (for Non-Responsibility)

Upon written notice to the Contractor, and a reasonable opportunity to be heard with appropriate Agency officials or staff, the Contract may be terminated by the Commissioner of the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services or his or her designee at the Contractor's expense where the Contractor is determined by the Commissioner of the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services or his or her designee to be non-responsible. In such event, the Commissioner of the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services or his or her designee may complete the contractual requirements in any manner he or she may deem advisable and pursue available legal or equitable remedies for breach.

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**APPENDIX B - Budget Summary by Participant**

Oneida County

Oneida County Probation Department - Version 1

#	Consultant Services	Number	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
1	Needs Assessment	1	\$30,000.00	\$30,000.00	\$30,000.00	\$0.00
Justification: The Mohawk Valley team was only recently formed. In order to gain a better understanding of what the needs of the region are, the team proposes using funds to hire a consultant that will complete a needs assessment of the entire region. This consultant will assess each individual county to determine what the strengths and needs are in serving the juvenile justice population.						
Total				\$30,000.00	\$30,000.00	\$0.00

Total Project Costs	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
	\$30,000.00	\$30,000.00	\$0.00

- Version 2

#	Personnel	Number	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
1	Oneida County Probation Staff Time	1	\$11,111.00	\$11,111.00	\$0.00	\$11,111.00
Justification: Director of Probation - salary/time is the match on this grant. Staff of the Oneida County Probation Department, which is fulfilling the lead role in this project, will devote time to this project to ensure proper coordination among the 6 counties, proper administration of state dollars, and reporting required by DCJS.						
Total				\$11,111.00	\$0.00	\$11,111.00

#	Consultant Services	Number	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
1	Training - Family Engagement	1	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$0.00
Justification: Training in family engagement has been requested by the team. Funding is set aside, with the precise nature of training to be determined following the needs assessment, which is when a contractor will be sought.						
2	Training - Needs of Rural Youth	1	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$0.00
Justification: Training related to how the youth justice system can best respond to the needs of rural youth in poverty has been requested by the team. A contractor will be selected after the needs assessment phase.						
3	Training - Cultural competency	1	\$12,000.00	\$12,000.00	\$12,000.00	\$0.00
Justification: The MV Refugee Center will provide training to all counties to increase the ability of staff to deal with youth in a culturally competent manner.						
4	Training - Trauma-Informed Practices	1	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$0.00
Justification: Training in trauma-informed practices has been requested by the team. Funding is set aside, with the precise nature of training to be determined following the needs assessment, which is when a contractor will be sought.						
5	Regional Action Place Development - Kids Oneida	1	\$19,500.00	\$19,500.00	\$19,500.00	\$0.00
Justification: Each county will hold Youth Justice Action Plan summits, with the information gathered at the county-level discussions being used to develop a Regional Youth Justice Action Plan. Kids Oneida will be the contractor to host summits, write all reports, and disseminate findings.						
Total				\$61,500.00	\$61,500.00	\$0.00

#	Travel and Subsistence	Number	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
1	Per Diems	1	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$0.00
Justification: Some trainings may require staff to eat away from home or stay overnight; to avoid a burden on participating counties, the project will support these costs for RYJT-approved trainings.						
2	Mileage	1	\$5,500.00	\$5,500.00	\$5,500.00	\$0.00
Justification: To ensure that partner staff throughout the 6-county region can attend training, the project will pay mileage.						
Total				\$8,500.00	\$8,500.00	\$0.00

Total Project Costs	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
	\$81,111.00	\$70,000.00	\$11,111.00

Total Contract Costs	Total Cost	Grant Funds	Matching Funds
	\$111,111.00	\$100,000.00	\$11,111.00

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## APPENDIX C

## PAYMENT AND REPORTING SCHEDULE

NOTE: Additional payment provisions associated with the schedule(s) below are detailed in Appendix A-1.

For All Grantees:

1. The Grantee agrees that this is a reimbursement-based contract; an advance may be provided through Appendix D (Special Conditions). All requests for reimbursement must reflect actual costs that have been disbursed or items received by the Grantee. A purchase order issued without receipt of the items or service is not eligible for reimbursement.
2. Grantees must submit all required fiscal reports, supporting documentation and program progress reports. Failure to meet these requirements will result in the rejection of associated vouchers. Failure to submit the final program report, or interim progress report designated as the final report, may result in a disallowance of 25 percent (25%) of the grant amount. The Grantee must also refund all unexpended advances (see item three below.) Final vouchers, reimbursement payment and reports must be submitted by the last day of the month following the end of the grant contract period. Failure to voucher within this period may result in the loss of grant funds.
3. If at the end of this grant contract there remains any unexpended balance of the monies advanced under this contract in the possession of the Grantee, the Grantee shall submit a certified check or money order for the unexpended balance payable to the order of the State of New York and return it to the DCJS Office of Financial Services with its final fiscal cost report by the last day of the month following termination of this grant contract.
4. Vouchers shall be submitted in a format acceptable to DCJS and the Office of the State Comptroller (see <http://www.criminaljustice.ny.gov/ofpa/forms.htm>). Vouchers submitted for payment shall be deemed to be a certification that the payments requested are for project expenditures made in accordance with the items as contained in the Project Budget (Appendix B) and during the contract period. When submitting a voucher, such voucher shall also be deemed to certify that: a) the payments requested do not duplicate reimbursement from other sources of funding; and b) the funds provided herein do not replace funds that, in the absence of this grant, would have been made available by the Grantee for this program. Requirement b) does not apply to Legislative sponsored State grants.
5. For purposes of prompt payment provisions, the Designated Payment Office for the processing of all vouchers is the DCJS Office of Financial Services. Payment of grant vouchers shall be made in accordance with the provisions of Article XI-A of the State Finance Law. Payment shall be preceded by an inspection period of 15 business days which shall be excluded from calculations of the payment due date for purposes of determining eligibility for interest payments. The Grantee must notify the Office of Financial Services in writing of a change of address in order to benefit from the prompt payment provision of the State Finance Law. When progress reports are overdue or the required MWBE reporting is not included, vouchers will not be eligible for prompt payment.
6. Timely and properly completed New York State vouchers, with supporting documentation when required, shall be submitted to:

NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services  
Office of Financial Services  
80 S. Swan St.  
Albany, NY 12210

## 7. Payment Schedule

### PAYMENT PAYMENT DUE DATE

1 Pending appropriation, 30 days after commencement date of contract with proper documentation or upon receipt of proper documentation, whichever is later.

### 2-4 Quarterly

A not-for-profit Grantee operating on a multi-year contract may voucher for an optional fifth quarter advance against the succeeding year's appropriation, pursuant to NYS Finance Law, Section 179-u.

All submitted vouchers will reflect the Grantee's actual expenditures and will be accompanied by supporting detailed itemizations of personal service and non-personal service expenditures and other documentation as required, and by a fiscal cost report for the reporting period. DCJS reserves the right not to release subsequent grant awards pending Grantee compliance with this Agreement. In the event that any expenditure for which the Grantee has been reimbursed by grant funds is subsequently disallowed, DCJS in its sole discretion may reduce the voucher payment by the amount disallowed. If necessary, the Grantee may be required to submit a final budget reallocation. Fiscal cost reports showing grant expenditures and/or obligations for each quarter of the grant must be submitted by the last day of the month after the last day of the reporting period.

Advance payments shall be permitted as specified in Appendix A-1, and in the amount specified in Appendix D (Special Conditions).

Payment requests need to include the following documents as required:

Detailed Itemization of Personal Service Expenditures

Detailed Itemization of Non-Personal Service Expenditures

Detailed Itemization of Consultant Expenditures

Expert witness agreement and supporting documentation

Voucher and Fiscal Cost Report signed

Written documentation of all required DCJS prior approvals as follows:

- DCJS approval of non-competitive consultant.
- DCJS approval of non-competitive vendor for services.
- DCJS approval of consultant services reimbursement greater than \$450 per eight hour day.
- DCJS approval of change to Personal Services by more than 10 percent.
- DCJS approval to exceed NYS Office of the State Comptroller travel, meals and lodging rates.
- DCJS approval to subaward to another organization.
- DCJS approval for overtime payments exceeding 25 percent of an employee's annual personnel cost.
- DCJS and NYS Office of the State Comptroller approval to modify the budget by more than 10 percent of the total value of the contract if the contract is less than five million.
- DCJS and NYS Office of the State Comptroller approval to modify the budget by more than 5 percent of the total value of the contract if the contract is five million or more.
- DCJS approval to reallocate funds between Personal Services and Non Personal Services.

8. CONTRACT PAYMENTS: Contractor shall provide complete and accurate billing invoices to the agency in order to receive payment. Billing invoices submitted to the agency must contain all information and supporting documentation required by the Contract, the Agency and the State Comptroller. Payment for invoices submitted by the Contractor shall only be rendered electronically unless payment by paper check is expressly authorized by the Commissioner, in the Commissioner's sole discretion, due to extenuating circumstances. Such electronic payment shall be made in accordance with ordinary State procedures and practices. The Contractor shall comply with the State Comptroller's procedures to authorize electronic payments. Authorization forms are available at the State Comptroller's website at [www.osc.state.ny.us/epay/index.htm](http://www.osc.state.ny.us/epay/index.htm), or by email at [epayments@osc.state.ny.us](mailto:epayments@osc.state.ny.us). Contractor acknowledges that it will not receive payment on any invoices submitted under this Contract if it does not comply with the State Comptroller's electronic payment procedures, except where the Commissioner has expressly authorized payment by paper check as set forth above.



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**Award Contract****Support for RYJT Priorities.****Project No.**

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**Grantee Name**

Oneida County

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**APPENDIX D - Work Plan****Goal**

Build sustainable community capacity to address regionally identified priority juvenile justice issues. GPM GOAL: Build Community Capacity

**Objective #1**

Incorporate technical assistance support into regional juvenile justice planning process.

**Task #1 for Objective #1**

Establish contractual and operational partnerships as follows: a. With Social Sciences Associates to conduct a regional process assessment, needs assessment and gap analysis; and b. With Kids Oneida to support the development of a regional action plan.

**# Performance Measure**

- 1 MOUs or other formal agreements signed: purpose, date finalized; and provide copies to DCJS.
- 2 List of Partner Agencies (including type of agency and their role on the project.
- 3 Staff hired/ supported by project funds: name, title, hire date, %FTE.

**Task #2 for Objective #1**

Develop program policies, procedures and/or protocols as indicated, to include: a. Facilitation of regional process assessment, needs assessment, and gap analysis; b. The development of a Regional Youth Justice Action Plan; and c. Other procedures and protocols as needed to meet project goals.

**# Performance Measure**

- 1 Policies, procedures and/or protocols finalized: purpose; provide copies to DCJS.

**Task #3 for Objective #1**

Develop program materials as listed above (task #2) and indicated in the project and subcontract budgets and/or as needed to meet project goals, to include: a. A draft report that includes results of process assessment, needs assessment, and gap analysis. b. Both short and long-term action steps that will lay the foundation for a regional action agenda for youth at risk of or currently involved in the juvenile justice system. c. A final report, which incorporates formal RYJT recommendations.

**# Performance Measure**

- 1 Meeting/ planning/ training events: dates, type/ purpose of event, participant characteristics; provide copies to DCJS.

**Objective #2**

Provide trainings to juvenile justice stakeholders to enhance stakeholders' knowledge, skills, and capacity for locally identified needs (including needs within individual, family, community, or system). The trainings will lead to implementation plans for sustainable application.

**Task #1 for Objective #2**

Establish contractual and operational partnerships as follows: With the Mohawk Valley Resource Center for Refugees; and with others as needed to meet project goals.

**# Performance Measure**

- 1 MOUs or other formal agreements signed: purpose, date finalized; provide copies to DCJS.
- 2 Information on partner agencies such as type of agency and role on project.

**Task #2 for Objective #2**

Develop program policies, procedures and/or protocols as indicated, to include: a. Identification of appropriate regional training topics; and b. Other procedures and protocols as needed to meet project goals.

**# Performance Measure**

- 1 Policies, procedures and/or protocols finalized: purpose; provide copies to DCJS.

**Task #3 for Objective #2**

Develop program materials as listed above and indicated in the project and subcontract budgets and/ or as needed to meet project goals, to include: a. Specific training curricula, activities, and related resources.

**# Performance Measure**

- 1 Program materials developed: describe, provide copies to DCJS.

**Task #4 for Objective #2**

Facilitate meeting, planning and/ or training activities as needed to carry out activities listed above and indicated herein, and as needed to meet project goals, to include: a. Family engagement, trauma-informed practices, and cultural competency b. IF JABG \$: Participation in Mohawk Valley/Oneida County's Juvenile Crime Enforcement Coalition (JCEC), as required by the JABG program. JCEC membership should be represented by individuals associated with (1) Police, (2) Sheriff, (3) Prosecutor, (4) local probation services, (5) Juvenile court, (6) Schools, (7) Business, and (8) Religious affiliated, fraternal, nonprofit, or social service organizations involved in crime prevention. Grantee's participation should involve, at minimum, quarterly meetings.

**# Performance Measure**

- 1 Meeting/ planning/ training events: dates, type/ purpose of event, participant characteristics.

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**Award Conditions**

Upon approval of this grant by the Office of the State Comptroller, or DCJS for "T" contract only, the Grantee is authorized to initially voucher for advance payment of those prospective expenses previously approved by DCJS not to exceed \$0.00 from the total contracted amount. Consistent with paragraph 15 of Appendix A-1 of this grant contract, vouchers for advance payments for the purchase of equipment and supplies must be supported by a copy of the purchase order.

**APPENDIX D - Special Conditions**

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Except as authorized by law, program records containing the identity of individual juveniles gathered for purposes pursuant to Title II (Formula Grants), Title V (Community Prevention) and the JABG Program under the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act may not be disclosed without the consent of the service recipient or legally authorized representative, or as may be necessary to carry out these programs. Under no circumstances may program reports or findings available for public dissemination contain the actual names of individual service recipients.

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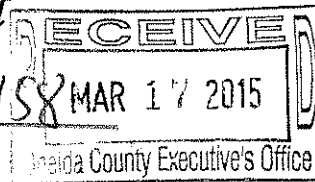
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March 11, 2015

The Honorable Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
Oneida County Office Building  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, NY 13501

**PUBLIC SAFETY**

**WAYS & MEANS**

Dear County Executive Picente:

The Sheriff's Office would like to request a year 2015 Supplemental Appropriation of Funds of \$29,000.00 to be used to purchase technology enhancements in the jail. The Sheriff's Office has been provided funds under a contract from The Second Chance Program. No County dollars will used for this project.

The technology upgrade in the jail will provide added security and safety to the staff as well as the inmates. The upgrade will also provide added support to help defend against any future litigations.

I respectfully request that this matter be acted on at the Board of Legislators April board meeting.

The Supplemental Appropriation Request is as follows:

<u>Transfer from Expense Account</u>		<u>Amount</u>
A1589	Contract Admin. Reimbursement	\$29,000.00
 <u>Transfer to Expense Account</u>		 <u>Amount</u>
A3151.295	Other Equipment	\$29,000.00

I would like to thank you for your time and diligent attention to this matter in advance. If you have any questions, require clarification or seek additional information from me in order to help you make a decision regarding my request, please do not hesitate to contact me at any point in time.

Sincerely,

Robert M. Maciol,  
Oneida County Sheriff

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 3/17/15

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March 10, 2015

The Honorable Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
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800 Park Avenue  
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Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
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**PUBLIC SAFETY**

*[Signature]*  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

**WAYS & MEANS**

Date 3/10/15

Dear County Executive Picente,

The Commissary Account is offset by revenues from Inmates in the Correctional Facility. Per the New York State Commission of Corrections Minimum Standards 7016.1c "profits resulting from Commissary sales shall be deposited in a separate bank account and shall be utilized only for purposes of prisoner welfare and rehabilitation."

In 2014, there was a profit of \$129,227.00 which has been rolled over into 2015, as indicated in the attached audit trail for revenue account A1525. Annually, a supplemental appropriation is prepared for the profit to fund programs, equipment, or supplies for the purposes set forth by the Commission. In 2015, the surplus will be used for horticulture programming, educational services and supplies, a life skills program, sewing projects, recreational items, worker pod, library, notary and other services.

I respectfully request that this matter be acted on at the April 2015 meeting.

The 2015 Supplemental Appropriation request is as follows:

A3152.211	Office Equipment	\$ 5,000.00
A3152.212	Computer Hardware	\$ 20,000.00
A3152.295	Other Equipment	\$ 40,000.00
A3152.472	Recreational Activities	\$ 5,000.00
A3152.491	Other Materials and Supplies	\$ 20,000.00
A3152.492	Computer Software & Licenses	\$ 30,000.00
A3152.493	Maintenance, Repair & Service Contracts	\$ 9,227.00

**Total Expenses:** \$ 129,227.00

A1525 Revenue Prisoner Commissary \$ 129,227.00

**Total Revenue:** \$ 129,227.00

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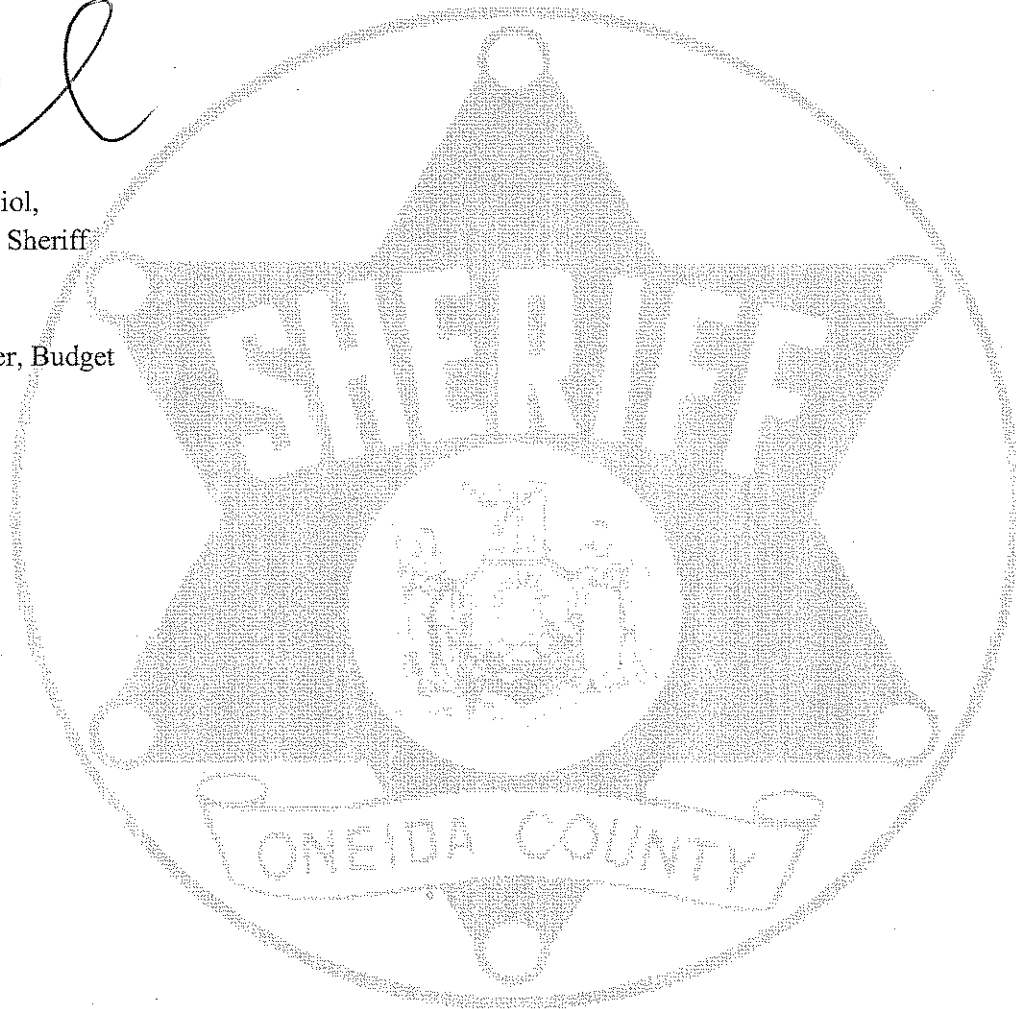
I would like to thank you for your time and diligent attention to this matter in advance. If you have any questions, require clarification or seek additional information from me in order to help you make a decision regarding my request, please do not hesitate to contact me at any point in time.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rob Maciol".

Robert M. Maciol,  
Oneida County Sheriff

CC: Tom Keeler, Budget



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# Griffiss International Airport



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**ANTHONY J. PICENTE, JR.**  
County Executive

**RUSSELL STARK**  
Commissioner of Aviation

March 24, 2015

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Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, NY 13501

**AIRPORT**  
**WAYS & MEANS**

Re: Lease Agreement- Freeman Holdings of New York, LLC.

Dear Mr. Picente:

Please consider acceptance of this Lease Agreement between Oneida County, Department of Aviation and Freeman Holdings of New York, LLC.

The Lease Agreement provides for a term of ten (10) years, and provides for \$99,738.00 annual revenue for the first year of the Lease and \$102,730.14 for the remaining length of the Lease.

Freeman Holdings, LLC., (Million Air) has been the Fixed Base Operator at Griffiss International Airport since 2008 providing exceptional service to tenant and transient customers as well as to Oneida County.

If you concur with this agreement, please forward this request to the Oneida County Board of Legislatures for their consideration.

Sincerely,

Russell Stark  
Commissioner  
Oneida County Department of Aviation

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive



Date

4/6/15

Oneida County Department: Aviation

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP X

## Oneida County Board of Legislators Contract Summary

Name of Proposing Organization: Freeman Holdings of New York, LLC  
16221 Foster Street  
Overland Park, Kansas 66085

Title of Activity or Service: **Lease Agreement for space in Building 660, New Terminal Building**

Client Population/Number to be Served: N/A

### Summary Statements:

1) Narrative Description of Proposed Services: This Lease Agreement will lease space in Building 660, first floor of The New Terminal Building to Freeman Holdings of New York, LLC, (Million Air), for the operation of the Fixed Base Operator (FBO) services at Griffiss International Airport.

### 2) Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:

**Freeman Holdings of New York, LLC (Million Air) has been the FBO at Griffiss International Airport since 2008 providing outstanding service to tenant, transient and military customers at the airport. The total revenue generated from this 10 year lease will be \$1,024,309.26.**

### 3) Program Design and Staffing Level:

N/A

Total Funding Requested: **\$0.00**

Oneida County Department Funding Recommendation: **\$0.00** Account # **A5620**

Proposed Funding Source: Federal \$0 State \$0 County \$0

Cost Per Client Served: N/A

Past Performance Data: N/A

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## *LEASE AGREEMENT*

This LEASE AGREEMENT (hereafter referred to as the "Lease" or "Agreement") is made and entered into this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2015, by and between the **COUNTY OF ONEIDA, NY**, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, with its principal place of business located at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, NY 13501 (hereinafter referred to as "Landlord") and **FREEMAN HOLDINGS OF NEW YORK, LLC**, a limited liability company organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of New York, with its principal place of business located at 16221 Foster Street, Overland Park, Kansas 66085, (hereinafter referred to as "Tenant");

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual promises and covenants herein contained, and in consideration of the sum of \$1.00 lawful monies of the United States in hand paid by each party to the other, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties do hereby agree as follows:

### **1. Description and Use.**

a. Landlord hereby rents to Tenant, and Tenant hereby rents from Landlord, that 5,541± square feet of building space commonly referred to as the "Terminal Building" situated at 660 Hangar Road, Rome, New York, as more particularly shown on Exhibit "A" annexed hereto, hereinafter referred to as the "Demised Premises". The Demised Premises shall be used by Tenant for the purpose of conducting, performing and providing services commonly and routinely provided by a Fixed Base Operator ("FBO"). Said use shall be conducted in compliance with all applicable building and/or fire codes and Tenant shall comply with all the General Terms and Conditions annexed hereto and marked as Exhibit "B".

### **2. Term.**

a. The Term of this Agreement shall be for a period of ten (10) years, commencing on January 1, 2015 and ending on December 31, 2024 (the "Term"), unless this Agreement is sooner terminated in accordance herewith.

b. In the event the Tenant remains in possession of the Demised Premises after the expiration of the Term, the Tenant shall be deemed to be occupying the premises as a Tenant from month-to-month, with the parties therefore subject to existing provisions of law and all of the conditions of said Agreement

insofar as they are applicable to a month-to-month tenancy until the premises are vacated by the Tenant or until the parties enter into a new agreement, whichever is sooner. Also, in this event, the Tenant hereby agrees that the rent to be charged during such month-to-month tenancy shall be increased by adding three percent (3%) to the base rent that was in effect for the immediately preceding Term.

### 3. Base Rent.

a. The Tenant shall pay rent, as and for the use of the Demised Premises, in accordance with the following schedule:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Annual Rent</u>	<u>Monthly Rent</u>
1	\$ 99,738.00	\$8,311.50
2	\$102,730.14	\$8,560.85
3	\$102,730.14	\$8,560.85
4	\$102,730.14	\$8,560.85
5	\$102,730.14	\$8,560.85
6	\$102,730.14	\$8,560.85
7	\$102,730.14	\$8,560.85
8	\$102,730.14	\$8,560.85
9	\$102,730.14	\$8,560.85
10	\$102,730.14	\$8,560.85

b. The annual rent shall be paid in twelve (12) equal monthly installments as indicated above, such monthly installments to be paid in advance on or before the 1<sup>st</sup> day of each and every month throughout the Term.

c. All such rental payments shall be made payable to the "County of Oneida" and remitted to 660 Hangar Road, Rome, NY 13441 or to such other address as the Landlord may, from time to time, may designate. In the event any retroactive rental payments are due hereunder, payment of same shall be made on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of the next succeeding month.

### 4. Security Deposit.

The Tenant shall **NOT** be required to post a Security Deposit with the Landlord for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of this Lease.

### 5. General Terms and Conditions.

a. This Agreement is subject to the General Terms and Conditions, annexed hereto and marked as **Exhibit "B"**, and the Standard Conditions, annexed hereto as **Exhibit "C"**, both of which are hereby incorporated by reference.

### 6. Other Miscellaneous

a. The Landlord shall furnish the following utilities, at its sole cost and expense: heat, electricity, water, gas, and sewer service. There shall be no additional reimbursement due from Tenant to Landlord relating to same.

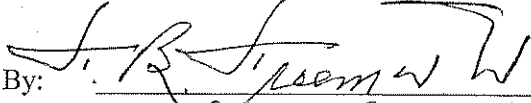
b. The Tenant shall be responsible for securing and paying for any and all costs associated with trash disposal, janitorial service, fiberoptic lines, telephone, internet, or cable, relating to the Demised Premises.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the parties have executed this Agreement which shall become effective as of the date first above written.

County of Oneida, Landlord

Freeman Holdings of New York, LLC

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

By:   
Name: Francis B. Freeman, Jr.  
Title: Managing member

Approved as to form only:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Oneida County Attorney's Office

# Exhibit A



**CGS COMPANIES**  
 CGS Architects, Engineers & Planners, Inc.  
 100 West Street, 10th Floor  
 New York, New York 10038  
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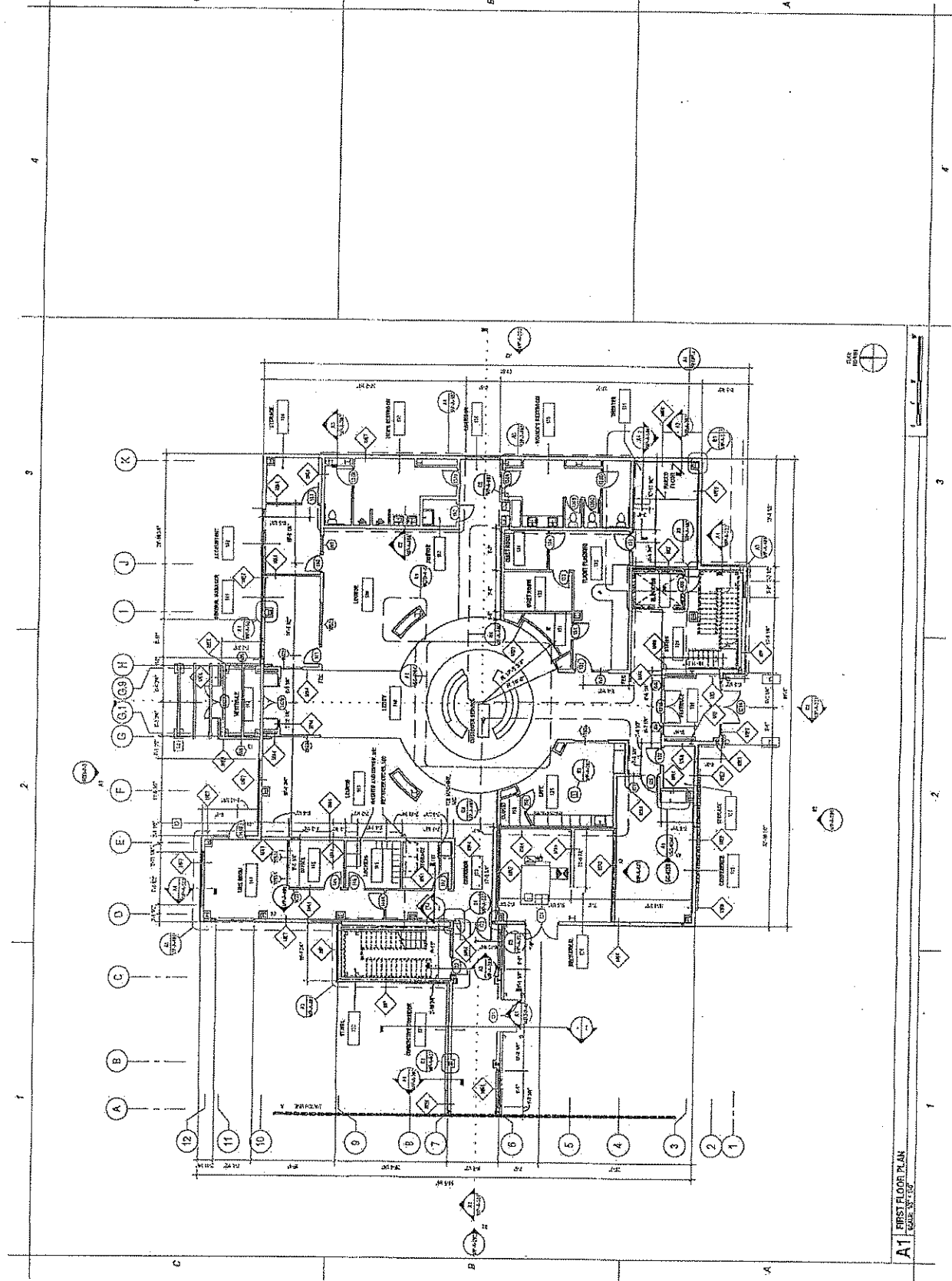
**GRIFFISS INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT  
 MULTI-PURPOSE AND FIS FACILITY  
 ROME, NEW YORK**

NO.	DATE	DESCRIPTION	REVISION
1	08/14/07	ISSUED FOR PERMITTING	
2	08/14/07	ISSUED FOR PERMITTING	
3	08/14/07	ISSUED FOR PERMITTING	
4	08/14/07	ISSUED FOR PERMITTING	
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12	08/14/07	ISSUED FOR PERMITTING	

FIRST FLOOR PLAN

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# **Exhibit B**

## EXHIBIT "B" - GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- 1. Late Charge.** If any sum due from Tenant is not actually received by Landlord within fifteen (15) days of the date due, then Tenant shall pay a late charge of five percent (5%) of the amount due, in addition to any reasonable attorneys' fees, collection expenses, or interest incurred by Tenant's failure to make timely payments. Landlord shall have the right, but not the obligation, to provide Tenant with monthly or annual invoices for Rent payments; a timely payment of Rent is due regardless of the issuance of such invoices, or lack thereof.
- 2. Proration of Rent.** In the event that the Term of this Agreement begins or terminates on any date other than the first day or last day of a calendar month, the applicable Rent and charges for that month shall be paid for that month on a pro rata basis according to the number of days in that month during which the Demised Premises was enjoyed by Tenant.
- 3. Delivery of Rent.** Rent checks shall be made payable to "County of Oneida" and shall be mailed or delivered to: 660 Hangar Road, Rome, NY 13441, or to such other place or places as Landlord may, from time to time, designate, in writing.
- 4. Security Deposit.** The Security Deposit, if any, shall be returned to Tenant upon termination of this Agreement after Tenant has vacated the Premises, provided that Tenant has fully and faithfully carried out all of the terms and provisions of this Agreement, including but not limited to the prompt payment of Rent and any other sums due Landlord. No interest shall be payable by Landlord to Tenant on account of such Security Deposit. Landlord shall have the right, but not the obligation, to apply all or any part of such Security Deposit to cure any default of Tenant, and if Landlord does so, Tenant shall upon demand by Landlord, deposit with Landlord the amount necessary for Landlord to have at all times on hand the full amount of the Security Deposit required under this Agreement, and if Tenant fails to restore such Security Deposit to the full deposit amount within three (3) days after receipt of such demand, such failure shall constitute a material breach of the Agreement.
- 5. Permitted Uses; Prohibited Uses.**

  - a. The Demised Premises shall be used by the Tenant only for the purposes identified in the Agreement, and for no other use. Painting, other than minor touch up of an aircraft, is prohibited within the Demised Premises unless otherwise approved by Landlord and the local fire marshal. Storage of non-aviation items in the Demised Premises is not allowed. Kerosene or gas-fired heaters or any type of open-flame heaters or devices are prohibited in the Demised Premises.
  - b. In that the Demised Premises are located at the Griffiss International Airport, Tenant shall not use the Demised Premises in a manner that would violate the rules and regulations of the Federal Aviation Administration or the Griffiss International Airport (hereinafter referred to as "Airport"). Tenant acknowledges that Tenant has conducted Tenant's own investigation and has determined that the Demised Premises are suitable for Tenant's intended use.
  - c. Tenant will not make or permit any use of the Demised Premises that would be (1) offensive so as to constitute a nuisance; (2) unlawful under any federal, state, or county code, ordinance, or regulation; (3) injurious to any person or property; (4) prohibited by a New York standard form fire insurance policy; or (5) which may increase or cause the Landlord to incur liability under any laws relating to the use and storage of hazardous materials.
- 6. Ingress and Egress.** Tenant shall have reasonable right of ingress and egress across Landlord's adjoining property in common with others in order to obtain access to the Demised Premises. The ramp areas and taxi-lanes adjacent to the Demised Premises shall be and are deemed to be right-of-way and common areas to which the Tenant shall have non-exclusive access to and use of for the Term of this Agreement and any renewals thereof.
- 7. Utilities and Services.** Except as otherwise provided for in this Agreement, Tenant shall be responsible for the costs and payment of all utilities and services furnished to the Demised Premises. The utilities will be assessed and charged by the Landlord to the Tenant on a "per square foot" basis. The Landlord shall not be liable for any interruption or delay in such utility services, unless such delay or interruption is caused by the Landlord's negligence or willful misconduct.
- 8. Casualty.** In the event that the Demised Premises or the means of access thereto, shall be damaged by fire or any other cause, the Rent payable hereunder shall not abate, provided that the Demised Premises are not rendered

unusable by such damage. If the Demised Premises are rendered unusable as determined by Rome City Fire or Codes personnel and Landlord elects to repair the same, the Rent shall abate for the period during which such repairs are being made, provided the damage was not caused by the acts or omissions of Tenant or Tenant's employees, agents or invitees. If Tenant or Tenant's employees, agents, or invitees caused such damage, the Rent shall not abate. If the Demised Premises are rendered unusable and Landlord elects not to repair the same, the Agreement shall be terminable at the option of either party.

#### **9. Insurance and Indemnification.**

a. During the term of the Agreement, including all renewals, Tenant shall maintain, at Tenant's own expense, for the benefit of Tenant, and Landlord as additional insured, a Comprehensive General Liability insurance policy, which coverage shall be Per Occurrence, Combined Single Limit for Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability, with minimum coverage of \$1,000,000 per occurrence / \$2,000,000 aggregate. The coverage shall include broad form contractual liability, and comprehensive general liability for bodily injury and property damage, and product liability for bodily injury and property damage for the purpose of insuring against liability for damage or loss to aircraft or other property and against liability for personal injury or death, arising from acts or omissions of Tenant or Tenant's agents, employees, or invitees. Tenant shall also procure and maintain a New York State statutory Workmen's Compensation and Employer's Liability policy containing a waiver of subrogation in favor of the Landlord. In the event that Tenant operates automobiles or trucks on the Airport, then Tenant shall provide automobile liability insurance covering any automobile, including but not limited to non-owned, hired and borrowed automobiles with a combined bodily injury / property damage limit of \$10,000,000. Tenant shall procure aircraft liability insurance on all owned, leased, rented or borrowed aircraft, with a combined single limit of \$10,000,000 per occurrence for bodily injury, property damage and passengers, aircraft physical damage insurance (all risks) on all aircraft owned, leased, rented or borrowed by Tenant and located at the Airport, in amounts equal to the value of the aircraft, which policy shall include a waiver of subrogation favor of the County, airport general liability insurance, including bodily injury, property damage, personal injury, premises and operations, contractual, products and completed operations, and hangar keeper's liability. Coverage must be included for New York State Labor Law losses. The minimum limit of such coverage shall be a combined single bodily injury/personal injury/property damage of \$25,000,000 per occurrence and an aggregate limit of \$50,000,000. Products and completed operations coverage shall have an aggregate limit of \$50,000,000 and shall cover all Tenant's operations at the Airport. The hangar keeper's liability shall be a separate limit of \$100,000,000 per aircraft and \$100,000,000 per occurrence. Such policy or policies shall contain a provision whereby Landlord must receive at least thirty (30) days prior written notice of any cancellation of Tenant's insurance coverage. Prior to the commencement of this Agreement, Tenant shall deliver to Landlord certificates, endorsements, or binders evidencing the existence of the insurance required herein.

b. Tenant further agrees to hold Landlord harmless from all claims and losses by reason of an accident or damage to any person or property happening on or about the Demised Premises arising from acts or omissions of Tenant or Tenant's agents, employees, or invitees; to the extent allowed by law, Tenant shall indemnify and hold Landlord harmless against all liability or loss and against all claims or actions based upon or arising out of damage or injury (including death) to persons or property caused by or sustained in connection with the Demised Premises or based upon any violation of any statute, ordinance, building code, or regulation, and the defense of any such claims or actions, resulting from the acts or omissions of Tenant or Tenant's agents, employees, or invitees.

c. In the event that any claim in writing is asserted by a third party, which may entitle the Landlord to indemnification, Landlord shall give notice thereof to Tenant, which notice shall be accompanied by a copy of the statement of the claim. Following the notice, Tenant shall have the right, but not the obligation, to participate at its sole expense, in the defense, compromise or settlement of such claim with counsel of its choice. If Tenant shall fail timely to defend, contest or otherwise protect against any suit, action or other proceeding arising from such claim, or in the event Landlord decides to participate in the proceeding or defense, Landlord shall have the right to defend, contest, or otherwise protect itself against same and be reimbursed for expenses and reasonable attorney's fees and, upon not less than ten (10) days' notice to Tenant, to make any reasonable compromise or settlement thereof. In connection with any claim as aforesaid, the parties hereto shall cooperate fully with each other and make available all pertinent information necessary or advisable for the defense, compromise or settlement of such claim.

d. The indemnification provisions of this paragraph shall survive the termination of the Agreement.

#### **10. Environmental Indemnity.**

a. Tenant shall not permit the Demised Premises to be contaminated with any environmental hazard and Tenant shall not store hazardous waste or materials, contaminants, or flammable materials, including but not limited

to gasoline, on the Demised Premises. Tenant shall indemnify, protect, and hold Landlord harmless from any environmental damage resulting from Tenant's use of the Demised Premises, and, if such environmental damage resulting from Tenant's use of the Demised Premises is discovered, Tenant shall promptly undertake and pursue diligently appropriate steps to repair the damage. Furthermore, Tenant shall notify Landlord, in writing, of any incident or occurrence which results in environmental damage within twenty-four (24) hours after such incident or occurrence or following the discovery of same.

b. The environmental indemnification provisions of this paragraph shall survive the termination of the Lease.

**11. Obligations of Landlord.** Landlord will maintain the structural components of the Demised Premises, including doors and door mechanisms, and Landlord will provide normal building maintenance without additional cost to Tenant. Tenant shall have at all times the reasonable right of ingress to and egress from the Demised Premises over and across the Landlord's adjoining premises, in common with others. To ensure this right, Landlord shall make all reasonable efforts to keep areas adjacent to the Demised Premises free and clear of all hazards and obstructions, natural or man-made.

**12. Obligations of Tenant.**

a. **Storage.** The Demised Premises shall be used only as described in this Agreement.

b. **Maintenance and Repair.** Tenant shall maintain the Demised Premises in a neat and orderly condition, and shall keep all areas clean and clear of oil, grease or toxic chemicals. No hazardous or flammable materials will be stored within or about the Demised Premises. No boxes, crates, rubbish, paper or other litter shall be permitted to accumulate within or about the Demised Premises.

c. **Damage.** Tenant shall be responsible for all damage to the Demised Premises caused by use or negligence of Tenant, or Tenant's agents, employees, or invitees. Tenant shall be responsible for all damage to property, real or personal, located on or about the Demised Premises caused by the use or negligence of Tenant, or Tenant's agents, employees, or invitees. Landlord reserves the right to make such repairs, at Tenant's expense, which shall be deemed "additional rent" and shall become due and payable as part of Tenant's next monthly Rent payment. Tenant shall make no structural, electrical, or other modification to the Demised Premises without first obtaining Landlord's written permission and obtaining any permits, if required.

d. **Tenant's Personal Property.** All personal property placed or moved into the Demised Premises shall be at the risk of Tenant or owner thereof, and Landlord shall not be liable for any damage to personal property, or to Tenant, arising from any act of negligence of any other tenant or occupant at the Airport. Tenant agrees and understands that Tenant is responsible for the proper securing of personal property and shall further indemnify and hold Landlord harmless for any damage or liability caused by improper securing of personal property. Landlord shall not be responsible for any loss from theft, vandalism, or act of God, and all personal property stored upon the Demised Premises is at Tenant's sole risk.

e. **Compliance with Laws.** Tenant agrees to and shall comply with all applicable ordinances, rules, and regulations established by federal, state, or local government agencies or by Landlord. Tenant shall be responsible for obtaining and complying with all governmental permits required for Tenant's use and occupancy of the Demised Premises, if any. Tenant further expressly represents, covenants, warrants, guarantees, and agrees that it shall fully comply with all federal, state and local laws, ordinances, rules and regulations protecting the environment. Tenant agrees to keep itself reasonably informed of future changes in the existing environmental laws. Tenant hereby expressly agrees to indemnify and hold Landlord harmless from and against any and all liability for fines and physical damage to property or injury or death to persons, including reasonable expense and attorneys' fees, arising from or resulting out of, or in any way caused by, Tenant's failure to comply with any and all applicable federal, state, and local laws, ordinances, regulations, rulings, orders and standards, now or hereafter promulgated for the purpose of protecting the environment. Tenant agrees to cooperate with any investigation or inquiry by any governmental agency regarding possible violation of any environmental law or regulation.

f. **Fire Extinguisher.** Tenant shall maintain at all times, in the Demised Premises, a minimum of two (2) approved twenty (20) pound dry chemical portable fire extinguishers suitable for use on Class "A", "B", and "C" fires with a current inspection certificate from an approved fire equipment company affixed.

g. **Surrender upon Termination.** On the termination of the Agreement, for any reason other than as a result of a default in payment or performance by Tenant, Tenant shall immediately surrender possession of the Demised Premises and shall remove aircraft and all other property therein, leaving the Demised Premises in the same condition as when received, ordinary wear and tear excepted. Tenant shall be liable for any and all damage to the Demised Premises caused by the use or negligence of Tenant or Tenant's agents, employees, or invitees,

including, but not limited to, damage to doors or interior walls by being bent or broken or damage to floors due to fuel or oil spillage. If Tenant fails to remove such items from the Demised Premises and to repair such damage upon vacating the premises, then Landlord may remove the items and repair the damages, and Tenant shall promptly pay the costs and expenses of such removal and repairs upon proper demand by Landlord.

**h. Compliance with All Resolutions, Rules, Regulations, and Standards.** Tenant acknowledges that Landlord operates an airport, and resolutions, rules, regulations, and standards must be adopted by Landlord and modified from time to time in order to promote the orderly operation and development of the Airport. Therefore, Tenant agrees to be bound by all terms and provisions of any resolutions, rules, regulations, and standards that may from time to time be adopted by Landlord, provided that such resolutions, rules, regulations, and standards do not increase the Rent to be paid by Tenant. The parties agree that Tenant's use of the Demised Premises and any rights conferred to Tenant in the Agreement shall be subject to Landlord's minimum standards, as amended from time to time, provided that no such rules, regulations, or standards shall be adopted or modified following the commencement of the Term of this Agreement which shall unduly or materially interfere with or cause any derogation or infringement with or upon the rights and privileges granted to Tenant in the Agreement. Tenant shall be given advance notice of any proposed change or addition to such rules, regulations, and standards, and Tenant shall be given an opportunity to be heard thereon. All the terms, conditions, and covenants of the Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and shall be binding upon the successors and assigns of the parties.

**i. Signs.** Tenant shall not erect or post any signs without the Landlord's written permission.

**j. Covenant Not to Abandon.** Tenant hereby covenants not to abandon the Demised Premises prior to the expiration of the Term without a Surrender Agreement with the Landlord in place. Abandonment of the Demised Premises shall be defined to include but not be limited to the cessation of operations, or abandonment of Tenant-owned or third party-owned property at the Demised Premises unattended, or removal of substantial portions of Tenant's property from the Demised Premises, other than in the normal course of Tenant's business. The Tenant acknowledges that any abandonment of the Demised Premises will entitle the Landlord to obtain an injunction or order compelling the Tenant to return to its business in the Demised Premises, and the Tenant hereby consents to such injunction or order, in addition to any other remedies to which the Landlord may be entitled at law or in equity, including monetary damages related to any premature cessation of operations which causes expense to the Landlord, including but not limited to such matters as environmental remediation, cleaning of premises or removal of debris left by the Tenant prior to completion of the Term.

**k. Covenant Not to Vacate.** Tenant hereby covenants to continuously occupy the Demised Premises and not to vacate the Demised Premises prior to the expiration of the Term, without a Surrender Agreement with the Landlord in place. Vacating the Demised Premises shall be defined to include but not be limited to the withdrawal or cessation of operations or abandonment of Tenant-owned or third party-owned property at the Demised Premises unattended, or removal of substantial portions of Tenant's property from the Demised Premises, other than in the normal course of Tenant's business. The Tenant acknowledges that any failure to occupy the Demised Premises will entitle the Landlord to obtain an injunction or order compelling the Tenant to return to its business in the Demised Premises, and the Tenant hereby consents to such injunction or order, in addition to any other remedies to which the Landlord may be entitled at law or in equity, including monetary damages related to any premature cessation of operations which causes expense to the Landlord, including but not limited to such matters as environmental remediation, cleaning of premises or removal of debris left by the Tenant prior to completion of the Term.

**l. Covenant of Continuous Operations.** The Tenant hereby covenants that during the Term, the Tenant will continue its operations for the entire length of the Lease and not cease operations or leave the Demised Premises prematurely without a Surrender Agreement with the Landlord in place. The Tenant acknowledges that any failure to so continuously operate will entitle the Landlord to obtain an injunction or order compelling the Tenant to continuously operate its business in the Demised Premises, and the Tenant hereby consents to such injunction or order in addition to any other remedies to which the Landlord may be entitled at law or in equity, including monetary damages related to any premature cessation of operations which causes expense to the Landlord, including but not limited to such matters as environmental remediation, cleaning of premises or removal of debris left by the Tenant prior to completion of lease term.

**13. Nondiscrimination.** Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, during the Term of the Agreement, Tenant for itself, its heirs, personal representatives, successors in interest, and/or assigns, as the case may be, as part of the consideration for the Agreement, does hereby covenant and agree that:

a. No person shall be excluded from participation in, denied the benefits of, or otherwise be subjected to discrimination in the use of the Demised Premises on the grounds of race, color, religion, sex, disability, age, national origin or other protected class.

b. In the construction of any improvements on, over, or under the Demised Premises, and the furnishing of services therein or thereon, no person shall be excluded from participation in, denied the benefits of, or otherwise be subjected to discrimination on the grounds of race, color, religion, sex, disability, age, national origin or other protected class.

c. Tenant shall use the Demised Premises in compliance with all other requirements imposed by or pursuant to Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally-Assisted Programs of the Department of Transportation - Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, and as such regulations may be amended.

d. In the event of breach of any of the above nondiscrimination covenants, Landlord shall have the right to terminate the Agreement and to reenter and repossess the Demised Premises and hold the premises as if the Agreement had never been made or issued. The provision does not become effective until the procedures of Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 21, have been followed and completed, including the exercise or expiration of appeal rights.

#### **14. Reservation of Rights by Landlord.**

a. **Development.** Landlord reserves the right to further develop and improve the Airport as Landlord sees fit, without interference or hindrance, but taking into consideration the desires and views of Tenant, and for purposes of developing and improving the Airport, Landlord reserves the right upon reasonable notice to enter upon the Demised Premises and make improvements to same. Landlord shall make every effort to minimize the disruption of normal Airport usage during periods of repair or further development of the Airport.

b. **Relocation.** Landlord reserves the right upon thirty (30) days written notice to relocate Tenant to a similar size facility in other areas of the Airport at Landlord's sole expense.

c. **National Emergency.** Landlord further reserves the right, during time of war or national emergency, to lease the landing area or common areas of the Airport to the United States Government or the State of New York for military use or for natural disaster relief operations, and if such a lease is executed with the federal or state government, the terms of the Agreement which are inconsistent with the lease to the government shall be temporarily suspended and rent shall be abated accordingly during the tenancy by the government.

#### **15. Right of Access and Inspection.**

a. Landlord will retain a key for access to the Demised Premises. Tenant will not change locks without prior notice and agreement of Landlord.

b. Landlord shall have the right to make reasonable inspections of the Demised Premises between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on weekdays, exclusive of federal holidays. Landlord shall have the right at any other time to enter the Demised Premises for security, fire, other emergencies, or making repairs.

**16. Assurance Agreements.** The Demised Premises are subject to the terms of those certain assurances made to guarantee the public use of the Airport as incident to grant agreements between Oneida County, New York, the State of New York, and the United States of America, as amended. The terms and provisions of this Agreement shall be given only such effect as will not conflict or be inconsistent with the terms and conditions contained in the assurance agreements and any existing or subsequent amendments to any of the provisions of the assurance agreements. Landlord represents, certifies, and warrants to Tenant that the terms and conditions of this Agreement do not presently so conflict with, and are not presently inconsistent with, any such assurances, and further represents, certifies, and warrants that if, at any time in the future, this Agreement or any part thereof should so conflict with or be inconsistent with any such assurances, Tenant shall have the right of immediate unilateral termination of this Agreement.

**17. Federal Aviation Administration Requirements.** In the event that the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) or its successors require modification or change in this Agreement as a condition precedent to (1) the granting of funds for the improvement of the Airport, or (2) as a condition precedent to compliance with FAA regulations or standards, Tenant agrees to consent to such amendments, modifications, or changes to this Agreement as may be reasonably required to either obtain such funds or comply with such regulations or standards. However, in no event shall Tenant be required pursuant to this paragraph to agree to an increase in the Rent provided for in the

Agreement or to agree to a reduction in size of the Demised Premises, or a change in the authorized use to which Tenant has put the Demised Premises without an adjustment in Rent.

**18. Airspace.** As a condition of this Agreement, Landlord reserves unto itself, its successors, and assigns, for use and benefit of the public, a right of flight for the passage of aircraft in the airspace above the surface of the Demised Premises, together with the right to cause in the airspace such noise as may be inherent in the operation of aircraft, now known or hereafter used, for navigation of or flight in the airspace, and for use of the airspace for landing on, taking off from, or operating on the Airport. Tenant expressly agrees for itself, its successors and assigns, to restrict the height of structures, objects of natural growth and other obstructions on the Demised Premises to such a height in compliance with Federal Aviation Regulations, Part 77. Tenant agrees for itself, its successors and assigns, to prevent any use of the Demised Premises which would interfere with or adversely affect the operation or maintenance of the Airport, or otherwise constitute an airport hazard.

**19. No Grant of Exclusive Right or Privilege.** Notwithstanding anything contained in this Agreement that may be, or may appear to be, to the contrary, it is expressly understood and agreed that the rights granted under this Agreement are non-exclusive, and Landlord reserves the right to grant similar privileges to another tenant or other tenants on other parts of the Airport. Nothing in the Agreement shall be construed as granting an exclusive right or privilege other than the right of Tenant to possess and to peacefully enjoy the use of the Demised Premises in accordance with the Agreement.

**20. Sublease.**

a. Tenant shall not enter into any sub-agreement or sub-lease of the Demised Premises or assign its rights under this Agreement without prior written approval of Landlord. Tenant shall not either voluntarily, or by operation of law, assign, or transfer the leasehold interest granted by this Agreement or any interest therein, and shall not sublet the Demised Premises or any part thereof, or any right or privilege appurtenant thereto, nor allow the sale or transfer of a majority interest or majority ownership of Tenant, without first obtaining the written consent of the Landlord. The consent to one assignment or subletting shall not be deemed to be consent to any subsequent assignment, subletting, or encumbrance. Any such subsequent assignment or subletting shall be void, and shall, at the option of Landlord, constitute a default of this Agreement.

b. Regardless of Landlord's consent, no subletting or assignment shall release Tenant or Guarantor, if any, from any obligations and/or liabilities of Tenant or Guarantor, if any, to pay the Rent and to perform all other obligations required of Tenant by the Agreement. The acceptance of the Rent by Landlord from any other person shall not be deemed to be a waiver by Landlord of any provision of the Agreement. In the event of a default by any assignee or subtenant of Tenant in the performance of any of the terms of the Agreement, Landlord may proceed directly against Tenant without the necessity of exhausting remedies against an assignee or subtenant.

**21. Condition of Premises.** Tenant shall accept, and has accepted, the Demised Premises in its present condition, AS IS, without any liability or obligation on the part of either Landlord or Tenant to make any alterations, improvements or repairs of any kind on or about the Demised Premises.

**22. Disclaimer of Warranty and Responsibility for Securing Aircraft.** Tenant accepts all facilities on the Premises on an "as is" basis. Landlord hereby disclaims, and Tenant accepts such disclaimer, of any warranty, either express or implied of the condition, use, or fitness of the tie-down rings, ropes, chains, or other apparatus used to secure airplanes, and Tenant assumes full responsibility to furnish any equipment necessary to properly secure Tenant's aircraft. Tenant agrees and understands that Tenant is responsible for the proper tie down or securing of aircraft inside or outside of the Demised Premises and shall further indemnify and hold harmless the Landlord for any damage or liability caused by improper tie down or securing. Landlord shall not be liable for any loss from theft, vandalism or act of God, and all aircraft are stored or parked on the Demised Premises or Airport at Tenant's sole risk.

**23. Alterations; Liens.**

a. Tenant covenants and agrees not to install any fixtures or make any alterations, additions or improvements to the Demised Premises without the prior written approval of Landlord. All fixtures installed or additions and improvements made to the Demised Premises shall become Landlord's property and shall, at the election of the Landlord, remain in the Demised Premises at the termination of the Agreement without compensation or payment to Tenant. Tenant shall not suffer or permit any lien to be filed against the Demised Premises or any part



of Landlord's interest, by reason of work, labor, services or materials performed or supplied to Tenant or anyone holding the Demised Premises or any part thereof under Tenant. If any such lien is filed against the Demised Premises or Landlord's interest, Tenant shall cause the same to be discharged of record within thirty (30) days after the date of filing the same, and shall incur all charges in procuring the release of such lien.

b. Tenant agrees to pay all lawful and valid liens affecting Landlord's fee title to the Leasehold Premises placed against Tenant by its contractors, subcontractors, mechanics, laborers, material men, and other items of like character, and indemnify Landlord against all expenses, costs and charges, including bond premiums for release of liens and reasonable attorneys' fees incurred in the defense of any suit in discharging the Demised Premises or any part thereof from any such liens, or lawful and valid judgments, or encumbrances caused by Tenant.

c. Tenant shall not have any authority to create any liens for labor or material in the Rent interest owned by Landlord or Landlord's interest in the Demised Premises by any persons contracting with Tenant for the destruction or removal of any facilities or other improvements or for the construction, erection, installation, alteration, or repair of any facilities or other improvements on or about the Demised Premises. All materialmen, contractors, subcontractors, mechanics, and laborers, are hereby charged with notice that they must look only to Tenant and to Tenant's interests in the property in the Demised Premises to secure the payment of any bill for work done or materials furnished at the request or instruction of Tenant.

**24. Events of Default by Tenant.** The occurrence of any of the following shall constitute an event of default under the Agreement:

a. Tenant fails to pay any part or all the money due Landlord under the Agreement, and such non-payment continues for a period of thirty (30) days after written notice;

b. Tenant fails to perform or breaches any term, covenant, or provision of the Agreement, and such non-performance or breach is not cured within thirty (30) days after written notice of the default from Landlord is delivered to Tenant;

c. Tenant is the subject a voluntary or involuntary petition for bankruptcy protection (including a petition for reorganization or an agreement), Tenant makes a general or other assignment for the benefit of creditors, or Tenant's assets or operations become subject to the control of a court-appointed receiver;

d. Landlord determines that Tenant is not in compliance with the terms of the Agreement on a routine or consistent basis.

**25. Remedies on Default by Tenant.** In the event of any default of the Agreement by Tenant, Landlord shall have the right, at its earliest option, to pursue any one or more of the following remedies, in addition or in place of the remedies otherwise provided herein or by statute, without notice and demand whatsoever to Tenant or Guarantor, if any:

a. Landlord shall have the right to terminate the Agreement and to enter upon and take possession of the Demised Premises and to remove the aircraft and any other property of Tenant from the Demised Premises without being deemed guilty of trespass, breach of peace or forcible entry and detainer and without prejudice to any other remedy for possession or arrearage in Rent, and Tenant expressly waives the service of any notice. Tenant agrees to pay Landlord on demand the amount of all loss or damage which Landlord may suffer by reason of such termination, including the expenses of retaking, re-renting the Demised Premises, and loss of Rent through the inability to re-let the Demised Premises.

b. Landlord shall have the right to enter upon and take possession of the Demised Premises, and re-let the Demised Premises and receive the Rents therefore without thereby terminating or avoiding the Agreement. Tenant agrees to pay Landlord on the due date of each month thereafter sums equivalent to the monthly Rent payable under the Agreement, less the avails of re-letting, if any.

c. Exercise by Landlord of either or both of the rights specified above shall not prejudice Landlord's right to pursue any other legal remedy available to Landlord in law or equity, including, but not limited to, court costs and attorneys' fees for bringing legal action against Tenant. All of the foregoing rights, remedies, powers, and elections of Landlord are cumulative, and pursuit of any of the foregoing shall not preclude other remedies provided by law, nor shall such pursuit constitute a forfeiture or waiver of any rent due to Landlord or of any damages occurring to Landlord by reason of the violation of any of the provisions of the Agreement. Forbearance by Landlord to enforce one or more of the remedies upon an event of default shall not be deemed or construed to constitute a waiver of such default.

d. Tenant agrees that no assent, express or implied, by Landlord to any breach of the Agreement by Tenant shall be deemed to be a waiver of any succeeding breach by Tenant.

e. All sums due under the Agreement shall be paid by Tenant to Landlord without any setoff or counterclaim whatsoever and all past due sums shall bear interest at the maximum legal rate per annum. The subsequent acceptance of Rents under the Agreement by Landlord shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any preceding default by Tenant of any term, covenant or condition of the Agreement, other than the failure to pay the particular Rents so accepted, regardless of Landlord's knowledge of such preceding default at the time of accepting the Rents.

**26. Waiver of Breach.** Tenant agrees that no assent, express or implied, by Landlord to any breach of the Agreement by Tenant shall be deemed to be a waiver of any succeeding breach by Tenant.

**27. Surrender at End of Lease.** Tenant agrees upon termination of the Agreement for any reason to peaceably yield up to Landlord the Demises Premises in neat and clean condition, with all debris removed, and in the same condition as at the inception of the Lease, reasonable wear and tear excepted.

**28. Landlord's Lien.** Tenant hereby gives and grants to Landlord a lien upon, and pledges as collateral to the Landlord in case of default, all fixtures, chattels and personal property of every kind and description now or hereafter to be placed, installed, or stored by Tenant at the Airport, and Tenant agrees that in the event of any failure on the part of Tenant to comply with each and every one of the covenants and obligations hereof, or in the event of any default continuing for sixty (60) days of any specified rent, Landlord may take possession of and sell the same in any manner provided by law and may credit the net proceeds upon an indebtedness due, or damage sustained by Landlord without prejudice to further claims thereafter to arise under the terms of this Agreement.

**29. Notices.** All notices to the parties shall be sent or delivered to that party at the address first written for that party in the Agreement, or at such other address as may, from time to time, be designated by such party. All notices shall be in writing and shall be either personally to the other party in hand with proof of delivery or by certified mail, return receipt requested, and postage prepaid. Notices sent or delivered by mail in accordance with this paragraph shall be deemed to have been given five (5) business days after the date of mailing, and all other notices delivered by any other means with proof of delivery, such as hand delivery or express delivery, shall be deemed to have been given when received.

**30. Miscellaneous Provisions.**

a. **Successors Bound.** This Agreement shall not be effective or binding on any party until fully executed. All of the covenants, conditions and obligations of this Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the respective heirs, administrators, successors, and assigns of the parties, as the case may be.

b. **Joinder by Guarantor; Personal Guarantee.** By joining in the execution of this Agreement, Guarantor, if any, hereby unconditionally guarantees performance of each and every obligation of Tenant created in this Agreement. Guarantor waives any requirement of notice of non-payment or non-performance, proof, or demand, as a condition for liability by Guarantor. Guarantor expressly agrees that the validity of this Agreement and the obligations of this personal guarantee shall in no way be terminated, affected, or impaired by reason of assertion by Landlord against Tenant of any of the rights or remedies reserved to Landlord pursuant to the provisions of this Agreement, or by Landlord granting any indulgence or giving of additional time to Tenant for the performance of any of the obligations of this Agreement. This personal guarantee shall remain in full force and effect as to any amendment, modification, renewal, extension, or otherwise, of this Agreement. Landlord need not pursue any remedies against Tenant before enforcing this personal guarantee against Guarantor. If there is more than one person or entity signing this Agreement as Guarantor, the obligations imposed by this Agreement on Guarantor shall be joint and several.

c. **Construction of Agreement.** Words of any gender used in this Agreement shall be construed to include any other gender, and words in singular number shall be held to include the plural, and vice versa, when the sense requires. The headings or captions for paragraphs or subparagraphs in this Agreement are for convenience only and are not a part of this Agreement and do not in any way limit or expand the terms and provisions of this Agreement.

d. **Judicial Interpretation.** If any provision of this Agreement becomes subject to judicial interpretation, it is agreed that the court interpreting or considering such provision will not apply the presumption or rule of construction that the terms of this Agreement be more strictly construed against the party which itself or through its counsel prepared the same, because all parties have participated in the preparation of the final form of the

Agreement through review and negotiation of terms, and therefore, the application of such presumption or rule of construction would be inappropriate and contrary to the intent of the parties.

**e. Severability.** In the event that any provision of this Agreement is determined to be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable for any reason, then the parties shall negotiate in good faith and agree on such amendments or modifications to this Agreement, or such other appropriate actions, that will to the maximum extent practicable in light of such determination, give effect to the intentions of the parties as reflected in this Agreement, and all other provisions of this Agreement, as amended, modified, or otherwise, shall remain in full force and effect, but if, after good faith negotiations, the parties fail to reach an agreement regarding the invalid, illegal, or unenforceable provisions, then the parties agree that such provisions shall be severed from this Agreement and such severance shall not invalidate any other provision of this Agreement or this Agreement itself.

**f. Joint Obligations.** If there is more than one person or entity signing this Agreement as Tenant, the obligations imposed by this Agreement on Tenant shall be joint and several.

**g. Entire Agreement.** This Agreement contains the entire agreement between the parties, and no prior or independent agreements or understandings between the parties pertaining to the renting of the Demised Premises shall be effective for any purpose. Tenant acknowledges that any representations, statements, or negotiations made by Landlord or by any of Landlord's staff, employees, counsel, or any other agent, do not suffice to legally bind Landlord, unless such representations have been reduced to writing and fully executed by all of the parties.

**h. Written Modifications.** No provision of this Agreement may be changed or modified except by an agreement in writing executed by all of the parties or their successors in interest with the same formality as the original Agreement.

**i. Venue; Law.** Venue for all court proceedings to enforce or interpret this Agreement or determine the liabilities and obligations of the parties shall be in Oneida County, New York, and such proceedings shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York.

**j. Subordination.** Upon request of Landlord, Tenant will in writing subordinate Tenant's rights under this Agreement to the lien of any mortgage or deed of trust, to any lender, bank, insurance company or lending institution, or the requirements of any grant for funding that may be sought by Landlord.

**k. Relationship of Parties.** Tenant shall never at any time during the term of this Agreement become the agent of Landlord, and Landlord shall not be responsible for the acts or omissions of Tenant or Tenant's agents. Nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed or construed to create the relationship of principal and agent or of partnership or of joint venture or of any association between the parties other than the relationship of landlord and tenant.

**l. Attorneys' Rents.** It is understood and agreed between the parties hereto that in the event of any litigation between the parties, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover reasonable attorneys' fees and court costs from the losing party.

**m. Material Breach.** The failure of Tenant to comply with any terms or conditions of the Lease or to the General Terms and Conditions set forth herein shall be considered a material breach of the Agreement.

**n. Recording.** This Agreement shall not be recorded in the public records.

# Exhibit C

**EXHIBIT "C" – STANDARD CONDITIONS**

**THIS ADDENDUM**, entered into on this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as **COUNTY**, and a contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as **CONTRACTOR**.

**WHEREAS**, County and Contractor have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

**WHEREAS**, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which County is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

**1. Executor or Non-Appropriation Clause.**

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

**2. Oneida County Board of Legislators: Resolution #249 Solid Waste Disposal Requirements.**

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislator Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

**3. Certification Regarding Lobbying; Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters; and Drug-Free Workplace Requirements.**

a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:

1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, and officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any Federal Grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal grant or cooperative agreement.
  2. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
  3. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,
1. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
    - a. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
    - b. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract 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 contracts 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 indicated or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government 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 Contract had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) for cause or default; and
  2. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.

c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

1. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:
  - a. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
  - b. Establishing an on-going drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:
    1. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
    2. The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
    3. Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
    4. The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;
  - c. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a);
  - d. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:
    1. Abide by the terms of the statement; and
    2. Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;
  - e. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (d)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position title, to: Director Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.
  - f. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted;
    1. Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the Requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
    2. Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;
  - g. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (a),(b),(c),(d),(e),(f).

2. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.

Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F. for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

1. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and
2. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to: Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

**4. Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).**

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:

1. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
2. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
3. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to filing cabinets, and locks on drawers, cabinets, and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.



- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:
1. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
  2. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.
- c. The Contractor shall:
1. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
  2. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
  3. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
  4. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
  5. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.524;
  6. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
  7. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
  8. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
  9. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County that the Contractor still maintains in any form and retain no copies of such information or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.
- d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:
1. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
  2. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or

3. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.

e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

**5. Non-Assignment Clause.**

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and attempts to do so are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

**6. Worker's Compensation Benefits.**

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

**7. Non-Discrimination Requirements.**

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any

employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

**8. Wage and Hours Provisions.**

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

**9. Non-Collusive Bidding Certification.**

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor affirms, under penalty of perjury, that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

**10. Records.**

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails and attachments, rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an

office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute") provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

#### **11. Identifying Information and Privacy Notification.**

a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. The number is any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payees, on its invoice or claim for payment, must give the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.

b. Privacy Notification. (1) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (2) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

#### **12. Conflicting Terms.**

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

**13. Governing Law.**

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal supremacy clause requires otherwise.

**14. Prohibition on Purchase of Tropical Hardwoods.**

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the County.

**15. Compliance with New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act.**

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

**16. Gratuities and Kickbacks.**

a. **Gratuities.** It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request, influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard, rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application, request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

## **17. Audit**

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a Federal financial assistance program from a Federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

## **18. Certification of compliance with the Iran Divestment Act.**

Pursuant Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each Bidder/Contractor, any person signing on behalf of any Bidder/Contractor and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (OGS) website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each Bidder/Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the Bidder/Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any Bidder/Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the

responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a Bidder/Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he/she/it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the Bidder/Contractor in default.

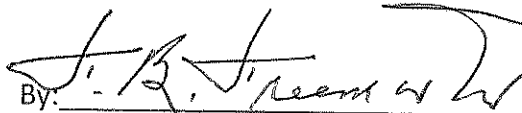
The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a Bidder/Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any Bidder/Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the parties hereto have signed this document on the day and year first above written.

**County of Oneida**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Oneida County Executive

**Contractor**

By:   
Name: Francis B. Freeman, Jr.

Approved as to Form only

\_\_\_\_\_  
Oneida County Attorney



**Oneida County**

**Office for the Aging & Continuing Care**

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County Executive

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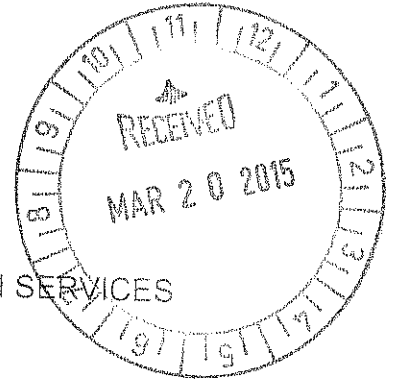
February 25, 2015

The Honorable Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
County Office Building  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

FN 20 15-161

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

**WAYS & MEANS**



Dear Mr. Picente:

Enclosed please find the Purchase of Service Agreement between Office for the Aging, and Homemakers of the Mohawk Valley, Inc. contractually known as Caregivers, for the Board of Legislator's review and approval.

Under this Purchase of Service Agreement, Caregivers will provide homecare service for elderly, homebound individuals. Homecare is provided as part of a New York State program that provides personal care to frail seniors through the EISEP (Expanded In-Home Services for the Elderly Program). Caregivers is one of four home care agencies to provide this care. The total amount of this Agreement is \$99,500.00, which consists of State 75% (\$74,625.00) and County 25% (\$24,875.00) dollars.

The terms of this Agreement commence April 1, 2015 and terminate March 31, 2016.

I am available at your convenience to answer any questions regarding this Agreement.

Sincerely,

Michael J. Romano  
Director

MJR/mac

Enclosure

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 3/18/15



Oneida County Department: Office for the Aging

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_

**Oneida County Board of Legislators**  
**Contract Summary**

**Name of Proposing Organization:** Homemakers of the Mohawk Valley, Inc.

**Name is also known under this contract as:** Caregivers

**Title of Activity or Service:** Home Health Care Agency

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Per Diem: authorized OFA/OCC clients, age 60 or older. Approximately 5,628 hours of personal care (5,453 hours for PCA Level II, and 175 hours for PCA Level I), are provided to approximately 67 individuals through this contract. Individuals average four hours per week

**Summary Statements:**

- 1) **Narrative Description of Proposed Services:** Personal Care Services
- 2) **Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:** To provide personal care services to frail, disabled, homebound individuals who are limited in their activities of daily living.
- 3) **Program Design and Staffing Level:** N/A

**Total Funding Requested:** \$99,500.00

**Oneida County Department Funding Recommendation:** \$99,500.00  
Acct # 6774.49599

**Proposed funding Source (Federal/State/County):** Projected amount: \$99,500.00  
State 75% (\$74,625.00) County 25% (\$24,875.00)

**Cost per Client Served:** \$18.00 per hour for homemaker/personal care (PCA Level II)  
\$17.35 per hour for housekeeper/chore (PCA Level I)

**Past Performance Data:** Current provider of personal care services for OFA EISEP clients.

**Oneida County Department Staff Comments:**

## AGREEMENT

This Agreement is by and between **HOMEMAKERS OF THE MOHAWK VALLEY, INC.**, (contractually known as **CAREGIVERS**), located at 2465 Sheridan Drive, Tonawanda, New York 14150, service locations at 1900 Genesee Street, Utica, New York 13502, and 111 East Chestnut Street, Suite 205, Rome, New York 13440, hereinafter known as "**PROVIDER**"; and the **COUNTY OF ONEIDA**, by and through its department of **OFFICE FOR THE AGING**, located at 120 Airline Street Suite 201, Oriskany, New York 13424, hereinafter known as the "**COUNTY**".

### WITNESSETH:

**WHEREAS**, the **COUNTY** is charged with the responsibility of administering, through the New York State Office for the Aging, the New York State Expanded In-home Services for the Elderly Program (EISEP) in the County of Oneida, State of New York and the Caregiver Support III-E Program; and

**WHEREAS**, the **COUNTY** has the primary responsibility for the overall planning and coordination of the Expanded In-home Services for the Elderly Program and the Caregiver Support III-E Program; and

**WHEREAS**, the **COUNTY** has the responsibility to formally and informally monitor, assess and evaluate all programs/services/contracts funded through EISEP and through the Caregiver Support III-E Program; and

**WHEREAS**, the **COUNTY** will provide technical assistance upon request to assist the **PROVIDER** in more effectively carrying out service delivery and/or complying with policies and regulations; and

**WHEREAS**, the **PROVIDER** is willing and able to perform the services required by this Agreement.

### NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS MUTUALLY AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

1. **EISEP /III-E PROGRAM STANDARDS**

A. The **PROVIDER** agrees to provide non-medical homemaker/personal care (PCA Level II), housekeeper/chore (PCA Level I), and III-E in-home community based PCA Level II respite services through the **COUNTY**'s EISEP/III-E Programs; homemaker/personal care (PCA Level II), housekeeper/chore (PCA Level I) services provided to those Oneida County residents who are age sixty (60) and older who are functionally impaired in at least one (1) Activity of Daily Living (i.e., bathing, dressing, toileting) or two (2) Instrumental Activity of Daily Living (i.e., housekeeping, shopping, preparing meals); III-E in-home community based respite services are provided to care receivers for those Oneida County residents who are primary informal caregivers of persons who are age sixty (60)

and older who are functionally impaired, as shown by the need for the assistance of another person in at least one (1) Activity of Daily Living or two (2) Instrumental Activity of Daily Living.

B. The **PROVIDER** and **COUNTY** agree that all EISEP /III-E funded homemaker/personal care (Level II), housekeeper/personal care (PCA Level I) and III-E in-home PCA Level II in-home community based respite services provided by the **PROVIDER** shall be prior approved and authorized by the client's Case Manager as defined in the client's Home Care Plan.

C. The **PROVIDER** and **COUNTY** agree that non-medical homemaker/personal care (PCA Level II), and housekeeper/chore (PCA Level I) services as defined under EISEP/III-E are equivalent to PCA Level II and PCA Level I services as defined under the New York State Department of Social Services regulations for the Medicaid Program.

D. The **COUNTY** and **PROVIDER** agree that the EISEP non-medical homemaker/personal care (PCA Level II), housekeeper/chore (PCA Level I) and III-E in-home community based PCA Level II respite service clients shall be provided environmental support and personal care functions.

The following is a summary of usual tasks that may be performed by a homemaker/personal care (PCA Level II), housekeeper/chore (PCA Level I) worker in accordance with NYS regulations:

- 1) some or total assistance with making and changing beds; (Level I & II)
- 2) some or total assistance with dusting and vacuuming the rooms which the client uses; (Level I & II)
- 3) some or total assistance with light cleaning of the kitchen, bedroom and bathroom; (Level I & II)
- 4) some or total assistance with dishwashing; (Level I & II)
- 5) some or total assistance with listing needed supplies; (Level I & II)
- 6) some or total assistance with shopping for the client; (Level I & II)
- 7) some or total assistance with client's laundering; this may include necessary ironing and mending; (Level I & II)
- 8) some or total assistance with payment of bills and other essential errands; (Level I & II)
- 9) escort assistance in getting to various appointments and community activities; (Level I & II)
- 10) some or total assistance with bathing of the client in the bed, the tub or in the shower; (Level II).
- 11) some or total assistance with dressing; (Level II)
- 12) some or total assistance with grooming, including care of hair, shaving, and ordinary care of nails teeth and mouth; (Level II)
- 13) some assistance with toileting; this may include assisting the client on and off the bedpan, commode or toilet; (Level II)

- 14) some assistance in walking, beyond that provided by durable medical equipment, within the home and outside the home; (Level II)
- 15) some assistance in transferring from bed to chair or wheelchair; (Level II)
- 16) some assistance with preparation of meals in accordance with modified diets, including low sugar, low fat, low salt and low residue diets, as prescribed by a qualified professional; (Level II)
- 17) some assistance with feeding; (Level II)
- 18) some assistance, at the request of the client, with self-administration of medication, including prompting client of time, bringing the medication to the client, opening the container, removing medication from the container and providing necessary liquids for taking the medication, acting as an extension of the client; (Level II)
- 19) assistance with routine skin care, including application of non-prescription skin care products; (Level II)
- 20) non-technical physical assistance to clients in following directions of a qualified professional for use of medical supplies and equipment such as walkers and wheelchairs; (Level II) and
- 21) assistance with changing of simple dressings. (Level II)

For the activities described herein, the measure of a UNIT is equal to one (1) hour of service to or on behalf of the client.

E. The **PROVIDER** agrees to assign a designated person who shall have the responsibility for coordinating the assignments of aides/associates.

F. The **COUNTY** and **PROVIDER** agree that all homemaker/personal care (PCA Level II), housekeeper/chore (PCA Level I) and III-E in-home community respite workers shall have a designated qualified supervisor(s) who shall insure the maintenance of quality care and provide the necessary support, understanding and consultation to the homemaker/personal care (PCA Level II), housekeeper/chore (PCA Level I) or III-E in-home community respite worker as (s)he carries out duties and responsibilities.

G. The **PROVIDER** understands and shall ensure that homemaker/personal care (PCA Level II), housekeeper/chore (PCA Level I) supervisor(s) shall:

- 1) make a supervisory in-home visit within five (5) working days of the first time the regularly scheduled homemaker/personal care (PCA Level II), housekeeper/chore (PCA Level I) worker is to provide services to the client;
- 2) demonstrate and instruct the worker and the client concerning specific tasks to be performed in accordance with the care plan;
- 3) provide information concerning the provider agency;

- 4) clarify the roles and responsibilities of the worker, the client, and the supervisor in relation to the Care Plan;
- 5) conduct scheduled visits to the client's home at least every six (6) months;
- 6) conduct unscheduled visits to the client's home at least one (1) time a year;
- 7) evaluate the worker's performance of the required tasks;
- 8) provide to the worker appropriate information, consultation, instruction and demonstration as needed;
- 9) determine the extent to which client needs are appropriately and adequately being met;
- 10) follow-up, as specified by the case manager, to report the findings of the supervisory visit; and
- 11) provide an opportunity to discuss in privacy with the client/authorized representative the service being provided.

H. When a service promised by the **PROVIDER** for a scheduled assignment cannot be met or there is a client no show, or a change in the client's condition, including death or hospitalization, the **PROVIDER** must notify the **COUNTY** immediately via the approved fax form.

I. Any unusual incident that occurs during an agency workers' presence must be reported immediately in writing to the **COUNTY** on the specified fax form.

J. The **PROVIDER** agrees to provide the non-medical homemaker/personal care (PCA Level II), housekeeper/chore (PCA Level I) and respite workers with training as required by the New York State Department of Social Services and Department of Health. Each worker shall be instructed on how to work with the elderly. Each worker shall receive an orientation, prior to delivering any in-home services.

Training shall include:

- 1) the housekeeping chore and/or personal care tasks which the worker may/may not perform;
- 2) the policies and procedures of the **PROVIDER's** agency; and
- 3) the rights of clients as set forth in the EISEP standards and regulations.

## 2. **OTHER SPECIFICATIONS**

A. The **PROVIDER** and **COUNTY** agree that non-medical homemaker/personal care (Level II), housekeeper/chore (PCA Level I) and respite services shall not be provided to individuals eligible to receive the same or similar services under Titles XVII, XIX, or XX of the Federal Social Security Act or any other governmental program or services provided to residents in adult residential care facilities which had previously been provided by such facility.

B. The **COUNTY** agrees to assume the responsibility for collecting the cost-share fees and donations for EISEP/III-E Program's in-home services received by the clients.

C The **PROVIDER** agrees to bill Medicaid and credit the **COUNTY** for the billed amount for any EISEP/III-E client services provided after the Medicaid start date, and bill Medicaid for those Medicaid covered services provided three months prior to the Medicaid start date.

D. The **COUNTY** agrees to notify the **PROVIDER** of client approval for Medicaid.

E. The **PROVIDER** will credit the **COUNTY** for Medicaid payments received.

F. The **COUNTY** will process prior approvals for Medicaid billing for services provided in provision C.

G. The **PROVIDER** and the **COUNTY** shall endeavor to hold periodic coordinating meetings that shall be responsive to each other's needs.

H. The **PROVIDER** agrees to work in cooperation with the **COUNTY** to develop a comprehensive service delivery system for the EISEP/III-E Program.

I. Notwithstanding any other provisions in this Agreement, the **PROVIDER** and the **COUNTY** remain responsible for:

- 1) ensuring that any service provided pursuant to this Agreement complies with all pertinent provisions of federal, state and local statutes, rules and regulations;
- 2) planning, coordination and ensuring the quality of all services provided; and
- 3) ensuring adherence by both **PROVIDER** and **COUNTY** staff to the Home Care Plan established for the clients.

J. The **COUNTY** will provide the **PROVIDER** with a care plan, confirmation of documentation, and a PCA approval form. This documentation will be provided at the time of referral and every six months thereafter. It is the responsibility of the **COUNTY** to develop the care plan according to regulations and to obtain required Physicians Orders related to the **COUNTY** services being provided by the **PROVIDER**. It is also understood that a Registered Nurse from the **COUNTY** will review and sign all approved care plans. If there is a change in a patient's condition, a new home assessment, new Physician Orders, and a revised care plan needs to be developed by the **COUNTY** and a copy sent to the **PROVIDER** at that time.

### 3. REIMBURSEMENT FOR SERVICES

A. The **PROVIDER** agrees to be paid by the **COUNTY** the negotiated rate of **\$18.00 per hour** for homemaker/personal care (PCA Level II), and **\$17.35 per hour** for housekeeper/chore (PCA Level I),

B. The obligations of the parties hereunder are conditioned upon the continued availability of New York State funds for the purposes set forth in this Agreement. Should funds become unavailable or should appropriate New York State officials fail to approve sufficient funds for completion of the services or programs set forth in this Agreement, the **COUNTY** shall have the option to immediately terminate this Agreement upon providing written notice to the **PROVIDER** by certified mail. In such an event, the **COUNTY** shall be under no further obligation to the **PROVIDER** other than payment

for costs actually incurred prior to termination and in no event will the COUNTY be responsible for any actual or consequential damages as a result of termination.

C. The COUNTY funds are contingent upon availability of State and County of Oneida funding; reimbursement is payable in twelve (12) monthly vouchers as specified in the Voucher Instructions.

D. The total payments for this contract will not exceed Ninety Nine Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$99,500.00).

4. **CONTRACT TERM**

A. The PROVIDER, its successors and assigns agrees to the terms and conditions of this written Agreement. **The terms and conditions of this Agreement commence on April 1, 2015 and terminate on March 31, 2016.**

5. **STANDARD ASSURANCES**

A. The PROVIDER shall comply with statutes, regulations, and policies set by the following: Federal Department of Health and Human Services, Federal Administration on Aging, the New York State Office for the Aging (SOFA), and the County of Oneida, more fully described in APPENDIX A.

B. The PROVIDER shall comply with section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (Nondiscrimination) which states, "No otherwise qualified handicapped individual in the United States shall solely, by reason of his or her handicap, be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subject to discrimination under any program or activity receiving Federal financial assistance."

C. The PROVIDER shall comply with Article 15 and Article 15A of the Executive Law of New York State (State Human Rights Law and Minority/Women's Business Contract Requirements) and the Governor's Executive Order 28 (Prohibiting discrimination based on Sexual Orientation): "The opportunity to obtain employment without discrimination because of age, race, creed, color, national origin, gender, marital status or sexual orientation is hereby recognized as and declared to be a civil right..."

D. The PROVIDER shall comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (Public Law 38-352), and any amendment thereto: "No person in the United States shall, on the grounds of race, color, religion, gender, national origin, partisan affiliation or sexual orientation be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subject to discrimination under any program or activity receiving Federal financial assistance.

E. The PROVIDER agrees that any program, public information materials, or other printed or published materials on the work of or funded by EISEP/III-E will give due recognition to the New York State Office for the Aging and the Oneida County Office for the Aging. The statement shall be in font which is one of the following: in italics, or at least two font sizes larger than the rest of the text, or in

bold font or underlined. (i.e., *"This program is supported by Oneida County Office for the Aging, New York State Office for the Aging, and the Administration on Aging."*). The **PROVIDER** should forward copies of all materials to the **COUNTY** at the end of each month.

F. The **COUNTY** shall conduct a program review to ensure that the **PROVIDER** is in compliance with all standards and regulations as set forth in this Agreement.

## 6. NEW YORK STATE OFFICE FOR THE AGING (NYSOFA) TERMS AND CONDITIONS

A. The **PROVIDER** agrees that all its activities under this contract, shall conform with all applicable Federal, State, and Local laws, and with Federal and State regulations, and Program Standards and Program Instructions of the New York State Office for the Aging (NYSOFA) that apply to such activities, including, but not limited to:

- Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Sec. 504 (29 U.S.C. 794, Nondiscrimination)
- Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. 12101, et seq.; see 92-PI-32, [8/4/92])
- Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title VI, as amended (42 U.S.C. 2000-d et. seq.)
- Older Americans Act
- Executive Order 13166 (Improving Access to Services for Persons with Limited English Proficiency)
- Federal Executive Order 11246, as Amended by Executive Order 11375 (Affirmative Action); as Amended by Executive Order 12086 (Consolidation of Compliance Functions); and as Amended by Executive Order 13279 (Equal Protection for Faith-Based and Community Organizations.)
- Executive Law, Article 15 (State Human Rights Law Prohibiting Discrimination Based on Race, Color, Creed, National Origin, Sex, Age, Disability, Sexual Orientation and Other Factors)
- Equal Access to Services and Targeting Policy (12-PI-08)
- Elder Law

B. The **PROVIDER**, to the extent it has discretion regarding to whom it will provide services, agrees to provide services to those unserved and underserved older adults in greatest social or economic need, particularly those who are low-income, low-income minorities, older adults with Limited English Proficiency (LEP), Native Americans, and frail/persons with disabilities and older adults residing in rural areas, in accordance with their need for such services, and to meet specific objectives established by the Area Agencies on Aging (AAA) for providing services to the above groups within Oneida County. The **PROVIDER** agrees to concentrate the services on older adults in the targeted populations identified by the AAA following the methods the AAA has established for complying with the targeting requirements under the Older Americans Act and the Equal Access and Targeting Policy issued by the New York State Office for the Aging.

C. The **PROVIDER** shall inform persons with Limited English Proficiency of the availability of language assistance, free of charge, by providing written notice of such assistance in a manner



designed to be understandable by LEP persons at service locations and, at a minimum, have a telephonic interpretation service contract or similar community arrangement with a language interpretation services provider of their choice. The **PROVIDER** shall train staff that have contact with the public in the timely and appropriate use of these and other available language services.

D. To the extent that the contract with the AAA is for a program or service funded under the Area Plan, the **PROVIDER** agrees that it and any subcontractors will perform such work in accordance with the terms of the Area Plan. The AAA agrees to make the Area Plan available to the **PROVIDER**.

E. The **PROVIDER** agrees that for programs established and funded in whole or in part pursuant to Title III of the Older Americans Act, the **PROVIDER** shall specify how it intends to satisfy the service needs of low-income minority individuals, older adults with Limited English Proficiency, and older adults residing in rural areas in the area served by it; will to the maximum extent feasible, provide services to low-income minority individuals, older individuals with Limited English Proficiency, and older adults residing in rural areas in accordance with their need for such services; and meet specific objectives established by the AAA, for providing services to low-income minority individuals, older adults with Limited English Proficiency, and older adults residing in rural areas within the planning and service area.

## **7. GRIEVANCE PROCEDURES**

A. The **PROVIDER** agrees to implement the **COUNTY's** grievance procedures as required by the New York State Office for the Aging. The written procedures are attached in **APPENDIX B**.

## **8. FISCAL REQUIREMENTS/RESPONSIBILITIES**

A. The **PROVIDER** shall keep EISEP/III-E funds separate; further, state and federal funds shall not be used as local share (match).

B. The **PROVIDER** shall comply with all voucher and contribution procedures, and submissions of required reports as described in the **COUNTY** Voucher Instructions, refer to **APPENDIX C**.

C. The **COUNTY** will be responsible for sending monthly donation letters and collecting participant contributions for all participants who attend Office for the Aging and Continuing Care funded day care program. Any contributions received by the **PROVIDER** for Office for the Aging and Continuing Care funded participant, directly, will be reported and deducted on monthly vouchers by the **PROVIDER**.

D. The **PROVIDER** shall report to the **COUNTY** any and all additional moneys or program income (contributions, donations,) given to the EISEP/111-E supported programs. "Program income means gross income received by the subcontractor directly generated by a **COUNTY** grant supported activity, or earned as a result of the **COUNTY** grant agreement during the grant period." REF: Department of Health & Human Services, Program Instruction AoA-PI-96-01, October 16, 1995.

E. The **PROVIDER** shall maintain copies of proper documentation for all program income, including, but not limited to, in-kind support, donations, contributions, reimbursements, other grants, within its program budget.

F. The **COUNTY** shall conduct periodic audit of revenues and expenditures, as well as the required annual on-site review of the program's fiscal status to ensure expenditures are in proportion to the total program budget.

G. The **PROVIDER** shall agree to have an independent audit conducted for the contracted program if it has been a **PROVIDER** for two (2) years or more; a copy of the audit shall be submitted to the **COUNTY** upon completion of the program/fiscal audit conducted by the outside auditor.

H. The **PROVIDER** shall maintain fiscal records for six (6) years and shall make them available for **COUNTY** review upon request.

I. The **PROVIDER** shall cooperate with the close-out audit that is required when the contract is terminated.

J. The **PROVIDER** shall follow close-out procedures administered by the **COUNTY** in accordance with the Code of Federal Regulations 45-74, as amended in 1980.

9. **INSURANCE COVERAGE REQUIREMENTS**

A. The **PROVIDER** agrees that it shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the **COUNTY** from and against all liability, damages, expenses, costs, causes of actions, suits, claims or judgments arising, occurring or resulting from property damage, personal injuries or death to persons arising, occurring or resulting from or out of the work of the **PROVIDER** and its agents, servants or employees, and from any loss or damage arising, occurring or resulting from the acts or failure to act or any default or negligence by the **PROVIDER** or failure on the part of the **PROVIDER** to comply with any of the covenants, terms or conditions of the Agreement.

B. The **PROVIDER** shall be solely responsible for all physical injuries or death to its agents; servants, volunteers, or employees or to any other persons or damage to any property sustained during its operations and work under this Agreement resulting from any act of omission or commission or error in judgment of any of its officers, trustees, servants, independent subcontractors, and shall hold harmless and indemnify the **COUNTY** from liability upon any and all claims for injuries to persons or damages to property on account of any neglect, fault or default of the **PROVIDER**, its officers, trustees, agents, servants, volunteers or independent subcontractors. The **PROVIDER** shall be solely responsible for the safety and protection of all of its employees, volunteers or other agents whether due to the negligence, fault or default of the **PROVIDER** or not.

C. The **PROVIDER** agrees that it will, at its own expense, at all times during the term of this Agreement, maintain in force a policy of insurance which will insure against liability for property damage and/or injury/death with regard to any property or persons. The liability and property

damage coverage of such insurance shall not be less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00). The **PROVIDER** agrees to have the **COUNTY** added to said insurance policies as a named **ADDITIONAL INSURED**, as its interest may appear, and to provide the **COUNTY** with a certificate from said insurance company, or companies, showing coverage as herein before required, and to provide that such coverage shall not be terminated without written prior notice to the **COUNTY** of at least thirty (30) days.

D. The **PROVIDER** shall maintain a professional liability policy and will provide the Agency with proof of coverage in the amount of \$2,000,000 per incident and \$2,000,000 aggregate. The **PROVIDER** shall also maintain general liability insurance and will provide the Agency with proof of coverage in the amount of \$2,000,000 per incident and \$2,000,000 aggregate. The **PROVIDER** agrees to have Oneida County and the Agency named **ADDITIONAL INSURED(S)** on the general liability policy and to provide the **COUNTY** with certificates from said insurance company or companies showing the proof of insurance as stated heretofore, and to provide that such coverage shall not be terminated without written prior notice to the **COUNTY** of at least thirty (30) days.

E. The **PROVIDER** shall obtain such policy or policies of insurance from a company or companies duly licensed to do business in the State of New York.

#### 10. **REPORTING REQUIREMENTS**

A. The **COUNTY** shall, pursuant to the requirements of EISEP/III-E funded programs, comply with the Definition of Services, April 2011, as established by the New York State Office for the Aging (96-PI-43).

B. The **PROVIDER** shall provide the **COUNTY** with required information needed to meet planning, coordination, evaluation and reporting requirements as required by the New York State Office for the Aging's Consolidated Area Agency Reporting System (CAARS), by the 10<sup>th</sup> of every month. The current and revised CAARS Monthly Report Forms and Monthly Summary Form must be submitted as an attachment to the voucher on a monthly basis.

C. The **PROVIDER** shall maintain appropriate client records on each EISEP client who receives services through this program; the **COUNTY** shall have access to the client records upon request; the **COUNTY** shall have ownership of all patient's records and files.

D. The **PROVIDER** agrees to comply with policies ensuring client confidentiality, as established by the **COUNTY**, when information sharing between agencies is crucial to the client's well being and is needed to ensure effective service provision; pertinent information shall be shared in accordance with federal and state regulations and statutes.

E. The **PROVIDER** shall provide the **COUNTY** with required monthly, periodic, and/or special reports and shall submit all reports to the **COUNTY** by the dates specified.

11. **COORDINATION REQUIREMENTS**

- A. The **PROVIDER** and the **COUNTY** shall coordinate referrals.
- B. The **PROVIDER** and the **COUNTY** shall work with older persons, who are not eligible for services through this contracted program, to obtain needed services.
- C. The **PROVIDER** shall coordinate with other appropriate service providers in obtaining and providing referrals for older residents of Oneida County.

12. **AGREEMENT CANCELLATION**

- A. The Agreement may be cancelled by the **COUNTY** for failure by the **PROVIDER** to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement. The **PROVIDER** shall agree to incur no new obligations nor submit a claim for any expenses made after the receipt of written notification of termination.
- B. The **PROVIDER** and the **COUNTY** reserve the right to cancel the Agreement upon thirty (30) day written notice to the other party.
- C. The **PROVIDER** agrees that in the event of termination, said party shall make a full and final accounting of all funds received and monies expended under the Agreement within thirty (30) days after the date of termination. Any unexpended funds shall be the property of the **COUNTY**.
- D. The **PROVIDER** shall coordinate with the **COUNTY** and other providers to ensure that any break in service to clients shall not be detrimental to a clients' health or well-being. If available and appropriate, other services shall be substituted and/or coordinated on the clients' behalf.

13. **CONTRACT RENEWAL**

- A. The **COUNTY** and the **PROVIDER** shall negotiate the contract annually.

14. **NO CLAIM FOR DAMAGES**

- A. The **PROVIDER** agrees to make no claim for damages for delay of reimbursement due to an act or omission by Oneida County, New York.

15. **STANDARD ADDENDUM**

- A. The **CONTRACTOR** agrees to comply with the County's Standard Clauses as set forth in the Addendum, which is attached hereto and made a part hereof as **APPENDIX D**.

16. **TERMS OF AGREEMENT**

- A. The terms of this Agreement, including any attachments, amendments, addendums or appendixes attached hereto, constitute the entire understanding and Agreement of the parties and cancels and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations, understandings or agreements,

whether written or oral, with respect to the subject matter of this Agreement. No waiver, alternations or modifications of and provisions of this Agreement shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have hereunto set their hand on the date respectively stated:

**PROVIDER**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Carmen Flitt, Vice President/CFO  
Homemakers of the Mohawk Valley, Inc.  
Contractually known as "Caregivers"

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**COUNTY OF ONEIDA**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr, County Executive

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**OFFICE FOR THE AGING**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Michael J. Romano, Director

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Approved as to Form ONLY  
ONEIDA COUNTY ATTORNEY**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

## APPENDIX A

The Older Americans Act (OAA) of 1965, as amended (42 U.S.C. 3001 et. seq.)  
45 CFR Part 74 (Administration of Grants)  
45 CFR Part 84 (Nondiscrimination on the basis of Handicap)  
45 CFR Part 92 (Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grant and Cooperative Agreements to State and Local Governments)  
45 CFR Part 93 (New Restrictions on Lobbying)  
45 CFR Part 1321, Subparts A-D (Grants to State and Community Programs on Aging)  
45 CFR Part 1321.61 (b)(4) (Support of State Titled VII Activities)  
Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1975, as amended (29 USC 621, et seq.)  
Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 USC 12101, et seq.)  
Civil Rights Act of 1964, Subchap. VI, as amended by the Equal Employment Opportunity Act of 1972 (42 USC 2000e, et. seq.)  
Equal Pay Act of 1963, as amended (29 USC 206)  
Home Energy Assistance Act of 1981, as amended (42 USC 8601, et seq.)  
Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Sec. 504 (29 USC 794) (Nondiscrimination)  
Single Audit Act of 1984 (31 USC 7501, et. seq.)  
USDA Nutrition Programs for the Elderly (7 C.F.R. Secs 250.42 and 250.12 (b))  
Office of Management and Budget (OMB)  
OMB Circular A-87 (Cost Principles for State and Local Governments)  
OMB Circular A-95 (Clearinghouse Review)  
OMB Circular A-102 (Uniform administrative Requirements for Grants and Cooperative Agreements with state and Local Governments)  
OMB Circular A-110 (Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Other Agreements with Institutions of Higher Education and other Non-profit Organizations)  
OMB Circular A-122 (Cost Principles for Non-profit Organizations)  
OMB Circular A-128 (Audits of State and Local Governments)  
OMB Circular A-133 (Audits of State and Local Government and Non-Profit Organizations)  
Federal Executive Order 11246, as Amended by Executive Order 11375 (Affirmative Action)  
Article 19 - J of the Executive Law  
New York State Office for the Aging Rules and Regulations (9 NYCRR Part 6651 et. seq.)  
New York State Office for the Aging Rules and Regulations (9 NYCRR Part 6654.20) (Social Adult Day Care)  
Executive Law of New York State, Article 15 (State Human Rights Law)  
Executive Law of New York State, Article 15A (Minority/Women's Business contract Requirements)  
Executive Law, Section 544-A (Establishes Basic Requirements for LTCOP program under the Older Americans Act)  
Executive Law, Section 544-b (Defense and indemnification of representatives of the State Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program)  
Executive Law, Article 7-A (Registration and reporting provisions required of Charitable Organizations)  
EISEP Program Standards  
NYS Office for the Aging's 1990 Nutrition Program Standards (90-PI-26)  
Legal Assistance Standards (94-PI-52)  
Weatherization Referral and Packaging Program (WRAP) Handbook  
Governor's 1960 Code of Fair Practices  
Governor's Executive Order 6 (Affirmative Action Efforts)  
Governor's Executive Order 19 (Prevention of Sexual Harassment)  
Governor's Executive Order 28 (Prohibiting discrimination based on Sexual Orientation)

## **APPENDIX B**

### **Oneida County Office for the Aging Grievance Procedures**

In accordance with the Older Americans Act (OAA), as amended, the Oneida County Office for the Aging has established the following process for resolving complaints from participants who are dissatisfied with or persons denied services funded under the Act.

#### **Right to File a Grievance**

The Office for the Aging and all contracting provider agencies who receive OAA funds shall notify program participants of their right to file a grievance with the provider agency and/or with Oneida County Office for the Aging. Upon request, the Office for the Aging will provide assistance with filing a grievance.

#### **Denial of Service or Client's Unsatisfaction of Service**

A participant or applicant who is denied OAA services must be given the reasons for the denial. Services may be denied because of funding restrictions, ineligibility, hours or locations have changed, reassessment determined services no longer needed, or client is disruptive to the program. For OAA services for which a written application is made, the denial shall be confirmed in writing and the applicant informed of the right to file a grievance and to whom the grievance shall be made. For OAA services for which verbal application is made by telephone or in person, the person may be denied verbally and verbally informed of the right to file a grievance and to whom.

#### **Grievance Process**

##### **Filing a Grievance**

- Individual must submit their grievance in writing to the Director of the Office for the Aging who will forward the Letter to the designated person of the provider agency to conduct the initial review.
- **The grievance must be filed within thirty (30) calendar days of denial, reduction or termination of services, or of the event or circumstances with which the person is dissatisfied.** The Office for the Aging or the provider agency may grant an extension for good cause shown.
- The Letter of Grievance should include a written statement setting forth in detail the date, time and circumstances that are the basis for the complaint.

##### **Investigation and Response to a Grievance**

- The designated reviewer will investigate the complaint. The reviewer will determine whether the action was in accordance to applicable Older Americans Act and State laws and regulation and are supported by facts.
- The reviewer will prepare and send written response to the grievant and to the Office for the Aging Director within fifteen (15) working days after the grievance is filed. The response will set forth the circumstances relating to the grievance, the action requested by the grievant, the findings of the reviewer, a proposed remedial action and, if any, the reason(s) for and facts relied on in the determination.

##### **Appeal of Initial Response/Decision**

If the grievant is not satisfied with the determination, s(he) has the right to further review as follows:

- S(he) may initiate a request for subsequent review by the Office for the Aging Director within ten (10) calendar days following receipt of notification from the provider agency of its decision.
- The Office for the Aging Director will request, and the provider agency shall provide, copies of the initial file on the complaint in question. The Office for the Aging Director will review the materials to ensure that pertinent policies and procedures have been applied and followed.
- If the policies and procedures have been adhered to, the Office for the Aging Director will not overturn the decision of its contracting provider agency. If the proper policies and procedures have not been applied, the director reserves the right to overturn the decision.
- A written notification of the results will be made to the grievant within twenty (20) working days of receipt of the appeal request.

##### **Record Keeping**

The provider agency will keep a file, for six years, of all relevant documents and records of a grievance. The file shall include at a minimum: the initial grievance; any investigative reports; any and all written responses; any documents or other records submitted by any party; and, if applicable, the notice to the grievant of the right to appeal.

##### **Confidentiality**

No information, documents or other records relating to a grievance shall be disclosed by program staff or volunteers in a form that identifies the grievant without the written informed consent of the grievant, unless the disclosure is required by court order or for program monitoring by authorized agencies.



## APPENDIX C

Oneida County Office for the Aging  
2015-2016

### **Voucher Instructions For Units of Services Contracts**

Complete the Oneida County voucher (3-part white, yellow, and pink form) as follows:

1. **Department:** Office for the Aging and Continuing Care
2. **Claimants Name and Address:** Contractor name and address (checks will be payable to the name given and sent to the address listed).
3. **Date:** List month this claim covers.
4. **Vendor's Invoice Number:** leave blank
5. **Quantity/Description of Material or Service/Unit Price/Amount:**
  - ✓ State the number of units of service and the description of services performed during the month.
  - ✓ List the Unit Price as stated in the Contract Budget.
  - ✓ Place the amount (Units X Unit Price) in the Amount column.
  - ✓ Place the amount to be reimbursed in the Total block.
  - ✓ Specify program funds (III-E, EISEP, CSE, III-B etc.) in the space after the Contract Number.
6. **Claimant's Certification:**

Fill out completely, Note that Oneida County will not pay a voucher without an original signature, Federal ID Number or Social Security Number.
7. **Voucher Backup**
  - ✓ Attach CAARS monthly report.
  - ✓ Master list of clients billed for on voucher (with individual total monthly amount billed).
  - ✓ Attach appropriate backup:
    - Payroll certification sheets and time sheets signed by Agency employee.
    - Legal Assistance Program – case numbers, DOB, Legal Assistance Referral, Type of Service, Fax Date and Unit of Services.
    - Housekeeper/Chore (PCA Level I) or Homemaker/personal care (PCA Level II), Housekeeper/chore (Level I) – Contract EISEP voucher backup. Copies of PCA daily logs including date and times of service and all must be signed by client.
    - Adult Day Care – OFFICE approved sign-in log sheet with dates and times of service and all must be signed by client.
    - Emergency Response Systems – (Original Invoice)

Have all accounting records, receipts and supporting documentation readily available for review by the County, State and/or Federal personnel authorized to examine and/or audit program accounts. Ref: US Code of Federal Regulations 45-74 amended in 1980. Check numbers, dates paid and amounts paid must be written on each receipt.

**8. Timely Submissions:**

- ✓ Submit monthly vouchers by the 10<sup>th</sup> day of the month following the reporting month.
- ✓ Checks are issued by Oneida County Audit and Control only on Fridays - approximately 30 days after submission.
- ✓ If all documentation is not included, the voucher will be returned unpaid with a request for proper backup and documentation.

**9. Changes To The Budget (including personnel):**

- ✓ Submit a Budget Revision and a justification for the change.

**10. Technical Assistance:**

- ✓ If you have fiscal questions regarding your program or require technical assistance, please contact the OFA-OCC Fiscal Unit directly at 315-798-5456.

Susie Perritano, Accounting Supervisor

## APPENDIX D

**THIS ADDENDUM**, entered into on this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as **COUNTY**, and a contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as the **PROVIDER**.

**WHEREAS, COUNTY** and **PROVIDER** have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

**WHEREAS**, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which **COUNTY** is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

**1. Executor or Non-Appropriation Clause.**

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

**2. Oneida County Board of Legislators: Resolution #249 Solid Waste Disposal Requirements.**

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislators Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

**3. Certification Regarding Lobbying; Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters; and Drug-Free Workplace Requirements.**

- a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:
1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, and officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any Federal Grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal grant or cooperative agreement.

2. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
  3. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85 Sections 83.105 and 85.110,
1. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
    - a. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
    - b. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract 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 contracts 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 indicated or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government 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 Contract had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) for cause or default; and
  2. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.
- c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
1. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:
    - a. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
    - b. Establishing an on-going drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:
      1. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
      2. The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
      3. Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
      4. The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;
    - c. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a);
    - d. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:
      1. Abide by the terms of the statement; and

2. Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;
- e. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (d)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position title, to: Director Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.
- f. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted;
  1. Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the Requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
  2. Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;
- g. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (a),(b),(c),(d),(e),(f).

2. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.  
Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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- d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F. for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
  1. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and
  2. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to: Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

**4. Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).**

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

- a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In

order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:

1. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
  2. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
  3. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to filing cabinets, and locks on drawers, cabinets, and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.
- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:
1. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
  2. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.
- c. The Contractor shall:
1. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
  2. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
  3. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
  4. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
  5. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.524;
  6. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
  7. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
  8. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
  9. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County that the Contractor still maintains in any form and retain no copies of such information or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.
- d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:

1. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
  2. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  3. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

**5. Non-Assignment Clause.**

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and attempts to do so are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

**6. Worker's Compensation Benefits.**

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

**7. Non-Discrimination Requirements.**

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

**8. Wage and Hours Provisions.**

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage

rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

**9. Non-Collusive Bidding Certification.**

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor affirms, under penalty of perjury, that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

**10. Records.**

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails and attachments, rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute") provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

**11. Identifying Information and Privacy Notification.**

a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. The number is any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payees, on its invoice or claim for payment, must give the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.

b. Privacy Notification. (1) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for



any other purpose authorized by law. (2) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

**12. Conflicting Terms.**

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

**13. Governing Law.**

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal supremacy clause requires otherwise.

**14. Prohibition on Purchase of Tropical Hardwoods.**

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the County.

**15. Compliance with New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act.**

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

**16. Gratuities and Kickbacks.**

a. **Gratuities.** It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request, influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard, rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application, request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

b. **Kickbacks.** It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

**17. Audit**

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to or permit the

County to examine or obtain copies of any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a Federal financial assistance program from a Federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

**18. Certification of compliance with the Iran Divestment Act.**

Pursuant Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each Bidder/Contractor, any person signing on behalf of any Bidder/Contractor and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (OGS) website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each Bidder/Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the Bidder/Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any Bidder/Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a Bidder/Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he/she/it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the Bidder/Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a Bidder/Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any Bidder/Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.



**Anthony J. Picente, Jr., County Executive      Debra A. Whiteford, Interim Commissioner**



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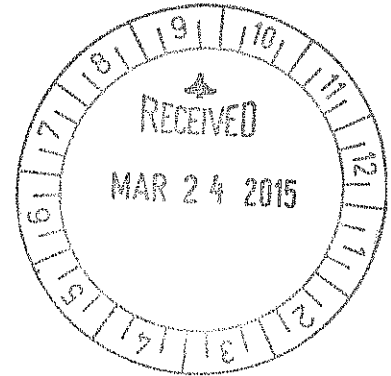
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February 27, 2015

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Honorable Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES  
WAYS & MEANS



Dear Mr. Picente:

I am forwarding six (6) copies of the Amendment to the 2014-2016 Purchase of Services Agreement between the Oneida County Department of Mental Health and The Neighborhood Center Inc., for your review and signature. Please forward this to the Board of Legislators upon completing your review.

The gross amount of this Agreement is **\$2,404,309.00** per year for a three year total of \$7,212,927.00. The funding changes for this amendment results in a total increase of \$661,743.00. The amount reflects **100% OMH State Aid Funding** for all years 2014-2016.

Thank you very much for your time and consideration of this request. I would be pleased to respond to any questions or concerns you might have with regard to this Agreement.

Respectfully,

*Debra A. Whiteford*  
Debra A. Whiteford  
Interim Commissioner

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

*Anthony J. Picente, Jr.*  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 3/20/15

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Oneida County Department: Mental Health

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_

Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_

Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**CONTRACT SUMMARY**

**Name of Proposing Individual/Organization:** The Neighborhood Center, Inc.

**Title of Proposed Service/Program:** Emergency/Crisis Services  
Psychosocial Club-ARS  
Supportive Case Management  
Supportive Case Management Service Dollars  
Assisted Competitive Employment (ACE)  
Outreach & Advocacy

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016  
AMENDMENT

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Children and youth with a serious emotional disturbance; adults with a serious and persistent mental illness.

**Summary Statements:**

**I. Narrative Description of Service/Program:**

**A. Mobile Crisis Assessment Team (MCAT) (2680) (\$1,006,503)**

The Mobile Crisis Assessment Team provides emergency/crisis psychiatric services, crisis assessment and intervention services 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Services are provided in the community, and at the Oneida County 911 Center. Extensive outreach and public education are also provided to build awareness of services and maintain strong relationships with community agencies, hospitals, and law enforcement.

The Neighborhood Center will provide a transportation program for family members to visit individuals that are inpatient at Hutchings Psychiatric Center.

**B. Psychosocial Club-Adult Recovery Services (ARS) (0770) (\$382,510)**

Adult Recovery Services offers specialized programs in both Utica and Rome to enhance independent living skills, increase wellness and understanding of mental illness, provide socialization, and peer-support for adults diagnosed with mental illness.

**C. Supportive Case Management (SCM) (2620) (\$635,008)**

Supportive Case Management Program provides services to adults who are 18 years of age and older that meet NYS OMH criteria for severe and persistent mental illness.

Important components include empowering clients to advocate for themselves and maintaining client support systems.

**D. SCM Service Dollars (2740) (\$215,424)**

Supportive Case Management utilizes service dollars to assist the clients in developing and maintaining situations for living, working and socializing in the community

**E. Assisted Competitive Employment (ACE) (1380) (\$105,147)**

ACE provides adults diagnosed with mental illness an environment in which they can receive job readiness training and needed supports to enter or re-enter the employment arena.

**F. Outreach (0690) (\$23,489)**

Adult Recovery Services (ARS) offers specialized Outreach programs via a psychosocial club setting and outreach services to enhance independent living skills.

**G. Advocacy/Support Services (1760) (\$36,228)**

- Short-term services to assist in the transition from an inpatient psychiatric unit and brief support services for stabilization.
- Linkage to identified service providers, follow-up, engagement;
- Coordination with inpatient treatment teams for the development of a strategic crisis plan to prevent unnecessary re-hospitalization;
- Crisis intervention and assistance with accessing various service systems.

**II. Service/Program Objectives and Outcomes: N/A**

**III. Service/Program Design and Staffing:**

All services/programs are licensed by the NYS Office of Mental Health (OMH), as applicable. Assisted Competitive Employment is monitored and certified through the NYS Education Department Bureau of Vocational & Educational Services for Individuals with Disabilities (ACCESS-VR).

**Total Funding Requested (2014-2016):**

**Account #: A4310.49526**

Gross Budget		\$2,404,309.00
State Funds	OMH	\$2,404,309.00
	OPWDD	0
	OASAS	0
County Funds		\$ 0
<b>Total full three years</b>		<b>\$7,212,927.00</b>

**Oneida County Department Funding Recommendation(s):**

It is recommended that the full AMENDED amount of \$7,212,927.00 be approved for 2014-2016.

**Service Units: N/A**

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/State \$/County \$): State (2014-2016)-\$7,212,927.00**

## **AMENDMENT**

**THIS AMENDMENT** made the fourteenth (14<sup>th</sup>) day of October, 2014, by and between **County of Oneida**, a New York municipal corporation, with offices at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York, 13501 (hereinafter referred to as the "County"), through its' Mental Health Department with offices located at 120 Airline Street, Suite 200, Oriskany, New York 13424 and **The Neighborhood Center, Inc.**, having its principal office located at 293 Genesee Street, Utica, NY 13501 (hereinafter referred to as the "Provider").

### **WITNESSETH**

**WHEREAS**, the County and the Provider have entered into an agreement by which the Contractor is willing to provide services for the Mobile Crisis Assessment Team (MCAT) Program, the Psychosocial Club-Adult Recovery Services (ARS) and the Assisted Competitive Employment (ACE) Program, with a term from January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016 (the "Original Agreement"), and

**WHEREAS**, the parties are desirous of entering into an Amendment to the Original Agreement in regards to the following provisions,

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual promises made herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. The Original Agreement (Contract #014082) shall be amended to include:
  - a. An increase in the funding for the Mobile Crisis Assessment Team (MCAT) Program of an additional One Hundred Ninety Thousand Six Hundred Seventy Eight Dollars (\$190,678.00); An increase in the funding for the Assisted Competitive Employment (ACE) Program in the amount of Ninety-One Thousand Eight Hundred Ninety-Seven Dollars (\$91,897.00); and Three Hundred Seventy Nine Thousand One Hundred Sixty Eight Dollars (\$379,168.00) for the Psychosocial Club-Adult Recovery Services (ARS) over the current contract for years 2014 - 2016.
2. The above changes in funds will result in a new total per year of Two Million Four Hundred Four Thousand Three Hundred Nine Dollars (\$2,404,309.00). This will result in a three year funding total of Seven Million Two Hundred Twelve Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty-Seven Dollars (\$7,212,927.00).
3. All other terms of the Original Agreement remain in effect without change or alteration.

**IN WITNESS THEREOF**, the County and the Provider have signed this Amendment on the day and year first above written.

**County of Oneida County**

**The Neighborhood Center, Inc.**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Sandra Soroka  
Executive Director

Approved as to Form only

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County Attorney's Office

**APPENDIX A  
CONTRACT BUDGET 2014 - 2016 AMENDMENT**

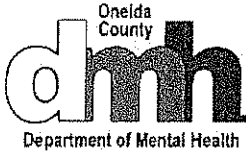
	2014-2016
OMH	\$2,404,309.00
OPWDD	\$0.00
OASAS	\$0.00
Total State Aid	\$2,404,309.00
County Funds	\$0.00
<b>TOTAL FUNDING PER YEAR</b>	<b>\$2,404,309.00</b>
<b>TOTAL FUNDING THREE YEARS</b>	<b>\$7,212,927.00</b>

		# Payments	Total Amount
Monthly Voucher Amount January - November	\$200,359.00	11	<b>\$2,203,949.00</b>
Final Voucher Amount December	\$200,360.00	1	<b>\$200,360.00</b>
			<u><b>\$2,404,309.00</b></u>
		2014-2016	<u><b>X 3</b></u>
			<b>\$7,212,927.00</b>





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February 27, 2015

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**WAYS & MEANS**

Dear Mr. Picente:

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The gross amount of this Agreement is **\$390,321.00** per year for a three year total of 1,170,963.00. The funding changes for this amendment results in a total increase of \$50,338.00; consisting of a decrease of funding through OPWDD of \$32,379.00 and an increase in OMH of \$82,717.00. This amount reflects **100%** OMH and OPWDD State Aid Funding.

Thank you very much for your time and consideration of this request. I would be pleased to respond to any questions or concerns you might have with regard to this Agreement.

Respectfully,

Debra A. Whiteford  
Interim Commissioner

DAW/ms  
Encs.

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 4/6/15

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**CONTRACT SUMMARY**

**Name of Proposing Individual/Organization:** The Arc Oneida-Lewis Chapter, NYSARC

**Title of Proposed Service/Program:** Vocational Rehabilitation Training/Sheltered Workshop  
Transportation  
Assisted Competitive Employment  
Ongoing Integrated Supported Employment

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016  
AMENDMENT

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Adult residents of Oneida County with a  
developmental disability/ 105 to be served  
Adults with a mental illness/100

**Summary Statements:**

- I. **Narrative Description of Service/Program:**
  - A. **Vocational Rehabilitation Training/Sheltered Workshop (0340) (\$78,949)**  
This program focuses on teaching the individual social, behavioral and work skills necessary to go into the community and find competitive employment. Individuals who are unable to find competitive employment can remain within the vocational training program and earn money at a level which equals their ability to do work based on industry standards.
  - B. **Transportation (0340) (\$18,186)**  
This service provides transportation to and from programming within Oneida County; for those individuals in need to improve accessibility of services.
  - C. **Assisted Competitive Employment (1380) (\$116,628)**  
Assisted Competitive Employment (ACE) is a community-based supported employment program that provides: intake/assessment, individualized job development, job shadowing, community internships, benefits counseling, transportation, and life skills advocacy. This program serves individuals with severe mental illness.
  - D. **Ongoing Integrated Supported Employment (4340) (\$176,558)**  
Provides individuals with severe mental illness direct placement into community based employment accompanied by needed support and follow along services. Support services include: on-site job coaching, benefits counseling, transportation, life skills advocacy, and long term job retention supports. Extended services are provided to the individual as long as they are needed to ensure gainful employment is successfully maintained.

II. **Service/Program Objectives and Outcomes:** N/A

## AMENDMENT

**THIS AMENDMENT** made the fourteenth (14<sup>th</sup>) day of October, 2014, by and between **County of Oneida**, a New York municipal corporation, with offices at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York, 13501 (hereinafter referred to as the "County"), through its' Mental Health Department with offices located at 120 Airline Street, Suite 200, Oriskany, New York 13424 and **The ARC Oneida-Lewis Chapter, NYSARC.**, having its principal office located at 245 Genesee Street, Utica, NY 13501 (hereinafter referred to as the "Provider").

### WITNESSETH

**WHEREAS**, the County and the Provider have entered into an agreement by which the Contractor is willing to provide services for the Assisted Competitive Employment (ACE) Program, with a term from January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016 (the "Original Agreement"), and

**WHEREAS**, the parties are desirous of entering into an Amendment to the Original Agreement in regards to the following provisions,

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual promises made herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. The Original Agreement (Contract #014128) shall be amended to include:
  - a. A decrease in the funding for OPWDD programs in the amount of Thirty-Two Thousand Three Hundred Seventy-Nine Dollars (\$32,379.00) under the current contract.
  - b. An increase in the funding for OMH programs in the amount of Eighty-Two Thousand Seven Hundred Seventeen Dollars (\$82,717.00) over the current contract.
2. The above increase in funds will result in a new total per year of Three Hundred Ninety Thousand Three Hundred Twenty-One Dollars (\$390,321.00). This will result in a three year funding total of One Million One Hundred Seventy Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty-Three Dollars (\$1,170,963.00).
3. All other terms of the Original Agreement remain in effect without change or alteration.

**IN WITNESS THEREOF**, the County and the Provider have signed this Amendment on the day and year first above written.

**County of Oneida County**

**The ARC Oneida-Lewis Chapter, NYSARC**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Karen Korotzer  
Executive Director

Approved as to Form only

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County Attorney's Office

**APPENDIX A  
CONTRACT BUDGET 2014 - 2016 AMENDMENT**

	2014-2016
OMH	\$293,186.00
OPWDD	\$97,135.00
OASAS	\$0.00
Total State Aid	\$390,321.00
County Funds	\$0.00
<b>TOTAL FUNDING PER YEAR</b>	<b>\$390,321.00</b>
<b>TOTAL FUNDING THREE YEARS</b>	<b>\$1,170,963.00</b>

		# Payments	Total Amount
Monthly Voucher Amount January - November	\$32,357.00	11	<b>\$355,927.00</b>
Final Voucher Amount December	\$34,394.00	1	<b>\$34,394.00</b>
			<b><u>\$390,321.00</u></b>
		2014-2016	<b><u>X            3</u></b>
			<b>\$1,170,963.00</b>



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February 27, 2015

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Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 3/12/15

Honorable Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

Dear Mr. Picente:

I am forwarding six (6) copies of the Amendment to the 2014-2016 Purchase of Services Agreement between the Oneida County Department of Mental Health and Susan Koniewicz-Everett, LCSW-R, for your review and signature. Please forward this to the Board of Legislators upon completing your review.

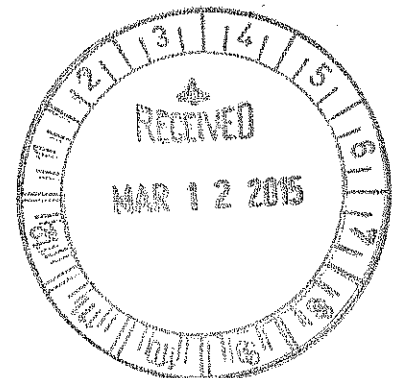
The existing gross amount of this Agreement reflects the addition of the 24/7 on call availability and training services at a per month cost of **1,500.00**. No additional monies are associated with this Amendment. This amount reflects **100%** in OMH State Funding.

Thank you very much for your time and consideration of this request. I would be pleased to respond to any questions or concerns you might have with regard to this Agreement.

Respectfully,

Debra A. Whiteford  
Interim Commissioner

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**CONTRACT SUMMARY**

**Name of Proposing Individual/Organization:** Susan Koniewicz-Everett  
**Title of Proposed Service/Program:** Mental Health Assessment Services  
**Proposed Dates of Operation:** January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016  
AMENDMENT  
**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Oneida County individuals Adult Mental Health Services.

**Summary Statements:**

**I. Narrative Description of Service/Program Performance:**

- A. Complete psychosocial/risk assessments and mental health evaluations and investigations related to the Assisted Outpatient Treatment Program;
- B. Services to include a review of clinical records, report preparation, consultation with service providers and development of Assisted Outpatient Treatment Court Order or Service Enhancement;
- C. Complete trainings provided relevant to policies, procedures and legislative updates;
- D. Serve as an educational and clinical consultant relevant to Mental Health Capacity Evaluations;
- E. Perform such duties as may be required to facilitate Article 9.45 of Mental Hygiene Law for the Director of Community Services.
- F. Provide 24/7 on call services related to all relevant Department of Mental Health Services and Training of all Oneida County Department of Mental Health Staff.

**II. Service/Program Objectives and Outcomes:**

Provide AOT investigations & evaluations, 9.45 pick-up orders, mental health capacity evaluations, updates and reports as directed.

**III. Service/Program Design and Staffing: (N/A)**

**Total Funding Requested:**

**Account #:** A4310.196

- \$250.00 per completed AOT Investigation
- \$150.00 per AOT update completed
- \$200.00 per Mental Health Capacity Evaluation
- \$35.00 per hour for 9.45 pick-up orders
- \$1,500.00 per month for 24/7 on call and training

**Oneida County Department Funding Recommendation(s):**

It is recommended that the full amount of \$250.00 per AOT Investigation, \$150.00 per AOT update completed, \$35.00 per hour for 9.45 pick-up orders, \$200.00 per Mental Health Capacity Evaluation, and \$1,500.00 per month for 24/7 on call services and training be approved for 2014-2015. The total of all services cannot exceed \$25,000.00 per year or \$75,000.00 for the full three year contract.

**Past Performance Data:** (N/A)

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/State \$/County \$):** 100% OMH State Aid

## AMENDMENT

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### WITNESSETH

**WHEREAS**, the County and the Provider have entered into an agreement by which the Contractor is willing to provide services for the Various Training and Evaluations mandated by the State with a term from January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016 (the "Original Agreement"), and

**WHEREAS**, the parties are desirous of entering into an Amendment to the Original Agreement in regards to the following provisions,

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual promises made herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. The Original Agreement (Contract #014248) shall be amended to include the funding of One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500.00) per month (all inclusive of OMH functions) for 24/7 availability for training and evaluations over the current contract for all months coverage provided for Mental Health Director. No additional monies are associated with this Amendment.
2. All other terms of the Original Agreement remain in effect without change or alteration.

**IN WITNESS THEREOF**, the County and the Provider have signed this Amendment on the day and year first above written.

**County of Oneida County**

**Independent Contractor**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Susan Koniewicz-Everett, LCSW-R  
Consultant

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Nichole M. Hinman  
County Attorney's Office



**APPENDIX A  
CONTRACT BUDGET 2014 - 2016 AMENDMENT**

<b>100% OMH</b>	AOT Investigation:	\$250.00	per completed
	AOT Update:	\$150.00	per completed
	Mental Health Capacity Evaluation:	\$200.00	per completed
	9.45 pick-up orders	\$35.00	per hour
	24/7 on call and training	\$1,500.00	per month

**TOTAL MAX FUNDING THREE YEARS ALL  
SERVICES \$75,000.00**



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Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 3/12/15

Honorable Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
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800 Park Avenue  
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Dear Mr. Picente:

I am forwarding six (6) copies of the Amendment to the 2014-2016 Purchase of Services Agreement between the Oneida County Department of Mental Health and Human Technologies Corporation for your review and signature. Please forward this to the Board of Legislators upon completing your review.

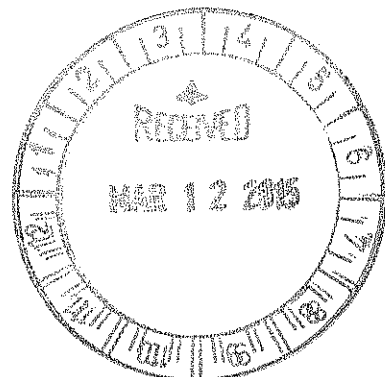
The gross amount of this Agreement is **\$134,770.00** per year for a three year total of \$577,796.00. The funding changes for this amendment results in a total decrease of \$173,486.00. The amount reflects **100%** in OMH State Aid Funding.

Thank you very much for your time and consideration of this request. I would be pleased to respond to any questions or concerns you might have with regard to this Agreement.

Respectfully,

Debra A. Whiteford  
Interim Commissioner

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Oneida County Department: Mental Health

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
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Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
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**CONTRACT SUMMARY**

**Name of Proposing Individual/Organization:** Human Technologies Corporation  
**Title of Proposed Service/Program:** Affirmative Business/Industry Services  
Ongoing Integrated Supported Employment (OISE)  
Advocacy Services  
**Proposed Dates of Operation:** January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016  
AMENDMENT  
**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Adults with a serious and persistent mental illness

**Summary Statements:**

**I. Narrative Description of Service/Program:**

**A. Ongoing Integrated Supported Employment (OISE) (4340) (\$30,592-2014); (\$58,901-2015&2016)**

Provides placement in competitive employment, support, and follow up. Extended services are provided to assure that gainful employment is successfully maintained.

**B. Affirmative Business/Industry Services (0340) (\$277,664-2014 only)**

Provide services that include vocational assessment, training, transition or long-term paid employment and support services for adults with mental illness.

**C. Advocacy/Support Services (1760) (\$75,869-2015&2016)**

- Short-term services to assist in the stabilization of the clients in the employment environment.
- Linkage to identified service providers, follow-up, engagement;
- Crisis intervention and assistance with accessing various service systems.

**II. Service/Program Objectives and Outcomes: N/A**

**III. Service/Program Design and Staffing:**

Services are staffed according to the NYS Office of Mental Health and Adult Career and Continuing Education Services-Vocational Rehabilitation (ACCES-VR) guidelines.

**Total Funding Requested per year (2014):**

**Account #:** A4310.49518

Gross Budget		\$308,256.00
State Funds	OMH	\$308,256.00
	OMRDD	0
	OASAS	0
<b>Total for year</b>		<b>\$308,256.00</b>

**Total Funding Requested (2015-2016):**

**Account #:** A4310.49538

Gross Budget		\$134,770.00
State Funds	OMH	\$134,770.00
	OPWDD	0
	OASAS	0
<b>Total full two years</b>		<b>\$269,540.00</b>

**Oneida County Department Funding Recommendation(s):**

It is recommended that the full AMENDED amount of \$308,256.00 be approved for 2014; \$269,540.00 be approved for 2015-2016.

**Service Units N/A**

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/State \$/County \$):** State (2014)-\$308,256.00; State (2015-2016)-\$269,540.00

## AMENDMENT

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### WITNESSETH

**WHEREAS**, the County and the Provider have entered into an agreement by which the Contractor is willing to provide services for the Ongoing Integrated Supported Employment Program, the Advocacy Program, and the Affirmative Business Industry Services Program with a term from January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016 (the "Original Agreement"), and

**WHEREAS**, the parties are desirous of entering into an Amendment to the Original Agreement in regards to the following provisions,

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual promises made herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. The Original Agreement (Contract #014372) shall be amended to include:
  - a. An increase in the funding to the Ongoing Integrated Supported Employment Program of an additional Twenty Eight Thousand Three Hundred Nine Dollars (\$28,309.00), and the Advocacy Program of an additional Seventy-Five Thousand Eight Hundred Sixty-Nine Dollars (\$75,869.00) over the current contract for the remaining years 2015 and 2016.
  - b. The elimination of the funding for the Affirmative Business Industry Services Program starting July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2014 due to funding elimination by the State OMH Department.
2. The above changes in funds will result in a new total of One Hundred Thirty-Four Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy Dollars (134,770.00) per year 2015-2016. This will result in a three year funding total of Five Hundred Seventy-Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety-Six Dollars (\$577,796.00).
3. All other terms of the Original Agreement remain in effect without change or alteration.

**IN WITNESS THEREOF**, the County and the Provider have signed this Amendment on the day and year first above written.

**County of Oneida County**

**Human Technologies Corporation**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Richard E. Sebastian  
President and CEO

Approved as to Form only

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Nichole M. Hinman  
County Attorney's Office

**APPENDIX A  
CONTRACT BUDGET 2014 - 2016 AMENDMENT**

	2014
OMH	\$308,256.00
OPWDD	\$0.00
OASAS	\$0.00
Total State Aid	\$308,256.00
County Funds	\$0.00
<b>TOTAL FUNDING YEAR 2014</b>	<b>\$308,256.00</b>

		# Payments	Total Amount
Monthly Voucher Amount January - December	\$25,688.00	12	<u><b>\$308,256.00</b></u>
			<b>\$308,256.00</b>

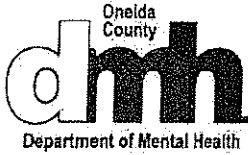
	2015-2016
OMH	\$134,770.00
OPWDD	\$0.00
OASAS	\$0.00
Total State Aid	\$134,770.00
County Funds	\$0.00
<b>TOTAL FUNDING YEARS 2015-2016</b>	<b>\$134,770.00</b>
<b>TOTAL FUNDING THREE YEARS</b>	<b>\$577,796.00</b>

		# Payments	Total Amount
Monthly Voucher Amount January - November	\$11,230.00	11	<b>\$123,530.00</b>
Final Voucher Amount - December	\$11,240.00	1	<u><b>\$11,240.00</b></u>
			<b>\$134,770.00</b>

2014	<b>\$308,256.00</b>
2015-2016	<u><b>\$269,540.00</b></u>
2014-2016	<b>\$577,796.00</b>



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HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

WAYS & MEANS    Date 3/12/15

Dear Mr. Picente:

I am forwarding six (6) copies of the Amendment to the 2014-2016 Purchase of Services Agreement between the Oneida County Department of Mental Health and The Rescue Mission of Utica, New York, for your review and signature. Please forward this to the Board of Legislators upon completing your review.

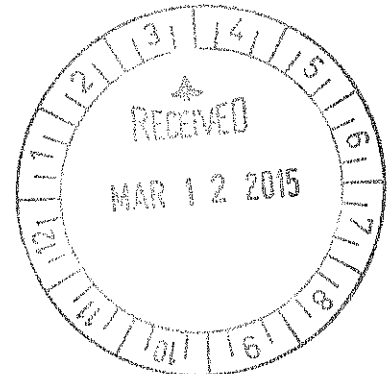
The gross amount of this Agreement is **\$1,055,395.00** per year for a three year total of \$3,166,185.00. The funding changes for this amendment results in a total decrease of \$67,414.00 in OASAS state aid. The amount reflects **100%** in OASAS and OMH State Aid Funding.

Thank you very much for your time and consideration of this request. I would be pleased to respond to any questions or concerns you might have with regard to this Agreement.

Respectfully,

*Debra A. Whiteford*

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**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
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**CONTRACT SUMMARY**

**Name of Proposing Individual/Organization:** The Rescue Mission of Utica, New York  
**Title of Proposed Service/Program:** Enriched Single Room Occupancy, Addictions Crisis Center  
**Proposed Dates of Operation:** January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016  
AMENDMENT  
**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Adults with serious mental illness and substance abuse disorder in need of residential care & treatment

**Summary Statements:**

**I. Narrative Description of Service/Program:**

**A. Enriched Single Room Occupancy (ESRO) Program (8050) (\$334,870)**

The 24/7, 52-bed residential program for adults with mental illness promotes individual recovery & functioning. Services include: medication & case management, transport to medical appointments, social recreation, education/behavioral counseling, and job services.

**B. Addictions Crisis Center (ACC) (3510) (\$720,525)**

The 24/7, 25-bed center provides screening/assessment, treatment and linkage to services for persons with a dual diagnosis of mental illness and substance abuse.

**II. Service/Program Objectives and Outcomes:**

The objectives are to help individuals maintain stability and learn skills to be independent.

**III. Service/Program Design and Staffing:**

The ESRO and ACC Programs are certified and adhere to all regulations per the NYS Office of Mental Health (OMH) and Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services (OASAS).

**Total Funding Requested per year (2014-2016):**

**Account #:** A4310.49522

Gross Budget		\$1,055,395.00
State Funds	OMH	\$ 334,870.00
	OPWDD	\$ 0
	OASAS	\$ 720,525.00
County Funds		0
<b>Total full two years</b>		<b>\$3,166,185.00</b>

**Oneida County Department Funding Recommendation(s):**

It is recommended that the full AMENDED amount of \$3,166,185.00 be approved for 2014-2016.

**Cost Per Person Served: (N/A)**

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/State \$/County\$) per year:** State (2014-2016)-\$3,166,185.00.



## AMENDMENT

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### WITNESSETH

**WHEREAS**, the County and the Provider have entered into an agreement by which the Contractor is willing to provide services for the Addictions Crisis Center Program with a term from January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016 (the "Original Agreement"), and

**WHEREAS**, the parties are desirous of entering into an Amendment to the Original Agreement in regards to the following provisions,

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual promises made herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. The Original Agreement (Contract #014243) shall be amended to include a decrease in the OASAS funding of Sixty-Seven Thousand Four Hundred Fourteen Dollars (\$67,414.00) under the current contract.
2. The above decrease in funds will result in a new total per year of One Million Fifty-Five Thousand Three Hundred Ninety-Five Dollars (\$1,055,395.00). This will result in a three year funding total of Three Million One Hundred Sixty-Six Thousand One Hundred Eighty-Five Dollars (3,166,185.00).
3. All other terms of the Original Agreement remain in effect without change or alteration.

**IN WITNESS THEREOF**, the County and the Provider have signed this Amendment on the day and year first above written.

**County of Oneida County**

**The Rescue Mission of Utica, New York**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
James Haid  
Executive Director

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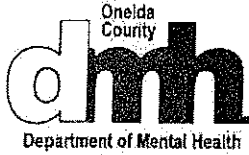
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**APPENDIX A  
CONTRACT BUDGET 2014 - 2016 AMENDMENT**

	2014-2016		
OMH	\$334,870.00		
OPWDD	\$0.00		
OASAS	\$720,525.00		
Total State Aid	\$1,055,395.00		\$87,949.58
County Funds	\$0.00		
<b>TOTAL FUNDING PER YEAR</b>	<b>\$1,055,395.00</b>		
<b>TOTAL FUNDING THREE YEARS</b>	<b>\$3,166,185.00</b>		
		# Payments	Total Amount
Monthly Voucher Amount January - November	\$87,950.00	11	<b>\$967,450.00</b>
Final Voucher Amount - December	\$87,945.00	1	<b>\$87,945.00</b>
			<b><u>\$1,055,395.00</u></b>
		2014-2016	<b><u>X 3</u></b>
			<b>\$3,166,185.00</b>



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Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
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Date 3/12/15

February 27, 2015

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Dear Mr. Picente:

I am forwarding six (6) copies of the Amendment to the 2014-2016 Purchase of Services Agreement between the Oneida County Department of Mental Health and Central New York Services, Inc., for your review and signature. Please forward this to the Board of Legislators upon completing your review.

The gross amount of this Agreement is **\$1,519,882.00** per year for a three year total of \$4,559,646.00. The funding changes for this amendment results in a total increase of \$1,621.00 (\$151.00 decrease to OMH funding and \$1,772.00 increase to OASAS funding). The amount reflects **100%** in OASAS and OMH State Funding.

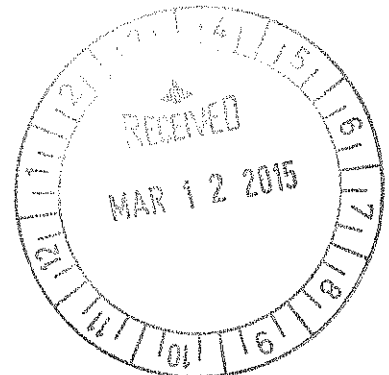
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Respectfully,

Debra A. Whiteford  
Interim Commissioner

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**Oneida County Department: Mental Health**

**Competing Proposal** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Only Respondent** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Sole Source RFP** \_\_\_\_\_

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
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**CONTRACT SUMMARY**

**Name of Proposing Individual/Organization:** Central New York Services, Inc.

**Title of Proposed Service/Program:** Outreach - Court/Jail/Transition Management/Advocacy  
Coordinated Children's Services Initiative  
Service Dollars/ACT  
MICA Network/Shelter Plus Care

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016  
AMENDMENT

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Adults and Children with a mental illness who are in,  
entering, or exiting the criminal justice system.

**Summary Statements:**

**I. Narrative Description of Service/Program:**

**A. Outreach-Court/Jail Forensic Evaluation Unit (0690) (\$214,816/\$676,434)**

1. Screening and Jail Diversion: The Courts refer individuals for screening, case planning, employment services and monitoring. These individuals have a mental illness, substance abuse addiction or dual diagnosis. They are diverted from the Correctional Facility and receive treatment and other services from community providers. Successful completion of the Mental Health Court treatment plan results in dismissal of the charges.
2. Suicide Prevention And Screening: Located at Oneida County Correctional Facility. All persons admitted to the Oneida County Correctional Facility are assessed for lethality (potential for suicide); individuals assessed as needing supports are monitored for possible symptoms of depression or decompensation. Crisis intervention services and medication assessments are available.
3. Enhanced Forensic Case Management: Located at 1411 Genesee Street. Follow-up discharge planning for incarcerated individuals to improve the compliance rate for engagement in the community supports, reduce homelessness, reduces recidivism and to reduce ED/Inpatient treatment. This includes providing and arranging transportation, home visitations, attending case management consultations and monitoring court process.
4. Mandated OMH Services: a) CPL 730 evaluations ordered by Oneida County Courts to determine if defendants with mental defects can understand criminal charges and assist in their own defense; b) Medication Grant Program- provides short term medications for mentally ill individuals released from jails, prisons and psychiatric hospitals; c) Adult Single Point of Access and Accountability- for care coordination and residential services

**B. Transition Management Services (1970) (\$116,283)**

Located within the Forensic Behavioral Health Unit at Oneida County Correctional Facility, provides initial referral and linkage to appropriate treatment services, including employment training, support and readiness, for inmates upon their discharged from jail.

**C. Advocacy (1760) (\$170,996)**

Located within the Forensic Behavioral Health Unit at Oneida County Correctional Facility and integral to the Bridger Program, Advocacy , provides initial referral and linkage to treatment, and employment training for inmates upon their discharged from jail.

**D. Coordinated Children’s Services Initiative (CCSI) (2990) (\$74,436)**

a) Staff located at Oneida Count Probation Department uses an assessment tool to assist in the management and planning of services to children and adolescents with juvenile justice involvement; b) Clinical oversight of Parent Advocates whom provide support to parents and arrange for community services for children with mental illness.

**E. Assertive Community Treatment (ACT) Service Dollars (8810) (\$33,168)**

Administers wrap-around service funds to assist the ACT Team @ Mohawk Valley Psychiatric Center to sustain a person within the larger community and/or to assist them in reduction of hospital stays and/or contact with the criminal justice system.

**F. Mentally Ill Chemical Abuse Network (5990) (\$108,227)**

This case management service assists the individual to avoid additional contacts with the criminal justice system by obtaining treatment that addresses all of the disability issues concurrently, sustaining the individual through the inevitable short-term setbacks and providing case management support and advocacy for the dually diagnosed person.

**G. Advocacy/Support Shelter Plus Care (3078/52147) (\$125,522)**

Shelter Plus Care Housing assists 240+ persons and their families in obtaining and sustaining quality housing to help ensure continuing participation in treatment, employment and other services aiding in their recovery from substance abuse. Individuals are assisted in finding affordable housing within Oneida County, establish income eligibility for a Section 8 housing subsidy and understand the Public Assistance/Social Security benefits process.

**II. Service/Program Objectives and Outcomes:**

All services provided through the court system are intended to divert individuals with a mental illness from the criminal justice system and jail. Suicide screening and assessment services, in particular, are designed as a proactive, preventative measure to eliminate the risk of potential cases. Community based services are designed to meet the care coordination needs of those with mental illness including both adults and children, co-occurring disorders, and OMH mandated services.

**III. Service/Program Design and Staffing:**

All programs and individual staffing criteria meet NYS Office of Mental Health (OMH) and NYS Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services (OASAS) guidelines and regulations.

**Total Funding Requested (2014-2016):**

**Account #: A4310.49519**

Gross Budget		\$1,519,882.00
State Funds	OMH	\$1,394,360.00
	OPWDD	0
	OASAS	\$ 125,522.00
County Funds		\$ 0
<b>Total full three years</b>		<b>\$4,559,646.00</b>

**Oneida County Department Funding Recommendation(s):**

It is recommended that the full AMENDED amount of \$4,559,646.00 be approved.

**Service Units N/A**

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/State \$/County \$): State -\$4,559,646.00**

## AMENDMENT

**THIS AMENDMENT** made the fourteenth (14<sup>th</sup>) day of October, 2014, by and between **County of Oneida**, a New York municipal corporation, with offices at 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York, 13501 (hereinafter referred to as the "County"), through its' Mental Health Department with offices located at 120 Airline Street, Suite 200, Oriskany, New York 13424 and **Central New York Services, Inc.**, having its principal office located at 518 James Street, Suite 240, Syracuse, NY 13203 (hereinafter referred to as the "Provider").

### WITNESSETH

**WHEREAS**, the County and the Provider have entered into an agreement by which the Contractor is willing to provide services for the Assertive Community Treatment (ACT) Service Dollars with a term from January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016 (the "Original Agreement"), and

**WHEREAS**, the parties are desirous of entering into an Amendment to the Original Agreement in regards to the following provisions,

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual promises made herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. The Original Agreement (Contract #014083) shall be amended to include:
  - a. A decrease in the OMH funding of One Hundred Fifty-One Dollars (\$151.00) under the current contract.
  - b. An increase in the OASAS funding of One Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy-Two Dollars (\$1,772.00) over the current contract.
2. The above increase in funds will result in a new total per year of One Million Five Hundred Nineteen Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty-Two Dollars (\$1,519,882.00). This will result in a three year funding total of Four Million Five Hundred Fifty-Nine Thousand Six Hundred Forty-Six Dollars (\$4,559,646.00).
3. All other terms of the Original Agreement remain in effect without change or alteration.

**IN WITNESS THEREOF**, the County and the Provider have signed this Amendment on the day and year first above written.

**County of Oneida County**

**Central New York Services, Inc.**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
John Warren  
Executive Director

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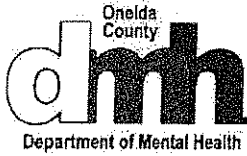
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	2014-2016
OMH	\$1,394,360.00
OPWDD	\$0.00
OASAS	\$125,522.00
Total State Aid	\$1,519,882.00
County Funds	\$0.00
<b>TOTAL FUNDING PER YEAR</b>	<b>\$1,519,882.00</b>
<b>TOTAL FUNDING THREE YEARS</b>	<b>\$4,559,646.00</b>

		# Payments	Total Amount
Monthly Voucher Amount January - November	\$126,657.00	11	\$1,393,227.00
Final Voucher Amount December	\$126,655.00	1	\$126,655.00
			<b>\$1,519,882.00</b>
		2014-2016	<b>X <u>3</u></b>
			<b>\$4,559,646.00</b>



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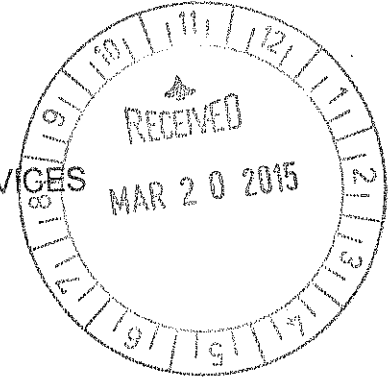
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February 27, 2015

Honorable Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
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FN 20 15-168

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES  
WAYS & MEANS



Dear Mr. Picente:

I am forwarding six (6) copies of the Amendment to the 2014-2016 Purchase of Services Agreement between the Oneida County Department of Mental Health and House of the Good Shepherd, for your review and signature. Please forward this to the Board of Legislators upon completing your review.

The gross amount of this Agreement is **\$25,000.00** per year. The funding changes for this amendment results in a decrease in total funding of \$26,500.00. The amount reflects **100%** in OMH State Funding.

Thank you very much for your time and consideration of this request. I would be pleased to respond to any questions or concerns you might have with regard to this Agreement.

Respectfully,

Debra A. Whiteford  
Interim Commissioner

DAW/ms  
Encs.

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 3/18/15



**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**CONTRACT SUMMARY**

**Name of Proposing Individual/Organization:** House of the Good Shepherd  
1550 Champlin Avenue  
Utica, NY 13502

**Title of Proposed Service/Program:** Child and Youth Short-Term Respite

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016  
AMENDMENT

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Oneida County children and youth with a serious  
emotional disturbance and/or severe behavioral  
disorder

**Summary Statements:**

**I. Narrative Description of Service/Program Performance:**

**A. Children’s Respite (2990) (up to \$25,000)**

Assessment to determine suitable placement for children referred from Tier 1, Neighborhood Center Mobile Crisis Assessment Team and Child Guidance Clinics, Upstate Cerebral Palsy’s Community Health and Behavioral Services and hospital emergency departments. Beds are located at the Milton Abelow Children’s Shelter (MACS) or in a certified foster home. Provide crisis intervention/diffusion services and discharge planning including emergency back-up plans necessitating a child’s removal from respite. Recruit, screen, train and certify foster family boarding homes.

**II. Service/Program Objectives and Outcomes:**

Maintain children in the community; enhance parenting skills and keep families intact.

**III. Service/Program Design and Staffing:**

Facility and individual Foster Families within the Oneida County; \$75.00 per day for planned respite, \$340.12 per day for crisis institutional respite at MACS, \$150.00 per day for crisis foster boarding home respite not to exceed \$51,500.00 total for year 2014 or \$25,000.00 total per year 2015 and 2016.

**Total Funding Requested per year:**

**Account #:** A4310.4951

Gross Budget	\$	25,000.00 max
State Funds	OMH	\$ 25,000.00 max
	OPWDD	0
	OASAS	\$ 0
County Funds		\$ 0
<b>Total max three years</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>101,500.00 max</b>

**Oneida County Department Funding Recommendation(s):**

It is recommended that the full AMENDED amount of \$101,500.00 be approved for 2014-2016.

**Service Units:** (N/A)

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/State \$/County\$) per year:** State (2014-2016)-  
\$101,500.00(max).

**AMENDMENT**

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**WITNESSETH**

**WHEREAS**, the County and the Provider have entered into an agreement by which the Contractor is willing to provide services for the Children's Respite Program, with a term from January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016 (the "Original Agreement"), and

**WHEREAS**, the parties are desirous of entering into an Amendment to the Original Agreement in regards to the following provisions,

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual promises made herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. The Original Agreement (Contract #014271) shall be amended to include a decrease in the funding of Twenty Six Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$26,500.00) under the current contract for the remaining years 2015 and 2016.
2. The above decrease in funds will result in a new total per year of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00). This will result in a three year maximum funding of One Hundred One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$101,500.00).
3. All other terms of the Original Agreement remain in effect without change or alteration.

**IN WITNESS THEREOF**, the County and the Provider have signed this Amendment on the day and year first above written.

**County of Oneida County**

**House of the Good Shepherd**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Robert Roberts  
Executive Director

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Nichole M. Hinman  
County Attorney's Office

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<b>100% OMH</b>	Planned Respite	\$75.00	per day
	Crisis Institutional Respite at MACS Crisis Foster Boarding Home Respite	\$340.12	per day
		\$150.00	per day

	2014
OMH	\$51,500.00 maximum
OPWDD	\$0.00
OASAS	\$0.00
Total State Aid	\$51,500.00 maximum
County Funds	\$0.00
<b>TOTAL FUNDING</b>	<b>\$51,500.00</b> maximum

	2015-2016
OMH	\$25,000.00 maximum
OPWDD	\$0.00
OASAS	\$0.00
Total State Aid	\$25,000.00 maximum
County Funds	\$0.00
<b>TOTAL FUNDING PER YEAR</b>	<b>\$25,000.00</b> maximum
<b>TOTAL FUNDING TWO YEARS</b>	<b>\$50,000.00</b>
<b>TOTAL FUNDING THREE YEARS</b>	<b>\$101,500.00</b>



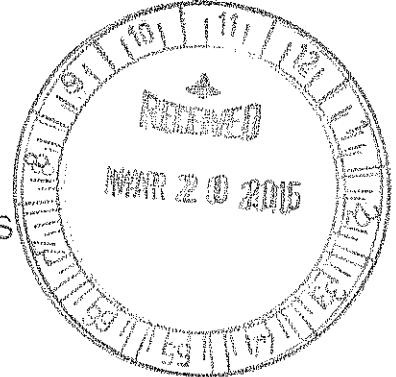
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February 27, 2015

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Honorable Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

**WAYS & MEANS**

Dear Mr. Picente:

I am forwarding six (6) copies of the Amendment to the 2014-2016 Purchase of Services Agreement between the Oneida County Department of Mental Health and Insight House Chemical Dependency Services, Inc., for your review and signature. Please forward this to the Board of Legislators upon completing your review.

The gross amount of this Agreement is **\$1,543,283.00** per year for a three year total of \$4,629,849.00. The funding changes for this amendment results in a total increase of \$30,671.00 per year for a three year total of \$92,013.00. This amount is funded in OASAS State Aid and **\$36,000.00** per year in County Share for a three year total of \$108,000.00.

Thank you very much for your time and consideration of this request. I would be pleased to respond to any questions or concerns you might have with regard to this Agreement.

Respectfully,

Debra A. Whiteford  
Interim Commissioner

DAW/ms  
Encs.

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 3/18/15

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**CONTRACT SUMMARY**

**Name of Proposing Individual/Organization:** Insight House Chemical Dependency Services, Inc.

**Title of Proposed Service/Program:** Outpatient Substance Abuse Clinic Treatment  
Intensive Residential Treatment  
Substance Abuse School-Based Prevention

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016  
AMENDMENT

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Individuals with an alcohol and/or substance abuse or  
dependency problem, and their families

**Summary Statements:**

**I. Narrative Description of Service/Program:**

**A. Outpatient Substance Abuse Treatment Clinic (3520) (\$485,094)**

Individualized, evidenced-based services are provided in a clinic-like setting and address a cohort ranging from adolescents to seniors. Services include: evaluation/assessment services; referral; individual, family and group counseling; and discharge aftercare planning.

**B. Chemical Dependence Intensive Residential Treatment (3560) (\$904,025); County (\$36,000)**

The Residential Program is a certified 48-bed service that provides a highly-intensive level of care suitable for men and women who are experiencing dysfunction in multiple life areas and who require a structured living arrangement during treatment. The average length of stay is six months. A minimum of 40 hours per week of clinical services is provided within this controlled therapeutic environment. Additional skill training is provided in the following areas: vocational and educational, life, parenting, community living, personal hygiene/care, socialization and leisure activities.

**D. Substance Abuse School-Based Prevention Services (5520) (\$105,407); (5550) (\$12,757)**

Insight House is currently in 9 Districts. The Prevention Outreach Team meets weekly to discuss school-wide issues with individual students, and to plan community prevention education.

Community and environmental strategies are focused on changing the culture in our community through public service announcements and a monthly newsletter. Prevention counselors provide faculty with updates as to the current trends and signs/symptoms of local drug/alcohol use/abuse. Insight House provides parent forums, which focus on different topics that increase awareness in the home. Prevention counselors are available to provide student assembly or classroom presentations on different topics.

**II. Service/Program Objectives and Outcomes: (N/A)**

**III. Service/Program Design and Staffing:**

All services and programs are certified by the NYS Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services (OASAS) and thus are directed to meet minimum staffing requirements.

**Total Funding Requested per year (2014-2016):**

**Account #:** A4310.49515

Gross Budget		\$1,507,283.00
State Funds	OMH	0
	OPWDD	0
	OASAS	\$1,507,283.00
County Funds		\$ 36,000.00
<b>Total full three years</b>		<b>\$4,629,849.00</b>

**Oneida County Department Funding Recommendation(s):**

It is recommended that the full AMENDED amount of \$4,629,849.00 be approved for 2014-2016.

**Service Units:** (N/A)

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/State \$/County \$):** State (2014-2016)-\$4,629,849.00 and County \$108,000.00

## AMENDMENT

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### WITNESSETH

**WHEREAS**, the County and the Provider have entered into an agreement by which the Contractor is willing to provide services for the Medically Supervised Outpatient Treatment Program, with a term from January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016 (the "Original Agreement"), and

**WHEREAS**, the parties are desirous of entering into an Amendment to the Original Agreement in regards to the following provisions,

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual promises made herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. The Original Agreement (Contract #014128) shall be amended to include:
  - a. An increase in the funding for the Medically Supervised Outpatient Treatment Program through state aid pass through dollars of an additional Thirty Thousand Six Hundred Seventy-One Dollars (\$30,671.00) over the current contract for years 2014 - 2016.
2. The above changes in funds will result in a new total per year of One Million Five Hundred Forty-Three Thousand Two Hundred Eighty-Three Dollars (\$1,543,283.00). This will result in a three year funding total of Four Million Six Hundred Twenty-Nine Thousand Eight Hundred Forty-Nine Dollars (\$4,629,849.00).
3. All other terms of the Original Agreement remain in effect without change or alteration.

**IN WITNESS THEREOF**, the County and the Provider have signed this Amendment on the day and year first above written.

**County of Oneida County**

**Insight House Chemical Dependency Services, Inc.**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Donna Vitagliano  
President and CEO

Approved as to Form only

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Nichole M. Hinman  
County Attorney's Office



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	2014-2016		
OMH	\$0.00		
OPWDD	\$0.00		
OASAS	\$1,507,283.00		
Total State Aid	\$1,507,283.00		
County Funds	\$36,000.00		
<b>TOTAL FUNDING PER YEAR</b>	<b>\$1,543,283.00</b>		
<b>TOTAL FUNDING THREE YEARS</b>	<b>\$4,629,849.00</b>		
		# Payments	Total Amount
Monthly Voucher Amount January - November	\$128,606.00	11	<b>\$1,414,666.00</b>
Final Voucher Amount December	\$128,617.00	1	<b>\$128,617.00</b>
			<b><u>\$1,543,283.00</u></b>
		2014-2016	<b><u>X            3</u></b>
			<b>\$4,629,849.00</b>



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February 27, 2015

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Oneida County Executive  
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FN 20 15-170  
HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES  
WAYS & MEANS



Dear Mr. Picente:

I am forwarding six (6) copies of the Amendment to the 2014-2016 Purchase of Services Agreement between the Oneida County Department of Mental Health and Resource Center for Independent Living, Inc., for your review and signature. Please forward this to the Board of Legislators upon completing your review.

The gross amount of this Agreement is **\$404,837.00** per year for a three year total of \$1,214,511.00. The funding changes for this amendment results in a total increase of \$84,000.00 for years 2015-2016 (\$168,000.00 total). The amount reflects **100%** in OMH State Funding.

Thank you very much for your time and consideration of this request. I would be pleased to respond to any questions or concerns you might have with regard to this Agreement.

Respectfully,

*Debra A. Whiteford*  
Debra A. Whiteford  
Interim Commissioner

DAW/ms  
Encs.

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

*Anthony J. Picente, Jr.*  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive  
Date 3/18/15

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
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**CONTRACT SUMMARY**

**Name of Proposing Individual/Organization:** Resource Center for Independent Living, Inc.

**Title of Proposed Service/Program:** Service Dollars ICM Management Services  
C&Y Intensive Case Management  
Case Management Emergency & Non-Emergency Services  
Ongoing Integrated Supported Employment (OISE)  
Assisted Competitive Employment (ACE)

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016  
AMENDMENT

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Adults and children with severe mental illness,  
serious emotional disturbance or severe behavioral disorder.

**Summary Statements:**

- I. Narrative Description of Service/Program:**
- A. ICM Management Services Admin/Health Home Management Admin (2810/2850) (\$12,800/\$19,170)**  
Services include: bookkeeping, check processing, audit and evaluation.
  - B. Intensive Case Management Children and Youth Services (1810) (\$17,856)**  
The program links the Consumer to service systems various services and offer continued care and support. Services may include linking, monitoring, and case-specific advocacy.
  - C. ICM Emergency/Non-Emergency Services/ Health Home Emergency/Non-Emergency Services (1910/2740) (\$54,540/\$102,042)**  
The program services include both immediate and non-immediate emergency dollars designated to meet the basic needs of the consumer, including: transportation, medical/dental care, shelter/respite/hotel, food/meals, clothing, escort, household furnishings, utilities, tuition, job-related costs, job coaching, education, vocational services, and leisure time services.
  - D. Ongoing Integrated Supported Employment (OISE) (4340) (\$59,304)**  
The program services include short-term job coaching, employer consultation and other relevant supports needed to assist an individual in maintaining a job placement.
  - E. Assisted Competitive Employment (ACE) (1380) (\$139,125)**  
The program services include long-term supports in all areas of life to allow the consumer to be successful in employment. The Program provides consumers with job-specific skills training, as well as long-term supervision and support services, both at the work site and off-site.

**II. Service/Program Objectives and Outcomes:**

The primary objective of all ICM services and programs is to enable those individuals served to learn community skills and achieve their highest level of independent functioning.

**III. Service/Program Design and Staffing:**

The NYS Office of Mental Health (OMH) regulates and certifies all services and related programs in conjunction with the NYS Education Department Bureau of Vocational & Educational Services for Individuals with Disabilities (VESID).

**Total Funding Requested per year (2014-2016):**

**Account #:** A4310.49525

Gross Budget		\$404,837.00
State Funds	OMH	\$404,837.00
	OPWDD	0
	OASAS	0
County Funds		0
<b>Total full three years</b>		<b>\$1,214,511.00</b>

**Oneida County Department Funding Recommendation(s):**

It is recommended that the full AMENDED amount of \$1,214,511.00 be approved for 2014-2016.

**Service Units:** (N/A)

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/State \$/County\$) per year:** State (2014-2016)-\$1,214,511.00.

## AMENDMENT

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### WITNESSETH

**WHEREAS**, the County and the Provider have entered into an agreement by which the Contractor is willing to provide services for the Assisted Competitive Employment (ACE) Service Dollars with a term from January 1, 2014 through December 31, 2016 (the "Original Agreement"), and

**WHEREAS**, the parties are desirous of entering into an Amendment to the Original Agreement in regards to the following provisions,

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual promises made herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. The Original Agreement (Contract #014244) shall be amended to include an increase in the funding of Eighty-Four Thousand Dollars (\$84,000.00) over the current contract for the years 2015-2016.
2. The above increase in funds will result in a new total per years 2015 and 2016 of Four Hundred Four Thousand Eight Hundred Thirty-Seven Dollars (\$404,837.00). This will result in a three year funding total of One Million Two Hundred Fourteen Thousand Five Hundred Eleven Dollars (1,214,511.00).
3. All other terms of the Original Agreement remain in effect without change or alteration.

**IN WITNESS THEREOF**, the County and the Provider have signed this Amendment on the day and year first above written.

**County of Oneida County**

**Resource Center for Independent Living, Inc.**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Burt Danovitz  
Executive Director

Approved as to Form only

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Nichole M. Hinman  
County Attorney's Office

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CONTRACT BUDGET 2014 - 2016 AMENDMENT**

	2014-2016
OMH	\$404,837.00
OPWDD	\$0.00
OASAS	\$0.00
Total State Aid	\$404,837.00
County Funds	\$0.00
<b>TOTAL FUNDING PER YEAR</b>	<b>\$404,837.00</b>
<b>TOTAL FUNDING THREE YEARS</b>	<b>\$1,214,511.00</b>

		# Payments	Total Amount
Monthly Voucher Amount January - November	\$33,736.00	11	<b>\$371,096.00</b>
Final Voucher Amount December	\$33,741.00	1	<b>\$33,741.00</b>
			<b><u>\$404,837.00</u></b>
		2014-2016	<b><u>X                    3</u></b>
			<b><u>\$1,214,511.00</u></b>

Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
County Executive

Lucille A. Soldato  
Commissioner



**ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES**  
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March 19, 2015

Honorable Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

FN 20 15-171

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES  
WAYS & MEANS

Dear Mr. Picente:

Oneida County is in receipt of a grant from New York State Office of Children and Family Services in the amount of \$ 230,297.00. These funds will be used to support Day Care Registration. This Grant has a Contract period for January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015.

This grant provides funding for the program that will recommend Registration/and renewal for those individuals satisfactorily completing a Family Day Care initial/renewal application. Program will provide technical assistance to potential and current providers regarding application and regulations. Program will provide regular scheduled orientation throughout Oneida County. Program will complete an inspection /investigation on registered homes in response to a complaint, request by provider for additional school age children or for failure to meet training requirements. Complete 50% annual random inspections on existing providers. Respond to complaints on non-regulated child care providers. The program includes performance standards for: initial registrations, renewal registration, complaint investigations, safety assessments, inspections, and on-site registration case and management review.

I am available at any time to further discuss this grant should you have any questions.

I am respectfully requesting that this matter be forwarded to the Board of Legislators for acceptance of these grant funds.

Sincerely,

Lucille A. Soldato  
Commissioner

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

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Date 4/6/15

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Oneida Co. Department Social Services

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_

Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_

Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_

**Oneida County Board of Legislators**  
**Contract Summary**

**Name of Proposing Organization:** New York State Office of Children and Family Services  
52 Washington Street  
Rensselaer, New York 12144

**Title of Activity or Services:** Day Care Registration

**Proposed Dates of Operations:** January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015

**Client Population/Number to be Served:**

**SUMMARY STATEMENTS**

**1). Narrative Description of Proposed Services**

The program will recommend Registration/and renewal for those individuals satisfactorily completing a Family Day Care initial/renewal application. Program will provide technical assistance to potential and current providers regarding application and regulations. Program will provide regular scheduled orientation throughout Oneida County. Program will complete an inspection /investigation on registered homes in response to a complaint, request by provider for additional school age children or for failure to meet training requirements. Complete 50% annual random inspections on existing providers. Respond to complaints on non-regulated child care providers. The program includes performance standards for: initial registrations, renewal registration, complaint investigations, safety assessments, inspections, and on-site registration case and management review.

**2). Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes**

- To increase the number of Registered Family Day Care & School Age Day Care homes throughout Oneida County and to ensure through the Inspection process that they meet the standards set forth in the NYS Regulations.
- Performance standards for: initial registrations, renewal registration, complaint investigations, safety assessments, inspections, and on-site registration case and management review.

**3). Program Design and Staffing Level -**

**Total Grant Amount:** \$ 230,297.00

**Mandated or Non-Mandated –** Mandated

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** A4655 - 100% funds through New York State Office of Children and Family Services



**Proposed Funding Source (Federal \$ /State \$ / County \$):**

Federal 100%  
State 0%  
County 0%

**Cost Per Client Served:**

**Past performance Served:** The Contractor has provided this service since 1992 the Department is a pass through as the contractor has direct State oversight.

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:**

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

Oneida County Executive: \_\_\_\_\_

Anthony J. Picente Jr., Oneida County Executive

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Approved as to Form \_\_\_\_\_

Oneida County Attorney

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

Oneida County Department of Social Services: \_\_\_\_\_

Lucille A. Soldato, Commissioner

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<b>STATE AGENCY:</b> Office of Children and Family Services 52 Washington Street Rensselaer, New York 12144	<b>NYS COMPTROLLER'S</b> MOU2315  <b>ORIGINATING AGENCY CODE:</b> 25999
<b>CONTRACTOR:</b> Oneida County Department of Social Services  800 PARK AVE UTICA NY 13501	<b>TYPE OF PROGRAM (S):</b> Day Care Registration
<b>CHARITIES REGISTRATION NUMBER:</b> If EXEMPT provide Reason: <u>Governmental</u> Contractor <input type="checkbox"/> has / <input type="checkbox"/> has not timely filed with the Attorney General's Charities Bureau all required periodic or annual written reports.	<b>CONTRACT PERIOD:</b>  From: 01/01/2015  To: 12/31/2015
<b>FEDERAL TAX IDENTIFICATION #:</b>	
<b>MUNICIPALITY NUMBER:</b> 300100000-000	<b>FUNDING AMT FOR PERIOD:</b> 230,297.00
<b>STATUS:</b> Contractor <input type="checkbox"/> is / <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is not a sectarian entity.  Contractor <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is / <input type="checkbox"/> is not a not-for-profit organization.	<b>MULTI-YEAR TERM (if applicable):</b>  From: 01/01/2015  To: 12/31/2024

**APPENDICES ATTACHED AND PART OF THIS AGREEMENT**  
 Revised 4/20/01

- Signature Page
- Standard Agreement Non Grant 10-2014
- Appendix A Standard Clauses For NYS Contracts 01-2014
- APPENDIX A-1
- Appendix A-2 - Program Specific Clauses
- Appendix A-3
- Appendix C
- Appendix C-1
- Appendix D

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this AGREEMENT as of the dates appearing under their signatures.

CONTRACTOR	STATE AGENCY
Contractor:	Office of Children and Family Services
By:	By:
Printed Name:	Printed Name:
Title:	Title:
Date:	Date:
	<u>State Agency Certification</u> "In addition to the acceptance of this contract, I also certify that original copies of this signature page will be attached to all other exact copies of this contract."

NOTARIZATION FOR CONTRACTOR:

Revised 4/20/01

MUNICIPAL CORPORATION:

STATE OF NEW YORK )  
 ) SS.:  
 County of \_\_\_\_\_ )

On the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_ before me personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_, to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that he/she resides at \_\_\_\_\_ that he/she is the \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_

the municipal corporation described herein which executed the foregoing instrument, and that he/ she signed his/her name thereto by order of the governing board of said municipal corporation.

\_\_\_\_\_ (Notary)

My Commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S SIGNATURE

Approved:  
 Thomas P. Diniapoli  
 State Comptroller

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

## AGREEMENT

between

The New York State Office of Children and Family Services having its principal offices at 52 Washington Street, Rensselaer, New York 12144

(hereinafter "OCFS" or the "State"),

and Oneida County Department of Social Services

located at 800 PARK AVE UTICA NY 13501

(hereinafter "the Contractor").

WHEREAS, The OCFS initiated a Procurement (Invitation for Bid/Request for Proposal/single source/sole source) to contractually secure services; and

WHEREAS, the Contractor submitted a proposal; and

WHEREAS, the OCFS, selected the Contractor as a successful respondent to the Procurement to provide services and desires to engage the Contractor to fulfill OCFS's needs under the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth.

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

### **Article 1: Agreement Duration and Amendment**

- A. This Agreement shall commence on the start date of the period as stated on the cover page of this agreement and will continue until the end date of the period as stated on the cover page of this agreement unless renewed according to the renewal provisions, if any, as stated in Appendix C.
- B. The State shall have the right to renegotiate the terms and conditions of this Agreement in the event applicable New York State (State) or Federal policy, rules, regulations and guidelines are altered from those existing at the time of this Agreement in order to be in continuous compliance therewith. This Agreement is subject to amendment only upon mutual consent of the parties, reduced to writing and approved by the Comptroller of the State of New York.

### **Article 2: Executory Provision**

- A. The State Finance Law of the State of New York, Section 112, requires that any contract made by a State Agency which exceeds fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) in amount be first approved by the Comptroller of the State of New York before becoming effective. The parties recognize that this Agreement is wholly executory until and unless approved by the Comptroller of the State of New York.
- B. The State of New York is not liable for any cost incurred by the Contractor in preparation for or prior to the approval of an executed contract by the Comptroller of the State of New York. Additionally, no cost will be incurred by the State for the Contractor's participation in any pre-contract award activity.
- C. This Agreement and the Exhibits and Appendices, attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein, constitute the entire agreement between the parties with respect to the subject matter; all other prior agreements, representations, Statements, negotiations and undertakings are superseded hereby. The terms, provisions, representations and warranties contained in this Agreement shall survive performance hereunder. It is understood that unless the context clearly indicates otherwise, all references herein to this Agreement shall be deemed to include the Exhibits and Appendices attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein.

### **Article 3: Standard Contract Provisions**

- A. Standard New York State Contract Appendix A, attached hereto as Appendix A, is hereby fully incorporated into this Agreement.
- B. The parties agree that this Agreement shall be construed and interpreted in accordance with the Laws of the State of New York. The Contractor shall be required to bring any legal proceeding against the State arising from this Agreement in New York State courts.
- C. Should any provision of this Agreement be declared or found to be illegal, unenforceable, ineffective or void, then each party shall be relieved of any obligation arising from such provision; the balance of this Agreement, if capable of performance, shall remain in full force and effect.
- D. No term or provision of this Agreement shall be deemed waived and no breach consented to, unless such waiver or consent shall be in writing and signed by the party claimed to have waived or consented. Any consent by a party to, or waiver of, a breach under this Agreement shall not constitute or consent to, a waiver of, or excuse for any other, different or subsequent breach.
- E. It shall be understood that the Contractor is an independent contractor, and the Contractor, its agents, officers and employees, in the performance of this Agreement, shall act in an independent capacity and not as officers or employees of the State.

### **Article 4: Assurances**

- A. The Contractor warrants that it has carefully reviewed the needs of the State for products and services, as described in the Procurement and its attachments and otherwise communicated in writing by the State to the Contractor, that it has familiarized itself with the specifications, and it warrants that it can provide such products and services as represented in its Proposal and the other documents incorporated into this Agreement.
- B. The Contractor agrees that it will perform its obligations hereunder in accordance with all applicable laws, rules and regulations now or hereafter in effect.
- C. The Contractor warrants and affirms that the terms of this Agreement do not violate any contracts or agreements to which it is a party and that its other contractual obligations will not adversely influence its capabilities to perform under this Agreement.

### **Article 5: Contractor Requirements**

- A. The Contractor agrees to assume complete responsibility for the cost effective and timely accomplishment of all activities and duties required by this Agreement and to carry out those activities and duties in a competent and timely manner. The Contractor also agrees to perform in accordance with the specifications contained in the Procurement, as well as its proposal.
- B. The Contractor accepts sole and complete responsibility for the timely accomplishment of all activities required under this Agreement. Contractor shall also:
  - 1. Maintain an adequate administrative organizational structure sufficient to discharge its contractual responsibilities.
  - 2. Provide for normal day-to-day communications and maintain the level of liaison and cooperation with the State as necessary for proper performance of all contractual responsibilities.
  - 3. Replace any employee whose continued presence would be detrimental to the success of the State's efforts with an employee of equal or better qualifications. The State Project Director will exercise exclusive judgment in this matter and will be required to make such a request in writing only upon written request of the Contractor.
  - 4. Notify the State in writing of any changes in the persons designated to bind the Contractor.
  - 5. Ensure that all contacts by Contractor personnel with other external organizations, to fulfill the objectives of this Agreement, are cleared and coordinated by the State. The State will fulfill this role promptly, so as not to impede the Contractor's timely performance hereunder.

6. Assume responsibility for the accomplishment of all activities and duties required by this Agreement and carry out those activities and duties in a competent and timely manner.
  7. Notify the State within three business days, in writing, of each problem that threatens the success of the project, including a recommendation for resolution whenever possible.
  8. Agree that no aspect of Contractor performance under this Agreement will be contingent upon State personnel or the availability of State resources with the exception of 1) Those activities specifically identified in this Agreement as requiring State acquisition, approval, policy decisions, or policy approvals, 2) The normal cooperation which can be expected in a contractual relationship. Such actions by the State will not be unreasonably delayed, and except as stated specifically herein, the State shall not be liable for any damages for delays.
  9. Reasonably cooperate with any other contractors who may be engaged by the State to carry out responsibilities associated with this Agreement and immediately take into account changes mandated by Federal regulatory agencies and the State due to changes in policies, regulations, statutes or judicial interpretations, which the State and/or the Contractor may become aware of.
  10. Recognize and agree that any and all work performed outside the scope of this Agreement shall be deemed by the State to be gratuitous and not subject to charge by the Contractor.
  11. Implement changes within the scope of work of this Agreement, in accordance with a State approved schedule, including changes in policy, regulation, statute or judicial interpretation.
- C. The Contractor agrees that it and its personnel will at all times comply with all security regulations in effect at the State's premises, or any premises assigned, and externally for materials belonging to the State or to the Project.
- D. The Contractor, if a municipal corporation, represents that it is a self-insured entity. If a not-for-profit corporation or entity other than a self-insured municipal corporation, the Contractor agrees to obtain and maintain in effect a general policy of liability insurance in an appropriate amount. The Contractor agrees that it will require any and all Subcontractors with whom it subcontracts pursuant to this contract to obtain and maintain a general policy of liability insurance in an appropriate amount.
- E. The Contractor agrees to secure and keep in effect during the term of this agreement a policy of comprehensive liability insurance (if required) covering services to be performed pursuant to this agreement and to provide OCFS with a certificate of insurance indicating such coverage is in effect. Such certificate shall name OCFS as an additional insured and shall state that the policy will not be cancelled or changed without 10 days prior written notice to OCFS.
- F. The Contractor shall secure and keep in effect during the term of this agreement workers compensation and disability benefits coverage as required by law. The Contractor shall provide to OCFS certificates of such coverage, or proof that such coverage is not required, in such form as required by the Worker's Compensation Board.

**Article 6: Nonassignability**

- A. Full responsibility for the delivery of services provided by another firm acting as a subcontractor to the Contractor under this Agreement shall be assumed by the Contractor. Should the Contractor seek external financing, the State reserves the right to approve the assignment of the contract for financing purposes. The State shall consider the prime contractor to be sole contact with regard to all provisions of this Agreement.
- B. Nothing contained in this Agreement, expressed or implied, is intended to confer upon any person, corporation or other entity, other than the parties hereto and their successors in interest and assigns, any rights or remedies under or by reason of this Agreement.
- C. Subcontracting or assignment of the Contractor's duties and responsibilities will not be allowed without prior written approval of the State as specified in Appendix A. The Contractor shall furnish to the State the following:
  - (1) A description of the supplies or services to be provided under the proposed subcontract;
  - (2) Identification of the proposed subcontractor, including protected class status; and
  - (3) Any other reasonable information or documentation requested by the State.

#### **Article 7: Charges**

- A. Payment to the Contractor shall be based on invoices submitted by the Contractor or on a Standard New York State Claim for Payment in a form acceptable to the State and the Comptroller of the State of New York. The State will make best efforts to process all invoices or claims for payment within thirty (30) days of their receipt; however, failure to make payment within said timeframe shall not be considered a breach of contract.
- B. Payment shall be made at the rates, frequency and manner as set forth in Appendix C attached hereto.
- C. The State shall not be liable for the payment of any taxes under this Agreement however designated, levied or imposed. The State represents that the Contractor is not liable for the payment of any transfer taxes including, but not limited to, sales taxes upon goods or services purchased for or provided to the State.

#### **Article 8: Performance Standards and Liquidated Damages**

Per specification requirements indicated in Appendix D

#### **Article 9: Reserved for future use**

#### **Article 10: Public Officer's Law**

- A. The Contractor agrees not to engage in any conduct which the Contractor knows would violate or would assist an employee of the State in violating Sections 73 and 74 of the Public Officers' Law.
- B. The Contractor further recognizes that an administrative or judicial finding that a Contractor has violated any of the statutes specified in the Contractor/Subcontractor Background Questionnaire completed prior to the award of this contract may entitle the State to terminate the contract, at its discretion, within thirty days after the Contractor notifies the State of such finding or the State notifies the Contractor that it has become aware of such finding.
- C. Any termination of the contract by the State under this Article shall be deemed to be a termination of the contract for cause. The remedies set forth in this section shall be in addition to any other remedy available to the State under this contract or under any other provisions of law.

#### **Article 11: Rights of the State**

- A. LICENSE/OWNERSHIP/TITLE OF PRODUCTS FURNISHED - contractor warrants full ownership, clear title or perpetual license rights to any and all tangible or intangible products furnished, used or modified by the Contractor or third parties on behalf of the State, and Contractor shall be solely liable for the full cost of acquisition associated therewith. Contractor shall provide the State with appropriate documentation indicating the vesting of such rights in Contractor, and/or the right to transfer or transfer of such rights, as requested by the State. The cost of obtaining such rights for continued perpetual use of such product(s) by the State upon Project completion shall be deemed to have been included by Contractor in its proposal. Such products include, without limitation, all hardware, commodities, custom programming or third party software, training modules, printed materials, source codes, or any other products or services furnished pursuant to this Agreement. The Contractor fully indemnifies the State for any loss, damages or actions arising from a breach of said warranty without limitation. The State and Federal awarding agency reserves a royalty-free, nonexclusive, and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish or otherwise use, and to authorize others to use, for Federal Government purposes: (a) The copyright in any work developed under a grant, subgrant, or contract under a grant or subgrant; and (b) Any rights of copyright to which a grantee, subgrantee or a contractor purchases ownership with grant support.

- B. TITLE TO PROPRIETARY INFORMATION FURNISHED FOR TESTING PURPOSES- Any and all proprietary written documentation, information, object or source code and software provided to the State for use in conjunction with an evaluation, shall remain the property of Contractor. In such event, Contractor hereby grants the State and its Authorized Users a perpetual, non-transferable and non-exclusive license to use all such documentation, technical information, confidential business information and all software and related documentation, in whatever form recorded (all hereinafter designated "property"), which are furnished to the State for testing purposes only.
- C. OWNERSHIP/TITLE TO CUSTOM PRODUCTS/PROGRAMMING DELIVERABLES - All custom products, including custom programming or any other deliverables, including, without limitation: software source code, object code, user or training manuals, programming, reports, and any other materials, preliminary, final and otherwise, prepared, written or developed for the State in the performance of services under this Agreement (hereinafter "Custom Products") shall be furnished to and shall become the sole and exclusive property of the State and shall be treated as confidential with the reciprocal proprietary obligations in the foregoing paragraph B of Article 11 imposed upon the Contractor, its subcontractors and partners. The State retains ownership rights to modifications developed for the State pursuant to this Agreement, including modifications made or incorporating third party proprietary components, or components transferred under perpetual license to the State pursuant to paragraph A of Article 11. In all such events, Contractor shall be deemed to have granted or secured a perpetual license to the State for Contractor or third party product being furnished and modified, in accordance with the provisions of paragraph A of Article 11. Contractor hereby agrees to take all necessary and appropriate steps to ensure that the custom products, including custom programming or any other deliverables, when completed and delivered to the State are protected against unauthorized copying, reproduction and marketing by or through Contractor.

**Article 12: Document Incorporation and Order of Precedence**

- A. This Agreement consists of:
- (1) The body of this Agreement (i.e., that portion preceding the signatures of the parties in execution);
  - (2) The Exhibits attached to this Agreement body; and
  - (3) The Appendices attached to or incorporated by reference in this Agreement body.
  - (4) Procurement documents (if noted on cover page)
  - (5) Contractor's proposal (if noted on cover page)
- B. In the event of any inconsistency in or conflict among the document elements of this Agreement identified in this Section, such inconsistency or conflict shall be resolved by giving precedence to the document elements in the following order:
- (1) First, Appendix A;
  - (2) Second, body of this Agreement and the Exhibits;
  - (3) Third, the Procurement documents (if noted on cover page); and
  - (4) Fourth, the Contractor's Proposal (if noted on cover page).
- C. This Agreement as defined in this Section constitutes the entire agreement between the parties with respect to the subject matter; all prior agreements, representations, Statements, negotiations and undertakings are superseded hereby. The terms, provisions, representations and warranties contained in this Agreement shall survive performance hereunder.

**Article 13: Interpretation and Disputes**

- A. This Agreement shall be construed and interpreted in accordance with the Laws of the State of New York. Except as otherwise provided for in the Agreement, any dispute which is not disposed of by agreement shall be submitted in writing to and decided by the Commissioner of the Office of



Children and Family Services (Commissioner) or his/her duly authorized representative(s) or designee(s).

- B. If the Contractor is unwilling to accept the decision of the Commissioner or a decision is not made in ninety (90) days, it may then pursue its normal legal remedies de nova, but it is specifically agreed that any and all reports made by the Commissioner upon the disagreement at issue shall be admissible as evidence in any court action taken with respect to the matter. Pending conclusion of any dispute or disagreement by whatever procedure, the interpretation placed upon the Agreement by the STATE shall govern operation thereunder and the Contractor shall continue to perform under the Contract. The Contractor shall be required to bring all legal proceedings relating to this Agreement against the OCFS or the State of New York in the courts located in the State of New York.

#### **Article 14: Indemnification of the State**

- A. In performance of its duties pursuant to this Agreement, Contractor shall fully indemnify and save harmless the State from suits, actions, damages and costs relating to personal injury, damage to real or personal tangible or intangible property, or any other claim for direct damages arising as a result of acts or omissions of Contractor, its officers, employees, subcontractors, partners or agents.
- B. The State and OCFS may, in addition to other remedies available to them at law, retain such monies from amounts due Contractor, or may proceed against any performance and payment bond under this Agreement, as may be necessary to satisfy any claim for damages, penalties, costs and the like asserted by or against them; provided, however, that the Contractor shall not indemnify to the extent that any claim, loss or damage arising hereunder is caused by the solely negligent act or failure to act of the State.
- C. As a condition to the foregoing indemnity obligations under this Article, the State shall provide the Contractor with prompt notice of any claims for which indemnification may be sought hereunder, shall reasonably cooperate with Contractor in connection with any such claim and shall be responsible for its compliance with any laws and regulations associated with any deliverables supplied by Contractor hereunder.

#### **Article 15: Force Majeure**

Neither party shall be liable or deemed to be in default for any delay or failure in performance beyond its control under this Agreement resulting directly or indirectly from acts of God, civil or military authority not within the control of the State, acts of public enemy, wars, riots, civil disturbances, insurrections, accidents, fire, explosions, earthquakes or flood, or acts of omission or commission of individuals not under the respective parties' control except as specifically stated elsewhere in this Agreement. The parties are required to use best efforts to eliminate or minimize the effect of such events during performance of this Agreement.

#### **Article 16: Record Retention**

- A. The Contractor agrees to preserve all Agreement-related records in accordance with the provisions of Paragraph 10 of Appendix A for the term of this Agreement. Records involving matters in litigation shall be kept for a period of not less than three (3) years following the termination of the litigation. Microfilm copies of any Agreement-related documents may be substituted for the originals with the prior written approval of the State, provided that the microfilming procedures are accepted by the State as reliable and are supported by an adequate retrieval system.
- B. The Contractor shall be responsible for assuring that the provisions of this Section shall apply to any subcontract related to performance under this Agreement.

#### **Article 17: Access to And Audit of Agreement Records**

- A. All records and information obtained by the State pursuant to the provisions of this Agreement, whether by audit or otherwise, shall be usable by the State solely for the purpose of performing this Agreement in any manner, in its sole discretion, as it deems appropriate and the Contractor shall have no right of confidentiality or proprietary interest in such records or information. Notwithstanding the preceding sentence and in addition to the provisions set forth in Appendix A, the State agrees, in those instances in which it has discretion, not to disclose outside those Government agencies involved in the performance of this Agreement and then only to the personnel who are involved in the performance, the following data:
- (1) Any resume or other description of qualifications which includes the name of the individual;
  - (2) Any individual's actual salary;
  - (3) The Contractor's indirect rates including labor overhead, General and Administrative (G&A) and fee; and
  - (4) The methodology for calculating those indirect rates including the allocation base.
  - (5) The Contractor's corporate financial Statements.
- B. The Contractor shall promptly notify the State of any request by anyone for access to any records maintained pursuant to this Agreement. Access by Federal or State bank regulatory agents, or Contractor's regular outside auditors to Contractor's financial records, pursuant to regularly scheduled or routine audits or inspection of Contractor, shall not require notification to the State provided that rights of confidentiality or proprietary interests are preserved.
- C. The Contractor shall be responsible for assuring that the provisions in this Section shall apply to any subcontract related to performance under this Agreement.

#### **Article 18: Confidentiality of Information**

The Contractor, its officers, agents and employees and subcontractors, shall treat all information, with particular emphasis on information relating to recipients and providers, which is obtained by it through its performance under this Agreement, as confidential information to the extent required by the Laws of the State of New York and of the United States and any regulations promulgated there-under.

1. Individually identifiable information relating to any eligible recipient or provider shall be held confidential and shall not be disclosed by the Contractor, its officers, agents and employees or subcontractors, without the prior written approval of the Commissioner or a designee.
2. The use of information obtained by the Contractor in the performance of its duties under this Agreement shall be limited to purposes directly connected with such duties.
3. The Contractor shall promptly advise the State of all requests made to Contractor for information described in paragraph 1., above.
4. The Contractor shall be responsible for assuring that any agreement between the Contractor and any of its officers, agents and employees or subcontractors contains a provision which strictly conforms to the provisions of this subsection.

#### **Article 19: Affirmative Action**

Per Appendix M/WBE

#### **Article 20: Termination of the Agreement**

The Agreement shall be subject to the following termination provisions:

- A. All or any part of this Agreement may be terminated by mutual written agreement of the contracting parties.
- B. All or any part of this Agreement may be terminated by the State in the event of failure of the Contractor to perform within the time requirements set forth in this Agreement.
- C. All or any part of this Agreement may be terminated by the State for cause upon the failure of the Contractor to comply with the terms and conditions of this Agreement, including the attachments

hereto, provided that the State shall give the Contractor written notice via registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, or shall deliver same by hand-receiving Contractor's receipt therefore, such written notice to specify the Contractor's failure and the termination of this Agreement. Termination shall be effective ten (10) business days from receipt of such notice, established by the receipt returned to the State. The Contractor agrees to incur no new obligations nor to claim for any expenses made after receipt of the notification of termination.

- D. This Agreement may be terminated if the State deems that termination would be in the best interest of the State provided that the State shall give written notice to the Contractor not less than thirty (30) days prior to the date upon which termination shall become effective, such notice to be made via registered or certified mail, return receipt requested or hand-delivered with receipt made. The date of such notice shall be deemed to be the date of postmark in the case of mail or the date of Contractor's receipt for notice in the case of hand delivery. In the case of termination under this subsection, the State agrees to pay the Contractor for reasonable and appropriate expenses incurred in good faith. The Contractor, on its part, agrees to incur no new obligations after receipt of notification of termination and to cancel as many outstanding obligations as possible.
- E. This Agreement may be deemed terminated immediately at the option of the State upon the filing of a petition in bankruptcy or insolvency, by or against the Contractor. Such termination shall be immediate and complete, without termination costs or further obligations by the State to the Contractor.
- F. Should the State determine that Federal and State funds are unavailable, the State may terminate the Agreement immediately upon notice to the Contractor. If the initial notice is oral notification, the STATE shall follow this up immediately with written notice. The State will be obligated to pay the Contractor only for the expenditures made and obligations incurred by the Contractor until such time as notice of termination is received either orally or in writing by the Contractor from the State.
- G. In the event of termination for any reason, the Contractor shall not incur new obligations for the terminated portion and the Contractor shall cancel as many outstanding obligations as possible. Contractor shall take all reasonable measures to mitigate any damages for which the State may be liable.
- H. If this Agreement is terminated for cause, the State shall have the right to award a new contract to a third party. In such event, the Contractor shall be responsible for damages, and for all additional costs incurred in reassigning the contract.
- I. It is understood that the State reserves the right to suspend or reduce Contractor services during the term of the Agreement or during a task order period. Such action(s) by the State shall not be considered a breach of this Agreement or otherwise give rise to damages on the part of the Contractor, provided, however, that Contractor is given written notification of such action.
- J. The State reserves the right to terminate the award resulting from this procurement in the event it is found that the certification filed by the Offeror in accordance with New York State Finance Law §139-k was intentionally false or intentionally incomplete. Upon such finding, The State may exercise its termination right by providing written notification to the award recipient.

#### **Article 21: Patent/Copyright Indemnification**

Contractor will indemnify, defend and hold the State harmless from and against all Damages, expenses, including reasonable attorney's fees), claims, judgments, liabilities and costs which may be finally assessed against the State in any action for infringement of a United States Letter Patent with respect to the products furnished, or of any copyright, trademark, trade secret or other third party proprietary right, provided that the State shall give the Contractor: (i) prompt written notice of any action, claim or threat of infringement suit, or other suit; (ii) the opportunity to take over, settle or defend such action, claim or suit at Contractor's sole expense; and (iii) assistance in the defense of any such action at the expense of the Contractor.

If the use of any item(s) or part(s) thereof shall be enjoined for any reason or if Contractor believes that it may be enjoined, Contractor shall have the right, at its own expense and sole discretion to take action in the following order of precedence: (i) to procure for the State the right to continue using such

item(s) or part(s) thereof, as applicable; (ii) to modify the component so that it becomes non-infringing equipment of at least equal quality and performance; or (iii) to replace said item(s) or part(s) thereof, as applicable, with non-infringing components of at least equal quality and performance.

The foregoing provisions shall not apply to any infringement occasioned by modification by the State of any tangible or intangible products without Contractor's approval or the use of any equipment with any adjunct device added by the State without the consent of the Contractor.

In the event that an action at law or in inequity is commenced against the State arising out of a claim that the State's use of a product under this Agreement infringes any patent, copyright or proprietary right and Contractor is of the opinion that the allegations in such action in whole or in part are not covered by the indemnification and defense provisions set forth in this Agreement, Contractor shall immediately notify the State and the Office of the Attorney General in writing and shall specify to what extent the Contractor believes it is obligated to defend and indemnify under the terms and conditions of this Agreement. Contractor shall in such event protect the interests of the State and secure a continuance to permit the State to appear and defend its interests in cooperation with Contractor as is appropriate, including any jurisdictional defenses the State may have.

#### **Article 22: Lobbying Certification**

Section 1352 of Title 31 of the U.S. Code requires that funds appropriated to a Federal agency be subject to a requirement that any Federal Contractor or grantee (such as the State) must be required to certify that no Federal funds will be used to lobby or influence a Federal officer or a Member of Congress. The certification the State has been required to sign for HHS provides that the language of this certification (shall) be included in the award documents for all sub-awards at all tiers (including subcontracts, sub-grants, and contracts under grants, loans and cooperative agreements) and that all sub-recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly. The certification also requires the completion of Federal lobbying reports and the imposition of a civil penalty of \$10,000 to \$100,000 for failing to make a required report. As a sub-recipient, the Contractor understands and agrees to the Federal requirements for certification and disclosure.

#### **Article 23: Notification**

- A. Any notice or other communication required by or pertaining to this Agreement shall be sent to the destinations indicated by the State's designated Project Director or the Contractor's designated Project Director. If no destination has been so indicated, such notices or communications may be directed to the address(es) or destination(s) at which the parties to this Agreement were located when this Agreement was executed or to the last known address or destination for such party. Contractor shall be responsible for notifying the State of any change of address or destination to which notices and communications should be sent.
- B. Except as otherwise specified elsewhere in this Agreement, notices or communications may be given orally or in writing and shall be effective when received. To remain effective, oral notifications must be confirmed in writing, transmitted in a manner to be received no later than ten (10) working days after the oral notification. Notices or communications may be transmitted by personal delivery, ordinary U.S. Mail, registered or certified mail, overnight delivery service, telegram, telephone, facsimile device, electronic means or any other means of transmission that results in the fixation of the information transmitted in a tangible medium of expression.
- C. Notices or communications shall be considered received on the day such receipt is acknowledged by a signed receipt or by any other means of verification that is recorded in a tangible medium of expression. Notices or communications from the State to the Contractor shall also be considered received as follows:
  1. Oral notifications shall be considered received on the date indicated as the date of conversation in any written confirmation or on the day sworn in an affidavit to be the date of such conversation, unless contested.
  2. Notices or communications by ordinary, registered or certified U.S. Mail shall also be considered received on the first working day after five (5) days following the day the transmittal

- is postmarked or following the day sworn in an affidavit to be the date the transmittal was deposited in a post office or an official depository.
3. Notices or communications dispatched by overnight delivery service shall be considered received one (1) working day after having been dispatched.
  4. Transmissions by facsimile device or electronic means shall be considered received, upon the receipt by the State of a signal from the equipment of the Contractor indicating that the transmission was received.
  5. Notices or communications transmitted by personal delivery shall be considered received on the day the transmission is delivered to an agent of the Contractor.
  6. Any other transmissions shall be considered received no later than five (5) working days after transmission by the STATE is completed.

#### **Article 24: Conflict of Interest**

If during the term of this Agreement and any extension thereof the Contractor becomes aware of an actual or potential relationship which may be considered a conflict of interest, the Contractor shall notify the State in writing immediately. Should the Contractor engage any current or former New York State employee as its own employee or as an independent contractor because of such employee's knowledge of New York State finances, operations or knowledge of the State's programs, or any current or former State employee who in the course of his State employment had frequent contact with Management level Contractor employees, the Contractor shall notify the State, in writing, immediately; should the State thereafter determine that such employment is inconsistent with State or Federal Law, the State shall so advise the Contractor, in writing, specifying its basis for so determining, and may require that the contractual or employment relationship be terminated.

#### **Article 25: Other Agency Use**

The Contractor must extend the terms and conditions to any State agency in New York State. It must also extend the terms and conditions to (1) County Agencies in New York State providing human services such as income maintenance, job training, employment and social services or health related services as well as (2) Local Social Services Districts in New York State including New York City, which is considered a single LSSD, consisting of the Human Resources Administration, The Administration for Children's Services, and the Department of Homeless Services.

#### **Article 26: Warranty for Deliverables/ Workmanship**

Contractor guarantees that any required deliverables, tangible or intangible, regardless of form, shall be unconditionally guaranteed for the full contract term. This warranty will be voided by the misuse, accident, operation in other than the specified operating environment, unauthorized modification of the source code or failure caused by a product for which the Contractor is not responsible.

#### **Article 27: Vendor Responsibility**

By signing this contract, the contractor certifies that within the past three years the contractor has engaged in no actions that would establish a basis for a finding by OCFS that the contractor is a non-responsible vendor or, if the contractor has engaged in any such action or actions, that all such actions have been disclosed to OCFS prior to entering into this contract. The actions that would potentially establish a basis for a finding by OCFS that the contractor is a non-responsible vendor include:

- The contractor has had a license or contract suspended, revoked or terminated by a governmental agency.

- The contractor has had a claim, lien, fine, or penalty imposed or secured against the contractor by a governmental agency.
- The contractor has initiated a bankruptcy proceeding or such a proceeding has been initiated against the contractor.
- The contractor has been issued a citation, notice, or violation order by a governmental agency finding the contractor to be in violation of any local, state or federal laws.
- The contractor has been advised by a governmental agency that a determination to issue a citation, notice or violation order finding the contractor to be in violation of any local, state or federal laws is pending before a governmental agency.
- The contractor has not paid all due and owed local, state and federal taxes to the proper authorities.
- The contractor has engaged in any other actions of a similarly serious nature.

Where the contractor has disclosed any of the above to OCFS, OCFS may require as a condition precedent to entering into the contract that the contractor agree to such additional conditions as will be necessary to satisfy OCFS that the vendor is and will remain a responsible vendor. By signing this contract, the contractor agrees to comply with any such additional conditions that have been made a part of this contract.

By signing this contract, the contractor also agrees that during the term of the contract, the contractor will promptly notify OCFS if the contractor engages in any actions that would establish a basis for a finding by OCFS that the contractor is a non-responsible vendor, as described above.

**Article 28: State Tax Law Section 5-a**

By signing this contract, the contractor agrees to comply with the State Tax Law section 5-a.

**Article 29: Consultant Disclosure**

Pursuant to Chapter 10, New York State Office of Children and Family Services (OCFS) must require all contractors, including sub-contractors, to submit an annual report. As a result of these changes in law, State contractors are required to disclose, by employment category; the number of persons employed to provide services under a contract for consulting services, the number of hours worked, and the amount paid to the contractor by the State as compensation for work performed by these employees. Be reminded that this includes information on any persons working under a subcontract with the State contractor. The Office of the State Comptroller (OSC) has a prescribed format for reporting.

The legislation also expands the definition of contracts for consulting services to include any contract entered into by a State Agency including: analysis, evaluation, research, training, data processing, computer programming, engineering, environmental, health, and mental health services, accounting, auditing, paralegal, legal, or similar services. Additional information can be found in Bulletin No. G-226 issued by OSC. The Bulletin details the requirements under the Consultant Disclosure Legislation. This bulletin can be accessed at: <http://www.osc.state.ny.us/agencies/gbull/g-226.htm>.

The Legislation requires that contractors complete **OSC Form B - State Consultant Services- Contractor's Annual Employment Report** for consultant services for State Fiscal year 2006-07, indexed as form **OCFS-4843**. Contractors are required to report for the period starting April 1, 2006 or the contract start date, whichever is later, to March 31, 2007 and annually thereafter for the duration of the contract.

This Consultant Employment Report provides a format for reporting the actual number of employees providing services on the contract or through subcontracts, and is due to OCFS, OSC and the NYS Department of Civil Service, at the addresses identified below, by May 15, 2007 and annually thereafter. A separate **Form B** must be submitted for each contract. Please submit a copy of this form to each of the following:

Mr. Kevin Sweet  
NYS Office of Children and Family Services  
Bureau of Contract Management  
52 Washington Street South Building, Room 202  
Rensselaer, New York 12144

and:

NYS Office of the State Comptroller  
Bureau of Contracts  
110 State Street 11th Floor  
Albany, New York 12236  
Attn: Consultant Reporting

and:

NYS Department of Civil Service  
Alfred E. Smith Office Building  
Counsel's Office, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor  
80 South Swan Street  
Albany, New York 12239

**APPENDIX A**

**STANDARD CLAUSES FOR NEW YORK STATE CONTRACTS**

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**STANDARD CLAUSES FOR NYS CONTRACTS**

The parties to the attached contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter, "the contract" or "this contract") agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the contract (the word "Contractor" herein refers to any party other than the State, whether a contractor, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any other party):

**1. EXECUTORY CLAUSE.** In accordance with Section 41 of the State Finance Law, the State shall have no liability under this contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond funds appropriated and available for this contract.

**2. NON-ASSIGNMENT CLAUSE.** In accordance with Section 138 of the State Finance Law, this contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the State's previous written consent, and attempts to do so are null and void. Notwithstanding the foregoing, such prior written consent of an assignment of a contract let pursuant to Article XI of the State Finance Law may be waived at the discretion of the contracting agency and with the concurrence of the State Comptroller where the original contract was subject to the State Comptroller's approval, where the assignment is due to a reorganization, merger or consolidation of the Contractor's business entity or enterprise. The State retains its right to approve an assignment and to require that any Contractor demonstrate its responsibility to do business with the State. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the State's prior written consent unless this contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Article 5-A of the State Finance Law.

**3. COMPTROLLER'S APPROVAL.** In accordance with Section 112 of the State Finance Law (or, if this contract is with the State University or City University of New York, Section 355 or Section 6218 of the Education Law), if this contract exceeds \$50,000 (or the minimum thresholds agreed to by the Office of the State Comptroller for certain S.U.N.Y. and C.U.N.Y. contracts), or if this is an amendment for any amount to a contract which, as so amended, exceeds said statutory amount, or if, by this contract, the State agrees to give something other than money when the value or reasonably estimated value of such consideration exceeds \$10,000, it shall not be valid, effective or binding upon the State until it has been approved by the State Comptroller and filed in his office. Comptroller's approval of contracts let by the Office of General Services is required when such contracts exceed \$85,000 (State Finance Law Section 163.6-a). However, such pre-approval shall not be required for any contract established as a centralized contract through the Office of General Services or for a purchase order or other transaction issued under such centralized contract.

**4. WORKERS' COMPENSATION BENEFITS.** In accordance with Section 142 of the State Finance Law, this

contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

**5. NON-DISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS.** To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex (including gender identity or expression), national origin, sexual orientation, military status, age, disability, predisposing genetic characteristics, marital status or domestic violence victim status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this contract shall be performed within the State of New York, Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this contract. Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

**6. WAGE AND HOURS PROVISIONS.** If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the State of

any State approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

**7. NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION.** In accordance with Section 139-d of the State Finance Law, if this contract was awarded based upon the submission of bids, Contractor affirms, under penalty of perjury, that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. Contractor further affirms that, at the time Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the State a non-collusive bidding certification on Contractor's behalf.

**8. INTERNATIONAL BOYCOTT PROHIBITION.** In accordance with Section 220-f of the Labor Law and Section 139-h of the State Finance Law, if this contract exceeds \$5,000, the Contractor agrees, as a material condition of the contract, that neither the Contractor nor any substantially owned or affiliated person, firm, partnership or corporation has participated, is participating, or shall participate in an international boycott in violation of the federal Export Administration Act of 1979 (50 USC App. Sections 2401 et seq.) or regulations thereunder. If such Contractor, or any of the aforesaid affiliates of Contractor, is convicted or is otherwise found to have violated said laws or regulations upon the final determination of the United States Commerce Department or any other appropriate agency of the United States subsequent to the contract's execution, such contract, amendment or modification thereto shall be rendered forfeit and void. The Contractor shall so notify the State Comptroller within five (5) business days of such conviction, determination or disposition of appeal (2NYCRR 105.4).

**9. SET-OFF RIGHTS.** The State shall have all of its common law, equitable and statutory rights of set-off. These rights shall include, but not be limited to, the State's option to withhold for the purposes of set-off any moneys due to the Contractor under this contract up to any amounts due and owing to the State with regard to this contract, any other contract with any State department or agency, including any contract for a term commencing prior to the term of this contract, plus any amounts due and owing to the State for any other reason including, without limitation, tax delinquencies, fee delinquencies or monetary penalties relative thereto. The State shall exercise its set-off rights in accordance with normal State practices including, in cases of set-off pursuant to an audit, the finalization of such audit by the State agency, its representatives, or the State Comptroller.

**10. RECORDS.** The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The State Comptroller, the Attorney General and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this

contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the State of New York or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the State, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The State shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute") provided that: (i) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate State official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; and (ii) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (iii) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the State's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation.

**11. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION AND PRIVACY NOTIFICATION.**

(a) Identification Number(s). Every invoice or New York State Claim for Payment submitted to a New York State agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or services or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. The number is any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Failure to include such number or numbers may delay payment. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payee, on its invoice or Claim for Payment, must give the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.

(b) Privacy Notification. (1) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the State is mandatory. The principal purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their tax liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (2) The personal information is requested by the purchasing unit of the agency contracting to purchase the goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this contract or lease. The information is maintained in the Statewide Financial System by the Vendor Management Unit within the Bureau of State Expenditures, Office of the State Comptroller, 110 State Street, Albany, New York 12236.

**12. EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR MINORITIES AND WOMEN.**

In accordance with Section 312 of the Executive Law and 5 NYCRR 143, if this contract is: (i) a written agreement or purchase order instrument, providing for a total expenditure in excess of \$25,000.00,

whereby a contracting agency is committed to expend or does expend funds in return for labor, services, supplies, equipment, materials or any combination of the foregoing, to be performed for, or rendered or furnished to the contracting agency; or (ii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby a contracting agency is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon; or (iii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby the owner of a State assisted housing project is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon for such project, then the following shall apply and by signing this agreement the Contractor certifies and affirms that it is Contractor's equal employment opportunity policy that:

(a) The Contractor will not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force on State contracts and will undertake or continue existing programs of affirmative action to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Affirmative action shall mean recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgradings, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination and rates of pay or other forms of compensation;

(b) at the request of the contracting agency, the Contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish a written statement that such employment agency, labor union or representative will not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the Contractor's obligations herein; and

(c) the Contractor shall state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees, that, in the performance of the State contract, all qualified applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

Contractor will include the provisions of "a", "b", and "c" above, in every subcontract over \$25,000.00 for the construction, demolition, replacement, major repair, renovation, planning or design of real property and improvements thereon (the "Work") except where the Work is for the beneficial use of the Contractor. Section 312 does not apply to: (i) work, goods or services unrelated to this contract; or (ii) employment outside New York State. The State shall consider compliance by a contractor or subcontractor with the requirements of any federal law concerning equal employment

opportunity which effectuates the purpose of this section. The contracting agency shall determine whether the imposition of the requirements of the provisions hereof duplicate or conflict with any such federal law and if such duplication or conflict exists, the contracting agency shall waive the applicability of Section 312 to the extent of such duplication or conflict. Contractor will comply with all duly promulgated and lawful rules and regulations of the Department of Economic Development's Division of Minority and Women's Business Development pertaining hereto.

**13. CONFLICTING TERMS.** In the event of a conflict between the terms of the contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Appendix A, the terms of this Appendix A shall control.

**14. GOVERNING LAW.** This contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal supremacy clause requires otherwise.

**15. LATE PAYMENT.** Timeliness of payment and any interest to be paid to Contractor for late payment shall be governed by Article 11-A of the State Finance Law to the extent required by law.

**16. NO ARBITRATION.** Disputes involving this contract, including the breach or alleged breach thereof, may not be submitted to binding arbitration (except where statutorily authorized), but must, instead, be heard in a court of competent jurisdiction of the State of New York.

**17. SERVICE OF PROCESS.** In addition to the methods of service allowed by the State Civil Practice Law & Rules ("CPLR"), Contractor hereby consents to service of process upon it by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested. Service hereunder shall be complete upon Contractor's actual receipt of process or upon the State's receipt of the return thereof by the United States Postal Service as refused or undeliverable. Contractor must promptly notify the State, in writing, of each and every change of address to which service of process can be made. Service by the State to the last known address shall be sufficient. Contractor will have thirty (30) calendar days after service hereunder is complete in which to respond.

**18. PROHIBITION ON PURCHASE OF TROPICAL HARDWOODS.** The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law, (Use of Tropical Hardwoods) which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted, by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the State.

In addition, when any portion of this contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in §165 State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with the approval of the State; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the State.

**19. MACBRIDE FAIR EMPLOYMENT PRINCIPLES.**

In accordance with the MacBride Fair Employment Principles (Chapter 807 of the Laws of 1992), the Contractor hereby stipulates that the Contractor either (a) has no business operations in Northern Ireland, or (b) shall take lawful steps in good faith to conduct any business operations in Northern Ireland in accordance with the MacBride Fair Employment Principles (as described in Section 165 of the New York State Finance Law), and shall permit independent monitoring of compliance with such principles.

**20. OMNIBUS PROCUREMENT ACT OF 1992.** It is the policy of New York State to maximize opportunities for the participation of New York State business enterprises, including minority and women-owned business enterprises as bidders, subcontractors and suppliers on its procurement contracts.

Information on the availability of New York State subcontractors and suppliers is available from:

NYS Department of Economic Development  
Division for Small Business  
Albany, New York 12245  
Telephone: 518-292-5100  
Fax: 518-292-5884  
email: [opa@esd.ny.gov](mailto:opa@esd.ny.gov)

A directory of certified minority and women-owned business enterprises is available from:

NYS Department of Economic Development  
Division of Minority and Women's Business Development  
633 Third Avenue  
New York, NY 10017  
212-803-2414  
email: [mwbecertification@esd.ny.gov](mailto:mwbecertification@esd.ny.gov)  
<https://ny.newmycontracts.com/FrontEnd/VendorSearchPublic.asp>

The Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992 requires that by signing this bid proposal or contract, as applicable, Contractors certify that whenever the total bid amount is greater than \$1 million:

(a) The Contractor has made reasonable efforts to encourage the participation of New York State Business Enterprises as suppliers and subcontractors, including certified minority and women-owned business enterprises, on this project, and has retained the documentation of these efforts to be provided upon request to the State;

(b) The Contractor has complied with the Federal Equal Opportunity Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-261), as amended;

(c) The Contractor agrees to make reasonable efforts to provide notification to New York State residents of employment opportunities on this project through listing any such positions with the Job Service Division of the New York State Department of Labor, or providing such notification in such manner as is consistent with existing collective bargaining contracts or agreements. The Contractor agrees to document these efforts and to provide said documentation to the State upon request; and

(d) The Contractor acknowledges notice that the State may seek to obtain offset credits from foreign countries as a result of this contract and agrees to cooperate with the State in these efforts.

**21. RECIPROCITY AND SANCTIONS PROVISIONS.**

Bidders are hereby notified that if their principal place of business is located in a country, nation, province, state or political subdivision that penalizes New York State vendors, and if the goods or services they offer will be substantially produced or performed outside New York State, the Omnibus Procurement Act 1994 and 2000 amendments (Chapter 684 and Chapter 383, respectively) require that they be denied contracts which they would otherwise obtain. NOTE: As of May 15, 2002, the list of discriminatory jurisdictions subject to this provision includes the states of South Carolina, Alaska, West Virginia, Wyoming, Louisiana and Hawaii. Contact NYS Department of Economic Development for a current list of jurisdictions subject to this provision.

**22. COMPLIANCE WITH NEW YORK STATE INFORMATION SECURITY BREACH AND NOTIFICATION ACT.**

Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa; State Technology Law Section 208).

**23. COMPLIANCE WITH CONSULTANT DISCLOSURE LAW.**

If this is a contract for consulting services, defined for purposes of this requirement to include analysis, evaluation, research, training, data processing, computer programming, engineering, environmental, health, and mental health services, accounting, auditing, paralegal, legal or similar services, then, in accordance with Section 163 (4-g) of the State Finance Law (as amended by Chapter 10 of the Laws of 2006), the Contractor shall timely, accurately and properly comply with the requirement to submit an annual employment report for the contract to the agency that awarded

the contract, the Department of Civil Service and the State Comptroller.

**24. PROCUREMENT LOBBYING.** To the extent this agreement is a "procurement contract" as defined by State Finance Law Sections 139-j and 139-k, by signing this agreement the contractor certifies and affirms that all disclosures made in accordance with State Finance Law Sections 139-j and 139-k are complete, true and accurate. In the event such certification is found to be intentionally false or intentionally incomplete, the State may terminate the agreement by providing written notification to the Contractor in accordance with the terms of the agreement.

**25. CERTIFICATION OF REGISTRATION TO COLLECT SALES AND COMPENSATING USE TAX BY CERTAIN STATE CONTRACTORS, AFFILIATES AND SUBCONTRACTORS.**

To the extent this agreement is a contract as defined by Tax Law Section 5-a, if the contractor fails to make the certification required by Tax Law Section 5-a or if during the term of the contract, the Department of Taxation and Finance or the covered agency, as defined by Tax Law 5-a, discovers that the certification, made under penalty of perjury, is false, then such failure to file or false certification shall be a material breach of this contract and this contract may be terminated, by providing written notification to the Contractor in accordance with the terms of the agreement, if the covered agency determines that such action is in the best interest of the State.

**26. IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT.** By entering into this Agreement, Contractor certifies in accordance with State Finance Law §165-a that it is not on the "Entities Determined to be Non-Responsive Bidders/Offerers pursuant to the New York State Iran Divestment Act of 2012" ("Prohibited Entities List") posted at:  
<http://www.ogs.ny.gov/about/reggs/docs/ListofEntities.pdf>

Contractor further certifies that it will not utilize on this Contract any subcontractor that is identified on the Prohibited Entities List. Contractor agrees that should it seek to renew or extend this Contract, it must provide the same certification at the time the Contract is renewed or extended. Contractor also agrees that any proposed Assignee of this Contract will be required to certify that it is not on the Prohibited Entities List before the contract assignment will be approved by the State.

During the term of the Contract, should the state agency receive information that a person (as defined in State Finance Law §165-a) is in violation of the above-referenced certifications, the state agency will review such information and offer the person an opportunity to respond. If the person fails to demonstrate that it has ceased its engagement in the investment activity which is in violation of the Act within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the state agency shall take such action as may be appropriate and provided for by law, rule, or contract, including, but not

limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages, or declaring the Contractor in default.

The state agency reserves the right to reject any bid, request for assignment, renewal or extension for an entity that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award, assignment, renewal or extension of a contract, and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any entity that is awarded a contract and appears on the Prohibited Entities list after contract award.

**APPENDIX A-1**  
**STANDARD CLAUSES FOR ALL**  
**NEW YORK STATE OFFICE OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES CONTRACTS**

(Revised 10-2012)

**1. EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 38**

Executive Order Number 38 sets Limits on State-Funded Administrative Costs & Executive Compensation. Contracts, payment requests and reporting must comply with this Executive Order. The Order is printed at the end of this document, and can be found at the following website address:  
<https://www.governor.ny.gov/executiveorder/38>

**2. PERSONNEL**

- a. The Contractor agrees to be solely responsible for the recruitment, hiring, provision of employment benefits, payment of salaries and management of its project personnel, which shall be as shown in the APPENDICES. These functions shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of this AGREEMENT, and all applicable Federal and State laws and regulations.
- b. It is the policy of the Office to encourage the employment of qualified applicants for, or recipients of public assistance by both public organizations and private enterprises who are under contractual AGREEMENT to the Office for the provision of goods and services. Contractors will be expected to make best efforts in this area.
- c. The Contractor agrees to identify, in writing, the person(s) who will be responsible for directing the work to be done under this AGREEMENT. No change or substitution of such responsible person(s) will be made without prior approval in writing from the Office, to the degree that such change is within the reasonable control of the Contractor.

**3. NOTICES**

- a. All notices permitted or required hereunder shall be in writing and shall be transmitted either:
  - By certified or registered United States mail, return receipt requested;
  - By facsimile transmission;
  - By personal delivery;
  - By expedited delivery service; or
  - By e-mail.

Notices to the Office shall be addressed to the Program Manager assigned to this contract at the Address, Telephone Number, Facsimile Number or E-Mail Address provided to the Contractor during contract development, or to such different Program Manager as the Office may from time-to-time designate.

Notices to the Contractor shall be addressed to the Contractor's designee as shown on the Cover Page in Appendix D, or to such different designee as the Contractor may from time-to-time designate.

- b. Any such notice shall be deemed to have been given either at the time of personal delivery or, in the case of expedited delivery service or certified or registered United States mail, as of the date of first attempted delivery at the address and in the manner provided herein, or in the case of facsimile transmission or email, upon receipt.
- c. The parties may, from time to time, specify any new or different address in the United States as their address for purpose of receiving notice under this Agreement by giving fifteen (15) days written notice to the other party sent in accordance herewith. The parties agree to mutually designate individuals as their respective representatives for the purposes of receiving notices under this Agreement. Additional individuals may be designated in writing by the parties for purposes of implementation and administration/billing, resolving issues and problems and/or for dispute resolution.

**4. OFFICE SERVICES**

- a. The Contractor shall be responsible for the provision of necessary equipment and services for Contractor's staff, pursuant to and described in the narratives and budgets contained in the APPENDICES.

- b. For Federally funded contracts, title to real property and non-expendable personal property whose requisition cost is borne in whole or in part by monies provided under this AGREEMENT shall be determined between the Contractor and the Office, pursuant to Federal regulations 45 CFR 92 unless such authority is otherwise inappropriate. Title to all equipment, supplies and material purchased with funds under this AGREEMENT under contracts which are not Federally funded shall be in the State of New York and the property shall not be transferred, conveyed, or disposed of without written approval of the Office. Upon expiration or termination of this AGREEMENT, all property purchased with funds under this AGREEMENT shall be returned to the Office, unless the Office has given direction for, or approval of, an alternative means of disposition in writing.
- c. Upon written direction by the Office, the Contractor shall maintain an inventory of those properties that are subject to the provisions of sub-paragraph b of this section.

## 5. GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- a. The Contractor agrees to comply in all respects with the provisions of this AGREEMENT and the attachments hereto. The Contractor specifically agrees to perform services according to the objectives, tasks, work plan and staffing plan contained in the APPENDICES. Any modifications to the tasks or workplan contained in Appendix D must be mutually agreed to by both parties in writing before the additional or modified tasks or workplan shall commence.
- b.i. If any specific event or conjunction of circumstances threatens the successful completion of this project, in whole or in part, including where relevant, timely completion of milestones, the Contractor agrees to submit to the Office within three days of occurrence or perception of such problem, a written description thereof together with a recommended solution thereto.
- b.ii. The Contractor immediately shall notify in writing the OCFS Program Manager assigned to this contract of any unusual incident, occurrence or event that involves the staff, volunteers or officers of the Contractor, any subcontractor or Program participant funded through this contract, including but not limited to the following: death or serious injury; an arrest or possible criminal activity; any destruction of property; significant damage to the physical plant of the Contractor; or other matters of a similarly serious nature.
- c. In providing these services, the Contractor hereby agrees to be responsible for designing and operating these services, and otherwise performing, so as to maximize Federal financial participation to the Office under the Federal Social Security Act.
- d. If funds from this contract will be used to pay any costs associated with the provision of legal services of any sort, the following shall apply:
  - No litigation shall be brought against the State of New York, the New York State Office of Children and Family Services, or against any county or other local government or local social services district with funds provided under this contract. The term "litigation" shall include commencing or threatening to commence a lawsuit, joining or threatening to join as a party to ongoing litigation, or requesting any relief from either the State of New York, the New York State Office of Children and Family Services or any county or other local government or local social services district, based upon any agreement between such agency in litigation with another party and such party, during the pendency of the litigation.
  - Opinions prepared by consultant law firms construing the statutes or Constitution of the State of New York do not constitute the view of the State unless the prior written approval of the Attorney General is obtained. Requests for said approval shall be submitted to the Solicitor General, Division of the Appeals and Opinions Bureau, Department of Law, The Capitol, Albany, New York 12224.
  - The contractor shall provide to the New York State Office of Children and Family Services in a format provided by the Office such additional information concerning the provision of legal services as the Office shall require.
- e. The Office will designate a Contract Manager who shall have authority relating to the technical services and operational functions of this AGREEMENT and activities completed or contemplated there under. The Contract Manager and those individuals designated by him/her in writing shall have the prerogative to make announced or unannounced on-site visits to the project. Project reports and issues of interpretation or direction relating to this AGREEMENT shall be directed to the Contract Manager.
- f. Except where the Office otherwise authorizes or directs in writing, the Contractor agrees not to enter into any subcontracts, or revisions to subcontracts, for the performance of the obligations contained herein until it



has received the prior written approval of the Office, which shall have the right to review and approve each and every subcontract prior to giving written approval to the Contractor to enter into the subcontract. All AGREEMENTS between the Contractor and subcontractors shall be by written contract, signed by individuals authorized to bind the parties. All such subcontracts shall contain provisions for specifying (1) that the work performed by the subcontractor must be in accordance with the terms of this AGREEMENT, (2) that nothing contained in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the Office under this AGREEMENT, (3) that nothing contained in the subcontract, nor under this AGREEMENT, shall be deemed to create any contractual relationship between the subcontractor and the Office, and (4) incorporating all provisions regarding the rights of the Office as set forth in Section 9 of this Appendix A-1 and in Appendix A-3, where applicable. The Contractor specifically agrees that the Contractor shall be fully responsible to the Office for the acts and omissions of subcontractors and of persons either directly or indirectly employed by them, as it is for the acts and omissions of persons directly employed by the Contractor.

- g. The contractor warrants that it, its staff and any and all Subcontractors which must be approved by the Office, have all the necessary licenses, approvals and certifications currently required by the laws of any applicable local, state or federal government to perform the services pursuant to this AGREEMENT and/or subcontract entered into under this AGREEMENT. The Contractor further agrees such required licenses, approvals and certificates will be kept in full force and effect during the term of this Agreement, or any extension thereof, and to secure any new licenses, approvals or certificates within the required time frames and/or to require its staff and Subcontractors to obtain the requisite licenses, approvals or certificates. In the event the Contractor, its staff, and/or Subcontractors are notified of a denial or revocation of any license, approval or certification to perform the services under the AGREEMENT, Contractor will immediately notify Office.
- h. Prior to executing a subcontract agreement the Contractor agrees to provide to the Office the information the Office needs to determine whether a proposed Subcontractor is a responsible vendor. The determination of vendor responsibility will be made in accordance with Section 3 m. of this Appendix A-1.
- i. If the Contractor intends to use materials, equipment or personnel paid for under this contract in a revenue generating activity, the Contractor shall report such intentions to the Office forthwith and shall be subject to the direction of the Office as to the disposition of such revenue.
- j. Any interest accrued on funds paid to the Contractor by the Office shall be deemed to be the property of the Office and shall either be credited to the Office at the closeout of this AGREEMENT or expended on additional services provided for under this AGREEMENT.
- k. The Contractor ensures that the grounds, structures, buildings and furnishings at the program site(s) used under this AGREEMENT are maintained in good repair and free from any danger to health or safety and that any building or structure used for program services complies with all applicable zoning, building, health, sanitary, and fire codes.
- l. The Contractor agrees to produce, and retain for the balance of the calendar year in which produced, and for a period of six years thereafter, any and all records necessary to substantiate upon audit, the proper deposit and expenditure of funds received under this contract. Such records shall include, but not be limited to, original books of entry (e.g., cash disbursements and cash receipts journal), and the following specific records (as applicable) to substantiate the types of expenditures noted:
  - Payroll Expenditures: cancelled checks and the related bank statements, time and attendance records, payroll journals, employee personal history folders, and cost allocation plans, if applicable.
  - Payroll Taxes and Fringe Benefits: cancelled checks, copies of related bank statements, reporting forms, and invoices for Fringe Benefit expenses.
  - Non-Personal Services Expenditures: original invoices/receipts, cancelled checks and related bank statements, consultant agreements, leases, and cost allocation plans, if applicable.
  - Receipt and Deposit of Advance and Reimbursements: Itemized bank stamped deposit slips, and a copy of the related bank statements.

Although not required, the Office recommends that the Contractor retain records directly pertinent to this contract for a period of ten (10) years after the end of the calendar year in which they were made, as the statute of limitations for the New York False Claims Act is ten years.

- m. By signing this contract, the contractor certifies that within the past three years the contractor has engaged in no actions that would establish a basis for a finding by OCFS that the contractor is a non-responsible

vendor or, if the contractor has engaged in any such action or actions, that all such actions have been disclosed to OCFS prior to entering into this contract. The actions that would potentially establish a basis for a finding by OCFS that the contractor is a non-responsible vendor include:

- The contractor has had a license or contract suspended, revoked or terminated by a governmental agency.
- The contractor has had a claim, lien, fine, or penalty imposed or secured against the contractor by a governmental agency.
- The contractor has initiated a bankruptcy proceeding or such a proceeding has been initiated against the contractor.
- The contractor has been issued a citation, notice, or violation order by a governmental agency finding the contractor to be in violation of any local, state or federal laws.
- The contractor has been advised by a governmental agency that a determination to issue a citation, notice or violation order finding the contractor to be in violation of any local, state or federal laws is pending before a governmental agency.
- The contractor has not paid all due and owed local, state and federal taxes to the proper authorities.
- The contractor has engaged in any other actions of a similarly serious nature.

Where the contractor has disclosed any of the above to OCFS, OCFS may require as a condition precedent to entering into the contract that the contractor agree to such additional conditions as will be necessary to satisfy OCFS that the vendor is and will remain a responsible vendor. By signing this contract, the contractor agrees to comply with any such additional conditions that have been made a part of this contract.

By signing this contract, the contractor also agrees that during the term of the contract, the contractor will promptly notify OCFS if the contractor engages in any actions that would establish a basis for a finding by OCFS that the contractor is a non-responsible vendor, as described above.

- n. By signing this contract, the contractor agrees to comply with State Tax Law section 5-a.
- o. If additional funds become available for the same purpose as described in the original procurement, OCFS reserves the right to modify the AGREEMENT to provide additional funding to the Contractor for provision of additional mutually agreed upon services and/or to extend the provision of services under the AGREEMENT. This additional funding can be provided within an existing period, or in conjunction with a change in the original term. Any changes in the amount or changes in period and amount are subject to the approval of the Office of the State Comptroller.
- p. Any web-based intranet and Internet information and applications development, or programming delivered pursuant to the contract or procurement will comply with New York State Enterprise IT Policy NYS-P08-005, Accessibility Web-Based Information and Applications, and New York State Enterprise IT Standard NYS-S08-005, Accessibility of Web-Based Information Applications, as such policy or standard may be amended, modified or superseded, which requires that state agency web-based intranet and Internet information and applications are accessible to person with disabilities. Web content must conform to New York State Enterprise IT Standards NYS-S08-005, as determined by quality assurance testing. Such quality assurance testing will be conducted by OCFS and the results of such testing must be satisfactory to OCFS before web content will be considered a qualified deliverable under the contract or procurement.
- q. Contractors must maintain Workers Compensation Insurance in accordance with the Workers Compensation Law. If a contractor believes they are exempt from the Workers Compensation insurance requirement then they must apply for an exemption. Contractors can apply for the exemption online through the New York State Workers Compensation Board website at:  
[http://www.wcb.state.ny.us/content/ebiz/wc\\_db\\_exemptions/wc\\_db\\_exemptions.jsp](http://www.wcb.state.ny.us/content/ebiz/wc_db_exemptions/wc_db_exemptions.jsp)
- r. All organizations that receive Federal financial assistance under social service programs are prohibited from discriminating against beneficiaries or prospective beneficiaries of the social service programs on the basis of religion or religious belief. Accordingly, organizations, in providing services supported in whole or in part with Federal financial assistance, and in their outreach activities related to such services, are not allowed to discriminate against current or prospective program beneficiaries on the basis of religion, a religious belief, a refusal to hold a religious belief, or a refusal to attend or participate in a religious practice.
- Organizations that engage in explicitly religious activities (including activities that involve overt religious content such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization) must perform such activities and offer such services outside of programs that are supported with direct Federal financial assistance (including through prime awards or sub-awards), separately in time or location from any such programs or services supported with direct Federal financial assistance, and participation in any such explicitly religious activities must be voluntary for the beneficiaries of the social service program supported with such Federal financial

assistance.

#### **6. REPORTS AND DELIVERABLES**

The Contractor shall prepare and submit all reports, documents, and projects required by this AGREEMENT to the Office's Contract Manager for review and approval. These reports shall be in such substance, form, and frequency as required by the Office and as necessary to meet State and Federal requirements.

#### **7. CONFIDENTIALITY AND PROTECTION OF HUMAN SUBJECTS**

- a. The Contractor agrees to safeguard the confidentiality of financial and/or client information relating to individuals and their families who may receive services in the course of this project. The Contractor shall maintain the confidentiality of all such financial and/or client information with regard to services provided under this AGREEMENT in conformity with the provisions of applicable State and Federal laws and regulations. Any breach of confidentiality by the Contractor, its agents or representatives shall be cause for immediate termination of this AGREEMENT.
- b. Any contractor who will provide goods and/or services to a residential facility or program operated by OCFS agrees to require all of its employees and volunteers who will have the potential for regular and substantial contact with youth in the care or custody of OCFS to sign the Confidentiality Non-Disclosure Agreement and Contractor Employee and Volunteer Background Certification before any such employees and volunteers are permitted access to youth in the care or custody of OCFS and/or any financial and/or client identifiable information concerning such youth. Additionally, OCFS will require a database check of the Statewide Central Register of Child Abuse and Maltreatment (SCR) of each employee and volunteer of the contractor who has the potential for regular and substantial contact with children in the care or custody of OCFS. Any other contractor whose employees and volunteers will have access to financial and/or client identifiable information concerning youth in the care or custody of OCFS agrees to require all such employees and volunteers to sign the Confidentiality Non-Disclosure Agreement before any such employees and volunteers are permitted access to any financial and/or client identifiable information concerning such youth.

#### **8. PUBLICATIONS AND COPYRIGHTS**

- a. The results of any activity supported under this AGREEMENT may not be published without prior written approval of the Office, which results (1) shall acknowledge the support of the Office and the State of New York and, if funded with federal funds, the applicable federal funding agency, and (2) shall state that the opinions, results, findings and/or interpretations of data contained therein are the responsibility of the Contractor and do not necessarily represent the opinions, interpretation or policy of the Office or the State of New York.
- b. The Office and the State of New York expressly reserve the right to a royalty-free, non-exclusive and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish, distribute or otherwise use, in perpetuity, any and all copyrighted or copyrightable material resulting from this AGREEMENT or activity supported by this AGREEMENT. All publications by the Contractor covered by this AGREEMENT shall expressly acknowledge the Office's right to such license.
- c. All of the license rights so reserved to the Office and the State of New York under this paragraph are equally reserved to the United States Department of Health and Human Services and subject to the provisions on copyrights contained in 45 CFR 92 if the AGREEMENT is federally funded.
- d. The Contractor agrees that at the completion of any scientific or statistical study, report or analysis prepared pursuant to this AGREEMENT, it will provide to the Office at no additional cost a copy of any and all data supporting the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis, together with the name(s) and business address(es) of the principal(s) producing the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis. The Contractor agrees and acknowledges the right of the Office, subject to applicable confidentiality restrictions, to release the name(s) and business address(es) of the principal(s) producing the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis, together with a copy of the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis and all data supporting the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis.

#### **9. PATENTS AND INVENTIONS**

The Contractor agrees that any and all inventions, conceived or first actually reduced to practice in the course of, or under this AGREEMENT, or with monies supplied pursuant to this AGREEMENT, shall be promptly and fully reported to the Office. Determination as to ownership and/or disposition of rights to such inventions, including whether a patent application shall be filed, and if so, the manner of obtaining, administering and disposing of

rights under any patent application or patent which may be issued, shall be made pursuant to all applicable law and regulations.

#### 10. TERMINATION

- a. This AGREEMENT may be terminated by the Office upon thirty (30) days prior written notice to the Contractor. Such notice is to be made by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested or hand delivered with receipt granted by the Contractor. The date of such notice shall be deemed to be the date the notice is received by the Contractor established by the receipt returned, if delivered by registered or certified mail, or by the receipt granted by the Contractor, if the notice is delivered by hand. The Office agrees to pay the Contractor for reasonable and appropriate expenses incurred in good faith before the date of termination of this AGREEMENT.
- b. If the Contractor fails to use any real property or equipment purchased pursuant to this AGREEMENT for the purposes set forth in this AGREEMENT, or if at any time during the term of this AGREEMENT the Contractor ceases to provide the services specified in the AGREEMENT for which the equipment was purchased, the Office may terminate this AGREEMENT upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor, where the Contractor has failed to cure as set forth hereafter. Said notice of breach shall be sent by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested, or shall be delivered by hand, receiving Contractor's receipt therefore. Said notice shall specify the Contractor's breach and shall demand that such breach be cured. Upon failure of the Contractor to comply with such demand within thirty (30) days, or such longer period as may be specified therein, the Office may, upon written notice similarly served, immediately terminate this AGREEMENT, termination to be effective upon the date of receipt of such notice established by the receipt returned to the Office. Upon such termination, the Office may require a) the repayment to the Office of any monies previously paid to the Contractor, or b) return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of this AGREEMENT or an appropriate combination of a) and b), at the Office's option.
- c. To the extent permitted by law, this AGREEMENT shall be deemed in the sole discretion of the Office terminated immediately upon the filing of a petition in bankruptcy or insolvency, by or against the Contractor. Such termination shall be immediate and complete, without termination costs or further obligation by the Office to the Contractor.
- d. Should the Office determine that Federal or State funds are limited or become unavailable for any reason, the Office may reduce the total amount of funds payable to the Contractor, reduce the contract period or deem this contract terminated immediately. The Office agrees to give notice to the Contractor as soon as it becomes aware that funds are unavailable, in the event of termination under this paragraph. If the initial notice is oral notification, the Office shall follow this up immediately with written notice. The Office will be obligated to pay the Contractor only for the expenditures made and obligations incurred by the Contractor until such time as notice of termination is received either orally or in writing by the Contractor from the Office. For Legislative and other special purpose grants funded from a State Community Projects Fund (State Finance Law § 99-d) account, the state shall not be liable for payments under this agreement made pursuant to an appropriation to the account if insufficient monies are available for transfer to the account, after any required transfers are made pursuant to State Finance Law § 99-d (3).
- e. The Contractor shall provide to the Office such information as is required by the Office in order that the Office may determine whether the Contractor is a responsible vendor for purposes of compliance with Section 163 of the State Finance Law and requirements of the Office of the State Comptroller established thereunder. If there is any change in any of the vendor responsibility information provided to the Office by the Contractor at any time during the term of this AGREEMENT, the Contractor shall be required to immediately notify the Office so that the Office may assess whether the Contractor continues to be a responsible vendor. Should the Contractor fail to notify the Office of any change in the vendor responsibility information or should the Office otherwise determine that the Contractor has ceased to be a responsible vendor for the purposes of this AGREEMENT, the Office may terminate this AGREEMENT upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor. Said notice of termination shall be sent by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested, or shall be delivered by hand, receiving Contractor's receipt therefore. Said notice shall specify the reason(s) that the Contractor has been found to no longer be a responsible vendor.

Upon determination that the Contractor is no longer a responsible vendor the Office may, in its discretion and as an alternative to termination pursuant to this paragraph, notify the Contractor of the determination that the Contractor has ceased to be a responsible vendor and set forth the corrective action that will be required of the Contractor to maintain the contact. Should the Contractor fail to comply with the required corrective action within thirty (30) days of the date of notification, or such longer period as may be specified therein, the Office may, upon written notice similarly served, immediately terminate this AGREEMENT,

termination to be effective upon the date of receipt of such notice established by the receipt returned to the Office. Upon such termination, the Office may require (a) the repayment to the Office of any monies previously paid to the Contractor, (b) return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of this AGREEMENT, or an appropriate combination of (a) and (b), at the Office's option.

#### **11. CONTRACTOR COMPLIANCE**

The Office shall have the right to audit or review the Contractor's performance and operations as related to this AGREEMENT and/or to retain the services of qualified independent auditors or investigators to perform such audit and review on the Office's behalf. If the review indicates that the Contractor has violated or is in non-compliance with any of the terms of the AGREEMENT, or has abused or misused the funds paid to the Contractor, the Contractor agrees to pay to the Office any costs associated with the review.

If the review indicates that the Contractor has violated or is in non-compliance with any of the terms of the AGREEMENT, or has abused or misused funds paid to the Contractor, or if the Contractor has violated or is in non-compliance with any term of any other AGREEMENT, or has abused or misused funds paid to the Contractor under any other AGREEMENT with the Office, the rights of the Office shall include, but not be limited to:

- Recovery of any funds expended in violation of the AGREEMENT;
- Suspension of Payments
- Termination of the AGREEMENT; and/or
- Employment of another entity to fulfill the requirements of the AGREEMENT.

The Contractor shall be liable for all reasonable costs incurred on account thereof, including payment of any cost differential for employing such entity. The Contractor will assist the Office in transferring the operation of the contracted services to any other entity selected by the Office in a manner that will enable the Office or clients to continue to receive services in an on-going basis, including, but not limited to, notifying clients of the new entity to which the services will be transferred and the effective date of the transfer, providing the new entity promptly and at no charge with a complete copy of the clients' and all other records necessary to continue the provision of the transferred services, and transferring any equipment purchased with funds provided under this AGREEMENT.

Nothing herein shall preclude the Office from taking actions otherwise available to it under law including but not limited to the State's "Set-Off Rights" and "Records" provisions contained in Appendix A (Standard Clauses for all New York State Contracts).

The Contractor agrees to cooperate fully with any audit or investigation the Office or any agent of the Office may conduct and to provide access during normal business hours to any and all information necessary to perform its audit or investigation. The Contractor shall also allow the NYS Attorney General, State Comptroller, the Office, and any representatives specifically directed by the State Comptroller or the Office to take possession of all books, records and documents relating to this AGREEMENT without prior notice to the Contractor. The Office will return all such books, records and documents to the Contractor upon completing the official purposes for which they were taken.

The Contractor agrees that all AGREEMENTS between the Contractor and a subcontractor or consultants for the performance of any obligations under the AGREEMENT will be by written contract (subcontract) which will contain provisions including, but not limited to, the above specified rights of the Office.

#### **12. FISCAL SANCTION**

In accordance with the OCFS Fiscal Sanction policy, contractors may be placed on fiscal sanction when the Office identifies any of the following issues:

- The contractor has received an Advance, overpayment or other funds under this or another agreement that has not been refunded to OCFS within the established timeframe;
- An OCFS, Office of the State Comptroller, or other audit identifies significant fiscal irregularities and/or that funds are due to OCFS;
- The Contractor has not provided satisfactory services as required under the terms of this or another OCFS agreement;
- The contractor has not provided fiscal or program reports as required under the terms of this or another OCFS agreement;
- A local, State or federal prosecutorial or investigative agency identifies possible criminal activity, or significant fiscal or programmatic irregularities on the part of the contractor;
- The contractor is not in compliance with State or federal statutes or regulations, or applicable OCFS

- guidelines, policies and/or procedures; or
- Unsafe physical conditions exist at a program site operated by the contractor and funded under an agreement with OCFS.

Once the contractor has been placed on Fiscal Sanction, payments on all open contracts and any new awards, amendments or contract renewals will not be processed until the issues have been satisfactorily resolved. The contractor will be notified in advance of any proposed Fiscal Sanction and will be provided a timeframe within which the issues must be resolved in order to avoid a Fiscal Sanction. Issues that are not resolved within the timeframe established by OCFS may be referred to the Attorney General (AG) for collection or legal action. If a contract is referred to the AG a collection fee will be added to the amount owed. In addition, interest will be due on any amount not paid in accordance with the timeframes established by the AG. The contractor will remain on Fiscal Sanction until the amount owed, including any collection fee and interest is paid.

### **13. PROCUREMENT LOBBYING LAW**

The Contractor will comply with all New York State and Office procedures relative to the permissible contacts and disclosure of contacts as required by State Finance Law Sections 139-j and 139-k and Office procedures and will affirmatively certify that all information provided pursuant to those provisions is complete, true and accurate. This certification is included in the Offerer's Certification and Affirmation of Understanding and Agreement pursuant to State Finance Law Sections 139-j and 139-k.

The Office reserves the right to terminate this contract if the Offerer's Certification filed by the Contractor in accordance with the New York State Finance Law Section 139-k was intentionally false or intentionally incomplete. Upon such a determination by the Office, the Office may exercise its termination right by providing written notification to the Contractor in accordance with the written notification terms of this contract. Nothing herein shall preclude or otherwise limit the Office's right to terminate this contract as set forth at Paragraph 8 of this Appendix A-1.

### **14. REQUIRED REPORTS – CONTRACTS FOR CONSULTING SERVICES**

If consulting services (including services for analysis, evaluation, research, training, data processing, computer programming, engineering, environmental, health, and mental health services, accounting, auditing, paralegal, legal, or similar services) are provided, the contractor must submit on or before May 15<sup>th</sup> of each year for the annual period ending March 31<sup>st</sup>, Form OCFS-4843, State Consultant Services – Contractor's Annual Employment Record. This form must report information for all employees who provided services under the contract whether employed by the contractor or a subcontractor. This form will be available for public inspection and copying under the Freedom of Information Law with any individual employee names and social security numbers redacted.

Contractors can obtain this form from their Contract Manager or through the Internet at the following site:  
<http://ocfs.state.nyenet/admin/Forms/Contracts/word2000/OCFS-4843%20State%20Consultant%20Services-Contractors%20Annual%20Employment%20Record.doc>

The contractor must submit a completed Form OCFS-4843, State Consultant Services – Contractor's Annual Employment Record, to each of the following addresses:

New York State Office of Children and Family Services  
 Bureau of Contract Management  
 52 Washington Street, South Building, Room 202  
 Rensselaer, New York 12144

New York State Office of the State Comptroller  
 Bureau of Contracts  
 110 State Street, 11<sup>th</sup> Floor  
 Albany, New York 12236  
 Attn: Consultant Reporting

New York State Department of Civil Service  
 Alfred E. Smith Office Building  
 8<sup>th</sup> Floor Counsel's Office  
 Albany, New York 12239

### **15. IRAN DIVESTMENT ACT**

By entering into this Contract, Contractor certifies that it is not on the "Entities Determined To Be Non-Responsive Bidders/Offerers Pursuant to The New York State Iran Divestment Act of 2012" list ("Prohibited Entities List") posted on the OGS website at: <http://www.ogs.ny.gov/about/regs/docs/ListofEntities.pdf> and further certifies that it will not utilize on such Contract any subcontractor that is identified on the Prohibited Entities List. Contractor agrees that should it seek to renew or extend this Contract, it must provide the same certification at the time the Contract is renewed or extended. Contractor also agrees that any proposed Assignee of the Contract will be required to certify that it is not on the Prohibited Entities List before OCFS may approve a request for Assignment of Contract.

During the term of the Contract, should OCFS receive information that a person (as defined in State Finance Law §165-a) is in violation of the above-referenced certifications, OCFS will review such information and offer the person an opportunity to respond. If the person fails to demonstrate that it has ceased its engagement in the investment activity which is in violation of the Act within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then OCFS shall take such action as may be appropriate and provided for by law, rule, or contract, including, but not limited to, seeking compliance, recovering damages, or declaring the Contractor in default.

OCFS reserves the right to reject any request for renewal, extension, or assignment for an entity that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the renewal, extension, or assignment of the Contract, and to pursue a responsibility review with Contractor should it appear on the Prohibited Entities List hereafter.

#### **16. ADDITIONAL ASSURANCES**

- a. The Office and Contractor agree that Contractor is an independent contractor, and not an employee of the Office. The Contractor agrees to indemnify the State of New York for any loss the State of New York may suffer when such losses result from claims of any person or organization (excepting only the Office) injured by the negligent acts or omission of Contractor, its officers and/or employees or subcontractors. Furthermore, The Contractor agrees to indemnify, defend, and save harmless the State of New York, and its officers, agents, and employees from any and all claims and losses occurring or resulting to any and all contractors, subcontractors, and any other person, firm, or corporation furnishing or supplying work, services, materials, or supplies in connection with the performance of the contract, and from all claims and losses occurring or resulting to any person, firm, or corporation who may be injured or damaged by the Contractor in the performance of the contract, and against any liability, including costs and expenses, for violation of proprietary rights, copyrights, or rights of privacy, arising out of the publication, translation, reproduction, delivery, performance, or use, or disposition of any data furnished under the contract or based on any libelous or other unlawful matter contained in such data or written materials in any form produced pursuant to this contract.
- b. The Contractor agrees that Modifications and/or Budget Revisions that do not affect any change in the amount of consideration to be paid, or change the term, will be in accordance with Appendix C.
- c. Expectation of Insured: The Contractor, if a municipal corporation, represents that it is a self-insured entity. If a not-for-profit corporation or entity other than a self-insured municipal corporation, the Contractor agrees to obtain and maintain in effect a general policy of liability insurance in an appropriate amount. The Contractor agrees that it will require any and all Subcontractors with whom it subcontracts pursuant to this contract to obtain and maintain a general policy of liability insurance in an appropriate amount.
- d. Notwithstanding the provisions of Article 14 of this contract, to the extent the contractor provides health care and treatment or professional consultation to residents of facilities operated by OCFS, in conformance with Executive Law §522 the provisions of paragraphs A, B and C of Article 14 (Article 14 A., B. and C.) shall not apply. In such cases, the provisions of Public Officers Law §17, to the extent provided by Executive Law §522, shall apply instead.

#### **17. RENEWAL NOTICE TO NOT-FOR-PROFIT CONTRACTORS**

With respect to contracts that include a renewal option, if the Office does not provide notice to Contractor of its intent to not renew this contract by the date by which such notice is required by §179-t (1) of the State Finance Law, this contract shall be deemed continued until the date that the Office provides the notice required by §179-t (1), and the expenses incurred during such extension shall be reimbursable under the terms of this contract.

**EXECUTIVE ORDER NO: 38**  
**LIMITS ON STATE-FUNDED ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS & EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION**

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**WHEREAS**, State Government in New York directly or indirectly funds, or authorizes reimbursements with other taxpayer dollars to, a large number of tax exempt organizations and for-profit entities that provide critical services to New Yorkers in need; and

**WHEREAS**, State Government in New York has an ongoing obligation to ensure that taxpayers' dollars are used properly, efficiently and effectively to improve the lives of New Yorkers and our communities; and

**WHEREAS**, in certain instances providers of services that receive State funds or State-authorized payments have used such funds to pay for excessive administrative costs and outsized compensation for their senior executives, rather than devoting a greater proportion of such funds to providing direct care or services to their clients; and

**WHEREAS**, such abuses involving public funds harm both the people of New York who are paying for such services, and those persons who must depend upon such services to be available and well-funded; and

**WHEREAS**, to curb such abuses in executive compensation and administrative costs and ensure that taxpayer dollars are used first and foremost to help New Yorkers in need;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Andrew M. Cuomo, Governor of the State of New York, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the State of New York, do hereby order as follows:

1. Within ninety days of this Executive Order, the commissioner of each Executive State agency that provides State financial assistance or State-authorized payments to providers of services, including but not limited to the Office for People with Developmental Disabilities, Office of Mental Health, Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services, Office of Children and Family Services, Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance, Department of Health, Office for the Aging, Division of Criminal Justice Services, and Office of Victim Services shall promulgate regulations, and take any other actions within the agency's authority including amending agreements with such providers to address the extent and nature of a provider's administrative costs and executive compensation that shall be eligible to be reimbursed with State financial assistance or State-authorized payments for operating expenses.
2. Each such agency's regulations shall include but not be limited to requirements that providers of services that receive reimbursements directly or indirectly from such agency must comply with the following restrictions:
  - a. No less than seventy-five percent of the State financial assistance or State-authorized payments to a provider for operating expenses shall be directed to provide direct care or services rather than to support administrative costs, as these terms are defined by the applicable State agency in implementing these requirements. This percentage shall increase by five percent each year until it shall, no later than April 1, 2015, remain at no less than eighty-five percent thereafter.
  - b. To the extent practicable, reimbursement with State financial assistance or State-authorized payments shall not be provided for compensation paid or given to any executive by such provider in an amount greater than \$199,000 per annum, provided, however, that the commissioner of each agency shall have discretion to adjust this figure annually based on appropriate factors and subject to the approval of the Director of the Budget, but in no event shall such figure exceed Level I of the federal government's Rates of Basic Pay for the Executive Schedule promulgated by the United States Office of Personnel Management.
3. A provider's failure to comply with such regulations established by the applicable state agency shall, in the commissioner's sole discretion, form the basis for termination or non-renewal of the agency's contract with or continued support of the provider. Each agency's regulations shall provide that, under appropriate circumstances and upon a showing of good cause, a provider may be granted a waiver from compliance with these or other related requirements in whole or in part subject to the approval of the applicable State agency and the Director of the Budget.
4. The commissioner for each such agency shall regularly obtain the data from providers that is needed to monitor the providers' compliance with these requirements and shall report to the Director of the Budget on an annual basis the impact of these requirements on the use of public funds to support excessive executive compensation and administrative costs among providers.

GIVEN under my hand and the Privy Seal of the  
State in the City of Albany this  
eighteenth day of January in the year two  
thousand twelve.

BY THE GOVERNOR  
Secretary to the Governor



## Program Specific Clauses

### APPENDIX A-2

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## Appendix A3

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### Federal Assurances and Certifications

Certain of these assurances may not be applicable to your project or program. If you have questions, please contact the Office of Family and Children Services.

**By signing and submitting this application, contract or contract amendment an authorized representative of the applicant or contractor asserts that the applicant or contractor:**

1. Has the legal authority to apply for Federal assistance and the institutional, managerial and financial capability (including funds sufficient to pay the non-Federal share of project cost) to ensure proper planning, management and completion of the project described in this application.
2. Will give the awarding agency, the Comptroller General of the United States and, if appropriate, the State, through any authorized representative, access to and the right to examine all records, books, papers, or documents related to the award; and will establish a proper accounting system in accordance with generally accepted accounting standards or agency directives.
3. Will establish safeguards to prohibit employees from using their positions for a purpose that constitutes or presents the appearance of personal or organizational conflict of interest, or personal gain.
4. Will initiate and complete the work within the applicable time frame after receipt of approval of the awarding agency.
5. Will comply with the Intergovernmental Personnel Act of 1970 (42 U.S.C. §§4728-4763) relating to prescribed standards for merit systems for programs funded under one of the 19 statutes or regulations specified in Appendix A of OPM's Standards for a Merit System of Personnel Administration (5 C.F.R. 900, Subpart F).
6. Will comply with all Federal statutes relating to nondiscrimination. These include but are not limited to (a) Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (P.L. 88-352) and Executive Order Number 11246 as amended by E.O. 11375 relating to Equal Employment Opportunity, which prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color or national origin; (b) Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended (20 U.S.C. §§1681-1683, and 1685-1686), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex; (c) Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (29 U.S.C. §794), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of handicaps; (d) the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended (42 U.S.C. §§6101-6107), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of age; (e) the Drug Abuse Office and Treatment Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-255), as amended, relating to nondiscrimination on the basis of drug abuse; (f) the Comprehensive Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Prevention, Treatment and Rehabilitation Act of 1970 (P.L. 91-616), as amended, relating to nondiscrimination on the basis of alcohol abuse or alcoholism; (g) §§523 and 527 of the Public Health Service Act of 1912 (42 U.S.C. §§290 dd-3 and 290 ee-3), as amended, relating to confidentiality of alcohol and drug abuse patient records; (h) Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. §§3601 et seq.), as amended, relating to nondiscrimination in the sale, rental or financing of housing; (i) any other nondiscrimination provisions in the specific statute(s) under which application for Federal assistance is being made; and, (j) the requirements of any other nondiscrimination statute(s) which may apply to the application.
7. Will comply, or has already complied, with the requirements of Titles II and III of the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 (P.L. 91-646) which provide for fair and equitable treatment of persons displaced or whose property is acquired as a result of Federal or federally-assisted programs. These requirements apply to all interests in real property acquired for project purposes regardless of Federal participation in purchases.
8. Will comply, as applicable, with provisions of the Hatch Act (5 U.S.C. §§1501-1508 and 7324-7328) which limit the political activities of employees whose principal employment activities are funded in whole or in part with Federal funds.
9. Will comply, as applicable, with the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. §§276a to 276a-7), the Copeland Act (40 U.S.C. §276c and 18 U.S.C. §874), and the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. §§327-333), regarding labor standards for federally assisted construction subagreements.
10. Will comply, if applicable, with flood insurance purchase requirements of Section 102(a) of the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973 (P.L. 93-234) which requires recipients in a special flood hazard area to participate in the program and to purchase flood insurance if the total cost of insurable construction and acquisition is \$10,000 or more.
11. Will comply with environmental standards which may be prescribed pursuant to the following: (a) institution of environmental quality control measures under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (P.L. 91-190) and Executive Order (EO) 11514; (b) notification of violating facilities pursuant to EO 11738; (c) protection of wetlands pursuant to EO 11990; (d) evaluation of flood hazards in floodplains in accordance with EO 11988; (e) assurance of project consistency with the approved State management program developed under the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972 (16 U.S.C. §§1451 et seq.); (f) conformity of Federal actions to State (Clean Air) Implementation Plans under Section 176(c) of the Clean Air Act of 1955, as amended (42 U.S.C. §7401 et seq.); (g) protection of underground sources of drinking water under the Safe Drinking Water Act of 1974, as amended (P.L. 93-523); and, (h) protection of endangered species under the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (P.L. 93-205).
12. Will assist the awarding agency in assuring compliance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended (16 U.S.C. §470), EO 11593 (identification and protection of historic properties), and the Archaeological and Historic Preservation Act of 1974 (16 U.S.C. §§469a-1 et seq.).

13. Will comply with the Lead-Based Paint Poisoning Prevention Act (42 U.S.C. §§4801 et seq.) which prohibits the use of lead-based paint in construction or rehabilitation of residence structures.

14. This contract is funded in whole or part with federal funds under the CDFA No(s) shown on the first page of Appendix C or Appendix X for renewals. OCFS is a pass-through entity of these federal funds. As a recipient of these federal funds, the Contractor may be determined, as shown on the first page of Appendix C or Appendix X for renewals, to be a sub-recipient of federal assistance. Sub-recipients of federal funds have the responsibility of reporting to OCFS in addition to the sub-recipient's responsibility to file reports with the federal clearinghouse designated by Office of Management and Budget (OMB). If this contract will require the Contractor to expend \$500,000 or more of federal funds from this contract or in total with other contracts or grants of federal funds or assistance in the Contractor's fiscal year, regardless of the source of the funding, the Contractor is required to comply with the terms and provisions of the OMB Circular A-133. The Contractor will notify OCFS if it reasonably expects to expend the sum of \$500,000 of federally derived funds, in its fiscal year, as soon as it has notice of awards, grants or contracts totaling \$500,000 in federal funds but in no event later than the close of the calendar year. The Contractor will have an audit performed pursuant to the requirements of OMB Circular A-133 and provide OCFS with the required reports within 30 days of the Contractor's receipt of the independent audit report or within 9 months after the close of the Contractor's fiscal year, whichever event is sooner.

15. Certifies that Public Law 103-227, Part C - Environmental Tobacco Smoke, also known as the Pro-Children Act of 1994 (Act), requires that smoking not be permitted in any portion of any indoor facility owned or leased or contracted for by an entity and used routinely or regularly for the provision of health, day care, education, or library services to children under the age of 18, if the services are funded by Federal programs either directly or through State or local governments, by Federal grant, contract, loan, or loan guarantee. The law does not apply to children's services provided in private residences, facilities funded solely by Medicare or Medicaid funds, and portions of facilities used for inpatient drug or alcohol treatment. Failure to comply with the provisions of the law may result in the imposition of a civil monetary penalty of up to \$1000 per day and/or the imposition of an administrative compliance order on the responsible entity. By signing and submitting this application the applicant/grantee certifies that it will comply with the requirements of the Act. The contractor/grantee further agrees that it will require the language of this certification be included in any subawards which contain provisions of children's services and all subgrantees shall certify accordingly.

16A. 1. By signing and/or submitting this application or grant agreement, the grantee is providing the certification set out below. 2. The certification set out below is a material representation of fact upon which reliance is placed when the agency awards the grant. If it is later determined that the grantee knowingly rendered a false certification, or otherwise violates the requirements of the Drug-Free Workplace Act, the agency, in addition to any other remedies available to the Federal Government, may take action authorized under the Drug-Free Workplace Act. 3. For grantees other than individuals, Alternate I applies. For grantees who are individuals, Alternate II applies. 4. Workplaces under grants, for grantees other than individuals, need not be identified on the certification. If known, they may be identified in the grant application. If the grantee does not identify the workplace(s) at the time of application, or upon award, if there is no application, the grantee must keep the identity of the workplace(s) on file in its office and make the information available for Federal inspection. Failure to identify all known workplaces constitutes a violation of the grantee's drug-free workplace requirements. 5. Workplace identifications must include the actual address of buildings (or parts of buildings) or sites where work under the grant takes place. Categorical descriptions may be used (e.g. all vehicles of a mass transit authority or State highway department while in operation, State employees in each local unemployment office, performers in concert halls or radio studios). 6. If the workplace identified to the agency changes during the performance of the grant, the grantee shall inform the agency of the change(s), if it previously identified the workplaces in question (see paragraph five). 7. Definitions of terms in the Nonprocurement Suspension and Debarment common rule and Drug-Free Workplace common rule apply to this certification. Grantees' attention is called, in particular, to the following definitions from these rules: Controlled substance means a controlled substance in Schedules I through V of the Controlled Substances Act (21 U.S.C. 812) and as further defined by regulation (21 CFR 1308.11 through 1308.15); Conviction means a finding of guilt (including a plea of nolo contendere) or imposition of sentence, or both, by any judicial body charged with the responsibility to determine violations of the Federal or State criminal drug statutes; Criminal drug statute means a Federal or non-Federal criminal statute involving the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, use, or possession of any controlled substance; Employee means the employee of a grantee directly engaged in the performance of work under a grant, including: (i) All direct charge employees; (ii) All indirect charge employees unless their impact or involvement is insignificant to the performance of the grant; and, (iii) Temporary personnel and consultants who are directly engaged in the performance of work under the grant and who are on the grantee's payroll. This definition does not include workers not on the payroll of the grantee (e.g. volunteers, even if used to meet a matching requirement; consultants or independent contractors not on the grantee's payroll; or employees of subrecipients or subcontractors in covered workplaces).

16B. Alternate I (Grantees Other Than Individuals). 1. The grantee certifies that the applicant will, or will continue to, provide a drug-free workplace in accordance with 45 CFR Part 76 by: (a) Publishing a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the grantee's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition; (b) Establishing an ongoing drug-free awareness program to inform employees about: (1) The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace; (2) The grantee's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace; (3) Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance programs; and (4) The penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse

violations occurring in the workplace; (c) Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the grant be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a) above; (d) Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) above, that, as a condition of employment under the grant, the employee will-(1) Abide by the terms of the statement; and (2) Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for violation of a criminal drug status occurring in the workplace no later than five calendar days after such conviction; (e) Notify the agency in writing within ten calendar days after receiving notice under paragraph (d)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position title, to every grant officer or other designee on whose grant activity the convicted employee was working, unless the Federal agency has designated a central point for the receipt of such notices. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected grant; (f) Taking one of the following actions, within 30 calendar days of receiving notice under paragraph (d)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted- (1) Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, or (2) Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State, or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency; (g) Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), and (f). For purposes of paragraph (e) regarding agency notification of criminal drug convictions, the DHHS has designated the following central point for receipt of such notices: Division of Grants Policy and Oversight, Office of Management and Acquisition, Department of Health and Human Services, Room 517-D, 200 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C., 20201.

16C. Alternate II (Grantees Who Are Individuals). 1. The grantee certifies that, as a condition of the grant, he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the grant; 2. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any grant activity, he or she will report the conviction, in writing, within 10 calendar days of the conviction, to every grant officer or other designee, unless the Federal agency designates a central point for the receipt of such notices. When notice is made to such a central point, it shall include the identification number(s) of each affected grant.

17. Certifies that Title 31, United States Code, Section 1352, entitled "Limitation on use of appropriated funds to influence certain Federal contracting and financial transactions," generally prohibits recipients of Federal grants and cooperative agreements from using Federal (appropriated) funds for lobbying the Executive or Legislative Branches of the Federal Government in connection with a SPECIFIC grant or cooperative agreement. Section 1352 also requires that each person who requests or receives a Federal grant or cooperative agreement must disclose lobbying undertaken with non-Federal (non-appropriated) funds. The requirements apply to grants and cooperative agreements EXCEEDING \$100,000 in total costs (45 CFR Part 93). The undersigned (authorized official signing for the applicant organization) 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 any 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 Federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure of Lobbying Activities," in accordance with its instructions. (If needed, Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure of Lobbying Activities," its instructions, and continuation sheet are included at the end of this application form.) (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 subrecipients 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, 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.

18A1. Agrees that, a) By signing and submitting this proposal, the prospective primary applicant is providing the certification set out below. b) 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. c) The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed 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 or default. d) The prospective primary participant shall provide immediate written notice to the department or agency to which 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. e) 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 Office of Children and Family Services for assistance in obtaining a copy of those regulations. f) 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 proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4 debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by the department or agency entering into this transaction. g) 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. h) 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 proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4 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 List of Parties Excluded from Federal Procurement and Nonprocurement Programs. i) 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. j) 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 proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, 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 or default.

18A2. (1) Certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief, that the applicant and its principals: a) Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded by any Federal department or agency; b) Have not within a three-year period preceding this proposal been convicted of or had a civil judgement 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 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 19A. 2. (1) b) of this certification; and d) Have not within a three-year period preceding this application/proposal had on 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.

18B.1 Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion - Lower Tier Covered Transactions Instructions for Certification. a) By signing and submitting this proposal, the prospective lower tier participant is providing the certification set out below. b) 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. c) 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 had become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances. d) 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 meaning 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 those regulations. e) 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 proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, 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. f) 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. g) 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 proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions, 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 List of Parties Excluded from Federal Procurement and Nonprocurement Programs. h) 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. i) Except for transactions authorized under paragraph 5 of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, 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.

18B.2 a) 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. b) 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.

19. Will comply with all applicable requirements of all other Federal laws, executive orders, regulations, and policies governing this program.

**APPENDIX C  
PAYMENT AND REPORTING TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

**Performance Based**

Revised December 2012

- This Contract is funded with non-Federal funds only
- This contract is funded in whole or in part with Federal funds (see Appendix A3, Paragraph 14, for federal audit information)
- OCFS has determined that the Contractor IS NOT a Subrecipient
- OCFS has determined that the Contractor IS a Subrecipient
- The Federal funds for this contract are from Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA Number(s): 93.575

**I. EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 38**

Executive Order Number 38 sets Limits on State-Funded Administrative Costs & Executive Compensation. Contracts, payment requests and reporting must comply with this Executive Order. The Order is printed at the end of this document, and can be found at the following website address: <https://www.governor.ny.gov/executiveorder/38>

**II. PAYMENT TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

In consideration of the services to be performed by the Contractor pursuant to this AGREEMENT, the Office of Children and Family Services (OCFS) agrees to pay and the Contractor agrees to accept a sum not to exceed the amount specified on the face page of this AGREEMENT for the initial AGREEMENT period and for subsequent periods, the amount specified in Appendix X for that period. All payments shall be in accordance with the payment plan contained in Appendix C-1 for the applicable period which is attached hereto for the period of time indicated therein. Payment under this AGREEMENT is conditional upon the continued availability of funds. Should funds become unavailable the Contractor shall be relieved of any obligation to continue this project beyond the period for which funds were available. Payments and future funding are contingent on the availability of funding for the activities to be conducted in accordance with this AGREEMENT.

Funds cannot be expended until the contract is approved by the Office of the State Comptroller (OSC). Expenditures cannot precede the contract start date. If the Contractor makes expenditures subsequent to the contract start date, but prior to OSC approval of the contract, they do so at their own risk. In the event that OSC does not approve the contract, OCFS shall have no obligation to pay the Contractor for any such expenditures made subsequent to the proposed contract start date.

See Appendix C-1 for any additional program-specific Payment Terms and Conditions applicable to this AGREEMENT. To the extent that there is a conflict between any Payment Terms and Conditions set forth in this Appendix and in Appendix C-1, the Payment Terms and Conditions in Appendix C-1 will supersede the Payment Terms and Conditions in Appendix C.

Contractor shall provide complete and accurate billing invoices to OCFS in order to receive payment. Billing invoices submitted to OCFS must contain all information and supporting documentation required by this AGREEMENT, OCFS and OSC. Payment for invoices submitted by the Contractor shall only be rendered electronically unless payment by paper check is expressly authorized by the Commissioner of OCFS, in the Commissioner's sole discretion, due to extenuating circumstances. Such electronic payment shall be made in accordance with ordinary State procedures and practices. The Contractor shall comply with OSC's procedures to authorize electronic payments. Authorization forms are available at OSC's website at [www.osc.state.ny.us/epay/index.htm](http://www.osc.state.ny.us/epay/index.htm), by email at [epunit@osc.state.ny.us](mailto:epunit@osc.state.ny.us), or by telephone at 518-474-4032. Contractor acknowledges that it will not receive payment on any invoices submitted under

this AGREEMENT if it does not comply with OSC's electronic payment procedures, except where the Commissioner of OCFS has expressly authorized payment by paper check as set forth above.

### III. ADVANCE PAYMENT AND RECOUPMENT

- a. To the extent permitted by applicable laws and regulations, OCFS may, solely at its own discretion, make advance payment(s) to the Contractor, up to \_\_\_\_\_ of the annual period amount, upon the submission by the Contractor of sufficient justification therefor. Any advance may be eligible for payment only upon approval of this AGREEMENT by the Attorney General and by OSC and upon the submission to OCFS by the Contractor of a properly executed State of New York Claim for Payment (AC3253-S), or on-line claim submitted through the OCFS Contract Management System (CMS), in a form acceptable to OCFS and to OSC.
- b. Recoupment of any advance payment(s) shall be recovered by crediting claims as specified in Appendix C-1. If for any reason the amount of any claim is not sufficient to cover the proportionate advance amount to be recovered, then subsequent claims will be reduced until the advance is fully recovered. Any unexpended advance balance at the end of the AGREEMENT period will be refunded by the Contractor to OCFS. In the event either party terminates the AGREEMENT prior to its expiration, the Contractor agrees to refund to OCFS immediately any advance balance then outstanding.
- c. An initial advance, if determined to be payable to the Contractor, shall be payable thirty days from the start date of services within the contract period or thirty (30) days from the submission of a properly executed State of New York Claim For Payment, or on-line claim submitted through CMS, in a form acceptable to OCFS and to OSC, whichever is later.
- d. For purposes of interest determinations pursuant to Article XI-B of the State Finance Law, claims for payment of advances are payable 30 days from the start date of services within the contract period if deemed acceptable by OCFS and OSC. If the Contractor's claim or on-line claim submitted through CMS, is not received within 30 calendar days of the contract becoming fully executed, no additional interest shall accrue after such thirtieth day.

### IV. CLAIMS FOR SERVICES

- a. The Contractor shall submit claims for payment under this AGREEMENT within fifteen (15) days after the end of each quarterly claiming period or as otherwise specified in Appendix C-1.
- b. The Contractor shall submit a New York State Claim for Payment or on-line claim submitted through CMS within fifteen (15) days after the end of each claiming period as identified in Appendix C-1. The Contractor shall also submit the appropriate supporting documentation for the services provided. The final claim shall be submitted within thirty (30) days after the expiration of each annual contract period or the early termination of this AGREEMENT or as otherwise specified in Appendix C-1.
- c. OCFS agrees to pay the Contractor for services provided in behalf of fulfilling this AGREEMENT, according to the schedule contained in Appendix C-1 and upon the submission of a properly executed State of New York Claim for Payment, or on-line claim submitted through CMS, in a form acceptable to OCFS and to OSC and the submission of the required program reports. OCFS agrees to submit each approved claim to OSC for payment, unless it shall have notified the Contractor of its disapproval of payment, in writing, together with a justification therefor.
- d. Claims other than those for payment of advances are payable on the 45th day after the end of the claiming period (monthly or quarterly as defined in this agreement) if deemed acceptable by OCFS and OSC, and if the Contractor's claim or on-line claim submitted through CMS is received within 15 days after the end of said period. If the Contractor's claim or on-line claim submitted through CMS is received later than 15 days after the end of said period, then the claim or on-line claim submitted through CMS will be payable 30 days after receipt if deemed acceptable by OCFS and OSC.
- e. For purposes of interest determinations pursuant to Article XI-B of the State Finance Law, claims or on-line claims submitted through CMS other than those for the payment of advances are payable 30 days after the end of the claiming period (monthly or quarterly as defined in this agreement) if deemed acceptable by OCFS and OSC. If the Contractor's claim or on-line claim submitted through



CMS is not received within 30 calendar days of the contract becoming fully executed, no additional interest shall accrue after such thirtieth day.

- f. OCFS reserves the right to withhold up to ten percent (10%) of the total amount of the contract as security for the faithful completion of services under this AGREEMENT. OCFS  will or  will not withhold up to 10% of the total amount of this contract. This amount may be withheld in whole or in part from any single payment or combination of payments otherwise due under this AGREEMENT. The amount withheld will be paid to the Contractor upon the receipt of all required reports, including the final programmatic and fiscal reports, all products of the project as provided in the AGREEMENT as detailed in Appendix D, a final claim or on-line claim submitted through CMS, the accounting for any advance payment(s) made pursuant to this AGREEMENT, and upon certification by the Contractor that it has completed its obligations and duties under this AGREEMENT.
- g. OCFS will not be liable for payments on any contract, grant or agreement made pursuant to an appropriation if insufficient monies are available.
- h. The Contractor shall require any and all subcontractors to submit all claims for services rendered and required supporting documentation and reports necessary to complete the claim in sufficient time for said information to be received by the Contractor no later than ten (10) days following the final day of the claiming period. Subcontractors shall be informed by the Contractor of the possibility of non-payment or rejection by the Contractor of claims that do not contain the required information and/or are not received by the Contractor by said due date. Subcontractors shall be paid on a timely basis after submitting the required reports and claims for reimbursement of services.
- i. Subcontracts should not be signed by Contractor prior to OCFS approving the subcontract and OSC approving the contract. Subcontracts cannot have start dates prior to the contract start date. If Contractor obtains signature on a subcontract subsequent to the start date, but prior to OSC approval of the contract, they do so at their own risk.

#### V. AUDIT AND RECORDS RETENTION

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this AGREEMENT (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. OSC, the Attorney General and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this AGREEMENT, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the State of New York or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the State, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The State shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute") provided that: (i) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate State official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (ii) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (iii) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the State's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. If the Records are in any way relevant to audit findings, litigation or claims and the audit findings, litigation, or claims are not resolved within a period of six (6) years after the end or termination of this AGREEMENT, the Contractor will retain such records until notified in writing by OCFS to dispose of them.

#### VI. REFUNDS

In the event that the contractor must make a refund to OCFS for contract related activities (repayment of an advance, an audit disallowance, or for any other reason), payment must be made in the form of a check or money order payable to "New York State Office of Children and Family Services". The contractor must include with the payment a brief explanation of why the refund is being made and reference the contract number. Refund payments together with such explanation must be submitted to:

NYS Office of Children and Family Services  
Attention: Contract Cash Receipts  
Bureau of Contract Management  
Capital View Office Park

52 Washington Street  
South Building, Room 202  
Rensselaer, NY 12144

**VII. PROGRAM REPORTING REQUIREMENTS**

- a. The Contractor shall submit a Program Report on the schedule stated in Appendix C-1.
- b. In addition to the periodic reports stated above, the Contractor shall, as applicable, prior to receipt of final payment under this AGREEMENT, submit a final program report satisfactory to OCFS no later than thirty (30) days following the termination of this contract or the completion of expenditures, whichever is sooner or as otherwise specified in Appendix C-1.

**VIII. REPORTING SCHEDULE**

All periodic reports as identified in Appendix C-1 shall be submitted in accordance with the schedule provided unless otherwise designated in writing by the Program Officer. All periodic reports must be submitted no later than fifteen (15) days after the end of the reporting period or as otherwise specified in Appendix C-1.

**IX. DESIGNATED PAYMENT OFFICE**

Designated Payment Office information is contained in Appendix C-1.

**EXECUTIVE ORDER NO: 38**  
**LIMITS ON STATE-FUNDED ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS & EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION**

Direct link: <https://www.governor.ny.gov/executiveorder/38>

**WHEREAS**, State Government in New York directly or indirectly funds, or authorizes reimbursements with other taxpayer dollars to, a large number of tax exempt organizations and for-profit entities that provide critical services to New Yorkers in need; and

**WHEREAS**, State Government in New York has an ongoing obligation to ensure that taxpayers' dollars are used properly, efficiently and effectively to improve the lives of New Yorkers and our communities; and

**WHEREAS**, in certain instances providers of services that receive State funds or State-authorized payments have used such funds to pay for excessive administrative costs and oversized compensation for their senior executives, rather than devoting a greater proportion of such funds to providing direct care or services to their clients; and

**WHEREAS**, such abuses involving public funds harm both the people of New York who are paying for such services, and those persons who must depend upon such services to be available and well-funded; and

**WHEREAS**, to curb such abuses in executive compensation and administrative costs and ensure that taxpayer dollars are used first and foremost to help New Yorkers in need;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Andrew M. Cuomo, Governor of the State of New York, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the State of New York, do hereby order as follows:

1. Within ninety days of this Executive Order, the commissioner of each Executive State agency that provides State financial assistance or State-authorized payments to providers of services, including but not limited to the Office for People with Developmental Disabilities, Office of Mental Health, Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services, Office of Children and Family Services, Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance, Department of Health, Office for the Aging, Division of Criminal Justice Services, and Office of Victim Services shall promulgate regulations, and take any other actions within the agency's authority including amending agreements with such providers to address the extent and nature of a provider's administrative costs and executive compensation that shall be eligible to be reimbursed with State financial assistance or State-authorized payments for operating expenses.

2. Each such agency's regulations shall include but not be limited to requirements that providers of services that receive reimbursements directly or indirectly from such agency must comply with the following restrictions:

a. No less than seventy-five percent of the State financial assistance or State-authorized payments to a provider for operating expenses shall be directed to provide direct care or services rather than to support administrative costs, as these terms are defined by the applicable State agency in implementing these requirements. This percentage shall increase by five percent each year until it shall, no later than April 1, 2015, remain at no less than eighty-five percent thereafter.

b. To the extent practicable, reimbursement with State financial assistance or State-authorized payments shall not be provided for compensation paid or given to any executive by such provider in an amount greater than \$199,000 per annum, provided, however, that the commissioner of each agency shall have discretion to adjust this figure annually based on appropriate factors and subject to the approval of the Director of the Budget, but in no event shall such figure exceed Level I of the federal government's Rates of Basic Pay for the Executive Schedule promulgated by the United States Office of Personnel Management.

3. A provider's failure to comply with such regulations established by the applicable state agency shall, in the commissioner's sole discretion, form the basis for termination or non-renewal of the agency's contract with or continued support of the provider. Each agency's regulations shall provide that, under appropriate circumstances and upon a showing of good cause, a provider may be granted a waiver from compliance with these or other related requirements in whole or in part subject to the approval of the applicable State agency and the Director of the Budget.

4. The commissioner for each such agency shall regularly obtain the data from providers that is needed to monitor the providers' compliance with these requirements and shall report to the Director of the Budget on an annual basis the impact of these requirements on the use of public funds to support excessive executive compensation and administrative costs among providers.

GIVEN under my hand and the Privy Seal of the  
State in the City of Albany this  
eighteenth day of January in the year two  
thousand twelve.

BY THE GOVERNOR  
Secretary to the Governor

**APPENDIX C-1**  
Standard Performance Levels  
Payment Schedule

Local Department of Social Services (LDSS) Name: Oneida County Department of Social Services

MOU Period: 01/01/15 to 12/31/15

\$57,574.25, per quarter will be paid to the LDSS, for a maximum of four (4) quarters, not to exceed the Maximum Funding Amount for the contract period of \$230,297.00, for an acceptable level of compliance for all Quarterly Standard Performance Levels as specified in this Appendix C-1. A quarterly program review will be conducted by the Division of Child Care Services (DCCS), after the end of the applicable quarter, to determine if the LDSS has reached an acceptable level of compliance for the quarter. The determination of whether a LDSS met an acceptable level of compliance for each Quarterly Standard Performance Level will be based on the LDSS's compliance with all applicable timelines, operating procedures and other requirements as set forth in Office regulations and policies and the Child Care Facility System (CCFS) Users' Manual, which are deemed to be incorporated herein by reference.

Payment will be made upon approval by the Office's Project Officer for the number of achieved standard performance level, as defined in Appendix C-1. If the Office determines that the LDSS has not met the acceptable Quarterly Standard Performance Level for a particular activity during a quarter, the applicable percentage set forth herein for that Quarterly Standard Performance Level will be withheld and the amount paid to the LDSS for the quarter will be reduced accordingly. The Office may completely waive the reduction for a particular unmet Quarterly Standard Performance Level based upon a written request submitted by the LDSS demonstrating that such failure was due to extraordinary or unforeseen circumstances. The Office shall notify the LDSS in writing of the Office's approval of any such waiver request, or shall notify the LDSS of the Office's disapproval of any such waiver request and delineate the reasons for such disapproval.

**Quarterly Standard Performance Level – Initial Registrations**

The LDSS will process and resolve initial registration applications within six (6) months of receipt including providing applicants with all appropriate notifications regarding the status of the applications. The acceptable resolution categories are: approved, withdrawn, and referred to enforcement for denial. The Quarterly Standard Performance Level for initial registrations for an acceptable level of compliance is 95%. The acceptable level of compliance will be determined by DCCS upon review of quarterly data from CCFS. If at least 95% of the previous quarter's Quarterly Standard Performance Level for initial registrations is not met, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld.

**Quarterly Standard Performance Level – Renewals of Registrations**

The LDSS will process and resolve completed applications for renewals of registrations, including providing providers with all appropriate notifications regarding the renewal process, prior to the applicable registration lapse date or will initiate enforcement action. The renewals of

Family and School- Age Child Care registrations will include a renewal inspection as required by regulation. The Quarterly Standard Performance Level for renewals of registrations for an acceptable level of compliance is 95%. The acceptable level of compliance will be determined by DCCS upon review of quarterly data from CCFS. If at least 95% of the previous quarter's Quarterly Standard Performance Level for renewal registrations is not met, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld.

#### Quarterly Standard Performance Level –Complaint Investigations

The LDSS will initiate complaint investigations within the required time frames and make determinations on the complaints within 60 days. The Quarterly Standard Performance Level for complaint investigations for an acceptable level of compliance is 95%. The acceptable level of compliance will be determined by DCCS upon review of quarterly data from CCFS. If at least 95% of the previous quarter's Quarterly Standard Performance Level for complaint investigations is not met, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld.

#### Quarterly Standard Performance Level – Safety Assessments

The LDSS will conduct safety assessments based on the categories of arrests/convictions and submit the assessments to DCCS within the required time frames. The Quarterly Standard Performance Level for safety assessments for an acceptable level of compliance is 100%. The acceptable level of compliance will be determined by DCCS upon review of quarterly data from CCFS. If at least 100% of the previous quarter's Quarterly Standard Performance Level for safety assessments is not met, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld.

#### Quarterly Standard Performance Level – 50% Inspections

The LDSS will conduct the required number of annual 50% inspections for Family Day Care and School Age Child Care programs and complete all required documentation. If at least 90% of the Performance Level for 50% inspections is not met at the completion of the four quarters, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld.

#### Quarterly Standard Performance Level – Mid-Point Requirement

The LDSS will process and resolve completed reviews of Mid-Point documentation including providing providers with all appropriate notifications regarding the Mid- Point Requirement. The LDSS will conduct Mid-Point inspections for Family Day Care and School Age Child Care programs and complete all required documentation within the required timeframes pursuant to current policy and procedures. The Quarterly Standard Performance Level for the Mid-Point Requirement for an acceptable level of compliance is 95%. The acceptable level of compliance will be determined by DCCS upon review of quarterly data from CCFS. If at least 95% of the Performance Level for Mid-Point inspections is not met each quarter, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld.

#### Quarterly Standard Performance Level – On-Site Case and Management Review.

The LDSS will provide appropriate registration and monitoring activities, maintain appropriate case files and make appropriate entries into CCFS in the time, manner and form required by the Office. LDSS shall not revise or alter OCFS policy/procedures or create its own policy/procedure without receiving prior approval in writing from the Office. The acceptable level of compliance will be determined by DCCS based on quarterly case files and management reviews. The case

review will include a review of a sample of case files regarding initial applications, renewal applications, mid-point requirement, 50% inspections, complaint investigations and other investigations chosen in accordance with a consistent sampling framework to determine whether: Office policies, procedures, and regulations are applied accurately; required observations are made during inspections and investigations; all applicable entries are made in case files and/or CCFS; proper notifications is given to providers and parents, where applicable, within the required time frames; each facility has the necessary active fingerprint files and are entered into CCFS upon receipt; inspections are conducted, when appropriate, to verify compliance with any corrective action plans and/or continued regulatory violations; appropriate and timely enforcement referrals are made and appropriate and timely follow-up activities are conducted in accordance with Office policies and directions including cooperating with the Office's Legal Division on enforcement activities and, when determined necessary by the Office, testifying at fair hearings and/or court proceedings and assisting the Office in responding to litigation.

The management review will also include a review of other documentation to determine whether: identified registration staff have participated in any mandatory training as required by the Office related to the performance of registration duties and participated in management and supervisory sessions on a regional and Statewide basis, as required; provided technical assistance in regard to the start-up of new programs and compliance with existing programs and information on available training and funding resources applicable to family day care and school-age child care programs; and provided parents and the general public with access to information regarding the compliance/complaint history of all regulated providers, as required. The approved quarterly registration case files and management reviews for an acceptable level of compliance is 90%. If at least 90% of the previous quarter's Quarterly Standard Performance Level for the case files and management review is not met, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld. The Quarterly Standard Performance Level for applying accurately required Office policies, procedures and regulation is 100%. If at least 100% of OCFS mandated procedures are not completed pursuant to all policy and procedures, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld.

#### Quarterly Standard Performance Level – Approved Staffing Plan

The LDSS staffing plan, including the percentage of time each staff works on the project, which has been approved by the Office and is maintained during the quarter. In addition, the Office's respective DCCS Regional Office Manager is to be notified by the LDSS of the registration and inspections coverage plan when the registrar's office is unavailable during regular business hours. In the event of a staff vacancy, the LDSS will be allowed a three-month period from the date the vacancy was created to fill the vacancy and bring staffing back up to the approved level. The LDSS is to provide DCCS with the names of the staff assigned to register day care programs, the percentage of time those staff work on the program. In addition the Office will review the qualifications of those staff members as part of the quarterly case and management review and when otherwise requested by DCCS to determine if the qualifications are reasonable for providing the registration and inspection services. The approved staffing plan for an acceptable level of compliance at the end of each quarter is 100%, with the exception of any vacancies that are less than three months old at the end of the quarter. The acceptable level of compliance will be determined by DCCS based upon the quarterly case and management review. If at least 100% of the previous quarter's Quarterly Standard Performance Level for the approved

staffing plan is not met at the end of the quarter, not counting vacancies that are less than three months old at the end of the quarter, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld. However, the amount withheld may not exceed the value of the personnel costs for the unfilled position(s).

**DESIGNATED PAYMENT OFFICE**

**Program Office:** Program Development

**Program Area:** Division of Child Care Services/ Appropriate Regional Offices

**Address:** 52 Washington Street  
3 South Building, Room 309  
Rensselaer, New York 12144

APPENDIX D

NEW YORK STATE OFFICE OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES  
DIVISION OF CHILD CARE SERVICES

1. PROJECT TITLE : REGISTRATION
2. TYPE OF APPLICATION: NEW  CONTINUATION  AMENDMENT
3. AMOUNT OF FUNDS REQUESTED: \$ 230,297.00
4. PROJECT PERIOD: 1/01/15 to 12/31/15
5. ORGANIZATIONAL NAME & ADDRESS:  
Oneida County Department of Social Services  
800 Park Ave.  
Utica, New York 13501 Tel #: (315) - 798 - 5733
6. CONTACT NAME: Tamatha Stoetzner  
TITLE: Director of Administrative Services  
PHONE: (315) 798-5260  
E-MAIL ADDRESS: TStoetzner@ocgov.net
7. INDIVIDUAL(s) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN FOR APPLICANT:  
PRIMARY NAME: Lucille Soldato PHONE# (315)798-5733  
PRIMARY TITLE: Commissioner  
SECONDARY NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE# ( )  
SECONDARY TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_
8. NAME OF PROJECT DIRECTOR: Philip Martini  
TITLE: Caseworker Supervisor Grade A  
PHONE: (315) 798-5839  
LOCATION ADDRESS: 209 Elizabeth Street, Utica, New York 13501  
E-MAIL ADDRESS: Philip.martini@dfa.state.ny.us
9. INDIVIDUAL TO WHOM PAYMENT SHOULD BE DIRECTED:  
NAME: Tamatha Stoetzner  
TITLE: Director of Administrative Services  
PHONE: (315) 798-5260  
LOCATION ADDRESS: 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York 13501  
E-MAIL ADDRESS: tstoetzner@ocgov.net
- A. MUNICIPALITY NUMBER : 300100000
- B. CHARITABLE REGISTRATION NUMBER: Exempt
- C. DUNS# 075814186



**10. Agreement:**

It is understood and agreed to by the applicant that: (1) Funds granted for this project will be used only for the conduct of the project as approved. (2) the grant may be terminated in whole, or in part, by the Office. Such termination shall not affect obligations incurred under grant prior to the effective date of such termination. (3) When funds are advanced, any unexpended balance at the end of the approval period will be returned. (4) Any significant revision of the approved project proposal will be requested in writing by the grantee prior to enactment of the change. (5) Progress reports will be submitted as required by the Office. The final program and financial reports will be submitted within a specified time period after the project terminates. Necessary records and accounts, including financial and property controls, will be maintained and made available to the Office for audit purposes. (6) All reports of investigations, studies, publications, etc. made as a result of this proposal will acknowledge the support provided by Office. (7) All personal information concerning individuals served or studies conducted under the project is confidential and such information may not be disclosed to unauthorized persons. (8) The Office reserves a royalty free non-exclusive license to use and authorize others to use all copyrighted material resulting from this project.

The applicant certifies that to the best of his/her knowledge and belief the information in this application is true and correct, and that he/she will comply with the above agreement if the grant is received.

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Signature of Official Authorized to Sign for Applicant

Date

Lucille A. Soldato, Commissioner

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Name and Title (typed)

## **PROJECT SUMMARY**

Oneida County Department of Social Services will utilize a subcontractor to conduct the Day Care Registration and Inspection services. The program will recommend Registration/and renewal for those individuals satisfactorily completing a FDC initial/renewal application. Program will provide technical assistance to potential and current providers regarding application and regulations. Program will provide regularly scheduled orientation throughout Oneida County. Program will complete an inspection/investigation on registered homes in response to a complaint, request by provider for additional school age children or for failure to meet training requirements. Complete 50% annual random inspections on existing providers. Respond to complaints on non-regulated child care providers. The program includes performance standards for: initial registrations, renewal registration, complaint investigations, safety assessments, inspections, and on-site registration case and management review.

### **Quarterly Standard Performance Level – Initial Registrations/Licenses**

The Contractor will process and resolve initial registration/licensing applications within six (6) months of receipt including providing applicants with all appropriate notifications regarding the status of the applications. The acceptable resolution categories are: approved, withdrawn, and referred to enforcement for denial. The Quarterly Standard Performance Level for initial registrations/licensing for an acceptable level of compliance is 95%. The acceptable level of compliance will be determined by DCCS upon review of quarterly data from CCFS. If at least 95% of the previous quarter's Quarterly Standard Performance Level for initial registrations/licenses is not met, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld.

### **Quarterly Standard Performance Level – Renewals of Registrations/Licenses**

The Contractor will process and resolve completed applications for renewals of registrations/licenses, including providing providers with all appropriate notifications regarding the renewal process, prior to the applicable registration/license lapse date or will initiate enforcement action. The renewals of Family and School- Age Child Care registrations will include a renewal inspection as required by regulation. The Quarterly Standard Performance Level for renewals of registrations/ licenses for an acceptable level of compliance is 95%. The acceptable level of compliance will be determined by DCCS upon review of quarterly data from CCFS. If at least 95% of the previous quarter's Quarterly Standard Performance Level for renewal registrations/licenses is not met, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld.

### **Quarterly Standard Performance Level –Complaint Investigations**

The Contractor will initiate complaint investigations within the required time frames and make determinations on the complaints within 60 days. The Quarterly Standard Performance Level for complaint investigations for an acceptable level of compliance is 95%. The acceptable level of compliance will be determined by DCCS upon review of quarterly data

from CCFS. If at least 95% of the previous quarter's Quarterly Standard Performance Level for complaint investigations is not met, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld.

#### **Quarterly Standard Performance Level – Safety Assessments**

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#### **Quarterly Standard Performance Level – 50% Inspections**

The Contractor will conduct one quarter of the required number of annual 50% inspections for Family Day Care and School Age Child Care programs and complete all required documentation. The Quarterly Standard Performance Level for 50% inspections for an acceptable level of compliance is 90%. The acceptable level of compliance will be determined by DCCS upon review of quarterly data from CCFS. If at least 90% of the Performance Level for 50% inspections is not met at the completion of the four quarters, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld.

#### **Quarterly Standard Performance Level – Mid-Point Requirement**

The Contractor will process and resolve completed reviews of Mid-Point documentation including providing providers with all appropriate notifications regarding the Mid-Point Requirement. The Contractor will conduct Mid-Point inspections for Family Day Care and School Age Child Care programs and complete all required documentation within the required timeframes pursuant to current policy and procedures. The Quarterly Standard Performance Level for the Mid-Point Requirement for an acceptable level of compliance is 95%. The acceptable level of compliance will be determined by DCCS upon review of quarterly data from CCFS. If at least 95% of the Performance Level for Mid-Point inspections is not met each quarter, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld.

#### **Quarterly Standard Performance Level – On-Site Case and Management Review.**

The Contractor will provide appropriate registration, licensing, and monitoring activities, maintain appropriate case files and make appropriate entries into CCFS in the time, manner and form required by the Office. The acceptable level of compliance will be determined by DCCS based on quarterly case files and management reviews. The case review will include a review of a sample of case files regarding initial applications, renewal applications, 50% inspections, complaint investigations and other investigations chosen in accordance with a consistent sampling framework to determine whether: Office policies, procedures, and regulations are applied accurately; required observations are made during inspections and investigations; all applicable entries are made in case files and/or CCFS; proper notifications

is given to providers and parents, where applicable, within the required time frames; each facility has the necessary active fingerprint files and are entered into CCFS upon receipt; inspections are conducted, when appropriate, to verify compliance with any corrective action plans and/or continued regulatory violations; appropriate and timely enforcement referrals are made and appropriate and timely follow-up activities are conducted in accordance with Office policies and directions including cooperating with the Office's Legal Division on enforcement activities and, when determined necessary by the Office, testifying at fair hearings and/or court proceedings and assisting the Office in responding to litigation. The management review will also include a review of other documentation to determine whether: registration staff have participated in training as required by the Office related to the performance of registration/licensing (where licensing applicable) duties and participated in management and supervisory sessions on a regional and Statewide basis, as required; provided technical assistance in regard to the start-up of new programs and compliance with existing programs and information on available training and funding resources applicable to family day care, school-age child care, group family day care programs; and provided parents and the general public with access to information regarding the compliance/complaint history of all regulated providers, as required. The approved quarterly registration/licensing (where licensing applicable) case files and management reviews for an acceptable level of compliance is 90%. If at least 90% of the previous quarter's Quarterly Standard Performance Level for the case files and management review is not met, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld.

#### **Quarterly Standard Performance Level – Approved Staffing Plan**

The Contractor staffing plan, including the percentage of time each staff works on the project, which has been approved by the Office and is maintained during the quarter. In addition, the Office's respective DCCS Regional Office Manager and Local Department of Social Services is to be notified by the Contractor of the registration and inspections coverage plan when the registrar's office is unavailable during regular business hours. In the event of a staff vacancy, the Contractor will be allowed a three-month period from the date the vacancy was created to fill the vacancy and bring staffing back up to the approved level. The Contractor is to provide DCCS and Local Department of Social Services with the names of the staff assigned to register and license day care programs, the percentage of time those staff work on the program. In addition the Office will review the qualifications of those staff members as part of the quarterly case and management review and when otherwise requested by DCCS to determine if the qualifications are reasonable for providing the registration and inspection services. The approved staffing plan for an acceptable level of compliance at the end of each quarter is 100%, with the exception of any vacancies that are less than three months old at the end of the quarter. The acceptable level of compliance will be determined by DCCS based upon the quarterly case and management review. If at least 100% of the previous quarter's Quarterly Standard Performance Level for the approved staffing plan is not met at the end of the quarter, not counting vacancies that are less than three months old at the end of the quarter, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld. However, the amount withheld may not exceed the value of the personnel costs for the unfilled position(s).

Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
County Executive

Lucille A. Soldato  
Commissioner



**ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES**

County Office Building, 800 Park Avenue, Utica, NY 13501  
Phone (315) 798-5733 Fax (315) 798-5218

March 19, 2015

Honorable Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

FN 20 15-172

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Dear Mr. Picente:

**WAYS & MEANS**

I am submitting the following Purchase of Services Agreement for review and approval by the Board of Legislators per Board Resolutions and Local Law #3 of 2001, amending Article VIII, Section 802 of the Administrative Code.

Enclosed is a Purchase of Service Agreement with the Neighborhood Center, Inc. for PINS Detention Diversion, Case Planning. We are confident that they will provide an innovative managed care approach to the children in our community that are in need of these services. This program has been successful in diverting out-of-home placement of the children it serves.

The contract term is January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2017 at a cost of \$ 2,592,844.00. The local cost to support this effort is 27.18% or \$ 704,735.00.

I am respectfully requesting that this matter be forwarded to the Board of Legislators for action. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Lucille A. Soldato  
Commissioner

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attachment

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 4/6/15

3/19/15  
# 18607

Oneida Co. Department Social Services

Competing Proposal   X    
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_

Oneida County Board of Legislators  
Contract Summary

**Name of Proposing Organization:** The Neighborhood Center, Inc.  
293 Genesee Street  
Utica, New York 13501

**Title of Activity or Services:** PINS Detention Diversion, Case Planning

**Proposed Dates of Operations:** January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2017

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** 75 school age children and their families who are at serious risk of Foster Care or Institutional placement through Family Court due to their behavior in school, home or community.

**SUMMARY STATEMENTS**

**1). Narrative Description of Proposed Services**

This program is designed to manage the care of its children, both preventive and aftercare, from the point of entry into the program through resolution of the risk. The services will be provided for up to six months from the time of admission, commencing with a rapid comprehensive assessment and quick identification of needs, with the intention that the family be transitioned to and supported by appropriate established community-based services within that time frame. The services are designed to be flexible and to meet the individual needs of children and their families; agency staff will work in whatever capacity is needed to coordinate individualized 'wrap-around' services for referred families. Program provides 24 hour crisis management service and flexible working hours. All cases will receive a comprehensive assessment with an individualized comprehensive family plan developed in partnership with the child and family. Services to be offered by program staff include but are not limited to, the following: Clinical Service, Case Management, Family Support, Support Groups and Referral with follow-up at any point necessary to any appropriate service. Referrals to other support services, will be individualized, many to be coordinated as a gradual transition, if necessary. The Neighborhood Center will maintain its support until the transition to appropriate community-based service/programs is complete and deemed successful.

**2). Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes -**

Youth involved with this program will demonstrate an increased ability to live within the laws of the community, Family Court directives and parent controls. Families will be engaged in services and assisted in monitoring their children through the development of individualized programs that utilize and coordinate community based services/resources in order to deter further JD/PINS related behavior.

**3). Program Design and Staffing Level -**

**Total Funding Requested:** \$ 2,592,844.00

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** Account #: A6070.49547

**Mandated or Non-mandated;** Preventive mandated service

**Proposed Funding Source (Federal \$ /State \$ / County \$):**

Federal	38.39 %	-	\$ 995,392.81
State	34.43 %	-	\$ 892,716.19
County	27.18 %	-	\$ 704,735.00

**Cost Per Client Served:**

**Past performance Served:** The Department has contracted with this provider since 2011 for these services. The 2014 contract for this service was \$ 865,954.

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** The program has been successful in diverting out-of-home placements.

This program was submitted through the Request for proposal process and The Neighborhood Center, Inc. was awarded the contract. This is a three year contract with yearly costs as follows:

Maximum cost in 2015 - \$	828,608
Maximum cost in 2016 - \$	862,820
Maximum cost in 2017 - \$	<u>901,416</u>
<b>Total three year \$</b>	<b>2,592,844</b>

**THIS IS AN AGREEMENT**, by and between the ONEIDA COUNTY THROUGH ITS DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES (hereinafter called the DEPARTMENT) having its principal office at 800 PARK AVENUE, UTICA, NY 13501 and THE NEIGHBORHOOD CENTER INC. a not-for-profit corporation as defined in Section 102 (a) (5) of the Not-For-Profit Corporation Law (or, a public agency) having its principal office at 293 GENESEE STREET, UTICA, NEW YORK 13501 (hereinafter called the Agency or Contractor).

**WITNESSETH:**

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner of Social Services of the County of ONEIDA (hereinafter called the Commissioner) is charged with the responsibility for the administration of all child welfare services provided in the County of ONEIDA (hereinafter, the County) at public expense pursuant to Article 6 of the Social Services Law including preventive services pursuant to Section 409 et seq of the Social Services Law and the Consolidated Services Plan for New York State, and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner pursuant to Section 409-a.3 of the Social Services Law and 18 NYCRR Section 405.1 may provide such preventive services directly or through an authorized agency as defined in subdivision (a) of Section 371.10 of the Social Services Law, or a not-for-profit corporation as defined in paragraph (5) of subdivision (a) of Section 102 of the Not-for-Profit Corporation Law or a public agency that receives the prior approval of the New York State Department of Social Services; and

**WHEREAS**, the Contractor under the terms of its corporate authority has the power to provide the services required to be performed herein and

or

**WHEREAS**, the public agency has the statutory authority to provide the services required to be performed herein; and

**WHEREAS**, the Department has determined that the amount of funds to be paid to the Contractor is reasonable and necessary to provide quality preventive services in conformance with the Consolidated Services Plan of the County of ONEIDA, Section 409 et seq of the Social Services Law and 18 NYCRR Parts 405 and 423, and

**WHEREAS**, it is economically and organizationally feasible for the Department to contract with the Contractor for the performance of these services.



**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS MUTUALLY AGREED BETWEEN THE DEPARTMENT AND THE CONTRACTOR AS FOLLOWS:**

SECTION I DEFINITIONS

Whenever the following terms are used in this AGREEMENT and schedules attached hereto, they shall have the following meaning unless otherwise clearly noted.

(1) Preventive services shall mean these supportive and rehabilitative services provided to children and their families in accordance with the provisions of 18 NYCRR Part 423 for the purpose of: averting a disruption of a family which will or could result in placement of a child in foster care; enabling a child who has been placed in foster care to return to his family at an earlier time than would otherwise be possible; or reducing the likelihood that a child who has been discharged from foster care would return to such care. The following services, when provided for the above-stated purpose and in conformity with this Part, are considered preventive services.

Mandated preventive services shall mean preventive services provided to a child and his family whom the district is required to serve pursuant to 18 NYCRR Part 430.9. Non-mandated preventive services shall mean preventive services provided to a child and his family who the district may service pursuant to Section 409-a (2) of the Social Services Law. The services, set forth in paragraph (2) through (17) of this AGREEMENT when provided for the above-stated purpose and in conformity with 18 NYCRR Part 423, are considered preventive services.

(2) Case management is defined as the responsibility of the local Department of Social Services to authorize the provision of preventive services, to approve the client eligibility determination according to the criteria of 18 NYCRR Part 423.3 and, to approve in writing, the service plans as defined in 18 NYCRR Part 428.

(3) Case planning is defined as assessing the need for, providing or arranging for, coordinating and evaluating the provision of those preventive services needed by a child and his family to prevent disruption of the family or to help a child in foster care return home sooner. Case planning shall include, but not be limited to, referring such child and his family to other services as needed, including but not limited to, educational counseling and training, vocational diagnosis and training, employment counseling, therapeutic and preventive medical care and treatment, health counseling and health maintenance services, vocational rehabilitation, housing services, speech therapy and legal services. Case planning responsibility shall also include documenting client progress and adherence to the plan by recording in the uniform case record as defined in 18 NYCRR Part 428 and 18 NYCRR Part 430.8 through 430.12 that such services are provided and providing casework contact as defined in paragraph (4) of this AGREEMENT. Case planner shall mean the caseworker assigned case planning responsibility.

(4) Casework contacts is defined as :

(i). Individual or group face-to-face counseling sessions between the case planner and the child and/or the child's parents, relatives or guardians constitutes preventive services for the purpose of guiding the child and/or the child's parents or guardians towards a course of action agreed to by the child and/or the child's parents or guardians as the best method of attaining personal objectives or resolving problems or needs of a social, emotional, developmental or economic nature.

(ii). Individual or group activities with the child and/or the child's parents that are planned for the purposes of achieving such course of action as specified in the child and family's service plan.

(5). Clinical services is defined as assessment, diagnosis, testing, psychotherapy, and specialized therapies provided by a person who has received a master's degree in social work, a licensed psychologist, a licensed psychiatrist or other recognized therapist in human services. Such services shall be separate and distinct from casework contacts as defined in paragraph (4) of this AGREEMENT.

(6). Day Care services as defined in the Consolidated Services Plan of the State Department of Social Services prepared pursuant to Section 34-a of the Social Services Law,

(7). Day services to children as defined in 18 NYCRR Part 425.1 shall mean a program offering a combination of services including at least: social services, psychiatric, psychological, education and/or vocational services and health supervision and also including, as appropriate, recreational and transportation services, for at least 3 but not less than 24 hours a day and at least 4 days per week excluding holidays. If it can be demonstrated that one or more of these services are not needed by the population served, that service may be waived.

(8). Emergency cash or goods is defined as money or the equivalent thereto, food, clothing or other essential items that are provided to a child and his family in an emergency or acute problem situation in order to avert foster care placement.

(9). Emergency shelter is defined as providing or arranging for shelter where a child and his family who are in an emergency or acute problem situation reside in a site other than their own home in order to avert foster care placement.

(10). Family shall be defined solely for the purpose of this Agreement as the child who is at risk of foster care, his parent, or legal guardians, or other caretakers and siblings. Family may include a woman who is pregnant as specified in 18 NYCRR Part 430.9(c)(6). Family may also include a child who does not live with his parents and needs services to prevent return to foster care.

(11). Family planning services as defined in the Consolidated Services Plan of the State Department of Social Services prepared pursuant to Section 34-a of the Social Services Law.

(12). Home management services as defined in the Consolidated Services Plan off the State Department of Social Services prepared pursuant to Section 34-a of the Social Services Law.

(13). Homemaker services as defined in the Consolidated Services Plan of the State Department of Social Services prepared pursuant to Section 34-a of the Social Services Law.

(14). Housekeeper/chore services as defined in the Consolidated Services Plan of the State Department of Social Services prepared pursuant to Section 34-a of the Social Services Law.

(15). Parent Aide Services is defined as those services provided in the home and community that focus on the need of the parent for instruction and guidance and are designed to maintain and enhance parental functioning and family/parent role performance. Techniques may include but not limited to role modeling, listening skills, home management assistance and education in parenting skills and personal coping behavior.

(16). Parent training is defined as group instruction in parent skills development and the developmental needs of the child and adolescent for the purpose of strengthening parental functioning and parent / child relationships in order to avert a disruption in a family or help a child in foster care return home sooner than otherwise possible. Parent training may include child-parent interaction groups formed to enhance relationship and communication skills.

(17). Transportation services is defined as providing or arranging for transportation of the child and/or his family to and/or from services arranged as part of the child's service plan except that transportation may not be provided as a preventive service for visitation of children in foster care with their parents and may only be provided if such transportation cannot be arranged or provided by the child's family.

## SECTION II TERM OF AGREEMENT

(18). The term of this Agreement shall be from JANUARY 1, 2015 through DECEMBER 31, 2017. The option to renew this Agreement under all terms and conditions, including the budget set forth for year three, for two additional terms of one year each, not to exceed December 31, 2019, is at the sole discretion of the Department and notice to the Contractor shall be provided prior to the end of the term of Agreement.

## SECTION III SCOPE OF SERVICES

(19). It is mutually agreed between the DEPARTMENT and the CONTRACTOR that the CONTRACTOR shall furnish preventive services to recipients in accordance with Federal and New York State Laws and Regulations, including 18 NYCRR Parts 404 and 423 and any other standards prescribed by the New York State Department of Social Services. It is mutually agreed that all that follows in this section shall be viewed in the context of this paragraph.

(20). The DEPARTMENT shall be responsible for determining the eligibility of persons for preventive services to be purchased by the DEPARTMENT. The DEPARTMENT shall also be responsible for establishing the policies and procedures for such eligibility determinations in accordance with 18 NYCRR Part 423 and any other standards prescribed by the New York State Department of Social Services.

(21). The DEPARTMENT shall be responsible for case management which shall include authorizing the provision of preventive services, approving client eligibility in accordance with 18 NYCRR Section 423.3 and approving child service plans.

(22). The CONTRACTOR agrees to provide preventive services in accordance with the Program narrative and rates of payment described in Appendix B of this AGREEMENT.

(23). The CONTRACTOR and the DEPARTMENT shall cooperate in the collection and exchange of data to facilitate service planning and to provide required information to the State's Child Care Review Service.

(24). The CONTRACTOR and the DEPARTMENT agree to comply with Section 153 of the Social Services Law which requires all social services districts which purchase preventive services from other authorized agencies to charge any loss of reimbursement pursuant to this section to such agencies to the extent that such loss is attributable to such agencies.

(25). The CONTRACTOR and the DEPARTMENT agree that a determination by the State Department of Social Services to deny reimbursement to the DEPARTMENT for the provision of preventive services for a child, pursuant to Sections 153 and 153-a through 153-k of the Social Services Law, shall not relieve the DEPARTMENT or the CONTRACTOR from which the DEPARTMENT has purchased preventive services, from its statutory or contractual obligations to continue to provide preventive services for the child or other children in its care.

(26). Case Planning, along with casework contacts, shall be provided by the CONTRACTOR in accordance with Appendix B of this AGREEMENT and as required by individual case plans 18 NYCRR Part 428.1 through 428.10.

(27). The CONTRACTOR will review and discuss the service plan with the DEPARTMENT. Any changes in the plan or significant deviation therefrom, shall be submitted in a revised plan to the DEPARTMENT prior to the proposed implementation of the change. The CONTRACTOR shall implement the change upon receipt of written approval by the DEPARTMENT.

(28). The CONTRACTOR agrees to comply with the reporting provision of suspected child abuse or maltreatment as set forth in Article 6 of Title 6 of the Social Services Law.

#### SECTION IV FAIR HEARINGS

(29). The DEPARTMENT shall notify applicants for, or recipients of, care and services of their right to a fair hearing to appeal the denial, reduction or termination of a service, or failure to act upon application within 30 days of application. The DEPARTMENT will also inform applicants for or recipients of preventive services how to file a fair hearing request. Whenever an applicant, or recipient, requests a fair hearing, the State Department of Social Services will provide such a hearing through its regular fair hearing procedures. The DEPARTMENT shall provide the CONTRACTOR with copies of the decision. The CONTRACTOR upon the request of the DEPARTMENT, shall participate in appeals and fair hearings as witnesses for a determination of issues.

#### SECTION V REIMBURSEMENT AND SERVICE FEES

(30). The DEPARTMENT shall reimburse the CONTRACTOR for provision of preventive services in accordance with the claiming procedures and prescribed schedule of fees, if applicable as set forth in Appendix B of this AGREEMENT and in accordance with State and Federal regulations pertaining to reimbursement of preventive services.

#### SECTION VI GENERAL RESPONSIBILITIES OF PARTIES

(31). The governing board of the CONTRACTOR shall exercise oversight of its day to day affairs and programs. The CONTRACTOR shall have the responsibility for day to day provision of preventive services for each child serviced by it in accordance with this AGREEMENT and with appropriate State Department of Social Services Regulations. It is recognized by the parties hereto, however, that ultimate responsibility for the welfare of each child rests with the DEPARTMENT.

(32). The CONTRACTOR will maintain sufficient staff, facilities and equipment, in accordance with the Regulations of the State Department of Social Services in order to provide the services set forth in Appendix B of this AGREEMENT.

(33). The CONTRACTOR agrees to provide the services described in Appendix B of this AGREEMENT at the principal location of:

THE NEIGHBORHOOD CENTER ( PINS DIVERSION PROGRAM),

293 GENESEE STREET, UTICA, NEW YORK 13501;

and agrees to provide the DEPARTMENT written notification of the location(s) of any additional support services that are provided in conjunction with the child service plan, outside of the aforementioned address(s).

(34). The DEPARTMENT agrees to notify the CONTRACTOR with the person assigned to monitoring responsibility for Child Protective Services for the recipients receiving preventive services from the CONTRACTOR.

SECTION VII BOOKS, RECORDS AND REPORTS

(35). The CONTRACTOR will keep accurate records (in conformance with State regulations established for utilization review and uniform case recording) for each public charge receiving services under this AGREEMENT. Each record shall indicate the services provided to the child and his or her family, in addition to other recipients of service involved with the case, including the date such services were provided. The CONTRACTOR shall make such reports to the DEPARTMENT on the current status and progress of each recipient of service at intervals required in the State Department of Social Services Regulations.

(36). All information contained in the CONTRACTOR'S files shall be held confidential by the CONTRACTOR and the DEPARTMENT pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Social Services Law and any State Department Regulations promulgated thereunder, including 18 NYCRR Section 357.5 and 423.7, as well as any applicable Federal Laws and any regulations promulgated thereunder and shall not be disclosed except as authorized by law.

(37). The records of individual recipients of services shall be made available to the DEPARTMENT upon request for consultation or review.

(38). The CONTRACTOR will maintain statistical records as required by the DEPARTMENT and will furnish such data at times prescribed by and on forms supplied by the DEPARTMENT.

(39). The CONTRACTOR agrees to maintain financial books, records and necessary supporting documents as required by the DEPARTMENT. The CONTRACTOR will use accounting procedures and practices which sufficiently and properly reflect all direct and indirect costs of the services provided under this AGREEMENT. The CONTRACTOR agrees to collect statistical data of a fiscal nature on a regular basis and to make fiscal and statistical reports at times prescribed by and on forms furnished by the DEPARTMENT.

(40). The CONTRACTOR agrees to retain all books, records and other documents relevant to this AGREEMENT for six (6) years after final payment for services to which they relate, during which time authorized County, State and/or Federal auditors shall have access to and the right to examine the same.

(41). In addition to Paragraph 37, 38, 39 and 40 of this AGREEMENT, and until the expiration of (6) years after the furnishing of services pursuant to this AGREEMENT or any subcontract made pursuant to this AGREEMENT, the CONTRACTOR and its subcontractor(s), shall make available, upon written request, to the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, or upon request, to the Comptroller General, or any of their duly authorized representatives, this AGREEMENT, and books, documents and records of CONTRACTOR or subcontractor(s) that are necessary to certify the nature and extent of such costs.

SECTION VIII ACCOUNTABILITY

(42). The DEPARTMENT will establish methods to evaluate the provision of preventive services by the CONTRACTOR pursuant to this AGREEMENT. All provisions of this Section shall be interpreted consistent with the New York State Law and applicable regulations. In implementing the foregoing, the CONTRACTOR recognizes that the Commissioner, pursuant to statute, has ultimate responsibility for the protection and preservation of the welfare of all children within his jurisdiction and thus has the duty, ongoing throughout the term of this AGREEMENT, to monitor the CONTRACTOR with regard to the preventive services provided to the children referred hereunder.

(43). The CONTRACTOR agrees that a program and facilities review, as pertains to the delivery of preventive services under this AGREEMENT, including meetings with recipients of service, review of uniform case records, review of service policy and procedural issuances, review of staffing and job description and meetings with staff directly or indirectly involved in the provision of preventive services, may be conducted at any reasonable time by qualified personnel from those local, State and Federal agencies with the required legal powers and statutory authority to conduct such activities.

(44). The DEPARTMENT shall confer with the CONTRACTOR at least twice a year to discuss the CONTRACTOR'S services purchased by the DEPARTMENT. This shall include but not be limited to such items as frequency of contact and planning with the natural family and significant others, scope of Service Plans and of achieving the goals stated therein, and the extent to which special mental health, remedial, tutorial and vocational services were provided after the CONTRACTOR and the DEPARTMENT determined these were necessary. These semi-annual client reviews shall include determination of compliance to contract requirements.

(45). If the CONTRACTOR significantly does not conform to the provisions of this AGREEMENT after due written notice, the DEPARTMENT may take such actions or invoke such sanctions under this AGREEMENT and any appropriate regulations issued by the State Department of Social Services as it deems necessary.

(46). The CONTRACTOR shall not make any subcontract for the performance of this AGREEMENT without prior written approval of the DEPARTMENT. The assignment of this AGREEMENT, in whole or in part, or of any money due or to become due under this AGREEMENT shall be void. It should also be noted that where subcontractors are permitted, they are subject to Federal and State requirements governing purchase of services contracts and the CONTRACTOR is responsible for the performance of any subcontractor.

(47). The CONTRACTOR covenants and agrees that neither it nor any of its directors, officers, members, or employees has any interest, nor shall they acquire any interest, directly or indirectly, which would substantially or adversely conflict in any manner or degree with the CONTRACTOR'S performance of the Services defined in Section III. The CONTRACTOR further

covenants that in the performance of this AGREEMENT, no person having such interest shall be employed. The names and addresses of the members of the Board of Directors of the CONTRACTOR are annexed to this AGREEMENT.

#### SECTION IX COMPLIANCE WITH LAW

(48). The CONTRACTOR represents and agrees to comply with the requirements of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 as amended, the Age Discrimination Employment Act of 1967 as amended, the Federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973 as amended, and Executive Order No.11375 and as supplemented in Department of Labor Relations, 41 CFR, Part 60. The CONTRACTOR also agrees to observe all applicable Federal regulations contained in 45 CFR, Part 84, and 28 CFR, Part 41.

(49). The CONTRACTOR represents and agrees to be bound by the terms and conditions of any attachments, amendments, addendums or appendixes attached hereto and made a part hereof.

#### SECTION X TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT

(50). The CONTRACTOR may be terminated by mutual written agreement of the contracting parties.

(51). The CONTRACT may be terminated by the DEPARTMENT for cause upon the failure of the CONTRACTOR to comply with the terms and conditions of this AGREEMENT, including the attachment thereto, provided that the DEPARTMENT shall give the CONTRACTOR written notice specifying the CONTRACTOR'S failure. Such written notice shall be delivered via registered or certified mail with return receipt requested or shall be delivered by hand with receipt granted by the CONTRACTOR. The CONTRACTOR agrees not to incur new obligations or to claim for any expenses incurred after receipt of the notification of termination.

(52). In addition to the termination provisions set forth in paragraph 51 supra, the DEPARTMENT shall have the right to terminate this AGREEMENT in whole or in part, if at any time CONTRACTOR has failed to comply with any Federal, State or local health, safety or fire code regulations; or in the event that any license, approval or certification of the CONTRACTOR, required by Federal, State or County government is revoked, not renewed, or otherwise not in full force or effect, or in the event that a new such license, approval or certification is required and CONTRACTOR fails to secure it during the term of this AGREEMENT.

(53). When a CONTRACT is to be terminated pursuant to Paragraph 51 and 52 of this AGREEMENT, notice of termination shall be given in writing specifying the reasons for termination and the effective date of termination. The effective date shall not be less than sixty days from the date of notice, unless substantial breach of contract is involved, in which case the effective date shall not be less than thirty days from the date of notice. In any event, the effective date of termination shall not be later than the AGREEMENT expiration date.



(54). Upon termination or upon expiration of the term of this AGREEMENT pursuant to Paragraphs 50, 51, or 52 supra, the DEPARTMENT will arrange for the transfer to another CONTRACTOR of all public charges then served in the CONTRACTOR. In order to reimburse that CONTRACTOR for all public charges not transferred by the effective date of termination, the DEPARTMENT and CONTRACTOR will negotiate an extension of this AGREEMENT prior to the date of termination.

(55). The CONTRACTOR shall comply with all DEPARTMENT close-out procedures, including but not limited to: account for and refund to the CONTRACTOR pursuant to this AGREEMENT; not incur or pay any further obligation to be reimbursed to it under this AGREEMENT beyond the termination date; and transmit to the DEPARTMENT or its designee on written request copies of all books, records, documents and materials pertaining to the financial details of any services provided under the terms of this AGREEMENT.

#### SECTION XI

(56). The DEPARTMENT and the CONTRACTOR agree that the CONTRACTOR is an independent CONTRACTOR and is not in anyway to be deemed an employee of the COUNTY.

(57). The CONTRACTOR agrees that it will at all times defend, indemnify and hold the COUNTY and its officers and employees harmless and free and clear of any and all liability arising from any act of omission or commission by the CONTRACTOR, its officers or employees, with respect to this AGREEMENT and any of the terms thereof.

(58). This CONTRACTOR agrees that payment by the COUNTY will be contingent upon the CONTRACTOR submitting a claim form to THE ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT which has been approved by DEPARTMENT certifying the satisfactory completion of the CONTRACTOR'S performance and setting forth the payment to be made.

(59). This AGREEMENT may not be assigned, transferred or in any way disposed of by the CONTRACTOR without first having obtained written approval thereof from the DEPARTMENT.

(60). The CONTRACTOR warrants that it is not in arrears to the COUNTY upon any debt or contract, and that it has not been in default and is not in default as surety, contractor or otherwise.

(61). CONTRACTOR warrants that it and its services staff, when necessary, have all of the licenses, approvals and certifications currently required by the laws of any applicable municipality. CONTRACTOR further agrees to keep such required documents in full force and effects during the term of this AGREEMENT, or any extension, and to comply within the required time to secure any new license so required.

(62). The terms of this Agreement, including any attachments, amendments,

addendums or appendixes attached hereto, constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties and cancels and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations, understandings or agreements, whether written or oral, with respect to the subject matter of this Agreement. No waiver, alterations or modifications of and provisions of this Agreement shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this agreement on the day and year first above written.

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

Oneida County Executive: \_\_\_\_\_

Anthony J. Picente Jr., Oneida County Executive

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Approved as to Form \_\_\_\_\_

Oneida County Attorney

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

Oneida County Department of Social Services: \_\_\_\_\_

Lucille A. Soldato, Commissioner

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Date: 3/3/15

Agency: The Neighborhood Center Inc.

Authorized Signature: Sandra L Soroka

Print Authorized Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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APPENDIX A

The parties to the attached contract further agree to be bound by the following, which are hereby made a part of said contract.

- I. This contract may not be assigned by the contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or disposed of without the previous consent, in writing, of the State.
- II. This contract shall be deemed executory only to the extent of money available to the State for the performance of the terms hereof and no liability on account thereof shall be incurred by the State of New York beyond moneys available for the purpose thereof.
- III. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by Labor Law, Sections 220 and 220-d, as amended that:
  - (a) no laborer, workman or mechanic, in the employ of the contractor, subcontractor or other person doing or contracting to do the whole or any part of the work contemplated by the contract shall be permitted or required to work more than eight hours in any one calendar day or more than five days in any one week, except in the emergencies set forth in the Labor Law.
  - (b) the wages paid for a legal day's work shall be not less than the prevailing rate of wages as defined by law.
  - (c) The minimum hourly rate of wages to be paid shall not be less than that stated in the specifications, and any redetermination of the prevailing rate of wages after the contract is approved shall be deemed to be incorporated herein by reference as of the effective date of redetermination and shall form a part of these contract documents.
  - (d) The Labor Law provides that the contract may forfeited and no sum paid for any work done thereunder on a second conviction for willfully paying less than—
    - (a) the stipulated wage scale as provided in Labor Law, Section 220, subdivision 3, as amended or
    - (b) less than the stipulated minimum hourly wage scale as provided in Labor Law, Section 220-d, as amended.
- IV. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by the provisions of the Labor Law, Section 220-e, as amended, that:
  - (a) in hiring of employees for the performance of work under this contract or any subcontract hereunder, or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies hereunder, no

- contractor, subcontractor, shall by reason of race, creed, color, sex or national origin discriminate against any citizen of the State of New York who is qualified and available to perform the work to which the employment relates.
- (b) No contractor, subcontractor, nor any person on his behalf shall, in any manner, discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this contract on the account of race, creed, color, sex or national origin.
  - (c) There may be deducted from the amount payable to the contractor by the State under this contract a penalty of five dollars for each person for each calendar day during which such person was discriminated against or intimidated in violation of the provisions of the contract, and
  - (d) This contract may be cancelled or terminated by the State or municipality and all moneys due or to become due hereunder may be forfeited for a second or any subsequent violation of the terms or conditions of this section of the contract, and
  - (e) The aforesaid provisions of this section covering every contract for or on behalf of the State or a municipality for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies shall be limited to operations performed within the territorial limits of the State of New York.
- V. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by Executive Order # 45, dated Jan. 4, 1977, effective February 4, 1977, that:
- (a) The contractor will not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, and will undertake programs of affirmative action to insure that they are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Such action shall be taken with reference, but not limited to: recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgrading, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination, rates of pay or other forms of compensation, and selection for training or retraining, including apprenticeship and on-the-job training.
  - (b) If the contractor is directed to do so by the contracting agency or the Office of State Contract Compliance (hereafter OSCC). The contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers, with which he has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish him with a written statement that such employment agency, labor union or representative will not discriminate because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the

implementation of the contractor's obligations hereunder and the purposes of Executive Order # 45 (1977).

- (c) The contractor will state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, that all qualified applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.
- \*(d) The contractor will comply with all the provisions of Executive Order # 45 (1977) and of rules, regulations and orders issued pursuant thereto and will furnish all information and reports required by said Executive Order or such rules, regulations and orders, and will permit access to its books, records, and accounts and to its premises by the contracting agency or the OSCC for the purposes of ascertaining compliance with said Executive Order and such rules, regulations and orders.
- \*(e) If the contractor does not comply with the equal opportunity provisions of this contract, with Executive Order # 45 (1977), or with such rules, regulations, or orders, this contract or any portion thereof, may be cancelled, terminated or suspended or payments thereon withheld, or the contractor may be declared ineligible for future State or State-assisted contracts, in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order #45 (1977), and such other sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked as are provided in said Executive Order or by rule, regulation or order issued pursuant thereto, or as otherwise provided by law.
- \*(f) The contractor will include the provisions of clauses (a) through (e) above and all contract provisions promulgated by OSCC pursuant to Section 1.3 (b) of Executive Order # 45 (1977), in every non-exempt subcontract or purchase order in such a manner that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor as to its work force within the State of New York. The contractor will take such action in enforcing such provisions of such subcontract or purchase order as the contracting agency or the OSCC may direct, including sanctions or remedies for noncompliance. If the contractor becomes involved in or is threatened with litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction, the contractor shall promptly so notify the Attorney General, requesting him to intervene and protect the interests of the State of New York.

- VI. The contractor will comply with the provisions of Sections 291-299 of the Executive Law and the Civil Rights Law, will furnish all information and reports deemed necessary by the State Division of Human Rights under the Law, and will permit access to its books, records and accounts by the State Industrial Commissioner for the purposes of investigation to ascertain

compliance with the non-discrimination clauses, the Executive Law and Civil Rights Law.

VII. (a) By submission of this bid, each bidder and each person signing on behalf of any bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, under penalty or perjury, that to the best of his knowledge and belief:

1) The prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, consultation, communication or agreement, for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such prices with any other bidder or with any competitor;

2) Unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder, and will not be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor;

3) No attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition.

(b) A bid shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made where (a) (1) (2) and (3) above have not been complied with provided, however, that if in any case the bidder cannot make the foregoing certification, the bidder shall so state and shall furnish with the bid a signed statement which sets forth in detail the reasons therefor. Where (a) (1) (2) and (3) above have not been complied with, the bid shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made unless the head of the purchasing unit of the State, public department or agency to which the bid is made, or his designee, determines that such disclosure was not made for the purpose of restricting competition.

The fact that bidder (a) has published price lists, rates, or tariffs covering items being procured, (b) has informed prospective customers of proposed or pending publication of new or revised price lists for such items, or (c) has sold the same items to other customers at the same prices being bid, does not constitute, without more a disclosure within the meaning of sub-paragraph VII (a)

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**\*\*Note:** Reference to the above Rules and Regulations refer to those Rules and Regulations in effect as of the date of the solicitation of bids relative to this contract.

APPENDIX B  
PURCHASE of SERVICES SPECIFICATION for ONEIDA COUNTY.

Detention Diversion Case Planning Services (PINS Diversion) Program  
with  
The Neighborhood Center, Inc.

Oneida County Department of Social Services agrees to contract with The Neighborhood Center, Inc. to provide preventive services identified as Detention Diversion Case Planning and case worker contacts as defined in the contract.

The County of Oneida Department of Social Services is in need of services for PINS (person in need of supervision) Detention Diversion Case Planning Service. The Contractor must handle 75 children and their families who are at serious risk of Foster Care or Institutional placement through Family Court due to their behavior in school, home or community at any given time. Contractor possess expertise in working with PINS (Person in Need of Supervision) and JD (juvenile delinquent) individuals and have a thorough understanding of the Social Services PINS Diversion System, Juvenile Delinquent Court System as well as resources in the community.

This program should be designed to manage the care of children, both preventive and aftercare, from the point of entry into the program through resolution of the risk. Children and families will be able to access this program at whatever point they are in the system. The services will be provided for six to eighteen months from the time of admission, commencing with a rapid comprehensive assessment and quick identification of needs, with the intention that the family be transitioned to and supported by appropriate established community-based services within that time frame. Services are designed to be flexible and to meet the individual needs of children and their families; agency staff will work in whatever capacity is needed to coordinate individualized "wrap-around" services for referred families. Program provides 24 hour crisis management services and flexible working hours. Program should be designed to be a no refusal program that will accept all referrals with adequate referral information within one business day. In the event that no openings exist at the time of the referral, a prioritized waiting list will be established based upon immediacy of need. All cases will receive a comprehensive assessment with an individualized comprehensive family plan that meets the needs of all family members developed in partnership with the child and family within seven days of admission. Services need to be offered by program staff include but are not limited to the following: Clinical Service, Case Management, Family Support, Support Groups and Referral with follow-up at any point necessary to any appropriate service. Referrals to other support services, will be individualized, many to be coordinated as a gradual transition if necessary.

Objectives:

- To implement and develop individual programs that will provide the Family Court with a effective system for therapeutic remediation for juvenile delinquents and PINS and their families;
- To serve effectively up to a maximum caseload of 75 families. These families would have youth who are:
  - Court directed (PINS), directed into the Agency's PINS Diversion Program for 6 to 18 month period prior to prevent Institutional placement and;
  - Involved in the Prevention of Family Court involvement and foster care/institutional placement,
- To redirect patterns of incipient delinquent behaviors through the development of individualized programs which utilize and coordinate a wide variety of community resources such as schools, vocation , recreational and artistic programs, health and mental health program;
- To maintain and strengthen each client's family unit whenever possible;
- To provide follow-up planning and support services; and
- To reduce and/or divert the number of institutional placements in Oneida County.

#### Intake/Referral Procedures

- Eligibility- The Department is responsible for determining eligibility for preventive services and authorization of services via required service application and WMS Authorization
- The Contractor will accept referrals from the Departments' PINS/Preventive Worker, and through the Committee on Alternate Placement (CAP) & (V-CAP). In the event that the County's PINS Diversion System changes, the referral system would likewise vary.
- The Contractor will participate in the CAP meetings. Upon referral the Contractor will make contact with the family and school within 2 days. The Contractor will participate in the CAP Meeting. Upon referral the Contractor will obtain an application for Preventive Services for the Department in those cases in which a service case is not already opened.
- Clients seeking services to prevent involvement in Family Court would participate in intensive individual and family work for 6 to 18 months. Caseworker contacts will occur normal business hours and non-traditional hours as follows:
  - (1) Weekend visitation with the child without the family being present at least once per month,
  - (2) Weekly visitation with the child and the family,
  - (3) Weekly meetings with the therapist involved in the treatment of the child and family if applicable.
- Visitation is in addition to any group recreational activities that the child may be involved in, in addition transportation will be provided by the Contractor to and from school in the case of suspected or verified truancy.
- The Contractor will be allowed flexibility in treatment plans to determine the most



appropriate/effective services for each family and to try a variety of approaches if the schedule of visitation listed above does not meet the needs of the child or family.

- An Amendment to the Case Plan must be submitted and approved by the Departments designated Case Manager for PINS Diversion if schedule of visitation will not be followed.
- The Contractor shall determine whether the services provided by them are appropriate to meet the needs of the child being referred, and will develop a service plan using the Uniform Case Record, per the Service Plan Review Standards. The Contractor will maintain casework contacts as required by State Department of Social Services.
- To assess the needs of all family members and provide services to individual children as needed tracking them in Connections/Child Care Review Services system and indicating services and progress in progress notes and Uniform Case Record UCR.
- The Contractor will complete Progress notes contemporaneously the event and ensure that these are given to the Case Manager or Supervisor no later than 2 weeks after contact. The Contractor will copy any material, they need at their site. The Contractor will provide training and supervision in the preparation of case progress notes.
- The Department will provide case management functions to include monitoring of CPS cases, responsibility for submission of Connections/Child Care Review Services information, approval of the service plan, and Utilization Review procedures. In the event of conflict regarding a service plan, the Department of Social Services Caseworker should be contacted to resolve the issue. The final responsibility for Child Protective cases must rest with Child Protective Services.
- The Contractor shall provide emergency services to the clients, and handle their caseload regardless of temporary vacancies,
- The Contractor shall adhere to the case policies, procedures and protocols as set forth by the Department of Social Services,
- The Contractor understands that it is a mandated reporting source for child abuse and neglect, and agree that as mandated reporter, they will report all instances of suspected child abuse, neglect, and/or maltreatment to the Central Registry as required by law. Reports to the Registry will be followed by submission of a completed 2221A to the local Department of Social Services.
- In any event of home visitation, representatives of your agency observe negative living conditions in the residences and to report these conditions to the responsible codes Department for the municipality in which they are located or to the Department of state if Municipality has no code enforcement agency each representative will be required to have a checklist and will complete the checklist after making visual inspections and will also report any gross deviations from normal living standards not included on the checklist.
- The Contractor agrees to arrange or provide transportation for clients for the following situations, but not limited to these situations;
  - Medical Appointments
  - Visitations
  - Counseling appointments

- Shopping, and Contacts with other Agencies to improve housing
- Pre-Placement Visits, if necessary.
- to the Department for Departmental business.
- The Contractor agrees to provide a final Programmatic report of the Program, and a fiscal reconciliation upon presentation of a final billing for the Program. The Contractor will provide a quarterly Contract Report every 3 months.
- The Contractor agrees that the Case Planners Diversionary Counselors shall hold the qualifications of an Oneida County Caseworker.
- The Contractor agrees to prepare and provide the department any and all monthly reports required by the County and State Governments.
- The Contractor shall furnish preventive services to recipients in accordance with Federal and New York State Laws and Regulations, including 18 NYCRR Parts 404 and 423 and any other standards prescribed by the New York State Department of Social Services. It is mutually agreed that all that follows in this section shall be viewed in the context of this paragraph.
- The Department of Social Services shall be responsible for determining the eligibility of persons for preventive services of children to be purchased by the Department. The Department of Social Services shall also be responsible for establishing the policies and procedures for such eligibility determinations in accordance with 18 NYCRR Part 423 and any other standards prescribed by the New York State Department of Social Services.
- The Department of Social Services shall be responsible for case management which shall include authorizing the provision of preventive services approving client eligibility in accordance with 18 NYCRR Section 423.3 and approving child service plans.
- The Contractor and the Department of Social Services shall cooperate in the collection and exchange of data to facilitate service planning and to provide required information to the State's Child Care Review Service/Connections.
- The Contractor will review and discuss the service plan with the Department of Social Services, Any changes in the plan or significant deviation there from, shall be submitted in a revised plan to the Department of Social Services prior to the proposed implementation of the change. The Contractor shall implement the change upon receipt of written approval by the Department of Social Services.
- The Contractor agrees to comply with the reporting provision of suspected child abuse or maltreatment as set forth in Article 6 of Title 6 of the Social Services Law.
- Whenever an applicant, or recipient, requests a fair hearing, the State Department of Social Services will provide such a hearing through its regular fair hearing procedures. The Department of Social Services shall provide the Contractor with copies of the decision. The Contractor upon the request of the Department of Social Services, shall participate in appeals and fair hearings as witnesses for a determination of issues.

Outcome/Measurements for the Detention Diversion Case Planning (PINS Diversion) Program

Outcome:

- Youth involved with this program will demonstrate an increased ability to live within the laws of the community, family court directives and parent controls.

Performance:

- Families will be engaged in services and assisted in monitoring their children through the development of individualized programs that utilize and coordinate community based services/resources such as educational support, advocacy and referral, health and mental services, recreational and vocational programs and casework counseling in order to deter further JD/PINS (juvenile delinquent/person in need of supervision) related behavior.

Measurement:

- 70% of the youth referred to the program will not present to Family Court as a result of a violation of a current court order within a 12 month period following termination of services.
- 70% of the youth referred to the program will continue to successfully reside in their homes for at least a 12 month period following termination of the diversion services.

Program Policies and Protocols are subject to change throughout the program year.

The Contractor will devise a Program Evaluation which shall be established upon agreement by the Department.

The Contractor agrees to provide a final programmatic report of the program, and a fiscal reconciliation upon presentation of a final billing for the program. The Contractor will provide a quarterly contract report every 3 months.

The Contractor shall complete a Contract Staffing Report upon completion of a fully executed Agreement. The Contractor agrees to complete a Contract Staff Vacancy Report upon any changes.

The Contractor agrees that the Case Planners Diversionary Counselors shall hold the qualifications of an Oneida County Caseworker, or in some cases they may be experienced qualified family care workers as determined by Contractor.

The Contractor agrees to submit a listing of the Board of Directors at least annual and to notify the Department of changes in the Board of Directors during the term of the Contract.

It is further understood that this program is expense driven and the total cost of services to be provided per year are as follows, year one January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015 not to exceed \$828,608.00, year two January 1, 2016 through December 31, 2016 not to exceed \$862,820 and year three January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017 not to exceed

\$901,416 as outlined in the attached budgets. The full term of this Agreement shall be from JANUARY 1, 2015 through DECEMBER 31, 2017. The option to renew this Agreement under all terms and conditions including budget set forth for year three, for an additional two, one year renewals not to exceed December 31, 2019 is at the sole discretion of the Department and notice to the Contractor shall be provided prior to the end of the term of Agreement.

The Contractor will bill monthly on vouchers with Contract number and Name provided by the Department. The vouchers will have attached:

1. Statement of monthly expenditures by category
2. Staff wages by name
3. (2) copies of "Composite Billing for Preventive Services", with Case Number, Case Manager's name, and other data as required.
4. (1) copy for each case of "Itemized Individual Billing for Preventive Services" with Case number Case Manager's name, and Case Comments.
5. Other data which shall be mutually agreed upon.

The Contractor agrees to prepare and provide the department any and all monthly reports required by the County and State Governments.

Financial and statistical records shall be subject at all reasonable times to inspection, review or audit by authorized County, State and / or federal personnel. Agency financial records for the contracted program must be completed and available to the Department of Social services fiscal staff for review and Audit upon request.

The contractor agrees that the equipment purchased under this contract is the property of the department and shall revert to the Department upon any termination or failure to renew the contract.

The Agreement can be terminated with a 30 day written notice by either party.

Neighborhood Center, Inc.  
 Detention Diversion Case Planning (PINS Diversion Program)  
 Year One (January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2015)  
 Year Two (January 1, 2016 – December 31, 2016)  
 Year Three (January 1, 2017 – December 31, 2017)

	Year One	Year Two	Year Three
Salaries	\$ 490,142	\$ 504,846	\$ 519,992
Fringe Benefits	\$ 147,043	\$ 161,551	\$ 176,797
Personal Service Contracts	\$ 17,003	\$ 17,003	\$ 17,003
<b>Total Personnel Services</b>	<b>\$654,188</b>	<b>\$ 683,400</b>	<b>\$ 713,792</b>
Supplies	\$ 8,750	\$ 8,750	\$ 8,750
Travel/Conference	\$ 39,998	\$ 41,998	\$ 44,098
Miscellaneous:			
Telecommunications – Land Line	\$ 7,563	\$ 8,319	\$ 9,151
Utilities	\$ 9,072	\$ 9,979	\$ 10,977
Repairs & Maintenance	\$ 1,775	\$ 1,864	\$ 1,957
Buildings & Grounds Maintenance	\$ 3,021	\$ 3,172	\$ 3,331
Insurance – Property	\$ 284	\$ 298	\$ 313
Vehicle Insurance	\$ 1,498	\$ 1,573	\$ 1,652
Vehicle Maintenance	\$ 920	\$ 966	\$ 1,014
Depreciation: Building & Land	\$ 7,007	\$ 7,357	\$ 7,725
Dues	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,500
Training	\$ 3,300	\$ 3,300	\$ 3,300
Service Dollars – Clients needs	\$ 9,375	\$ 9,375	\$ 9,375
A & OH @ 10.63%	<u>\$ 75,357</u>	<u>\$78,469</u>	<u>\$ 81,981</u>
Total Miscellaneous Expenses	<u>\$120,672</u>	<u>\$126,172</u>	<u>\$132,276</u>
<b>Total General Operating</b>	<b>\$ 169,420</b>	<b>\$176,920</b>	<b>\$185,124</b>
Equipment Purch/Rental	\$ 5,000	\$ 2,500	\$ 2,500
Equipment Maintenance	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>
<b>Total Equipment Cost</b>	<b>\$ 5,000</b>	<b>\$ 2,500</b>	<b>\$ 2,500</b>
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 828,608</b>	<b>\$ 862,820</b>	<b>\$ 901,416</b>

## APPENDIX C

### STANDARD CLAUSES FOR ALL ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES CONTRACTS

#### Personnel

- a. The Contractor agrees to be solely responsible for the recruitment, hiring, provision of employment benefits, payment of salaries and management of its project personnel. These functions shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of this AGREEMENT, and all applicable Federal, State and County laws and regulations.
- b. It is the policy of the Department to encourage the employment of qualified applicants for, or recipients of public assistance by both public organization and private enterprises who are under contractual AGREEMENT to the Department for the provision of goods and services. Contractors will be expected to make best efforts in this area.
- c. The Contractor agrees to identify, in writing, the person(s) who will be responsible for directing the work to be done under this AGREEMENT. No change or substitution of such responsible person(s) will be made without prior approval in writing from the Department, to the degree that such change is within the reasonable control of the Contractor.

#### Notices

- a. All notices permitted or required hereunder shall be in writing and shall be transmitted either by:
  - a. By certified or registered United States mail, return receipt requested;
  - b. By Facsimile transmission;
  - c. By personal delivery;
  - d. By expedited delivery service; or
  - e. By e-mail

Notices to the Department shall be addressed to the Commissioner of Social Services at the Address, Telephone Number, Facsimile Number or E-mail Address provided to the Contractor during contract development, or to such different Program Manager as the Department may for time-to-time designate.

- b. Any such notice shall be deemed to have been given either at the time of personal delivery or, in the case of expedited delivery service or certified or register United States mail, as of the date of first attempted delivery at the address and in the manner provided herein, or in the case of facsimile transmission or email, upon receipt.

- c. The parties may, from time to time, specify any new or different address in the United States as their address for purpose of receiving notice under this Agreement by giving fifteen (15) days written notice to the other party sent in accordance herewith. The Parties agree to mutually designate individuals as their respective representatives for the purposes of implementation and administration/billing, resolving issues and problems and/or for dispute resolution.

#### Office Services

- a. The contractor shall be responsible for the provision of necessary equipment and services for Contractor's staff, pursuant to and described in the narratives and budgets contained in the AGREEMENT.
- b. For Federally funded contracts, title to real property and non-expendable personal property whose requisition cost is borne in whole or in part by monies proved under this AGREEMENT shall be determined between the Contractor and the Department, pursuant to Federal regulations 45 CFR 92 unless such authority is otherwise inappropriate. Title to all equipment, supplies and material purchased with funds under this AGREEMENT under contracts which are not Federally funded shall be in the State of New York and the property shall not be transferred, conveyed, or disposed of without written approval of the Department. Upon expiration or termination of this Agreement, all property purchased with funds under this Agreement shall be returned to the Department, unless the Department has given direction for, or approval of, an alternative means of disposition in writing.
- c. Upon written direction by the Department, the Contractor shall maintain an inventory of those properties that are subject to the provisions of sub-paragraph b of this section

#### GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- a. The contractor agrees to comply in all respects with the provisions of this AGREEMENT and the attachments hereto. The Contractor specifically agrees to perform services according to the objectives, tasks, work plan and staffing plan contained in the AGREEMENT. Any modifications to the tasks or work plan contained in AGREEMENT must be mutually agreed to by both parties in writing before the additional or modified tasks or work plan shall commence.
- b. If any specific event or conjunction of circumstances threatens the successful completion of the project, in whole or in part, including where relevant, timely completion of milestones, the Contractor agrees to submit to the Department within three days of occurrence or perception of such problem, a written description thereof together with a recommended solution thereto.

- c. The Contractor immediately shall notify in writing the Department Program Manager assigned to this contract of any unusual incident, occurrence or event that involves the staff, volunteers or officers of the Contractor, and subcontractor or Program participant funded through this contract, including but not limited to the following: death or serious injury; an arrest or possible criminal activity; and destruction of property; significant damage to the physical plant of the Contractor, or other matters of a similarly serious nature.
- d. In providing these services, the Contractor hereby agrees to be responsible for designing and operating these services, and otherwise performing, so as to maximize Federal financial participation to the Department under the Federal Social Security Act.
- e. If funds from this contract will be used to pay any costs associated with the provision of legal services of any sort, the following shall apply;
- No litigation shall be brought against the State of New York, the New York State Office of Children and Family Services, or against Oneida County or the Department or other local government or local social services district with funds provided under this contract. The term "litigation" shall include commencing or threatening to commence a lawsuit joining or threatening to join as a party to ongoing litigation, or requesting any relief from either the State of New York, the New York State Office of Children and Family Services or Oneida County or other local government or local social services district, based upon any agreement between such agency in litigation with another party and such party, during pendency of the litigation.
  - Opinions prepared by consultant law firms construing the statutes of Constitution of the State of New York do not constitute the view of the State unless the prior written approval of the Attorney General is obtained. Requests for said approval shall be submitted to the Solicitor General, Division of the appeals and Opinions Bureau, department of Law, The Capital, Albany, New York 12224
  - The Contractor shall provide to the Department in a format provided by the Department such additional information concerning the provision of legal services as the Department shall require.
- f. The Department will designate a contract Manager who shall have authority relating to the technical services and operational functions of this AGREEMENT and activities completed or contemplated there under. The Contract Manager and those individuals designated by him/her in writing shall have the prerogative to make announced or unannounced on-site visits to the project. Project reports and issues of interpretation or direction relating to this AGREEMENT shall be directed to the Contract Manager.



- g. Except where the Department otherwise authorizes or directs in writing, the Contractor agrees not to enter into any subcontracts, or revisions to subcontracts, for the performance of the obligations contained herein until it has received the prior written approval of the Department, which shall have the right to review and approve each and every subcontract prior to giving written approval to the contractor to enter into the subcontract. All AGREEMENTS between the Contractor and subcontractors shall be by written contract, signed by individuals authorized to bind the parties. All such subcontracts shall contain provisions for specifying (1) that the work performed by the subcontractor must be in accordance with the terms of this AGREEMENT (2) that nothing contained in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the Department under this AGREEMENT, (3) that nothing contained in the subcontract, nor under this AGREEMENT, shall be deemed to create any contractual relationship between the subcontractor and the Department, and (4) incorporating all provisions regarding the rights of the Department as set forth in Agreement, where applicable. The Contractor specifically agrees that the Contractor shall be fully responsible to the Department for the acts and omissions of subcontractors and of persons either directly or indirectly employed by them, as it is for the acts and omissions of persons directly employed by the Contractor.
- h. The Contractor warrants that it, its staff and any and all Subcontractors which must be approved by the Department, have all the necessary licenses, approvals and certifications currently required by the law of any applicable local, state or federal government to perform the services pursuant to this AGREEMENT and/or subcontract entered into under this AGREEMENT. The contractor further agrees such required licenses, approvals and certificates will be kept in full force and effect during the term of this Agreement, and/or any extension thereof, and to secure any new licenses, approvals or certificates within the required time frames and/or to require its staff and Subcontractors to obtain and requisite licenses, approvals or certificates. In the event the contractor, its staff, and/or Subcontractors are notified of a denial or revocation of any license, approval or certification to perform the services under the AGREEMENT, Contractor will immediately notify the Department.
- i. This Agreement cannot be assigned by the Contractor to a subcontractor without obtaining written approval of the Department. Prior to executing a subcontract agreement the Contractor agrees to provide the Department the information the Department needs to determine whether a proposed Subcontractor is a responsible vendor. The Determination of Vendor responsibility will be made in accordance with Section n. of General Terms and Conditions
- j. If the Contractor intends to use materials, equipment or personnel paid for under this contract in a revenue generating activity, the Contractor shall report such intentions to the Department forthwith and shall be subject to the direction of the Department as to the disposition of such revenue.

- k. Any interest accrued on funds paid to the Contractor by the Department shall be deemed to be the property of the Department and shall either be credited to the Department at the termination of this AGREEMENT or expended on additional services provided for under this AGREEMENT.
- l. The Contractor ensures that the grounds, structures, building and furnishings at the program site(s) used under this AGREEMENT are maintained in good repair and free from any danger to health or safety and that any building or structure used for program services complies with all applicable zoning, building, health, sanitary, and fire codes.
- m. The Contractor agrees to produce, and retain for the balance of the calendar year in which produced, and for a period of six years thereafter, any and all records necessary to substantiate upon audit, the proper deposit and expenditure of funds received under this contract. Such records shall include, but not be limited to, original books of entry (e.g., cash disbursements and cash receipts journal), and the following specific records (as applicable) to substantiate the types of expenditures noted:
  - a) Payroll Expenditures: cancelled checks and the related bank statements, time and attendance records, payroll journals, employee personal history folders, and cost allocation plans, if applicable.
  - b) Payroll Taxes and Fringe Benefits: cancelled checks, copies of related bank statements, reporting forms, and invoices for Fringe Benefit expenses.
  - c) Non-Personal Services Expenditures: original invoices/receipts, cancelled checks and related bank statements, consultant agreements, leases, and cost allocation plans, if applicable.
  - d) Receipt and Deposit of Advance and Reimbursements: Itemized bank stamped deposit slips, and a copy of the related bank statements.
  - e) The Contractor agrees that any equipment purchased with funds under this agreement is the property of the Department and will remain with or will be returned to the Department in the event of the termination of this Agreement,

Although not required, the Department recommends that the Contractor retain records directly pertinent to this contract for a period of ten (10) years after the end of the calendar year in which they were made, as the statute of limitations for the New York False Claims Act is ten years.

- n. By signing this contract, the Contractor certifies that within the past three years the Contractor has engaged in no actions that would establish a basis for a finding by the Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor or, if the Contractor has engaged in any such action or actions, that all such actions have been disclosed to the Department prior to entering into this Contract. The actions that would potentially establish a basis for a finding by Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor include:

- The Contractor has had a license or contract suspended, revoked or terminated by a governmental agency.
- The Contractor has had a claim, lien, fine, or penalty imposed or secured against the Contractor by a governmental agency.
- The Contractor has initiated a bankruptcy proceeding or such a proceeding has been initiated against the Contractor
- The Contractor has been issued a citation, notice, or violation order by a governmental agency finding the Contractor to be in violation of any local, state, or federal laws.
- The Contractor has been advised by a governmental agency that a determination to issue a citation, notice or violation order finding the Contractor to be in violation of any local, state or federal laws is pending before a governmental agency
- The contractor has not paid all due and owed local, state and federal taxes to the proper authorities
- The contractor has engaged in any other actions of a similarly serious nature.

Where the Contractor has disclosed any of the above to the Department, Department may require as a condition precedent to entering into the contract that the Contractor agree to such additional conditions as will be necessary to satisfy the Department that the vendor is and will remain a responsible vendor. By signing this contract, the Contractor agrees to comply with any such additional conditions that have been made a part of this contract.

By signing this contract, the contractor also agrees that during the term of the contract, the Contractor will promptly notify the Department if the Contractor engages in any actions that would establish a basis for a finding by Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor, as described above.

- o. By signing this contract, the contractor agrees to comply with State Tax Law section 5-a
- p. Contractors must maintain Workers Compensation Insurance in accordance with the Workers Compensation Law. If a contractor believes they are exempt from the Workers Compensation insurance requirement then they must apply for an exemption. Contractors can apply for the exemption online through the New York State Workers Compensation Board website at:  
[http://www.wcb.state.ny.us/content/ebiz/wc\\_db\\_exemptions/wc\\_db\\_exemptions.jsp](http://www.wcb.state.ny.us/content/ebiz/wc_db_exemptions/wc_db_exemptions.jsp)
- q. All organizations that receive Federal financial assistance under social service programs are prohibited from discriminating against beneficiaries or prospective beneficiaries of the social service programs on the basis of religion or religious belief. Accordingly, organizations, in providing services supported in whole or in part with Federal financial assistance, and in their outreach activities related to such services, are not allowed to discriminate against current or prospective program beneficiaries on the basis of

religion, a religious belief, a refusal to hold a religious belief, or a refusal to attend or participate in a religious practice.

Organizations that engage in explicitly religious activities (including activities that involve overt religious content such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization) must perform such activities and offer such services outside of programs that are supported with direct Federal financial assistance (including through prime awards or sub-awards), separately in time or location from any such programs or services supported with direct Federal financial assistance, and participation in any such explicitly religious activities must be voluntary for the beneficiaries of the social service program supported with such Federal financial assistance

## REPORTS AND DELIVERABLES

The Contractor shall prepare and submit all reports, documents, and projects required by this AGREEMENT to the Office's Contract Manager for review and approval. These reports shall be in such substance, form, and frequency as required by the Department and as necessary to meet State, Federal and County requirements.

The Contractor shall complete Contract Evaluations as required by the Department as well as Statistical Data as needed by the Department and New York State to meet the reporting requirements.

## CONFIDENTIALITY AND PROTECTION ON HUMAN SUBJECTS

- a. The Contractor agrees to safeguard the confidentiality of financial and/or client information relating to individuals and their families who may receive services in the course of this project. The Contractor shall maintain the confidentiality of all such financial and/or client information with regard to services provided under this AGREEMENT in conformity with the provisions of applicable State, Federal, and County laws and regulations. Any breach of confidentiality by the Contractor, its agents or representatives shall be cause for immediate termination of this AGREEMENT.
- b. Any contractor who will provide goods and/or services to a residential facility or program operated by Department agrees to require all of its employees and volunteers who will have the potential for regular and substantial contact with youth in the care or custody of the Department to sign an Employee Confidentiality Certification and employee Background Certification before any such employees and volunteers are permitted access to youth in the care or custody of the Department and/or any financial and/or client identifiable information concerning such youth. Additionally, Department will require a database check of the State wide Central Register of Child Abuse and Maltreatment (SCR) of each employee and volunteer of the Contractor who has the potential for regular and substantial contract with children in the care or custody of the

Department. Any other Contractor whose employees and volunteers will have access to financial and/or client identifiable information concerning youth in the care or custody of Department agrees to require all such employees and volunteers to sign a Employee Confidentiality Certification before any such employees and volunteers are permitted access to any financial and/or client identifiable information concerning such youth.

- c. Contractor and any subsequent sub-contractor shall not discriminate or refuse assistance to individuals with AIDS or an HIV infection or an HIV - related illness.

The Contractor and any subsequent sub-contractor agrees that their staff to whom confidential HIV - related information may be given as a necessity for providing services and in accordance with 403 of Title 18 NYSDSS regulation and Section 2782 of the Public Health Law are fully informed of the penalties and fines for redisclosure in violations of State Law and Regulations.

The Contractor and any subsequent sub-contractor must include the following written statement when disclosing any confidential HIV - related information.

"This information has been disclosed to you from confidential records which are protected by State Law. State Law prohibits you from making any further disclosure of this information without the specific written consent of the person to whom it pertains, or as otherwise permitted by law. Any unauthorized further disclosure in violation of State Law may result in a fine or jail sentence or both. A general authorization for the release of medical or other information is not sufficient authorization for further disclosure."

- d. All information contained in the Contractors, or it's sub-contractor's files shall be held confidential pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Social Services Law and any State Department Regulations promulgated thereunder, including 18 NY CRR Sec. 357.5 and 423.7, as well as any applicable Federal Laws and any regulations promulgated thereunder and shall not be disclosed except as authorized by law.
- e. The Contractor and all Contract Staff that are subject to the Oneida County computer systems/databases shall complete the Oneida County Department of Social Services Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement provided with this agreement and shall submit forms to the following address:

Oneida County Department of Social Services  
Contract Administration Office, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
800 Park Ave  
Utica, New York, 13501

## PUBLICATIONS AND COPYRIGHTS

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- a. The results of any activity supported under this AGREEMENT may not be published without prior written approval of the Department, which results (1) shall acknowledge the support of the Department and the County and, if funded with Federal funds, the applicable federal funding agency, and (2) shall state that the opinions, results, findings and/or interpretations of data contained therein are the responsibility of the Contractor and do not necessarily represent the opinions, interpretation or policy of the Department or Oneida County.
- b. The Department and Oneida County expressly reserve the right to a royalty-free, non-exclusive and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish, distribute or otherwise use, in perpetuity, any and all copyrighted or copyrightable material resulting from this AGREEMENT or activity supported by this AGREEMENT. All publications by the Contractor covered by this AGREEMENT shall expressly acknowledge the Department's right to such license.
- c. All of the license rights so reserved to the Department and Oneida County under this paragraph are equally reserved to the United States Department of Health and Human Services and subject to the provisions on copyrights contained in 45 CFR 92 if the AGREEMENT is federally funded
- d. The Contractor agrees that at the completion of any scientific or statistical study, report or analysis prepared pursuant to this AGREEMENT, it will provide to the Department at no additional cost a copy of any and all data supporting the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis, together with the name(s) and business address(es) of the principal(s) producing the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis. The Contractor agrees and acknowledges the right of the Department, subject to applicable confidentiality restrictions, to release the name(s) and business address(es) producing the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis, together with a copy of the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis and all data supporting the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis.

#### PATENTS AND INVENTIONS

The Contractor agrees that any all inventions, conceived or first actually reduced to practice in the course of, or under this AGREEMENT, or with monies supplied pursuant to this AGREEMENT, shall be promptly and fully reported to the DEPARTMENT. Determination as to ownership and/or disposition of rights to such inventions, including whether a patent application shall be filed, and if so, the manner of obtaining, administering and disposing of rights under any patent application or patent which may be issued, shall be made pursuant to all applicable law and regulations.

#### TERMINATION

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- a. This AGREEMENT may be terminated by the DEPARTMENT upon thirty (30) days prior written notice to the Contractor. Such notice is to be made by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested or hand delivered with receipt granted by the Contractor. The date of such notice shall be deemed to be the date the notice is received by the contractor established by the receipt returned, if delivery by registered or certified mail, or by the receipt granted by the Contractor, if the notice is delivered by hand. The Department agrees to pay the Contractor for reasonable and appropriate expenses incurred in good faith before the date of termination of this AGREEMENT.
- b. If the Contractor fails to use any real property or equipment purchased pursuant to this AGREEMENT or the Contractor ceases to provide the services specified in the AGREEMENT for which the equipment was purchased, the Department may terminate this AGREEMENT upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor, where the Contractor has failed to cure as set forth hereafter, Said notice of breach and shall be sent by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested, or shall be delivered by hand, receiving Contractor's receipt therefore. Said notice shall specify the Contractor's breach and shall demand that such breach be cured. Upon failure of the Contractor to comply with such demand within thirty (30) days, or such longer period as may be specified therein, the Department may, upon written notice similarly served, immediately terminate this AGREEMENT, termination to be effective upon the date of receipt of such notice established by the receipt returned to the Department. Upon such termination, the Department may require (a) the repayment to the Department of any monies previously paid to the Contractor, or (b) return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of this AGREEMENT or an appropriate combination of (a) and (b), at the Department's option.
- c. To the extent permitted by law, this AGREEMENT shall be deemed in the sole discretion of the Department terminated immediately upon the filing of a petition in bankruptcy or insolvency, by or against the Contractor. Such termination shall be immediate and complete, without termination costs or further obligation by the Department to the Contractor
- d. Should the Department determine that Federal, State or County funds are limited or become unavailable for any reason, the Department may reduce that total amount of funds payable to the Contractor, reduce the contract period or deem this contract terminated immediately. The Department agrees to give notice to the Contractor as soon as it becomes aware that funds are unavailable, in the event of termination under this paragraph. If the initial notice is oral notification, the Department shall follow this up immediately with written notice. The Department will be obligated to pay the Contractor only for the expenditures made and obligations incurred by the

Contractor until such time as notice of termination is received either orally or in writing by the Contractor from the Department.

- e. The Contractor shall provide to the Department such information as is required by the Department in order that the Department may determine whether the Contractor is a responsible vendor for purposes of compliance with section 163 of the State Finance Law and requirements of the Department. If there is any change in any of the vendor responsibility information provided to the Department by the Contractor at any time during the term of this Agreement, the Contractor shall be required to immediately notify the Department so that the Department may assess whether the Contractor continues to be a responsible vendor. Should the Contractor fail to notify the Department of any change in the vendor responsibility information or should the Department otherwise determine that the Contractor has ceased to be a responsible vendor for the purposes of this AGREEMENT, the Department may terminate this AGREEMENT upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor. Said notice of termination shall be sent by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested, or shall be delivered by hand, receiving Contractor's receipt therefore. Said notice shall specify the reason(s) that the Contractor has been found to no longer be a responsible vendor.

Upon determination that the Contractor is no longer a responsible vendor the Department may, in its discretion and as an alternative to termination pursuant to this paragraph, notify the contractor of the determination that the Contractor has ceased to be a responsible vendor and set forth the corrective action that will be required of the Contractor to maintain the contract. Should the Contractor fail to comply with the required corrective action within thirty (30) days of the date of notification, or such longer period as may be specified therein, the Department may, upon written notice similarly served, immediately terminate this AGREEMENT, termination to be effective upon the date of receipt of such notice established by the receipt returned to the Department. Upon such termination, the Department may require (a) the repayment to the Department of any monies previously paid to the Contractor, (b) return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of this AGREEMENT, or an appropriate combination of (a) and (b) at the Department's option.

#### CONTRACTOR COMPLIANCE

The Contractor agrees to provide an Annual Certification pertaining to this Contract as part of the Contractor's Annual Independent audit.

The Department shall have the right to audit or review the Contractor's performance and operations as related to this AGREEMENT, or has abused or misused funds paid to the contractor, or it the Contractor has violated or is in non-compliance with any term of any



other AGREEMENT with the Department, or has abused or misused funds paid to the Contractor under any other AGREEMENT with the Department, the rights of the Department shall include, but not be limited to :

- Recovery of any funds expended in violation of the AGREEMENT;
- Suspension of Payments
- Termination of the AGREEMENT; and/or
- Employment of another entity to fulfill the requirements of the AGREEMENT.

The Contractor shall be liable for all reasonable costs incurred on account thereof, including payment of any cost differential for employing such entity. The Contractor will assist the Department in transferring the operation of the Contracted services to any other entity selected by the Department in a manner that will enable the Department or clients to continue to receive services in an on-going basis, including, but not limited to , notifying clients of the new entity to which the services will be transferred and the effective date of the transfer, providing the new entity promptly and at no charge with a complete copy of the clients' and all other records necessary to continue the provision of the transferred services, and transferring any equipment purchased with funds provided under this AGREEMENT.

Nothing herein shall preclude the Department from taking actions otherwise available to it under law.

The Contractor agrees to cooperate fully with any audit or investigation the Department or any agent of the Department may conduct and to provide access during normal business hours to any and all information necessary to perform its audit or investigation. The Contractor shall also allow the Department, and any representatives specifically directed by the Department to take possession of all books, records and documents relating to this AGREEMENT without prior notice to the Contractor. The Department will return all such books, records and documents to the Contractor upon completion the official purposes for which they were taken.

The Contractor agrees that all AGREEMENTS between the Contractor and a subcontractor or consultants for the performance of any obligations under the AGREEMENT will be by written contract (subcontract) which will contain provisions including, but not limited to, the above specified rights of the Department.

#### FISCAL SANCTION

In accordance with the Department, contractors may be placed on fiscal sanction when the Department identifies any of the following issues:

- The Contractor has received an advance, overpayment or other funds under this or another agreement that has not been refunded to the Department within the established timeframe;
- An Department or other audit identifies significant fiscal irregularities and/or that funds are due to the Department
- The Contractor has not provided satisfactory services as required under the terms of this or another Department agreement;
- The Contractor has not provided fiscal or program reports as required under the terms of this or another Department agreement;
- A Department, County, State or Federal prosecutorial or investigative agency identifies possible criminal activity, or significant fiscal or programmatic irregularities on the part of the Contractor;
- The Contractor is not in compliance with State, Federal, or County statutes or regulations, or applicable Department guidelines, policies and/or procedures; or
- Unsafe physical conditions exist at a program site operated by the Contractor and funded under an agreement with the Department

Once the Contractor has been placed on Fiscal Sanction, payments on all open contracts and any new awards, amendments or contract renewals will not be processed until the issues have been satisfactorily resolved. The contractor will be notified in advance of any proposed Fiscal sanction and will be provided a timeframe within which the issues must be resolved in order to avoid Fiscal Sanction. Issues that are not resolved within the timeframe established by the Department may be referred to the Attorney General (AG) for collection of legal action. If a contract is referred to the AG a collection fee will be added to the amount owed. In addition, interest will be due on any amount not paid in accordance with the timeframes established by the AG. The contractor will remain on Fiscal Sanction until the amount owed, including any collection fee and interest is paid.

#### ADDITIONAL ASSURANCES

- a. The Department and Contractor agree that Contractor is an independent contractor, and not in any way deemed to be an employee of the Department or County of Oneida for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, workers compensation, retirement or health benefits. The Contractor agrees to defend and indemnify the Department and/or Oneida County for any loss the Department and/or Oneida County may suffer when such losses result from claims of any person or organization injured by the negligent acts or omissions of Contractor, its officers and/or employees or subcontractors. Furthermore, the Contractor agrees to indemnify, defend, and save harmless the Department and/or Oneida County, and its officers, agents, and employees from any and all claims and losses occurring or resulting from any and all contractors, subcontractors, and any other person, firm, or corporation furnishing or supplying work, services, materials, or supplies in connection with the performance of

the contract, and from all claims and losses occurring or resulting to any person, firm, or corporation who may be injured or damaged by the Contractor in the performance of the contract, and against any liability, including costs and expenses, for violation of proprietary rights, copyrights, or rights of privacy, arising out of the publication, translation, reproduction, delivery, performance, or use, or disposition of any data furnished under the contract or based on any libelous or other unlawful matter contained in such data or written materials in any form produced pursuant to the contract.

- b. The Contractor, if a municipal corporation, represents that it is a self-insured entity. If a not-for-profit Corporation or entity other than a self-insured municipal Corporation, the Contractor agrees to obtain and maintain in effect a general policy of liability insurance in an amount not less than one million dollars (\$ 1,000,000) per incident and not less than three million (\$ 3,000,000) aggregate. The Contractor agrees that it will require any and all Subcontractors with whom it subcontracts pursuant to this contract to obtain and maintain a general policy of liability insurance in an amount not less than one million dollars (\$ 1,000,000) per incident and not less than three million (\$3,000,000) aggregate. The Contractor further agrees to procure and maintain in force, for the duration of this Agreement, insurance in types and in the amounts as determined by the Department. Such coverage must be identified and entered upon a Standard Insurance Certificate or its acceptable substitute and be signed by the Contractor's Agency's insurance company, agent or broker.

The Contractor agrees that it will, at its own expense, at all times during the term of this agreement, maintain in force a policy of insurance which will insure against liability for property damage and/or injury/death with regard to any property of persons. The liability and property damage coverage of such insurance shall not be less than One Million dollars (\$ 1,000,000) per incident and not less than three million (\$3,000,000) aggregate. The Contractor agrees to have the Department and Oneida County added to said insurance policies as named additional insured, on a primary, non-contributory basis, as their interest may appear, and to provide the Department and/or Oneida County with a certificate from said insurance company, or companies, showing coverage as herein before required, such certification to show the Department and the Oneida County as additional insureds and to provide that such coverage shall not be terminated without written prior notice to the to the Department and/or Oneida County of at least thirty (30) days.

The Contractor further agrees that the Department has the right to take whatever action it deems appropriate, including, but not limited to, the removal of the Contractor from the rotation list, the removal of clients, the cessation of client referrals, and termination of this Agreement, if the Contractor fails to submit a completed and signed Standard Insurance Certificate or its acceptable substitute, which is subsequently approved by the Oneida County Department of Law, prior to the expiration of its insurance coverage.

## RENEWAL NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Options to renew the contract are at the discretion of the Department, which shall supply written notice of such renewal or termination within 30 days of the expiration date. The Commissioner of Social Services reserves the right to evaluate the job performance and availability of funding.

## COMPLIANCE WITH LAW

The Contractor represents and agrees to comply with the requirements of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 as amended, the Age Discrimination Employment Act of 1964 as amended, the Federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973 as amended, and Executive Order No. 11246, entitled "Equal Employment Opportunity" as amended by Executive Order No. 11375 and as supplemented in Department of Labor Relations, 41CFR Part 60.

The Contractor also agrees to comply with Federal and State Laws as supplemented in the Dept. of Labor regulations and any other regulations of the Federal and State entities relating to such employment and Civil Rights requirements.

As a mandated reporting agency, all instances of suspected child abuse, neglect and/or maltreatment, will be reported to the Central Registry as required by law. These verbal reports will be followed by submission of completed 2221A to the local Department of Social Services. The family will be informed in advance of the Agency's decision to file a report with the Central Register.

The Contractor attest they have not been debarred by the Federal Government from contracting to provide services funded by any Federal money.

The obligations of the parties hereunder are conditioned upon the continued availability of Federal and/or New York State Funds for the purposes set forth in this Agreement.

Should funds become unavailable or should appropriate Federal or New York State officials fail to approve sufficient funds for completion of the services or programs set forth in this Agreement, the Department shall have the option to immediately terminate this Agreement upon providing written notice to the Contractor. In such an event, the Department shall be under no further obligation to the Contractor other than payment for costs actually incurred prior to termination and in no event will the Department be responsible for any actual or consequential damages as a result of termination.

This Agreement contains all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties. All items incorporated by reference are to be attached. No other understandings, oral or otherwise, regarding the subject matter of this Agreement, shall be deemed to exist or to bind any of the parties hereto.

No waiver, alterations or modifications of and provisions of this Agreement shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

This Agreement shall be binding upon both parties when fully signed and executed and upon approval of the appropriate legislative bodies where required.

As the duly authorized representative of the Contractor, I hereby certify that the Contractor will comply with the above Standard Clauses.

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NAME OF CONTRACTED AGENCY

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PRINTED NAME AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

*Sandra L. Soska*

SIGNATURE

*3/3/15*

DATE

**Oneida County Department of Social Services  
Contractor and Contract Staff  
Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement**

I, the undersigned, an employee of \_\_\_\_\_, (the  
Name of Contract Agency

“Service Provider”), hereby state that I understand and agree that all information provided to the Service Provider from the Oneida County Department of Social Services staff by paper copies, computer systems or databases, electronic communication or otherwise obtained pursuant to the Agreement entered between the Oneida County Department of Social Services and the Service Provider indicated above, is CONFIDENTIAL, is to be used only for the purposes of performing services required by the Agreement, and must be safeguarded from unauthorized disclosure.

I further understand that such information includes, but is not limited to, any and all information regarding parents or guardians and their children, and all employment, financial, and personal identifying data, including Protected Health Information (PHI) as set forth in HIPAA regulations.

I agree to maintain all such information as CONFIDENTIAL, and I agree to use such information only in the performance of my official duties to perform the functions required by the Agreement, unless otherwise authorized in writing by the Department of Social Services.

I understand that confidential information maintained in and/or obtained from systems/databases such as, but not limited to the Welfare Management system (WMS), Child Support Management System (CSMS/ASSETS), Benefits Issuance Control System (BICS), COGNOS, and Connections are protected by Federal and State statutes and regulations. Access and disclosure of confidential information is strictly limited to authorized employees and legally designated agents, for authorized purposes only in the delivery of program services.

I understand that service providers may not access their own active, closed or archived records or those involving a relative, friend, acquaintance, neighbor, partner or co-worker or other individuals to whom they have no official assignment.

I understand that if my employment is terminated by resignation, retirement or for other reasons or the Service Provider Contract is not renewed, the terms of this Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement are still binding.

I understand that if I disclose CONFIDENTIAL information in violation of the requirements stated herein, any individual who incurs damages due to the disclosure may recover such damage in a civil action.

I understand that, in addition to any other penalties provided by law, any person who willfully releases or willfully permits the release of any CONFIDENTIAL information as described herein to persons or agencies not authorized under New York State law to receive it shall be guilty of a class A misdemeanor.

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Witness: \_\_\_\_\_

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**ADDENDUM**

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this 1st day of January, 2015, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as COUNTY, and a contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as CONTRACTOR.

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CONTRACTOR have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which COUNTY is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

**1. Executor or Non-Appropriation Clause.**

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

**2. Oneida County Board of Legislators: Resolution #249 Solid Waste Disposal Requirements.**

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislator Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

**3. Certification Regarding Lobbying; Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters; and Drug-Free Workplace Requirements.**

a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:

1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer

- or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, and officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any Federal Grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal grant or cooperative agreement.
2. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
  3. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,
1. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
    - a. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
    - b. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract 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 contracts 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 indicated or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government 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 Contract had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) for cause or default; and
  2. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.
- c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
1. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:



- a. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
- b. Establishing an on-going drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:
  1. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
  2. The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
  3. Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
  4. The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;
- c. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a);
- d. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:
  1. Abide by the terms of the statement; and
  2. Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;
- e. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (d)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position title, to: Director Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.
- f. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted;
  1. Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the Requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
  2. Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;
- g. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (a),(b),(c),(d),(e),(f).

2. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.

Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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- d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F. for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
1. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and
  2. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to: Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

**4. Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPPA).**

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

- a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:
1. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
  2. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
  3. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to filing cabinets, and locks on drawers, cabinets, and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.
- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the County in any

manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:

1. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
2. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.

c. The Contractor shall:

1. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
2. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
3. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
4. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
5. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.524;
6. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
7. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
8. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
9. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County that the Contractor still maintains in any form and retain no copies of such information or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.

d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:

1. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;

2. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  3. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

**5. Non-Assignment Clause.**

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and attempts to do so are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

**6. Worker's Compensation Benefits.**

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

**7. Non-Discrimination Requirements.**

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or

intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

#### **8. Wage and Hours Provisions.**

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

#### **9. Non-Collusive Bidding Certification.**

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor affirms, under penalty of perjury, that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

#### **10. Records.**

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails and attachments, rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection,

auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute") provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

#### **11. Identifying Information and Privacy Notification.**

a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. The number is any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payees, on its invoice or claim for payment, must give the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.

b. Privacy Notification. (1) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (2) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

#### **12. Conflicting Terms.**

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

#### **13. Governing Law.**

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal supremacy clause requires otherwise.

**14. Prohibition on Purchase of Tropical Hardwoods.**

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the County.

**15. Compliance with New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act.**

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

**16. Gratuities and Kickbacks.**

a. **Gratuities.** It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request, influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard, rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application, request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

b. **Kickbacks.** It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

**17. Audit**

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a Federal financial assistance program from a Federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

**18. Certification of compliance with the Iran Divestment Act.**

Pursuant Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each Bidder/Contractor, any person signing on behalf of any Bidder/Contractor and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (OGS) website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each Bidder/Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the Bidder/Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any Bidder/Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a Bidder/Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an



opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he/she/it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the Bidder/Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a Bidder/Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any Bidder/Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have signed this document on the day and year first above written.

**County of Oneida**

**Contractor**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

By: Sandra L. Soska  
Name:

Oneida County Executive

Approved as to Form only

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Oneida County Attorney

Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
County Executive

Lucille A. Soldato  
Commissioner



**ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES**  
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March 19, 2015

Honorable Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

FN 20 15-173

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Dear Mr. Picente:

**WAYS & MEANS**

I am submitting the following Purchase of Services Agreement for review and approval by the Board of Legislators per Board Resolutions and Local Law #3 of 2001, amending Article VIII, Section 802 of the Administrative Code.

Enclosed is a Purchase of Services Agreement with Kids Oneida Inc., 310 Main Street, Utica, New York for operation of the Return Home Early Project. The program will monitor all youth who are placed in residential treatment centers to assess the youth's, as well as the family's "readiness" or ability to be returned home successfully.

The program will identify children in placement that would benefit from existing community based services and reside in their home communities as soon as possible with appropriate community services, therefore, shorten lengths of stay for children currently in out-of-home care, reduce the need for children to re-enter out-of-home care, and ensure they are placed at an appropriate level of care closer to home.

The term of this Agreement shall be from January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2017. The maximum amount of this contract is \$ 368,823.00 with a local cost of 27.18 % or \$ 100,246.09.

I am respectfully requesting that this matter be forwarded to the Board of Legislators for action.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Lucille A. Soldato  
Commissioner

LAS/tms  
attachment

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 4/6/15

3/19/15  
# 23806

**Oneida Co. Department Social Services**

**Competing Proposal**   X    
**Only Respondent** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Sole Source RFP** \_\_\_\_\_

**Oneida County Board of Legislators**  
**Contract Summary**

**Name of Proposing Organization:** Kids Oneida Inc.  
310 Main Street  
Utica, New York 13501

**Title of Activity or Services:** Return Home Early Program

**Proposed Dates of Operations:** January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2017

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Youth placed in Residential Treatment Centers (RTC) the general population of youth placed in RTC's is Juvenile Delinquents or Persons in need of Supervision, also some youth placed are from Child Protective Services Cases.

**SUMMARY STATEMENTS**

**1). Narrative Description of Proposed Services**

The program will monitor all youth who are placed in residential treatment centers to assess the youth's, as well as the family's "readiness" or ability to be returned home successfully. The program will identify children in placement that would benefit from existing community based services and able to reside in their home communities. These intensive services will serve as a less intense option for youth to continue their treatment once they have stabilized in out of home placement. The program will be based on a collaborative team based approach with Department, Contractor, placement facilities, families, school districts, and community partners.

**2). Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes -**

The Return Home Early Project will return children from out of home placement as soon as possible with appropriate community services, therefore, shorten lengths of stay for children currently in out-of-home care, reduce the need for children to re-enter out-of-home care, and ensure they are placed at an appropriate level of care closer to home.

**3). Program Design and Staffing Level -**

One Residential Outreach Worker, file and record keeping assistance through Client Tracker by a support staff member, direct oversight from the Director of Operations, and consultation by the Medical Director.

**Total Funding Requested:** \$ 368,823.00

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** Account # A6119.495

**Mandated or Non-mandated:** Preventive services are mandated

**Funding Source (Federal \$ /State \$ / County \$):**

<b>Federal</b>	38.39 %	\$ 141,591.15
<b>State</b>	34.43 %	\$ 126,985.76
<b>County</b>	27.18 %	\$ 100,246.09

**Cost Per Client Served:**

**Past performance Served:** The Department has contracted with this provider for this service since 2011. The maximum contract cost for 2014 was \$ 132,513.

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:**

This program was submitted through the Request for proposal process and Kids Oneida was awarded the contract. This is a three year contract with yearly costs as follows:

Maximum cost in 2015 - \$ 120,515

Maximum cost in 2016 - \$ 122,925

Maximum cost in 2017 - \$ 125,383

**Total three year \$ 368,823**

**THIS IS AN AGREEMENT**, by and between the ONEIDA COUNTY THROUGH ITS DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES (hereinafter called the DEPARTMENT) having its principal office at 800 PARK AVENUE, UTICA, NY 13501 and KIDS ONEIDA INC. a not-for-profit corporation as defined in Section 102 (a) (5) of the Not-For-Profit Corporation Law (or, a public agency) having its principal office at 310 MAIN STREET, UTICA, NEW YORK 13501 (hereinafter called the Agency or Contractor).

**WITNESSETH:**

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner of Social Services of the County of ONEIDA (hereinafter called the Commissioner) is charged with the responsibility for the administration of all child welfare services provided in the County of ONEIDA (hereinafter, the County) at public expense pursuant to Article 6 of the Social Services Law including preventive services pursuant to Section 409 et seq of the Social Services Law and the Consolidated Services Plan for New York State, and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner pursuant to Section 409-a.3 of the Social Services Law and 18 NYCRR Section 405.1 may provide such preventive services directly or through an authorized agency as defined in subdivision (a) of Section 371.10 of the Social Services Law, or a not-for-profit corporation as defined in paragraph (5) of subdivision (a) of Section 102 of the Not-for-Profit Corporation Law or a public agency that receives the prior approval of the New York State Department of Social Services; and

**WHEREAS**, the Contractor under the terms of its corporate authority has the power to provide the services required to be performed herein and

or

**WHEREAS**, the public agency has the statutory authority to provide the services required to be performed herein; and

**WHEREAS**, the Department has determined that the amount of funds to be paid to the Contractor is reasonable and necessary to provide quality preventive services in conformance with the Consolidated Services Plan of the County of ONEIDA, Section 409 et seq of the Social Services Law and 18 NYCRR Parts 405 and 423, and

**WHEREAS**, it is economically and organizationally feasible for the Department to contract with the Contractor for the performance of these services.

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS MUTUALLY AGREED BETWEEN THE DEPARTMENT AND THE CONTRACTOR AS FOLLOWS:**

SECTION I DEFINITIONS

*Kids Oneida Inc.  
Return Home Early Project*

# 23806  
1/1/15-12/31/17

Whenever the following terms are used in this AGREEMENT and schedules attached hereto, they shall have the following meaning unless otherwise clearly noted.

(1) Preventive services shall mean these supportive and rehabilitative services provided to children and their families in accordance with the provisions of 18 NYCRR Part 423 for the purpose of: averting a disruption of a family which will or could result in placement of a child in foster care; enabling a child who has been placed in foster care to return to his family at an earlier time than would otherwise be possible; or reducing the likelihood that a child who has been discharged from foster care would return to such care. The following services, when provided for the above-stated purpose and in conformity with this Part, are considered preventive services.

Mandated preventive services shall mean preventive services provided to a child and his family whom the district is required to serve pursuant to 18 NYCRR Part 430.9. Non-mandated preventive services shall mean preventive services provided to a child and his family who the district may service pursuant to Section 409-a (2) of the Social Services Law. The services, set forth in paragraph (2) through (17) of this AGREEMENT when provided for the above-stated purpose and in conformity with 18 NYCRR Part 423, are considered preventive services.

(2) Case management is defined as the responsibility of the local Department of Social Services to authorize the provision of preventive services, to approve the client eligibility determination according to the criteria of 18 NYCRR Part 423.3 and, to approve in writing, the service plans as defined in 18 NYCRR Part 428.

(3) Case planning is defined as assessing the need for, providing or arranging for, coordinating and evaluating the provision of those preventive services needed by a child and his family to prevent disruption of the family or to help a child in foster care return home sooner. Case planning shall include, but not be limited to, referring such child and his family to other services as needed, including but not limited to, educational counseling and training, vocational diagnosis and training, employment counseling, therapeutic and preventive medical care and treatment, health counseling and health maintenance services, vocational rehabilitation, housing services, speech therapy and legal services. Case planning responsibility shall also include documenting client progress and adherence to the plan by recording in the uniform case record as defined in 18 NYCRR Part 428 and 18 NYCRR Part 430.8 through 430.12 that such services are provided and providing casework contact as defined in paragraph (4) of this AGREEMENT. Case planner shall mean the caseworker assigned case planning responsibility.

(4) Casework contacts is defined as :

(i). Individual or group face-to-face counseling sessions between the case planner and the child and/or the child's parents, relatives or guardians constitutes preventive services for the purpose of guiding the child and/or the child's parents or guardians towards a course of action agreed to by the child and/or the child's parents or guardians as the best method of attaining

personal objectives or resolving problems or needs of a social, emotional, developmental or economic nature.

(ii). Individual or group activities with the child and/or the child's parents that are planned for the purposes of achieving such course of action as specified in the child and family's service plan.

(5). Clinical services is defined as assessment, diagnosis, testing, psychotherapy, and specialized therapies provided by a person who has received a master's degree in social work, a licensed psychologist, a licensed psychiatrist or other recognized therapist in human services. Such services shall be separate and distinct from casework contacts as defined in paragraph (4) of this AGREEMENT.

(6). Day Care services as defined in the Consolidated Services Plan of the State Department of Social Services prepared pursuant to Section 34-a of the Social Services Law;

(7). Day services to children as defined in 18 NYCRR Part 425.1 shall mean a program offering a combination of services including at least: social services, psychiatric, psychological, education and/or vocational services and health supervision and also including, as appropriate, recreational and transportation services, for at least 3 but not less than 24 hours a day and at least 4 days per week excluding holidays. If it can be demonstrated that one or more of these services are not needed by the population served, that service may be waived.

(8). Emergency cash or goods is defined as money or the equivalent thereto, food, clothing or other essential items that are provided to a child and his family in an emergency or acute problem situation in order to avert foster care placement.

(9). Emergency shelter is defined as providing or arranging for shelter where a child and his family who are in an emergency or acute problem situation reside in a site other than their own home in order to avert foster care placement.

(10). Family shall be defined solely for the purpose of this Agreement as the child who is at risk of foster care, his parent, or legal guardians, or other caretakers and siblings. Family may include a woman who is pregnant as specified in 18 NYCRR Part 430.9(c)(6). Family may also include a child who does not live with his parents and needs services to prevent return to foster care.

(11). Family planning services as defined in the Consolidated Services Plan of the State Department of Social Services prepared pursuant to Section 34-a of the Social Services Law.

(12). Home management services as defined in the Consolidated Services Plan of the State Department of Social Services prepared pursuant to Section 34-a of the Social Services Law.

(13). Homemaker services as defined in the Consolidated Services Plan of the State Department of Social Services prepared pursuant to Section 34-a of the Social Services Law.

(14). Housekeeper/chore services as defined in the Consolidated Services Plan of the State Department of Social Services prepared pursuant to Section 34-a of the Social Services Law.

(15). Parent Aide Services is defined as those services provided in the home and community that focus on the need of the parent for instruction and guidance and are designed to maintain and enhance parental functioning and family/parent role performance. Techniques may include but not limited to role modeling, listening skills, home management assistance and education in parenting skills and personal coping behavior.

(16). Parent training is defined as group instruction in parent skills development and the developmental needs of the child and adolescent for the purpose of strengthening parental functioning and parent / child relationships in order to avert a disruption in a family or help a child in foster care return home sooner than otherwise possible. Parent training may include child-parent interaction groups formed to enhance relationship and communication skills.

(17). Transportation services is defined as providing or arranging for transportation of the child and/or his family to and/or from services arranged as part of the child's service plan except that transportation may not be provided as a preventive service for visitation of children in foster care with their parents and may only be provided if such transportation cannot be arranged or provided by the child's family.

## SECTION II TERM OF AGREEMENT

(18). The term of this Agreement shall be from JANUARY 1, 2015 through DECEMBER 31, 2017. The option to renew this Agreement under all terms and conditions, including the budget set forth for year 3, for two additional terms of one year each, not to exceed December 31, 2019, is at the sole discretion of the Department and notice to the Contractor shall be provided prior to the end of the term of Agreement.

## SECTION III SCOPE OF SERVICES

(19). It is mutually agreed between the DEPARTMENT and the CONTRACTOR that the CONTRACTOR shall furnish preventive services to recipients in accordance with Federal and New York State Laws and Regulations, including 18 NYCRR Parts 404 and 423 and any other standards prescribed by the New York State Department of Social Services. It is mutually agreed that all that follows in this section shall be viewed in the context of this paragraph.

(20). The DEPARTMENT shall be responsible for determining the eligibility of persons for preventive services to be purchased by the DEPARTMENT. The DEPARTMENT shall also be responsible for establishing the policies and procedures for such eligibility determinations in



accordance with 18 NYCRR Part 423 and any other standards prescribed by the New York State Department of Social Services.

(21). The DEPARTMENT shall be responsible for case management which shall include authorizing the provision of preventive services, approving client eligibility in accordance with 18 NYCRR Section 423.3 and approving child service plans.

(22). The CONTRACTOR agrees to provide preventive services in accordance with the Program narrative and rates of payment described in Appendix B of this AGREEMENT.

(23). The CONTRACTOR and the DEPARTMENT shall cooperate in the collection and exchange of data to facilitate service planning and to provide required information to the State's Child Care Review Service.

(24). The CONTRACTOR and the DEPARTMENT agree to comply with Section 153 of the Social Services Law which requires all social services districts which purchase preventive services from other authorized agencies to charge any loss of reimbursement pursuant to this section to such agencies to the extent that such loss is attributable to such agencies.

(25). The CONTRACTOR and the DEPARTMENT agree that a determination by the State Department of Social Services to deny reimbursement to the DEPARTMENT for the provision of preventive services for a child, pursuant to Sections 153 and 153-a through 153-k of the Social Services Law, shall not relieve the DEPARTMENT or the CONTRACTOR from which the DEPARTMENT has purchased preventive services, from its statutory or contractual obligations to continue to provide preventive services for the child or other children in its care.

(26). Case Planning, along with casework contacts, shall be provided by the CONTRACTOR in accordance with Appendix B of this AGREEMENT and as required by individual case plans 18 NYCRR Part 428.1 through 428.10.

(27). The CONTRACTOR will review and discuss the service plan with the DEPARTMENT. Any changes in the plan or significant deviation therefrom, shall be submitted in a revised plan to the DEPARTMENT prior to the proposed implementation of the change. The CONTRACTOR shall implement the change upon receipt of written approval by the DEPARTMENT.

(28). The CONTRACTOR agrees to comply with the reporting provision of suspected child abuse or maltreatment as set forth in Article 6 of Title 6 of the Social Services Law.

#### SECTION IV FAIR HEARINGS

(29). The DEPARTMENT shall notify applicants for, or recipients of, care and services of their right to a fair hearing to appeal the denial, reduction or termination of a service, or failure to

act upon application within 30 days of application. The DEPARTMENT will also inform applicants for or recipients of preventive services how to file a fair hearing request. Whenever an applicant, or recipient, requests a fair hearing, the State Department of Social Services will provide such a hearing through its regular fair hearing procedures. The DEPARTMENT shall provide the CONTRACTOR with copies of the decision. The CONTRACTOR upon the request of the DEPARTMENT, shall participate in appeals and fair hearings as witnesses for a determination of issues.

#### SECTION V REIMBURSEMENT AND SERVICE FEES

(30). The DEPARTMENT shall reimburse the CONTRACTOR for provision of preventive services in accordance with the claiming procedures and prescribed schedule of fees, if applicable as set forth in Appendix B of this AGREEMENT and in accordance with State and Federal regulations pertaining to reimbursement of preventive services.

#### SECTION VI GENERAL RESPONSIBILITIES OF PARTIES

(31). The governing board of the CONTRACTOR shall exercise oversight of its day to day affairs and programs. The CONTRACTOR shall have the responsibility for day to day provision of preventive services for each child serviced by it in accordance with this AGREEMENT and with appropriate State Department of Social Services Regulations. It is recognized by the parties hereto, however, that ultimate responsibility for the welfare of each child rests with the DEPARTMENT.

(32). The CONTRACTOR will maintain sufficient staff, facilities and equipment, in accordance with the Regulations of the State Department of Social Services in order to provide the services set forth in Appendix B of this AGREEMENT.

(33). The CONTRACTOR agrees to provide the services described in Appendix B of this AGREEMENT at the principal location of:

KIDS ONEIDA INC. (Return Home Early Project),  
310 MAIN STREET, UTICA, NEW YORK 13501;

and agrees to provide the DEPARTMENT written notification of the location(s) of any additional support services that are provided in conjunction with the child service plan, outside of the aforementioned address(s).

(34). The DEPARTMENT agrees to notify the CONTRACTOR with the person assigned to monitoring responsibility for Child Protective Services for the recipients receiving preventive services from the CONTRACTOR.

#### SECTION VII BOOKS, RECORDS AND REPORTS

(35). The CONTRACTOR will keep accurate records (in conformance with State regulations established for utilization review and uniform case recording) for each public charge

receiving services under this AGREEMENT. Each record shall indicate the services provided to the child and his or her family, in addition to other recipients of service involved with the case, including the date such services were provided. The CONTRACTOR shall make such reports to the DEPARTMENT on the current status and progress of each recipient of service at intervals required in the State Department of Social Services Regulations.

(36). All information contained in the CONTRACTOR'S files shall be held confidential by the CONTRACTOR and the DEPARTMENT pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Social Services Law and any State Department Regulations promulgated thereunder, including 18 NYCRR Section 357.5 and 423.7, as well as any applicable Federal Laws and any regulations promulgated thereunder and shall not be disclosed except as authorized by law.

(37). The records of individual recipients of services shall be made available to the DEPARTMENT upon request for consultation or review.

(38). The CONTRACTOR will maintain statistical records as required by the DEPARTMENT and will furnish such data at times prescribed by and on forms supplied by the DEPARTMENT.

(39). The CONTRACTOR agrees to maintain financial books, records and necessary supporting documents as required by the DEPARTMENT. The CONTRACTOR will use accounting procedures and practices which sufficiently and properly reflect all direct and indirect costs of the services provided under this AGREEMENT. The CONTRACTOR agrees to collect statistical data of a fiscal nature on a regular basis and to make fiscal and statistical reports at times prescribed by and on forms furnished by the DEPARTMENT.

(40). The CONTRACTOR agrees to retain all books, records and other documents relevant to this AGREEMENT for six (6) years after final payment for services to which they relate, during which time authorized County, State and/or Federal auditors shall have access to and the right to examine the same.

(41). In addition to Paragraph 37, 38, 39 and 40 of this AGREEMENT, and until the expiration of (6) years after the furnishing of services pursuant to this AGREEMENT or any subcontract made pursuant to this AGREEMENT, the CONTRACTOR and its subcontractor(s), shall make available, upon written request, to the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, or upon request, to the Comptroller General, or any of their duly authorized representatives, this AGREEMENT, and books, documents and records of CONTRACTOR or subcontractor(s) that are necessary to certify the nature and extent of such costs.

#### SECTION VIII ACCOUNTABILITY

(42). The DEPARTMENT will establish methods to evaluate the provision of preventive services by the CONTRACTOR pursuant to this AGREEMENT. All provisions of this Section



shall be interpreted consistent with the New York State Law and applicable regulations. In implementing the foregoing, the CONTRACTOR recognizes that the Commissioner, pursuant to statute, has ultimate responsibility for the protection and preservation of the welfare of all children within his jurisdiction and thus has the duty, ongoing throughout the term of this AGREEMENT, to monitor the CONTRACTOR with regard to the preventive services provided to the children referred hereunder.

(43). The CONTRACTOR agrees that a program and facilities review, as pertains to the delivery of preventive services under this AGREEMENT, including meetings with recipients of service, review of uniform case records, review of service policy and procedural issuances, review of staffing and job description and meetings with and staff directly or indirectly involved in the provision of preventive services, may be conducted at any reasonable time by qualified personnel from those local, State and Federal agencies with the required legal powers and statutory authority to conduct such activities.

(44). The DEPARTMENT shall confer with the CONTRACTOR at least twice a year to discuss the CONTRACTOR'S services purchased by the DEPARTMENT. This shall include but not be limited to such items as frequency of contact and planning with the natural family and significant others, scope of Service Plans and of achieving the goals stated therein, and to the extent to which special mental health, remedial, tutorial and vocational services were provided after the CONTRACTOR and the DEPARTMENT determined these were necessary. These semi-annual client reviews shall include determination of compliance to contract requirements.

(45). If the CONTRACTOR significantly does not conform to the provisions of this AGREEMENT after due written notice, the DEPARTMENT may take such actions or invoke such sanctions under this AGREEMENT and any appropriate regulations issued by the State Department of Social Services as it deems necessary.

(46). The CONTRACTOR shall not make any subcontract for the performance of this AGREEMENT without prior written approval of the DEPARTMENT. The assignment of this AGREEMENT, in whole or in part, or of any money due or to become due under this AGREEMENT shall be void. It should also be noted that where subcontractors are permitted, they are subject to Federal and State requirements governing purchase of services contracts and the CONTRACTOR is responsible for the performance of any subcontractor.

(47). The Contractor covenants and agrees that neither it nor any of its directors, officers, members, or employees has any interest, nor shall they acquire any interest, directly or indirectly, which would substantially or adversely conflict in any manner or degree with the CONTRACTOR'S performance of the Services defined in Section III. The CONTRACTOR further covenants that in the performance of this AGREEMENT, no person having such interest shall be employed. The names and addresses of the members of the Board of Directors of the CONTRACTOR are annexed to this AGREEMENT.

SECTION IX COMPLIANCE WITH LAW

(48). The CONTRACTOR represents and agrees to comply with the requirements of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 as amended, the Age Discrimination Employment Act of 1967 as amended, the Federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973 as amended, and Executive Order No.11375 and as supplemented in Department of Labor Relations, 41 CFR, Part 60. The CONTRACTOR also agrees to observe all applicable Federal regulations contained in 45 CFR, Part 84, and 28 CFR, Part 41.

(49). The CONTRACTOR represents and agrees to be bound by the terms and conditions of any attachments, amendments, addendums or appendixes attached hereto and made a part hereof.

SECTION X TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT

(50). The CONTRACTOR may be terminated by mutual written agreement of the contracting parties.

(51). The CONTRACT may be terminated by the DEPARTMENT for cause upon the failure of the CONTRACTOR to comply with the terms and conditions of this AGREEMENT, including the attachment thereto, provided that the DEPARTMENT shall give the CONTRACTOR written notice specifying the CONTRACTOR'S failure. Such written notice shall be delivered via registered or certified mail with return receipt requested or shall be delivered by hand with receipt granted by the CONTRACTOR. The CONTRACTOR agrees not to incur new obligations or to claim for any expenses incurred after receipt of the notification of termination.

(52). In addition to the termination provisions set forth in paragraph 51 supra, the DEPARTMENT shall have the right to terminate this AGREEMENT in whole or in part, if at any time CONTRACTOR has failed to comply with any Federal, State or local health, safety or fire code regulations; or in the event that any license, approval or certification of the CONTRACTOR, required by Federal, State or County government is revoked, not renewed, or otherwise not in full force or effect, or in the event that a new such license, approval or certification is required and CONTRACTOR fails to secure it during the term of this AGREEMENT.

(53). When a CONTRACT is to be terminated pursuant to Paragraph 51 and 52 of this AGREEMENT, notice of termination shall be given in writing specifying the reasons for termination and the effective date of termination. The effective date shall not be less than sixty days from the date of notice, unless substantial breach of contract is involved, in which case the effective date shall not be less than thirty days from the date of notice. In any event, the effective date of termination shall not be later than the AGREEMENT expiration date.

(54). Upon termination or upon expiration of the term of this AGREEMENT pursuant to Paragraphs 50, 51, or 52 supra, the DEPARTMENT will arrange for the transfer to another CONTRACTOR of all public charges then served in the CONTRACTOR. In order to reimburse

that CONTRACTOR for all public charges not transferred by the effective date of termination, the DEPARTMENT and CONTRACTOR will negotiate an extension of this AGREEMENT prior to the date of termination.

(55). The CONTRACTOR shall comply with all DEPARTMENT close-out procedures, including but not limited to: account for and refund to the CONTRACTOR pursuant to this AGREEMENT; not incur or pay any further obligation to be reimbursed to it under this AGREEMENT beyond the termination date; and transmit to the DEPARTMENT or its designee on written request copies of all books, records, documents and materials pertaining to the financial details of any services provided under the terms of this AGREEMENT.

#### SECTION XI

(56). The DEPARTMENT and the CONTRACTOR agree that the CONTRACTOR is an independent CONTRACTOR and is not in anyway to be deemed an employee of the COUNTY.

(57). The CONTRACTOR agrees that it will at all times defend, indemnify and hold the COUNTY and its officers and employees harmless and free and clear of any and all liability arising from any act of omission or commission by the CONTRACTOR, its officers or employees, with respect to this AGREEMENT and any of the terms thereof.

(58). This CONTRACTOR agrees that payment by the COUNTY will be contingent upon the CONTRACTOR submitting a claim form to THE ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT which has been approved by DEPARTMENT certifying the satisfactory completion of the CONTRACTOR'S performance and setting forth the payment to be made.

(59). This AGREEMENT may not be assigned, transferred or in any way disposed of by the CONTRACTOR without first having obtained written approval thereof from the DEPARTMENT.

(60). The CONTRACTOR warrants that it is not in arrears to the COUNTY upon any debt or contract, and that it has not been in default and is not in default as surety, contractor or otherwise.

(61). CONTRACTOR warrants that it and its services staff, when necessary, have all of the licenses, approvals and certifications currently required by the laws of any applicable municipality. CONTRACTOR further agrees to keep such required documents in full force and effects during the term of this AGREEMENT, or any extension, and to comply within the required time to secure any new license so required.

(62). The terms of this Agreement, including any attachments, amendments, addendums or appendixes attached hereto, constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties and cancels and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations, understandings or agreements, whether written or oral, with respect to the subject matter of this Agreement. No wavier, alterations or modifications of and provisions of this Agreement shall be binding unless in

writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this agreement on the day and year first above written.

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

Oneida County Executive: \_\_\_\_\_

Anthony J. Picente Jr., Oneida County Executive

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Approved as to Form \_\_\_\_\_

Oneida County Attorney

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

Oneida County Department of Social Services: \_\_\_\_\_

Lucille A. Soldato, Commissioner

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Date: 3/3/15

Agency: Kids Oneida Inc.

Authorized Signature: 

Print Authorized Name: Steven Bulger

Title: CEO/Executive Director

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APPENDIX A

The parties to the attached contract further agree to be bound by the following, which are hereby made a part of said contract.

- I. This contract may not be assigned by the contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or disposed of without the previous consent, in writing, of the State.
- II. This contract shall be deemed executory only to the extent of money available to the State for the performance of the terms hereof and no liability on account thereof shall be incurred by the State of New York beyond moneys available for the purpose thereof.
- III. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by Labor Law, Sections 220 and 220-d, as amended that:
  - (a) no laborer, workman or mechanic, in the employ of the contractor, subcontractor or other person doing or contracting to do the whole or any part of the work contemplated by the contract shall be permitted or required to work more than eight hours in any one calendar day or more than five days in any one week, except in the emergencies set forth in the Labor Law.
  - (b) the wages paid for a legal day's work shall be not less than the prevailing rate of wages as defined by law.
  - (c) The minimum hourly rate of wages to be paid shall not be less than that stated in the specifications, and any redetermination of the prevailing rate of wages after the contract is approved shall be deemed to be incorporated herein by reference as of the effective date of redetermination and shall form a part of these contract documents.
  - (d) The Labor Law provides that the contract may be forfeited and no sum paid for any work done thereunder on a second conviction for willfully paying less than—
    - (a) the stipulated wage scale as provided in Labor Law, Section 220, subdivision 3, as amended or
    - (b) less than the stipulated minimum hourly wage scale as provided in Labor Law, Section 220-d, as amended.
- IV. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by the provisions of the Labor Law, Section 220-e, as amended, that:
  - (a) in hiring of employees for the performance of work under this contract or any subcontract hereunder, or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies hereunder, no contractor, subcontractor, shall by reason of race, creed, color, sex or national origin discriminate against any citizen of the State of New York who is qualified and available to perform the work to which the employment relates.

- (b) No contractor, subcontractor, nor any person on his behalf shall, in any manner, discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this contract on the account of race, creed, color, sex or national origin.
  - (c) There may be deducted from the amount payable to the contractor by the State under this contract a penalty of five dollars for each person for each calendar day during which such person was discriminated against or intimidated in violation of the provisions of the contract, and
  - (d) This contract may be cancelled or terminated by the State or municipality and all moneys due or to become due hereunder may be forfeited for a second or any subsequent violation of the terms or conditions of this section of the contract, and
  - (e) The aforesaid provisions of this section covering every contract for or on behalf of the State or a municipality for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies shall be limited to operations performed within the territorial limits of the State of New York.
- V. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by Executive Order # 45, dated Jan. 4, 1977, effective February 4, 1977, that:
- (a) The contractor will not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, and will undertake programs of affirmative action to insure that they are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Such action shall be taken with reference, but not limited to: recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgrading, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination, rates of pay or other forms of compensation, and selection for training or retraining, including apprenticeship and on-the-job training.
  - (b) If the contractor is directed to do so by the contracting agency or the Office of State Contract Compliance (hereafter OSCC). The contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers, with which he has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish him with a written statement that such employment agency, labor union or representative will not discriminate because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the contractor's obligations hereunder and the purposes of Executive Order # 45 (1977).
  - (c) The contractor will state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, that all qualified

applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

- \* (d) The contractor will comply with all the provisions of Executive Order # 45 (1977) and of rules, regulations and orders issued pursuant thereto and will furnish all information and reports required by said Executive Order or such rules, regulations and orders, and will permit access to its books, records, and accounts and to its premises by the contracting agency or the OSCC for the purposes of ascertaining compliance with said Executive Order and such rules, regulations and orders.
- \* (e) If the contractor does not comply with the equal opportunity provisions of this contract, with Executive Order # 45 (1977), or with such rules, regulations, or orders, this contract or any portion thereof, may be cancelled, terminated or suspended or payments thereon withheld, or the contractor may be declared ineligible for future State or State-assisted contracts, in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order #45 (1977), and such other sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked as are provided in said Executive Order or by rule, regulation or order issued pursuant thereto, or as otherwise provided by law.
- \* (f) The contractor will include the provisions of clauses (a) through (e) above and all contract provisions promulgated by OSCC pursuant to Section 1.3 (b) of Executive Order # 45 (1977), in every non-exempt subcontract or purchase order in such a manner that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor as to its work force within the State of New York. The contractor will take such action in enforcing such provisions of such subcontract or purchase order as the contracting agency or the OSCC may direct, including sanctions or remedies for noncompliance. If the contractor becomes involved in or is threatened with litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction, the contractor shall promptly so notify the Attorney General, requesting him to intervene and protect the interests of the State of New York.

VI. The contractor will comply with the provisions of Sections 291-299 of the Executive Law and the Civil Rights Law, will furnish all information and reports deemed necessary by the State Division of Human Rights under the Law, and will permit access to its books, records and accounts by the State Industrial Commissioner for the purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with the non-discrimination clauses, the Executive Law and Civil Rights Law.

VII. (a) By submission of this bid, each bidder and each person signing on behalf of any bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto

certifies as to its own organization, under penalty or perjury, that to the best of his knowledge and belief:

1) The prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, consultation, communication or agreement, for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such prices with any other bidder or with any competitor;

2) Unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder, and will not be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor;

3) No attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition.

(b) A bid shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made where (a) (1) (2) and (3) above have not been complied with provided, however, that if in any case the bidder cannot make the foregoing certification, the bidder shall so state and shall furnish with the bid a signed statement which sets forth in detail the reasons therefor. Where (a) (1) (2) and (3) above have not been complied with, the bid shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made unless the head of the purchasing unit of the State, public department or agency to which the bid is made, or his designee, determines that such disclosure was not made for the purpose of restricting competition.

The fact that bidder (a) has published price lists, rates, or tariffs covering items being procured, (b) has informed prospective customers of proposed or pending publication of new or revised price lists for such items, or (c) has sold the same items to other customers at the same prices being bid, does not constitute, without more a disclosure within the meaning of sub-paragraph VII (a)

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**\*\*Note:** Reference to the above Rules and Regulations refer to those Rules and Regulations in effect as of the date of the solicitation of bids relative to this contract.

APPENDIX B

Purchase of Services Specifications for the Agreement between Oneida County through its Oneida County Department of Social Services, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the Laws of the State of New York and having its principal offices at the Oneida County Office Building, 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York 13501, (hereinafter called Department), and Kids Oneida Inc. with its principal offices located at 310 Main Street, Utica, New York 13501 (hereinafter called Contractor).

The Contractor will provide a Return Home Early Project. The program will monitor all youth who are placed in residential treatment centers (RTC) to assess the youth's, as well as the family's "readiness" or ability to be returned home successfully. The general population of the youth placed in RTC's is Juvenile Delinquents (JD's) or Persons in Need of Supervision (PINS), also some youth placed are from Child Protective Services (CPS) cases.

Contractor will target children placed at the most restrictive level of out of home placement through the utilization of an assessment tool to return children home early from residential care, shortening lengths of stay, identifying more appropriate and least restrictive levels of care, and transitioning youth to facilities closer to home. The use of a highly effective assessment tool, an outcome based proprietary software package, and a collaborative relationship with placement providers, school districts, Family court, and the Department of Social Services will allow for a highly organized and efficient program that will serve as a model initiative to assess effectiveness of out of home placement.

Contractor will provide service to every child placed at the Residential Treatment Center (RTC) and Group Home (GH) level of care by the Department. These children are placed on a Person In Need of Supervision (PINS), Juvenile Delinquent (JD), or Abuse/Neglect court order for a predetermined amount of time by Family Court Judges. After disposition, children can be placed at various facilities across the state.

One Residential Outreach Worker will be responsible for the independent assessment of every child. This independent assessment will include a Child Readiness Assessment, ongoing face to face collaboration with the child and his/her treatment team, and a review of the child's academic records, mental health history, family dynamics, community interactions, and legal obstacles that will be present once returned home. The Contractor will be allowed access to records as part of the assessment process.

The Contractor will dedicate one full-time Residential Outreach Worker to lead the program that will identify children in placement that would benefit from existing community based services and able to reside in their home communities. These intensive services will serve as a less intense option for youth to continue their treatment once they have stabilized in out of home placement.

The program will be based on a collaborative team based approach with Department, Contractor, placement facilities, families, school districts, and community partners.

The Residential Outreach Worker will be charged with the ability to provide a neutral assessment of every child's individual situation that has placed them at the institutional level of care. All children placed in DSS custody will continue to be tracked through the course of his/her out of home placement by the utilization of a software program that will monitor movements, outcomes, and readiness of all children in care. This system should have a reporting functionality that can produce various trend reports that will be made available to the Department upon request.

The approved Child Readiness Assessment, which is an evaluation tool, will be completed on every child placed at the RTC and GH level of placement. This comprehensive tool is designed to rate a child's readiness to return to their home environment. The assessment rates various domains that will give those involved a better sense of the areas a child and their family must improve upon in order to achieve a successful reunification. A comprehensive assessment of the environment the child will be returning to is a part of the process. The Child Readiness Assessment provides a recommendation if the child will be ready to be returned home in less than six months or more than six months. The same is reported of the home environment; will the family be ready for the child's return in more or less than six months. It is at this stage of the child's assessment that the treatment team will be charged with identifying interventions to address areas of concern that are preventing a return home.

Every child placed at the institutional level of care will have an assessment completed once they have been at the facility for 90 days. Placement agencies will be trained on completing this assessment and be required to complete one for all children from Oneida County. Once the assessment has been completed a face-to-face interview with the child and their treatment team is held to better understand the intricacies of each individual's situation. Family history, school records, and legal involvement are all reviewed during this process. The program strives to meet with every youth face-to-face quarterly. It is the culmination of this intensive process that provided Oneida County Department of Social Services, Family Court, the family, and placement agency with a fresh perspective on treatment alternatives to residential placement.

Through this process, children ready for discharge will be identified at an earlier stage of their placement and be able to be served by community services in their home/lower level of care. Because the Residential Outreach Worker has been working with the treatment team in advance, a detailed recommendation regarding community based services, school plan, and linkage to natural resources is possible. Return Home Early Project will identify the most appropriate aftercare program for each child returned home early. A single point of reentry will streamline the current process and allow for more proactive and detailed reunification plans. Increase collaboration and better planning will in turn improve existing recidivism rates.

Through strong advocacy, collaboration, and family empowerment, children that could be served at home, in lower levels of care (i.e., foster care) and closer to home will be identified as a result of

the Return Home Early Project

Return Home Early Project will return children from out of home placement as soon as possible with appropriate community services, therefore, shorten lengths of stay for children currently in out-of-home care, reduce the need for children to reenter out-of-home care, and ensure they are placed at an appropriate level of care closer to home. Contractor will focus on the measurements established by the Department of Social Services.

Contractor will keep accurate records in compliance with established State Regulations. Each child assessed will have a separate electronic case record which will include dates and information detailing the services provided. Confidentiality of case records will be maintained as directed in Social Service Law and State Regulations. Case records will be made available to the Department of Social Services upon request

Statistical information regarding clientele and program performance will be gathered and reports generated at least semi-annually and as requested by the Department of Social Services. Financial records will be accurately maintained to reflect direct and indirect costs of services provided. All records will be retained for a period of at least six years after the final payment received.

It is further understood that this program is expense driven and the total cost of services to be provided per year are as follows, year one January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015 not to exceed \$ 120,515.00, year two January 1, 2016 through December 31, 2016 not to exceed \$122,925.00 and year three January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017 not to exceed \$125,383.00 as outlined in the attached budgets. The full term of this Agreement shall be from JANUARY 1, 2015 through DECEMBER 31, 2017. The option to renew this Agreement under all terms and conditions including budget set forth for year three, for an additional two, one year renewals not to exceed December 31, 2019 is at the sole discretion of the Department and notice to the Contractor shall be provided prior to the end of the term of Agreement.

All Contractor employees are required to be cleared by the State Central Registry and Sex Offender Registry.

The staffing composition of the Return Home Early Project will include: one Residential Outreach Worker, file and record keeping assistance through Client Tracker by a support staff member, direct oversight from the Director of Operations, and consultation for more complex cases by the Medical Director.

The project will be managed by one Residential Outreach Worker. This worker will serve as a single point of contact for residential agencies, provide ongoing support to DSS Case Managers, and maintain data for program evaluation. Minimum qualifications for the Residential Outreach Worker include a Bachelor's Degree in Human Services or related field and at least two years experience working with children and families with special needs (residential placement experience preferred). This individual will be responsible for maintaining ongoing communication to ensure

collaboration between Oneida County Department of Social Services, placement facility, Family Court, home school district, and the family. It is crucial that this individual maintain relationships with all parties involved to ensure team-based approach to assessing a child's treatment. The worker will further make independent recommendations to the County regarding a child's current out of home placement treatment based on the tools discussed. The residential outreach worker will be available in Family Court to review the recommendations as needed and ensure the transition into existing community-based preventive services for every child discharged home early.

The maintenance of the Client Tracker, including the entry of the child placements and transitions inputting of Child Readiness Assessment, and creation of new cases, will be done by a support staff member. This individual will ensure that accurate and timely maintenance of Client Tracker in order to ensure an accurate product that is capable of producing reports on demand. With oversight by the Residential Outreach Worker and the Director of Operations, detailed reports will be produced as requested by the Department of Social Services.

The Contractor's Medical Director is a license Child Psychiatrist. The Medical Director will dedicate time to the program to consult on the most complex cases within the county. This individual insight will provide the program with comprehensive recommendations as to potential treatment options for severely emotionally disturbed youth that may linger in out of home placement.

The Contractor is qualified to provide such services and has access to appropriate personnel to provide such services.

The Contractor will keep accurate records for each public charge receiving services under this Agreement. Each record shall indicate the services provided to the child and his or her family, including the date such services were provided. The Agency shall make such reports to the Department on the current status and progress of each recipient of service at intervals required.

All information contained in the Contractor's files shall be held confidential pursuant to the applicable provision of the Social Services Law and any State Dept. Regulations promulgated thereunder, including 18 NY CRR Sec. 357.5 and 423.7, as well as any applicable Federal Laws and any regulations promulgated thereunder and shall not be disclosed except as authorized by law.

It is expressly understood that the Contractor may subcontract for the performance of the above without prior written approval of the Department. It should also be noted that where subcontractors are permitted, they are subject to Federal and State requirements and the Contractor is responsible for the performance of any subcontractor.

Upon receiving the appropriate referral from the Department, the Contractor will follow the established procedures as outlined in enrollment section of the Kids Oneida Policy and Procedure Manual. The Contractor will maintain a no reject or no eject policy. No discontinuing of services because of client cooperation or agreement without plan amendment and Department of Social



The Contractor agrees to devise reporting and assessment forms acceptable to the Department (NYCRR 428).

The Contractor agrees to help to encourage all appropriate parties to be present for the case planning/service plan development sessions.

The Contractor agrees to participate in FASP/Services plan meetings and other treatment meetings as requested by the Department.

Outcome/Measurements for Case Management System

- At least 20% of the total children placed in residential care will be returned home early.
- At least 70% of the youth returned home early will not re-enter any level of out of home placement.

The Contractor will provide reports to the Department as requested and a final statistical report of services provided by the Contractor and all subcontractors under the terms of this Agreement.

The Contractor agrees to prepare and provide any and all monthly reports or statistical data required by the County and State Governments pertaining to this contract.

This Agreement can be terminated with a 30 day written notice by either party.

Kids Oneida Inc.  
 Return Home Early Project # 23806  
 Year One (January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2015)  
 Year Two (January 1, 2016 – December 31, 2016)  
 Year Three (January 1, 2017 – December 31, 2017)

	Year One	Year Two	Year Three
<b><u>Personal Services:</u></b>			
Total Salaries	\$ 76,636	\$ 78,169	\$ 79,732
Fringe Benefits	\$ 19,159	\$ 19,542	\$ 19,933
Personal Service Contracts	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
<b>Total Personal Services</b>	<b>\$ 95,795</b>	<b>\$ 97,711</b>	<b>\$ 99,665</b>
<b><u>OTPS</u></b>			
Office/Program Supplies	\$ 500	\$ 510	\$ 520
Administrative Consultation	\$ 12,000	\$ 12,240	\$ 12,485
Travel/Mileage	\$ 4,000	\$ 4,080	\$ 4,161
Other Expenses	\$ 8,220	\$ 8,384	\$ 8,552
➤ Cell Phone			
➤ Wireless Card Service			
➤ Software Licensing Client Tracker			
Equipment	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
<b>Total OTPS</b>	<b>\$ 24,720</b>	<b>\$ 25,214</b>	<b>\$ 25,718</b>
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 120,515</b>	<b>\$ 122,925</b>	<b>\$ 125,383</b>

**APPENDIX C**  
**STANDARD CLAUSES FOR ALL ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES CONTRACTS**

**Personnel**

- a. The Contractor agrees to be solely responsible for the recruitment, hiring, provision of employment benefits, payment of salaries and management of its project personnel. These functions shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of this AGREEMENT, and all applicable Federal, State and County laws and regulations.
- b. It is the policy of the Department to encourage the employment of qualified applicants for, or recipients of public assistance by both public organization and private enterprises who are under contractual AGREEMENT to the Department for the provision of goods and services. Contractors will be expected to make best efforts in this area.
- c. The Contractor agrees to identify, in writing, the person(s) who will be responsible for directing the work to be done under this AGREEMENT. No change or substitution of such responsible person(s) will be made without prior approval in writing from the Department, to the degree that such change is within the reasonable control of the Contractor

**Notices**

- a. All notices permitted or required hereunder shall be in writing and shall be transmitted either by:
  - a. By certified or registered United States mail, return receipt requested;
  - b. By Facsimile transmission;
  - c. By personal delivery;
  - d. By expedited delivery service; or
  - e. By e-mail

Notices to the Department shall be addressed to the Commissioner of Social Services at the Address, Telephone Number, Facsimile Number or E-mail Address provided to the Contractor during contract development, or to such different Program Manager as the Department may for time-to time designate.

- b. Any such notice shall be deemed to have been given either at the time of personal delivery or, in the case of expedited delivery service or certified or register United States mail, as of the date of first attempted delivery at the address and in the manner provided herein, or in the case of facsimile transmission or email, upon receipt.
- c. The parties may, from time to time, specify any new or different address in the United States as their address for purpose of receiving notice under this Agreement by giving

fifteen (15) days written notice to the other party sent in accordance herewith. The Parties agree to mutually designate individuals as their respective representatives for the purposes of implementation and administration/billing, resolving issues and problems and/or for dispute resolution.

#### Office Services

- a. The contractor shall be responsible for the provision of necessary equipment and services for Contractor's staff, pursuant to and described in the narratives and budgets contained in the AGREEMENT.
- b. For Federally funded contracts, title to real property and non-expendable personal property whose requisition cost is borne in whole or in part by monies proved under this AGREEMENT shall be determined between the Contractor and the Department, pursuant to Federal regulations 45 CFR 92 unless such authority is otherwise inappropriate. Title to all equipment, supplies and material purchased with funds under this AGREEMENT under contracts which are not Federally funded shall be in the State of New York and the property shall not be transferred, conveyed, or disposed of without written approval of the Department. Upon expiration or termination of this Agreement, all property purchased with funds under this Agreement shall be returned to the Department, unless the Department has given direction for, or approval of, an alternative means of disposition in writing.
- c. Upon written direction by the Department, the Contractor shall maintain an inventory of those properties that are subject to the provisions of sub-paragraph b of this section

#### GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- a. The contractor agrees to comply in all respects with the provisions of this AGREEMENT and the attachments hereto. The Contractor specifically agrees to perform services according to the objectives, tasks, work plan and staffing plan contained in the AGREEMENT. Any modifications to the tasks or work plan contained in AGREEMENT must be mutually agreed to by both parties in writing before the additional or modified tasks or work plan shall commence.
- b. If any specific event or conjunction of circumstances threatens the successful completion of the project, in whole or in part, including where relevant, timely completion of milestones, the Contractor agrees to submit to the Department within three days of occurrence or perception of such problem, a written description thereof together with a recommended solution thereto.
- c. The Contractor immediately shall notify in writing the Department Program Manager assigned to this contract of any unusual incident, occurrence or event that involves the

- staff, volunteers or officers of the Contractor, and subcontractor or Program participant funded through this contract, including but not limited to the following: death or serious injury; an arrest or possible criminal activity; and destruction of property; significant damage to the physical plant of the Contractor, or other matters of a similarly serious nature.
- d. In providing these services, the Contractor hereby agrees to be responsible for designing and operating these services, and otherwise performing, so as to maximize Federal financial participation to the Department under the Federal Social Security Act.
- e. If funds from this contract will be used to pay any costs associated with the provision of legal services of any sort, the following shall apply;
- No litigation shall be brought against the State of New York, the New York State Office of Children and Family Services, or against Oneida County or the Department or other local government or local social services district with funds provided under this contract. The term "litigation" shall include commencing or threatening to commence a lawsuit joining or threatening to join as a party to ongoing litigation, or requesting any relief from either the State of New York, the New York State Office of Children and Family Services or Oneida County or other local government or local social services district, based upon any agreement between such agency in litigation with another party and such party, during pendency of the litigation.
  - Opinions prepared by consultant law firms construing the statues of Constitution of the State of New York do not constitute the view of the State unless the prior written approval of the Attorney General is obtained. Requests for said approval shall be submitted to the Solicitor General, Division of the appeals and Opinions Bureau, department of Law, The Capital, Albany, New York 12224
  - The Contractor shall provide to the Department in a format provided by the Department such additional information concerning the provision of legal services as the Department shall require.
- f. The Department will designate a contract Manager who shall have authority relating to the technical services and operational functions of this AGREEMENT and activities completed or contemplated there under. The Contract Manager and those individuals designated by him/her in writing shall have the prerogative to make announced or unannounced on-site visits to the project. Project reports and issues of interpretation or direction relating to this AGREEMENT shall be directed to the Contract Manager.
- g. Except where the Department otherwise authorizes or directs in writing, the Contractor agrees not to enter into any subcontracts, or revisions to subcontracts, for the

performance of the obligations contained herein until it has received the prior written approval of the Department, which shall have the right to review and approve each and every subcontract prior to giving written approval to the contractor to enter into the subcontract. All AGREEMENTS between the Contractor and subcontractors shall be by written contract, signed by individuals authorized to bind the parties. All such subcontracts shall contain provisions for specifying (1) that the work performed by the subcontractor must be in accordance with the terms of this AGREEMENT (2) that nothing contained in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the Department under this AGREEMENT, (3) that nothing contained in the subcontract, nor under this AGREEMENT, shall be deemed to create any contractual relationship between the subcontractor and the Department, and (4) incorporating all provisions regarding the rights of the Department as set forth in Agreement, where applicable. The Contractor specifically agrees that the Contractor shall be fully responsible to the Department for the acts and omissions of subcontractors and of persons either directly or indirectly employed by them, as it is for the acts and omissions of persons directly employed by the Contractor.

- h. The Contractor warrants that it, its staff and any and all Subcontractors which must be approved by the Department, have all the necessary licenses, approvals and certifications currently required by the law of any applicable local, state or federal government to perform the services pursuant to this AGREEMENT and/or subcontract entered into under this AGREEMENT. The contractor further agrees such required licenses, approvals and certificates will be kept in full force and effect during the term of this Agreement, and/or any extension thereof, and to secure any new licenses, approvals or certificates within the required time frames and/or to require its staff and Subcontractors to obtain and requisite licenses, approvals or certificates. In the event the contractor, its staff, and/or Subcontractors are notified of a denial or revocation of any license, approval or certification to perform the services under the AGREEMENT, Contractor will immediately notify the Department.
- i. This Agreement cannot be assigned by the Contractor to a subcontractor without obtaining written approval of the Department. Prior to executing a subcontract agreement the Contractor agrees to provide the Department the information the Department needs to determine whether a proposed Subcontractor is a responsible vendor. The Determination of Vendor responsibility will be made in accordance with Section n. of General Terms and Conditions
- j. If the Contractor intends to use materials, equipment or personnel paid for under this contract in a revenue generating activity, the Contractor shall report such intentions to the Department forthwith and shall be subject to the direction of the Department as to the disposition of such revenue.

- k. Any interest accrued on funds paid to the Contractor by the Department shall be deemed to be the property of the Department and shall either be credited to the Department at the termination of this AGREEMENT or expended on additional services provided for under this AGREEMENT.
  
- l. The Contractor ensures that the grounds, structures, building and furnishings at the program site(s) used under this AGREEMENT are maintained in good repair and free from any danger to health or safety and that any building or structure used for program services complies with all applicable zoning, building, health, sanitary, and fire codes.
  
- m. The Contractor agrees to produce, and retain for the balance of the calendar year in which produced, and for a period of six years thereafter, any and all records necessary to substantiate upon audit, the proper deposit and expenditure of funds received under this contract. Such records shall include, but not be limited to, original books of entry (e.g., cash disbursements and cash receipts journal), and the following specific records (as applicable) to substantiate the types of expenditures noted:
  - a) Payroll Expenditures: cancelled checks and the related bank statements, time and attendance records, payroll journals, employee personal history folders, and cost allocation plans, if applicable.
  - b) Payroll Taxes and Fringe Benefits: cancelled checks, copies of related bank statements, reporting forms, and invoices for Fringe Benefit expenses.
  - c) Non-Personal Services Expenditures: original invoices/receipts, cancelled checks and related bank statements, consultant agreements, leases, and cost allocation plans, if applicable.
  - d) Receipt and Deposit of Advance and Reimbursements: Itemized bank stamped deposit slips, and a copy of the related bank statements.
  - e) The Contractor agrees that any equipment purchased with funds under this agreement is the property of the Department and will remain with or will be returned to the Department in the event of the termination of this Agreement,

Although not required, the Department recommends that the Contractor retain records directly pertinent to this contract for a period of ten (10) years after the end of the calendar year in which they were made, as the statute of limitations for the New York False Claims Act is ten years.

- n. By signing this contract, the Contractor certifies that within the past three years the Contractor has engaged in no actions that would establish a basis for a finding by the Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor or, if the Contractor has engaged in any such action or actions, that all such actions have been disclosed to the Department prior to entering into this Contract. The actions that would potentially establish a basis for a finding by Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor include:

- The Contractor has had a license or contract suspended, revoked or terminated by a governmental agency.
- The Contractor has had a claim, lien, fine, or penalty imposed or secured against the Contractor by a governmental agency.
- The Contractor has initiated a bankruptcy proceeding or such a proceeding has been initiated against the Contractor
- The Contractor has been issued a citation, notice, or violation order by a governmental agency finding the Contractor to be in violation of any local, state, or federal laws.
- The Contractor has been advised by a governmental agency that a determination to issue a citation, notice or violation order finding the Contractor to be in violation of any local, state or federal laws is pending before a governmental agency
- The contractor has not paid all due and owed local, state and federal taxes to the proper authorities
- The contractor has engaged in any other actions of a similarly serious nature.

Where the Contractor has disclosed any of the above to the Department, Department may require as a condition precedent to entering into the contract that the Contractor agree to such additional conditions as will be necessary to satisfy the Department that the vendor is and will remain a responsible vendor. By signing this contract, the Contractor agrees to comply with any such additional conditions that have been made a part of this contract.

By signing this contract, the contractor also agrees that during the term of the contract, the Contractor will promptly notify the Department if the Contractor engages in any actions that would establish a basis for a finding by Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor, as described above.

- o. By signing this contract, the contractor agrees to comply with State Tax Law section 5-a
- p. Contractors must maintain Workers Compensation Insurance in accordance with the Workers Compensation Law. If a contractor believes they are exempt from the Workers Compensation insurance requirement then they must apply for an exemption. Contractors can apply for the exemption online through the New York State Workers Compensation Board website at:  
[http://www.wcb.state.ny.us/content/ebiz/wc\\_db\\_exemptions/wc\\_db\\_exemptions.jsp](http://www.wcb.state.ny.us/content/ebiz/wc_db_exemptions/wc_db_exemptions.jsp)
- q. All organizations that receive Federal financial assistance under social service programs are prohibited from discriminating against beneficiaries or prospective beneficiaries of the social service programs on the basis of religion or religious belief. Accordingly, organizations, in providing services supported in whole or in part with Federal financial assistance, and in their outreach activities related to such services, are not allowed to discriminate against current or prospective program beneficiaries on the basis of



religion, a religious belief, a refusal to hold a religious belief, or a refusal to attend or participate in a religious practice.

Organizations that engage in explicitly religious activities (including activities that involve overt religious content such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization) must perform such activities and offer such services outside of programs that are supported with direct Federal financial assistance (including through prime awards or sub-awards), separately in time or location from any such programs or services supported with direct Federal financial assistance, and participation in any such explicitly religious activities must be voluntary for the beneficiaries of the social service program supported with such Federal financial assistance

## REPORTS AND DELIVERABLES

The Contractor shall prepare and submit all reports, documents, and projects required by this AGREEMENT to the Office's Contract Manager for review and approval. These reports shall be in such substance, form, and frequency as required by the Department and as necessary to meet State, Federal and County requirements.

The Contractor shall complete Contract Evaluations as required by the Department as well as Statistical Data as needed by the Department and New York State to meet the reporting requirements.

## CONFIDENTIALITY AND PROTECTION ON HUMAN SUBJECTS

- a. The Contractor agrees to safeguard the confidentiality of financial and/or client information relating to individuals and their families who may receive services in the course of this project. The Contractor shall maintain the confidentiality of all such financial and/or client information with regard to services provided under this AGREEMENT in conformity with the provisions of applicable State, Federal, and County laws and regulations. Any breach of confidentiality by the Contractor, its agents or representatives shall be cause for immediate termination of this AGREEMENT.
- b. Any contractor who will provide goods and/or services to a residential facility or program operated by Department agrees to require all of its employees and volunteers who will have the potential for regular and substantial contact with youth in the care or custody of the Department to sign an Employee Confidentiality Certification and employee Background Certification before any such employees and volunteers are permitted access to youth in the care or custody of the Department and/or any financial and/or client identifiable information concerning such youth. Additionally, Department will require a database check of the State wide Central Register of Child Abuse and Maltreatment (SCR) of each employee and volunteer of the Contractor who has the potential for regular and substantial contract with children in the care or custody of the

Department. Any other Contractor whose employees and volunteers will have access to financial and/or client identifiable information concerning youth in the care or custody of Department agrees to require all such employees and volunteers to sign a Employee Confidentiality Certification before any such employees and volunteers are permitted access to any financial and/or client identifiable information concerning such youth.

- c. Contractor and any subsequent sub-contractor shall not discriminate or refuse assistance to individuals with AIDS or an HIV infection or an HIV - related illness.

The Contractor and any subsequent sub-contractor agrees that their staff to whom confidential HIV - related information may be given as a necessity for providing services and in accordance with 403 of Title 18 NYSDSS regulation and Section 2782 of the Public Health Law are fully informed of the penalties and fines for redisclosure in violations of State Law and Regulations.

The Contractor and any subsequent sub-contractor must include the following written statement when disclosing any confidential HIV - related information.

"This information has been disclosed to you from confidential records which are protected by State Law. State Law prohibits you from making any further disclosure of this information without the specific written consent of the person to whom it pertains, or as otherwise permitted by law. Any unauthorized further disclosure in violation of State Law may result in a fine or jail sentence or both. A general authorization for the release of medical or other information is not sufficient authorization for further disclosure."

- d. All information contained in the Contractors, or it's sub-contractor's files shall be held confidential pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Social Services Law and any State Department Regulations promulgated thereunder, including 18 NY CRR Sec. 357.5 and 423.7, as well as any applicable Federal Laws and any regulations promulgated thereunder and shall not be disclosed except as authorized by law.
- e. The Contractor and all Contract Staff that are subject to the Oneida County computer systems/databases shall complete the Oneida County Department of Social Services Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement provided with this agreement and shall submit forms to the following address:

Oneida County Department of Social Services  
Contract Administration Office, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
800 Park Ave  
Utica, New York, 13501

## PUBLICATIONS AND COPYRIGHTS

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- a. The results of any activity supported under this AGREEMENT may not be published without prior written approval of the Department, which results (1) shall acknowledge the support of the Department and the County and, if funded with Federal funds, the applicable federal funding agency, and (2) shall state that the opinions, results, findings and/or interpretations of data contained therein are the responsibility of the Contractor and do not necessarily represent the opinions, interpretation or policy of the Department or Oneida County.
- b. The Department and Oneida County expressly reserve the right to a royalty-free, non-exclusive and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish, distribute or otherwise use, in perpetuity, any and all copyrighted or copyrightable material resulting from this AGREEMENT or activity supported by this AGREEMENT. All publications by the Contractor covered by this AGREEMENT shall expressly acknowledge the Department's right to such license.
- c. All of the license rights so reserved to the Department and Oneida County under this paragraph are equally reserved to the United States Department of Health and Human Services and subject to the provisions on copyrights contained in 45 CFR 92 if the AGREEMENT is federally funded
- d. The Contractor agrees that at the completion of any scientific or statistical study, report or analysis prepared pursuant to this AGREEMENT, it will provide to the Department at no additional cost a copy of any and all data supporting the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis, together with the name(s) and business address(es) of the principal(s) producing the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis. The Contractor agrees and acknowledges the right of the Department, subject to applicable confidentiality restrictions, to release the name(s) and business address(es) producing the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis, together with a copy of the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis and all data supporting the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis.

#### PATENTS AND INVENTIONS

The Contractor agrees that any all inventions, conceived or first actually reduced to practice in the course of, or under this AGREEMENT, or with monies supplied pursuant to this AGREEMENT, shall be promptly and fully reported to the DEPARTMENT. Determination as to ownership and/or disposition of rights to such inventions, including whether a patent application shall be filed, and if so, the manner of obtaining, administering and disposing of rights under any patent application or patent which may be issued, shall be made pursuant to all applicable law and regulations.

#### TERMINATION

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- a. This AGREEMENT may be terminated by the DEPARTMENT upon thirty (30) days prior written notice to the Contractor. Such notice is to be made by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested or hand delivered with receipt granted by the Contractor. The date of such notice shall be deemed to be the date the notice is received by the contractor established by the receipt returned, if delivery by registered or certified mail, or by the receipt granted by the Contractor, if the notice is delivered by hand. The Department agrees to pay the Contractor for reasonable and appropriate expenses incurred in good faith before the date of termination of this AGREEMENT.
- b. If the Contractor fails to use any real property or equipment purchased pursuant to this AGREEMENT or the Contractor ceases to provide the services specified in the AGREEMENT for which the equipment was purchased, the Department may terminate this AGREEMENT upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor, where the Contractor has failed to cure as set forth hereafter, Said notice of breach and shall be sent by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested, or shall be delivered by hand, receiving Contractor's receipt therefore. Said notice shall specify the Contractor's breach and shall demand that such breach be cured. Upon failure of the Contractor to comply with such demand within thirty (30) days, or such longer period as may be specified therein, the Department may, upon written notice similarly served, immediately terminate this AGREEMENT, termination to be effective upon the date of receipt of such notice established by the receipt returned to the Department. Upon such termination, the Department may require (a) the repayment to the Department of any monies previously paid to the Contractor, or (b) return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of this AGREEMENT or an appropriate combination of (a) and (b), at the Department's option.
- c. To the extent permitted by law, this AGREEMENT shall be deemed in the sole discretion of the Department terminated immediately upon the filing of a petition in bankruptcy or insolvency, by or against the Contractor. Such termination shall be immediate and complete, without termination costs or further obligation by the Department to the Contractor
- d. Should the Department determine that Federal, State or County funds are limited or become unavailable for any reason, the Department may reduce that total amount of funds payable to the Contractor, reduce the contract period or deem this contract terminated immediately. The Department agrees to give notice to the Contractor as soon as it becomes aware that funds are unavailable, in the event of termination under this paragraph. If the initial notice is oral notification, the Department shall follow this up immediately with written notice. The Department will be obligated to pay the Contractor only for the expenditures made and obligations incurred by the

Contractor until such time as notice of termination is received either orally or in writing by the Contractor from the Department.

- e. The Contractor shall provide to the Department such information as is required by the Department in order that the Department may determine whether the Contractor is a responsible vendor for purposes of compliance with section 163 of the State Finance Law and requirements of the Department. If there is any change in any of the vendor responsibility information provided to the Department by the Contractor at any time during the term of this Agreement, the Contractor shall be required to immediately notify the Department so that the Department may assess whether the Contractor continues to be a responsible vendor. Should the Contractor fail to notify the Department of any change in the vendor responsibility information or should the Department otherwise determine that the Contractor has ceased to be a responsible vendor for the purposes of this AGREEMENT, the Department may terminate this AGREEMENT upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor. Said notice of termination shall be sent by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested, or shall be delivered by hand, receiving Contractor's receipt therefore. Said notice shall specify the reason(s) that the Contractor has been found to no longer be a responsible vendor.

Upon determination that the Contractor is no longer a responsible vendor the Department may, in its discretion and as an alternative to termination pursuant to this paragraph, notify the contractor of the determination that the Contractor has ceased to be a responsible vendor and set forth the corrective action that will be required of the Contractor to maintain the contract. Should the Contractor fail to comply with the required corrective action within thirty (30) days of the date of notification, or such longer period as may be specified therein, the Department may, upon written notice similarly served, immediately terminate this AGREEMENT, termination to be effective upon the date of receipt of such notice established by the receipt returned to the Department. Upon such termination, the Department may require (a) the repayment to the Department of any monies previously paid to the Contractor, (b) return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of this AGREEMENT, or an appropriate combination of (a) and (b) at the Department's option.

#### CONTRACTOR COMPLIANCE

The Contractor agrees to provide an Annual Certification pertaining to this Contract as part of the Contractor's Annual Independent audit.

The Department shall have the right to audit or review the Contractor's performance and operations as related to this AGREEMENT, or has abused or misused funds paid to the contractor, or if the Contractor has violated or is in non-compliance with any term of any

other AGREEMENT with the Department, or has abused or misused funds paid to the Contractor under any other AGREEMENT with the Department, the rights of the Department shall include, but not be limited to :

- Recovery of any funds expended in violation of the AGREEMENT;
- Suspension of Payments
- Termination of the AGREEMENT; and/or
- Employment of another entity to fulfill the requirements of the AGREEMENT.

The Contractor shall be liable for all reasonable costs incurred on account thereof, including payment of any cost differential for employing such entity. The Contractor will assist the Department in transferring the operation of the Contracted services to any other entity selected by the Department in a manner that will enable the Department or clients to continue to receive services in an on-going basis, including, but not limited to , notifying clients of the new entity to which the services will be transferred and the effective date of the transfer, providing the new entity promptly and at no charge with a complete copy of the clients' and all other records necessary to continue the provision of the transferred services, and transferring any equipment purchased with funds provided under this AGREEMENT.

Nothing herein shall preclude the Department from taking actions otherwise available to it under law.

The Contractor agrees to cooperate fully with any audit or investigation the Department or any agent of the Department may conduct and to provide access during normal business hours to any and all information necessary to perform its audit or investigation. The Contractor shall also allow the Department, and any representatives specifically directed by the Department to take possession of all books, records and documents relating to this AGREEMENT without prior notice to the Contractor. The Department will return all such books, records and documents to the Contractor upon completion the official purposes for which they were taken.

The Contractor agrees that all AGREEMENTS between the Contractor and a subcontractor or consultants for the performance of any obligations under the AGREEMENT will be by written contract (subcontract) which will contain provisions including, but not limited to, the above specified rights of the Department.

#### FISCAL SANCTION

In accordance with the Department, contractors may be placed on fiscal sanction when the Department identifies any of the following issues:

- The Contractor has received an advance, overpayment or other funds under this or another agreement that has not been refunded to the Department within the established timeframe;
- An Department or other audit identifies significant fiscal irregularities and/or that funds are due to the Department
- The Contractor has not provided satisfactory services as required under the terms of this or another Department agreement;
- The Contractor has not provided fiscal or program reports as required under the terms of this or another Department agreement;
- A Department, County, State or Federal prosecutorial or investigative agency identifies possible criminal activity, or significant fiscal or programmatic irregularities on the part of the Contractor;
- The Contractor is not in compliance with State, Federal, or County statutes or regulations, or applicable Department guidelines, policies and/or procedures; or
- Unsafe physical conditions exist at a program site operated by the Contractor and funded under an agreement with the Department

Once the Contractor has been placed on Fiscal Sanction, payments on all open contracts and any new awards, amendments or contract renewals will not be processed until the issues have been satisfactorily resolved. The contractor will be notified in advance of any proposed Fiscal sanction and will be provided a timeframe within which the issues must be resolved in order to avoid Fiscal Sanction. Issues that are not resolved within the timeframe established by the Department may be referred to the Attorney General (AG) for collection of legal action. If a contract is referred to the AG a collection fee will be added to the amount owed. In addition, interest will be due on any amount not paid in accordance with the timeframes established by the AG. The contractor will remain on Fiscal Sanction until the amount owed, including any collection fee and interest is paid.

#### ADDITIONAL ASSURANCES

- a. The Department and Contractor agree that Contractor is an independent contractor, and not in any way deemed to be an employee of the Department or County of Oneida for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, workers compensation, retirement or health benefits. The Contractor agrees to defend and indemnify the Department and/or Oneida County for any loss the Department and/or Oneida County may suffer when such losses result from claims of any person or organization injured by the negligent acts or omissions of Contractor, its officers and/or employees or subcontractors. Furthermore, the Contractor agrees to indemnify, defend, and save harmless the Department and/or Oneida County, and its officers, agents, and employees from any and all claims and losses occurring or resulting from any and all contractors, subcontractors, and any other person, firm, or corporation furnishing or supplying work, services, materials, or supplies in connection with the performance of

the contract, and from all claims and losses occurring or resulting to any person, firm, or corporation who may be injured or damaged by the Contractor in the performance of the contract, and against any liability, including costs and expenses, for violation of proprietary rights, copyrights, or rights of privacy, arising out of the publication, translation, reproduction, delivery, performance, or use, or disposition of any data furnished under the contract or based on any libelous or other unlawful matter contained in such data or written materials in any form produced pursuant to the contract.

- b. The Contractor, if a municipal corporation, represents that it is a self-insured entity. If a not-for-profit Corporation or entity other than a self-insured municipal Corporation, the Contractor agrees to obtain and maintain in effect a general policy of liability insurance in an amount not less than one million dollars (\$ 1,000,000) per incident and not less than three million (\$ 3,000,000) aggregate. The Contractor agrees that it will require any and all Subcontractors with whom it subcontracts pursuant to this contract to obtain and maintain a general policy of liability insurance in an amount not less than one million dollars (\$ 1,000,000) per incident and not less than three million (\$3,000,000) aggregate. The Contractor further agrees to procure and maintain in force, for the duration of this Agreement, insurance in types and in the amounts as determined by the Department. Such coverage must be identified and entered upon a Standard Insurance Certificate or its acceptable substitute and be signed by the Contractor's Agency's insurance company, agent or broker.

The Contractor agrees that it will, at its own expense, at all times during the term of this agreement, maintain in force a policy of insurance which will insure against liability for property damage and/or injury/death with regard to any property of persons. The liability and property damage coverage of such insurance shall not be less than One Million dollars (\$ 1,000,000) per incident and not less than three million (\$3,000,000) aggregate. The Contractor agrees to have the Department and Oneida County added to said insurance policies as named additional insured, on a primary, non-contributory basis, as their interest may appear, and to provide the Department and/or Oneida County with a certificate from said insurance company, or companies, showing coverage as herein before required, such certification to show the Department and the Oneida County as additional insureds and to provide that such coverage shall not be terminated without written prior notice to the to the Department and/or Oneida County of at least thirty (30) days.

The Contractor further agrees that the Department has the right to take whatever action it deems appropriate, including, but not limited to, the removal of the Contractor from the rotation list, the removal of clients, the cessation of client referrals, and termination of this Agreement, if the Contractor fails to submit a completed and signed Standard Insurance Certificate or its acceptable substitute, which is subsequently approved by the Oneida County Department of Law, prior to the expiration of its insurance coverage.



## RENEWAL NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Options to renew the contract are at the discretion of the Department, which shall supply written notice of such renewal or termination within 30 days of the expiration date. The Commissioner of Social Services reserves the right to evaluate the job performance and availability of funding.

## COMPLIANCE WITH LAW

The Contractor represents and agrees to comply with the requirements of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 as amended, the Age Discrimination Employment Act of 1964 as amended, the Federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973 as amended, and Executive Order No. 11246, entitled "Equal Employment Opportunity" as amended by Executive Order No. 11375 and as supplemented in Department of Labor Relations, 41CFR Part 60.

The Contractor also agrees to comply with Federal and State Laws as supplemented in the Dept. of Labor regulations and any other regulations of the Federal and State entities relating to such employment and Civil Rights requirements.

As a mandated reporting agency, all instances of suspected child abuse, neglect and/or maltreatment, will be reported to the Central Registry as required by law. These verbal reports will be followed by submission of completed 2221A to the local Department of Social Services. The family will be informed in advance of the Agency's decision to file a report with the Central Register.

The Contractor attest they have not been debarred by the Federal Government from contracting to provide services funded by any Federal money.

The obligations of the parties hereunder are conditioned upon the continued availability of Federal and/or New York State Funds for the purposes set forth in this Agreement.

Should funds become unavailable or should appropriate Federal or New York State officials fail to approve sufficient funds for completion of the services or programs set forth in this Agreement, the Department shall have the option to immediately terminate this Agreement upon providing written notice to the Contractor. In such an event, the Department shall be under no further obligation to the Contractor other than payment for costs actually incurred prior to termination and in no event will the Department be responsible for any actual or consequential damages as a result of termination.

This Agreement contains all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties. All items incorporated by reference are to be attached. No other understandings, oral or otherwise, regarding the subject matter of this Agreement, shall be deemed to exist or to bind any of the parties hereto.

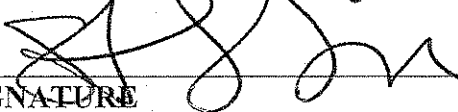
No waiver, alterations or modifications of and provisions of this Agreement shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

This Agreement shall be binding upon both parties when fully signed and executed and upon approval of the appropriate legislative bodies where required.

As the duly authorized representative of the Contractor, I hereby certify that the Contractor will comply with the above Standard Clauses.

Kids Oneida Inc.  
NAME OF CONTRACTED AGENCY

Steven Bilzer, CEO/Executive Director  
PRINTED NAME AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

  
SIGNATURE

3/13/15  
DATE

**Oneida County Department of Social Services  
Contractor and Contract Staff  
Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement**

I, the undersigned, an employee of \_\_\_\_\_, (the  
Name of Contract Agency

“Service Provider”), hereby state that I understand and agree that all information provided to the Service Provider from the Oneida County Department of Social Services staff by paper copies, computer systems or databases, electronic communication or otherwise obtained pursuant to the Agreement entered between the Oneida County Department of Social Services and the Service Provider indicated above, is CONFIDENTIAL, is to be used only for the purposes of performing services required by the Agreement, and must be safeguarded from unauthorized disclosure.

I further understand that such information includes, but is not limited to, any and all information regarding parents or guardians and their children, and all employment, financial, and personal identifying data, including Protected Health Information (PHI) as set forth in HIPAA regulations.

I agree to maintain all such information as CONFIDENTIAL, and I agree to use such information only in the performance of my official duties to perform the functions required by the Agreement, unless otherwise authorized in writing by the Department of Social Services.

I understand that confidential information maintained in and/or obtained from systems/databases such as, but not limited to the Welfare Management system (WMS), Child Support Management System (CSMS/ASSETS), Benefits Issuance Control System (BICS), COGNOS, and Connections are protected by Federal and State statutes and regulations. Access and disclosure of confidential information is strictly limited to authorized employees and legally designated agents, for authorized purposes only in the delivery of program services.

I understand that service providers may not access their own active, closed or archived records or those involving a relative, friend, acquaintance, neighbor, partner or co-worker or other individuals to whom they have no official assignment.

I understand that if my employment is terminated by resignation, retirement or for other reasons or the Service Provider Contract is not renewed, the terms of this Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement are still binding.

I understand that if I disclose CONFIDENTIAL information in violation of the requirements stated herein, any individual who incurs damages due to the disclosure may recover such damage in a civil action.

I understand that, in addition to any other penalties provided by law, any person who willfully releases or willfully permits the release of any CONFIDENTIAL information as described herein to persons or agencies not authorized under New York State law to receive it shall be guilty of a class A misdemeanor.

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Witness: \_\_\_\_\_

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**ADDENDUM**

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this 1st day of January, 2015, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as COUNTY, and a contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as CONTRACTOR.

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CONTRACTOR have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which COUNTY is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

**1. Executor or Non-Appropriation Clause.**

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

**2. Oneida County Board of Legislators: Resolution #249 Solid Waste Disposal Requirements.**

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislator Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

**3. Certification Regarding Lobbying; Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters; and Drug-Free Workplace Requirements.**

a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:

1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer

or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, and officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any Federal Grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal grant or cooperative agreement.

2. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
  3. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,
1. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
    - a. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
    - b. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract 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 contracts 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 indicated or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government 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 Contract had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) for cause or default; and
  2. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.
- c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
1. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:

- a. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
- b. Establishing an on-going drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:
  1. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
  2. The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
  3. Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
  4. The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;
- c. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a);
- d. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:
  1. Abide by the terms of the statement; and
  2. Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;
- e. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (d)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position title, to: Director Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.
- f. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted;
  1. Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the Requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
  2. Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;
- g. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (a),(b),(c),(d),(e),(f).

2. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.

Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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- d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F. for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
1. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and
  2. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to: Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

**4. Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).**

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

- a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:
1. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
  2. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
  3. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to filing cabinets, and locks on drawers, cabinets, and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.
- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the County in any

manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:

1. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
  2. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.
- c. The Contractor shall:
1. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
  2. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
  3. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
  4. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
  5. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.524;
  6. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
  7. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
  8. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
  9. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County that the Contractor still maintains in any form and retain no copies of such information or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.
- d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:
1. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;



2. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  3. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

**5. Non-Assignment Clause.**

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and attempts to do so are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

**6. Worker's Compensation Benefits.**

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

**7. Non-Discrimination Requirements.**

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or

intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

#### **8. Wage and Hours Provisions.**

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

#### **9. Non-Collusive Bidding Certification.**

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor affirms, under penalty of perjury, that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

#### **10. Records.**

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails and attachments, rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection,

**14. Prohibition on Purchase of Tropical Hardwoods.**

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the County.

**15. Compliance with New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act.**

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

**16. Gratuities and Kickbacks.**

a. Gratuities. It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request, influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard, rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application, request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

**17. Audit**

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The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a Federal financial assistance program from a Federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

**18. Certification of compliance with the Iran Divestment Act.**

Pursuant Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each Bidder/Contractor, any person signing on behalf of any Bidder/Contractor and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (OGS) website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each Bidder/Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the Bidder/Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any Bidder/Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a Bidder/Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he/she/it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be

appropriate including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the Bidder/Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a Bidder/Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any Bidder/Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have signed this document on the day and year first above written.

**County of Oneida**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Oneida County Executive

Approved as to Form only

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Oneida County Attorney

**Contractor**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name:

*Steven Bulger*  
*Kids Oneida, Inc.*

Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
County Executive

Lucille A. Soldato  
Commissioner



**ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES**  
County Office Building, 800 Park Avenue, Utica, NY 13501  
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March 19, 2015

Honorable Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

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HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES  
WAYS & MEANS

Dear Mr. Picente:

I am submitting the following Purchase of Services Agreement for review and approval by the Board of Legislators per Board Resolutions and Local Law #3 of 2001, amending Article VIII, Section 802 of the Administrative Code.

Enclosed is a Purchase of Services Agreement with Kids Oneida Inc., 310 Main Street, Utica, New York, to prove a Case Planning Program for the Department's active Child Preventive and Protective caseload. This year's program will be operational from January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2017. The maximum cost of this Contract is \$ 1,931,044.00 with a local cost of 27.18% or \$ 524,857.76

This program has served the Department well as a key component of our Preventive Services efforts. The prevention of foster care must be an intensive effort if we are to achieve any success with families. Additionally, we must improve our ability to both return children from foster care at a faster rate, or if this is not possible to legally free them for Adoption.

I am respectfully requesting that this matter be submitted to the Board of Legislators for further action.

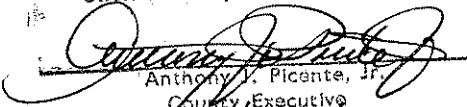
Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

  
Lucille A. Soldato  
Commissioner

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attachment

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date

4/6/15

3/19/15  
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Oneida Co. Department Social Services

Competing Proposal  X   
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_

Oneida County Board of Legislators  
Contract Summary

Name of Proposing Organization: Kids Oneida Inc.  
310 Main Street  
Utica, New York 13501

Title of Activity or Services: Case Planning

Proposed Dates of Operations: January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015

Client Population/Number to be Served: Children & families in need of child welfare services in addition to all adolescents with a goal of independent living.

**SUMMARY STATEMENTS**

**1). Narrative Description of Proposed Services**

The purpose is to maintain children in their own homes by use of community-based services (Case Planners) there is need to provide these services to families in order to return children from foster care. There is additional need to provide skills in everyday living for children in foster care with a goal of independent living.

**2). Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes**

The case planning contract will work with participant families to prevent children from entering care, to reduce the length of stay of children in placement, to reduce the number of children needing replacement and to provide community oversight to high risk cases in order to monitor and insure children's safety. Family service needs will be identified and participants will become engaged in services. Family assessment will be done in a manner that reflects culturally competent and family focused planning. Case planning responsibilities will include casework counseling, advocacy and referral, service coordination, supervision and oversight of open cases. The case planner will provide community oversight for children in high risk families through frequent contact and/or monitoring of court orders as well as the identification and utilization of appropriate community based resources as well as contact with individuals in a position to assess safety and well being of the children.

**3). Program Design and Staffing Level -**

12 Full-time Case Planners  
2 Sr. Case Planners  
1 Full-time Program Manager  
1 Part-time Clinical Director

**Total Funding Requested:** \$ 1,931,044.00

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** Account #:A6070.49547

**Mandated or Non-mandated:** Mandated preventive service

**Proposed Funding Source (Federal \$ /State \$ / County \$):**

Federal	38.39 %	=	\$ 741,327.79
State	34.43 %	=	\$ 664,858.45
County	27.18 %	=	\$ 524,857.78

**Cost Per Client Served:**

**Past performance Served:** The Contractor has provided the Department with Case Planning Services since 2011. The Contractor's budget for this service in 2014 was \$655,953.00.

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:**

This program was submitted through the Request for proposal process and Kids Oneida was awarded the contract. This is a three year contract with yearly costs as follows:

Maximum cost in 2015 - \$ 630,975  
Maximum cost in 2016 - \$ 643,599  
Maximum cost in 2017 - \$ 656,470  
**Total three year \$ 1,931,044**



**THIS IS AN AGREEMENT**, by and between the ONEIDA COUNTY THROUGH ITS DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES (hereinafter called the DEPARTMENT) having its principal office at 800 PARK AVENUE, UTICA, NY 13501 and KIDS ONEIDA INC. a not-for-profit corporation as defined in Section 102 (a) (5) of the Not-For-Profit Corporation Law (or, a public agency) having its principal office at 310 MAIN STREET, UTICA, NEW YORK 13501 (hereinafter called the Agency or Contractor).

**WITNESSETH:**

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner of Social Services of the County of ONEIDA (hereinafter called the Commissioner) is charged with the responsibility for the administration of all child welfare services provided in the County of ONEIDA (hereinafter, the County) at public expense pursuant to Article 6 of the Social Services Law including preventive services pursuant to Section 409 et seq of the Social Services Law and the Consolidated Services Plan for New York State, and

**WHEREAS**, the Commissioner pursuant to Section 409-a.3 of the Social Services Law and 18 NYCRR Section 405.1 may provide such preventive services directly or through an authorized agency as defined in subdivision (a) of Section 371.10 of the Social Services Law, or a not-for-profit corporation as defined in paragraph (5) of subdivision (a) of Section 102 of the Not-for-Profit Corporation Law or a public agency that receives the prior approval of the New York State Department of Social Services; and

**WHEREAS**, the Contractor under the terms of its corporate authority has the power to provide the services required to be performed herein and

or

**WHEREAS**, the public agency has the statutory authority to provide the services required to be performed herein; and

**WHEREAS**, the Department has determined that the amount of funds to be paid to the Contractor is reasonable and necessary to provide quality preventive services in conformance with the Consolidated Services Plan of the County of ONEIDA, Section 409 et seq of the Social Services Law and 18 NYCRR Parts 405 and 423, and

**WHEREAS**, it is economically and organizationally feasible for the Department to contract with the Contractor for the performance of these services.

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS MUTUALLY AGREED BETWEEN THE DEPARTMENT AND THE CONTRACTOR AS FOLLOWS:**

## SECTION I DEFINITIONS

Whenever the following terms are used in this AGREEMENT and schedules attached hereto, they shall have the following meaning unless otherwise clearly noted.

(1) Preventive services shall mean these supportive and rehabilitative services provided to children and their families in accordance with the provisions of 18 NYCRR Part 423 for the purpose of: averting a disruption of a family which will or could result in placement of a child in foster care; enabling a child who has been placed in foster care to return to his family at an earlier time than would otherwise be possible; or reducing the likelihood that a child who has been discharged from foster care would return to such care. The following services, when provided for the above-stated purpose and in conformity with this Part, are considered preventive services.

Mandated preventive services shall mean preventive services provided to a child and his family whom the district is required to serve pursuant to 18 NYCRR Part 430.9. Non-mandated preventive services shall mean preventive services provided to a child and his family who the district may service pursuant to Section 409-a (2) of the Social Services Law. The services, set forth in paragraph (2) through (17) of this AGREEMENT when provided for the above-stated purpose and in conformity with 18 NYCRR Part 423, are considered preventive services.

(2) Case management is defined as the responsibility of the local Department of Social Services to authorize the provision of preventive services, to approve the client eligibility determination according to the criteria of 18 NYCRR Part 423.3 and, to approve in writing, the service plans as defined in 18 NYCRR Part 428.

(3) Case planning is defined as assessing the need for, providing or arranging for, coordinating and evaluating the provision of those preventive services needed by a child and his family to prevent disruption of the family or to help a child in foster care return home sooner. Case planning shall include, but not be limited to, referring such child and his family to other services as needed, including but not limited to, educational counseling and training, vocational diagnosis and training, employment counseling, therapeutic and preventive medical care and treatment, health counseling and health maintenance services, vocational rehabilitation, housing services, speech therapy and legal services. Case planning responsibility shall also include documenting client progress and adherence to the plan by recording in the uniform case record as defined in 18 NYCRR Part 428 and 18 NYCRR Part 430.8 through 430.12 that such services are provided and providing casework contact as defined in paragraph (4) of this AGREEMENT. Case planner shall mean the caseworker assigned case planning responsibility.

(4) Casework contacts is defined as :

(i). Individual or group face-to-face counseling sessions between the case planner and the child and/or the child's parents, relatives or guardians constitutes preventive services for the purpose of guiding the child and/or the child's parents or guardians towards a course of action

agreed to by the child and/or the child's parents or guardians as the best method of attaining personal objectives or resolving problems or needs of a social, emotional, developmental or economic nature.

(ii). Individual or group activities with the child and/or the child's parents that are planned for the purposes of achieving such course of action as specified in the child and family's service plan.

(5). Clinical services is defined as assessment, diagnosis, testing, psychotherapy, and specialized therapies provided by a person who has received a master's degree in social work, a licensed psychologist, a licensed psychiatrist or other recognized therapist in human services. Such services shall be separate and distinct from casework contacts as defined in paragraph (4) of this AGREEMENT.

(6). Day Care services as defined in the Consolidated Services Plan of the State Department of Social Services prepared pursuant to Section 34-a of the Social Services Law,

(7). Day services to children as defined in 18 NYCRR Part 425.1 shall mean a program offering a combination of services including at least: social services, psychiatric, psychological, education and/or vocational services and health supervision and also including, as appropriate, recreational and transportation services, for at least 3 but not less than 24 hours a day and at least 4 days per week excluding holidays. If it can be demonstrated that one or more of these services are not needed by the population served, that service may be waived.

(8). Emergency cash or goods is defined as money or the equivalent thereto, food, clothing or other essential items that are provided to a child and his family in an emergency or acute problem situation in order to avert foster care placement.

(9). Emergency shelter is defined as providing or arranging for shelter where a child and his family who are in an emergency or acute problem situation reside in a site other than their own home in order to avert foster care placement.

(10). Family shall be defined solely for the purpose of this Agreement as the child who is at risk of foster care, his parent, or legal guardians, or other caretakers and siblings. Family may include a woman who is pregnant as specified in 18 NYCRR Part 430.9(c)(6). Family may also include a child who does not live with his parents and needs services to prevent return to foster care.

(11). Family planning services as defined in the Consolidated Services Plan of the State Department of Social Services prepared pursuant to Section 34-a of the Social Services Law.

(12). Home management services as defined in the Consolidated Services Plan of the State Department of Social Services prepared pursuant to Section 34-a of the Social Services Law.

(13). Homemaker services as defined in the Consolidated Services Plan of the State Department of Social Services prepared pursuant to Section 34-a of the Social Services Law.

(14). Housekeeper/chore services as defined in the Consolidated Services Plan of the State Department of Social Services prepared pursuant to Section 34-a of the Social Services Law.

(15). Parent Aide Services is defined as those services provided in the home and community that focus on the need of the parent for instruction and guidance and are designed to maintain and enhance parental functioning and family/parent role performance. Techniques may include but not limited to role modeling, listening skills, home management assistance and education in parenting skills and personal coping behavior.

(16). Parent training is defined as group instruction in parent skills development and the developmental needs of the child and adolescent for the purpose of strengthening parental functioning and parent / child relationships in order to avert a disruption in a family or help a child in foster care return home sooner than otherwise possible. Parent training may include child-parent interaction groups formed to enhance relationship and communication skills.

(17). Transportation services is defined as providing or arranging for transportation of the child and/or his family to and/or from services arranged as part of the child's service plan except that transportation may not be provided as a preventive service for visitation of children in foster care with their parents and may only be provided if such transportation cannot be arranged or provided by the child's family.

## SECTION II TERM OF AGREEMENT

(18). The term of this Agreement shall be from JANUARY 1, 2015 through DECEMBER 31, 2017. The option to renew this Agreement under all terms and conditions, including the budget set forth for year 3, for two additional terms of one year each, not to exceed December 31, 2019, is at the sole discretion of the Department and notice to the Contractor shall be provided prior to the end of the term of Agreement.

## SECTION III SCOPE OF SERVICES

(19). It is mutually agreed between the DEPARTMENT and the CONTRACTOR that the CONTRACTOR shall furnish preventive services to recipients in accordance with Federal and New York State Laws and Regulations, including 18 NYCRR Parts 404 and 423 and any other standards prescribed by the New York State Department of Social Services. It is mutually agreed that all that follows in this section shall be viewed in the context of this paragraph.

(20). The DEPARTMENT shall be responsible for determining the eligibility of persons for

preventive services to be purchased by the DEPARTMENT. The DEPARTMENT shall also be responsible for establishing the policies and procedures for such eligibility determinations in accordance with 18 NYCRR Part 423 and any other standards prescribed by the New York State Department of Social Services.

(21). The DEPARTMENT shall be responsible for case management which shall include authorizing the provision of preventive services, approving client eligibility in accordance with 18 NYCRR Section 423.3 and approving child service plans.

(22). The CONTRACTOR agrees to provide preventive services in accordance with the Program narrative and rates of payment described in Appendix B of this AGREEMENT.

(23). The CONTRACTOR and the DEPARTMENT shall cooperate in the collection and exchange of data to facilitate service planning and to provide required information to the State's Child Care Review Service.

(24). The CONTRACTOR and the DEPARTMENT agree to comply with Section 153 of the Social Services Law which requires all social services districts which purchase preventive services from other authorized agencies to charge any loss of reimbursement pursuant to this section to such agencies to the extent that such loss is attributable to such agencies.

(25). The CONTRACTOR and the DEPARTMENT agree that a determination by the State Department of Social Services to deny reimbursement to the DEPARTMENT for the provision of preventive services for a child, pursuant to Sections 153 and 153-a through 153-k of the Social Services Law, shall not relieve the DEPARTMENT or the CONTRACTOR from which the DEPARTMENT has purchased preventive services, from its statutory or contractual obligations to continue to provide preventive services for the child or other children in its care.

(26). Case Planning, along with casework contacts, shall be provided by the CONTRACTOR in accordance with Appendix B of this AGREEMENT and as required by individual case plans 18 NYCRR Part 428.1 through 428.10.

(27). The CONTRACTOR will review and discuss the service plan with the DEPARTMENT. Any changes in the plan or significant deviation therefrom, shall be submitted in a revised plan to the DEPARTMENT prior to the proposed implementation of the change. The CONTRACTOR shall implement the change upon receipt of written approval by the DEPARTMENT.

(28). The CONTRACTOR agrees to comply with the reporting provision of suspected child abuse or maltreatment as set forth in Article 6 of Title 6 of the Social Services Law.

#### SECTION IV FAIR HEARINGS

(29). The DEPARTMENT shall notify applicants for, or recipients of, care and services of their right to a fair hearing to appeal the denial, reduction or termination of a service, or failure to act upon application within 30 days of application. The DEPARTMENT will also inform applicants for or recipients of preventive services how to file a fair hearing request. Whenever an applicant, or recipient, requests a fair hearing, the State Department of Social Services will provide such a hearing through its regular fair hearing procedures. The DEPARTMENT shall provide the CONTRACTOR with copies of the decision. The CONTRACTOR upon the request of the DEPARTMENT, shall participate in appeals and fair hearings as witnesses for a determination of issues.

#### SECTION V REIMBURSEMENT AND SERVICE FEES

(30). The DEPARTMENT shall reimburse the CONTRACTOR for provision of preventive services in accordance with the claiming procedures and prescribed schedule of fees, if applicable as set forth in Appendix B of this AGREEMENT and in accordance with State and Federal regulations pertaining to reimbursement of preventive services.

#### SECTION VI GENERAL RESPONSIBILITIES OF PARTIES

(31). The governing board of the CONTRACTOR shall exercise oversight of its day to day affairs and programs. The CONTRACTOR shall have the responsibility for day to day provision of preventive services for each child serviced by it in accordance with this AGREEMENT and with appropriate State Department of Social Services Regulations. It is recognized by the parties hereto, however, that ultimate responsibility for the welfare of each child rests with the DEPARTMENT.

(32). The CONTRACTOR will maintain sufficient staff, facilities and equipment, in accordance with the Regulations of the State Department of Social Services in order to provide the services set forth in Appendix B of this AGREEMENT.

(33). The CONTRACTOR agrees to provide the services described in Appendix B of this AGREEMENT at the principal location of KIDS ONEIDA INC. (Case Planning), 310 MAIN STREET, UTICA, NEW YORK 13501 and agrees to provide the DEPARTMENT written notification of the location(s) of any additional support services that are provided in conjunction with the child service plan, outside of the aforementioned address(s).

(34). The DEPARTMENT agrees to notify the CONTRACTOR with the person assigned to monitoring responsibility for Child Protective Services for the recipients receiving preventive services from the CONTRACTOR.

#### SECTION VII BOOKS, RECORDS AND REPORTS

(35). The CONTRACTOR will keep accurate records (in conformance with State regulations established for utilization review and uniform case recording) for each public charge receiving services under this AGREEMENT. Each record shall indicate the services provided to the

child and his or her family, in addition to other recipients of service involved with the case, including the date such services were provided. The CONTRACTOR shall make such reports to the DEPARTMENT on the current status and progress of each recipient of service at intervals required in the State Department of Social Services Regulations.

(36). All information contained in the CONTRACTOR'S files shall be held confidential by the CONTRACTOR and the DEPARTMENT pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Social Services Law and any State Department Regulations promulgated thereunder, including 18 NYCRR Section 357.5 and 423.7, as well as any applicable Federal Laws and any regulations promulgated thereunder and shall not be disclosed except as authorized by law.

(37). The records of individual recipients of services shall be made available to the DEPARTMENT upon request for consultation or review.

(38). The CONTRACTOR will maintain statistical records as required by the DEPARTMENT and will furnish such data at times prescribed by and on forms supplied by the DEPARTMENT.

(39). The CONTRACTOR agrees to maintain financial books, records and necessary supporting documents as required by the DEPARTMENT. The CONTRACTOR will use accounting procedures and practices which sufficiently and properly reflect all direct and indirect costs of the services provided under this AGREEMENT. The CONTRACTOR agrees to collect statistical data of a fiscal nature on a regular basis and to make fiscal and statistical reports at times prescribed by and on forms furnished by the DEPARTMENT.

(40). The CONTRACTOR agrees to retain all books, records and other documents relevant to this AGREEMENT for six (6) years after final payment for services to which they relate, during which time authorized County, State and/or Federal auditors shall have access to and the right to examine the same.

(41). In addition to Paragraph 37, 38, 39 and 40 of this AGREEMENT, and until the expiration of (6) years after the furnishing of services pursuant to this AGREEMENT or any subcontract made pursuant to this AGREEMENT, the CONTRACTOR and its subcontractor(s), shall make available, upon written request, to the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, or upon request, to the Comptroller General, or any of their duly authorized representatives, this AGREEMENT, and books, documents and records of CONTRACTOR or subcontractor(s) that are necessary to certify the nature and extent of such costs.

#### SECTION VIII ACCOUNTABILITY

(42). The DEPARTMENT will establish methods to evaluate the provision of preventive services by the CONTRACTOR pursuant to this AGREEMENT. All provisions of this Section shall be interpreted consistent with the New York State Law and applicable regulations. In

implementing the foregoing, the CONTRACTOR recognizes that the Commissioner, pursuant to statute, has ultimate responsibility for the protection and preservation of the welfare of all children within his jurisdiction and thus has the duty, ongoing throughout the term of this AGREEMENT, to monitor the CONTRACTOR with regard to the preventive services provided to the children referred hereunder.

(43). The CONTRACTOR agrees that a program and facilities review, as pertains to the delivery of preventive services under this AGREEMENT, including meetings with recipients of service, review of uniform case records, review of service policy and procedural issuances, review of staffing and job description and meetings with and staff directly or indirectly involved in the provision of preventive services, may be conducted at any reasonable time by qualified personnel from those local, State and Federal agencies with the required legal powers and statutory authority to conduct such activities.

(44). The DEPARTMENT shall confer with the CONTRACTOR at least twice a year to discuss the CONTRACTOR'S services purchased by the DEPARTMENT. This shall include but not be limited to such items as frequency of contact and planning with the natural family and significant others, scope of Service Plans and of achieving the goals stated therein, and to the extent to which special mental health, remedial, tutorial and vocational services were provided after the CONTRACTOR and the DEPARTMENT determined these were necessary. These semi-annual client reviews shall include determination of compliance to contract requirements.

(45). If the CONTRACTOR significantly does not conform to the provisions of this AGREEMENT after due written notice, the DEPARTMENT may take such actions or invoke such sanctions under this AGREEMENT and any appropriate regulations issued by the State Department of Social Services as it deems necessary.

(46). The CONTRACTOR shall not make any subcontract for the performance of this AGREEMENT without prior written approval of the DEPARTMENT. The assignment of this AGREEMENT, in whole or in part, or of any money due or to become due under this AGREEMENT shall be void. It should also be noted that where subcontractors are permitted, they are subject to Federal and State requirements governing purchase of services contracts and the CONTRACTOR is responsible for the performance of any subcontractor.

(47). The Contractor covenants and agrees that neither it nor any of its directors, officers, members, or employees has any interest, nor shall they acquire any interest, directly or indirectly, which would substantially or adversely conflict in any manner or degree with the CONTRACTOR'S performance of the Services defined in Section III. The CONTRACTOR further covenants that in the performance of this AGREEMENT, no person having such interest shall be employed. The names and addresses of the members of the Board of Directors of the CONTRACTOR are annexed to this AGREEMENT.

#### SECTION IX COMPLIANCE WITH LAW



(48). The CONTRACTOR represents and agrees to comply with the requirements of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 as amended, the Age Discrimination Employment Act of 1967 as amended, the Federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973 as amended, and Executive Order No.11375 and as supplemented in Department of Labor Relations, 41 CFR, Part 60. The CONTRACTOR also agrees to observe all applicable Federal regulations contained in 45 CFR, Part 84, and 28 CFR, Part 41.

(49). The CONTRACTOR represents and agrees to be bound by the terms and conditions of including any attachments, amendments, addendums or appendixes attached hereto and made a part hereof.

#### SECTION X TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT

(50). The CONTRACTOR may be terminated by mutual written agreement of the contracting parties.

(51). The CONTRACT may be terminated by the DEPARTMENT for cause upon the failure of the CONTRACTOR to comply with the terms and conditions of this AGREEMENT, including the attachment thereto, provided that the DEPARTMENT shall give the CONTRACTOR written notice specifying the CONTRACTOR'S failure. Such written notice shall be delivered via registered or certified mail with return receipt requested or shall be delivered by hand with receipt granted by the CONTRACTOR. The CONTRACTOR agrees not to incur new obligations or to claim for any expenses incurred after receipt of the notification of termination.

(52). In addition to the termination provisions set forth in paragraph 51 supra, the DEPARTMENT shall have the right to terminate this AGREEMENT in whole or in part, if at any time CONTRACTOR has failed to comply with any Federal, State or local health, safety or fire code regulations; or in the event that any license, approval or certification of the CONTRACTOR, required by Federal, State or County government is revoked, not renewed, or otherwise not in full force or effect, or in the event that a new such license, approval or certification is required and CONTRACTOR fails to secure it during the term of this AGREEMENT.

(53). When a CONTRACT is to be terminated pursuant to Paragraph 51 and 52 of this AGREEMENT, notice of termination shall be given in writing specifying the reasons for termination and the effective date of termination. The effective date shall not be less than sixty days from the date of notice, unless substantial breach of contract is involved, in which case the effective date shall not be less than thirty days from the date of notice. In any event, the effective date of termination shall not be later than the AGREEMENT expiration date.

(54). Upon termination or upon expiration of the term of this AGREEMENT pursuant to Paragraphs 50, 51, or 52 supra, the DEPARTMENT will arrange for the transfer to another CONTRACTOR of all public charges then served in the CONTRACTOR. In order to reimburse

that CONTRACTOR for all public charges not transferred by the effective date of termination, the DEPARTMENT and CONTRACTOR will negotiate an extension of this AGREEMENT prior to the date of termination.

(55). The CONTRACTOR shall comply with all DEPARTMENT close-out procedures, including but not limited to: account for and refund to the CONTRACTOR pursuant to this AGREEMENT; not incur or pay any further obligation to be reimbursed to it under this AGREEMENT beyond the termination date; and transmit to the DEPARTMENT or its designee on written request copies of all books, records, documents and materials pertaining to the financial details of any services provided under the terms of this AGREEMENT.

#### SECTION XI

(56). The DEPARTMENT and the CONTRACTOR agree that the CONTRACTOR is an independent CONTRACTOR and is not in anyway to be deemed an employee of the COUNTY.

(57). The CONTRACTOR agrees that it will at all times defend, indemnify and hold the COUNTY and its officers and employees harmless and free and clear of any and all liability arising from any act of omission or commission by the CONTRACTOR, its officers or employees, with respect to this AGREEMENT and any of the terms thereof.

(58). This CONTRACTOR agrees that payment by the COUNTY will be contingent upon the CONTRACTOR submitting a claim form to THE ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT which has been approved by DEPARTMENT certifying the satisfactory completion of the CONTRACTOR'S performance and setting forth the payment to be made.

(59). This AGREEMENT may not be assigned, transferred or in any way disposed of by the CONTRACTOR without first having obtained written approval thereof from the DEPARTMENT.

(60). The CONTRACTOR warrants that it is not in arrears to the COUNTY upon any debt or contract, and that it has not been in default and is not in default as surety, contractor or otherwise.

(61). CONTRACTOR warrants that it and its services staff, when necessary, have all of the licenses, approvals and certifications currently required by the laws of any applicable municipality. CONTRACTOR further agrees to keep such required documents in full force and effects during the term of this AGREEMENT, or any extension, and to comply within the required time to secure any new license so required.

(62). The terms of this Agreement, including any attachments, amendments, addendums or appendixes attached hereto, constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties and cancels and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations, understandings or agreements, whether written or oral, with respect to the subject matter of this Agreement. No wavier, alterations or modifications of and provisions of this Agreement shall be binding unless in

writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this agreement on the day and year first above written.

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

Oneida County Executive: \_\_\_\_\_

Anthony J. Picente Jr., Oneida County Executive

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Approved as to Form \_\_\_\_\_

Oneida County Attorney

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

Oneida County Department of Social Services: \_\_\_\_\_

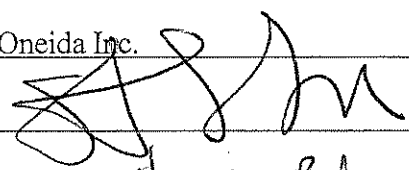
Lucille A. Soldato, Commissioner

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Date: 3/11/15

Agency: Kids Oneida Inc.

Authorized Signature: \_\_\_\_\_



Print Authorized Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Steven Bulger

Title: CEO/Executive Director

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APPENDIX A

The parties to the attached contract further agree to be bound by the following, which are hereby made a part of said contract.

- I. This contract may not be assigned by the contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or disposed of without the previous consent, in writing, of the State.
- II. This contract shall be deemed executory only to the extent of money available to the State for the performance of the terms hereof and no liability on account thereof shall be incurred by the State of New York beyond moneys available for the purpose thereof.
- III. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by Labor Law, Sections 220 and 220-d, as amended that:
  - (a) no laborer, workman or mechanic, in the employ of the contractor, subcontractor or other person doing or contracting to do the whole or any part of the work contemplated by the contract shall be permitted or required to work more than eight hours in any one calendar day or more than five days in any one week, except in the emergencies set forth in the Labor Law.
  - (b) the wages paid for a legal day's work shall be not less than the prevailing rate of wages as defined by law.
  - (c) The minimum hourly rate of wages to be paid shall not be less than that stated in the specifications, and any redetermination of the prevailing rate of wages after the contract is approved shall be deemed to be incorporated herein by reference as of the effective date of redetermination and shall form a part of these contract documents.
  - (d) The Labor Law provides that the contract may be forfeited and no sum paid for any work done thereunder on a second conviction for willfully paying less than—
    - (a) the stipulated wage scale as provided in Labor Law, Section 220, subdivision 3, as amended or
    - (b) less than the stipulated minimum hourly wage scale as provided in Labor Law, Section 220-d, as amended.
- IV. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by the provisions of the Labor Law, Section 220-e, as amended, that:
  - (a) in hiring of employees for the performance of work under this contract or any subcontract hereunder, or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies hereunder, no contractor, subcontractor, shall by reason of race, creed, color, sex or national origin discriminate against any citizen of the State of New York who is qualified and available to perform the work to which the employment relates.

- (b) No contractor, subcontractor, nor any person on his behalf shall, in any manner, discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this contract on the account of race, creed, color, sex or national origin.
  - (c) There may be deducted from the amount payable to the contractor by the State under this contract a penalty of five dollars for each person for each calendar day during which such person was discriminated against or intimidated in violation of the provisions of the contract, and
  - (d) This contract may be cancelled or terminated by the State or municipality and all moneys due or to become due hereunder may be forfeited for a second or any subsequent violation of the terms or conditions of this section of the contract, and
  - (e) The aforesaid provisions of this section covering every contract for or on behalf of the State or a municipality for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies shall be limited to operations performed within the territorial limits of the State of New York.
- V. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by Executive Order # 45, dated Jan. 4, 1977, effective February 4, 1977, that:
- (a) The contractor will not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, and will undertake programs of affirmative action to insure that they are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Such action shall be taken with reference, but not limited to: recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgrading, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination, rates of pay or other forms of compensation, and selection for training or retraining, including apprenticeship and on-the-job training.
  - (b) If the contractor is directed to do so by the contracting agency or the Office of State Contract Compliance (hereafter OSCC). The contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers, with which he has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish him with a written statement that such employment agency, labor union or representative will not discriminate because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the contractor's obligations hereunder and the purposes of Executive Order # 45 (1977).
  - (c) The contractor will state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, that all qualified

applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

\* (d) The contractor will comply with all the provisions of Executive Order # 45 (1977) and of rules, regulations and orders issued pursuant thereto and will furnish all information and reports required by said Executive Order or such rules, regulations and orders, and will permit access to its books, records, and accounts and to its premises by the contracting agency or the OSCC for the purposes of ascertaining compliance with said Executive Order and such rules, regulations and orders.

\* (e) If the contractor does not comply with the equal opportunity provisions of this contract, with Executive Order # 45 (1977), or with such rules, regulations, or orders, this contract or any portion thereof, may be cancelled, terminated or suspended or payments thereon withheld, or the contractor may be declared ineligible for future State or State-assisted contracts, in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order #45 (1977), and such other sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked as are provided in said Executive Order or by rule, regulation or order issued pursuant thereto, or as otherwise provided by law.

\* (f) The contractor will include the provisions of clauses (a) through (e) above and all contract provisions promulgated by OSCC pursuant to Section 1.3 (b) of Executive Order # 45 (1977), in every non-exempt subcontract or purchase order in such a manner that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor as to its work force within the State of New York. The contractor will take such action in enforcing such provisions of such subcontract or purchase order as the contracting agency or the OSCC may direct, including sanctions or remedies for noncompliance. If the contractor becomes involved in or is threatened with litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction, the contractor shall promptly so notify the Attorney General, requesting him to intervene and protect the interests of the State of New York.

VI. The contractor will comply with the provisions of Sections 291-299 of the Executive Law and the Civil Rights Law, will furnish all information and reports deemed necessary by the State Division of Human Rights under the Law, and will permit access to its books, records and accounts by the State Industrial Commissioner for the purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with the non-discrimination clauses, the Executive Law and Civil Rights Law.

VII. (a) By submission of this bid, each bidder and each person signing on behalf of any bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto

certifies as to its own organization, under penalty or perjury, that to the best of his knowledge and belief:

1) The prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, consultation, communication or agreement, for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such prices with any other bidder or with any competitor;

2) Unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder, and will not be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor;

3) No attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition.

(b) A bid shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made where (a) (1) (2) and (3) above have not been complied with provided, however, that if in any case the bidder cannot make the foregoing certification, the bidder shall so state and shall furnish with the bid a signed statement which sets forth in detail the reasons therefor. Where (a) (1) (2) and (3) above have not been complied with, the bid shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made unless the head of the purchasing unit of the State, public department or agency to which the bid is made, or his designee, determines that such disclosure was not made for the purpose of restricting competition.

The fact that bidder (a) has published price lists, rates, or tariffs covering items being procured, (b) has informed prospective customers of proposed or pending publication of new or revised price lists for such items, or (c) has sold the same items to other customers at the same prices being bid, does not constitute, without more a disclosure within the meaning of sub-paragraph VII (a)

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**\*\*Note:** Reference to the above Rules and Regulations refer to those Rules and Regulations in effect as of the date of the solicitation of bids relative to this contract.

## APPENDIX B

### Purchase of Service Specifications

#### I. Preventive Service Goals and Objectives.

The need for preventive services is projected to increase substantially. There is need to provide community-based services to families in order to prevent foster care and to return children from foster care. The major priority of preventive services, is to decrease the number of children coming into foster care and to return children to a permanent living arrangement. The Agency will pursue an aggressive policy regarding permanency planning for children at risk of coming into care and children in care.

#### II. Specifications

1. Eligibility - The Department is responsible for determining eligibility for preventive services and authorization of services via required Service application and WMS Authorization.

All referrals to the Agency will be made by Oneida County Department of Social Services. The Contractor will maintain a no refusal policy. The Agency caseworker will contact the Department's Case Manager to determine a time to conference the case so that decisions can be made pertinent to the Service Plan

2. The Department will provide case management functions to include monitoring of CPS cases; responsibility for submission of CCRS information and cooperation with the Agency for formulation of Service Plan, approval of Plan, and Utilization Review procedures. The Department will be responsible for integration of the Service Plan to assure that one agency/individual is designated as the official case planner, responsible for developing a single family Assessment and Plan. In the event of conflict regarding the Service Plan, the Department is responsible for resolving the issue. The final responsibility for Child Protective cases must rest with the Department's Child Protective Services Staff.

3. Kids Oneida, Inc. will employ (12) twelve individuals with caseworker qualifications who will serve as the Case Planners, (2) two individuals with caseworker qualifications who will serve as Sr. Case Planners, (1) one full-time Program Manager with the minimum qualifications and experience of Grade B supervisor who will supervise the case planners and 1 one part-time Clinical Director. The Commissioner of Social Services reserves the right to evaluate the job performance of the individual chosen to perform the work and may request such individual be relieved of his duties and another person chosen in his place. Contractor agrees to maintain and adequate staffing all hours the Oneida County Office building is open for business. The Contractor shall follow Oneida County



hours of operation and Dress Code policies.

4. Case Planning – Kids Oneida will maintain case contacts as required by State Department of Social Services Mandated per 88 ADM 27 as attached Mandated contacts will include in-home conference and service plan. The regulations require a minimum of 12 contacts between the case planner and the child and his/her family within each 6-month period of service. Of the 12 contacts, four (4) must be individual face-to-face meetings with the child and/or his family, and two (2) of the meetings within each 6-month time frame must be conducted within the child's home.

Eight of the contacts may be group counseling or group activities if these activities involve interaction between the case Planner and the child and/or his family and the activities are included in the child's Service Plan. In addition per Department policy monthly home visits are required on open preventive cases.

For indicated child protective service cases which are also in receipt of preventive services, the minimum number of cases contacts required shall be determined by the child protective service regulations which require a minimum of two (2) face-to-face case contacts per month with child and/or family, one of which must be in child's home. The Agency understands that it is a mandated reporting source for child abuse and neglect. The Agency further agrees that as a mandated reporter, they will participate with the Department in the investigation and when appropriate, will go to Court.

5. The Contractor will provide the supervision needed for the Contractors Case Planners to ensure that they fulfill the requirements of the Contract and the Department.

It is further agreed between the Department and the Contractor that the case planners will be co-located within the Department's Rome Services Division and office location provided by the Contractor to house Utica division which can include both Contractor and Department staff related to this program. There will be a collaborative management of cases and supervision of staff, by both the Department and the Contractor.

The Contractor will complete progress notes contemporaneously to the event and ensure that these are given to the Case Manager or Supervisor no later than 2 weeks after contact. The Agency will copy any material, they need at their site. The Agency will provide training and supervision in the preparation of case progress notes.

Uniform Case Recording Requirements - The Agency will abide by the department's requirements - and time-frames for submission of information for each family's Uniform Case Record. The Agency will be responsible for the preparation of the Service Plan. The Agency agrees to follow the requirements 88 ADM- 27.

The Contractor will prepare Court Petitions and submit these to the Department's Case Manager 75 days prior to the termination date of the Court order. The Agency's Case Planner or Agency staff

substitute will be available for all Court Hearings.

The Contractor agrees to adhere to the Policy, Procedures and Protocols as developed and stated by the Department.

The Contractor will have back up staff available for emergency coverage through a system of office coverage and use of a beeper.

The Contractor will continue to handle cases and the caseload as stated regardless of temporary staff vacancies.

The Contractor will complete the Composite Contact Sheet and the Individual Contact Sheet on a monthly basis. All forms will have Case Number's Department of Social Services Worker Names, and Contract Number. The individual Contact Sheet will include case comments. These forms will be sent to the Contract Administrator for distribution.

The Contractor will complete a Quarterly Contract Review every 3 months.

6. Reporting Requirements - In active CPS cases, the Agency must supply the Department with necessary information to complete the DSS 2233 - "Follow-up Report Child(ren) in Need of Protection."

7. Confidentiality - Agency will abide by state laws regarding confidentiality of client information. Written, informed, client consent will be required before confidential information is divulged. Case material will be stored in a locked file in an office inaccessible to unauthorized access. The official case record will be maintained at Department.

8. The Contractor agrees to arrange or provide transportation for clients for the following situations, but not limited to these situations;

1. Medical Appointments
2. Visitations
3. Counseling appointments
4. Shopping, and Contacts with other Agencies to improve housing
5. Pre-Placement Visits, if necessary.
6. to the Department for Departmental business.

9. Outcome/Measurements

**Outcome:** The case planning contract will work with participant families to prevent children from entering care, to reduce the length of stay of children in placement, to reduce the number of children needing replacement and to provide community oversight to high risk cases in order to monitor and

insure children's safety.

**Performance:** Family service needs will be identified and participants will become engaged in services. Family assessment will be done in a manner that reflects culturally competent and family focused planning. Case planning responsibilities will include casework counseling, advocacy and referral, service coordination, assistance with transportation, supervision and oversight of open cases. The case planner will provide community oversight for children in high risk families through frequent contact and/or monitoring of court orders as well as the identification and utilization of appropriate community based resources as well as contact with individuals in a position to assess safety and well being of the children.

**Measurement:** 70% of the participant families will not have any substantiated reports of abuse/neglect while participating in services.

**Measurement:** 70% of participant families that have children in out of home placements eligible for mandated preventive services based on the service plan goal to return children home within 6 months; will have their children returned to them within the specified 6 month period.

**Measurement:** 70% of the cases with existing Family Court orders will not have any new violations filed during the time the case remains open with the case planning contract.

**Measurement:** 70% of the participants will report satisfaction with services offered as measured by a client satisfaction survey.

III. Claiming Procedures - The Agency will bill monthly by County Voucher provided by the Department: which shall include Contract number, Contract Name, and Workers Time sheets. The Agency will attach a reconciliation of expenditures, as per the attached budget. A final reconciliation is required and fiscal adjustments upon presentation of the final voucher of the contract.

The agency agrees to prepare and provide any and all monthly reports required by the County and State Governments pertaining to this contract.

Such financial and statistical records shall be subject at all reasonable times to inspection, review or audit by authorized County, State and/or Federal personnel. Agency financial records for the contracted program must be completed and available to the Department of Social Services Fiscal Staff for review and Audit upon request. The Agency will also submit the " Itemized, Composite Billing for Preventive Service Contracts / Case Planning and "Itemized individual Billing for all Preventive Services Contracts: Counseling, Case Planning, Parent Aide, Other, and Comments the Agency will submit a Contract Quarterly Evaluation every 3 months.

IV. Contract Evaluation - The Department will review and monitor Contract adherence collecting data internally and externally. The Department and the Contractor will meet at least quarterly to discuss the current Agreement Status.

V. Cost and Term - It is further understood that this program is expense driven and the total cost of services to be provided per year are as follows, year one January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015 not to exceed \$ 630,975.00, year two January 1, 2016 through December 31, 2016 not to

exceed \$ 643,599.00 and year three January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017 not to exceed \$ 656,470.00 as outlined in the attached budgets. The full term of this Agreement shall be from JANUARY 1, 2015 through DECEMBER 31, 2017. The option to renew this Agreement under all terms and conditions including budget set forth for year three, for an additional two, one year renewals not to exceed December 31, 2019 is at the sole discretion of the Department and notice to the Contractor shall be provided prior to the end of the term of Agreement.

Kids Oneida Inc.  
Case Planning Contract # 23805  
Year One (January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2015)  
Year Two (January 1, 2016 – December 31, 2016)  
Year Three (January 1, 2017 – December 31, 2017)

	Year One	Year Two	Year Three
<b><u>Personal Services:</u></b>			
Total Salaries	\$ 462,380	\$ 471,631	\$ 481,063
Fringe Benefits	\$ 115,595	\$ 117,908	\$ 120,266
Personal Service Contracts	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
<b>Total Personal Services</b>	<b>\$ 577,975</b>	<b>\$ 589,539</b>	<b>\$ 601,329</b>
<b><u>OTPS</u></b>			
Office/Program Supplies	\$ 2,000	\$ 2,040	\$ 2,081
Training, Family Support, etc...	\$ 2,000	\$ 2,040	\$ 2,082
Administrative Consultation	\$ 12,000	\$ 12,240	\$ 12,484
Travel/Mileage	\$ 25,000	\$ 25,500	\$ 26,010
Office Space	\$ 12,000	\$ 12,240	\$ 12,484
<b>Total OTPS</b>	<b>\$ 53,000</b>	<b>\$ 54,060</b>	<b>\$ 55,141</b>
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$630,975</b>	<b>\$ 643,599</b>	<b>\$ 656,470</b>

### APPENDIX C

The parties to the attached contract further agree to be bound by the following, which are hereby made a part of said contract.

- VIII. This contract may not be assigned by the contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or disposed of without the previous consent, in writing, of the State.
- IX. This contract shall be deemed executory only to the extent of money available to the State for the performance of the terms hereof and no liability on account thereof shall be incurred by the State of New York beyond moneys available for the purpose thereof.
- X. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by Labor Law, Sections 220 and 220-d, as amended that:
  - (d) no laborer, workman or mechanic, in the employ of the contractor, subcontractor or other person doing or contracting to do the whole or any part of the work contemplated by the contract shall be permitted or required to work more than eight hours in any one calendar day or more than five days in any one week, except in the emergencies set forth in the Labor Law.
  - (e) the wages paid for a legal day's work shall be not less than the prevailing rate of wages as defined by law.
  - (f) The minimum hourly rate of wages to be paid shall not be less than that stated in the specifications, and any redetermination of the prevailing rate of wages after the contract is approved shall be deemed to be incorporated herein by reference as of the effective date of redetermination and shall form a part of these contract documents.
  - (d) The Labor Law provides that the contract may forfeited and no sum paid for any work done thereunder on a second conviction for willfully paying less than—
    - (c) the stipulated wage scale as provided in Labor Law, Section 220, subdivision 3, as amended or
    - (d) less than the stipulated minimum hourly wage scale as provided in Labor Law, Section 220-d, as amended.
- XI. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by the provisions of the Labor Law, Section 220-e, as amended, that:
  - (f) in hiring of employees for the performance of work under this contract or any subcontract hereunder, or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies hereunder, no contractor, subcontractor, shall by reason of race, creed, color, sex or national origin discriminate against any citizen of the State of New York who is qualified and available to perform the work to which the employment relates.

- (g) No contractor, subcontractor, nor any person on his behalf shall, in any manner, discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this contract on the account of race, creed, color, sex or national origin.
- (h) There may be deducted from the amount payable to the contractor by the State under this contract a penalty of five dollars for each person for each calendar day during which such person was discriminated against or intimidated in violation of the provisions of the contract, and
- (i) This contract may be cancelled or terminated by the State or municipality and all moneys due or to become due hereunder may be forfeited for a second or any subsequent violation of the terms or conditions of this section of the contract, and
- (j) The aforesaid provisions of this section covering every contract for or on behalf of the State or a municipality for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies shall be limited to operations performed within the territorial limits of the State of New York.

XII. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by Executive Order # 45, dated Jan. 4, 1977, effective February 4, 1977, that:

- (d) The contractor will not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, and will undertake programs of affirmative action to insure that they are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Such action shall be taken with reference, but not limited to: recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgrading, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination, rates of pay or other forms of compensation, and selection for training or retraining, including apprenticeship and on-the-job training.
- (e) If the contractor is directed to do so by the contracting agency or the Office of State Contract Compliance (hereafter OSCC). The contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers, with which he has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish him with a written statement that such employment agency, labor union or representative will not discriminate because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the contractor's obligations hereunder and the purposes of Executive Order # 45 (1977).
- (f) The contractor will state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, that all qualified

applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

- \* (d) The contractor will comply with all the provisions of Executive Order # 45 (1977) and of rules, regulations and orders issued pursuant thereto and will furnish all information and reports required by said Executive Order or such rules, regulations and orders, and will permit access to its books, records, and accounts and to its premises by the contracting agency or the OSCC for the purposes of ascertaining compliance with said Executive Order and such rules, regulations and orders.
  - \* (e) If the contractor does not comply with the equal opportunity provisions of this contract, with Executive Order # 45 (1977), or with such rules, regulations, or orders, this contract or any portion thereof, may be cancelled, terminated or suspended or payments thereon withheld, or the contractor may be declared ineligible for future State or State-assisted contracts, in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order #45 (1977), and such other sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked as are provided in said Executive Order or by rule, regulation or order issued pursuant thereto, or as otherwise provided by law.
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- XIII. The contractor will comply with the provisions of Sections 291-299 of the Executive Law and the Civil Rights Law, will furnish all information and reports deemed necessary by the State Division of Human Rights under the Law, and will permit access to its books, records and accounts by the State Industrial Commissioner for the purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with the non-discrimination clauses, the Executive Law and Civil Rights Law.
- XIV. (a) By submission of this bid, each bidder and each person signing on behalf of any bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto

certifies as to its own organization, under penalty or perjury, that to the best of his knowledge and belief:

1) The prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, consultation, communication or agreement, for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such prices with any other bidder or with any competitor;

2) Unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder, and will not be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor;

3) No attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition.

(b) A bid shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made where (a) (1) (2) and (3) above have not been complied with provided, however, that if in any case the bidder cannot make the foregoing certification, the bidder shall so state and shall furnish with the bid a signed statement which sets forth in detail the reasons therefor. Where (a) (1) (2) and (3) above have not been complied with, the bid shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made unless the head of the purchasing unit of the State, public department or agency to which the bid is made, or his designee, determines that such disclosure was not made for the purpose of restricting competition.

The fact that bidder (a) has published price lists, rates, or tariffs covering items being procured, (b) has informed prospective customers of proposed or pending publication of new or revised price lists for such items, or (c) has sold the same items to other customers at the same prices being bid, does not constitute, without more a disclosure within the meaning of sub-paragraph VII (a)

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APPENDIX D

STANDARD CLAUSES FOR ALL ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES CONTRACTS

Personnel

- a. The Contractor agrees to be solely responsible for the recruitment, hiring, provision of employment benefits, payment of salaries and management of its project personnel. These functions shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of this AGREEMENT, and all applicable Federal, State and County laws and regulations.
- b. It is the policy of the Department to encourage the employment of qualified applicants for, or recipients of public assistance by both public organization and private enterprises who are under contractual AGREEMENT to the Department for the provision of goods and services. Contractors will be expected to make best efforts in this area.
- c. The Contractor agrees to identify, in writing, the person(s) who will be responsible for directing the work to be done under this AGREEMENT. No change or substitution of such responsible person(s) will be made without prior approval in writing from the Department, to the degree that such change is within the reasonable control of the Contractor

Notices

- a. All notices permitted or required hereunder shall be in writing and shall be transmitted either by:
  - a. By certified or registered United States mail, return receipt requested;
  - b. By Facsimile transmission;
  - c. By personal delivery;
  - d. By expedited delivery service; or
  - e. By e-mail

Notices to the Department shall be addressed to the Commissioner of Social Services at the Address, Telephone Number, Facsimile Number or E-mail Address provided to the Contractor during contract development, or to such different Program Manager as the Department may for time-to time designate.

- b. Any such notice shall be deemed to have been given either at the time of personal delivery or, in the case of expedited delivery service or certified or register United States mail, as of the date of first attempted delivery at the address and in the manner provided herein, or in the case of facsimile transmission or email, upon receipt.

- c. The parties may, from time to time, specify any new or different address in the United States as their address for purpose of receiving notice under this Agreement by giving fifteen (15) days written notice to the other party sent in accordance herewith. The Parties agree to mutually designate individuals as their respective representatives for the purposes of implementation and administration/billing, resolving issues and problems and/or for dispute resolution.

#### Office Services

- a. The contractor shall be responsible for the provision of necessary equipment and services for Contractor's staff, pursuant to and described in the narratives and budgets contained in the AGREEMENT.
- b. For Federally funded contracts, title to real property and non-expendable personal property whose requisition cost is borne in whole or in part by monies proved under this AGREEMENT shall be determined between the Contractor and the Department, pursuant to Federal regulations 45 CFR 92 unless such authority is otherwise inappropriate. Title to all equipment, supplies and material purchased with funds under this AGREEMENT under contracts which are not Federally funded shall be in the State of New York and the property shall not be transferred, conveyed, or disposed of without written approval of the Department. Upon expiration or termination of this Agreement, all property purchased with funds under this Agreement shall be returned to the Department, unless the Department has given direction for, or approval of, an alternative means of disposition in writing.
- c. Upon written direction by the Department, the Contractor shall maintain an inventory of those properties that are subject to the provisions of sub-paragraph b of this section

#### GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- a. The contractor agrees to comply in all respects with the provisions of this AGREEMENT and the attachments hereto. The Contractor specifically agrees to perform services according to the objectives, tasks, work plan and staffing plan contained in the AGREEMENT. Any modifications to the tasks or work plan contained in AGREEMENT must be mutually agreed to by both parties in writing before the additional or modified tasks or work plan shall commence.
- b. If any specific event or conjunction of circumstances threatens the successful completion of the project, in whole or in part, including where relevant, timely completion of milestones, the Contractor agrees to submit to the Department within three days of occurrence or perception of such problem, a written description thereof together with a recommended solution thereto.

- c. The Contractor immediately shall notify in writing the Department Program Manager assigned to this contract of any unusual incident, occurrence or event that involves the staff, volunteers or officers of the Contractor, and subcontractor or Program participant funded through this contract, including but not limited to the following: death or serious injury; an arrest or possible criminal activity; and destruction of property; significant damage to the physical plant of the Contractor, or other matters of a similarly serious nature.
- d. In providing these services, the Contractor hereby agrees to be responsible for designing and operating these services, and otherwise performing, so as to maximize Federal financial participation to the Department under the Federal Social Security Act.
- e. If funds from this contract will be used to pay any costs associated with the provision of legal services of any sort, the following shall apply;
  - No litigation shall be brought against the State of New York, the New York State Office of Children and Family Services, or against Oneida County or the Department or other local government or local social services district with funds provided under this contract. The term "litigation" shall include commencing or threatening to commence a lawsuit joining or threatening to join as a party to ongoing litigation, or requesting any relief from either the State of New York, the New York State Office of Children and Family Services or Oneida County or other local government or local social services district, based upon any agreement between such agency in litigation with another party and such party, during pendency of the litigation.
  - Opinions prepared by consultant law firms construing the statutes of Constitution of the State of New York do not constitute the view of the State unless the prior written approval of the Attorney General is obtained. Requests for said approval shall be submitted to the Solicitor General, Division of the appeals and Opinions Bureau, department of Law, The Capital, Albany, New York 12224
  - The Contractor shall provide to the Department in a format provided by the Department such additional information concerning the provision of legal services as the Department shall require.
- f. The Department will designate a contract Manager who shall have authority relating to the technical services and operational functions of this AGREEMENT and activities completed or contemplated there under. The Contract Manager and those individuals designated by him/her in writing shall have the prerogative to make announced or unannounced on-site visits to the project. Project reports and issues of interpretation or direction relating to this AGREEMENT shall be directed to the Contract Manager.

- g. Except where the Department otherwise authorizes or directs in writing, the Contractor agrees not to enter into any subcontracts, or revisions to subcontracts, for the performance of the obligations contained herein until it has received the prior written approval of the Department, which shall have the right to review and approve each and every subcontract prior to giving written approval to the contractor to enter into the subcontract. All AGREEMENTS between the Contractor and subcontractors shall be by written contract, signed by individuals authorized to bind the parties. All such subcontracts shall contain provisions for specifying (1) that the work performed by the subcontractor must be in accordance with the terms of this AGREEMENT (2) that nothing contained in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the Department under this AGREEMENT, (3) that nothing contained in the subcontract, nor under this AGREEMENT, shall be deemed to create any contractual relationship between the subcontractor and the Department, and (4) incorporating all provisions regarding the rights of the Department as set forth in Agreement, where applicable. The Contractor specifically agrees that the Contractor shall be fully responsible to the Department for the acts and omissions of subcontractors and of persons either directly or indirectly employed by them, as it is for the acts and omissions of persons directly employed by the Contractor.
- h. The Contractor warrants that it, its staff and any and all Subcontractors which must be approved by the Department, have all the necessary licenses, approvals and certifications currently required by the law of any applicable local, state or federal government to perform the services pursuant to this AGREEMENT and/or subcontract entered into under this AGREEMENT. The contractor further agrees such required licenses, approvals and certificates will be kept in full force and effect during the term of this Agreement, and/or any extension thereof, and to secure any new licenses, approvals or certificates within the required time frames and/or to require its staff and Subcontractors to obtain and requisite licenses, approvals or certificates. In the event the contractor, its staff, and/or Subcontractors are notified of a denial or revocation of any license, approval or certification to perform the services under the AGREEMENT, Contractor will immediately notify the Department.
- i. This Agreement cannot be assigned by the Contractor to a subcontractor without obtaining written approval of the Department. Prior to executing a subcontract agreement the Contractor agrees to provide the Department the information the Department needs to determine whether a proposed Subcontractor is a responsible vendor. The Determination of Vendor responsibility will be made in accordance with Section n. of General Terms and Conditions
- j. If the Contractor intends to use materials, equipment or personnel paid for under this contract in a revenue generating activity, the Contractor shall report such intentions to the Department forthwith and shall be subject to the direction of the Department as to the disposition of such revenue.

- k. Any interest accrued on funds paid to the Contractor by the Department shall be deemed to be the property of the Department and shall either be credited to the Department at the termination of this AGREEMENT or expended on additional services provided for under this AGREEMENT.
- l. The Contractor ensures that the grounds, structures, building and furnishings at the program site(s) used under this AGREEMENT are maintained in good repair and free from any danger to health or safety and that any building or structure used for program services complies with all applicable zoning, building, health, sanitary, and fire codes.
- m. The Contractor agrees to produce, and retain for the balance of the calendar year in which produced, and for a period of six years thereafter, any and all records necessary to substantiate upon audit, the proper deposit and expenditure of funds received under this contract. Such records shall include, but not be limited to, original books of entry (e.g., cash disbursements and cash receipts journal), and the following specific records (as applicable) to substantiate the types of expenditures noted:
  - a) Payroll Expenditures: cancelled checks and the related bank statements, time and attendance records, payroll journals, employee personal history folders, and cost allocation plans, if applicable.
  - b) Payroll Taxes and Fringe Benefits: cancelled checks, copies of related bank statements, reporting forms, and invoices for Fringe Benefit expenses.
  - c) Non-Personal Services Expenditures: original invoices/receipts, cancelled checks and related bank statements, consultant agreements, leases, and cost allocation plans, if applicable.
  - d) Receipt and Deposit of Advance and Reimbursements: Itemized bank stamped deposit slips, and a copy of the related bank statements.
  - e) The Contractor agrees that any equipment purchased with funds under this agreement is the property of the Department and will remain with or will be returned to the Department in the event of the termination of this Agreement,

Although not required, the Department recommends that the Contractor retain records directly pertinent to this contract for a period of ten (10) years after the end of the calendar year in which they were made, as the statute of limitations for the New York False Claims Act is ten years.

- n. By signing this contract, the Contractor certifies that within the past three years the Contractor has engaged in no actions that would establish a basis for a finding by the Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor or, if the Contractor has engaged in any such action or actions, that all such actions have been disclosed to the Department prior to entering into this Contract. The actions that would potentially establish a basis for a finding by Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor include:

- The Contractor has had a license or contract suspended, revoked or terminated by a governmental agency.
- The Contractor has had a claim, lien, fine, or penalty imposed or secured against the Contractor by a governmental agency.
- The Contractor has initiated a bankruptcy proceeding or such a proceeding has been initiated against the Contractor
- The Contractor has been issued a citation, notice, or violation order by a governmental agency finding the Contractor to be in violation of any local, state, or federal laws.
- The Contractor has been advised by a governmental agency that a determination to issue a citation, notice or violation order finding the Contractor to be in violation of any local, state or federal laws is pending before a governmental agency
- The contractor has not paid all due and owed local, state and federal taxes to the proper authorities
- The contractor has engaged in any other actions of a similarly serious nature.

Where the Contractor has disclosed any of the above to the Department, Department may require as a condition precedent to entering into the contract that the Contractor agree to such additional conditions as will be necessary to satisfy the Department that the vendor is and will remain a responsible vendor. By signing this contract, the Contractor agrees to comply with any such additional conditions that have been made a part of this contract.

By signing this contract, the contractor also agrees that during the term of the contract, the Contractor will promptly notify the Department if the Contractor engages in any actions that would establish a basis for a finding by Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor, as described above.

- o. By signing this contract, the contractor agrees to comply with State Tax Law section 5-a
- p. Contractors must maintain Workers Compensation Insurance in accordance with the Workers Compensation Law. If a contractor believes they are exempt from the Workers Compensation insurance requirement then they must apply for an exemption. Contractors can apply for the exemption online through the New York State Workers Compensation Board website at:  
[http://www.wcb.state.ny.us/content/ebiz/wc\\_db\\_exemptions/wc\\_db\\_exemptions.jsp](http://www.wcb.state.ny.us/content/ebiz/wc_db_exemptions/wc_db_exemptions.jsp)
- q. All organizations that receive Federal financial assistance under social service programs are prohibited from discriminating against beneficiaries or prospective beneficiaries of the social service programs on the basis of religion or religious belief. Accordingly, organizations, in providing services supported in whole or in part with Federal financial assistance, and in their outreach activities related to such services, are not allowed to discriminate against current or prospective program beneficiaries on the basis of

religion, a religious belief, a refusal to hold a religious belief, or a refusal to attend or participate in a religious practice.

Organizations that engage in explicitly religious activities (including activities that involve overt religious content such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization) must perform such activities and offer such services outside of programs that are supported with direct Federal financial assistance (including through prime awards or sub-awards), separately in time or location from any such programs or services supported with direct Federal financial assistance, and participation in any such explicitly religious activities must be voluntary for the beneficiaries of the social service program supported with such Federal financial assistance

## REPORTS AND DELIVERABLES

The Contractor shall prepare and submit all reports, documents, and projects required by this AGREEMENT to the Office's Contract Manager for review and approval. These reports shall be in such substance, from, and frequency as required by the Department and as necessary to meet State, Federal and County requirements.

The Contractor shall complete Contract Evaluations as required by the Department as well as Statistical Data as needed by the Department and New York State to meet the reporting requirements.

## CONFIDENTIALITY AND PROTECTION ON HUMAN SUBJECTS

- a. The Contractor agrees to safeguard the confidentiality of financial and/or client information relating to individuals and their families who may receive services in the course of this project. The Contractor shall maintain the confidentiality of all such financial and/or client information with regard to services provided under this AGREEMENT in conformity with the provisions of applicable State, Federal, and County laws and regulations. Any breach of confidentiality by the Contractor, its agents or representatives shall be cause for immediate termination of this AGREEMENT.
- b. Any contractor who will provide goods and/or services to a residential facility or program operated by Department agrees to require all of its employees and volunteers who will have the potential for regular and substantial contact with youth in the care or custody of the Department to sign an Employee Confidentiality Certification and employee Background Certification before any such employees and volunteers are permitted access to youth in the care or custody of the Department and/or any financial and/or client identifiable information concerning such youth. Additionally, Department will require a database check of the State wide Central Register of Child Abuse and Maltreatment (SCR) of each employee and volunteer of the Contractor who has the potential for regular and substantial contract with children in the care or custody of the

Department. Any other Contractor whose employees and volunteers will have access to financial and/or client identifiable information concerning youth in the care or custody of Department agrees to require all such employees and volunteers to sign a Employee Confidentiality Certification before any such employees and volunteers are permitted access to any financial and/or client identifiable information concerning such youth.

- c. Contractor and any subsequent sub-contractor shall not discriminate or refuse assistance to individuals with AIDS or an HIV infection or an HIV - related illness.

The Contractor and any subsequent sub-contractor agrees that their staff to whom confidential HIV - related information may be given as a necessity for providing services and in accordance with 403 of Title 18 NYSDSS regulation and Section 2782 of the Public Health Law are fully informed of the penalties and fines for redisclosure in violations of State Law and Regulations.

The Contractor and any subsequent sub-contractor must include the following written statement when disclosing any confidential HIV - related information.

"This information has been disclosed to you from confidential records which are protected by State Law. State Law prohibits you from making any further disclosure of this information without the specific written consent of the person to whom it pertains, or as otherwise permitted by law. Any unauthorized further disclosure in violation of State Law may result in a fine or jail sentence or both. A general authorization for the release of medical or other information is not sufficient authorization for further disclosure."

- d. All information contained in the Contractors, or it's sub-contractor's files shall be held confidential pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Social Services Law and any State Department Regulations promulgated thereunder, including 18 NY CRR Sec. 357.5 and 423.7, as well as any applicable Federal Laws and any regulations promulgated thereunder and shall not be disclosed except as authorized by law.
- e. The Contractor and all Contract Staff that are subject to the Oneida County computer systems/databases shall complete the Oneida County Department of Social Services Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement provided with this agreement and shall submit forms to the following address:

Oneida County Department of Social Services  
Contract Administration Office, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
800 Park Ave  
Utica, New York, 13501

#### PUBLICATIONS AND COPYRIGHTS

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- a. The results of any activity supported under this AGREEMENT may not be published without prior written approval of the Department, which results (1) shall acknowledge the support of the Department and the County and, if funded with Federal funds, the applicable federal funding agency, and (2) shall state that the opinions, results, findings and/or interpretations of data contained therein are the responsibility of the Contractor and do not necessarily represent the opinions, interpretation or policy of the Department or Oneida County.
- b. The Department and Oneida County expressly reserve the right to a royalty-free, non-exclusive and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish, distribute or otherwise use, in perpetuity, any and all copyrighted or copyrightable material resulting from this AGREEMENT or activity supported by this AGREEMENT. All publications by the Contractor covered by this AGREEMENT shall expressly acknowledge the Department's right to such license.
- c. All of the license rights so reserved to the Department and Oneida County under this paragraph are equally reserved to the United States Department of Health and Human Services and subject to the provisions on copyrights contained in 45 CFR 92 if the AGREEMENT is federally funded
- d. The Contractor agrees that at the completion of any scientific or statistical study, report or analysis prepared pursuant to this AGREEMENT, it will provide to the Department at no additional cost a copy of any and all data supporting the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis, together with the name(s) and business address(es) of the principal(s) producing the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis. The Contractor agrees and acknowledges the right of the Department, subject to applicable confidentiality restrictions, to release the name(s) and business address(es) producing the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis, together with a copy of the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis and all data supporting the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis.

#### PATENTS AND INVENTIONS

The Contractor agrees that any all inventions, conceived or first actually reduced to practice in the course of, or under this AGREEMENT, or with monies supplied pursuant to this AGREEMENT, shall be promptly and fully reported to the DEPARTMENT. Determination as to ownership and/or disposition of rights to such inventions, including whether a patent application shall be filed, and if so, the manner of obtaining, administering and disposing of rights under any patent application or patent which may be issued, shall be made pursuant to all applicable law and regulations.

#### TERMINATION

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- a. This AGREEMENT may be terminated by the DEPARTMENT upon thirty (30) days prior written notice to the Contractor. Such notice is to be made by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested or hand delivered with receipt granted by the Contractor. The date of such notice shall be deemed to be the date the notice is received by the contractor established by the receipt returned, if delivery by registered or certified mail, or by the receipt granted by the Contractor, if the notice is delivered by hand. The Department agrees to pay the Contractor for reasonable and appropriate expenses incurred in good faith before the date of termination of this AGREEMENT.
- b. If the Contractor fails to use any real property or equipment purchased pursuant to this AGREEMENT or the Contractor ceases to provide the services specified in the AGREEMENT for which the equipment was purchased, the Department may terminate this AGREEMENT upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor, where the Contractor has failed to cure as set forth hereafter, Said notice of breach and shall be sent by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested, or shall be delivered by hand, receiving Contractor's receipt therefore. Said notice shall specify the Contractor's breach and shall demand that such breach be cured. Upon failure of the Contractor to comply with such demand within thirty (30) days, or such longer period as may be specified therein, the Department may, upon written notice similarly served, immediately terminate this AGREEMENT, termination to be effective upon the date of receipt of such notice established by the receipt returned to the Department. Upon such termination, the Department may require (a) the repayment to the Department of any monies previously paid to the Contractor, or (b) return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of this AGREEMENT or an appropriate combination of (a) and (b), at the Department's option.
- c. To the extent permitted by law, this AGREEMENT shall be deemed in the sole discretion of the Department terminated immediately upon the filing of a petition in bankruptcy or insolvency, by or against the Contractor. Such termination shall be immediate and complete, without termination costs or further obligation by the Department to the Contractor
- d. Should the Department determine that Federal, State or County funds are limited or become unavailable for any reason, the Department may reduce that total amount of funds payable to the Contractor, reduce the contract period or deem this contract terminated immediately. The Department agrees to give notice to the Contractor as soon as it becomes aware that funds are unavailable, in the event of termination under this paragraph. If the initial notice is oral notification, the Department shall follow this up immediately with written notice. The Department will be obligated to pay the Contractor only for the expenditures made and obligations incurred by the

Contractor until such time as notice of termination is received either orally or in writing by the Contractor from the Department.

- e. The Contractor shall provide to the Department such information as is required by the Department in order that the Department may determine whether the Contractor is a responsible vendor for purposes of compliance with section 163 of the State Finance Law and requirements of the Department. If there is any change in any of the vendor responsibility information provided to the Department by the Contractor at any time during the term of this Agreement, the Contractor shall be required to immediately notify the Department so that the Department may assess whether the Contractor continues to be a responsible vendor. Should the Contractor fail to notify the Department of any change in the vendor responsibility information or should the Department otherwise determine that the Contractor has ceased to be a responsible vendor for the purposes of this AGREEMENT, the Department may terminate this AGREEMENT upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor. Said notice of termination shall be sent by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested, or shall be delivered by hand, receiving Contractor's receipt therefore. Said notice shall specify the reason(s) that the Contractor has been found to no longer be a responsible vendor.

Upon determination that the Contractor is no longer a responsible vendor the Department may, in its discretion and as an alternative to termination pursuant to this paragraph, notify the contractor of the determination that the Contractor has ceased to be a responsible vendor and set forth the corrective action that will be required of the Contractor to maintain the contract. Should the Contractor fail to comply with the required corrective action within thirty (30) days of the date of notification, or such longer period as may be specified therein, the Department may, upon written notice similarly served, immediately terminate this AGREEMENT, termination to be effective upon the date of receipt of such notice established by the receipt returned to the Department. Upon such termination, the Department may require (a) the repayment to the Department of any monies previously paid to the Contractor, (b) return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of this AGREEMENT, or an appropriate combination of (a) and (b) at the Department's option.

#### CONTRACTOR COMPLIANCE

The Contractor agrees to provide an Annual Certification pertaining to this Contract as part of the Contractor's Annual Independent audit.

The Department shall have the right to audit or review the Contractor's performance and operations as related to this AGREEMENT, or has abused or misused funds paid to the contractor, or if the Contractor has violated or is in non-compliance with any term of any

other AGREEMENT with the Department, or has abused or misused funds paid to the Contractor under any other AGREEMENT with the Department, the rights of the Department shall include, but not be limited to :

- Recovery of any funds expended in violation of the AGREEMENT;
- Suspension of Payments
- Termination of the AGREEMENT; and/or
- Employment of another entity to fulfill the requirements of the AGREEMENT.

The Contractor shall be liable for all reasonable costs incurred on account thereof, including payment of any cost differential for employing such entity. The Contractor will assist the Department in transferring the operation of the Contracted services to any other entity selected by the Department in a manner that will enable the Department or clients to continue to receive services in an on-going basis, including, but not limited to , notifying clients of the new entity to which the services will be transferred and the effective date of the transfer, providing the new entity promptly and at no charge with a complete copy of the clients' and all other records necessary to continue the provision of the transferred services, and transferring any equipment purchased with funds provided under this AGREEMENT.

Nothing herein shall preclude the Department from taking actions otherwise available to it under law.

The Contractor agrees to cooperate fully with any audit or investigation the Department or any agent of the Department may conduct and to provide access during normal business hours to any and all information necessary to perform its audit or investigation. The Contractor shall also allow the Department, and any representatives specifically directed by the Department to take possession of all books, records and documents relating to this AGREEMENT without prior notice to the Contractor. The Department will return all such books, records and documents to the Contractor upon completion the official purposes for which they were taken.

The Contractor agrees that all AGREEMENTS between the Contractor and a subcontractor or consultants for the performance of any obligations under the AGREEMENT will be by written contract (subcontract) which will contain provisions including, but not limited to, the above specified rights of the Department.

#### FISCAL SANCTION

In accordance with the Department, contractors may be placed on fiscal sanction when the Department identifies any of the following issues:

- The Contractor has received an advance, overpayment or other funds under this or another agreement that has not been refunded to the Department within the established timeframe;
- An Department or other audit identifies significant fiscal irregularities and/or that funds are due to the Department
- The Contractor has not provided satisfactory services as required under the terms of this or another Department agreement;
- The Contractor has not provided fiscal or program reports as required under the terms of this or another Department agreement;
- A Department, County, State or Federal prosecutorial or investigative agency identifies possible criminal activity, or significant fiscal or programmatic irregularities on the part of the Contractor;
- The Contractor is not in compliance with State, Federal, or County statutes or regulations, or applicable Department guidelines, policies and/or procedures; or
- Unsafe physical conditions exist at a program site operated by the Contractor and funded under an agreement with the Department

Once the Contractor has been placed on Fiscal Sanction, payments on all open contracts and any new awards, amendments or contract renewals will not be processed until the issues have been satisfactorily resolved. The contractor will be notified in advance of any proposed Fiscal sanction and will be provided a timeframe within which the issues must be resolved in order to avoid Fiscal Sanction. Issues that are not resolved within the timeframe established by the Department may be referred to the Attorney General (AG) for collection of legal action. If a contract is referred to the AG a collection fee will be added to the amount owed. In addition, interest will be due on any amount not paid in accordance with the timeframes established by the AG. The contractor will remain on Fiscal Sanction until the amount owed, including any collection fee and interest is paid.

#### ADDITIONAL ASSURANCES

- a. The Department and Contractor agree that Contractor is an independent contractor, and not in any way deemed to be an employee of the Department or County of Oneida for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, workers compensation, retirement or health benefits. The Contractor agrees to defend and indemnify the Department and/or Oneida County for any loss the Department and/or Oneida County may suffer when such losses result from claims of any person or organization injured by the negligent acts or omissions of Contractor, its officers and/or employees or subcontractors. Furthermore, the Contractor agrees to indemnify, defend, and save harmless the Department and/or Oneida County, and its officers, agents, and employees from any and all claims and losses occurring or resulting from any and all contractors, subcontractors, and any other person, firm, or corporation furnishing or supplying work, services, materials, or supplies in connection with the performance of

the contract, and from all claims and losses occurring or resulting to any person, firm, or corporation who may be injured or damaged by the Contractor in the performance of the contract, and against any liability, including costs and expenses, for violation of proprietary rights, copyrights, or rights of privacy, arising out of the publication, translation, reproduction, delivery, performance, or use, or disposition of any data furnished under the contract or based on any libelous or other unlawful matter contained in such data or written materials in any form produced pursuant to the contract.

- b. The Contractor, if a municipal corporation, represents that it is a self-insured entity. If a not-for-profit Corporation or entity other than a self-insured municipal Corporation, the Contractor agrees to obtain and maintain in effect a general policy of liability insurance in an amount not less than one million dollars (\$ 1,000,000) per incident and not less than three million (\$ 3,000,000) aggregate. The Contractor agrees that it will require any and all Subcontractors with whom it subcontracts pursuant to this contract to obtain and maintain a general policy of liability insurance in an amount not less than one million dollars (\$ 1,000,000) per incident and not less than three million (\$3,000,000) aggregate. The Contractor further agrees to procure and maintain in force, for the duration of this Agreement, insurance in types and in the amounts as determined by the Department. Such coverage must be identified and entered upon a Standard Insurance Certificate or its acceptable substitute and be signed by the Contractor's Agency's insurance company, agent or broker.

The Contractor agrees that it will, at its own expense, at all times during the term of this agreement, maintain in force a policy of insurance which will insure against liability for property damage and/or injury/death with regard to any property of persons. The liability and property damage coverage of such insurance shall not be less than One Million dollars (\$ 1,000,000) per incident and not less than three million (\$3,000,000) aggregate. The Contractor agrees to have the Department and Oneida County added to said insurance policies as named additional insured, on a primary, non-contributory basis, as their interest may appear, and to provide the Department and/or Oneida County with a certificate from said insurance company, or companies, showing coverage as herein before required, such certification to show the Department and the Oneida County as additional insureds and to provide that such coverage shall not be terminated without written prior notice to the to the Department and/or Oneida County of at least thirty (30) days.

The Contractor further agrees that the Department has the right to take whatever action it deems appropriate, including, but not limited to, the removal of the Contractor from the rotation list, the removal of clients, the cessation of client referrals, and termination of this Agreement, if the Contractor fails to submit a completed and signed Standard Insurance Certificate or its acceptable substitute, which is subsequently approved by the Oneida County Department of Law, prior to the expiration of its insurance coverage.

## RENEWAL NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Options to renew the contract are at the discretion of the Department, which shall supply written notice of such renewal or termination within 30 days of the expiration date. The Commissioner of Social Services reserves the right to evaluate the job performance and availability of funding.

## COMPLIANCE WITH LAW

The Contractor represents and agrees to comply with the requirements of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 as amended, the Age Discrimination Employment Act of 1964 as amended, the Federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973 as amended, and Executive Order No. 11246, entitled "Equal Employment Opportunity" as amended by Executive Order No. 11375 and as supplemented in Department of Labor Relations, 41 CFR Part 60.

The Contractor also agrees to comply with Federal and State Laws as supplemented in the Dept. of Labor regulations and any other regulations of the Federal and State entities relating to such employment and Civil Rights requirements.

As a mandated reporting agency, all instances of suspected child abuse, neglect and/or maltreatment, will be reported to the Central Registry as required by law. These verbal reports will be followed by submission of completed 2221A to the local Department of Social Services. The family will be informed in advance of the Agency's decision to file a report with the Central Register.

The Contractor attest they have not been debarred by the Federal Government from contracting to provide services funded by any Federal money.

The obligations of the parties hereunder are conditioned upon the continued availability of Federal and/or New York State Funds for the purposes set forth in this Agreement.

Should funds become unavailable or should appropriate Federal or New York State officials fail to approve sufficient funds for completion of the services or programs set forth in this Agreement, the Department shall have the option to immediately terminate this Agreement upon providing written notice to the Contractor. In such an event, the Department shall be under no further obligation to the Contractor other than payment for costs actually incurred prior to termination and in no event will the Department be responsible for any actual or consequential damages as a result of termination.

This Agreement contains all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties. All items incorporated by reference are to be attached. No other understandings, oral or otherwise, regarding the subject matter of this Agreement, shall be deemed to exist or to bind any of the parties hereto.

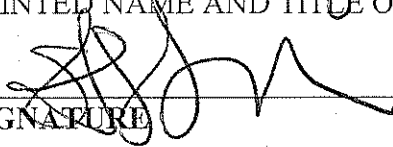
No waiver, alterations or modifications of and provisions of this Agreement shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

This Agreement shall be binding upon both parties when fully signed and executed and upon approval of the appropriate legislative bodies where required.

As the duly authorized representative of the Contractor, I hereby certify that the Contractor will comply with the above Standard Clauses.

Kids Oneida  
NAME OF CONTRACTED AGENCY

Steven Bulger CEO/Executive Director  
PRINTED NAME AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

      3/11/15  
SIGNATURE      DATE



**Oneida County Department of Social Services  
Contractor and Contract Staff  
Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement**

I, the undersigned, an employee of \_\_\_\_\_, (the  
Name of Contract Agency

“Service Provider”), hereby state that I understand and agree that all information provided to the Service Provider from the Oneida County Department of Social Services staff by paper copies, computer systems or databases, electronic communication or otherwise obtained pursuant to the Agreement entered between the Oneida County Department of Social Services and the Service Provider indicated above, is CONFIDENTIAL, is to be used only for the purposes of performing services required by the Agreement, and must be safeguarded from unauthorized disclosure.

I further understand that such information includes, but is not limited to, any and all information regarding parents or guardians and their children, and all employment, financial, and personal identifying data, including Protected Health Information (PHI) as set forth in HIPAA regulations.

I agree to maintain all such information as CONFIDENTIAL, and I agree to use such information only in the performance of my official duties to perform the functions required by the Agreement, unless otherwise authorized in writing by the Department of Social Services.

I understand that confidential information maintained in and/or obtained from systems/databases such as, but not limited to the Welfare Management system (WMS), Child Support Management System (CSMS/ASSETS), Benefits Issuance Control System (BICS), COGNOS, and Connections are protected by Federal and State statutes and regulations. Access and disclosure of confidential information is strictly limited to authorized employees and legally designated agents, for authorized purposes only in the delivery of program services.

I understand that service providers may not access their own active, closed or archived records or those involving a relative, friend, acquaintance, neighbor, partner or co-worker or other individuals to whom they have no official assignment.

I understand that if my employment is terminated by resignation, retirement or for other reasons or the Service Provider Contract is not renewed, the terms of this Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement are still binding.

I understand that if I disclose CONFIDENTIAL information in violation of the requirements stated herein, any individual who incurs damages due to the disclosure may recover such damage in a civil action.

I understand that, in addition to any other penalties provided by law, any person who willfully releases or willfully permits the release of any CONFIDENTIAL information as described herein to persons or agencies not authorized under New York State law to receive it shall be guilty of a class A misdemeanor.

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Witness: \_\_\_\_\_

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**ADDENDUM**

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this 1st day of January, 2015, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as COUNTY, and a contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as CONTRACTOR.

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CONTRACTOR have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which COUNTY is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

**1. Executor or Non-Appropriation Clause.**

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

**2. Oneida County Board of Legislators: Resolution #249 Solid Waste Disposal Requirements.**

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislators Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

**3. Certification Regarding Lobbying; Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters; and Drug-Free Workplace Requirements.**

a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:

1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer

- or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, and officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any Federal Grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal grant or cooperative agreement.
2. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
  3. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,
1. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
    - a. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
    - b. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract 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 contracts 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 indicated or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government 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 Contract had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) for cause or default; and
  2. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.
- c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
1. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:

- a. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
- b. Establishing an on-going drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:
  1. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
  2. The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
  3. Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
  4. The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;
- c. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a);
- d. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:
  1. Abide by the terms of the statement; and
  2. Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;
- e. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (d)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position title, to: Director Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.
- f. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted:
  1. Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the Requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
  2. Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;
- g. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (a),(b),(c),(d),(e),(f).

2. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.

Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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- d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F. for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
1. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and
  2. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to: Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

**4. Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).**

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

- a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:
1. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
  2. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
  3. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to filing cabinets, and locks on drawers, cabinets, and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.
- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the County in any

manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:

1. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
2. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.

c. The Contractor shall:

1. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
2. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
3. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
4. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
5. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.524;
6. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
7. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
8. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
9. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County that the Contractor still maintains in any form and retain no copies of such information or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.

d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:

1. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;

2. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  3. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

**5. Non-Assignment Clause.**

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and attempts to do so are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

**6. Worker's Compensation Benefits.**

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

**7. Non-Discrimination Requirements.**

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or

intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

**8. Wage and Hours Provisions.**

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

**9. Non-Collusive Bidding Certification.**

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor affirms, under penalty of perjury, that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

**10. Records.**

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails and attachments, rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection,



auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute") provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

**11. Identifying Information and Privacy Notification.**

a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. The number is any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payees, on its invoice or claim for payment, must give the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.

b. Privacy Notification. (1) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (2) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

**12. Conflicting Terms.**

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

**13. Governing Law.**

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal supremacy clause requires otherwise.

**14. Prohibition on Purchase of Tropical Hardwoods.**

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the County.

**15. Compliance with New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act.**

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

**16. Gratuities and Kickbacks.**

a. **Gratuities.** It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request, influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard, rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application, request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

b. **Kickbacks.** It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

**17. Audit**

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a Federal financial assistance program from a Federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

**18. Certification of compliance with the Iran Divestment Act.**

Pursuant Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each Bidder/Contractor, any person signing on behalf of any Bidder/Contractor and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (OGS) website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each Bidder/Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the Bidder/Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any Bidder/Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a Bidder/Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he/she/it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be

appropriate including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the Bidder/Contractor in default.


The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a Bidder/Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any Bidder/Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have signed this document on the day and year first above written.

**County of Oneida**

**Contractor**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

By:  \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: Steven Bulger  
Kids Oneida

Oneida County Executive

Approved as to Form only

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Oneida County Attorney

Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
County Executive

Lucille A. Soldato  
Commissioner



**ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES**  
County Office Building, 800 Park Avenue, Utica, NY 13501  
Phone (315) 798-5733 Fax (315) 798-5218

February 23, 2015

Honorable Anthony J. Picente  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES  
WAYS & MEANS

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by  
*[Signature]*  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 3/12/15

Dear Mr. Picente:

I am submitting the following Purchase of Services Agreement for review and approval by the Board of Legislators per Board Resolutions and Local Law #3 of 2001, amending Article VIII, Section 802 of the Administrative Code.

This Memorandum of Understanding with Cornell Cooperative Extension of Oneida allows the Department to be reimbursed for the cost of four (4) Cornell Cooperative Extension workers to be located with the Department of Social Services Employment Unit. The Combined work space allows Cornell Cooperative Extension Child Care Employee to work with our Daycare Staff and allows for the sharing of information and maintains good communication.

The Term of the Memorandum of Understanding is January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015 and the maximum revenue to the Department is \$ 7,500.00.

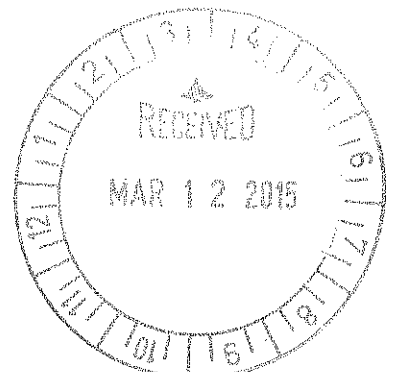
I am respectfully requesting that this matter be forwarded to the Board of Legislators for action as soon as possible. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

*[Signature]*

Lucille A. Soldato  
Commissioner

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attachments.



2/23/15  
# 11102

**Oneida Co. Department Social Services**

**Competing Proposal** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Only Respondent** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Sole Source RFP** \_\_\_\_\_

**Oneida County Board of Legislators**  
**Memorandum of Understanding**

**Name of Proposing Organization:** Cornell Cooperative Extension Oneida County  
121 Second Street  
Oriskany, New York 13424

**Title of Activity or Services:** Workspace for 4 Workers

**Proposed Dates of Operations:** January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2015

**Client Population/Number to be Served:**

**SUMMARY STATEMENTS**

**1). Narrative Description of Proposed Services:** The Memorandum of Understanding will allow the County to be reimbursed for the cost of the 4 Cornell Cooperative Extension workers to be located with the Department of Social Services Employment Unit.

**2). Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes**

**3). Program Design and Staffing Level -**

**Total Funding Requested:** Revenue \$ 7,500.00 Maximum

**Mandated or Non-Mandated:** Non-mandated

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** Account # A1803

**Proposed Funding Source (Federal \$ /State \$ / County \$):**

<b>FEDERAL</b>	0 % -	\$	
<b>STATE</b>	0 % -	\$	N/A
<b>COUNTY</b>	0 % -	\$	

**Cost Per Client Served:**

**Past performance Served:** The Department has provided work space for Cornell Cooperative Extension previously known as Mid-York Child Care Counsel since 2006.

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** This combined work space allows Cornell Cooperative Extension Child Care Employee to work with our Daycare Staff and cuts down costs of sharing information and maintains communication. .

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

AND

CORNELL UNIVERSITY COOPERATIVE EXTENSION OF ONEDIA COUNTY

THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING, made and entered in to, by and between Oneida County, through its Oneida County Department of Social Services, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York and having its principal offices at the Oneida County Office Building, 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York 13501, (hereinafter called Department), and Cornell University Cooperative Extension of Oneida County, 121 Second Street, Oriskany, New York 13424 (hereinafter called Agency).

WITNESSETH THAT:

WHEREAS, the Agency has the need to locate four workers at the Oneida County Department of Social Services Employment Unit located at 800 Park Avenue on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor, Utica, New York, 13501.

WHEREAS, the Department will supply a work space for four employees of the Agency,

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS MUTUALLY AGREED BETWEEN THE DEPARTMENT AND THE AGENCY AS FOLLOWS:

The Department will supply four workstations as agreed to by the Department and the Agency. The Department will provide workspace with a computer port including Internet Access at a cost of \$ 114.95 per month for all four computer ports and the Department will supply (4) four telephones which include separate lines at a cost of \$35 for each phone line per month.

The Agency will reimburse the Department for telephone, computer, postage and other expenses for the term of the Agreement and the Department will provide the Contractor with a bill quarterly for these expenses.

The term of this Agreement shall be from JANUARY 1, 2015 through DECEMBER 31, 2015. The option to renew this Agreement under all current terms and conditions for one additional year not to exceed December 31, 2016 is at the sole discretion of the Department and notice to the Contractor shall be provided prior to the end of the term of this Agreement. The parties hereto are under no obligation to renew this Agreement or to purchase or provide services, in whole or in part,

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after herein provided.

This Agreement can be terminated with a 30 day written notice by either party.

The terms of this Agreement, including any attachments, amendments, addendums or appendixes attached hereto, constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties and cancels and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations, understandings or agreements, whether written or oral, with respect to the subject matter of this Agreement. No wavier, alterations or modifications of and provisions of this Agreement shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this agreement on the day and year first above written.

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Oneida County Executive: \_\_\_\_\_

Anthony J. Picente Jr., Oneida County Executive

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Approved as to Form \_\_\_\_\_

Oneida County Attorney

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

Oneida County Department of Social Services: \_\_\_\_\_

Lucille A. Soldato, Commissioner

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

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_ Cornell Cooperative Extension of Oneida

Authorized Signature:  \_\_\_\_\_

Print Authorized Name: Ronald A. Bance

Title: Executive Director

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APPENDIX A

The parties to the attached contract further agree to be bound by the following, which are hereby made a part of said contract.

- I. This contract may not be assigned by the contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or disposed of without the previous consent, in writing, of the State.
- II. This contract shall be deemed executory only to the extent of money available to the State for the performance of the terms hereof and no liability on account thereof shall be incurred by the State of New York beyond moneys available for the purpose thereof.
- III. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by Labor Law, Sections 220 and 220-d, as amended that:
  - (a) no laborer, workman or mechanic, in the employ of the contractor, subcontractor or other person doing or contracting to do the whole or any part of the work contemplated by the contract shall be permitted or required to work more than eight hours in any one calendar day or more than five days in any one week, except in the emergencies set forth in the Labor Law.
  - (b) the wages paid for a legal day's work shall be not less than the prevailing rate of wages as defined by law.
  - (c) The minimum hourly rate of wages to be paid shall not be less than that stated in the specifications, and any redetermination of the prevailing rate of wages after the contract is approved shall be deemed to be incorporated herein by reference as of the effective date of redetermination and shall form a part of these contract documents.
  - (d) The Labor Law provides that the contract may forfeited and no sum paid for any work done thereunder on a second conviction for willfully paying less than—
    - (a) the stipulated wage scale as provided in Labor Law, Section 220, subdivision 3, as amended or
    - (b) less than the stipulated minimum hourly wage scale as provided in Labor Law, Section 220-d, as amended.
- IV. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by the provisions of the Labor Law, Section 220-e, as amended, that:
  - (a) in hiring of employees for the performance of work under this contract or any subcontract hereunder, or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies hereunder, no contractor, subcontractor, shall by reason of race, creed, color, sex or national origin discriminate against any citizen of the State of New York who is qualified and available to perform the work to which the employment relates.

- (b) No contractor, subcontractor, nor any person on his behalf shall, in any manner, discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this contract on the account of race, creed, color, sex or national origin.
  - (c) There may be deducted from the amount payable to the contractor by the State under this contract a penalty of five dollars for each person for each calendar day during which such person was discriminated against or intimidated in violation of the provisions of the contract, and
  - (d) This contract may be cancelled or terminated by the State or municipality and all moneys due or to become due hereunder may be forfeited for a second or any subsequent violation of the terms or conditions of this section of the contract, and
  - (e) The aforesaid provisions of this section covering every contract for or on behalf of the State or a municipality for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies shall be limited to operations performed within the territorial limits of the State of New York.
- V. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by Executive Order # 45, dated Jan. 4, 1977, effective February 4, 1977, that:
- (a) The contractor will not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, and will undertake programs of affirmative action to insure that they are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Such action shall be taken with reference, but not limited to: recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgrading, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination, rates of pay or other forms of compensation, and selection for training or retraining, including apprenticeship and on-the-job training.
  - (b) If the contractor is directed to do so by the contracting agency or the Office of State Contract Compliance (hereafter OSCC). The contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers, with which he has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish him with a written statement that such employment agency, labor union or representative will not discriminate because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the contractor's obligations hereunder and the purposes of Executive Order # 45 (1977).
  - (c) The contractor will state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, that all qualified applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without

discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

- \* (d) The contractor will comply with all the provisions of Executive Order # 45 (1977) and of rules, regulations and orders issued pursuant thereto and will furnish all information and reports required by said Executive Order or such rules, regulations and orders, and will permit access to its books, records, and accounts and to its premises by the contracting agency or the OSCC for the purposes of ascertaining compliance with said Executive Order and such rules, regulations and orders.
- \* (e) If the contractor does not comply with the equal opportunity provisions of this contract, with Executive Order # 45 (1977), or with such rules, regulations, or orders, this contract or any portion thereof, may be cancelled, terminated or suspended or payments thereon withheld, or the contractor may be declared ineligible for future State or State-assisted contracts, in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order #45 (1977), and such other sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked as are provided in said Executive Order or by rule, regulation or order issued pursuant thereto, or as otherwise provided by law.
- \* (f) The contractor will include the provisions of clauses (a) through (e) above and all contract provisions promulgated by OSCC pursuant to Section 1.3 (b) of Executive Order # 45 (1977), in every non-exempt subcontract or purchase order in such a manner that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor as to its work force within the State of New York. The contractor will take such action in enforcing such provisions of such subcontract or purchase order as the contracting agency or the OSCC may direct, including sanctions or remedies for noncompliance. If the contractor becomes involved in or is threatened with litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction, the contractor shall promptly so notify the Attorney General, requesting him to intervene and protect the interests of the State of New York.

- VI. The contractor will comply with the provisions of Sections 291-299 of the Executive Law and the Civil Rights Law, will furnish all information and reports deemed necessary by the State Division of Human Rights under the Law, and will permit access to its books, records and accounts by the State Industrial Commissioner for the purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with the non-discrimination clauses, the Executive Law and Civil Rights Law.
- VII. (a) By submission of this bid, each bidder and each person signing on behalf of any bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, under penalty or perjury, that to the best of his knowledge and belief:

1) The prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, consultation, communication or agreement, for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such prices with any other bidder or with any competitor;

2) Unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder, and will not be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor;

3) No attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition.

(b) A bid shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made where (a) (1) (2) and (3) above have not been complied with provided, however, that if in any case the bidder cannot make the foregoing certification, the bidder shall so state and shall furnish with the bid a signed statement which sets forth in detail the reasons therefor. Where (a) (1) (2) and (3) above have not been complied with, the bid shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made unless the head of the purchasing unit of the State, public department or agency to which the bid is made, or his designee, determines that such disclosure was not made for the purpose of restricting competition.

The fact that bidder (a) has published price lists, rates, or tariffs covering items being procured, (b) has informed prospective customers of proposed or pending publication of new or revised price lists for such items, or (c) has sold the same items to other customers at the same prices being bid, does not constitute, without more a disclosure within the meaning of sub-paragraph VII (a)

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**\*\*Note:** Reference to the above Rules and Regulations refer to those Rules and Regulations in effect as of the date of the solicitation of bids relative to this contract.

## APPENDIX B

### STANDARD CLAUSES FOR ALL ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES CONTRACTS

#### Personnel

- a. The Contractor agrees to be solely responsible for the recruitment, hiring, provision of employment benefits, payment of salaries and management of its project personnel. These functions shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of this AGREEMENT, and all applicable Federal, State and County laws and regulations.
- b. It is the policy of the Department to encourage the employment of qualified applicants for, or recipients of public assistance by both public organization and private enterprises who are under contractual AGREEMENT to the Department for the provision of goods and services. Contractors will be expected to make best efforts in this area.
- c. The Contractor agrees to identify, in writing, the person(s) who will be responsible for directing the work to be done under this AGREEMENT. No change or substitution of such responsible person(s) will be made without prior approval in writing from the Department, to the degree that such change is within the reasonable control of the Contractor

#### Notices

- a. All notices permitted or required hereunder shall be in writing and shall be transmitted either by:
  - a. By certified or registered United States mail, return receipt requested;
  - b. By Facsimile transmission;
  - c. By personal delivery;
  - d. By expedited delivery service; or
  - e. By e-mail

Notices to the Department shall be addressed to the Commissioner of Social Services at the Address, Telephone Number, Facsimile Number or E-mail Address provided to the Contractor during contract development, or to such different Program Manager as the Department may for time-to time designate.

- b. Any such notice shall be deemed to have been given either at the time of personal delivery or, in the case of expedited delivery service or certified or register United States mail, as of the date of first attempted delivery at the address and in the manner provided herein, or in the case of facsimile transmission or email, upon receipt.

- c. The parties may, from time to time, specify any new or different address in the United States as their address for purpose of receiving notice under this Agreement by giving fifteen (15) days written notice to the other party sent in accordance herewith. The Parties agree to mutually designate individuals as their respective representatives for the purposes of implementation and administration/billing, resolving issues and problems and/or for dispute resolution.

#### Office Services

- a. The contractor shall be responsible for the provision of necessary equipment and services for Contractor's staff, pursuant to and described in the narratives and budgets contained in the AGREEMENT.
- b. For Federally funded contracts, title to real property and non-expendable personal property whose requisition cost is borne in whole or in part by monies proved under this AGREEMENT shall be determined between the Contractor and the Department, pursuant to Federal regulations 45 CFR 92 unless such authority is otherwise inappropriate. Title to all equipment, supplies and material purchased with funds under this AGREEMENT under contracts which are not Federally funded shall be in the State of New York and the property shall not be transferred, conveyed, or disposed of without written approval of the Department. Upon expiration or termination of this Agreement, all property purchased with funds under this Agreement shall be returned to the Department, unless the Department has given direction for, or approval of, an alternative means of disposition in writing.
- c. Upon written direction by the Department, the Contractor shall maintain an inventory of those properties that are subject to the provisions of sub-paragraph b of this section

#### GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- a. The contractor agrees to comply in all respects with the provisions of this AGREEMENT and the attachments hereto. The Contractor specifically agrees to perform services according to the objectives, tasks, work plan and staffing plan contained in the AGREEMENT. Any modifications to the tasks or work plan contained in AGREEMENT must be mutually agreed to by both parties in writing before the additional or modified tasks or work plan shall commence.
- b. If any specific event or conjunction of circumstances threatens the successful completion of the project, in whole or in part, including where relevant, timely completion of milestones, the Contractor agrees to submit to the Department within three days of occurrence or perception of such problem, a written description thereof together with a recommended solution thereto.

- c. The Contractor immediately shall notify in writing the Department Program Manager assigned to this contract of any unusual incident, occurrence or event that involves the staff, volunteers or officers of the Contractor, and subcontractor or Program participant funded through this contract, including but not limited to the following: death or serious injury; an arrest or possible criminal activity; and destruction of property; significant damage to the physical plant of the Contractor, or other matters of a similarly serious nature.
- d. In providing these services, the Contractor hereby agrees to be responsible for designing and operating these services, and otherwise performing, so as to maximize Federal financial participation to the Department under the Federal Social Security Act.
- e. If funds from this contract will be used to pay any costs associated with the provision of legal services of any sort, the following shall apply;
  - No litigation shall be brought against the State of New York, the New York State Office of Children and Family Services, or against Oneida County or the Department or other local government or local social services district with funds provided under this contract. The term "litigation" shall include commencing or threatening to commence a lawsuit joining or threatening to join as a party to ongoing litigation, or requesting any relief from either the State of New York, the New York State Office of Children and Family Services or Oneida County or other local government or local social services district, based upon any agreement between such agency in litigation with another party and such party, during pendency of the litigation.
  - Opinions prepared by consultant law firms construing the statutes of Constitution of the State of New York do not constitute the view of the State unless the prior written approval of the Attorney General is obtained. Requests for said approval shall be submitted to the Solicitor General, Division of the appeals and Opinions Bureau, department of Law, The Capital, Albany, New York 12224
  - The Contractor shall provide to the Department in a format provided by the Department such additional information concerning the provision of legal services as the Department shall require.
- f. The Department will designate a contract Manager who shall have authority relating to the technical services and operational functions of this AGREEMENT and activities completed or contemplated there under. The Contract Manager and those individuals designated by him/her in writing shall have the prerogative to make announced or unannounced on-site visits to the project. Project reports and issues of interpretation or direction relating to this AGREEMENT shall be directed to the Contract Manager.

- g. Except where the Department otherwise authorizes or directs in writing, the Contractor agrees not to enter into any subcontracts, or revisions to subcontracts, for the performance of the obligations contained herein until it has received the prior written approval of the Department, which shall have the right to review and approve each and every subcontract prior to giving written approval to the contractor to enter into the subcontract. All AGREEMENTS between the Contractor and subcontractors shall be by written contract, signed by individuals authorized to bind the parties. All such subcontracts shall contain provisions for specifying (1) that the work performed by the subcontractor must be in accordance with the terms of this AGREEMENT (2) that nothing contained in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the Department under this AGREEMENT, (3) that nothing contained in the subcontract, nor under this AGREEMENT, shall be deemed to create any contractual relationship between the subcontractor and the Department, and (4) incorporating all provisions regarding the rights of the Department as set forth in Agreement, where applicable. The Contractor specifically agrees that he Contractor shall be fully responsible to the Department for the acts and omissions of subcontractors and of persons either directly or indirectly employed by them, as it is for the acts and omissions of persons directly employed by the Contractor.
- h. The Contractor warrants that it, its staff and any and all Subcontractors which must be approved by the Department, have all the necessary licenses, approvals and certifications currently required by the law of any applicable local, state or federal government to perform the services pursuant to this AGREEMENT and/or subcontract entered into under this AGREEMENT. The contractor further agrees such required licenses, approvals and certificates will be kept in full force and effect during the term of this Agreement, or any extension thereof, and to secure any new licenses, approvals or certificates within the required time frames and/or to require its staff and Subcontractors to obtain and requisite licenses, approvals or certificates. In the event the contractor, its staff, and/or Subcontractors are notified of a denial or revocation of any license, approval or certification to perform the services under the AGREEMENT, Contractor will immediately notify the Department.
- i. This Agreement cannot be assigned by the Contractor to a subcontractor without obtaining written approval of the Department. Prior to executing a subcontract agreement the Contractor agrees to provide the Department the information the Department needs to determine whether a proposed Subcontractor is a responsible vendor. The Determination of Vendor responsibility will be made in accordance with Section n. of General Terms and Conditions
- j. If the Contractor intends to use materials, equipment or personnel paid for under this contract in a revenue generating activity, the Contractor shall report such intentions to the Department forthwith and shall be subject to the direction of the Department as to the disposition of such revenue.



- k. Any interest accrued on funds paid to the Contractor by the Department shall be deemed to be the property of the Department and shall either be credited to the Department at the termination of this AGREEMENT or expended on additional services provided for under this AGREEMENT.
- l. The Contractor ensures that the grounds, structures, building and furnishings at the program site(s) used under this AGREEMENT are maintained in good repair and free from any danger to health or safety and that any building or structure used for program services complies with all applicable zoning, building, health, sanitary, and fire codes.
- m. The Contractor agrees to produce, and retain for the balance of the calendar year in which produced, and for a period of six years thereafter, any and all records necessary to substantiate upon audit, the proper deposit and expenditure of funds received under this contract. Such records shall include, but not be limited to, original books of entry (e.g., cash disbursements and cash receipts journal), and the following specific records (as applicable) to substantiate the types of expenditures noted:
  - a) Payroll Expenditures: cancelled checks and the related bank statements, time and attendance records, payroll journals, employee personal history folders, and cost allocation plans, if applicable.
  - b) Payroll Taxes and Fringe Benefits: cancelled checks, copies of related bank statements, reporting forms, and invoices for Fringe Benefit expenses.
  - c) Non-Personal Services Expenditures: original invoices/receipts, cancelled checks and related bank statements, consultant agreements, leases, and cost allocation plans, if applicable
  - d) Receipt and Deposit of Advance and Reimbursements: Itemized bank stamped deposit slips, and a copy of the related bank statements.
  - e) The Contractor agrees that any equipment purchased with funds under this agreement is the property of the Department and will remain with or will be returned to the Department in the event of the termination of this Agreement,

Although not required, the Department recommends that the Contractor retain records directly pertinent to this contract for a period of ten (10) years after the end of the calendar year in which they were made, as the statute of limitations for the New York False Claims Act is ten years.

- n. By signing this contract, the Contractor certifies that within the past three years the contractor has engaged in no actions that would establish a basis for a finding by the Department that the contractor is a non-responsible vendor or, if the contractor has engaged in any such action or actions, that all such actions have been disclosed to the Department prior to entering into this Contract. The actions that would potentially establish a basis for a finding by Department that the contractor is a non-responsible vendor include:
  - The Contractor has had a license or contract suspended, revoked or terminated by a governmental agency.

- The Contractor has had a claim, lien, fine, or penalty imposed or secured against the Contractor by a governmental agency.
- The Contractor has initiated a bankruptcy proceeding or such a proceeding has been initiated against the Contractor
- The Contractor has been issued a citation, notice, or violation order by a governmental agency finding the Contractor to be in violation of any local, state, or federal laws.
- The Contractor has been advised by a governmental agency that a determination to issue a citation, notice or violation order finding the Contractor to be in violation of any local, state or federal laws is pending before a governmental agency
- The contractor has not paid all due and owed local, state and federal taxes to the proper authorities
- The contractor has engaged in any other actions of a similarly serious nature.

Where the Contractor has disclosed any of the above to the Department, Department may require as a condition precedent to entering into the contract that the Contractor agree to such additional conditions as will be necessary to satisfy the Department that the vendor is and will remain a responsible vendor. By signing this contract, the Contractor agrees to comply with any such additional conditions that have been made a part of this contract.

By signing this contract, the contractor also agrees that during the term of the contract, the Contractor will promptly notify the Department if the Contractor engages in any actions that would establish a basis for a finding by Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor, as described above.

- o. By signing this contract, the contractor agrees to comply with State Tax Law section 5-a
- p. Contractors must maintain Workers Compensation Insurance in accordance with the Workers Compensation Law. If a contractor believes they are exempt from the Workers Compensation insurance requirement then they must apply for an exemption. Contractors can apply for the exemption online through the New York State Workers Compensation Board website at:  
[http://www.wcb.state.ny.us/content/ebiz/wc\\_db\\_exemptions/wc\\_db\\_exemptions.jsp](http://www.wcb.state.ny.us/content/ebiz/wc_db_exemptions/wc_db_exemptions.jsp)
- q. All organizations that receive Federal financial assistance under social service programs are prohibited from discriminating against beneficiaries or prospective beneficiaries of the social service programs on the basis of religion or religious belief. Accordingly, organizations, in providing services supported in whole or in part with Federal financial assistance, and in their outreach activities related to such services, are not allowed to discriminate against current or prospective program beneficiaries on the basis of religion, a religious belief, a refusal to hold a religious belief, or a refusal to attend or participate in a religious practice.

Organizations that engage in explicitly religious activities (including activities that involve overt religious content such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization) must perform such activities and offer such services outside of programs that are supported with direct Federal financial assistance (including through prime awards or sub-awards), separately in time or location from any such programs or services supported with direct Federal financial assistance, and participation in any such explicitly religious activities must be voluntary for the beneficiaries of the social service program supported with such Federal financial assistance

#### REPORTS AND DELIVERABLES

The Contractor shall prepare and submit all reports, documents, and projects required by this AGREEMENT to the Office's Contract Manager for review and approval. These reports shall be in such substance, form, and frequency as required by the Department and as necessary to meet State, Federal and County requirements.

The Contractor shall complete Contract Evaluations as required by the Department as well as Statistical Data as needed by the Department and New York State to meet the reporting requirements.

#### CONFIDENTIALITY AND PROTECTION ON HUMAN SUBJECTS

- a. The Contractor agrees to safeguard the confidentiality of financial and/or client information relating to individuals and their families who may receive services in the course of this project. The Contractor shall maintain the confidentiality of all such financial and/or client information with regard to services provided under this AGREEMENT in conformity with the provisions of applicable State, Federal, and County laws and regulations. Any breach of confidentiality by the Contractor, its agents or representatives shall be cause for immediate termination of this AGREEMENT.
- b. Any contractor who will provide goods and/or services to a residential facility or program operated by Department agrees to require all of its employees and volunteers who will have the potential for regular and substantial contact with youth in the care or custody of the Department to sign an Employee Confidentiality Certification and employee Background Certification before any such employees and volunteers are permitted access to youth in the care or custody of the Department and/or any financial and/or client identifiable information concerning such youth. Additionally, Department will require a database check of the State wide Central Register of Child Abuse and Maltreatment (SCR) of each employee and volunteer of the Contractor who has the potential for regular and substantial contact with children in the care or custody of the Department. Any other Contractor whose employees and volunteers will have access to financial and/or client identifiable information concerning youth in the care or custody of Department agrees to require all such employees and volunteers to sign a Employee

Confidentiality Certification before any such employees and volunteers are permitted access to any financial and/or client identifiable information concerning such youth.

- c. Contractor and any subsequent sub-contractor shall not discriminate or refuse assistance to individuals with AIDS or an HIV infection or an HIV - related illness.

The Contractor and any subsequent sub-contractor agrees that their staff to whom confidential HIV - related information may be given as a necessity for providing services and in accordance with 403 of Title 18 NYSDSS regulation and Section 2782 of the Public Health Law are fully informed of the penalties and fines for redisclosure in violations of State Law and Regulations.

The Contractor and any subsequent sub-contractor must include the following written statement when disclosing any confidential HIV - related information.

"This information has been disclosed to you from confidential records which are protected by State Law. State Law prohibits you from making any further disclosure of this information without the specific written consent of the person to whom it pertains, or as otherwise permitted by law. Any unauthorized further disclosure in violation of State Law may result in a fine or jail sentence or both. A general authorization for the release of medical or other information is not sufficient authorization for further disclosure."

- d. All information contained in the Contractors, or it's sub-contractor's files shall be held confidential pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Social Services Law and any State Department Regulations promulgated thereunder, including 18 NY CRR Sec. 357.5 and 423.7, as well as any applicable Federal Laws and any regulations promulgated thereunder and shall not be disclosed except as authorized by law.

- e. The Contractor and all Contract Staff that are subject to the Oneida County computer systems/databases shall complete the Oneida County Department of Social Services Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement provided with this agreement and shall submit forms to the following address:

Oneida County Department of Social Services  
Contract Administration Office, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
800 Park Ave  
Utica, New York, 13501

#### PUBLICATIONS AND COPYRIGHTS

- a. The results of any activity supported under this AGREEMENT may not be published without prior written approval of the Department, which results (1) shall

acknowledge the support of the Department and the County and, if funded with Federal funds, the applicable federal funding agency, and (2) shall state that the opinions, results, findings and/or interpretations of data contained therein are the responsibility of the Contractor and do not necessarily represent the opinions, interpretation or policy of the Department or Oneida County.

- b. The Department and Oneida County expressly reserve the right to a royalty-free, non-exclusive and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish, distribute or otherwise use, in perpetuity, any and all copyrighted or copyrightable material resulting from this AGREEMENT or activity supported by this AGREEMENT. All publications by the Contractor covered by this AGREEMENT shall expressly acknowledge the Department's right to such license.
- c. All of the license rights so reserved to the Department and Oneida County under this paragraph are equally reserved to the United States Department of Health and Human Services and subject to the provisions on copyrights contained in 45 CFR 92 if the AGREEMENT is federally funded
- d. The Contractor agrees that at the completion of any scientific or statistical study, report or analysis prepared pursuant to this AGREEMENT, it will provide to the Department at no additional cost a copy of any and all data supporting the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis, together with the name(s) and business address(es) of the principal(s) producing the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis. The Contractor agrees and acknowledges the right of the Department, subject to applicable confidentiality restrictions, to release the name(s) and business address(es) producing the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis, together with a copy of the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis and all data supporting the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis.

#### PATENTS AND INVENTIONS

The Contractor agrees that any all inventions, conceived or first actually reduced to practice in the course of, or under this AGREEMENT, or with monies supplied pursuant to this AGREEMENT, shall be promptly and fully reported to the DEPARTMENT. Determination as to ownership and/or disposition of rights to such inventions, including whether a patent application shall be filed, and if so, the manner of obtaining, administering and disposing of rights under any patent application or patent which may be issued, shall be made pursuant to all applicable law and regulations.

#### TERMINATION

- a. This AGREEMENT may be terminated by the DEPARTMENT upon thirty (30) days prior written notice to the Contractor. Such notice is to me made by way of

registered or certified mail return receipt requested or hand delivered with receipt granted by the Contractor. The date of such notice shall be deemed to be the date the notice is received by the contractor established by the receipt returned, if delivery by registered or certified mail, or by the receipt granted by the Contractor, if the notice is delivered by hand. The Department agrees to pay the Contractor for reasonable and appropriate expenses incurred in good faith before the date of termination of this AGREEMENT.

- b. If the Contractor fails to use any real property or equipment purchased pursuant to this AGREEMENT or the Contractor ceases to provide the services specified in the AGREEMENT for which the equipment was purchased, the Department may terminate this AGREEMENT upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor, where the Contractor has failed to cure as set forth hereafter, Said notice of breach and shall be sent by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested, or shall be delivered by hand, receiving Contractor's receipt therefore. Said notice shall specify the Contractor's breach and shall demand that such breach be cured. Upon failure of the Contractor to comply with such demand within thirty (30) days, or such longer period as may be specified therein, the Department may, upon written notice similarly served, immediately terminate this AGREEMENT, termination to be effective upon the date of receipt of such notice established by the receipt returned to the Department. Upon such termination, the Department may require (a) the repayment to the Department of any monies previously paid to the Contractor, or (b) return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of this AGREEMENT or an appropriate combination of (a) and (b), at the Department's option.
- c. To the extent permitted by law, this AGREEMENT shall be deemed in the sole discretion of the Department terminated immediately upon the filing of a petition in bankruptcy or insolvency, by or against the Contractor. Such termination shall be immediate and complete, without termination costs or further obligation by the Department to the Contractor
- d. Should the Department determine that Federal, State or County funds are limited or become unavailable for any reason, the Department may reduce that total amount of funds payable to the Contractor, reduce the contract period or deem this contract terminated immediately. The Department agrees to give notice to the Contractor as soon as it becomes aware that funds are unavailable, in the event of termination under this paragraph. If the initial notice is oral notification, the Department shall follow this up immediately with written notice. The Department will be obligated to pay the Contractor only for the expenditures made and obligations incurred by the Contractor until such time as notice of termination is received either orally or in writing by the Contractor from the Department.

- e. The Contractor shall provide to the Department such information as is required by the Department in order that the Department may determine whether the Contractor is a responsible vendor for purposes of compliance with section 163 of the State Finance Law and requirements of the Department. If there is any change in any of the vendor responsibility information provided to the Department by the Contractor at any time during their term of this Agreement, the Contractor shall be required to immediately notify the Department so that the Department may assess whether the Contractor continues to be a responsible vendor. Should the Contractor fail to notify the Department of any change in the vendor responsibility information or should the Department otherwise determine that the Contractor has ceased to be a responsible vendor for the purposes of this AGREEMENT, the Department may terminate this AGREEMENT upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor. Said notice of termination shall be sent by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested, or shall be delivered by hand, receiving Contractor's receipt therefore. Said notice shall specify the reason(s) that the Contractor has been found to no longer be a responsible vendor.

Upon determination that the Contractor is no longer a responsible vendor the Department may, in its discretion and as an alternative to termination pursuant to this paragraph, notify the contractor of the determination that the Contractor has ceased to be a responsible vendor and set forth the corrective action that will be required of the Contractor to maintain the contract. Should the Contractor fail to comply with the required corrective action within thirty (30) days of the date of notification, or such longer period as may be specified therein, the Department may, upon written notice similarly served, immediately terminate this AGREEMENT, termination to be effective upon the date of receipt of such notice established by the receipt returned to the Department. Upon such termination, the Department may require (a) the repayment to the Department of any monies previously paid to the Contractor, (b) return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of this AGREEMENT, or an appropriate combination of (a) and (b) at the Department's option.

#### CONTRACTOR COMPLIANCE

The Contractor agrees to provide an Annual Certification pertaining to this Contract as part of the Contractor's Annual Independent audit.

The Department shall have the right to audit or review the Contractor's performance and operations as related to this AGREEMENT, or has abused or misused funds paid to the contractor, or if the Contractor has violated or is in non-compliance with any term of any other AGREEMENT with the Department, or has abused or misused funds paid to the Contractor under any other AGREEMENT with the Department, the rights of the Department shall include, but not be limited to :

- Recovery of any funds expended in violation of the AGREEMENT;
- Suspension of Payments
- Termination of the AGREEMENT; and/or
- Employment of another entity to fulfill the requirements of the AGREEMENT.

The Contractor shall be liable for all reasonable costs incurred on account thereof, including payment of any cost differential for employing such entity. The Contractor will assist the Department in transferring the operation of the Contracted services to any other entity selected by the Department in a manner that will enable the Department or clients to continue to receive services in an on-going basis, including, but not limited to , notifying clients of the new entity to which the services will be transferred and the effective date of the transfer, providing the new entity promptly and at no charge with a complete copy of the clients' and all other records necessary to continue the provision of the transferred services, and transferring any equipment purchased with funds provided under this AGREEMENT.

Nothing herein shall preclude the Department from taking actions otherwise available to it under law.

The Contractor agrees to cooperate fully with any audit or investigation the Department or any agent of the Department may conduct and to provide access during normal business hours to any and all information necessary to perform its audit or investigation. The Contractor shall also allow the Department, and any representatives specifically directed by the Department to take possession of all books, records and documents relating to this AGREEMENT without prior notice to the Contractor. The Department will return all such books, records and documents to the Contractor upon completion the official purposes for which they were taken.

The Contractor agrees that all AGREEMENTS between the Contractor and a subcontractor or consultants for the performance of any obligations under the AGREEMENT will be by written contract (subcontract) which will contain provisions including, but not limited to, the above specified rights of the Department.

## FISCAL SANCTION

In accordance with the Department, contractors may be placed on fiscal sanction when the Department identifies any of the following issues:

- The Contractor has received an Advance, overpayment or other funds under this or another agreement that has not been refunded to the Department within the established timeframe;
- An Department or other audit identifies significant fiscal irregularities and/or that funds are due to the Department
- The Contractor has not provided satisfactory services as required under the terms of this or another Department agreement;



- The Contractor has not provided fiscal or program reports as required under the terms of this or another Department agreement;
- A County, State or Federal prosecutorial or investigative agency identifies possible criminal activity, or significant fiscal or programmatic irregularities on the part of the Contractor;
- The Contractor is not in compliance with State, Federal, or County statutes or regulations, or applicable Department guidelines, policies and/or procedures; or
- Unsafe physical conditions exist at a program site operated by the Contractor and funded under an agreement with the Department

Once the Contractor has been placed on Fiscal Sanction, payments on all open contracts and any new awards, amendments or contract renewals will not be processed until the issues have been satisfactorily resolved. The contractor will be notified in advance of any proposed Fiscal sanction and will be provided a timeframe within which the issues must be resolved in order to avoid Fiscal Sanction. Issues that are not resolved within the timeframe established by the Department may be referred to the Attorney General (AG) for collection of legal action. If a contract is referred to the AG a collection fee will be added to the amount owed. In addition, interest will be due on any amount not paid in accordance with the timeframes established by the AG. The contractor will remain on Fiscal Sanction until the amount owed, including any collection fee and interest is paid.

#### ADDITIONAL ASSURANCES

- a. The Department and Contractor agree that Contractor is an independent contractor, and not in any way deemed to be an employee of the Department or County of Oneida for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, workers compensation, retirement or health benefits. The Contractor agrees to defend and indemnify the Department and/or Oneida County for any loss the Department and/or Oneida County may suffer when such losses result from claims of any person or organization injured by the negligent acts or omissions of Contractor, its officers and/or employees or subcontractors. Furthermore, the Contractor agrees to indemnify, defend, and save harmless the Department and/or Oneida County, and its officers, agents, and employees from any and all claims and losses occurring or resulting from any and all contractors, subcontractors, and any other person, firm, or corporation furnishing or supplying work, services, materials, or supplies in connection with the performance of the contract, and from all claims and losses occurring or resulting to any person, firm, or corporation who may be injured or damaged by the Contractor in the performance of the contract, and against any liability, including costs and expenses, for violation of proprietary rights, copyrights, or rights of privacy, arising out of the publication, translation, reproduction, delivery, performance, or use, or disposition of any data furnished under the contract or based on any libelous or other unlawful matter contained in such data or written materials in any form produced pursuant to the contract.

- b. The Contractor, if a municipal corporation, represents that it is a self-insured entity. If a not-for-profit Corporation or entity other than a self-insured municipal Corporation, the Contractor agrees to obtain and maintain in effect a general policy of liability insurance in an amount not less than one million dollars (\$ 1,000,000) per incident and not less than three million (\$ 3,000,000) aggregate. The Contractor agrees that it will require any and all Subcontractors with whom it subcontracts pursuant to this contract to obtain and maintain a general policy of liability insurance in an amount not less than one million dollars (\$ 1,000,000) per incident and not less than three million (\$3,000,000) aggregate. The Contractor further agrees to procure and maintain in force, for the duration of this Agreement, insurance in types and in the amounts as determined by the Department. Such coverage must be identified and entered upon a Standard Insurance Certificate or its acceptable substitute and be signed by the Contractor's Agency's insurance company, agent or broker.

The Contractor agrees that it will, at its own expense, at all times during the term of this agreement, maintain in force a policy of insurance which will insure against liability for property damage and/or injury/death with regard to any property of persons. The liability and property damage coverage of such insurance shall not be less than One Million dollars (\$ 1,000,000) per incident and not less than three million (\$3,000,000) aggregate. The Contractor agrees to have the Department and Oneida County added to said insurance policies as named additional insured, on a primary, non-contributory basis, as their interest may appear, and to provide the Department and/or Oneida County with a certificate from said insurance company, or companies, showing coverage as herein before required, such certification to show the Department and the Oneida County as additional insureds and to provide that such coverage shall not be terminated without written prior notice to the to the Department and/or Oneida County of at least thirty (30) days.

The Contractor further agrees that the Department has the right to take whatever action it deems appropriate, including, but not limited to, the removal of the Contractor from the rotation list, the removal of clients, the cessation of client referrals, and termination of this Agreement, if the Contractor fails to submit a completed and signed Standard Insurance Certificate or its acceptable substitute, which is subsequently approved by the Oneida County Department of Law, prior to the expiration of its insurance coverage.

#### RENEWAL NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Options to renew the contract are at the discretion of the Department, which shall supply written notice of such renewal or termination within 30 days of the expiration date. The Commissioner of Social Services reserves the right to evaluate the job performance and availability of funding.

#### COMPLIANCE WITH LAW

The Contractor represents and agrees to comply with the requirements of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 as amended, the Age Discrimination Employment Act of 1964 as amended, the Federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973 as amended, and Executive Order No. 11246, entitled "Equal Employment Opportunity" as amended by Executive Order No. 11375 and as supplemented in Department of Labor Relations, 41CFR Part 60.

The Contractor also agrees to comply with Federal and State Laws as supplemented in the Dept. of Labor regulations and any other regulations of the Federal and State entities relating to such employment and Civil Rights requirements.

As a mandated reporting agency, all instances of suspected child abuse, neglect and/or maltreatment, will be reported to the Central Registry as required by law. These verbal reports will be followed by submission of completed 2221A to the local Department of Social Services. The family will be informed in advance of the Agency's decision to file a report with the Central Register.

The Contractor attest they have not been disbarred by the Federal Government from contracting to provide services funded by any Federal money.

The obligations of the parties hereunder are conditioned upon the continued availability of Federal and/or New York State Funds for the purposes set forth in this Agreement.

Should funds become unavailable or should appropriate Federal or New York State officials fail to approve sufficient funds for completion of the services or programs set forth in this Agreement, the Department shall have the option to immediately terminate this Agreement upon providing written notice to the Contractor. In such an event, the Department shall be under no further obligation to the Contractor other than payment for costs actually incurred prior to termination and in no event will the Department be responsible for any actual or consequential damages as a result of termination.

This Agreement contains all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties. All items incorporated by reference are to be attached. No other understandings, oral or otherwise, regarding the subject matter of this Agreement, shall be deemed to exist or to bind any of the parties hereto. No waiver, alterations or modifications of and provisions of this Agreement shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

This Agreement shall be binding upon both parties when fully signed and executed and upon approval of the appropriate legislative bodies where required.

As the duly authorized representative of the Contractor, I hereby certify that the Contractor will comply with the above Standard Clauses.

Cornell University Cooperative Extension of Oneida County  
NAME OF CONTRACTED AGENCY

Ronald A. Bance Executive Director  
PRINTED NAME AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

[Signature]  
SIGNATURE

12/30/14  
DATE

**Oneida County Department of Social Services  
Contractor and Contract Staff  
Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement**

I, the undersigned, an employee of \_\_\_\_\_, (the  
Name of Contract Agency

“Service Provider”), hereby state that I understand and agree that all information provided to the Service Provider from the Oneida County Department of Social Services staff by paper copies, computer systems or databases, electronic communication or otherwise obtained pursuant to the Agreement entered between the Oneida County Department of Social Services and the Service Provider indicated above, is CONFIDENTIAL, is to be used only for the purposes of performing services required by the Agreement, and must be safeguarded from unauthorized disclosure.

I further understand that such information includes, but is not limited to, any and all information regarding parents or guardians and their children, and all employment, financial, and personal identifying data, including Protected Health Information (PHI) as set forth in HIPAA regulations.

I agree to maintain all such information as CONFIDENTIAL, and I agree to use such information only in the performance of my official duties to perform the functions required by the Agreement, unless otherwise authorized in writing by the Department of Social Services.

I understand that confidential information maintained in and/or obtained from systems/databases such as, but not limited to the Welfare Management system (WMS), Child Support Management System (CSMS/ASSETS), Benefits Issuance Control System (BICS), COGNOS, and Connections are protected by Federal and State statutes and regulations. Access and disclosure of confidential information is strictly limited to authorized employees and legally designated agents, for authorized purposes only in the delivery of program services.

I understand that service providers may not access their own active, closed or archived records or those involving a relative, friend, acquaintance, neighbor, partner or co-worker or other individuals to whom they have no official assignment.

I understand that if my employment is terminated by resignation, retirement or for other reasons or the Service Provider Contract is not renewed, the terms of this Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement are still binding.

I understand that if I disclose CONFIDENTIAL information in violation of the requirements stated herein, any individual who incurs damages due to the disclosure may recover such damage in a civil action.

I understand that, in addition to any other penalties provided by law, any person who willfully releases or willfully permits the release of any CONFIDENTIAL information as described herein to persons or agencies not authorized under New York State law to receive it shall be guilty of a class A misdemeanor.

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Witness: \_\_\_\_\_

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**ADDENDUM**

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this 1st day of January, 2015, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as COUNTY, and a contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as CONTRACTOR.

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CONTRACTOR have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which COUNTY is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

**1. Executor or Non-Appropriation Clause.**

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

**2. Oneida County Board of Legislators: Resolution #249 Solid Waste Disposal Requirements.**

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislator Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

**3. Certification Regarding Lobbying; Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters; and Drug-Free Workplace Requirements.**

a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:

1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an

officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, and officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any Federal Grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal grant or cooperative agreement.

2. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
3. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.

b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,

1. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
  - a. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
  - b. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract 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 contracts 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 indicated or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government 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 Contract had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) for cause or default; and
2. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.

c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

1. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:

- a. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
  - b. Establishing an on-going drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:
    1. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
    2. The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
    3. Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
    4. The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;
  - c. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a);
  - d. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:
    1. Abide by the terms of the statement; and
    2. Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;
  - e. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (d)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position title, to: Director Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.
  - f. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted:
    1. Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the Requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
    2. Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;
  - g. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (a),(b),(c),(d),(e),(f).
2. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.  
Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).



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- d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F. for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
1. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and
  2. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to: Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

**4. Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPPA).**

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

- a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:
1. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
  2. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
  3. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to filing cabinets, and locks on drawers, cabinets, and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.
- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:

1. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
  2. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.
- c. The Contractor shall:
1. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
  2. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
  3. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
  4. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
  5. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.524;
  6. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
  7. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
  8. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
  9. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County that the Contractor still maintains in any form and retain no copies of such information or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.
- d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:
1. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
  2. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  3. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.

- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

**5. Non-Assignment Clause.**

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and attempts to do so are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

**6. Worker's Compensation Benefits.**

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

**7. Non-Discrimination Requirements.**

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

**8. Wage and Hours Provisions.**

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

**9. Non-Collusive Bidding Certification.**

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor affirms, under penalty of perjury, that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

**10. Records.**

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails and attachments, rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute") provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject

to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

**11. Identifying Information and Privacy Notification.**

a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. The number is any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payees, on its invoice or claim for payment, must give the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.

b. Privacy Notification. (1) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (2) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

**12. Conflicting Terms.**

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

**13. Governing Law.**

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal supremacy clause requires otherwise.

**14. Prohibition on Purchase of Tropical Hardwoods.**

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or

political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the County.

**15. Compliance with New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act.**

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

**16. Gratuities and Kickbacks.**

a. Gratuities. It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request, influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard, rendering of advice; investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application, request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

**17. Audit**

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The

revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a Federal financial assistance program from a Federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

**18. Certification of compliance with the Iran Divestment Act.**

Pursuant Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each Bidder/Contractor, any person signing on behalf of any Bidder/Contractor and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (OGS) website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each Bidder/Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the Bidder/Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any Bidder/Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a Bidder/Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he/she/it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the Bidder/Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a Bidder/Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any Bidder/Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have signed this document on the day and year first above written.

**County of Oneida**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Oneida County Executive

**Contractor**

By:  \_\_\_\_\_

Name:

Approved as to Form only

\_\_\_\_\_

Oneida County Attorney



Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
County Executive

Lucille A. Soldato  
Commissioner



**ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES**

County Office Building, 800 Park Avenue, Utica, NY 13501

Phone (315) 798-5733 Fax (315) 798-5218

February 23, 2015

Honorable Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

FN 20 15176  
*Anthony J. Picente Jr.*  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive  
HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES  
WAYS & MEANS Date 3/18/15

Dear Mr. Picente:

I am submitting the following Purchase of Services Agreement for review and approval by the Board of Legislators per Board Resolutions and Local Law #3 of 2001, amending Article VIII, Section 802 of the Administrative Code.

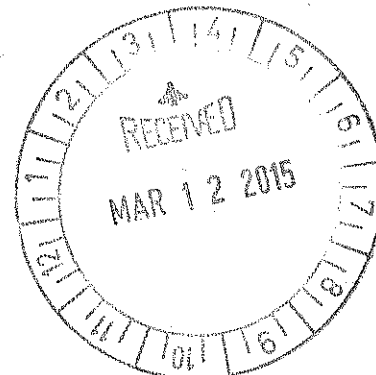
The Department has contracted with the Neighborhood Center since 1992 for the Recruitment, Homefinding, Certification, Training of Family Day Care homes, as well as client Day Care eligibility and Day Care placement activities.

The enclosed contract with the Neighborhood Center will cover the costs incurred by the Center for Family Day Care and School-Age Day Care, Certification and Inspections and will be operational from January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2015. The \$ 230,297.00 agreement with the Neighborhood Center will be funded 100 % through the New York State Office of Children and Family Services Grant.

I am respectfully requesting that this matter be forwarded to the Board of Legislators for action as soon as possible. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Lucille A. Soldato  
Commissioner



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Attachment

2/23/15  
# 14502

**Oneida Co. Department Social Services**

**Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_**  
**Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_**  
**Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_**

**Oneida County Board of Legislators**  
**Contract Summary**

**Name of Proposing Organization:** Neighborhood Center  
293 Genesee Street  
Utica, New York 13501

**Title of Activity or Services:** Day Care Registration/Inspection

**Proposed Dates of Operations:** January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2015

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Individuals in Oneida County interested in or currently providing child care in a residence.

**SUMMARY STATEMENTS**

**1). Narrative Description of Proposed Services**

To recommend Registration/and renewal for those individuals satisfactorily completing a FDC initial/renewal application. To provide technical assistance to potential and current providers regarding application and regulations. To provide regularly scheduled orientation throughout Oneida County. To complete an inspection/investigation on Registered homes in response to a complaint, request by provider for additional school age children or for failure to meet training requirements. Complete 50% annual random inspections on existing providers. Respond to complaints on non-regulated child care providers. The Contract now includes performance standards for: initial registrations, renewal registration, complaint investigations, safety assessments, inspections, and on-site registration case and management review.

**2). Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes -**

To increase the number of Registered FDC & School Age Day Care homes throughout Oneida County and to ensure through the Inspection process that they meet the standards set forth in the NYS Regulations.

**3). Program Design and Staffing Level -**

- (1) Program Coordinator
- (4) Caseworkers
- (1) Program Assistant
- (1) Clerk

**Total Funding Requested: \$ 230,297.00**

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** Account # A6055.495

**Mandated or Non-mandated:** Mandated service

**Proposed Funding Source (Federal \$ /State \$ / County \$):**

Federal	0 %	\$	0.00
State	100 %	\$	230,297.00
County	0 %	\$	0.00

**Cost Per Client Served:** This Contract is reimbursed through a Memorandum of Understanding with the State of New York for \$ 230,297.00.

**Past performance Served:** The Department has contracted with this provider since June 1, 1992. Starting in 2007 the contract has performance measures that must be met for the contractor to receive full reimbursement. The cost of the contract in 2014 was \$ 230,297.

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** There is no local share to support this effort.

## AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT, made and entered in to, by and between Oneida County through its Oneida County Department of Social Services, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York and having its principal offices at the Oneida County Office Building, 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York 13501, (hereinafter called Department), and The Neighborhood Center, Inc., 293 Genesee Street, Utica, New York 13501 (hereinafter called Contractor).

WHEREAS, the New York State has established a State-Wide system of Family Day Care Registration and Inspection,

WHEREAS, the New York State Department of Social Services has determined to Contract with the Department for the activities of Processing of Family Day Care Registration and Family Day Care Home Inspections,

NOW, THEREFORE, it is mutually agreed between the Neighborhood Center and the Department that Purchase of Services Agreement be entered into as a sub-contract for a New York State Grant activities,

### Section I: DEFINITIONS

FAMILY DAY CARE HOMES (hereinafter called Homes) shall be defined as: Homes regulated under Section 390 of the Social Services Law and Part 417 of the Regulations of the New York State Department of Social Services (NYSDSS) which stipulates that care is provided for more than two and less than seven children away from their homes for less than 24 hours per day in a family home for more than five hours per week.

CERTIFICATION shall be defined as, the gathering of required documents, arranging required inspections, and issuing the necessary instruction in accordance with New York State Department of Social Services regulations and Department policy.

### Section II: Scope of Services

The Contractor agrees to perform Certification, Re-certification, and Inspection activities for the Department. The Contractor will proceed with Activity 1: Processing Registration Applications. This activity includes the following functions:

- 1). Conducting regularly scheduled orientation sessions for potential new applicants. Orientation sessions will be conducted using a New York State Department of Social Services supplied curriculum. Orientation sessions will be held at times and at all locations as needed to be determined by the extent of new applicants. Individuals attending orientation must be provided with

proof of attendance.

- 2). Providing application packets at orientation sessions and otherwise upon request.
- 3). Providing technical assistance to help potential and current providers understand and comply with applicable regulations, complete the application (either original or renewal), and submit appropriate documentation. Additional supportive information will be made available to child day care providers. Our experience has shown that about 50% of applicants as family Day Care Providers will need assistance in the completion of the application and understanding the regulations.
- 4). Reviewing applications, including all supporting documentation, for completeness and compliance with applicable regulations. This includes acting upon those portions of the application which require action (e.g. reviewing references, validating documentation).
- 5). Notifying providers of application status, including notice within five days of receipt of original application or renewal application and notice of outstanding or incomplete documentation.
- 6). Mailing renewal application packets to providers 90 days prior to the expiration of their registrations.
- 7). Recommending approval or disapproval of all application to the Bureau of Child Care Regional Office.
- 8). Reporting monthly the number of orientations held, including program category (family day care of school -age child care), location and number of potential providers attending; the number of providers by information; the number of original applications and the number of renewal applications pending due to outstanding documentation, and the number of applications which have been pending for more than 60 days.

The Contractor agrees to complete; Activity 2; Conducting Inspections. This activity includes the following functions:

- 1). Inspecting at least 50 percent of registered providers annually with a priority to providers not licensed or certified prior to the implementation of registration. To the maximum extent possible, the Department will identify the providers to inspect. A full compliance study must be made at each of these unannounced inspection visits. All violations must be followed to correction or referred to the Bureau of Child Care Regional Office for enforcement action.
- 2). Investigating all complaints that if true would indicate lack of compliance with statutory or regulatory requirements. If the complaint indicates that children may be in imminent danger, an unannounced site inspection must be made no later than the next day of program operation. In all other cases inspection visits must be made within 15 days of receiving the complaint, except for

those complaints alleging solely the failure to register. In addition to investigating the complaint, a full compliance study must be made if conditions suggest it is necessary.

- 3). Investigating all family day care homes where application has been made to provide care for an additional one or two children who are school-age provided an inspection has not already been made for another reason, and recommending approval or disapproval of the application to serve one or two additional children to the Department. A full compliance study must be made if conditions suggest it is necessary. All violations must be followed to correction or referred to the Bureau of Child Care Regional Office for enforcement action.
- 4). Inspecting, upon receipt of the renewal application, all providers who have failed to meet the training requirement or who have unresolved regulatory violations or complaints.
- 5). Maintaining inspection reports and documentation or compliance or corrective actions in the file of each inspected provider.
- 6). Liaison - The Neighborhood Center will serve as the liaison between the Oneida County Department of Social Services and the Family Day Care Homes. In this capacity The Neighborhood Center will handle all problems that may arise, including payment clarification between the Provider and the Department.
- 7). Documentation - The Neighborhood Center will maintain all required documentation including the case records of all Day Care clients and records of all applicants for Family Day Care Homes in case documentation is needed for fair hearing and will attach the following reports with the monthly billing to Oneida County DSS; reports will include:
  - monthly itemized breakdown of expenditures,
  - monthly list of Family Day Care Homes that are 1) certified, 2) in process of certification and 3) no longer active, or denied,
  - monthly list of all client families and children detailing where placed,
  - monthly list of participants in the nutrition program, and
  - monthly statistical report and any reporting requirements from New York State Department of Social Services.

All documentation shall be prepared by the Contractor and submitted to the Department per the forms and requirements of the Local District Department of Social Services and New York State Department of Social services requirements.

Mandated Reports: All Neighborhood Center Staff performing work under the terms of this contract are designated Mandated Child Abuse reporters, as such, they are required by law to report any cases of suspected child abuse.

The liaison for this program shall be:

*Neighborhood Center, Inc.*  
*New York State Family Day Care Registration*

# 14502  
January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2015

1. Department of Social Services – Philip Martini
2. Neighborhood Center – Sandra Soroka

It is important to note that during the Day Care Registration and Inspection contract period, training will be conducted and the Contractor's attendance is required at such trainings as determined by the OCFS DCCS Regional Office.

The Oneida County Department of Social Services and the Neighborhood Center will meet every three (3) months to review programmatic and systemic issues and to evaluate the program.

### Section III: TERM OF AGREEMENT

The term of this Purchase of Services Agreement (Sub-contract under New York State Department of Social Services grant) shall be from January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015. The option to renew this Agreement under all current terms and conditions for one additional year not to exceed December 31, 2016 is at the sole discretion of the Department and notice to the Contractor shall be provided prior to the end of the term of this Agreement.

Changes in the New York State Day Care Home Certification process may result in changes in the scope and nature of services under this Agreement. Both parties agree to meet to review these changes and make such adjustments and / or amendments to this Agreement as becomes necessary and is deemed warranted by the Department.

All information contained in the Contractor's or its sub-contractor's files shall be held confidential pursuant to the applicable provision of the Social Services Law and any State Department Regulations promulgated thereunder, including 18 NYCRR Sec. 357.5 and 423.7, as well as any applicable Federal Laws and any regulations promulgated thereunder and shall not be disclosed except as authorized by law.

As a mandated reporting agency, all instances of suspected child abuse, neglect, and/or maltreatment, will be reported to the Central Registry as required by law. These verbal reports will be followed by submission of completed 2221A to the local Department of Social Services. The family will be informed in advance of the Agency's decision to file a report with the Central Register.

### Section IV: REIMBURSEMENT AND CLAIMING PROCEDURES

The Department agrees to pay a total cost of services provided not to exceed \$ 230,297.00 for an acceptable level of compliance for all Quarterly Standard Performance Levels as specified in this agreement for the time frame of January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015 as per this attached budget as approved by New York State Department of Social Services. The total reimbursement for the year 2015 expenses may not exceed \$ 230,297.00.

A quarterly program review will be conducted by the New York State Division of Child Care services (DCCS), after the end of the applicable quarter, to determine if the contractor has reached an acceptable level of compliance for the quarter. The determination of whether a contractor met an acceptable level of compliance for each Quarterly Standard Performance Level will be based on the Contractor's compliance with all applicable timelines, operating procedures and other requirements as set forth in OCFS DCCS Regional Office regulations and policies and the Child Care Facility System (CCFS) Users' Manual, which are deemed to be incorporated herein by reference.

If the OCFS DCCS Regional Office determines that the Contractor has not met the acceptable Quarterly Standard Performance Level for a particular activity during a quarter, the applicable percentage set forth herein for that Quarterly Standard Performance Level will be withheld and the amount paid to the Contractor for the quarter will be reduced accordingly. The Office may completely waive the reduction for a particular unmet Quarterly Standard Performance Level based upon a written request submitted by the Contractor demonstrating that such failure was due to extraordinary or unforeseen circumstances. The Office shall notify the Contractor in writing of the Office's approval of any such waiver request, or shall notify the Contractor of the Office's disapproval of any such waiver request and delineate the reasons for such disapproval.

The following standard performance levels must be met quarterly or the corresponding penalty will be administered:

**Quarterly Standard Performance Level – Initial Registrations**

The Contractor will process and resolve initial registration applications within six (6) months of receipt including providing applicants with all appropriate notifications regarding the status of the applications. The acceptable resolution categories are: approved, withdrawn, and referred to enforcement for denial. The Quarterly Standard Performance Level for initial registrations for an acceptable level of compliance is 95%. The acceptable level of compliance will be determined by DCCS upon review of quarterly data from CCFS. If at least 95% of the previous quarter's Quarterly Standard Performance Level for initial registrations/licenses is not met, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld.

**Quarterly Standard Performance Level – Renewals of Registrations**

The Contractor will process and resolve completed applications for renewals of registrations, including providing providers with all appropriate notifications regarding the renewal process, prior to the applicable registration lapse date or will initiate enforcement action. The renewals of the Family and School-Age Child Care registrations will include a renewal inspection as required by regulation. The Quarterly Standard Performance Level for renewals of registrations for an acceptable level of compliance is 95%. The acceptable level of compliance will be determined by DCCS upon review of quarterly data from CCFS. If at least 95% of the previous quarter's Quarterly Standard Performance Level for renewal registrations is not met, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld.

**Quarterly Standard Performance Level –Complaint Investigations**



The Contractor will initiate complaint investigations within the required time frames and make determinations on the complaints within 60 days. The Quarterly Standard Performance Level for complaint investigations for an acceptable level of compliance is 95%. The acceptable level of compliance will be determined by DCCS upon review of quarterly data from CCFS. If at least 95% of the previous quarter's Quarterly Standard Performance Level for complaint investigations is not met, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld.

**Quarterly Standard Performance Level – Safety Assessments**

The Contractor will conduct safety assessments based on the categories of arrests/convictions and submit the assessments to DCCS within the required time frames. The Quarterly Standard Performance Level for safety assessments for an acceptable level of compliance is 100%. The acceptable level of compliance will be determined by DCCS upon review of quarterly data from CCFS. If at least 100% of the previous quarter's Quarterly Standard Performance Level for safety assessments is not met, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld.

**Quarterly Standard Performance Level – 50% Inspections**

The Contractor will conduct one quarter of the required number of annual 50% inspections for Family Day Care, School Age Child Care programs, and complete all required documentation. The Quarterly Standard Performance Level for 50% inspections for an acceptable level of compliance is 90%. The acceptable level of compliance will be determined by DCCS upon review of quarterly data from CCFS. If at least 90% of the Performance Level for 50% inspections is not met at the completion of the four quarters, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld.

**Quarterly Standard Performance Level – Mid-Point Inspections**

The Provider will process and resolve competed reviews of Mid-Point documentation including providing providers with all appropriate notifications regarding the Mid-Point requirements. The Contractor will conduct Mid-Point inspections for Family Day Care and School Age Child Care programs and complete all required documentation within the required timeframes pursuant to current policy and procedures. The Quarterly Standard Performance Level for Mid-Point inspections for an acceptable level of compliance is 95%. The acceptable level of compliance will be determined by DCCS upon review of quarterly data from CCFS. If at least 95% of the Performance Level for Mid-Point inspections is not met each quarter, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld.

**Quarterly Standard Performance Level – On-Site Case and Management Review.**

The Contractor will provide appropriate registration and monitoring activities, maintain appropriate case files and make appropriate entries into CCFS in the time, manner and form required by the Office. The Contractor shall not revise or alter OCFS policy/procedures or create its own policy/procedure without receiving prior approval in writing from the Office. The acceptable level of compliance will be determined by DCCS based on quarterly case files and management reviews. The case review will include a review of a sample of case files regarding initial applications, renewal applications, mid-point requirement, 50% inspections, complaint

investigations and other investigations chosen in accordance with a consistent sampling framework to determine whether: Office policies, procedures, and regulations are applied accurately; required observations are made during inspections and investigations; all applicable entries are made in case files and/or CCFS; proper notifications is given to providers and parents, where applicable, within the required time frames; each facility has the necessary active fingerprint files and are then entered into CCFS upon receipt; inspections are conducted, when appropriate, to verify compliance with any corrective action plans and/or continued regulatory violations; appropriate and timely enforcement referrals are made and appropriate and timely follow-up activities are conducted in accordance with Office policies and directions including cooperating with the Office's Legal Division on enforcement activities and, when determined necessary by the Office, testifying at fair hearings and/or court proceedings and assisting the Office in responding to litigation.

The management review will include a review of other documentation to determine whether: identified registration staff have participated in any mandatory training as required by the Office related to the performance of registration duties and participated in management and supervisory sessions on a regional and Statewide basis, as required; provided technical assistance in regard to the start-up of new programs and compliance with existing programs and information on available training and funding resources applicable to family day care and school-age child care programs; and provided parents and the general public with access to information regarding the compliance/complaint history of all regulated providers, as required. The approved quarterly registration case files and management reviews for an acceptable level of compliance is 90%. If at least 90% of the previous quarter's Quarterly Standard Performance Level for the case files and management review is not met, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld. The Quarterly Standard Performance Level for applying accurately required Office policies, procedures and regulation is 100%. If a least 100% of OCFS mandated procedures are not competed pursuant to all policy and procedures, 2% of the Quarterly contract amount will be withheld.

#### **Quarterly Standard Performance Level – Approved Staffing Plan**

The Contractor staffing plan, including the percentage of time each staff works on the project, which has been approved by the Office and is maintained during the quarter. In addition, the Office's respective DCCS Regional Office Manager is to be notified by the Contractor of the registration and inspections coverage plan when the registrar's office is unavailable during regular business hours. In the event of a staff vacancy, the Contractor will be allowed a three-month period from the date the vacancy was created to fill the vacancy and bring staffing back up to the approved level. The Contractor is to provide DCCS with the names of the staff assigned to register day care programs, the percentage of time those staff work on the program. In addition, the Office will review the qualifications of those staff members as part of the quarterly case and management review and when otherwise requested by DCCS to determine if the qualifications are reasonable for providing the registration and inspection services. The approved staffing plan for an acceptable level of compliance at the end of each quarter is 100%, with the exception of any vacancies that are less than three months old at the end of the quarter. The acceptable level

of compliance will be determined by DCCS based upon the quarterly case and management review. If at least 100% of the previous quarter's Quarterly Standard Performance Level for the approved staffing plan is not met at the end of the quarter, not counting vacancies that are less than three months old at the end of the quarter, 2% of the quarterly contract amount will be withheld. However, the amount withheld may not exceed the value of the personnel costs for the unfilled position(s).

The Contractor agrees that the equipment purchased under this Contract is the property of the Department and shall revert to the Department upon any termination or failure to renew the contract. This Agreement shall be considered null and void should New York State Department of Social Services grant funds become unavailable for any reason. The Department agrees to make payment for those services provided through the agreed upon termination at the Departments usual reimbursement.

Section V:

This Agreement cannot be assigned by the Neighborhood Center without obtaining written approval of the Department.

Should the New York State Department of Social Services grant to the Oneida County Department of Social Services currently processed be disapproved, this Agreement will be considered null and void.

This Contract may be terminated by the Department upon 30 day written notice of intent to cancel submitted to the Contractor.

The terms of this Agreement, including any attachments, amendments, addendums or appendixes attached hereto, constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties and cancels and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations, understandings or agreements, whether written or oral, with respect to the subject matter of this Agreement. No waiver, alterations or modifications of and provisions of this Agreement shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this agreement on the day and year first above written.

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

Oneida County Executive: \_\_\_\_\_

Anthony J. Picente Jr., Oneida County Executive

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Approved as to Form \_\_\_\_\_

Oneida County Attorney

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

Oneida County Department of Social Services: \_\_\_\_\_

Lucille A. Soldato, Commissioner

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Date: 1/28/15

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

The Neighborhood Center, Inc.

Authorized Signature: *Sandra L. Soroka*

Print Authorized Name: Sandra L. Soroka

Executive Director

Neighborhood Center, Inc.

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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Neighborhood Center, Inc.  
# 14502 Day Care Registration and Inspection Program  
January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2015

**Personnel Services**

Personnel Salaries	\$ 153,051
Fringe Benefits	\$ 53,568
<b>Personnel Services Total</b>	<b>\$ 206,619</b>

**Non-Personnel Services**

Contractual/Consultant (IT Services, Copier)	\$ 1,500
Staff Travel/Per Diem	\$ 4,835
Equipment	\$ 0
Supplies	\$ 5,027
Other Expenses	\$ 12,316
Utilities	\$ 5,071
Telecommunications	\$ 3,025
Repairs/Maintenance	\$ 3,351
Insurance	\$ 869

**Non-Personnel Services** **\$ 23,678**

**Contract Total** **\$ 230,297**

ADDENDUM I

MONTHLY DAY CARE REPORT  
for the month of \_\_\_\_\_.

Certification:

Total Day Care Homes Certified at Start of Month \_\_\_\_\_.

Total Day Care Homes Leaving the Program \_\_\_\_\_.

Terminated \_\_\_\_\_.

Withdraw \_\_\_\_\_.

Moved \_\_\_\_\_.

Other \_\_\_\_\_.

Total Day Care Homes Certified at the end of Month

Homefinding:

Total Home Studies Pending at start of month \_\_\_\_\_.

New Home Study Referrals \_\_\_\_\_.

Home Studies Terminated \_\_\_\_\_.

W/R \_\_\_\_\_.

Home Studies - Certified \_\_\_\_\_.

at end of Month \_\_\_\_\_.

Recruitment Report: (list recruitment efforts,

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

Signed \_\_\_\_\_.

APPENDIX A

The parties to the attached contract further agree to be bound by the following, which are hereby made a part of said contract.

- I. This contract may not be assigned by the contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or disposed of without the previous consent, in writing, of the State.
- II. This contract shall be deemed executory only to the extent of money available to the State for the performance of the terms hereof and no liability on account thereof shall be incurred by the State of New York beyond moneys available for the purpose thereof.
- III. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by Labor Law, Sections 220 and 220-d, as amended that:
  - (a) no laborer, workman or mechanic, in the employ of the contractor, subcontractor or other person doing or contracting to do the whole or any part of the work contemplated by the contract shall be permitted or required to work more than eight hours in any one calendar day or more than five days in any one week, except in the emergencies set forth in the Labor Law.
  - (b) the wages paid for a legal day's work shall be not less than the prevailing rate of wages as defined by law.
  - (c) The minimum hourly rate of wages to be paid shall not be less than that stated in the specifications, and any redetermination of the prevailing rate of wages after the contract is approved shall be deemed to be incorporated herein by reference as of the effective date of redetermination and shall form a part of these contract documents.
  - (d) The Labor Law provides that the contract may forfeited and no sum paid for any work done thereunder on a second conviction for willfully paying less than—
    - (a) the stipulated wage scale as provided in Labor Law, Section 220, subdivision 3, as amended or
    - (b) less than the stipulated minimum hourly wage scale as provided in Labor Law, Section 220-d, as amended.
- IV. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by the provisions of the Labor Law, Section 220-e, as amended, that:
  - (a) in hiring of employees for the performance of work under this contract or any subcontract hereunder, or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies hereunder, no contractor, subcontractor, shall by reason of race, creed, color, sex or national origin discriminate against any citizen of the State of New York who is qualified and available to perform the work to which the employment relates.

- (b) No contractor, subcontractor, nor any person on his behalf shall, in any manner, discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this contract on the account of race, creed, color, sex or national origin.
  - (c) There may be deducted from the amount payable to the contractor by the State under this contract a penalty of five dollars for each person for each calendar day during which such person was discriminated against or intimidated in violation of the provisions of the contract, and
  - (d) This contract may be cancelled or terminated by the State or municipality and all moneys due or to become due hereunder may be forfeited for a second or any subsequent violation of the terms or conditions of this section of the contract, and
  - (e) The aforesaid provisions of this section covering every contract for or on behalf of the State or a municipality for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies shall be limited to operations performed within the territorial limits of the State of New York.
- V. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by Executive Order # 45, dated Jan. 4, 1977, effective February 4, 1977, that:
- (a) The contractor will not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, and will undertake programs of affirmative action to insure that they are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Such action shall be taken with reference, but not limited to: recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgrading, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination, rates of pay or other forms of compensation, and selection for training or retraining, including apprenticeship and on-the-job training.
  - (b) If the contractor is directed to do so by the contracting agency or the Office of State Contract Compliance (hereafter OSCC). The contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers, with which he has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish him with a written statement that such employment agency, labor union or representative will not discriminate because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the contractor's obligations hereunder and the purposes of Executive Order # 45 (1977).
  - (c) The contractor will state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, that all qualified



applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

\*(d) The contractor will comply with all the provisions of Executive Order # 45 (1977) and of rules, regulations and orders issued pursuant thereto and will furnish all information and reports required by said Executive Order or such rules, regulations and orders, and will permit access to its books, records, and accounts and to its premises by the contracting agency or the OSCC for the purposes of ascertaining compliance with said Executive Order and such rules, regulations and orders.

\*(e) If the contractor does not comply with the equal opportunity provisions of this contract, with Executive Order # 45 (1977), or with such rules, regulations, or orders, this contract or any portion thereof, may be cancelled, terminated or suspended or payments thereon withheld, or the contractor may be declared ineligible for future State or State-assisted contracts, in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order #45 (1977), and such other sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked as are provided in said Executive Order or by rule, regulation or order issued pursuant thereto, or as otherwise provided by law.

\*(f) The contractor will include the provisions of clauses (a) through (e) above and all contract provisions promulgated by OSCC pursuant to Section 1.3 (b) of Executive Order # 45 (1977), in every non-exempt subcontract or purchase order in such a manner that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor as to its work force within the State of New York. The contractor will take such action in enforcing such provisions of such subcontract or purchase order as the contracting agency or the OSCC may direct, including sanctions or remedies for noncompliance. If the contractor becomes involved in or is threatened with litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction, the contractor shall promptly so notify the Attorney General, requesting him to intervene and protect the interests of the State of New York.

VI. The contractor will comply with the provisions of Sections 291-299 of the Executive Law and the Civil Rights Law, will furnish all information and reports deemed necessary by the State Division of Human Rights under the Law, and will permit access to its books, records and accounts by the State Industrial Commissioner for the purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with the non-discrimination clauses, the Executive Law and Civil Rights Law.

VII. (a) By submission of this bid, each bidder and each person signing on behalf of any bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto

certifies as to its own organization, under penalty or perjury, that to the best of his knowledge and belief:

1) The prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, consultation, communication or agreement, for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such prices with any other bidder or with any competitor;

2) Unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder, and will not be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor;

3) No attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition.

(b) A bid shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made where (a) (1) (2) and (3) above have not been complied with provided, however, that if in any case the bidder cannot make the foregoing certification, the bidder shall so state and shall furnish with the bid a signed statement which sets forth in detail the reasons therefor. Where (a) (1) (2) and (3) above have not been complied with, the bid shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made unless the head of the purchasing unit of the State, public department or agency to which the bid is made, or his designee, determines that such disclosure was not made for the purpose of restricting competition.

The fact that bidder (a) has published price lists, rates, or tariffs covering items being procured, (b) has informed prospective customers of proposed or pending publication of new or revised price lists for such items, or (c) has sold the same items to other customers at the same prices being bid, does not constitute, without more a disclosure within the meaning of sub-paragraph VII (a)

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**\*\*Note:** Reference to the above Rules and Regulations refer to those Rules and Regulations in effect as of the date of the solicitation of bids relative to this contract.

## APPENDIX B

### STANDARD CLAUSES FOR ALL ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES CONTRACTS

#### Personnel

- a. The Contractor agrees to be solely responsible for the recruitment, hiring, provision of employment benefits, payment of salaries and management of its project personnel. These functions shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of this AGREEMENT, and all applicable Federal, State and County laws and regulations.
- b. It is the policy of the Department to encourage the employment of qualified applicants for, or recipients of public assistance by both public organization and private enterprises who are under contractual AGREEMENT to the Department for the provision of goods and services. Contractors will be expected to make best efforts in this area.
- c. The Contractor agrees to identify, in writing, the person(s) who will be responsible for directing the work to be done under this AGREEMENT. No change or substitution of such responsible person(s) will be made without prior approval in writing from the Department, to the degree that such change is within the reasonable control of the Contractor.

#### Notices

- a. All notices permitted or required hereunder shall be in writing and shall be transmitted either by:
  - a. By certified or registered United States mail, return receipt requested;
  - b. By Facsimile transmission;
  - c. By personal delivery;
  - d. By expedited delivery service; or
  - e. By e-mail

Notices to the Department shall be addressed to the Commissioner of Social Services at the Address, Telephone Number, Facsimile Number or E-mail Address provided to the Contractor during contract development, or to such different Program Manager as the Department may for time-to time designate.

- b. Any such notice shall be deemed to have been given either at the time of personal delivery or, in the case of expedited delivery service or certified or register United States mail, as of the date of first attempted delivery at the address and in the manner provided herein, or in the case of facsimile transmission or email, upon receipt.

- c. The parties may, from time to time, specify any new or different address in the United States as their address for purpose of receiving notice under this Agreement by giving fifteen (15) days written notice to the other party sent in accordance herewith. The Parties agree to mutually designate individuals as their respective representatives for the purposes of implementation and administration/billing, resolving issues and problems and/or for dispute resolution.

#### Office Services

- a. The contractor shall be responsible for the provision of necessary equipment and services for Contractor's staff, pursuant to and described in the narratives and budgets contained in the AGREEMENT.
- b. For Federally funded contracts, title to real property and non-expendable personal property whose requisition cost is borne in whole or in part by monies proved under this AGREEMENT shall be determined between the Contractor and the Department, pursuant to Federal regulations 45 CFR 92 unless such authority is otherwise inappropriate. Title to all equipment, supplies and material purchased with funds under this AGREEMENT under contracts which are not Federally funded shall be in the State of New York and the property shall not be transferred, conveyed, or disposed of without written approval of the Department. Upon expiration or termination of this Agreement, all property purchased with funds under this Agreement shall be returned to the Department, unless the Department has given direction for, or approval of, an alternative means of disposition in writing.
- c. Upon written direction by the Department, the Contractor shall maintain an inventory of those properties that are subject to the provisions of sub-paragraph b of this section

#### GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- a. The contractor agrees to comply in all respects with the provisions of this AGREEMENT and the attachments hereto. The Contractor specifically agrees to perform services according to the objectives, tasks, work plan and staffing plan contained in the AGREEMENT. Any modifications to the tasks or work plan contained in AGREEMENT must be mutually agreed to by both parties in writing before the additional or modified tasks or work plan shall commence.
- b. If any specific event or conjunction of circumstances threatens the successful completion of the project, in whole or in part, including where relevant, timely completion of milestones, the Contractor agrees to submit to the Department within three days of occurrence or perception of such problem, a written description thereof together with a recommended solution thereto.

- c. The Contractor immediately shall notify in writing the Department Program Manager assigned to this contract of any unusual incident, occurrence or event that involves the staff, volunteers or officers of the Contractor, and subcontractor or Program participant funded through this contract, including but not limited to the following: death or serious injury; an arrest or possible criminal activity; and destruction of property; significant damage to the physical plant of the Contractor, or other matters of a similarly serious nature.
- d. In providing these services, the Contractor hereby agrees to be responsible for designing and operating these services, and otherwise performing, so as to maximize Federal financial participation to the Department under the Federal Social Security Act.
- e. If funds from this contract will be used to pay any costs associated with the provision of legal services of any sort, the following shall apply;
  - No litigation shall be brought against the State of New York, the New York State Office of Children and Family Services, or against Oneida County or the Department or other local government or local social services district with funds provided under this contract. The term "litigation" shall include commencing or threatening to commence a lawsuit joining or threatening to join as a party to ongoing litigation, or requesting any relief from either the State of New York, the New York State Office of Children and Family Services or Oneida County or other local government or local social services district, based upon any agreement between such agency in litigation with another party and such party, during pendency of the litigation.
  - Opinions prepared by consultant law firms construing the statutes of Constitution of the State of New York do not constitute the view of the State unless the prior written approval of the Attorney General is obtained. Requests for said approval shall be submitted to the Solicitor General, Division of the appeals and Opinions Bureau, department of Law, The Capital, Albany, New York 12224
  - The Contractor shall provide to the Department in a format provided by the Department such additional information concerning the provision of legal services as the Department shall require.
- f. The Department will designate a contract Manager who shall have authority relating to the technical services and operational functions of this AGREEMENT and activities completed or contemplated there under. The Contract Manager and those individuals designated by him/her in writing shall have the prerogative to make announced or unannounced on-site visits to the project. Project reports and issues of interpretation or direction relating to this AGREEMENT shall be directed to the Contract Manager.

- g. Except where the Department otherwise authorizes or directs in writing, the Contractor agrees not to enter into any subcontracts, or revisions to subcontracts, for the performance of the obligations contained herein until it has received the prior written approval of the Department, which shall have the right to review and approve each and every subcontract prior to giving written approval to the contractor to enter into the subcontract. All AGREEMENTS between the Contractor and subcontractors shall be by written contract, signed by individuals authorized to bind the parties. All such subcontracts shall contain provisions for specifying (1) that the work performed by the subcontractor must be in accordance with the terms of this AGREEMENT (2) that nothing contained in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the Department under this AGREEMENT, (3) that nothing contained in the subcontract, nor under this AGREEMENT, shall be deemed to create any contractual relationship between the subcontractor and the Department, and (4) incorporating all provisions regarding the rights of the Department as set forth in Agreement, where applicable. The Contractor specifically agrees that the Contractor shall be fully responsible to the Department for the acts and omissions of subcontractors and of persons either directly or indirectly employed by them, as it is for the acts and omissions of persons directly employed by the Contractor.
- h. The Contractor warrants that it, its staff and any and all Subcontractors which must be approved by the Department, have all the necessary licenses, approvals and certifications currently required by the law of any applicable local, state or federal government to perform the services pursuant to this AGREEMENT and/or subcontract entered into under this AGREEMENT. The contractor further agrees such required licenses, approvals and certificates will be kept in full force and effect during the term of this Agreement, and/or any extension thereof, and to secure any new licenses, approvals or certificates within the required time frames and/or to require its staff and Subcontractors to obtain and requisite licenses, approvals or certificates. In the event the contractor, its staff, and/or Subcontractors are notified of a denial or revocation of any license, approval or certification to perform the services under the AGREEMENT, Contractor will immediately notify the Department.
- i. This Agreement cannot be assigned by the Contractor to a subcontractor without obtaining written approval of the Department. Prior to executing a subcontract agreement the Contractor agrees to provide the Department the information the Department needs to determine whether a proposed Subcontractor is a responsible vendor. The Determination of Vendor responsibility will be made in accordance with Section n. of General Terms and Conditions
- j. If the Contractor intends to use materials, equipment or personnel paid for under this contract in a revenue generating activity, the Contractor shall report such intentions to the Department forthwith and shall be subject to the direction of the Department as to the disposition of such revenue.

- k. Any interest accrued on funds paid to the Contractor by the Department shall be deemed to be the property of the Department and shall either be credited to the Department at the termination of this AGREEMENT or expended on additional services provided for under this AGREEMENT.
- l. The Contractor ensures that the grounds, structures, building and furnishings at the program site(s) used under this AGREEMENT are maintained in good repair and free from any danger to health or safety and that any building or structure used for program services complies with all applicable zoning, building, health, sanitary, and fire codes.
- m. The Contractor agrees to produce, and retain for the balance of the calendar year in which produced, and for a period of six years thereafter, any and all records necessary to substantiate upon audit, the proper deposit and expenditure of funds received under this contract. Such records shall include, but not be limited to, original books of entry (e.g., cash disbursements and cash receipts journal), and the following specific records (as applicable) to substantiate the types of expenditures noted:
  - a) Payroll Expenditures: cancelled checks and the related bank statements, time and attendance records, payroll journals, employee personal history folders, and cost allocation plans, if applicable.
  - b) Payroll Taxes and Fringe Benefits: cancelled checks, copies of related bank statements, reporting forms, and invoices for Fringe Benefit expenses.
  - c) Non-Personal Services Expenditures: original invoices/receipts, cancelled checks and related bank statements, consultant agreements, leases, and cost allocation plans, if applicable.
  - d) Receipt and Deposit of Advance and Reimbursements: Itemized bank stamped deposit slips, and a copy of the related bank statements.
  - e) The Contractor agrees that any equipment purchased with funds under this agreement is the property of the Department and will remain with or will be returned to the Department in the event of the termination of this Agreement,

Although not required, the Department recommends that the Contractor retain records directly pertinent to this contract for a period of ten (10) years after the end of the calendar year in which they were made, as the statute of limitations for the New York False Claims Act is ten years.

- n. By signing this contract, the Contractor certifies that within the past three years the Contractor has engaged in no actions that would establish a basis for a finding by the Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor or, if the Contractor has engaged in any such action or actions, that all such actions have been disclosed to the Department prior to entering into this Contract. The actions that would potentially establish a basis for a finding by Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor include:

- The Contractor has had a license or contract suspended, revoked or terminated by a governmental agency.
- The Contractor has had a claim, lien, fine, or penalty imposed or secured against the Contractor by a governmental agency.
- The Contractor has initiated a bankruptcy proceeding or such a proceeding has been initiated against the Contractor
- The Contractor has been issued a citation, notice, or violation order by a governmental agency finding the Contractor to be in violation of any local, state, or federal laws.
- The Contractor has been advised by a governmental agency that a determination to issue a citation, notice or violation order finding the Contractor to be in violation of any local, state or federal laws is pending before a governmental agency
- The contractor has not paid all due and owed local, state and federal taxes to the proper authorities
- The contractor has engaged in any other actions of a similarly serious nature.

Where the Contractor has disclosed any of the above to the Department, Department may require as a condition precedent to entering into the contract that the Contractor agree to such additional conditions as will be necessary to satisfy the Department that the vendor is and will remain a responsible vendor. By signing this contract, the Contractor agrees to comply with any such additional conditions that have been made a part of this contract.

By signing this contract, the contractor also agrees that during the term of the contract, the Contractor will promptly notify the Department if the Contractor engages in any actions that would establish a basis for a finding by Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor, as described above.

- o. By signing this contract, the contractor agrees to comply with State Tax Law section 5-a
- p. Contractors must maintain Workers Compensation Insurance in accordance with the Workers Compensation Law. If a contractor believes they are exempt from the Workers Compensation insurance requirement then they must apply for an exemption. Contractors can apply for the exemption online through the New York State Workers Compensation Board website at:  
[http://www.wcb.state.ny.us/content/ebiz/wc\\_db\\_exemptions/wc\\_db\\_exemptions.jsp](http://www.wcb.state.ny.us/content/ebiz/wc_db_exemptions/wc_db_exemptions.jsp)
- q. All organizations that receive Federal financial assistance under social service programs are prohibited from discriminating against beneficiaries or prospective beneficiaries of the social service programs on the basis of religion or religious belief. Accordingly, organizations, in providing services supported in whole or in part with Federal financial assistance, and in their outreach activities related to such services, are not allowed to discriminate against current or prospective program beneficiaries on the basis of



religion, a religious belief, a refusal to hold a religious belief, or a refusal to attend or participate in a religious practice.

Organizations that engage in explicitly religious activities (including activities that involve overt religious content such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization) must perform such activities and offer such services outside of programs that are supported with direct Federal financial assistance (including through prime awards or sub-awards), separately in time or location from any such programs or services supported with direct Federal financial assistance, and participation in any such explicitly religious activities must be voluntary for the beneficiaries of the social service program supported with such Federal financial assistance

## REPORTS AND DELIVERABLES

The Contractor shall prepare and submit all reports, documents, and projects required by this AGREEMENT to the Office's Contract Manager for review and approval. These reports shall be in such substance, form, and frequency as required by the Department and as necessary to meet State, Federal and County requirements.

The Contractor shall complete Contract Evaluations as required by the Department as well as Statistical Data as needed by the Department and New York State to meet the reporting requirements.

## CONFIDENTIALITY AND PROTECTION ON HUMAN SUBJECTS

- a. The Contractor agrees to safeguard the confidentiality of financial and/or client information relating to individuals and their families who may receive services in the course of this project. The Contractor shall maintain the confidentiality of all such financial and/or client information with regard to services provided under this AGREEMENT in conformity with the provisions of applicable State, Federal, and County laws and regulations. Any breach of confidentiality by the Contractor, its agents or representatives shall be cause for immediate termination of this AGREEMENT.
- b. Any contractor who will provide goods and/or services to a residential facility or program operated by Department agrees to require all of its employees and volunteers who will have the potential for regular and substantial contact with youth in the care or custody of the Department to sign an Employee Confidentiality Certification and employee Background Certification before any such employees and volunteers are permitted access to youth in the care or custody of the Department and/or any financial and/or client identifiable information concerning such youth. Additionally, Department will require a database check of the State wide Central Register of Child Abuse and Maltreatment (SCR) of each employee and volunteer of the Contractor who has the potential for regular and substantial contract with children in the care or custody of the

Department. Any other Contractor whose employees and volunteers will have access to financial and/or client identifiable information concerning youth in the care or custody of Department agrees to require all such employees and volunteers to sign a Employee Confidentiality Certification before any such employees and volunteers are permitted access to any financial and/or client identifiable information concerning such youth.

- c. Contractor and any subsequent sub-contractor shall not discriminate or refuse assistance to individuals with AIDS or an HIV infection or an HIV - related illness.

The Contractor and any subsequent sub-contractor agrees that their staff to whom confidential HIV - related information may be given as a necessity for providing services and in accordance with 403 of Title 18 NYSDSS regulation and Section 2782 of the Public Health Law are fully informed of the penalties and fines for redisclosure in violations of State Law and Regulations.

The Contractor and any subsequent sub-contractor must include the following written statement when disclosing any confidential HIV - related information.

"This information has been disclosed to you from confidential records which are protected by State Law. State Law prohibits you from making any further disclosure of this information without the specific written consent of the person to whom it pertains, or as otherwise permitted by law. Any unauthorized further disclosure in violation of State Law may result in a fine or jail sentence or both. A general authorization for the release of medical or other information is not sufficient authorization for further disclosure."

- d. All information contained in the Contractors, or it's sub-contractor's files shall be held confidential pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Social Services Law and any State Department Regulations promulgated thereunder, including 18 NY CRR Sec. 357.5 and 423.7, as well as any applicable Federal Laws and any regulations promulgated thereunder and shall not be disclosed except as authorized by law.
- e. The Contractor and all Contract Staff that are subject to the Oneida County computer systems/databases shall complete the Oneida County Department of Social Services Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement provided with this agreement and shall submit forms to the following address:

Oneida County Department of Social Services  
Contract Administration Office, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
800 Park Ave  
Utica, New York, 13501

#### PUBLICATIONS AND COPYRIGHTS

- a. The results of any activity supported under this AGREEMENT may not be published without prior written approval of the Department, which results (1) shall acknowledge the support of the Department and the County and, if funded with Federal funds, the applicable federal funding agency, and (2) shall state that the opinions, results, findings and/or interpretations of data contained therein are the responsibility of the Contractor and do not necessarily represent the opinions, interpretation or policy of the Department or Oneida County.
- b. The Department and Oneida County expressly reserve the right to a royalty-free, non-exclusive and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish, distribute or otherwise use, in perpetuity, any and all copyrighted or copyrightable material resulting from this AGREEMENT or activity supported by this AGREEMENT. All publications by the Contractor covered by this AGREEMENT shall expressly acknowledge the Department's right to such license.
- c. All of the license rights so reserved to the Department and Oneida County under this paragraph are equally reserved to the United States Department of Health and Human Services and subject to the provisions on copyrights contained in 45 CFR 92 if the AGREEMENT is federally funded
- d. The Contractor agrees that at the completion of any scientific or statistical study, report or analysis prepared pursuant to this AGREEMENT, it will provide to the Department at no additional cost a copy of any and all data supporting the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis, together with the name(s) and business address(es) of the principal(s) producing the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis. The Contractor agrees and acknowledges the right of the Department, subject to applicable confidentiality restrictions, to release the name(s) and business address(es) producing the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis, together with a copy of the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis and all data supporting the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis.

## PATENTS AND INVENTIONS

The Contractor agrees that any all inventions, conceived or first actually reduced to practice in the course of, or under this AGREEMENT, or with monies supplied pursuant to this AGREEMENT, shall be promptly and fully reported to the DEPARTMENT. Determination as to ownership and/or disposition of rights to such inventions, including whether a patent application shall be filed, and if so, the manner of obtaining, administering and disposing of rights under any patent application or patent which may be issued, shall be made pursuant to all applicable law and regulations.

## TERMINATION

*Neighborhood Center, Inc.*  
*New York State Family Day Care Registration*

# 14502  
January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2015

- a. This AGREEMENT may be terminated by the DEPARTMENT upon thirty (30) days prior written notice to the Contractor. Such notice is to be made by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested or hand delivered with receipt granted by the Contractor. The date of such notice shall be deemed to be the date the notice is received by the contractor established by the receipt returned, if delivery by registered or certified mail, or by the receipt granted by the Contractor, if the notice is delivered by hand. The Department agrees to pay the Contractor for reasonable and appropriate expenses incurred in good faith before the date of termination of this AGREEMENT.
- b. If the Contractor fails to use any real property or equipment purchased pursuant to this AGREEMENT or the Contractor ceases to provide the services specified in the AGREEMENT for which the equipment was purchased, the Department may terminate this AGREEMENT upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor, where the Contractor has failed to cure as set forth hereafter, Said notice of breach and shall be sent by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested, or shall be delivered by hand, receiving Contractor's receipt therefore. Said notice shall specify the Contractor's breach and shall demand that such breach be cured. Upon failure of the Contractor to comply with such demand within thirty (30) days, or such longer period as may be specified therein, the Department may, upon written notice similarly served, immediately terminate this AGREEMENT, termination to be effective upon the date of receipt of such notice established by the receipt returned to the Department. Upon such termination, the Department may require (a) the repayment to the Department of any monies previously paid to the Contractor, or (b) return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of this AGREEMENT or an appropriate combination of (a) and (b), at the Department's option.
- c. To the extent permitted by law, this AGREEMENT shall be deemed in the sole discretion of the Department terminated immediately upon the filing of a petition in bankruptcy or insolvency, by or against the Contractor. Such termination shall be immediate and complete, without termination costs or further obligation by the Department to the Contractor
- d. Should the Department determine that Federal, State or County funds are limited or become unavailable for any reason, the Department may reduce that total amount of funds payable to the Contractor, reduce the contract period or deem this contract terminated immediately. The Department agrees to give notice to the Contractor as soon as it becomes aware that funds are unavailable, in the event of termination under this paragraph. If the initial notice is oral notification, the Department shall follow this up immediately with written notice. The Department will be obligated to pay the Contractor only for the expenditures made and obligations incurred by the

Contractor until such time as notice of termination is received either orally or in writing by the Contractor from the Department.

- e. The Contractor shall provide to the Department such information as is required by the Department in order that the Department may determine whether the Contractor is a responsible vendor for purposes of compliance with section 163 of the State Finance Law and requirements of the Department. If there is any change in any of the vendor responsibility information provided to the Department by the Contractor at any time during the term of this Agreement, the Contractor shall be required to immediately notify the Department so that the Department may assess whether the Contractor continues to be a responsible vendor. Should the Contractor fail to notify the Department of any change in the vendor responsibility information or should the Department otherwise determine that the Contractor has ceased to be a responsible vendor for the purposes of this AGREEMENT, the Department may terminate this AGREEMENT upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor. Said notice of termination shall be sent by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested, or shall be delivered by hand, receiving Contractor's receipt therefore. Said notice shall specify the reason(s) that the Contractor has been found to no longer be a responsible vendor.

Upon determination that the Contractor is no longer a responsible vendor the Department may, in its discretion and as an alternative to termination pursuant to this paragraph, notify the contractor of the determination that the Contractor has ceased to be a responsible vendor and set forth the corrective action that will be required of the Contractor to maintain the contract. Should the Contractor fail to comply with the required corrective action within thirty (30) days of the date of notification, or such longer period as may be specified therein, the Department may, upon written notice similarly served, immediately terminate this AGREEMENT, termination to be effective upon the date of receipt of such notice established by the receipt returned to the Department. Upon such termination, the Department may require (a) the repayment to the Department of any monies previously paid to the Contractor, (b) return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of this AGREEMENT, or an appropriate combination of (a) and (b) at the Department's option.

#### CONTRACTOR COMPLIANCE

The Contractor agrees to provide an Annual Certification pertaining to this Contract as part of the Contractor's Annual Independent audit.

The Department shall have the right to audit or review the Contractor's performance and operations as related to this AGREEMENT, or has abused or misused funds paid to the contractor, or if the Contractor has violated or is in non-compliance with any term of any

other AGREEMENT with the Department, or has abused or misused funds paid to the Contractor under any other AGREEMENT with the Department, the rights of the Department shall include, but not be limited to :

- Recovery of any funds expended in violation of the AGREEMENT;
- Suspension of Payments
- Termination of the AGREEMENT; and/or
- Employment of another entity to fulfill the requirements of the AGREEMENT.

The Contractor shall be liable for all reasonable costs incurred on account thereof, including payment of any cost differential for employing such entity. The Contractor will assist the Department in transferring the operation of the Contracted services to any other entity selected by the Department in a manner that will enable the Department or clients to continue to receive services in an on-going basis, including, but not limited to , notifying clients of the new entity to which the services will be transferred and the effective date of the transfer, providing the new entity promptly and at no charge with a complete copy of the clients' and all other records necessary to continue the provision of the transferred services, and transferring any equipment purchased with funds provided under this AGREEMENT.

Nothing herein shall preclude the Department from taking actions otherwise available to it under law.

The Contractor agrees to cooperate fully with any audit or investigation the Department or any agent of the Department may conduct and to provide access during normal business hours to any and all information necessary to perform its audit or investigation. The Contractor shall also allow the Department, and any representatives specifically directed by the Department to take possession of all books, records and documents relating to this AGREEMENT without prior notice to the Contractor. The Department will return all such books, records and documents to the Contractor upon completion the official purposes for which they were taken.

The Contractor agrees that all AGREEMENTS between the Contractor and a subcontractor or consultants for the performance of any obligations under the AGREEMENT will be by written contract (subcontract) which will contain provisions including, but not limited to, the above specified rights of the Department.

#### FISCAL SANCTION

In accordance with the Department, contractors may be placed on fiscal sanction when the Department identifies any of the following issues:

- The Contractor has received an advance, overpayment or other funds under this or another agreement that has not been refunded to the Department within the established timeframe;
- An Department or other audit identifies significant fiscal irregularities and/or that funds are due to the Department
- The Contractor has not provided satisfactory services as required under the terms of this or another Department agreement;
- The Contractor has not provided fiscal or program reports as required under the terms of this or another Department agreement;
- A Department, County, State or Federal prosecutorial or investigative agency identifies possible criminal activity, or significant fiscal or programmatic irregularities on the part of the Contractor;
- The Contractor is not in compliance with State, Federal, or County statutes or regulations, or applicable Department guidelines, policies and/or procedures; or
- Unsafe physical conditions exist at a program site operated by the Contractor and funded under an agreement with the Department

Once the Contractor has been placed on Fiscal Sanction, payments on all open contracts and any new awards, amendments or contract renewals will not be processed until the issues have been satisfactorily resolved. The contractor will be notified in advance of any proposed Fiscal sanction and will be provided a timeframe within which the issues must be resolved in order to avoid Fiscal Sanction. Issues that are not resolved within the timeframe established by the Department may be referred to the Attorney General (AG) for collection of legal action. If a contract is referred to the AG a collection fee will be added to the amount owed. In addition, interest will be due on any amount not paid in accordance with the timeframes established by the AG. The contractor will remain on Fiscal Sanction until the amount owed, including any collection fee and interest is paid.

#### ADDITIONAL ASSURANCES

- a. The Department and Contractor agree that Contractor is an independent contractor, and not in any way deemed to be an employee of the Department or County of Oneida for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, workers compensation, retirement or health benefits. The Contractor agrees to defend and indemnify the Department and/or Oneida County for any loss the Department and/or Oneida County may suffer when such losses result from claims of any person or organization injured by the negligent acts or omissions of Contractor, its officers and/or employees or subcontractors. Furthermore, the Contractor agrees to indemnify, defend, and save harmless the Department and/or Oneida County, and its officers, agents, and employees from any and all claims and losses occurring or resulting from any and all contractors, subcontractors, and any other person, firm, or corporation furnishing or supplying work, services, materials, or supplies in connection with the performance of

the contract, and from all claims and losses occurring or resulting to any person, firm, or corporation who may be injured or damaged by the Contractor in the performance of the contract, and against any liability, including costs and expenses, for violation of proprietary rights, copyrights, or rights of privacy, arising out of the publication, translation, reproduction, delivery, performance, or use, or disposition of any data furnished under the contract or based on any libelous or other unlawful matter contained in such data or written materials in any form produced pursuant to the contract.

- b. The Contractor, if a municipal corporation, represents that it is a self-insured entity. If a not-for-profit Corporation or entity other than a self-insured municipal Corporation, the Contractor agrees to obtain and maintain in effect a general policy of liability insurance in an amount not less than one million dollars (\$ 1,000,000) per incident and not less than three million (\$ 3,000,000) aggregate. The Contractor agrees that it will require any and all Subcontractors with whom it subcontracts pursuant to this contract to obtain and maintain a general policy of liability insurance in an amount not less than one million dollars (\$ 1,000,000) per incident and not less than three million (\$3,000,000) aggregate. The Contractor further agrees to procure and maintain in force, for the duration of this Agreement, insurance in types and in the amounts as determined by the Department. Such coverage must be identified and entered upon a Standard Insurance Certificate or its acceptable substitute and be signed by the Contractor's Agency's insurance company, agent or broker.

The Contractor agrees that it will, at its own expense, at all times during the term of this agreement, maintain in force a policy of insurance which will insure against liability for property damage and/or injury/death with regard to any property of persons. The liability and property damage coverage of such insurance shall not be less than One Million dollars (\$ 1,000,000) per incident and not less than three million (\$3,000,000) aggregate. The Contractor agrees to have the Department and Oneida County added to said insurance policies as named additional insured, on a primary, non-contributory basis, as their interest may appear, and to provide the Department and/or Oneida County with a certificate from said insurance company, or companies, showing coverage as herein before required, such certification to show the Department and the Oneida County as additional insureds and to provide that such coverage shall not be terminated without written prior notice to the to the Department and/or Oneida County of at least thirty (30) days.

The Contractor further agrees that the Department has the right to take whatever action it deems appropriate, including, but not limited to, the removal of the Contractor from the rotation list, the removal of clients, the cessation of client referrals, and termination of this Agreement, if the Contractor fails to submit a completed and signed Standard Insurance Certificate or its acceptable substitute, which is subsequently approved by the Oneida County Department of Law, prior to the expiration of its insurance coverage.



## RENEWAL NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Options to renew the contract are at the discretion of the Department, which shall supply written notice of such renewal or termination within 30 days of the expiration date. The Commissioner of Social Services reserves the right to evaluate the job performance and availability of funding.

## COMPLIANCE WITH LAW

The Contractor represents and agrees to comply with the requirements of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 as amended, the Age Discrimination Employment Act of 1964 as amended, the Federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973 as amended, and Executive Order No. 11246, entitled "Equal Employment Opportunity" as amended by Executive Order No. 11375 and as supplemented in Department of Labor Relations, 41CFR Part 60.

The Contractor also agrees to comply with Federal and State Laws as supplemented in the Dept. of Labor regulations and any other regulations of the Federal and State entities relating to such employment and Civil Rights requirements.

As a mandated reporting agency, all instances of suspected child abuse, neglect and/or maltreatment, will be reported to the Central Registry as required by law. These verbal reports will be followed by submission of completed 2221A to the local Department of Social Services. The family will be informed in advance of the Agency's decision to file a report with the Central Register.

The Contractor attest they have not been debarred by the Federal Government from contracting to provide services funded by any Federal money.

The obligations of the parties hereunder are conditioned upon the continued availability of Federal and/or New York State Funds for the purposes set forth in this Agreement.

Should funds become unavailable or should appropriate Federal or New York State officials fail to approve sufficient funds for completion of the services or programs set forth in this Agreement, the Department shall have the option to immediately terminate this Agreement upon providing written notice to the Contractor. In such an event, the Department shall be under no further obligation to the Contractor other than payment for costs actually incurred prior to termination and in no event will the Department be responsible for any actual or consequential damages as a result of termination.

This Agreement contains all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties. All items incorporated by reference are to be attached. No other understandings, oral or otherwise, regarding the subject matter of this Agreement, shall be deemed to exist or to bind any of the parties hereto.

No waiver, alterations or modifications of and provisions of this Agreement shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

This Agreement shall be binding upon both parties when fully signed and executed and upon approval of the appropriate legislative bodies where required.

As the duly authorized representative of the Contractor, I hereby certify that the Contractor will comply with the above Standard Clauses.

**Sandra L. Soroka**

**Executive Director**

NAME OF CONTRACTED AGENCY

**Neighborhood Center, Inc.**

PRINTED NAME AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

*Sandra L Soroka*

SIGNATURE

*1/28/15*

DATE

**Oneida County Department of Social Services  
Contractor and Contract Staff  
Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement**

I, the undersigned, an employee of \_\_\_\_\_, (the  
Name of Contract Agency

“Service Provider”), hereby state that I understand and agree that all information provided to the Service Provider from the Oneida County Department of Social Services staff by paper copies, computer systems or databases, electronic communication or otherwise obtained pursuant to the Agreement entered between the Oneida County Department of Social Services and the Service Provider indicated above, is CONFIDENTIAL, is to be used only for the purposes of performing services required by the Agreement, and must be safeguarded from unauthorized disclosure.

I further understand that such information includes, but is not limited to, any and all information regarding parents or guardians and their children, and all employment, financial, and personal identifying data, including Protected Health Information (PHI) as set forth in HIPAA regulations.

I agree to maintain all such information as CONFIDENTIAL, and I agree to use such information only in the performance of my official duties to perform the functions required by the Agreement, unless otherwise authorized in writing by the Department of Social Services.

I understand that confidential information maintained in and/or obtained from systems/databases such as, but not limited to the Welfare Management system (WMS), Child Support Management System (CSMS/ASSETS), Benefits Issuance Control System (BICS), COGNOS, and Connections are protected by Federal and State statutes and regulations. Access and disclosure of confidential information is strictly limited to authorized employees and legally designated agents, for authorized purposes only in the delivery of program services.

I understand that service providers may not access their own active, closed or archived records or those involving a relative, friend, acquaintance, neighbor, partner or co-worker or other individuals to whom they have no official assignment.

I understand that if my employment is terminated by resignation, retirement or for other reasons or the Service Provider Contract is not renewed, the terms of this Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement are still binding.

I understand that if I disclose CONFIDENTIAL information in violation of the requirements stated herein, any individual who incurs damages due to the disclosure may recover such damage in a civil action.

I understand that, in addition to any other penalties provided by law, any person who willfully releases or willfully permits the release of any CONFIDENTIAL information as described herein to persons or agencies not authorized under New York State law to receive it shall be guilty of a class A misdemeanor.

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Witness: \_\_\_\_\_

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**ADDENDUM**

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this 1 st day of January, 2015, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as COUNTY, and a contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as CONTRACTOR.

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CONTRACTOR have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which COUNTY is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

**1. Executor or Non-Appropriation Clause.**

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

**2. Oneida County Board of Legislators: Resolution #249 Solid Waste Disposal Requirements.**

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislator Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

**3. Certification Regarding Lobbying; Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters; and Drug-Free Workplace Requirements.**

a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:

1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, and officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any Federal Grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal grant or cooperative agreement.
  2. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
  3. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,
1. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
    - a. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
    - b. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract 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 contracts 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 indicated or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government 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 Contract had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) for cause or default; and
  2. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.

- c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
1. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:
    - a. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
    - b. Establishing an on-going drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:
      1. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
      2. The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
      3. Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
      4. The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;
    - c. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a);
    - d. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:
      1. Abide by the terms of the statement; and
      2. Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;
    - e. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (d)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position title, to: Director Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.
    - f. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted;
      1. Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the Requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
      2. Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;

- g. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (a),(b),(c),(d),(e),(f).

2. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.  
Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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- d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F. for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

- 1. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and
- 2. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to: Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

**4. Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).**

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

- a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:

- 1. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
- 2. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and

3. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to filing cabinets, and locks on drawers, cabinets, and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.
- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:
1. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
  2. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.
- c. The Contractor shall:
1. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
  2. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
  3. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
  4. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
  5. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.524;
  6. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
  7. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
  8. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
  9. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County that the Contractor still maintains in any form and retain no copies of such information or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.



- d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:
1. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
  2. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  3. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

**5. Non-Assignment Clause.**

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and attempts to do so are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

**6. Worker's Compensation Benefits.**

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

**7. Non-Discrimination Requirements.**

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service

contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

#### **8. Wage and Hours Provisions.**

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

#### **9. Non-Collusive Bidding Certification.**

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor affirms, under penalty of perjury, that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

#### **10. Records.**

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails and attachments, rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity

authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute") provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

#### **11. Identifying Information and Privacy Notification.**

a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. The number is any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payees, on its invoice or claim for payment, must give the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.

b. Privacy Notification. (1) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (2) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

#### **12. Conflicting Terms.**

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

**13. Governing Law.**

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal supremacy clause requires otherwise.

**14. Prohibition on Purchase of Tropical Hardwoods.**

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the County.

**15. Compliance with New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act.**

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

**16. Gratuities and Kickbacks.**

a. **Gratuities.** It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request, influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard, rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application, request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

b. **Kickbacks.** It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime contractor or higher tier

subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

#### **17. Audit**

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a Federal financial assistance program from a Federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

#### **18. Certification of compliance with the Iran Divestment Act.**

Pursuant Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each Bidder/Contractor, any person signing on behalf of any Bidder/Contractor and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (OGS) website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each Bidder/Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the Bidder/Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any Bidder/Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a Bidder/Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he/she/it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the Bidder/Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a Bidder/Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any Bidder/Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have signed this document on the day and year first above written.

**County of Oneida**

**Contractor**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

By: Sandra L. Soroka  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Oneida County Executive

**Sandra L. Soroka**  
**Executive Director**  
**Neighborhood Center, Inc.**

Approved as to Form only

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Oneida County Attorney

Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
County Executive

Lucille A. Soldato  
Commissioner



**ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES**

County Office Building 800 Park Avenue Utica, NY 13501

April 14, 2014

Honorable Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

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Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

WAYS & MEANS

Date 3/12/15

Dear Mr. Picente:

I am submitting the following Purchase of Services Agreement for review and approval by the Board of Legislators per Board Resolutions and Local Law #3 of 2001, amending Article VIII, Section 802 of the Administrative Code.

Enclosed is a Purchase of Services Agreement with the House of Good Shepherd for the operation of Non-Secure Detention Services providing the Department with six (6) reserved beds for Oneida County youth.

The House of Good Shepherd has provided this service for the Department of Social Services since 1990. This co-ed facility provides a local temporary placement for Oneida County youth. Placements at non-secure detention are court ordered for youth either awaiting further court action or youth who are already adjudicated PINS (Person in Need of Supervision) or JD (Juvenile Delinquents).

The term of this renewal agreement is January 1, 2015 through March 31, 2015. The cost for the term of this agreement will not exceed \$ 159,300.00 for six reserved beds and is 49 % reimbursable through New York State Office of Children and Family Services, with a local cost of 51 % in the amount of \$81,243.00.

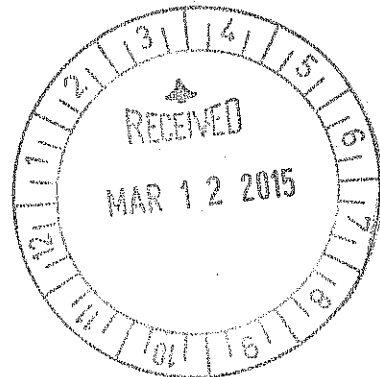
I respectfully request that this matter be forwarded to the Board of Legislators.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Lucille A. Soldato  
Commissioner

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attachment



2/27/15  
# 12902

**Oneida Co. Department Social Services**

**Competing Proposal** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Only Respondent** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Sole Source RFP** \_\_\_\_\_

**Oneida County Board of Legislators**  
**Contract Summary**

**Name of Proposing Organization:** House of the Good Shepherd  
1550 Champlin Avenue  
Utica, New York

**Title of Activity or Services:** Non-Secure Detention

**Proposed Dates of Operations:** January 1, 2015 through March 31, 2015

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Youth placed by Family Court Remand PINS warrant, JD warrant or placed by Peace Officer.

**SUMMARY STATEMENTS**

**1). Narrative Description of Proposed Services**

The Contractor's Non-Secure Detention Program will operate a co-ed facility from the Contractor's Sunset Avenue location in Utica, New York. The Contractor will reserve and provide the Department with 6 beds for youth in need of Non-Secure Detention Services to be utilized by Oneida County youth.

**2). Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes -**

Provides for the local temporary placement of youth who are placed by Family Court Remand PINS warrant, JD warrant or placed by a Peace Officer until or when a permanent placement is provided, determined or located.

**3). Program Design and Staffing Level -** A co-ed Non-Secure facility 24 hour supervision and care.

**Total Funding Requested:** \$ 295.00 per bed/per day

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** Account #: A6123.495

**Mandated or Non-mandated:** Mandated to provide Non-Secure Detention Services.

**Proposed Funding Source (Federal \$ /State \$ / County \$):**

State	49 %	\$ 78,057.00
County	51 %	\$ 81,243.00

**Cost Per Client Served:**



**Past performance Served:** The Department has contracted with this provider for this service since 1990. The maximum cost of the 6 reserved beds for the term of this Agreement is \$ 159,300.00. The budget for the year 2014 was for this contract was \$ 646,050.00.

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:**

PURCHASE OF SERVICES AGREEMENT BETWEEN  
ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES  
AND  
HOUSE OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

THIS AGREEMENT, made and entered into, by and between Oneida County through its Oneida County Department of Social Services, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York and having its principal offices at the Oneida County Office Building, 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York 13501, (hereinafter called Department), and House of The Good Shepherd, 1550 Champlin Avenue, Utica, New York 13502 (hereinafter called Contractor).

WITNESSETH THAT:

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Department of Social Services has the responsibility for care and custody of Persons in Need of Supervision and Juvenile Delinquents immediately prior to and during judicial proceedings in relation to such persons; and,

WHEREAS, the Department desires to reserve 6 beds through the Contractor's operational Non-Secure Detention Program and related services for such persons; and,

WHEREAS, the Contractor will administer and manage the Non-Secure Detention Program at its facility at 1606 Sunset Ave, Utica, New York and,

WHEREAS, the New York State Office of Children and Family Services has and will certify said Program; and,

WHEREAS, the Department and the Contractor each desire to enter into an agreement for such Program on the terms and conditions set forth.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS AGREED BETWEEN THE PARTIES AS FOLLOWS:

1. The Contractor will provide Non-Secure Detention Services through a group care approach to the County of Oneida Department of Social Services for the period of January 1, 2015 through March 31, 2015.
2. The Contractor's Non-Secure Detention Program will operate a co-ed facility from the Contractor's Sunset Avenue location in Utica, New York. The Contractor will reserve and provide the Department with 6 beds for youth in need of Non-Secure Detention Services to be utilized by

Oneida County youth.

3. Non-Secure Detention, its operations rules and regulations, are clearly defined under Executive Law, the Family Court Act, and the New York State Office of Children and Family Services Regulations. All operations under this contract would be established and implemented in accordance with all laws, rules and regulations relating to the operations of Non-Secure Detention Facilities.

The Contractor will operate the Non-Secure Detention Program in compliance with the applicable provisions set forth in Part 180 of the New York State Office of Children and Family Services Juvenile Detention Facilities Regulations.

The Contractor acknowledges that it is familiar with and has a copy of all rules and regulations of the New York State Department of Social Services and the New York State Office of Children and Family Services pertaining to Contractor Shelters and Foster Boarding Homes as well as the operation of Non-Secure Family Foster Care. The Contractor agrees to comply with all such rules and regulations required by the New York State Department of Social Services and the New York State Office of Children and Family Services, including all amendments and additions thereto.

The Contractor represents that the Non-Secure Detention Program complies with all Federal, State and local laws, rules, regulations and ordinances, including but not limited to the Labor Law, Workers Compensation Law, the Social Security Law, the New York State Civil Rights Law, Civil Rights Act of 1964 (including implementing regulations issued by United States Department of Justice and the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration).

The Non-Secure Detention Services will be available to those youth meeting the criteria for detention under Section 739 of the Family Court Act, with regard to alleged Persons in Need of Supervision and alleged Juvenile Delinquents.

4. All youth admitted:

- (1) Must be accompanied by a Family Court Remand; or
- (2) Must be accompanied by a P.I.N.S. Warrant; or
- (3) Must be accompanied by a J.D. warrant; or
- (4) Must be placed by a Peace Officer, who is authorized to take a child who has run away from home, or who, in the reasonable opinion of the officer, appears to have run away from home. The facility receiving a child shall inform a parent or other person responsible for such child's care and the Family Court of its action.
- (5) If a Peace Officer places a child in the Non-Secure Detention Facility at times when the Family Court is not in session, a hearing must be held within 72 hours of the time detention commenced, or the next day the Court is in session, whichever is sooner.

5. Each youth in Non-Secure Detention shall receive basic care and maintenance. Beyond the basic care and maintenance provided, each youth will receive 24 hour supervision. Each youth will

be provided educational services by the Contractor and as agreed upon by the Department.

6. Each youth will receive recreational/social development services on a regularly scheduled basis from the Contractor's Child Care Workers.

7. For any youth in detention more than 72 hours; the youth will also receive a medical examination (not including psychological or psychiatric services) and any necessary emergency medical care while in detention.

8. The transportation of youth to and from the Department will be the responsibility of the Contractor. Oneida County Sheriff's Department and the Department have an agreement for transportation to the Detention Facility. In the event that the Sheriff's Department cannot transport to the Non-Secure Detention Facility, the Department will contact the Contractor to request its assistance. The Contractor will make every effort to respond to this need as soon as possible. All transportation for medical and other appointments pertaining to the youths in Non-Secure Detention will be assumed by the Contractor's Program Staff.

9. Twenty-four (24) hour intake and on-call duties for the program will be assumed by the Contractor's staff. Crisis intervention, admissions and related duties will be the responsibility of the Contractor's staff. In the case of a youth absconding from the Non-Secure Detention Program, the following procedures will be followed:

1. A missing persons report will be filed with the local authorities.
2. Parents will be notified immediately.
3. The Placing Contractor will be notified within 24 hours.
4. It is the Department's and/or parent's responsibility to retrieve personal belongings, (i.e., clothing).

10. The Contractor will provide youth the appropriate care, shelter, food, clothing, education, health care, recreation, case management services, outcome analysis and opportunity for family involvement to the extent possible.

11. The Contract will schedule medical examinations for all detained juveniles within 72 hours of admission. The Contractor will pay for a complete physical examination. All other medical costs, including pharmaceutical and dental costs, will be the responsibility of the parents and/or the Department.

12. The Contractor will establish for each youth an opportunity to participate in recreation and opportunities to worship. The Contractor will make every effort to establish and maintain communication between the juvenile and his/her parents or legal guardian.

13. The Contractor will assist in the process to ensure that educational services will be provided to each juvenile by the local school district within the guidelines of the State Education Department.

14. The Contractor agrees to appropriately train and supervise all Non Secure Detention Services Staff in its employ.

15. The Contractor agrees to keep accurate records for each child placed in detention. All information contained in the Contractor's files shall be held confidential by the Contractor and the Department pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Social Service law, New York State Family Court law and the New York State Division of Probation Rules and Regulations.

16. The cost of reserving one bed for one day is called the contract county per diem rate. It is established by the Contractor taking the actual budget, and dividing it by the total number of beds available for the year. The contract county per diem rate for January 1, 2015 through March 31, 2015 contract term is established to be \$ 295.00 per day per bed.

Therefore, the Department agrees to pay the daily rate of \$ 295.00 per bed for a total of 6 beds for the term of this agreement, January 1, 2015 through March 31, 2015 (90 days), with a maximum cost of \$159,300 for 6 reserved beds.

Should another County have the need to utilize a bed that would be otherwise part of this contract, the other County would be financially responsible for that bed and the Department's bill would be reduced to reflect such usage. It is also agreed that should another County's youth be utilizing a bed stipulated in this contract that is needed by the Department, the Department's youth would take priority over the youth from another County in order to admit the Department's youth.

Should the Department need additional utilization for a particular day, above the number of beds available by contract (6 beds reserved), this is considered "Excess Utilization" and will be billed to the Department in addition at a daily rate of \$ 295.00 per day for the calendar day in which the Department utilization exceeds the maximum number of beds reserved by contract.

When using excess beds, the Department understands it is using beds on an available basis and cannot bump residents from another County in order to admit a youth that would be considered Excess Utilization.

The Department will make payments to the Contractor on a monthly basis upon presentation of a County voucher.

17. The Contractor agrees to maintain books, records and necessary supporting documents as required by Section 372 of the Social Services Law. The Contractor will use accounting procedures and practices that sufficiently and properly reflect all direct and indirect costs of the services provided under the Agreement. The financial and statistical records shall be subject at all reasonable times to inspection, review, or audit authorized by the County and State Governments.

18. The Contractor agrees that the equipment purchased under this Contract is the property of the

Department and shall revert to the Department upon any termination or failure to renew the agreement.

19. The Contractor may not assign, subcontract, or otherwise dispose of this agreement or any right, duty or interest herein without the prior written consent of the Department.

20. This agreement can be terminated with a 30 day written notice by either party.

21. This agreement shall be binding upon both parties when fully signed and executed and upon approval of the appropriate legislative bodies where required.

22. The obligations of the parties hereunder are conditioned upon the continued availability of Federal and/or New York State funds for the purposes set forth in this agreement.

23. The terms of this agreement, including any attachments, amendments, addendums or appendixes attached hereto, constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties and cancels and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations, understandings or agreements, whether written or oral, with respect to the subject matter of this Agreement. No waiver, alterations or modifications of and provisions of this agreement shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this agreement as of the day and year first above written.

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

Oneida County Executive: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente Jr., Oneida County Executive

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Approved as to Form \_\_\_\_\_  
Oneida County Attorney

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

Oneida County Department of Social Services: \_\_\_\_\_  
Lucille A. Soldato, Commissioner

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Date: 2-26-15

Agency: House of the Good Shepherd

Authorized Signature: 

Print Authorized Name: Robert J. Roberts III

Title: Executive Director

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APPENDIX A

The parties to the attached contract further agree to be bound by the following, which are hereby made a part of said contract.

- I. This contract may not be assigned by the contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or disposed of without the previous consent, in writing, of the State.
- II. This contract shall be deemed executory only to the extent of money available to the State for the performance of the terms hereof and no liability on account thereof shall be incurred by the State of New York beyond moneys available for the purpose thereof.
- III. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by Labor Law, Sections 220 and 220-d, as amended that:
  - (a) no laborer, workman or mechanic, in the employ of the contractor, subcontractor or other person doing or contracting to do the whole or any part of the work contemplated by the contract shall be permitted or required to work more than eight hours in any one calendar day or more than five days in any one week, except in the emergencies set forth in the Labor Law.
  - (b) the wages paid for a legal day's work shall be not less than the prevailing rate of wages as defined by law.
  - (c) The minimum hourly rate of wages to be paid shall not be less than that stated in the specifications, and any redetermination of the prevailing rate of wages after the contract is approved shall be deemed to be incorporated herein by reference as of the effective date of redetermination and shall form a part of these contract documents.
  - (d) The Labor Law provides that the contract may forfeited and no sum paid for any work done thereunder on a second conviction for willfully paying less than—
    - (a) the stipulated wage scale as provided in Labor Law, Section 220, subdivision 3, as amended or
    - (b) less than the stipulated minimum hourly wage scale as provided in Labor Law, Section 220-d, as amended.
- IV. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by the provisions of the Labor Law, Section 220-e, as amended, that:
  - (a) in hiring of employees for the performance of work under this contract or any subcontract hereunder, or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies hereunder, no contractor, subcontractor, shall by reason of race, creed, color, sex or national origin discriminate against any citizen of the State of New York who is qualified and available to perform the work to which the employment relates.



- (b) No contractor, subcontractor, nor any person on his behalf shall, in any manner, discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this contract on the account of race, creed, color, sex or national origin.
  - (c) There may be deducted from the amount payable to the contractor by the State under this contract a penalty of five dollars for each person for each calendar day during which such person was discriminated against or intimidated in violation of the provisions of the contract, and
  - (d) This contract may be cancelled or terminated by the State or municipality and all moneys due or to become due hereunder may be forfeited for a second or any subsequent violation of the terms or conditions of this section of the contract, and
  - (e) The aforesaid provisions of this section covering every contract for or on behalf of the State or a municipality for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies shall be limited to operations performed within the territorial limits of the State of New York.
- V. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by Executive Order # 45, dated Jan. 4, 1977, effective February 4, 1977, that:
- (a) The contractor will not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, and will undertake programs of affirmative action to insure that they are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Such action shall be taken with reference, but not limited to: recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgrading, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination, rates of pay or other forms of compensation, and selection for training or retraining, including apprenticeship and on-the-job training.
  - (b) If the contractor is directed to do so by the contracting agency or the Office of State Contract Compliance (hereafter OSCC). The contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers, with which he has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish him with a written statement that such employment agency, labor union or representative will not discriminate because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the contractor's obligations hereunder and the purposes of Executive Order # 45 (1977).
  - (c) The contractor will state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, that all qualified

applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

\*(d) The contractor will comply with all the provisions of Executive Order # 45 (1977) and of rules, regulations and orders issued pursuant thereto and will furnish all information and reports required by said Executive Order or such rules, regulations and orders, and will permit access to its books, records, and accounts and to its premises by the contracting agency or the OSCC for the purposes of ascertaining compliance with said Executive Order and such rules, regulations and orders.

\*(e) If the contractor does not comply with the equal opportunity provisions of this contract, with Executive Order # 45 (1977), or with such rules, regulations, or orders, this contract or any portion thereof, may be cancelled, terminated or suspended or payments thereon withheld, or the contractor may be declared ineligible for future State or State-assisted contracts, in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order #45 (1977), and such other sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked as are provided in said Executive Order or by rule, regulation or order issued pursuant thereto, or as otherwise provided by law.

\*(f) The contractor will include the provisions of clauses (a) through (e) above and all contract provisions promulgated by OSCC pursuant to Section 1.3 (b) of Executive Order # 45 (1977), in every non-exempt subcontract or purchase order in such a manner that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor as to its work force within the State of New York. The contractor will take such action in enforcing such provisions of such subcontract or purchase order as the contracting agency or the OSCC may direct, including sanctions or remedies for noncompliance. If the contractor becomes involved in or is threatened with litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction, the contractor shall promptly so notify the Attorney General, requesting him to intervene and protect the interests of the State of New York.

VI. The contractor will comply with the provisions of Sections 291-299 of the Executive Law and the Civil Rights Law, will furnish all information and reports deemed necessary by the State Division of Human Rights under the Law, and will permit access to its books, records and accounts by the State Industrial Commissioner for the purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with the non-discrimination clauses, the Executive Law and Civil Rights Law.

VII. (a) By submission of this bid, each bidder and each person signing on behalf of any bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto

certifies as to its own organization, under penalty or perjury, that to the best of his knowledge and belief:

1) The prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, consultation, communication or agreement, for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such prices with any other bidder or with any competitor;

2) Unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder, and will not be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor;

3) No attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition.

(b) A bid shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made where (a) (1) (2) and (3) above have not been complied with provided, however, that if in any case the bidder cannot make the foregoing certification, the bidder shall so state and shall furnish with the bid a signed statement which sets forth in detail the reasons therefor. Where (a) (1) (2) and (3) above have not been complied with, the bid shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made unless the head of the purchasing unit of the State, public department or agency to which the bid is made, or his designee, determines that such disclosure was not made for the purpose of restricting competition.

The fact that bidder (a) has published price lists, rates, or tariffs covering items being procured, (b) has informed prospective customers of proposed or pending publication of new or revised price lists for such items, or (c) has sold the same items to other customers at the same prices being bid, does not constitute, without more a disclosure within the meaning of sub-paragraph VII (a)

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**\*\*Note:** Reference to the above Rules and Regulations refer to those Rules and Regulations in effect as of the date of the solicitation of bids relative to this contract.

## APPENDIX B

### STANDARD CLAUSES FOR ALL ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES CONTRACTS

#### Personnel

- a. The Contractor agrees to be solely responsible for the recruitment, hiring, provision of employment benefits, payment of salaries and management of its project personnel. These functions shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of this AGREEMENT, and all applicable Federal, State and County laws and regulations.
- b. It is the policy of the Department to encourage the employment of qualified applicants for, or recipients of public assistance by both public organization and private enterprises who are under contractual AGREEMENT to the Department for the provision of goods and services. Contractors will be expected to make best efforts in this area.
- c. The Contractor agrees to identify, in writing, the person(s) who will be responsible for directing the work to be done under this AGREEMENT. No change or substitution of such responsible person(s) will be made without prior approval in writing from the Department, to the degree that such change is within the reasonable control of the Contractor

#### Notices

- a. All notices permitted or required hereunder shall be in writing and shall be transmitted either by:
  - a. By certified or registered United States mail, return receipt requested;
  - b. By Facsimile transmission;
  - c. By personal delivery;
  - d. By expedited delivery service; or
  - e. By e-mail

Notices to the Department shall be addressed to the Commissioner of Social Services at the Address, Telephone Number, Facsimile Number or E-mail Address provided to the Contractor during contract development, or to such different Program Manager as the Department may for time-to time designate.

- b. Any such notice shall be deemed to have been given either at the time of personal delivery or, in the case of expedited delivery service or certified or register United States mail, as of the date of first attempted delivery at the address and in the manner provided herein, or in the case of facsimile transmission or email, upon receipt.

- c. The parties may, from time to time, specify any new or different address in the United States as their address for purpose of receiving notice under this Agreement by giving fifteen (15) days written notice to the other party sent in accordance herewith. The Parties agree to mutually designate individuals as their respective representatives for the purposes of implementation and administration/billing, resolving issues and problems and/or for dispute resolution.

#### Office Services

- a. The contractor shall be responsible for the provision of necessary equipment and services for Contractor's staff, pursuant to and described in the narratives and budgets contained in the AGREEMENT.
- b. For Federally funded contracts, title to real property and non-expendable personal property whose requisition cost is borne in whole or in part by monies proved under this AGREEMENT shall be determined between the Contractor and the Department, pursuant to Federal regulations 45 CFR 92 unless such authority is otherwise inappropriate. Title to all equipment, supplies and material purchased with funds under this AGREEMENT under contracts which are not Federally funded shall be in the State of New York and the property shall not be transferred, conveyed, or disposed of without written approval of the Department. Upon expiration or termination of this Agreement, all property purchased with funds under this Agreement shall be returned to the Department, unless the Department has given direction for, or approval of, an alternative means of disposition in writing.
- c. Upon written direction by the Department, the Contractor shall maintain an inventory of those properties that are subject to the provisions of sub-paragraph b of this section

#### GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- a. The contractor agrees to comply in all respects with the provisions of this AGREEMENT and the attachments hereto. The Contractor specifically agrees to perform services according to the objectives, tasks, work plan and staffing plan contained in the AGREEMENT. Any modifications to the tasks or work plan contained in AGREEMENT must be mutually agreed to by both parties in writing before the additional or modified tasks or work plan shall commence.
- b. If any specific event or conjunction of circumstances threatens the successful completion of the project, in whole or in part, including where relevant, timely completion of milestones, the Contractor agrees to submit to the Department within three days of occurrence or perception of such problem, a written description thereof together with a recommended solution thereto.

- c. The Contractor immediately shall notify in writing the Department Program Manager assigned to this contract of any unusual incident, occurrence or event that involves the staff, volunteers or officers of the Contractor, and subcontractor or Program participant funded through this contract, including but not limited to the following: death or serious injury; an arrest or possible criminal activity; and destruction of property; significant damage to the physical plant of the Contractor, or other matters of a similarly serious nature.
- d. In providing these services, the Contractor hereby agrees to be responsible for designing and operating these services, and otherwise performing, so as to maximize Federal financial participation to the Department under the Federal Social Security Act.
- e. If funds from this contract will be used to pay any costs associated with the provision of legal services of any sort, the following shall apply;
- No litigation shall be brought against the State of New York, the New York State Office of Children and Family Services, or against Oneida County or the Department or other local government or local social services district with funds provided under this contract. The term "litigation" shall include commencing or threatening to commence a lawsuit joining or threatening to join as a party to ongoing litigation, or requesting any relief from either the State of New York, the New York State Office of Children and Family Services or Oneida County or other local government or local social services district, based upon any agreement between such agency in litigation with another party and such party, during pendency of the litigation.
  - Opinions prepared by consultant law firms construing the statutes of Constitution of the State of New York do not constitute the view of the State unless the prior written approval of the Attorney General is obtained. Requests for said approval shall be submitted to the Solicitor General, Division of the appeals and Opinions Bureau, department of Law, The Capital, Albany, New York 12224
  - The Contractor shall provide to the Department in a format provided by the Department such additional information concerning the provision of legal services as the Department shall require.
- f. The Department will designate a contract Manager who shall have authority relating to the technical services and operational functions of this AGREEMENT and activities completed or contemplated there under. The Contract Manager and those individuals designated by him/her in writing shall have the prerogative to make announced or unannounced on-site visits to the project. Project reports and issues of interpretation or direction relating to this AGREEMENT shall be directed to the Contract Manager.

- g. Except where the Department otherwise authorizes or directs in writing, the Contractor agrees not to enter into any subcontracts, or revisions to subcontracts, for the performance of the obligations contained herein until it has received the prior written approval of the Department, which shall have the right to review and approve each and every subcontract prior to giving written approval to the contractor to enter into the subcontract. All AGREEMENTS between the Contractor and subcontractors shall be by written contract, signed by individuals authorized to bind the parties. All such subcontracts shall contain provisions for specifying (1) that the work performed by the subcontractor must be in accordance with the terms of this AGREEMENT (2) that nothing contained in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the Department under this AGREEMENT, (3) that nothing contained in the subcontract, nor under this AGREEMENT, shall be deemed to create any contractual relationship between the subcontractor and the Department, and (4) incorporating all provisions regarding the rights of the Department as set forth in Agreement, where applicable. The Contractor specifically agrees that the Contractor shall be fully responsible to the Department for the acts and omissions of subcontractors and of persons either directly or indirectly employed by them, as it is for the acts and omissions of persons directly employed by the Contractor.
- h. The Contractor warrants that it, its staff and any and all Subcontractors which must be approved by the Department, have all the necessary licenses, approvals and certifications currently required by the law of any applicable local, state or federal government to perform the services pursuant to this AGREEMENT and/or subcontract entered into under this AGREEMENT. The contractor further agrees such required licenses, approvals and certificates will be kept in full force and effect during the term of this Agreement, and/or any extension thereof, and to secure any new licenses, approvals or certificates within the required time frames and/or to require its staff and Subcontractors to obtain and requisite licenses, approvals or certificates. In the event the contractor, its staff, and/or Subcontractors are notified of a denial or revocation of any license, approval or certification to perform the services under the AGREEMENT, Contractor will immediately notify the Department.
- i. This Agreement cannot be assigned by the Contractor to a subcontractor without obtaining written approval of the Department. Prior to executing a subcontract agreement the Contractor agrees to provide the Department the information the Department needs to determine whether a proposed Subcontractor is a responsible vendor. The Determination of Vendor responsibility will be made in accordance with Section n. of General Terms and Conditions
- j. If the Contractor intends to use materials, equipment or personnel paid for under this contract in a revenue generating activity, the Contractor shall report such intentions to the Department forthwith and shall be subject to the direction of the Department as to the disposition of such revenue.

- k. Any interest accrued on funds paid to the Contractor by the Department shall be deemed to be the property of the Department and shall either be credited to the Department at the termination of this AGREEMENT or expended on additional services provided for under this AGREEMENT.
- l. The Contractor ensures that the grounds, structures, building and furnishings at the program site(s) used under this AGREEMENT are maintained in good repair and free from any danger to health or safety and that any building or structure used for program services complies with all applicable zoning, building, health, sanitary, and fire codes.
- m. The Contractor agrees to produce, and retain for the balance of the calendar year in which produced, and for a period of six years thereafter, any and all records necessary to substantiate upon audit, the proper deposit and expenditure of funds received under this contract. Such records shall include, but not be limited to, original books of entry (e.g., cash disbursements and cash receipts journal), and the following specific records (as applicable) to substantiate the types of expenditures noted:
  - a) Payroll Expenditures: cancelled checks and the related bank statements, time and attendance records, payroll journals, employee personal history folders, and cost allocation plans, if applicable.
  - b) Payroll Taxes and Fringe Benefits: cancelled checks, copies of related bank statements, reporting forms, and invoices for Fringe Benefit expenses.
  - c) Non-Personal Services Expenditures: original invoices/receipts, cancelled checks and related bank statements, consultant agreements, leases, and cost allocation plans, if applicable.
  - d) Receipt and Deposit of Advance and Reimbursements: Itemized bank stamped deposit slips, and a copy of the related bank statements.
  - e) The Contractor agrees that any equipment purchased with funds under this agreement is the property of the Department and will remain with or will be returned to the Department in the event of the termination of this Agreement,

Although not required, the Department recommends that the Contractor retain records directly pertinent to this contract for a period of ten (10) years after the end of the calendar year in which they were made, as the statute of limitations for the New York False Claims Act is ten years.

- n. By signing this contract, the Contractor certifies that within the past three years the Contractor has engaged in no actions that would establish a basis for a finding by the Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor or, if the Contractor has engaged in any such action or actions, that all such actions have been disclosed to the Department prior to entering into this Contract. The actions that would potentially establish a basis for a finding by Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor include:



- The Contractor has had a license or contract suspended, revoked or terminated by a governmental agency.
- The Contractor has had a claim, lien, fine, or penalty imposed or secured against the Contractor by a governmental agency.
- The Contractor has initiated a bankruptcy proceeding or such a proceeding has been initiated against the Contractor
- The Contractor has been issued a citation, notice, or violation order by a governmental agency finding the Contractor to be in violation of any local, state, or federal laws.
- The Contractor has been advised by a governmental agency that a determination to issue a citation, notice or violation order finding the Contractor to be in violation of any local, state or federal laws is pending before a governmental agency
- The contractor has not paid all due and owed local, state and federal taxes to the proper authorities
- The contractor has engaged in any other actions of a similarly serious nature.

Where the Contractor has disclosed any of the above to the Department, Department may require as a condition precedent to entering into the contract that the Contractor agree to such additional conditions as will be necessary to satisfy the Department that the vendor is and will remain a responsible vendor. By signing this contract, the Contractor agrees to comply with any such additional conditions that have been made a part of this contract.

By signing this contract, the contractor also agrees that during the term of the contract, the Contractor will promptly notify the Department if the Contractor engages in any actions that would establish a basis for a finding by Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor, as described above.

- o. By signing this contract, the contractor agrees to comply with State Tax Law section 5-a
- p. Contractors must maintain Workers Compensation Insurance in accordance with the Workers Compensation Law. If a contractor believes they are exempt from the Workers Compensation insurance requirement then they must apply for an exemption. Contractors can apply for the exemption online through the New York State Workers Compensation Board website at:  
[http://www.wcb.state.ny.us/content/ebiz/wc\\_db\\_exemptions/wc\\_db\\_exemptions.jsp](http://www.wcb.state.ny.us/content/ebiz/wc_db_exemptions/wc_db_exemptions.jsp)
- q. All organizations that receive Federal financial assistance under social service programs are prohibited from discriminating against beneficiaries or prospective beneficiaries of the social service programs on the basis of religion or religious belief. Accordingly, organizations, in providing services supported in whole or in part with Federal financial assistance, and in their outreach activities related to such services, are not allowed to discriminate against current or prospective program beneficiaries on the basis of

religion, a religious belief, a refusal to hold a religious belief, or a refusal to attend or participate in a religious practice.

Organizations that engage in explicitly religious activities (including activities that involve overt religious content such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization) must perform such activities and offer such services outside of programs that are supported with direct Federal financial assistance (including through prime awards or sub-awards), separately in time or location from any such programs or services supported with direct Federal financial assistance, and participation in any such explicitly religious activities must be voluntary for the beneficiaries of the social service program supported with such Federal financial assistance

## REPORTS AND DELIVERABLES

The Contractor shall prepare and submit all reports, documents, and projects required by this AGREEMENT to the Office's Contract Manager for review and approval. These reports shall be in such substance, form, and frequency as required by the Department and as necessary to meet State, Federal and County requirements.

The Contractor shall complete Contract Evaluations as required by the Department as well as Statistical Data as needed by the Department and New York State to meet the reporting requirements.

## CONFIDENTIALITY AND PROTECTION ON HUMAN SUBJECTS

- a. The Contractor agrees to safeguard the confidentiality of financial and/or client information relating to individuals and their families who may receive services in the course of this project. The Contractor shall maintain the confidentiality of all such financial and/or client information with regard to services provided under this AGREEMENT in conformity with the provisions of applicable State, Federal, and County laws and regulations. Any breach of confidentiality by the Contractor, its agents or representatives shall be cause for immediate termination of this AGREEMENT.
- b. Any contractor who will provide goods and/or services to a residential facility or program operated by Department agrees to require all of its employees and volunteers who will have the potential for regular and substantial contact with youth in the care or custody of the Department to sign an Employee Confidentiality Certification and employee Background Certification before any such employees and volunteers are permitted access to youth in the care or custody of the Department and/or any financial and/or client identifiable information concerning such youth. Additionally, Department will require a database check of the State wide Central Register of Child Abuse and Maltreatment (SCR) of each employee and volunteer of the Contractor who has the potential for regular and substantial contract with children in the care or custody of the

Department. Any other Contractor whose employees and volunteers will have access to financial and/or client identifiable information concerning youth in the care or custody of Department agrees to require all such employees and volunteers to sign a Employee Confidentiality Certification before any such employees and volunteers are permitted access to any financial and/or client identifiable information concerning such youth.

- c. Contractor and any subsequent sub-contractor shall not discriminate or refuse assistance to individuals with AIDS or an HIV infection or an HIV - related illness.

The Contractor and any subsequent sub-contractor agrees that their staff to whom confidential HIV - related information may be given as a necessity for providing services and in accordance with 403 of Title 18 NYSDSS regulation and Section 2782 of the Public Health Law are fully informed of the penalties and fines for redisclosure in violations of State Law and Regulations.

The Contractor and any subsequent sub-contractor must include the following written statement when disclosing any confidential HIV - related information.

"This information has been disclosed to you from confidential records which are protected by State Law. State Law prohibits you from making any further disclosure of this information without the specific written consent of the person to whom it pertains, or as otherwise permitted by law. Any unauthorized further disclosure in violation of State Law may result in a fine or jail sentence or both. A general authorization for the release of medical or other information is not sufficient authorization for further disclosure."

- d. All information contained in the Contractors, or it's sub-contractor's files shall be held confidential pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Social Services Law and any State Department Regulations promulgated thereunder, including 18 NY CRR Sec. 357.5 and 423.7, as well as any applicable Federal Laws and any regulations promulgated thereunder and shall not be disclosed except as authorized by law.
- e. The Contractor and all Contract Staff that are subject to the Oneida County computer systems/databases shall complete the Oneida County Department of Social Services Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement provided with this agreement and shall submit forms to the following address:

Oneida County Department of Social Services  
Contract Administration Office, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
800 Park Ave  
Utica, New York, 13501

## PUBLICATIONS AND COPYRIGHTS

- a. The results of any activity supported under this AGREEMENT may not be published without prior written approval of the Department, which results (1) shall acknowledge the support of the Department and the County and, if funded with Federal funds, the applicable federal funding agency, and (2) shall state that the opinions, results, findings and/or interpretations of data contained therein are the responsibility of the Contractor and do not necessarily represent the opinions, interpretation or policy of the Department or Oneida County.
- b. The Department and Oneida County expressly reserve the right to a royalty-free, non-exclusive and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish, distribute or otherwise use, in perpetuity, any and all copyrighted or copyrightable material resulting from this AGREEMENT or activity supported by this AGREEMENT. All publications by the Contractor covered by this AGREEMENT shall expressly acknowledge the Department's right to such license.
- c. All of the license rights so reserved to the Department and Oneida County under this paragraph are equally reserved to the United States Department of Health and Human Services and subject to the provisions on copyrights contained in 45 CFR 92 if the AGREEMENT is federally funded
- d. The Contractor agrees that at the completion of any scientific or statistical study, report or analysis prepared pursuant to this AGREEMENT, it will provide to the Department at no additional cost a copy of any and all data supporting the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis, together with the name(s) and business address(es) of the principal(s) producing the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis. The Contractor agrees and acknowledges the right of the Department, subject to applicable confidentiality restrictions, to release the name(s) and business address(es) producing the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis, together with a copy of the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis and all data supporting the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis.

## PATENTS AND INVENTIONS

The Contractor agrees that any all inventions, conceived or first actually reduced to practice in the course of, or under this AGREEMENT, or with monies supplied pursuant to this AGREEMENT, shall be promptly and fully reported to the DEPARTMENT. Determination as to ownership and/or disposition of rights to such inventions, including whether a patent application shall be filed, and if so, the manner of obtaining, administering and disposing of rights under any patent application or patent which may be issued, shall be made pursuant to all applicable law and regulations.

## TERMINATION

- a. This AGREEMENT may be terminated by the DEPARTMENT upon thirty (30) days prior written notice to the Contractor. Such notice is to be made by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested or hand delivered with receipt granted by the Contractor. The date of such notice shall be deemed to be the date the notice is received by the contractor established by the receipt returned, if delivery by registered or certified mail, or by the receipt granted by the Contractor, if the notice is delivered by hand. The Department agrees to pay the Contractor for reasonable and appropriate expenses incurred in good faith before the date of termination of this AGREEMENT.
- b. If the Contractor fails to use any real property or equipment purchased pursuant to this AGREEMENT or the Contractor ceases to provide the services specified in the AGREEMENT for which the equipment was purchased, the Department may terminate this AGREEMENT upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor, where the Contractor has failed to cure as set forth hereafter, Said notice of breach and shall be sent by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested, or shall be delivered by hand, receiving Contractor's receipt therefore. Said notice shall specify the Contractor's breach and shall demand that such breach be cured. Upon failure of the Contractor to comply with such demand within thirty (30) days, or such longer period as may be specified therein, the Department may, upon written notice similarly served, immediately terminate this AGREEMENT, termination to be effective upon the date of receipt of such notice established by the receipt returned to the Department. Upon such termination, the Department may require (a) the repayment to the Department of any monies previously paid to the Contractor, or (b) return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of this AGREEMENT or an appropriate combination of (a) and (b), at the Department's option.
- c. To the extent permitted by law, this AGREEMENT shall be deemed in the sole discretion of the Department terminated immediately upon the filing of a petition in bankruptcy or insolvency, by or against the Contractor. Such termination shall be immediate and complete, without termination costs or further obligation by the Department to the Contractor
- d. Should the Department determine that Federal, State or County funds are limited or become unavailable for any reason, the Department may reduce that total amount of funds payable to the Contractor, reduce the contract period or deem this contract terminated immediately. The Department agrees to give notice to the Contractor as soon as it becomes aware that funds are unavailable, in the event of termination under this paragraph. If the initial notice is oral notification, the Department shall follow this up immediately with written notice. The Department will be obligated to pay the Contractor only for the expenditures made and obligations incurred by the

Contractor until such time as notice of termination is received either orally or in writing by the Contractor from the Department.

- e. The Contractor shall provide to the Department such information as is required by the Department in order that the Department may determine whether the Contractor is a responsible vendor for purposes of compliance with section 163 of the State Finance Law and requirements of the Department. If there is any change in any of the vendor responsibility information provided to the Department by the Contractor at any time during the term of this Agreement, the Contractor shall be required to immediately notify the Department so that the Department may assess whether the Contractor continues to be a responsible vendor. Should the Contractor fail to notify the Department of any change in the vendor responsibility information or should the Department otherwise determine that the Contractor has ceased to be a responsible vendor for the purposes of this AGREEMENT, the Department may terminate this AGREEMENT upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor. Said notice of termination shall be sent by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested, or shall be delivered by hand, receiving Contractor's receipt therefore. Said notice shall specify the reason(s) that the Contractor has been found to no longer be a responsible vendor.

Upon determination that the Contractor is no longer a responsible vendor the Department may, in its discretion and as an alternative to termination pursuant to this paragraph, notify the contractor of the determination that the Contractor has ceased to be a responsible vendor and set forth the corrective action that will be required of the Contractor to maintain the contract. Should the Contractor fail to comply with the required corrective action within thirty (30) days of the date of notification, or such longer period as may be specified therein, the Department may, upon written notice similarly served, immediately terminate this AGREEMENT, termination to be effective upon the date of receipt of such notice established by the receipt returned to the Department. Upon such termination, the Department may require (a) the repayment to the Department of any monies previously paid to the Contractor, (b) return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of this AGREEMENT, or an appropriate combination of (a) and (b) at the Department's option.

#### CONTRACTOR COMPLIANCE

The Contractor agrees to provide an Annual Certification pertaining to this Contract as part of the Contractor's Annual Independent audit.

The Department shall have the right to audit or review the Contractor's performance and operations as related to this AGREEMENT, or has abused or misused funds paid to the contractor, or it the Contractor has violated or is in non-compliance with any term of any

other AGREEMENT with the Department, or has abused or misused funds paid to the Contractor under any other AGREEMENT with the Department, the rights of the Department shall include, but not be limited to :

- Recovery of any funds expended in violation of the AGREEMENT;
- Suspension of Payments
- Termination of the AGREEMENT; and/or
- Employment of another entity to fulfill the requirements of the AGREEMENT.

The Contractor shall be liable for all reasonable costs incurred on account thereof, including payment of any cost differential for employing such entity. The Contractor will assist the Department in transferring the operation of the Contracted services to any other entity selected by the Department in a manner that will enable the Department or clients to continue to receive services in an on-going basis, including, but not limited to , notifying clients of the new entity to which the services will be transferred and the effective date of the transfer, providing the new entity promptly and at no charge with a complete copy of the clients' and all other records necessary to continue the provision of the transferred services, and transferring any equipment purchased with funds provided under this AGREEMENT.

Nothing herein shall preclude the Department from taking actions otherwise available to it under law.

The Contractor agrees to cooperate fully with any audit or investigation the Department or any agent of the Department may conduct and to provide access during normal business hours to any and all information necessary to perform its audit or investigation. The Contractor shall also allow the Department, and any representatives specifically directed by the Department to take possession of all books, records and documents relating to this AGREEMENT without prior notice to the Contractor. The Department will return all such books, records and documents to the Contractor upon completion the official purposes for which they were taken.

The Contractor agrees that all AGREEMENTS between the Contractor and a subcontractor or consultants for the performance of any obligations under the AGREEMENT will be by written contract (subcontract) which will contain provisions including, but not limited to, the above specified rights of the Department.

#### FISCAL SANCTION

In accordance with the Department, contractors may be placed on fiscal sanction when the Department identifies any of the following issues:

- The Contractor has received an advance, overpayment or other funds under this or another agreement that has not been refunded to the Department within the established timeframe;
- An Department or other audit identifies significant fiscal irregularities and/or that funds are due to the Department
- The Contractor has not provided satisfactory services as required under the terms of this or another Department agreement;
- The Contractor has not provided fiscal or program reports as required under the terms of this or another Department agreement;
- A Department, County, State or Federal prosecutorial or investigative agency identifies possible criminal activity, or significant fiscal or programmatic irregularities on the part of the Contractor;
- The Contractor is not in compliance with State, Federal, or County statutes or regulations, or applicable Department guidelines, policies and/or procedures; or
- Unsafe physical conditions exist at a program site operated by the Contractor and funded under an agreement with the Department

Once the Contractor has been placed on Fiscal Sanction, payments on all open contracts and any new awards, amendments or contract renewals will not be processed until the issues have been satisfactorily resolved. The contractor will be notified in advance of any proposed Fiscal sanction and will be provided a timeframe within which the issues must be resolved in order to avoid Fiscal Sanction. Issues that are not resolved within the timeframe established by the Department may be referred to the Attorney General (AG) for collection of legal action. If a contract is referred to the AG a collection fee will be added to the amount owed. In addition, interest will be due on any amount not paid in accordance with the timeframes established by the AG. The contractor will remain on Fiscal Sanction until the amount owed, including any collection fee and interest is paid.

#### ADDITIONAL ASSURANCES

- a. The Department and Contractor agree that Contractor is an independent contractor, and not in any way deemed to be an employee of the Department or County of Oneida for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, workers compensation, retirement or health benefits. The Contractor agrees to defend and indemnify the Department and/or Oneida County for any loss the Department and/or Oneida County may suffer when such losses result from claims of any person or organization injured by the negligent acts or omissions of Contractor, its officers and/or employees or subcontractors. Furthermore, the Contractor agrees to indemnify, defend, and save harmless the Department and/or Oneida County, and its officers, agents, and employees from any and all claims and losses occurring or resulting from any and all contractors, subcontractors, and any other person, firm, or corporation furnishing or supplying work, services, materials, or supplies in connection with the performance of



the contract, and from all claims and losses occurring or resulting to any person, firm, or corporation who may be injured or damaged by the Contractor in the performance of the contract, and against any liability, including costs and expenses, for violation of proprietary rights, copyrights, or rights of privacy, arising out of the publication, translation, reproduction, delivery, performance, or use, or disposition of any data furnished under the contract or based on any libelous or other unlawful matter contained in such data or written materials in any form produced pursuant to the contract.

- b. The Contractor, if a municipal corporation, represents that it is a self-insured entity. If a not-for-profit Corporation or entity other than a self-insured municipal Corporation, the Contractor agrees to obtain and maintain in effect a general policy of liability insurance in an amount not less than one million dollars (\$ 1,000,000) per incident and not less than three million (\$ 3,000,000) aggregate. The Contractor agrees that it will require any and all Subcontractors with whom it subcontracts pursuant to this contract to obtain and maintain a general policy of liability insurance in an amount not less than one million dollars (\$ 1,000,000) per incident and not less than three million (\$3,000,000) aggregate. The Contractor further agrees to procure and maintain in force, for the duration of this Agreement, insurance in types and in the amounts as determined by the Department. Such coverage must be identified and entered upon a Standard Insurance Certificate or its acceptable substitute and be signed by the Contractor's Agency's insurance company, agent or broker.

The Contractor agrees that it will, at its own expense, at all times during the term of this agreement, maintain in force a policy of insurance which will insure against liability for property damage and/or injury/death with regard to any property of persons. The liability and property damage coverage of such insurance shall not be less than One Million dollars (\$ 1,000,000) per incident and not less than three million (\$3,000,000) aggregate. The Contractor agrees to have the Department and Oneida County added to said insurance policies as named additional insured, on a primary, non-contributory basis, as their interest may appear, and to provide the Department and/or Oneida County with a certificate from said insurance company, or companies, showing coverage as herein before required, such certification to show the Department and the Oneida County as additional insureds and to provide that such coverage shall not be terminated without written prior notice to the to the Department and/or Oneida County of at least thirty (30) days.

The Contractor further agrees that the Department has the right to take whatever action it deems appropriate, including, but not limited to, the removal of the Contractor from the rotation list, the removal of clients, the cessation of client referrals, and termination of this Agreement, if the Contractor fails to submit a completed and signed Standard Insurance Certificate or its acceptable substitute, which is subsequently approved by the Oneida County Department of Law, prior to the expiration of its insurance coverage.

## RENEWAL NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Options to renew the contract are at the discretion of the Department, which shall supply written notice of such renewal or termination within 30 days of the expiration date. The Commissioner of Social Services reserves the right to evaluate the job performance and availability of funding.

## COMPLIANCE WITH LAW

The Contractor represents and agrees to comply with the requirements of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 as amended, the Age Discrimination Employment Act of 1964 as amended, the Federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973 as amended, and Executive Order No. 11246, entitled "Equal Employment Opportunity" as amended by Executive Order No. 11375 and as supplemented in Department of Labor Relations, 41CFR Part 60.

The Contractor also agrees to comply with Federal and State Laws as supplemented in the Dept. of Labor regulations and any other regulations of the Federal and State entities relating to such employment and Civil Rights requirements.

As a mandated reporting agency, all instances of suspected child abuse, neglect and/or maltreatment, will be reported to the Central Registry as required by law. These verbal reports will be followed by submission of completed 2221A to the local Department of Social Services. The family will be informed in advance of the Agency's decision to file a report with the Central Register.

The Contractor attest they have not been debarred by the Federal Government from contracting to provide services funded by any Federal money.

The obligations of the parties hereunder are conditioned upon the continued availability of Federal and/or New York State Funds for the purposes set forth in this Agreement.

Should funds become unavailable or should appropriate Federal or New York State officials fail to approve sufficient funds for completion of the services or programs set forth in this Agreement, the Department shall have the option to immediately terminate this Agreement upon providing written notice to the Contractor. In such an event, the Department shall be under no further obligation to the Contractor other than payment for costs actually incurred prior to termination and in no event will the Department be responsible for any actual or consequential damages as a result of termination.

This Agreement contains all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties. All items incorporated by reference are to be attached. No other understandings, oral or otherwise, regarding the subject matter of this Agreement, shall be deemed to exist or to bind any of the parties hereto.

No wavier, alterations or modifications of and provisions of this Agreement shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

This Agreement shall be binding upon both parties when fully signed and executed and upon approval of the appropriate legislative bodies where required.

As the duly authorized representative of the Contractor, I hereby certify that the Contractor will comply with the above Standard Clauses.

*The House of the Good Shepherd*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
NAME OF CONTRACTED AGENCY

*Robert J. Roberts III Executive Director*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
PRINTED NAME AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE

*2-26-15*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

**Oneida County Department of Social Services  
Contractor and Contract Staff  
Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement**

I, the undersigned, an employee of \_\_\_\_\_, (the  
Name of Contract Agency

“Service Provider”), hereby state that I understand and agree that all information provided to the Service Provider from the Oneida County Department of Social Services staff by paper copies, computer systems or databases, electronic communication or otherwise obtained pursuant to the Agreement entered between the Oneida County Department of Social Services and the Service Provider indicated above, is CONFIDENTIAL, is to be used only for the purposes of performing services required by the Agreement, and must be safeguarded from unauthorized disclosure.

I further understand that such information includes, but is not limited to, any and all information regarding parents or guardians and their children, and all employment, financial, and personal identifying data, including Protected Health Information (PHI) as set forth in HIPAA regulations.

I agree to maintain all such information as CONFIDENTIAL, and I agree to use such information only in the performance of my official duties to perform the functions required by the Agreement, unless otherwise authorized in writing by the Department of Social Services.

I understand that confidential information maintained in and/or obtained from systems/databases such as, but not limited to the Welfare Management system (WMS), Child Support Management System (CSMS/ASSETS), Benefits Issuance Control System (BICS), COGNOS, and Connections are protected by Federal and State statutes and regulations. Access and disclosure of confidential information is strictly limited to authorized employees and legally designated agents, for authorized purposes only in the delivery of program services.

I understand that service providers may not access their own active, closed or archived records or those involving a relative, friend, acquaintance, neighbor, partner or co-worker or other individuals to whom they have no official assignment.

I understand that if my employment is terminated by resignation, retirement or for other reasons or the Service Provider Contract is not renewed, the terms of this Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement are still binding.

I understand that if I disclose CONFIDENTIAL information in violation of the requirements stated herein, any individual who incurs damages due to the disclosure may recover such damage in a civil action.

I understand that, in addition to any other penalties provided by law, any person who willfully releases or willfully permits the release of any CONFIDENTIAL information as described herein to persons or agencies not authorized under New York State law to receive it shall be guilty of a class A misdemeanor.

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Witness: \_\_\_\_\_

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**ADDENDUM**

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this 1 st day of January, 2015, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as COUNTY, and a contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as CONTRACTOR.

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CONTRACTOR have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which COUNTY is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

**1. Executor or Non-Appropriation Clause.**

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

**2. Oneida County Board of Legislators: Resolution #249 Solid Waste Disposal Requirements.**

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislator Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

**3. Certification Regarding Lobbying; Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters; and Drug-Free Workplace Requirements.**

- a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:
  - 1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer

or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, and officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any Federal Grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal grant or cooperative agreement.

2. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
3. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.

b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,

1. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
  - a. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
  - b. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract 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 contracts 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 indicated or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government 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 Contract had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) for cause or default; and
2. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.

c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

1. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:

- a. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
- b. Establishing an on-going drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:
  1. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
  2. The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
  3. Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
  4. The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;
- c. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a);
- d. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:
  1. Abide by the terms of the statement; and
  2. Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;
- e. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (d)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position title, to: Director Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.
- f. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted;
  1. Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the Requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
  2. Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;
- g. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (a),(b),(c),(d),(e),(f).

2. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.

Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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- d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F. for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
1. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and
  2. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to: Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

**4. Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).**

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

- a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:
1. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
  2. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
  3. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to filing cabinets, and locks on drawers, cabinets, and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.
- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the County in any



manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:

1. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
2. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.

c. The Contractor shall:

1. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
2. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
3. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
4. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
5. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.524;
6. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
7. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
8. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
9. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County that the Contractor still maintains in any form and retain no copies of such information or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.

d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:

1. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;

2. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  3. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

**5. Non-Assignment Clause.**

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and attempts to do so are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

**6. Worker's Compensation Benefits.**

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

**7. Non-Discrimination Requirements.**

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or

intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

**8. Wage and Hours Provisions.**

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

**9. Non-Collusive Bidding Certification.**

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor affirms, under penalty of perjury, that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

**10. Records.**

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails and attachments, rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection,

auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute") provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

#### **11. Identifying Information and Privacy Notification.**

a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. The number is any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payees, on its invoice or claim for payment, must give the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.

b. Privacy Notification. (1) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (2) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

#### **12. Conflicting Terms.**

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

#### **13. Governing Law.**

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal supremacy clause requires otherwise.

**14. Prohibition on Purchase of Tropical Hardwoods.**

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the County.

**15. Compliance with New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act.**

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

**16. Gratuities and Kickbacks.**

a. Gratuities. It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request, influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard, rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application, request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

**17. Audit**

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a Federal financial assistance program from a Federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

**18. Certification of compliance with the Iran Divestment Act.**

Pursuant Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each Bidder/Contractor, any person signing on behalf of any Bidder/Contractor and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (OGS) website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each Bidder/Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the Bidder/Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any Bidder/Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a Bidder/Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an

opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he/she/it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the Bidder/Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a Bidder/Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any Bidder/Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.


IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have signed this document on the day and year first above written.

**County of Oneida**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Oneida County Executive

**Contractor**

By:  \_\_\_\_\_

Name:

Approved as to Form only

\_\_\_\_\_

Oneida County Attorney

Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
County Executive

Lucille A. Soldato  
Commissioner



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Phone (315) 798-5733 Fax (315) 798-5218

February 23, 2015

Honorable Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

FN 20 15-178  
HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES  
WAYS & MEANS

Dear Mr. Picente:

I am submitting the following Purchase of Services Agreement for review and approval by the Board of Legislators per Board Resolutions and Local Law #3 of 2001, amending Article VIII, Section 802 of the Administrative Code.

The Purchase of Services Agreement with the City of Rome through its Police Department provides one Law Enforcement Coordinator specially trained in Child Advocacy Center's protocols and procedures regarding child abuse cases. The Law Enforcement Coordinator will be assigned to the Center and act as the liaison between the Child Advocacy Center and their respective agency.

The Child Advocacy Center has been in effect since 1990. The Center is comprised of a multidisciplinary team that includes Law Enforcement, Child Protective Services, medical providers, advocacy and counseling.

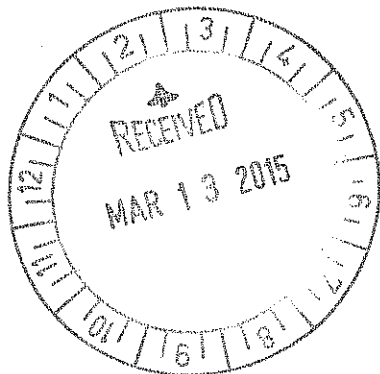
This Agreement is scheduled to become effective January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015. The total cost is \$ 111,754.00, of which the Rome Police Department contributes \$ 22,350.80 and the Department of Social Services contributes \$ 89,403.20 with a local share of \$ 45,901.20.

I am respectfully requesting that this matter be forwarded to the Board of Legislators for action as soon as possible. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Lucille A. Soldato  
Commissioner

LAS/tms  
Attachment



Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 3/13/15



2/23/15  
# 18901

Oneida Co. Department Social Services

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_

**Oneida County Board of Legislators**  
**Contract Summary**

**Name of Proposing Organization:** City of Rome through its Police Department  
City Hall on the Mall  
Rome, New York 13440

**Title of Activity or Services:** Child Advocacy Center

**Proposed Dates of Operations:** January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015

**Client Population/Number to be Served:**

**SUMMARY STATEMENTS**

**1). Narrative Description of Proposed Services**

Multidisciplinary team which provides on-site law-enforcement, caseworkers, victim advocacy, scheduled medical examinations, and counseling to victims of Child Sexual Abuse cases. The contract allows for (1) Police Officer from the Rome Police Department to act as a Law Enforcement Coordinator dedicated to the Child Advocacy Center.

**2). Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes -**

Contractor provides a Law Enforcement Coordinator at the Child Advocacy Center. The Child Advocacy Center allows Oneida County Department of Social Services to:

- Establish a multidisciplinary team consisting of Law Enforcement, District Attorney's Office, Child Protective Services, Medical Providers and counseling and advocacy.
- Provides a coordinated approach of reported Child Sexual Abuse cases that are indicated, prosecuted, and convicted.
- Decrease the number of interviews with the child and reduce the level of trauma to the child and secondary victims.

**3). Program Design and Staffing Level -**

(1) Law Enforcement Coordinator provided by the Rome Police Department

Which will work with a multidisciplinary team consisting of an additional:

- 2 Part-Time Law Enforcement Coordinator provided by the Oneida County Sheriff's Office
- 1 Full-Time Law Enforcement Coordinator provided by the Utica Police Officer
- 1 Child Advocacy Administrator provided by the Sheriff's Office

**Total DSS Funding Requested:**

Total Cost	=	\$ 111,754.00
<b>Department of Social Services</b>		<b>\$ 89,403.20</b>
Rome Police Department		\$ 22,350.80

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:** Account #: A6011.49537

**Mandated or Non-mandated:** Mandated to have a multidisciplinary team

**Proposed Funding Source (Federal \$ /State \$ / County \$):**

Federal	\$	0.00
State	\$	43,502.00
Department of Social Service	\$	45,901.20
Rome Police Department	\$	22,350.80

**Cost Per Client Served:**

**Past performance Served:** The Department has had a contract with the Rome Police Department as part of the Child Advocacy Center since 1990. The 2014 total Contract amount was \$106,345.00 with Department support in the amount of \$ 85,076.80. The Rome Police Department has taken on 20% of the total cost of this contract since 2008.

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:**

AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT, made and entered in to, by and between Oneida County through its Oneida County Department of Social Services, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York and having its principal offices at the Oneida County Office Building, 800 Park Avenue, Utica, New York 13501, (hereinafter called Department), and THE CITY OF ROME, NEW YORK, a municipal corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New York, with its principal place of business located at City Hall-On-The-Mall, Rome, New York 13440 (hereinafter referred to as Contractor).

WHEREAS, the Department has need for a more intensive and coordinated approach to the investigation of Child Sexual Abuse.

WHEREAS, the Department is in need of a Law Enforcement Coordinator, to be the liaison between Oneida County Child Advocacy (CAC) and the Rome Police Department.

WHEREAS, the Contractor has the interest and capability to provide a Law Enforcement Coordinator.

WHEREAS, The Contractor desires to participate in the Child Advocacy Center by and through its Police Department, now, therefore,

IT IS AGREED BY THE PARTIES HERETO AS FOLLOWS:

The Law Enforcement Coordinator (LEC) shall facilitate and assist the Oneida County Child Advocacy Center in their criminal investigation of Multi Disciplinary Team (MDT) child abuse cases. The Law Enforcement Coordinator shall be the liaison between Oneida County Child Advocacy Center, the Rome Police Department, the Department of Social Services and the District Attorney's Office in matters relating to the investigation and prosecution of MDT cases. The LEC shall participate in case review, assist in increasing community awareness of the CAC and be responsible for inputting data regarding the criminal aspect of MDT cases into the program case tracking system.

The Contractor shall provide a full-time police officer to act as Law Enforcement Coordinator, assigned solely to the Department for participation in the Child Advocacy Center for forty (40) hours per week.

The Law Enforcement Coordinator is responsible for the following job duties:

- (1) Facilitate and assist police agencies in the criminal investigation of MDT child abuse cases:
  - Be the contact person for law enforcement agencies with questions about proper procedure of MDT cases

- Assist as necessary and appropriate in the investigation of an MDT case
  - Provide information on the CAC model in an effort to ensure collaborative investigation among partner agencies and to encourage non-participating agencies to become part of the MDT
- (2) Act as a liaison between the Oneida County Children Advocacy Center, the District Attorney's Office, the Department of Social Services, and various law enforcement agencies in matters relating to MDT cases
- Develop and maintain professional, working relationships with all county agencies
  - Confer with police agencies about the status of a criminal investigation of an MDT case
  - Confer with the District Attorney's Office about status of a prosecution of an MDT case
  - Work with partner agencies to resolve issues involving the criminal aspect of an MDT case
- (3) Attend case review
- (4) Enter criminal investigation and prosecution data and updates into the computer system
- (5) Keep current on issues relevant to job and take part in training opportunities when able
- (6) Work collaboratively with other Child Advocacy Center staff and MDT members
- (7) Compile and keep current list of local police agencies, team members and contact information
- (8) Perform all duties with sensitivity to the confidential nature of an MDT case.
- (9) Contractor agrees that said police officer shall perform duties as Law Enforcement Coordinator as part of the Child Advocacy Center:
- a. Investigate allegations of the sexual abuse of children;
  - b. Interview victims using appropriate techniques agreed upon by the Child Advocacy Center and which comply with rules and regulations of Rome Police Manual;
  - c. Interrogate suspects and interview possible witnesses at the discretion of and under the direction of the District Attorney;
  - d. Gather and process evidence on cases assigned to police officer;
  - e. Work in tandem with the Child Protective Services Caseworker at the Child Advocacy Center;
  - f. Attend meetings of the Child Advocacy Center and assist in developing the methods and means for operation at the Child Advocacy Center;
  - g. Attend all training necessary to the satisfactory performance of the duties set forth in this Agreement.

The Parties hereto agree to work together to meet the following goals at the Child Advocacy Center:

1. Maintain a multidisciplinary team consisting of experienced and trained personnel from CPS, law enforcement, medical providers Rape Crisis, and the District Attorney's office,
2. Increase the percentage of reported child sexual abuse cases that are indicated, prosecuted and convicted,

3. Decrease the number of necessary interviews with the child victim,
4. Decrease the level of trauma to the child victims and secondary victims,
5. Maintain a child-oriented interview setting,
6. Maintain accurate records of reports, arrests, prosecutions, and convictions,
7. Provide on-going training, and
8. Increase the number of victims, secondary victims, and perpetrators receiving appropriate treatment and services.

Contractor and Department agree that all information exchanged is confidential and shall be used only for the purpose of this Agreement

The Department shall reimburse Contractor 80% for the services of the aforesaid police officer in the total annual amount of \$ 74,632.00 for salary, \$ 26,122.00 for fringe benefits, \$8,000.00 for overtime and \$ 3,000 for gas. The total cost of the contract is \$ 111,754.00 the County will reimburse the City of Rome 80% of the Actual costs and will not to exceed \$ 89,403.20 the remaining 20% is the responsibility of the Contractor. Any time spent by an investigator that is not related to the mission of the Child Advocacy Center without the prior approval of the Child Advocacy Administrator will not be reimbursed. Any expenses or financial obligations made by the investigator without the prior approval of the Child Advocacy Administrator will become the responsibility of the Contractor.

Department shall make monthly payments to Contractor of the contract amounts upon the submission of an Oneida County voucher, containing the contract number, contract name, any attached data, as well as the police officer's salary and fringe benefits, Certified copies of the assigned investigator's official time sheets will be attached to the voucher. Rate of pay and fringe benefits shall comply with the provisions of the currently negotiated Police Benevolent Association contract. Adjustments to salary and fringe benefits paid by Department shall be made upon the submission of a new or revised contract and statement of applicable salary and fringe benefits changes.

The Contractor shall make available all records relating to this Agreement for a period of six (6) years said records shall be available for audit by the New York State Department of Social services, New York State Audit and Control and the Department of Health and Human Services upon request.

The term of this agreement shall be from January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2015. The option to renew this Agreement under all current terms and conditions for one additional year not to exceed December 31, 2016 is at the sole discretion of the Department and notice to the Contractor shall be provided prior to the end of the term of this Agreement.

Either party may, upon thirty (30) days written notice to the other party, terminate this Agreement.

No representations or promises shall be binding on the parties to this Agreement except those representations and promises contained herein or in some future writing signed by the parties making such representations or promises.

Neither Contractor nor Department shall assign or transfer this Agreement or any part thereof, or any interest, right or privilege therein without written consent of the other party.

If any provision of this Agreement is illegal, the remainder of the Agreement shall not be affected thereby.

Said parties for themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, do hereby agree to the full performance of the covenants contained herein.

The terms of this Agreement, including any attachments, amendments, addendums or appendixes attached hereto, constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties and cancels and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations, understandings or agreements, whether written or oral, with respect to the subject matter of this Agreement. No waiver, alterations or modifications of and provisions of this Agreement shall be binding unless in writing and signed by the duly authorized representative of the parties sought to be bound.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this agreement on the day and year first above written.

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

Oneida County Executive: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente Jr., Oneida County Executive

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Approved as to Form \_\_\_\_\_  
Oneida County Attorney

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

Oneida County Department of Social Services: \_\_\_\_\_  
Lucille A. Soldato, Commissioner

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

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_ Rome Police Department

Authorized Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Joseph R. Fusco, Jr.*

Print Authorized Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Joseph R. Fusco, Jr.

Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor

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# 18901

ROME POLICE DEPARTMENT  
2015 BUDGET

SALARY	\$ 74,632.00
FRINGE	\$ 26,122.00
OVERTIME	\$ 8,000.00
GAS	\$ 3,000.00
TOTAL	\$ 111,754.00

Total Cost Reimbursed by both Oneida County and City of Rome

Oneida County Share (80%)	\$ 89,403.20
City Share (20%)	\$ 22,350.80

APPENDIX A

The parties to the attached contract further agree to be bound by the following, which are hereby made a part of said contract.

- I. This contract may not be assigned by the contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or disposed of without the previous consent, in writing, of the State.
- II. This contract shall be deemed executory only to the extent of money available to the State for the performance of the terms hereof and no liability on account thereof shall be incurred by the State of New York beyond moneys available for the purpose thereof.
- III. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by Labor Law, Sections 220 and 220-d, as amended that:
  - (a) no laborer, workman or mechanic, in the employ of the contractor, subcontractor or other person doing or contracting to do the whole or any part of the work contemplated by the contract shall be permitted or required to work more than eight hours in any one calendar day or more than five days in any one week, except in the emergencies set forth in the Labor Law.
  - (b) the wages paid for a legal day's work shall be not less than the prevailing rate of wages as defined by law.
  - (c) The minimum hourly rate of wages to be paid shall not be less than that stated in the specifications, and any redetermination of the prevailing rate of wages after the contract is approved shall be deemed to be incorporated herein by reference as of the effective date of redetermination and shall form a part of these contract documents.
  - (d) The Labor Law provides that the contract may be forfeited and no sum paid for any work done thereunder on a second conviction for willfully paying less than—
    - (a) the stipulated wage scale as provided in Labor Law, Section 220, subdivision 3, as amended or
    - (b) less than the stipulated minimum hourly wage scale as provided in Labor Law, Section 220-d, as amended.
- IV. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by the provisions of the Labor Law, Section 220-e, as amended, that:
  - (a) in hiring of employees for the performance of work under this contract or any subcontract hereunder, or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies hereunder, no contractor, subcontractor, shall by reason of race, creed, color, sex or national origin discriminate against any citizen of the State of New York who is qualified and available to perform the work to which the employment relates.



- (b) No contractor, subcontractor, nor any person on his behalf shall, in any manner, discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this contract on the account of race, creed, color, sex or national origin.
- (c) There may be deducted from the amount payable to the contractor by the State under this contract a penalty of five dollars for each person for each calendar day during which such person was discriminated against or intimidated in violation of the provisions of the contract, and
- (d) This contract may be cancelled or terminated by the State or municipality and all moneys due or to become due hereunder may be forfeited for a second or any subsequent violation of the terms or conditions of this section of the contract, and
- (e) The aforesaid provisions of this section covering every contract for or on behalf of the State or a municipality for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies shall be limited to operations performed within the territorial limits of the State of New York.

V. The contractor specifically agrees, as required by Executive Order # 45, dated Jan. 4, 1977, effective February 4, 1977, that:

- (a) The contractor will not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status, and will undertake programs of affirmative action to insure that they are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Such action shall be taken with reference, but not limited to: recruitment, employment, job assignment, promotion, upgrading, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination, rates of pay or other forms of compensation, and selection for training or retraining, including apprenticeship and on-the-job training.
- (b) If the contractor is directed to do so by the contracting agency or the Office of State Contract Compliance (hereafter OSCC). The contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers, with which he has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish him with a written statement that such employment agency, labor union or representative will not discriminate because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative will affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the contractor's obligations hereunder and the purposes of Executive Order # 45 (1977).
- (c) The contractor will state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, that all qualified

applicants will be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

- \* (d) The contractor will comply with all the provisions of Executive Order # 45 (1977) and of rules, regulations and orders issued pursuant thereto and will furnish all information and reports required by said Executive Order or such rules, regulations and orders, and will permit access to its books, records, and accounts and to its premises by the contracting agency or the OSCC for the purposes of ascertaining compliance with said Executive Order and such rules, regulations and orders.
- \* (e) If the contractor does not comply with the equal opportunity provisions of this contract, with Executive Order # 45 (1977), or with such rules, regulations, or orders, this contract or any portion thereof, may be cancelled, terminated or suspended or payments thereon withheld, or the contractor may be declared ineligible for future State or State-assisted contracts, in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order #45 (1977), and such other sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked as are provided in said Executive Order or by rule, regulation or order issued pursuant thereto, or as otherwise provided by law.
- \* (f) The contractor will include the provisions of clauses (a) through (e) above and all contract provisions promulgated by OSCC pursuant to Section 1.3 (b) of Executive Order # 45 (1977), in every non-exempt subcontract or purchase order in such a manner that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor as to its work force within the State of New York. The contractor will take such action in enforcing such provisions of such subcontract or purchase order as the contracting agency or the OSCC may direct, including sanctions or remedies for noncompliance. If the contractor becomes involved in or is threatened with litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction, the contractor shall promptly so notify the Attorney General, requesting him to intervene and protect the interests of the State of New York.

VI. The contractor will comply with the provisions of Sections 291-299 of the Executive Law and the Civil Rights Law, will furnish all information and reports deemed necessary by the State Division of Human Rights under the Law, and will permit access to its books, records and accounts by the State Industrial Commissioner for the purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with the non-discrimination clauses, the Executive Law and Civil Rights Law.

VII. (a) By submission of this bid, each bidder and each person signing on behalf of any bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto

certifies as to its own organization, under penalty or perjury, that to the best of his knowledge and belief:

1) The prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, consultation, communication or agreement, for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such prices with any other bidder or with any competitor;

2) Unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder, and will not be disclosed by the bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor;

3) No attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition.

(b) A bid shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made where (a) (1) (2) and (3) above have not been complied with provided, however, that if in any case the bidder cannot make the foregoing certification, the bidder shall so state and shall furnish with the bid a signed statement which sets forth in detail the reasons therefor. Where (a) (1) (2) and (3) above have not been complied with, the bid shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made unless the head of the purchasing unit of the State, public department or agency to which the bid is made, or his designee, determines that such disclosure was not made for the purpose of restricting competition.

The fact that bidder (a) has published price lists, rates, or tariffs covering items being procured, (b) has informed prospective customers of proposed or pending publication of new or revised price lists for such items, or (c) has sold the same items to other customers at the same prices being bid, does not constitute, without more a disclosure within the meaning of sub-paragraph VII (a)

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**\*\*Note:** Reference to the above Rules and Regulations refer to those Rules and Regulations in effect as of the date of the solicitation of bids relative to this contract.

## APPENDIX B

### STANDARD CLAUSES FOR ALL ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES CONTRACTS

#### Personnel

- a. The Contractor agrees to be solely responsible for the recruitment, hiring, provision of employment benefits, payment of salaries and management of its project personnel. These functions shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of this AGREEMENT, and all applicable Federal, State and County laws and regulations.
- b. It is the policy of the Department to encourage the employment of qualified applicants for, or recipients of public assistance by both public organization and private enterprises who are under contractual AGREEMENT to the Department for the provision of goods and services. Contractors will be expected to make best efforts in this area.
- c. The Contractor agrees to identify, in writing, the person(s) who will be responsible for directing the work to be done under this AGREEMENT. No change or substitution of such responsible person(s) will be made without prior approval in writing from the Department, to the degree that such change is within the reasonable control of the Contractor

#### Notices

- a. All notices permitted or required hereunder shall be in writing and shall be transmitted either by:
  - a. By certified or registered United States mail, return receipt requested;
  - b. By Facsimile transmission;
  - c. By personal delivery;
  - d. By expedited delivery service; or
  - e. By e-mail

Notices to the Department shall be addressed to the Commissioner of Social Services at the Address, Telephone Number, Facsimile Number or E-mail Address provided to the Contractor during contract development, or to such different Program Manager as the Department may for time-to-time designate.

- b. Any such notice shall be deemed to have been given either at the time of personal delivery or, in the case of expedited delivery service or certified or register United States mail, as of the date of first attempted delivery at the address and in the manner provided herein, or in the case of facsimile transmission or email, upon receipt.

- c. The parties may, from time to time, specify any new or different address in the United States as their address for purpose of receiving notice under this Agreement by giving fifteen (15) days written notice to the other party sent in accordance herewith. The Parties agree to mutually designate individuals as their respective representatives for the purposes of implementation and administration/billing, resolving issues and problems and/or for dispute resolution.

#### Office Services

- a. The contractor shall be responsible for the provision of necessary equipment and services for Contractor's staff, pursuant to and described in the narratives and budgets contained in the AGREEMENT:
- b. For Federally funded contracts, title to real property and non-expendable personal property whose requisition cost is borne in whole or in part by monies proved under this AGREEMENT shall be determined between the Contractor and the Department, pursuant to Federal regulations 45 CFR 92 unless such authority is otherwise inappropriate. Title to all equipment, supplies and material purchased with funds under this AGREEMENT under contracts which are not Federally funded shall be in the State of New York and the property shall not be transferred, conveyed, or disposed of without written approval of the Department. Upon expiration or termination of this Agreement, all property purchased with funds under this Agreement shall be returned to the Department, unless the Department has given direction for, or approval of, an alternative means of disposition in writing.
- c. Upon written direction by the Department, the Contractor shall maintain an inventory of those properties that are subject to the provisions of sub-paragraph b of this section

#### GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- a. The contractor agrees to comply in all respects with the provisions of this AGREEMENT and the attachments hereto. The Contractor specifically agrees to perform services according to the objectives, tasks, work plan and staffing plan contained in the AGREEMENT. Any modifications to the tasks or work plan contained in AGREEMENT must be mutually agreed to by both parties in writing before the additional or modified tasks or work plan shall commence.
- b. If any specific event or conjunction of circumstances threatens the successful completion of the project, in whole or in part, including where relevant, timely completion of milestones, the Contractor agrees to submit to the Department within three days of occurrence or perception of such problem, a written description thereof together with a recommended solution thereto.

- c. The Contractor immediately shall notify in writing the Department Program Manager assigned to this contract of any unusual incident, occurrence or event that involves the staff, volunteers or officers of the Contractor, and subcontractor or Program participant funded through this contract, including but not limited to the following: death or serious injury; an arrest or possible criminal activity; and destruction of property; significant damage to the physical plant of the Contractor, or other matters of a similarly serious nature.
- d. In providing these services, the Contractor hereby agrees to be responsible for designing and operating these services, and otherwise performing, so as to maximize Federal financial participation to the Department under the Federal Social Security Act.
- e. If funds from this contract will be used to pay any costs associated with the provision of legal services of any sort, the following shall apply;
- No litigation shall be brought against the State of New York, the New York State Office of Children and Family Services, or against Oneida County or the Department or other local government or local social services district with funds provided under this contract. The term "litigation" shall include commencing or threatening to commence a lawsuit joining or threatening to join as a party to ongoing litigation, or requesting any relief from either the State of New York, the New York State Office of Children and Family Services or Oneida County or other local government or local social services district, based upon any agreement between such agency in litigation with another party and such party, during pendency of the litigation.
  - Opinions prepared by consultant law firms construing the statutes of Constitution of the State of New York do not constitute the view of the State unless the prior written approval of the Attorney General is obtained. Requests for said approval shall be submitted to the Solicitor General, Division of the appeals and Opinions Bureau, department of Law, The Capital, Albany, New York 12224
  - The Contractor shall provide to the Department in a format provided by the Department such additional information concerning the provision of legal services as the Department shall require.
- f. The Department will designate a contract Manager who shall have authority relating to the technical services and operational functions of this AGREEMENT and activities completed or contemplated there under. The Contract Manager and those individuals designated by him/her in writing shall have the prerogative to make announced or unannounced on-site visits to the project. Project reports and issues of interpretation or direction relating to this AGREEMENT shall be directed to the Contract Manager.

- g. Except where the Department otherwise authorizes or directs in writing, the Contractor agrees not to enter into any subcontracts, or revisions to subcontracts, for the performance of the obligations contained herein until it has received the prior written approval of the Department, which shall have the right to review and approve each and every subcontract prior to giving written approval to the contractor to enter into the subcontract. All AGREEMENTS between the Contractor and subcontractors shall be by written contract, signed by individuals authorized to bind the parties. All such subcontracts shall contain provisions for specifying (1) that the work performed by the subcontractor must be in accordance with the terms of this AGREEMENT (2) that nothing contained in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the Department under this AGREEMENT, (3) that nothing contained in the subcontract, nor under this AGREEMENT, shall be deemed to create any contractual relationship between the subcontractor and the Department, and (4) incorporating all provisions regarding the rights of the Department as set forth in Agreement, where applicable. The Contractor specifically agrees that the Contractor shall be fully responsible to the Department for the acts and omissions of subcontractors and of persons either directly or indirectly employed by them, as it is for the acts and omissions of persons directly employed by the Contractor.
- h. The Contractor warrants that it, its staff and any and all Subcontractors which must be approved by the Department, have all the necessary licenses, approvals and certifications currently required by the law of any applicable local, state or federal government to perform the services pursuant to this AGREEMENT and/or subcontract entered into under this AGREEMENT. The contractor further agrees such required licenses, approvals and certificates will be kept in full force and effect during the term of this Agreement, and/or any extension thereof, and to secure any new licenses, approvals or certificates within the required time frames and/or to require its staff and Subcontractors to obtain and requisite licenses, approvals or certificates. In the event the contractor, its staff, and/or Subcontractors are notified of a denial or revocation of any license, approval or certification to perform the services under the AGREEMENT, Contractor will immediately notify the Department.
- i. This Agreement cannot be assigned by the Contractor to a subcontractor without obtaining written approval of the Department. Prior to executing a subcontract agreement the Contractor agrees to provide the Department the information the Department needs to determine whether a proposed Subcontractor is a responsible vendor. The Determination of Vendor responsibility will be made in accordance with Section n. of General Terms and Conditions
- j. If the Contractor intends to use materials, equipment or personnel paid for under this contract in a revenue generating activity, the Contractor shall report such intentions to the Department forthwith and shall be subject to the direction of the Department as to the disposition of such revenue.

- k. Any interest accrued on funds paid to the Contractor by the Department shall be deemed to be the property of the Department and shall either be credited to the Department at the termination of this AGREEMENT or expended on additional services provided for under this AGREEMENT.
- l. The Contractor ensures that the grounds, structures, building and furnishings at the program site(s) used under this AGREEMENT are maintained in good repair and free from any danger to health or safety and that any building or structure used for program services complies with all applicable zoning, building, health, sanitary, and fire codes.
- m. The Contractor agrees to produce, and retain for the balance of the calendar year in which produced, and for a period of six years thereafter, any and all records necessary to substantiate upon audit, the proper deposit and expenditure of funds received under this contract. Such records shall include, but not be limited to, original books of entry (e.g., cash disbursements and cash receipts journal), and the following specific records (as applicable) to substantiate the types of expenditures noted:
  - a) Payroll Expenditures: cancelled checks and the related bank statements, time and attendance records, payroll journals, employee personal history folders, and cost allocation plans, if applicable.
  - b) Payroll Taxes and Fringe Benefits: cancelled checks, copies of related bank statements, reporting forms, and invoices for Fringe Benefit expenses.
  - c) Non-Personal Services Expenditures: original invoices/receipts, cancelled checks and related bank statements, consultant agreements, leases, and cost allocation plans, if applicable.
  - d) Receipt and Deposit of Advance and Reimbursements: Itemized bank stamped deposit slips, and a copy of the related bank statements.
  - e) The Contractor agrees that any equipment purchased with funds under this agreement is the property of the Department and will remain with or will be returned to the Department in the event of the termination of this Agreement,

Although not required, the Department recommends that the Contractor retain records directly pertinent to this contract for a period of ten (10) years after the end of the calendar year in which they were made, as the statute of limitations for the New York False Claims Act is ten years.

- n. By signing this contract, the Contractor certifies that within the past three years the Contractor has engaged in no actions that would establish a basis for a finding by the Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor or, if the Contractor has engaged in any such action or actions, that all such actions have been disclosed to the Department prior to entering into this Contract. The actions that would potentially establish a basis for a finding by Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor include:



- The Contractor has had a license or contract suspended, revoked or terminated by a governmental agency.
- The Contractor has had a claim, lien, fine, or penalty imposed or secured against the Contractor by a governmental agency.
- The Contractor has initiated a bankruptcy proceeding or such a proceeding has been initiated against the Contractor
- The Contractor has been issued a citation, notice, or violation order by a governmental agency finding the Contractor to be in violation of any local, state, or federal laws.
- The Contractor has been advised by a governmental agency that a determination to issue a citation, notice or violation order finding the Contractor to be in violation of any local, state or federal laws is pending before a governmental agency
- The contractor has not paid all due and owed local, state and federal taxes to the proper authorities
- The contractor has engaged in any other actions of a similarly serious nature.

Where the Contractor has disclosed any of the above to the Department, Department may require as a condition precedent to entering into the contract that the Contractor agree to such additional conditions as will be necessary to satisfy the Department that the vendor is and will remain a responsible vendor. By signing this contract, the Contractor agrees to comply with any such additional conditions that have been made a part of this contract.

By signing this contract, the contractor also agrees that during the term of the contract, the Contractor will promptly notify the Department if the Contractor engages in any actions that would establish a basis for a finding by Department that the Contractor is a non-responsible vendor, as described above.

- o. By signing this contract, the contractor agrees to comply with State Tax Law section 5-a
- p. Contractors must maintain Workers Compensation Insurance in accordance with the Workers Compensation Law. If a contractor believes they are exempt from the Workers Compensation insurance requirement then they must apply for an exemption. Contractors can apply for the exemption online through the New York State Workers Compensation Board website at:  
[http://www.wcb.state.ny.us/content/ebiz/wc\\_db\\_exemptions/wc\\_db\\_exemptions.jsp](http://www.wcb.state.ny.us/content/ebiz/wc_db_exemptions/wc_db_exemptions.jsp)
- q. All organizations that receive Federal financial assistance under social service programs are prohibited from discriminating against beneficiaries or prospective beneficiaries of the social service programs on the basis of religion or religious belief. Accordingly, organizations, in providing services supported in whole or in part with Federal financial assistance, and in their outreach activities related to such services, are not allowed to discriminate against current or prospective program beneficiaries on the basis of

religion, a religious belief, a refusal to hold a religious belief, or a refusal to attend or participate in a religious practice.

Organizations that engage in explicitly religious activities (including activities that involve overt religious content such as worship, religious instruction, or proselytization) must perform such activities and offer such services outside of programs that are supported with direct Federal financial assistance (including through prime awards or sub-awards), separately in time or location from any such programs or services supported with direct Federal financial assistance, and participation in any such explicitly religious activities must be voluntary for the beneficiaries of the social service program supported with such Federal financial assistance

## REPORTS AND DELIVERABLES

The Contractor shall prepare and submit all reports, documents, and projects required by this AGREEMENT to the Office's Contract Manager for review and approval. These reports shall be in such substance, form, and frequency as required by the Department and as necessary to meet State, Federal and County requirements.

The Contractor shall complete Contract Evaluations as required by the Department as well as Statistical Data as needed by the Department and New York State to meet the reporting requirements.

## CONFIDENTIALITY AND PROTECTION ON HUMAN SUBJECTS

- a. The Contractor agrees to safeguard the confidentiality of financial and/or client information relating to individuals and their families who may receive services in the course of this project. The Contractor shall maintain the confidentiality of all such financial and/or client information with regard to services provided under this AGREEMENT in conformity with the provisions of applicable State, Federal, and County laws and regulations. Any breach of confidentiality by the Contractor, its agents or representatives shall be cause for immediate termination of this AGREEMENT.
- b. Any contractor who will provide goods and/or services to a residential facility or program operated by Department agrees to require all of its employees and volunteers who will have the potential for regular and substantial contact with youth in the care or custody of the Department to sign an Employee Confidentiality Certification and employee Background Certification before any such employees and volunteers are permitted access to youth in the care or custody of the Department and/or any financial and/or client identifiable information concerning such youth. Additionally, Department will require a database check of the State wide Central Register of Child Abuse and Maltreatment (SCR) of each employee and volunteer of the Contractor who has the potential for regular and substantial contract with children in the care or custody of the

Department. Any other Contractor whose employees and volunteers will have access to financial and/or client identifiable information concerning youth in the care or custody of Department agrees to require all such employees and volunteers to sign a Employee Confidentiality Certification before any such employees and volunteers are permitted access to any financial and/or client identifiable information concerning such youth.

- c. Contractor and any subsequent sub-contractor shall not discriminate or refuse assistance to individuals with AIDS or an HIV infection or an HIV - related illness.

The Contractor and any subsequent sub-contractor agrees that their staff to whom confidential HIV - related information may be given as a necessity for providing services and in accordance with 403 of Title 18 NYSDSS regulation and Section 2782 of the Public Health Law are fully informed of the penalties and fines for redisclosure in violations of State Law and Regulations.

The Contractor and any subsequent sub-contractor must include the following written statement when disclosing any confidential HIV - related information.

"This information has been disclosed to you from confidential records which are protected by State Law. State Law prohibits you from making any further disclosure of this information without the specific written consent of the person to whom it pertains, or as otherwise permitted by law. Any unauthorized further disclosure in violation of State Law may result in a fine or jail sentence or both. A general authorization for the release of medical or other information is not sufficient authorization for further disclosure."

- d. All information contained in the Contractors, or it's sub-contractor's files shall be held confidential pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Social Services Law and any State Department Regulations promulgated thereunder, including 18 NY CRR Sec. 357.5 and 423.7, as well as any applicable Federal Laws and any regulations promulgated thereunder and shall not be disclosed except as authorized by law.
- e. The Contractor and all Contract Staff that are subject to the Oneida County computer systems/databases shall complete the Oneida County Department of Social Services Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement provided with this agreement and shall submit forms to the following address:

Oneida County Department of Social Services  
Contract Administration Office, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
800 Park Ave  
Utica, New York, 13501

#### PUBLICATIONS AND COPYRIGHTS

- a. The results of any activity supported under this AGREEMENT may not be published without prior written approval of the Department, which results (1) shall acknowledge the support of the Department and the County and, if funded with Federal funds, the applicable federal funding agency, and (2) shall state that the opinions, results, findings and/or interpretations of data contained therein are the responsibility of the Contractor and do not necessarily represent the opinions, interpretation or policy of the Department or Oneida County.
- b. The Department and Oneida County expressly reserve the right to a royalty-free, non-exclusive and irrevocable license to reproduce, publish, distribute or otherwise use, in perpetuity, any and all copyrighted or copyrightable material resulting from this AGREEMENT or activity supported by this AGREEMENT. All publications by the Contractor covered by this AGREEMENT shall expressly acknowledge the Department's right to such license.
- c. All of the license rights so reserved to the Department and Oneida County under this paragraph are equally reserved to the United States Department of Health and Human Services and subject to the provisions on copyrights contained in 45 CFR 92 if the AGREEMENT is federally funded
- d. The Contractor agrees that at the completion of any scientific or statistical study, report or analysis prepared pursuant to this AGREEMENT, it will provide to the Department at no additional cost a copy of any and all data supporting the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis, together with the name(s) and business address(es) of the principal(s) producing the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis. The Contractor agrees and acknowledges the right of the Department, subject to applicable confidentiality restrictions, to release the name(s) and business address(es) producing the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis, together with a copy of the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis and all data supporting the scientific or statistical study, report or analysis.

#### PATENTS AND INVENTIONS

The Contractor agrees that any all inventions, conceived or first actually reduced to practice in the course of, or under this AGREEMENT, or with monies supplied pursuant to this AGREEMENT, shall be promptly and fully reported to the DEPARTMENT. Determination as to ownership and/or disposition of rights to such inventions, including whether a patent application shall be filed, and if so, the manner of obtaining, administering and disposing of rights under any patent application or patent which may be issued, shall be made pursuant to all applicable law and regulations.

#### TERMINATION

*Rome Police Department  
Child Advocacy Center Participation*

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- a. This AGREEMENT may be terminated by the DEPARTMENT upon thirty (30) days prior written notice to the Contractor. Such notice is to be made by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested or hand delivered with receipt granted by the Contractor. The date of such notice shall be deemed to be the date the notice is received by the contractor established by the receipt returned, if delivery by registered or certified mail, or by the receipt granted by the Contractor, if the notice is delivered by hand. The Department agrees to pay the Contractor for reasonable and appropriate expenses incurred in good faith before the date of termination of this AGREEMENT.
- b. If the Contractor fails to use any real property or equipment purchased pursuant to this AGREEMENT or the Contractor ceases to provide the services specified in the AGREEMENT for which the equipment was purchased, the Department may terminate this AGREEMENT upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor, where the Contractor has failed to cure as set forth hereafter, Said notice of breach and shall be sent by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested, or shall be delivered by hand, receiving Contractor's receipt therefore. Said notice shall specify the Contractor's breach and shall demand that such breach be cured. Upon failure of the Contractor to comply with such demand within thirty (30) days, or such longer period as may be specified therein, the Department may, upon written notice similarly served, immediately terminate this AGREEMENT, termination to be effective upon the date of receipt of such notice established by the receipt returned to the Department. Upon such termination, the Department may require (a) the repayment to the Department of any monies previously paid to the Contractor, or (b) return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of this AGREEMENT or an appropriate combination of (a) and (b), at the Department's option.
- c. To the extent permitted by law, this AGREEMENT shall be deemed in the sole discretion of the Department terminated immediately upon the filing of a petition in bankruptcy or insolvency, by or against the Contractor. Such termination shall be immediate and complete, without termination costs or further obligation by the Department to the Contractor
- d. Should the Department determine that Federal, State or County funds are limited or become unavailable for any reason, the Department may reduce that total amount of funds payable to the Contractor, reduce the contract period or deem this contract terminated immediately. The Department agrees to give notice to the Contractor as soon as it becomes aware that funds are unavailable, in the event of termination under this paragraph. If the initial notice is oral notification, the Department shall follow this up immediately with written notice. The Department will be obligated to pay the Contractor only for the expenditures made and obligations incurred by the

Contractor until such time as notice of termination is received either orally or in writing by the Contractor from the Department.

- e. The Contractor shall provide to the Department such information as is required by the Department in order that the Department may determine whether the Contractor is a responsible vendor for purposes of compliance with section 163 of the State Finance Law and requirements of the Department. If there is any change in any of the vendor responsibility information provided to the Department by the Contractor at any time during the term of this Agreement, the Contractor shall be required to immediately notify the Department so that the Department may assess whether the Contractor continues to be a responsible vendor. Should the Contractor fail to notify the Department of any change in the vendor responsibility information or should the Department otherwise determine that the Contractor has ceased to be a responsible vendor for the purposes of this AGREEMENT, the Department may terminate this AGREEMENT upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor. Said notice of termination shall be sent by way of registered or certified mail return receipt requested, or shall be delivered by hand, receiving Contractor's receipt therefore. Said notice shall specify the reason(s) that the Contractor has been found to no longer be a responsible vendor.

Upon determination that the Contractor is no longer a responsible vendor the Department may, in its discretion and as an alternative to termination pursuant to this paragraph, notify the contractor of the determination that the Contractor has ceased to be a responsible vendor and set forth the corrective action that will be required of the Contractor to maintain the contract. Should the Contractor fail to comply with the required corrective action within thirty (30) days of the date of notification, or such longer period as may be specified therein, the Department may, upon written notice similarly served, immediately terminate this AGREEMENT, termination to be effective upon the date of receipt of such notice established by the receipt returned to the Department. Upon such termination, the Department may require (a) the repayment to the Department of any monies previously paid to the Contractor, (b) return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of this AGREEMENT, or an appropriate combination of (a) and (b) at the Department's option.

#### CONTRACTOR COMPLIANCE

The Contractor agrees to provide an Annual Certification pertaining to this Contract as part of the Contractor's Annual Independent audit.

The Department shall have the right to audit or review the Contractor's performance and operations as related to this AGREEMENT, or has abused or misused funds paid to the contractor, or if the Contractor has violated or is in non-compliance with any term of any

other AGREEMENT with the Department, or has abused or misused funds paid to the Contractor under any other AGREEMENT with the Department, the rights of the Department shall include, but not be limited to :

- Recovery of any funds expended in violation of the AGREEMENT;
- Suspension of Payments
- Termination of the AGREEMENT; and/or
- Employment of another entity to fulfill the requirements of the AGREEMENT.

The Contractor shall be liable for all reasonable costs incurred on account thereof, including payment of any cost differential for employing such entity. The Contractor will assist the Department in transferring the operation of the Contracted services to any other entity selected by the Department in a manner that will enable the Department or clients to continue to receive services in an on-going basis, including, but not limited to , notifying clients of the new entity to which the services will be transferred and the effective date of the transfer, providing the new entity promptly and at no charge with a complete copy of the clients' and all other records necessary to continue the provision of the transferred services, and transferring any equipment purchased with funds provided under this AGREEMENT.

Nothing herein shall preclude the Department from taking actions otherwise available to it under law.

The Contractor agrees to cooperate fully with any audit or investigation the Department or any agent of the Department may conduct and to provide access during normal business hours to any and all information necessary to perform its audit or investigation. The Contractor shall also allow the Department, and any representatives specifically directed by the Department to take possession of all books, records and documents relating to this AGREEMENT without prior notice to the Contractor. The Department will return all such books, records and documents to the Contractor upon completion the official purposes for which they were taken.

The Contractor agrees that all AGREEMENTS between the Contractor and a subcontractor or consultants for the performance of any obligations under the AGREEMENT will be by written contract (subcontract) which will contain provisions including, but not limited to, the above specified rights of the Department.

## FISCAL SANCTION

In accordance with the Department, contractors may be placed on fiscal sanction when the Department identifies any of the following issues:

- The Contractor has received an advance, overpayment or other funds under this or another agreement that has not been refunded to the Department within the established timeframe;
- An Department or other audit identifies significant fiscal irregularities and/or that funds are due to the Department
- The Contractor has not provided satisfactory services as required under the terms of this or another Department agreement;
- The Contractor has not provided fiscal or program reports as required under the terms of this or another Department agreement;
- A Department, County, State or Federal prosecutorial or investigative agency identifies possible criminal activity, or significant fiscal or programmatic irregularities on the part of the Contractor;
- The Contractor is not in compliance with State, Federal, or County statutes or regulations, or applicable Department guidelines, policies and/or procedures; or
- Unsafe physical conditions exist at a program site operated by the Contractor and funded under an agreement with the Department

Once the Contractor has been placed on Fiscal Sanction, payments on all open contracts and any new awards, amendments or contract renewals will not be processed until the issues have been satisfactorily resolved. The contractor will be notified in advance of any proposed Fiscal sanction and will be provided a timeframe within which the issues must be resolved in order to avoid Fiscal Sanction. Issues that are not resolved within the timeframe established by the Department may be referred to the Attorney General (AG) for collection of legal action. If a contract is referred to the AG a collection fee will be added to the amount owed. In addition, interest will be due on any amount not paid in accordance with the timeframes established by the AG. The contractor will remain on Fiscal Sanction until the amount owed, including any collection fee and interest is paid.

#### ADDITIONAL ASSURANCES

- a. The Department and Contractor agree that Contractor is an independent contractor, and not in any way deemed to be an employee of the Department or County of Oneida for any purpose including, but not limited to, claims for unemployment insurance, workers compensation, retirement or health benefits. The Contractor agrees to defend and indemnify the Department and/or Oneida County for any loss the Department and/or Oneida County may suffer when such losses result from claims of any person or organization injured by the negligent acts or omissions of Contractor, its officers and/or employees or subcontractors. Furthermore, the Contractor agrees to indemnify, defend, and save harmless the Department and/or Oneida County, and its officers, agents, and employees from any and all claims and losses occurring or resulting from any and all contractors, subcontractors, and any other person, firm, or corporation furnishing or supplying work, services, materials, or supplies in connection with the performance of



the contract, and from all claims and losses occurring or resulting to any person, firm, or corporation who may be injured or damaged by the Contractor in the performance of the contract, and against any liability, including costs and expenses, for violation of proprietary rights, copyrights, or rights of privacy, arising out of the publication, translation, reproduction, delivery, performance, or use, or disposition of any data furnished under the contract or based on any libelous or other unlawful matter contained in such data or written materials in any form produced pursuant to the contract.

- b. The Contractor, if a municipal corporation, represents that it is a self-insured entity. If a not-for-profit Corporation or entity other than a self-insured municipal Corporation, the Contractor agrees to obtain and maintain in effect a general policy of liability insurance in an amount not less than one million dollars (\$ 1,000,000) per incident and not less than three million (\$ 3,000,000) aggregate. The Contractor agrees that it will require any and all Subcontractors with whom it subcontracts pursuant to this contract to obtain and maintain a general policy of liability insurance in an amount not less than one million dollars (\$ 1,000,000) per incident and not less than three million (\$3,000,000) aggregate. The Contractor further agrees to procure and maintain in force, for the duration of this Agreement, insurance in types and in the amounts as determined by the Department. Such coverage must be identified and entered upon a Standard Insurance Certificate or its acceptable substitute and be signed by the Contractor's Agency's insurance company, agent or broker.

The Contractor agrees that it will, at its own expense, at all times during the term of this agreement, maintain in force a policy of insurance which will insure against liability for property damage and/or injury/death with regard to any property of persons. The liability and property damage coverage of such insurance shall not be less than One Million dollars (\$ 1,000,000) per incident and not less than three million (\$3,000,000) aggregate. The Contractor agrees to have the Department and Oneida County added to said insurance policies as named additional insured, on a primary, non-contributory basis, as their interest may appear, and to provide the Department and/or Oneida County with a certificate from said insurance company, or companies, showing coverage as herein before required, such certification to show the Department and the Oneida County as additional insureds and to provide that such coverage shall not be terminated without written prior notice to the to the Department and/or Oneida County of at least thirty (30) days.

The Contractor further agrees that the Department has the right to take whatever action it deems appropriate, including, but not limited to, the removal of the Contractor from the rotation list, the removal of clients, the cessation of client referrals, and termination of this Agreement, if the Contractor fails to submit a completed and signed Standard Insurance Certificate or its acceptable substitute, which is subsequently approved by the Oneida County Department of Law, prior to the expiration of its insurance coverage.

## RENEWAL NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Options to renew the contract are at the discretion of the Department, which shall supply written notice of such renewal or termination within 30 days of the expiration date. The Commissioner of Social Services reserves the right to evaluate the job performance and availability of funding.

## COMPLIANCE WITH LAW

The Contractor represents and agrees to comply with the requirements of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 as amended, the Age Discrimination Employment Act of 1964 as amended, the Federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973 as amended, and Executive Order No. 11246, entitled "Equal Employment Opportunity" as amended by Executive Order No. 11375 and as supplemented in Department of Labor Relations, 41CFR Part 60.

The Contractor also agrees to comply with Federal and State Laws as supplemented in the Dept. of Labor regulations and any other regulations of the Federal and State entities relating to such employment and Civil Rights requirements.

As a mandated reporting agency, all instances of suspected child abuse, neglect and/or maltreatment, will be reported to the Central Registry as required by law. These verbal reports will be followed by submission of completed 2221A to the local Department of Social Services. The family will be informed in advance of the Agency's decision to file a report with the Central Register.

The Contractor attest they have not been debarred by the Federal Government from contracting to provide services funded by any Federal money.

The obligations of the parties hereunder are conditioned upon the continued availability of Federal and/or New York State Funds for the purposes set forth in this Agreement.

Should funds become unavailable or should appropriate Federal or New York State officials fail to approve sufficient funds for completion of the services or programs set forth in this Agreement, the Department shall have the option to immediately terminate this Agreement upon providing written notice to the Contractor. In such an event, the Department shall be under no further obligation to the Contractor other than payment for costs actually incurred prior to termination and in no event will the Department be responsible for any actual or consequential damages as a result of termination.

This Agreement contains all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties. All items incorporated by reference are to be attached. No other understandings, oral or otherwise, regarding the subject matter of this Agreement, shall be deemed to exist or to bind any of the parties hereto.



**Oneida County Department of Social Services  
Contractor and Contract Staff  
Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement**

I, the undersigned, an employee of \_\_\_\_\_, (the  
Name of Contract Agency

“Service Provider”), hereby state that I understand and agree that all information provided to the Service Provider from the Oneida County Department of Social Services staff by paper copies, computer systems or databases, electronic communication or otherwise obtained pursuant to the Agreement entered between the Oneida County Department of Social Services and the Service Provider indicated above, is CONFIDENTIAL, is to be used only for the purposes of performing services required by the Agreement, and must be safeguarded from unauthorized disclosure.

I further understand that such information includes, but is not limited to, any and all information regarding parents or guardians and their children, and all employment, financial, and personal identifying data, including Protected Health Information (PHI) as set forth in HIPAA regulations.

I agree to maintain all such information as CONFIDENTIAL, and I agree to use such information only in the performance of my official duties to perform the functions required by the Agreement, unless otherwise authorized in writing by the Department of Social Services.

I understand that confidential information maintained in and/or obtained from systems/databases such as, but not limited to the Welfare Management system (WMS), Child Support Management System (CSMS/ASSETS), Benefits Issuance Control System (BICS), COGNOS, and Connections are protected by Federal and State statutes and regulations. Access and disclosure of confidential information is strictly limited to authorized employees and legally designated agents, for authorized purposes only in the delivery of program services.

I understand that service providers may not access their own active, closed or archived records or those involving a relative, friend, acquaintance, neighbor, partner or co-worker or other individuals to whom they have no official assignment.

I understand that if my employment is terminated by resignation, retirement or for other reasons or the Service Provider Contract is not renewed, the terms of this Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement are still binding.

I understand that if I disclose CONFIDENTIAL information in violation of the requirements stated herein, any individual who incurs damages due to the disclosure may recover such damage in a civil action.

I understand that, in addition to any other penalties provided by law, any person who willfully releases or willfully permits the release of any CONFIDENTIAL information as described herein to persons or agencies not authorized under New York State law to receive it shall be guilty of a class A misdemeanor.

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Witness: \_\_\_\_\_

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**ADDENDUM**

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this 1st day of January, 2015, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as COUNTY, and a contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third-party, hereinafter known as CONTRACTOR.

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CONTRACTOR have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which COUNTY is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

**1. Executor or Non-Appropriation Clause.**

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

**2. Oneida County Board of Legislators: Resolution #249 Solid Waste Disposal Requirements.**

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislator Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

**3. Certification Regarding Lobbying; Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters; and Drug-Free Workplace Requirements.**

a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:

1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an

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- officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, and officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any Federal Grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal grant or cooperative agreement.
2. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
  3. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,
1. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
    - a. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
    - b. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract 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 contracts 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 indicated or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government 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 Contract had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) for cause or default; and
  2. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.
- c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

1. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:
  - a. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
  - b. Establishing an on-going drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:
    1. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
    2. The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
    3. Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
    4. The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;
  - c. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a);
  - d. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:
    1. Abide by the terms of the statement; and
    2. Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;
  - e. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (d)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position title, to: Director Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.
  - f. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted;
    1. Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the Requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
    2. Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;
  - g. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (a),(b),(c),(d),(e),(f).

2. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.  
Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F. for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

1. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and
2. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to: Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

**4. Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).**

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:

1. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
2. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
3. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to filing cabinets, and locks on drawers, cabinets, and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.



- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:
1. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
  2. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.
- c. The Contractor shall:
1. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
  2. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
  3. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
  4. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
  5. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.524;
  6. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
  7. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
  8. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
  9. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County that the Contractor still maintains in any form and retain no copies of such information or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.
- d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:
1. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;

2. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  3. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

**5. Non-Assignment Clause.**

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and attempts to do so are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

**6. Worker's Compensation Benefits.**

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

**7. Non-Discrimination Requirements.**

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or

intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

#### **8. Wage and Hours Provisions.**

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

#### **9. Non-Collusive Bidding Certification.**

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor affirms, under penalty of perjury, that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

#### **10. Records.**

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails and attachments, rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection,

auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute") provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

#### **11. Identifying Information and Privacy Notification.**

a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. The number is any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payees, on its invoice or claim for payment, must give the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.

b. Privacy Notification. (1) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (2) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

#### **12. Conflicting Terms.**

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

#### **13. Governing Law.**

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal supremacy clause requires otherwise.

**14. Prohibition on Purchase of Tropical Hardwoods.**

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the County.

**15. Compliance with New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act.**

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

**16. Gratuities and Kickbacks.**

a. Gratuities. It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request, influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard, rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application, request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

**17. Audit**

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a Federal financial assistance program from a Federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

**18. Certification of compliance with the Iran Divestment Act.**

Pursuant Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each Bidder/Contractor, any person signing on behalf of any Bidder/Contractor and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (OGS) website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each Bidder/Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the Bidder/Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any Bidder/Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a Bidder/Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he/she/it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be

appropriate including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the Bidder/Contractor in default.

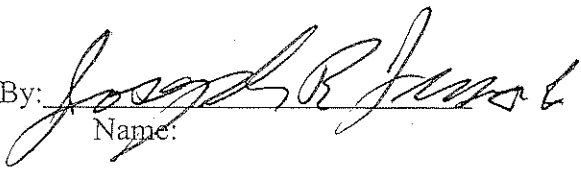
The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a Bidder/Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any Bidder/Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have signed this document on the day and year first above written.

**County of Oneida**

**Contractor**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

By:  \_\_\_\_\_  
Name:

Oneida County Executive

Approved as to Form only

\_\_\_\_\_

Oneida County Attorney

Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
County Executive



John P. Talerico  
Commissioner

ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL  
OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER

County Office Building ♦ 800 Park Avenue ♦ Utica, New York 13501-2986  
Phone: (315) 798-5725 ♦ Fax: (315) 798-6490  
E-Mail: labor@ocgov.net

March 25, 2015

Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica New York 13501

FN 20 15-179

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES  
WAYS & MEANS

Dear County Executive Picente:

I am in receipt of correspondence from Commissioner of Social Services Lucille Soldato requesting the creation of a new position within the Department of Social Services. Her justification letter is attached. I have reviewed the New Position Duties Statement and determined the appropriate title to be Deputy Commissioner of Social Services-Administration. I have added the title to the Oneida County Classification Plan and have attached the adopted job specification. I am recommending the salary for this title be set at Grade 38 M Step 1 \$53,659.

If you concur, please forward this letter to the Board of Legislators and ask that they: 1) set the salary for the title Deputy Commissioner of Social Services-Administration at Grade 38 M \$53,659 and , 2) create the new position of Deputy Commissioner of Social Services-Administration.

Sincerely,

John P Talerico  
Commissioner

CC L Soldato

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 4/6/15



*Anthony J. Picente Jr.*  
*County Executive*

*Lucille A. Soldato*  
*Commissioner*



*Oneida County Department of Social Services*  
*Office of Commissioner Lucille A. Soldato*  
*County Office Building*  
*800 Park Ave.*  
*Utica, NY 13501*


March 23, 2015

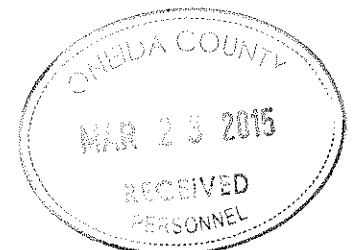
John Talerico  
Commissioner of Personnel  
Oneida County  
800 Park Ave  
Utica N.Y. 13501

Dear Mr. Talerico:

I am requesting the creation of a Deputy Commissioner of Social Services Administration within the Dept. of Social Services. The Dept. of Social Services as one of the largest departments in County government is in need of expertise in personnel management specifically in staff development, trainings, recruitment and retention of staff. This position could serve as a resource to the department's directors in their specific program areas in hiring, discipline, promotions and organizational structure. This position could also serve as a tool to provide an evaluation as to the functioning of the more than nine divisions within social services and offer recommendations to improve, coordinate and consolidate that functioning where possible. This position would allow both myself as Commissioner and the Deputy Commissioner to be able to concentrate on program development, best practices and to work proactively with the community to develop new responses, structures or programming in areas of need.

Sincerely,

  
Lucille Soldato  
Commissioner  
Oneida County Dept. of Social Services



Civil Division: Oneida County Government  
Jurisdictional Class: Pending Jurisdictional Classification  
EEO Category: Officials/Administrators  
Adopted: 03/24/15

**DEPUTY COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SERVICES- ADMINISTRATION**

**DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS:** This is a high level administrative position responsible for the development, coordination and implementation of staff development and training programs, as well as a comprehensive personnel program that will develop and maintain an effective, high functioning work force to successfully carry out the department's goals and ensure the highest level quality service to the clients. Under the general direction of the Commissioner, an incumbent in this class exercises considerable latitude for the exercise of initiative and independent judgment in the formulation of local policies and procedures to affect the agency's goal. In the absence of the Commissioner, may have direction over personnel and may act as the Commissioner's representative in public presentations or meetings concerning personnel/staff development issues. Supervision is exercised over the work of all subordinate professional, technical and clerical staff. The incumbent performs related work as required.

**TYPICAL WORK ACTIVITIES:** (Illustrative Only)

- Develops and supervises a comprehensive administrative program to include the areas of personnel policy and procedures management consistent with current State and Federal laws, regulations and administrative guidelines and has responsibility for interpreting and enforcing them within the Department of Social Services;
- Develops and supervises recruitment and selection, making hiring recommendations;
- Oversees program development and formulation of department policy for the administrative and staff development functions of the department;
- Establishes the procedures and guidelines within which program staff operates to ensure delivery of services and to achieve the agency goals;
- Assists in the development and implementation of departmental programs, policies and procedures;
- Assists in formulating, developing and administering policies and procedures for administration to meet operational needs;
- Oversees the organization and administration of a comprehensive and effective staff development program, including in-service training and appropriate use of other educational resources;
- Cooperates with representatives of the State Department of Social Services in the operation and development of the local Social Services district program, and directs the preparation and submission of the required reports to the State;
- Conducts public relations for the social services district;
- Meets regularly with program managers to assist them in the area of personnel management and to address changes or problems in the organizational structure;
- Makes feasibility studies of administrative changes to improve operations;

continued...

**TYPICAL WORK ACTIVITIES:** (continued)

Assists in resolution of complaints and inquiries registered by the public regarding department program and policies;  
Adapts Federal and State guidelines and mandates for agency use;  
Prepares reports and analyses of agency operations;  
Represents the Commissioner at meetings with public officials and community groups;  
Acts for the Commissioner in his/her absence.

**FULL PERFORMANCE KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, ABILITIES AND PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS:**

Thorough knowledge of modern principles and practices of public administration; thorough knowledge of Federal, State and local public welfare laws, rules and regulations; thorough knowledge of the management of staff development and training programs; thorough knowledge of the department organization as it relates to its established goals, service delivery, staff development and personnel needs; good knowledge of the administration of recruitment and training and education programs; ability to gather and evaluate information to identify and resolve personnel problems; ability to make decisions quickly and independently; ability to coordinate the work of others and to establish effective working relationships; ability to plan and direct the activities of subordinates in a manner conducive to full performance; ability to plan, direct and evaluate programs; ability to express ideas clearly both orally and in writing; ability to compile, analyze, and interpret statistical data related to social welfare administration; ability to prepare complex written and oral reports clearly and concisely; ability to establish and maintain cooperative relations with the public and other governmental and private agencies; initiative; resourcefulness; good judgment.

**MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:** Either:

- (A) Graduation from a regionally accredited or New York State registered college or university with a Master's Degree in Business Administration or Public Administration **AND** four (4) years of administrative experience with day-to-day office operations, relative to human resource policy oversight and analysis; **AND** three (3) years of supervisory experience; **OR**
- (B) Graduation from a regionally accredited or New York State registered college or university with a Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration or Public Administration **AND** five (5) years of administrative experience with day-to-day office operations, relative to human resource policy oversight and analysis; **AND** three (3) years of supervisory experience.

# ONEIDA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Adirondack Bank Building, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, 185 Genesee St., Utica, NY 13501

ANTHONY J. PICENTE, JR.  
ONEIDA COUNTY EXECUTIVE



PHYLLIS D. ELLIS, BSN, MS, F.A.C.H.E.  
DIRECTOR OF HEALTH

## EARLY INTERVENTION PROGRAM

Phone: (315) 798-5249 Fax: (315) 731-3491

March 5, 2015

Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
County Executive  
Oneida County Office Building  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

FN 20 15-180  
HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

### WAYS & MEANS

Dear Mr. Picente:

Local governments have the responsibility for administering the Early Intervention Program subject to regulations of the Commissioner of Health, Subpart 69-4 of subchapter H of Charter II of Title 10 (Health) of the Official Compilation of Codes, Rules and Regulations of the State of New York.

Enclosed please find six (6) copies of an Agreement between the New York State Department of Health and the Oneida County Health Department, Early Intervention Program for administering the Early Intervention Program for the period October 1, 2014 through September 30, 2015 in the amount of \$93,789.

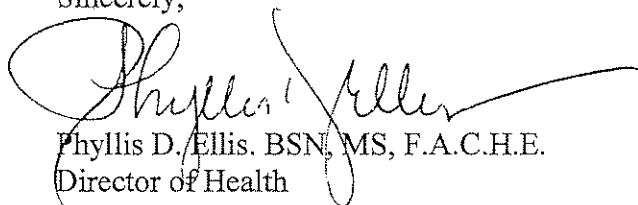
The Health Department will receive administrative funds to offset costs incurred in the implementation of the Early Intervention Program. The Grant is 100% state-funded.

The agreement was received by the Health Department from NYSDOH on 1/22/2015 and has been under review by the law department prior to being sent to your office for approval.

Please contact me if you have any questions or require additional information.

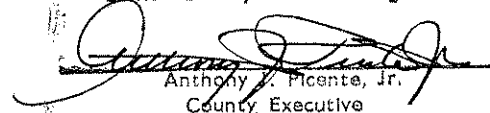
NOTE: NYS Department of Health requires TWO original signed and notarized signature pages be returned to them along with two copies of the contract and all appendices.

Sincerely,

  
Phyllis D. Ellis, BSN, MS, F.A.C.H.E.  
Director of Health

PDE/tp  
Enclosures

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 4/6/15

**CONTRACT SUMMARY SHEET - ONEIDA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT**

**DIVISION:** Early Intervention A4059

**NAME AND ADDRESS OF VENDOR:** NYS Department of Health  
Bureau of Early Intervention  
ESP Corning Tower, Room 287  
Albany, NY 12237

**VENDOR CONTACT PERSON:** Cori Lewis, Health Program Administrator

**DESCRIPTION OF CONTRACT:** Local governments have the responsibility for administering the Early Intervention Program subject to regulations of the Commissioner of Health, Subpart 69-4 of subchapter H of Charter II of Title 10 (Health) of the Official Compilation of Codes, Rules and Regulations of the State of New York. Administrative funds are provided to all municipalities to offset costs incurred in the implementation of the Early Intervention Program.

**CLIENT POPULATION SERVED:** The Early Intervention Program is a NYSDOH program that provides many different types of services to infants and toddlers ages 0 through 2 years of age with disabilities.

The services available to all eligible Early Intervention children are: audiology, speech pathology, physical therapy, occupational therapy, and vision service. Services are provided by qualified professionals through: Home and community-based visits, facility or center-based visits, parent-child groups, family support groups, or group developmental intervention.

**PREVIOUS CONTRACT: one (1) YEAR: October 1, 2013 through September 30, 2014**

**GRANT AMOUNT:** \$93,789

**THIS CONTRACT: one (1) YEAR: October 1, 2014 through September 30, 2015**

**GRANT AMOUNT:** \$93,789

           **NEW**               **X** **RENEWAL**                   **AMENDMENT**

Contract to Exceed \$50,000.00? Yes        **X**            No           

**SIGNATURE:** Patricia Meyer, Director of Early Intervention        **DATE:** March 5, 2015

**STATE OF NEW YORK MASTER CONTRACT FOR GRANTS FACE PAGE**

<p>STATE AGENCY (Name &amp; Address):</p> <p>New York State Department of Health          Bureau of Early Intervention          ESP Corning Tower, Room 287          Albany, New York 12237</p>	<p>BUSINESS UNIT/DEPT. ID: DOH01/3450000</p> <p>CONTRACT NUMBER: C027494</p> <p>CONTRACT TYPE:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Multi-Year Agreement  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Simplified Renewal Agreement  <input type="checkbox"/> Fixed Term Agreement</p>
<p>CONTRACTOR SFS PAYEE NAME:</p> <p>Oneida County of</p>	<p>TRANSACTION TYPE:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> New  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Renewal  <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment</p>
<p>CONTRACTOR DOS INCORPORATED NAME:</p>	<p>PROJECT NAME:</p> <p>Early Intervention Administration</p>
<p>CONTRACTOR IDENTIFICATION NUMBERS:</p> <p>NYS Vendor ID Number: 1000002595          Federal Tax ID Number: 156000460          DUNS Number (if applicable): 075814186</p>	<p>AGENCY IDENTIFIER:</p> <p>CFDA NUMBER (Federally Funded Grants Only):</p> <p>84.181</p>
<p>CONTRACTOR PRIMARY MAILING ADDRESS:</p> <p>Oneida County Department of Health          185 Genesee Street          Utica, New York 13501</p> <p>CONTRACTOR PAYMENT ADDRESS:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Check if same as primary mailing address</p> <p>Oneida County of          800 Park Avenue          Utica, New York 13501</p> <p>CONTRACT MAILING ADDRESS:</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check if same as primary mailing address</p>	<p>CONTRACTOR STATUS:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> For Profit  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Municipality, Code:300100000000.00  <input type="checkbox"/> Tribal Nation  <input type="checkbox"/> Individual  <input type="checkbox"/> Not-for-Profit</p> <p>Charities Registration Number:</p> <p>Exemption Status/Code: EPTL#3&amp;7A#15</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Sectarian Entity</p>

Contract Number: # C027494

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Master Grant Contract, Face Page

**STATE OF NEW YORK MASTER CONTRACT FOR GRANTS FACE PAGE**

<p><b>CURRENT CONTRACT TERM:</b> From: 10/01/2011      To: 09/30/2016</p> <p><b>CURRENT CONTRACT PERIOD:</b> From: 10/01/2014      To: 09/30/2015</p> <p><b>AMENDED TERM:</b> From:                      To:</p> <p><b>AMENDED PERIOD:</b> From:                      To:</p>	<p><b>CONTRACT FUNDING AMOUNT</b> <i>(Multi-year - enter total projected amount of the contract; Fixed Term/Simplified Renewal - enter current period amount):</i></p> <p>CURRENT: \$ 93,789</p> <p>AMENDED:</p> <p>FUNDING SOURCE(S)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Federal <input type="checkbox"/> Other</p>
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*FOR MULTI-YEAR AGREEMENTS ONLY - CONTRACT PERIOD AND FUNDING AMOUNT:*  
(Out years represent projected funding amounts)

#	CURRENT PERIOD	CURRENT AMOUNT	AMENDED PERIOD	AMENDED AMOUNT
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				

**ATTACHMENTS PART OF THIS AGREEMENT:**

- Attachment A:
  - A-1 Program Specific Terms and Conditions
  - A-2 Federally Funded Grants
  
- Attachment B:
  - B-1 Expenditure Based Budget
  - B-2 Performance Based Budget
  - B-3 Capital Budget
  - B-1(A) Expenditure Based Budget (Amendment)
  - B-2(A) Performance Based Budget (Amendment)
  - B-3(A) Capital Budget (Amendment)
  
- Attachment C: Work Plan
- Attachment D: Payment and Reporting Schedule
- Other: Project Specific Reporting Requirements

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereto have executed or approved this Master Contract on the dates below their signatures.

CONTRACTOR:

Oneida County of

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.

Printed Name

Title: Oneida County Executive

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

STATE AGENCY:

New York State Department of Health

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Bradley Hutton

Printed Name

Title: Director, Center for Community Health

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

STATE OF NEW YORK

County of \_\_\_\_\_

On the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, before me personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_, to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that he/she resides at \_\_\_\_\_, that he/she is the \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_, the contractor described herein which executed the foregoing instrument; and that he/she signed his/her name thereto as authorized by the contractor named on the face page of this Master Contract.

(Notary) \_\_\_\_\_

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S SIGNATURE ,

STATE COMPTROLLER'S SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name

Printed Name

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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



**STATE OF NEW YORK  
MASTER CONTRACT FOR GRANTS**

This State of New York Master Contract for Grants (Master Contract) is hereby made by and between the State of New York acting by and through the applicable State Agency (State) and the public or private entity (Contractor) identified on the face page hereof (Face Page).

**WITNESSETH:**

**WHEREAS**, the State has the authority to regulate and provide funding for the establishment and operation of program services, design or the execution and performance of construction projects, as applicable and desires to contract with skilled parties possessing the necessary resources to provide such services or work, as applicable; and

**WHEREAS**, the Contractor is ready, willing and able to provide such program services or the execution and performance of construction projects and possesses or can make available all necessary qualified personnel, licenses, facilities and expertise to perform or have performed the services or work, as applicable, required pursuant to the terms of the Master Contract;

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the promises, responsibilities, and covenants herein, the State and the Contractor agree as follows:

**STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

**I. GENERAL PROVISIONS**

**A. Executory Clause:** In accordance with Section 41 of the State Finance Law, the State shall have no liability under the Master Contract to the Contractor, or to anyone else, beyond funds appropriated and available for the Master Contract.

**B. Required Approvals:** In accordance with Section 112 of the State Finance Law (or, if the Master Contract is with the State University of New York (SUNY) or City University of New York (CUNY), Section 355 or Section 6218 of the Education Law), if the Master Contract exceeds \$50,000 (or \$85,000 for contracts let by the Office of General Services, or the minimum thresholds agreed to by the Office of the State Comptroller (OSC) for certain SUNY and CUNY contracts), or if this is an amendment for any amount to a contract which, as so amended, exceeds said statutory amount including, but not limited to, changes in amount, consideration, scope or contract term identified on the Face Page (Contract Term), it shall not be valid, effective or binding upon the State until it has been approved by, and filed with, the New York Attorney General Contract Approval Unit (AG) and OSC. If, by the Master Contract, the State agrees to give something other than money when the value or reasonably estimated value of such consideration exceeds \$10,000, it shall not be valid, effective or binding upon the State until it has been approved by, and filed with, the AG and OSC.

**Budget Changes:** An amendment that would result in a transfer of funds among program activities or budget cost categories that does not affect the amount, consideration, scope or other terms of such contract may be subject to the approval of the AG and OSC where the amount of such modification is, as a portion of the total value of the contract, equal to or greater than ten percent for contracts of less than five million dollars, or five percent for contracts of more than

five million dollars; and, in addition, such amendment may be subject to prior approval by the applicable State Agency as detailed in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

**C. Order of Precedence:**

In the event of a conflict among (i) the terms of the Master Contract (including any and all attachments and amendments) or (ii) between the terms of the Master Contract and the original request for proposal, the program application or other attachment that was completed and executed by the Contractor in connection with the Master Contract, the order of precedence is as follows:

1. Standard Terms and Conditions
2. Modifications to the Face Page
3. Modifications to Attachment A-2<sup>1</sup>, Attachment B, Attachment C and Attachment D
4. The Face Page
5. Attachment A-2<sup>2</sup>, Attachment B, Attachment C and Attachment D
6. Modification to Attachment A-1
7. Attachment A-1
8. Other attachments, including, but not limited to, the request for proposal or program application

**D. Funding:** Funding for the term of the Master Contract shall not exceed the amount specified as “Contract Funding Amount” on the Face Page or as subsequently revised to reflect an approved renewal or cost amendment. Funding for the initial and subsequent periods of the Master Contract shall not exceed the applicable amounts specified in the applicable Attachment B form (Budget).

**E. Contract Performance:** The Contractor shall perform all services or work, as applicable, and comply with all provisions of the Master Contract to the satisfaction of the State. The Contractor shall provide services or work, as applicable, and meet the program objectives summarized in Attachment C (Work Plan) in accordance with the provisions of the Master Contract, relevant laws, rules and regulations, administrative, program and fiscal guidelines, and where applicable, operating certificate for facilities or licenses for an activity or program.

**F. Modifications:** To modify the Attachments or Face Page, the parties mutually agree to record, in writing, the terms of such modification and to revise or complete the Face Page and all the appropriate attachments in conjunction therewith. In addition, to the extent that such modification meets the criteria set forth in Section I.B herein, it shall be subject to the approval of the AG and

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<sup>1</sup> To the extent that the modifications to Attachment A-2 are required by federal requirements and conflict with other provisions of the Master Contract, the modifications to Attachment A-2 shall supersede all other provisions of this Master Contract. See Section I(V).

<sup>2</sup> To the extent that the terms of Attachment A-2 are required by federal requirements and conflict with other provisions of the Master Contract, the federal requirements of Attachment A-2 shall supersede all other provisions of this Master Contract. See Section I(V).

OSC before it shall become valid, effective and binding upon the State. Modifications that are not subject to the AG and OSC approval shall be processed in accordance with the guidelines stated in the Master Contract.

**G. Governing Law:** The Master Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal Supremacy Clause requires otherwise.

**H. Severability:** Any provision of the Master Contract that is held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any respect by a court of competent jurisdiction, shall be ineffective only to the extent of such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability, without affecting in any way the remaining provisions hereof; provided, however, that the parties to the Master Contract shall attempt in good faith to reform the Master Contract in a manner consistent with the intent of any such ineffective provision for the purpose of carrying out such intent. If any provision is held void, invalid or unenforceable with respect to particular circumstances, it shall nevertheless remain in full force and effect in all other circumstances.

**I. Interpretation:** The headings in the Master Contract are inserted for convenience and reference only and do not modify or restrict any of the provisions herein. All personal pronouns used herein shall be considered to be gender neutral. The Master Contract has been made under the laws of the State of New York, and the venue for resolving any disputes hereunder shall be in a court of competent jurisdiction of the State of New York.

**J. Notice:**

1. All notices, except for notices of termination, shall be in writing and shall be transmitted either:
  - a) by certified or registered United States mail, return receipt requested;
  - b) by facsimile transmission;
  - c) by personal delivery;
  - d) by expedited delivery service; or
  - e) by e-mail.
2. Notices to the State shall be addressed to the Program Office designated in Attachment A-1 (Program Specific Terms and Conditions).
3. Notices to the Contractor shall be addressed to the Contractor's designee as designated in Attachment A-1 (Program Specific Terms and Conditions).
4. Any such notice shall be deemed to have been given either at the time of personal delivery or, in the case of expedited delivery service or certified or registered United States mail, as of the date of first attempted delivery at the address and in the manner provided herein, or in the case of facsimile transmission or e-mail, upon receipt.
5. The parties may, from time to time, specify any new or different e-mail address, facsimile

number or address in the United States as their address for purpose of receiving notice under the Master Contract by giving fifteen (15) calendar days prior written notice to the other party sent in accordance herewith. The parties agree to mutually designate individuals as their respective representatives for the purposes of receiving notices under the Master Contract. Additional individuals may be designated in writing by the parties for purposes of implementation, administration, billing and resolving issues and/or disputes.

**K. Service of Process:** In addition to the methods of service allowed by the State Civil Practice Law & Rules (CPLR), Contractor hereby consents to service of process upon it by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested. Service hereunder shall be complete upon Contractor's actual receipt of process or upon the State's receipt of the return thereof by the United States Postal Service as refused or undeliverable. Contractor must promptly notify the State, in writing, of each and every change of address to which service of process can be made. Service by the State to the last known address shall be sufficient. The Contractor shall have thirty (30) calendar days after service hereunder is complete in which to respond.

**L. Set-Off Rights:** The State shall have all of its common law, equitable, and statutory rights of set-off. These rights shall include, but not be limited to, the State's option to withhold, for the purposes of set-off, any moneys due to the Contractor under the Master Contract up to any amounts due and owing to the State with regard to the Master Contract, any other contract with any State department or agency, including any contract for a term commencing prior to the term of the Master Contract, plus any amounts due and owing to the State for any other reason including, without limitation, tax delinquencies, fee delinquencies, or monetary penalties relative thereto. The State shall exercise its set-off rights in accordance with normal State practices including, in cases of set-off pursuant to an audit, the finalization of such audit by the State Agency, its representatives, or OSC.

**M. Indemnification:** The Contractor shall be solely responsible and answerable in damages for any and all accidents and/or injuries to persons (including death) or property arising out of or related to the services to be rendered by the Contractor or its subcontractors pursuant to this Master Contract. The Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless the State and its officers and employees from claims, suits, actions, damages and cost of every nature arising out of the provision of services pursuant to the Master Contract.

**N. Non-Assignment Clause:** In accordance with Section 138 of the State Finance Law, the Master Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet, or otherwise disposed of without the State's previous written consent, and attempts to do so shall be considered to be null and void. Notwithstanding the foregoing, such prior written consent of an assignment of a contract, let pursuant to Article XI of the State Finance Law, may be waived at the discretion of the State Agency and with the concurrence of OSC, where the original contract was subject to OSC's approval, where the assignment is due to a reorganization, merger, or consolidation of the Contractor's business entity or enterprise. The State retains its right to approve an assignment and to require that the merged contractor demonstrate its responsibility to do business with the State. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the State's prior written consent unless the Master Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Article 5-A of the State Finance Law.

**O. Legal Action:** No litigation or regulatory action shall be brought against the State of New York, the State Agency, or against any county or other local government entity with funds provided under

the Master Contract. The term "litigation" shall include commencing or threatening to commence a lawsuit, joining or threatening to join as a party to ongoing litigation, or requesting any relief from any of the State of New York, the State Agency, or any county, or other local government entity. The term "regulatory action" shall include commencing or threatening to commence a regulatory proceeding, or requesting any regulatory relief from any of the State of New York, the State Agency, or any county, or other local government entity.

**P. No Arbitration:** Disputes involving the Master Contract, including the breach or alleged breach thereof, may not be submitted to binding arbitration (except where statutorily authorized), but must, instead, be heard in a court of competent jurisdiction of the State of New York.

**Q. Secular Purpose:** Services performed pursuant to the Master Contract are secular in nature and shall be performed in a manner that does not discriminate on the basis of religious belief, or promote or discourage adherence to religion in general or particular religious beliefs.

**R. Partisan Political Activity and Lobbying:** Funds provided pursuant to the Master Contract shall not be used for any partisan political activity, or for activities that attempt to influence legislation or election or defeat of any candidate for public office.

**S. Reciprocity and Sanctions Provisions:** The Contractor is hereby notified that if its principal place of business is located in a country, nation, province, state, or political subdivision that penalizes New York State vendors, and if the goods or services it offers shall be substantially produced or performed outside New York State, the Omnibus Procurement Act 1994 and 2000 amendments (Chapter 684 and Chapter 383, respectively) require that it be denied contracts which it would otherwise obtain.<sup>3</sup>

**T. Reporting Fraud and Abuse:** Contractor acknowledges that it has reviewed information on how to prevent, detect, and report fraud, waste and abuse of public funds, including information about the Federal False Claims Act, the New York State False Claims Act, and whistleblower protections.

**U. Non-Collusive Bidding:** By submission of this bid, the Contractor and each person signing on behalf of the Contractor certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of his or her knowledge and belief that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the State a non-collusive binding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

**V. Federally Funded Grants:** All of the Specific federal requirements that are applicable to the Master Contract are identified in Attachment A-2 (Federally Funded Grants) hereto. To the extent that the Master Contract is funded in whole or part with federal funds, (i) the provisions of the Master Contract that conflict with federal rules, federal regulations, or federal program specific requirements shall not apply and (ii) the Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable federal

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<sup>3</sup>As of October 9, 2012, the list of discriminatory jurisdictions subject to this provision includes the states of Alaska, Hawaii, Louisiana, South Carolina, West Virginia and Wyoming. Contact NYS Department of Economic Development for the most current list of jurisdictions subject to this provision.

rules, regulations and program specific requirements including, but not limited to, those provisions that are set forth in Attachment A-2 (Federally Funded Grants) hereto.

## II. TERM, TERMINATION AND SUSPENSION

**A. Term:** The term of the Master Contract shall be as specified on the Face Page, unless terminated sooner as provided herein.

**B. Renewal:**

**1. General Renewal:** The Master Contract may consist of successive periods on the same terms and conditions, as specified within the Master Contract (a "Simplified Renewal Contract"). Each additional or superseding period shall be on the forms specified by the State and shall be incorporated in the Master Contract.

**2. Renewal Notice to Not-for-Profit Contractors:**

a) Pursuant to State Finance Law §179-t, if the Master Contract is with a not-for-profit Contractor and provides for a renewal option, the State shall notify the Contractor of the State's intent to renew or not to renew the Master Contract no later than ninety (90) calendar days prior to the end of the term of the Master Contract, unless funding for the renewal is contingent upon enactment of an appropriation. If funding for the renewal is contingent upon enactment of an appropriation, the State shall notify the Contractor of the State's intent to renew or not to renew the Master Contract the later of: (1) ninety (90) calendar days prior to the end of the term of the Master Contract, and (2) thirty (30) calendar days after the necessary appropriation becomes law. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in the event that the State is unable to comply with the time frames set forth in this paragraph due to unusual circumstances beyond the control of the State ("Unusual Circumstances"), no payment of interest shall be due to the not-for-profit Contractor. For purposes of State Finance Law §179-t, "Unusual Circumstances" shall not mean the failure by the State to (i) plan for implementation of a program, (ii) assign sufficient staff resources to implement a program, (iii) establish a schedule for the implementation of a program or (iv) anticipate any other reasonably foreseeable circumstance.

b) Notification to the not-for-profit Contractor of the State's intent to not renew the Master Contract must be in writing in the form of a letter, with the reason(s) for the non-renewal included. If the State does not provide notice to the not-for-profit Contractor of its intent not to renew the Master Contract as required in this Section and State Finance Law §179-t, the Master Contract shall be deemed continued until the date the State provides the necessary notice to the Contractor, in accordance with State Finance Law §179-t. Expenses incurred by the not-for-profit Contractor during such extension shall be reimbursable under the terms of the Master Contract.

## C. Termination:

### 1. Grounds:

- a) Mutual Consent: The Master Contract may be terminated at any time upon mutual written consent of the State and the Contractor.
- b) Cause: The State may terminate the Master Contract immediately, upon written notice of termination to the Contractor, if the Contractor fails to comply with any of the terms and conditions of the Master Contract and/or with any laws, rules, regulations, policies, or procedures that are applicable to the Master Contract.
- c) Non-Responsibility: In accordance with the provisions of Sections IV(N)(6) and (7) herein, the State may make a final determination that the Contractor is non-responsible (Determination of Non-Responsibility). In such event, the State may terminate the Master Contract at the Contractor's expense, complete the contractual requirements in any manner the State deems advisable and pursue available legal or equitable remedies for breach.
- d) Convenience: The State may terminate the Master Contract in its sole discretion upon thirty (30) calendar days prior written notice.
- e) Lack of Funds: If for any reason the State or the Federal government terminates or reduces its appropriation to the applicable State Agency entering into the Master Contract or fails to pay the full amount of the allocation for the operation of one or more programs funded under this Master Contract, the Master Contract may be terminated or reduced at the State Agency's discretion, provided that no such reduction or termination shall apply to allowable costs already incurred by the Contractor where funds are available to the State Agency for payment of such costs. Upon termination or reduction of the Master Contract, all remaining funds paid to the Contractor that are not subject to allowable costs already incurred by the Contractor shall be returned to the State Agency. In any event, no liability shall be incurred by the State (including the State Agency) beyond monies available for the purposes of the Master Contract. The Contractor acknowledges that any funds due to the State Agency or the State of New York because of disallowed expenditures after audit shall be the Contractor's responsibility.
- f) Force Majeure: The State may terminate or suspend its performance under the Master Contract immediately upon the occurrence of a "force majeure." For purposes of the Master Contract, "Force majeure" shall include, but not be limited to, natural disasters, war, rebellion, insurrection, riot, strikes, lockout and any unforeseen circumstances and acts beyond the control of the State which render the performance of its obligations impossible.

### 2. Notice of Termination:

- a) Service of notice: Written notice of termination shall be sent by:
  - (i) personal messenger service; or

(ii) certified mail, return receipt requested and first class mail.

b) Effective date of termination: The effective date of the termination shall be the later of (i) the date indicated in the notice and (ii) the date the notice is received by the Contractor, and shall be established as follows:

(i) if the notice is delivered by hand, the date of receipt shall be established by the receipt given to the Contractor or by affidavit of the individual making such hand delivery attesting to the date of delivery; or

(ii) if the notice is delivered by registered or certified mail, by the receipt returned from the United States Postal Service, or if no receipt is returned, five (5) business days from the date of mailing of the first class letter, postage prepaid, in a depository under the care and control of the United States Postal Service.

**3. *Effect of Notice and Termination on State's Payment Obligations:***

a) Upon receipt of notice of termination, the Contractor agrees to cancel, prior to the effective date of any prospective termination, as many outstanding obligations as possible, and agrees not to incur any new obligations after receipt of the notice without approval by the State.

b) The State shall be responsible for payment on claims for services or work provided and costs incurred pursuant to the terms of the Master Contract. In no event shall the State be liable for expenses and obligations arising from the requirements of the Master Contract after its termination date.

**4. *Effect of Termination Based on Misuse or Conversion of State or Federal Property:***

Where the Master Contract is terminated for cause based on Contractor's failure to use some or all of the real property or equipment purchased pursuant to the Master Contract for the purposes set forth herein, the State may, at its option, require:

a) the repayment to the State of any monies previously paid to the Contractor; or

b) the return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of the Master Contract; or

c) an appropriate combination of clauses (a) and (b) of Section II(C)(4) herein.

Nothing herein shall be intended to limit the State's ability to pursue such other legal or equitable remedies as may be available.

**D. Suspension:** The State may, in its discretion, order the Contractor to suspend performance for a reasonable period of time. In the event of such suspension, the Contractor shall be given a formal written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of such notice, the Contractor shall comply with the particulars of the notice. The State shall have no obligation to reimburse Contractor's expenses during such suspension period. Activities may resume at such time



as the State issues a formal written notice authorizing a resumption of performance under the Master Contract.

### III. PAYMENT AND REPORTING

#### A. Terms and Conditions:

1. In full consideration of contract services to be performed, the State Agency agrees to pay and the Contractor agrees to accept a sum not to exceed the amount noted on the Face Page.
2. The State has no obligation to make payment until all required approvals, including the approval of the AG and OSC, if required, have been obtained. Contractor obligations or expenditures that precede the start date of the Master Contract shall not be reimbursed.
3. Contractor must provide complete and accurate billing invoices to the State in order to receive payment. Provided, however, the State may, at its discretion, automatically generate a voucher in accordance with an approved contract payment schedule. Billing invoices submitted to the State must contain all information and supporting documentation required by Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule) and Section III(C) herein. The State may require the Contractor to submit billing invoices electronically.
4. Payment for invoices submitted by the Contractor shall only be rendered electronically unless payment by paper check is expressly authorized by the head of the State Agency, in the sole discretion of the head of such State Agency, due to extenuating circumstances. Such electronic payment shall be made in accordance with OSC's procedures and practices to authorize electronic payments.
5. If travel expenses are an approved expenditure under the Master Contract, travel expenses shall be reimbursed at the lesser of the rates set forth in the written standard travel policy of the Contractor, the OSC guidelines, or United States General Services Administration rates. No out-of-state travel costs shall be permitted unless specifically detailed and pre-approved by the State.
6. Timeliness of advance payments or other claims for reimbursement, and any interest to be paid to Contractor for late payment, shall be governed by Article 11-A of the State Finance Law to the extent required by law.
7. Article 11-B of the State Finance Law sets forth certain time frames for the Full Execution of contracts or renewal contracts with not-for-profit organizations and the implementation of any program plan associated with such contract. For purposes of this section, "Full Execution" shall mean that the contract has been signed by all parties thereto and has obtained the approval of the AG and OSC. Any interest to be paid on a missed payment to the Contractor based on a delay in the Full Execution of the Master Contract shall be governed by Article 11-B of the State Finance Law.

**B. Advance Payment and Recoupment:**

1. Advance payments, which the State in its sole discretion may make to not-for-profit grant recipients, shall be made and recouped in accordance with State Finance Law Section 179(u), this Section and the provisions of Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule).
2. Advance payments made by the State to not-for-profit grant recipients shall be due no later than thirty (30) calendar days, excluding legal holidays, after the first day of the Contract Term or, if renewed, in the period identified on the Face Page.
3. For subsequent contract years in multi-year contracts, Contractor will be notified of the scheduled advance payments for the upcoming contract year no later than 90 days prior to the commencement of the contract year. For simplified renewals, the payment schedule (Attachment D) will be modified as part of the renewal process.
4. Recoupment of any advance payment(s) shall be recovered by crediting the percentage of subsequent claims listed in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule) and Section III(C) herein and such claims shall be reduced until the advance is fully recovered within the Contract Term. Any unexpended advance balance at the end of the Contract Term shall be refunded by the Contractor to the State.
5. If for any reason the amount of any claim is not sufficient to cover the proportionate advance amount to be recovered, then subsequent claims may be reduced until the advance is fully recovered.

**C. Claims for Reimbursement:**

1. The Contractor shall submit claims for the reimbursement of expenses incurred on behalf of the State under the Master Contract in accordance with this Section and the applicable claiming schedule in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

Vouchers submitted for payment shall be deemed to be a certification that the payments requested are for project expenditures made in accordance with the items as contained in the applicable Attachment B form (Budget) and during the Contract Term. When submitting a voucher, such voucher shall also be deemed to certify that: (i) the payments requested do not duplicate reimbursement from other sources of funding; and (ii) the funds provided herein do not replace funds that, in the absence of this grant, would have been made available by the Contractor for this program. Requirement (ii) does not apply to grants funded pursuant to a Community Projects Fund appropriation.

2. Consistent with the selected reimbursement claiming schedule in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall comply with the appropriate following provisions:
  - a) Quarterly Reimbursement: The Contractor shall be entitled to receive payments for work, projects, and services rendered as detailed and described in Attachment C (Work Plan).

The Contractor shall submit to the State Agency quarterly voucher claims and supporting documentation. The Contractor shall submit vouchers to the State Agency in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section III(A)(3) herein.

b) Monthly Reimbursement: The Contractor shall be entitled to receive payments for work, projects, and services rendered as detailed and described in Attachment C (Work Plan).

The Contractor shall submit to the State Agency monthly voucher claims and supporting documentation. The Contractor shall submit vouchers to the State Agency in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section III(A)(3) herein.

c) Biannual Reimbursement: The Contractor shall be entitled to receive payments for work, projects, and services rendered as detailed and described in Attachment C (Work Plan).

The Contractor shall submit to the State Agency biannually voucher claims and supporting documentation. The Contractor shall submit vouchers to the State Agency in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section III(A)(3) herein.

d) Milestone/Performance Reimbursement:<sup>4</sup> Requests for payment based upon an event or milestone may be either severable or cumulative. A severable event/milestone is independent of accomplishment of any other event. If the event is cumulative, the successful completion of an event or milestone is dependent on the previous completion of another event.

Milestone payments shall be made to the Contractor when requested in a form approved by the State, and at frequencies and in amounts stated in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule). The State Agency shall make milestone payments subject to the Contractor's satisfactory performance.

e) Fee for Service Reimbursement:<sup>5</sup> Payment shall be limited to only those fees specifically agreed upon in the Master Contract and shall be payable no more frequently than monthly upon submission of a voucher by the contractor.

f) Rate Based Reimbursement:<sup>6</sup> Payment shall be limited to rate(s) established in the Master Contract. Payment may be requested no more frequently than monthly.

g) Scheduled Reimbursement:<sup>7</sup> The State Agency shall generate vouchers at the frequencies and amounts as set forth in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule),

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<sup>4</sup> A milestone/ performance payment schedule identifies mutually agreed-to payment amounts based on meeting contract events or milestones. Events or milestones must represent integral and meaningful aspects of contract performance and should signify true progress in completing the Master Contract effort.

<sup>5</sup> Fee for Service is a rate established by the Contractor for a service or services rendered.

<sup>6</sup> Rate based agreements are those agreements in which payment is premised upon a specific established rate per unit.

<sup>7</sup> Scheduled Reimbursement agreements provide for payments that occur at defined and regular intervals that provide for a specified dollar amount to be paid to the Contractor at the beginning of each payment period (i.e. quarterly, monthly or bi-annually). While these payments are related to the particular services and outcomes defined in the Master Contract, they are not dependent upon particular services or expenses in any one payment period and provide the Contractor with a defined and regular payment over the life of the contract.

and service reports shall be used to determine funding levels appropriate to the next annual contract period.

h) Fifth Quarter Payments:<sup>8</sup> Fifth quarter payment shall be paid to the Contractor at the conclusion of the final scheduled payment period of the preceding contract period. The State Agency shall use a written directive for fifth quarter financing. The State Agency shall generate a voucher in the fourth quarter of the current contract year to pay the scheduled payment for the next contract year.

3. The Contractor shall also submit supporting fiscal documentation for the expenses claimed.
4. The State reserves the right to withhold up to fifteen percent (15%) of the total amount of the Master Contract as security for the faithful completion of services or work, as applicable, under the Master Contract. This amount may be withheld in whole or in part from any single payment or combination of payments otherwise due under the Master Contract. In the event that such withheld funds are insufficient to satisfy Contractor's obligations to the State, the State may pursue all available remedies, including the right of setoff and recoupment.
5. The State shall not be liable for payments on the Master Contract if it is made pursuant to a Community Projects Fund appropriation if insufficient monies are available pursuant to Section 99-d of the State Finance Law.
6. All vouchers submitted by the Contractor pursuant to the Master Contract shall be submitted to the State Agency no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the end date of the period for which reimbursement is claimed. In no event shall the amount received by the Contractor exceed the budget amount approved by the State Agency, and, if actual expenditures by the Contractor are less than such sum, the amount payable by the State Agency to the Contractor shall not exceed the amount of actual expenditures.
7. All obligations must be incurred prior to the end date of the contract. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section III(C)(6) above, with respect to the final period for which reimbursement is claimed, so long as the obligations were incurred prior to the end date of the contract, the Contractor shall have up to ninety (90) calendar days after the contract end date to make expenditures; provided, however, that if the Master Contract is funded in whole or in part with federal funds, the Contractor shall have up to sixty (60) calendar days after the contract end date to make expenditures.

#### **D. Identifying Information and Privacy Notification:**

1. Every voucher or New York State Claim for Payment submitted to a State Agency by the Contractor, for payment for the sale of goods or services or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property, must include the Contractor's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System, and any or all of the following identification numbers: (i) the Contractor's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the Contractor's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) DUNS number. Failure to

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<sup>8</sup> Fifth Quarter Payments occurs where there are scheduled payments and where there is an expectation that services will be continued through renewals or subsequent contracts. Fifth Quarter Payments allow for the continuation of scheduled payments to a Contractor for the first payment period quarter of an anticipated renewal or new contract.

include such identification number or numbers may delay payment by the State to the Contractor. Where the Contractor does not have such number or numbers, the Contractor, on its voucher or Claim for Payment, must provide the reason or reasons for why the Contractor does not have such number or numbers.

2. The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the State is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their tax liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. The personal information is requested by the purchasing unit of the State Agency contracting to purchase the goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by the Master Contract. This information is maintained in the Statewide Financial System by the Vendor Management Unit within the Bureau of State Expenditures, Office of the State Comptroller, 110 State Street, Albany, New York, 12236.

#### **E. Refunds:**

1. In the event that the Contractor must make a refund to the State for Master Contract-related activities, including repayment of an advance or an audit disallowance, payment must be made payable as set forth in Attachment A-1 (Program Specific Terms and Conditions). The Contractor must reference the contract number with its payment and include a brief explanation of why the refund is being made. Refund payments must be submitted to the Designated Refund Office at the address specified in Attachment A-1 (Program Specific Terms and Conditions).

2. If at the end or termination of the Master Contract, there remains any unexpended balance of the monies advanced under the Master Contract in the possession of the Contractor, the Contractor shall make payment within forty-five (45) calendar days of the end or termination of the Master Contract. In the event that the Contractor fails to refund such balance the State may pursue all available remedies.

**F. Outstanding Amounts Owed to the State:** Prior period overpayments (including, but not limited to, contract advances in excess of actual expenditures) and/or audit recoveries associated with the Contractor may be recouped against future payments made under this Master Contract to Contractor. The recoupment generally begins with the first payment made to the Contractor following identification of the overpayment and/or audit recovery amount. In the event that there are no payments to apply recoveries against, the Contractor shall make payment as provided in Section III(E) (Refunds) herein.

#### **G. Program and Fiscal Reporting Requirements:**

1. The Contractor shall submit required periodic reports in accordance with the applicable schedule provided in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule). All required reports or other work products developed pursuant to the Master Contract must be completed as provided by the agreed upon work schedule in a manner satisfactory and acceptable to the State Agency in order for the Contractor to be eligible for payment.

2. Consistent with the selected reporting options in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall comply with the following applicable provisions:

a) If the Expenditure Based Reports option is indicated in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall provide the State Agency with one or more of the following reports as required by the following provisions and Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule) as applicable:

(i) *Narrative/Qualitative Report*: The Contractor shall submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than the time period listed in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), a report, in narrative form, summarizing the services rendered during the quarter. This report shall detail how the Contractor has progressed toward attaining the qualitative goals enumerated in Attachment C (Work Plan). This report should address all goals and objectives of the project and include a discussion of problems encountered and steps taken to solve them.

(ii) *Statistical/Quantitative Report*: The Contractor shall submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than the time period listed in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), a detailed report analyzing the quantitative aspects of the program plan, as appropriate (e.g., number of meals served, clients transported, patient/client encounters, procedures performed, training sessions conducted, etc.)

(iii) *Expenditure Report*: The Contractor shall submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than the time period listed in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), a detailed expenditure report, by object of expense. This report shall accompany the voucher submitted for such period.

(iv) *Final Report*: The Contractor shall submit a final report as required by the Master Contract, not later than the time period listed in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule) which reports on all aspects of the program and detailing how the use of funds were utilized in achieving the goals set forth in Attachment C (Work Plan).

(v) *Consolidated Fiscal Report (CFR)*: The Contractor shall submit a CFR, which includes a year-end cost report and final claim not later than the time period listed in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

b) If the Performance-Based Reports option is indicated in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall provide the State Agency with the following reports as required by the following provisions and Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule) as applicable:

(i) *Progress Report*: The Contractor shall provide the State Agency with a written progress report using the forms and formats as provided by the State Agency, summarizing the work performed during the period. These reports shall detail the Contractor's progress toward attaining the specific goals enumerated in Attachment C (Work Plan). Progress reports shall be submitted in a format prescribed in the Master Contract.

(ii) *Final Progress Report*: Final scheduled payment is due during the time period set forth in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule). The deadline for submission of the final report shall be the date set forth in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule). The State Agency shall complete its audit and notify the Contractor of the results no later than the date set forth in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule). Payment shall be adjusted by the State Agency to reflect only those services/expenditures that were made in accordance with the Master Contract. The Contractor shall submit a detailed comprehensive final progress report not later than the date set forth in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), summarizing the work performed during the entire Contract Term (i.e., a cumulative report), in the forms and formats required.

3. In addition to the periodic reports stated above, the Contractor may be required (a) to submit such other reports as are required in Table 1 of Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), and (b) prior to receipt of final payment under the Master Contract, to submit one or more final reports in accordance with the form, content, and schedule stated in Table 1 of Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

#### **H. Notification of Significant Occurrences:**

1. If any specific event or conjunction of circumstances threatens the successful completion of this project, in whole or in part, including where relevant, timely completion of milestones or other program requirements, the Contractor agrees to submit to the State Agency within three (3) calendar days of becoming aware of the occurrence or of such problem, a written description thereof together with a recommended solution thereto.

2. The Contractor shall immediately notify in writing the program manager assigned to the Master Contract of any unusual incident, occurrence, or event that involves the staff, volunteers, directors or officers of the Contractor, any subcontractor or program participant funded through the Master Contract, including but not limited to the following: death or serious injury; an arrest or possible criminal activity that could impact the successful completion of this project; any destruction of property; significant damage to the physical plant of the Contractor; or other matters of a similarly serious nature.

### **IV. ADDITIONAL CONTRACTOR OBLIGATIONS, REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES**

#### **A. Contractor as an Independent Contractor/Employees:**

1. The State and the Contractor agree that the Contractor is an independent contractor, and not an employee of the State and may neither hold itself out nor claim to be an officer, employee, or subdivision of the State nor make any claim, demand, or application to or for any right based upon any different status. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for the recruitment, hiring, provision of employment benefits, payment of salaries and management of its project personnel. These functions shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Master Contract, and all applicable Federal and State laws and regulations.

2. The Contractor warrants that it, its staff, and any and all subcontractors have all the necessary licenses, approvals, and certifications currently required by the laws of any applicable local, state, or Federal government to perform the services or work, as applicable, pursuant to the

Master Contract and/or any subcontract entered into under the Master Contract. The Contractor further agrees that such required licenses, approvals, and certificates shall be kept in full force and effect during the term of the Master Contract, or any extension thereof, and to secure any new licenses, approvals, or certificates within the required time frames and/or to require its staff and subcontractors to obtain the requisite licenses, approvals, or certificates. In the event the Contractor, its staff, and/or subcontractors are notified of a denial or revocation of any license, approval, or certification to perform the services or work, as applicable, under the Master Contract, Contractor shall immediately notify the State.

**B. Subcontractors:**

1. If the Contractor enters into subcontracts for the performance of work pursuant to the Master Contract, the Contractor shall take full responsibility for the acts and omissions of its subcontractors. Nothing in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the State under the Master Contract. No contractual relationship shall be deemed to exist between the subcontractor and the State.
2. The Contractor agrees not to enter into any subcontracts, or revisions to subcontracts, that are in excess of \$100,000 for the performance of the obligations contained herein until it has received the prior written permission of the State, which shall have the right to review and approve each and every subcontract in excess of \$100,000 prior to giving written permission to the Contractor to enter into the subcontract. All agreements between the Contractor and subcontractors shall be by written contract, signed by individuals authorized to bind the parties. All such subcontracts shall contain provisions for specifying (1) that the work performed by the subcontractor must be in accordance with the terms of the Master Contract, (2) that nothing contained in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the State under the Master Contract, and (3) that nothing contained in the subcontract, nor under the Master Contract, shall be deemed to create any contractual relationship between the subcontractor and the State. In addition, subcontracts shall contain any other provisions which are required to be included in subcontracts pursuant to the terms herein.
3. Prior to executing a subcontract, the Contractor agrees to require the subcontractor to provide to the State the information the State needs to determine whether a proposed subcontractor is a responsible vendor.
4. When a subcontract equals or exceeds \$100,000, the subcontractor must submit a Vendor Responsibility Questionnaire (Questionnaire).
5. When a subcontract is executed, the Contractor must provide detailed subcontract information (a copy of subcontract will suffice) to the State within fifteen (15) calendar days after execution. The State may request from the Contractor copies of subcontracts between a subcontractor and its subcontractor.
6. The Contractor shall require any and all subcontractors to submit to the Contractor all financial claims for Services or work to the State agency, as applicable, rendered and required supporting documentation and reports as necessary to permit Contractor to meet claim deadlines and documentation requirements as established in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule) and Section III. Subcontractors shall be paid by the Contractor on a timely basis after submitting the required reports and vouchers for reimbursement of services or work, as



applicable. Subcontractors shall be informed by the Contractor of the possibility of non-payment or rejection by the Contractor of claims that do not contain the required information, and/or are not received by the Contractor by said due date.

**C. Use Of Material, Equipment, Or Personnel:**

1. The Contractor shall not use materials, equipment, or personnel paid for under the Master Contract for any activity other than those provided for under the Master Contract, except with the State's prior written permission.
2. Any interest accrued on funds paid to the Contractor by the State shall be deemed to be the property of the State and shall either be credited to the State at the close-out of the Master Contract or, upon the written permission of the State, shall be expended on additional services or work, as applicable, provided for under the Master Contract.

**D. Property:**

1. Property is real property, equipment, or tangible personal property having a useful life of more than one year and an acquisition cost of \$1,000 or more per unit.
  - a) If an item of Property required by the Contractor is available as surplus to the State, the State at its sole discretion, may arrange to provide such Property to the Contractor in lieu of the purchase of such Property.
  - b) If the State consents in writing, the Contractor may retain possession of Property owned by the State, as provided herein, after the termination of the Master Contract to use for similar purposes. Otherwise, the Contractor shall return such Property to the State at the Contractor's cost and expense upon the expiration of the Master Contract.
  - c) In addition, the Contractor agrees to permit the State to inspect the Property and to monitor its use at reasonable intervals during the Contractor's regular business hours.
  - d) The Contractor shall be responsible for maintaining and repairing Property purchased or procured under the Master Contract at its own cost and expense. The Contractor shall procure and maintain insurance at its own cost and expense in an amount satisfactory to the State Agency, naming the State Agency as an additional insured, covering the loss, theft or destruction of such equipment.
  - e) A rental charge to the Master Contract for a piece of Property owned by the Contractor shall not be allowed.
  - f) The State has the right to review and approve in writing any new contract for the purchase of or lease for rental of Property (Purchase/Lease Contract) operated in connection with the provision of the services or work, as applicable, as specified in the Master Contract, if applicable, and any modifications, amendments, or extensions of an existing lease or purchase prior to its execution. If, in its discretion, the State disapproves of any Purchase/Lease Contract, then the State shall not be obligated to make any payments for such Property.

g) No member, officer, director or employee of the Contractor shall retain or acquire any interest, direct or indirect, in any Property, paid for with funds under the Master Contract, nor retain any interest, direct or indirect, in such, without full and complete prior disclosure of such interest and the date of acquisition thereof, in writing to the Contractor and the State.

2. For non-Federally-funded contracts, unless otherwise provided herein, the State shall have the following rights to Property purchased with funds provided under the Master Contract:

a) For cost-reimbursable contracts, all right, title and interest in such Property shall belong to the State.

b) For performance-based contracts, all right, title and interest in such Property shall belong to the Contractor.

3. For Federally funded contracts, title to Property whose requisition cost is borne in whole or in part by monies provided under the Master Contract shall be governed by the terms and conditions of Attachment A-2 (Federally Funded Grants).

4. Upon written direction by the State, the Contractor shall maintain an inventory of all Property that is owned by the State as provided herein.

5. The Contractor shall execute any documents which the State may reasonably require to effectuate the provisions of this section.

#### **E. Records and Audits:**

##### **1. General:**

a) The Contractor shall establish and maintain, in paper or electronic format, complete and accurate books, records, documents, receipts, accounts, and other evidence directly pertinent to its performance under the Master Contract (collectively, Records).

b) The Contractor agrees to produce and retain for the balance of the term of the Master Contract, and for a period of six years from the later of the date of (i) the Master Contract and (ii) the most recent renewal of the Master Contract, any and all Records necessary to substantiate upon audit, the proper deposit and expenditure of funds received under the Master Contract. Such Records may include, but not be limited to, original books of entry (e.g., cash disbursements and cash receipts journal), and the following specific records (as applicable) to substantiate the types of expenditures noted:

(i) personal service expenditures: cancelled checks and the related bank statements, time and attendance records, payroll journals, cash and check disbursement records including copies of money orders and the like, vouchers and invoices, records of contract labor, any and all records listing payroll and the money value of non-cash advantages provided to employees, time cards, work schedules and logs, employee personal history folders, detailed and general ledgers, sales records, miscellaneous reports and returns (tax and otherwise), and cost allocation plans, if applicable.

(ii) payroll taxes and fringe benefits: cancelled checks, copies of related bank statements, cash and check disbursement records including copies of money orders and the like, invoices for fringe benefit expenses, miscellaneous reports and returns (tax and otherwise), and cost allocation plans, if applicable.

(iii) non-personal services expenditures: original invoices/receipts, cancelled checks and related bank statements, consultant agreements, leases, and cost allocation plans, if applicable.

(iv) receipt and deposit of advance and reimbursements: itemized bank stamped deposit slips, and a copy of the related bank statements.

c) The OSC, AG and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the State Agency or State Agencies involved in the Master Contract that provided funding, shall have access to the Records during the hours of 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday (excluding State recognized holidays), at an office of the Contractor within the State of New York or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the State, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying.

d) The State shall protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law provided that: (i) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate State official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; and (ii) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (iii) designation of said records, as exempt under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law, is reasonable.

e) Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the State's rights in connection with its audit and investigatory authority or the State's rights in connection with discovery in any pending or future litigation.

## **2. Cost Allocation:**

a) For non-performance based contracts, the proper allocation of the Contractor's costs must be made according to a cost allocation plan that meets the requirements of OMB Circulars A-87, A-122, and/or A-21. Methods used to determine and assign costs shall conform to generally accepted accounting practices and shall be consistent with the method(s) used by the Contractor to determine costs for other operations or programs. Such accounting standards and practices shall be subject to approval of the State.

b) For performance based milestone contracts, or for the portion of the contract amount paid on a performance basis, the Contractor shall maintain documentation demonstrating that milestones were attained.

## **3. Federal Funds:** For records and audit provisions governing Federal funds, please see Attachment A-2 (Federally Funded Grants).

**F. Confidentiality:** The Contractor agrees that it shall use and maintain information relating to individuals who may receive services, and their families pursuant to the Master Contract, or any other information, data or records deemed confidential by the State (Confidential Information) only

for the limited purposes of the Master Contract and in conformity with applicable provisions of State and Federal law. The Contractor (i) has an affirmative obligation to safeguard any such Confidential Information from unnecessary or unauthorized disclosure and (ii) must comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa; State Technology Law Section 208).

**G. Publicity:**

1. Publicity includes, but is not limited to: news conferences; news releases; public announcements; advertising; brochures; reports; discussions or presentations at conferences or meetings; and/or the inclusion of State materials, the State's name or other such references to the State in any document or forum. Publicity regarding this project may not be released without prior written approval from the State.

2. Any publications, presentations or announcements of conferences, meetings or trainings which are funded in whole or in part through any activity supported under the Master Contract may not be published, presented or announced without prior approval of the State. Any such publication, presentation or announcement shall:

a) Acknowledge the support of the State of New York and, if funded with Federal funds, the applicable Federal funding agency; and

b) State that the opinions, results, findings and/or interpretations of data contained therein are the responsibility of the Contractor and do not necessarily represent the opinions, interpretations or policy of the State or if funded with Federal funds, the applicable Federal funding agency.

3. Notwithstanding the above, the Contractor may submit for publication, scholarly or academic publications that derive from activity under the Master Contract (but are not deliverable under the Master Contract), provided that the Contractor first submits such manuscripts to the State forty-five (45) calendar days prior to submission for consideration by a publisher in order for the State to review the manuscript for compliance with confidentiality requirements and restrictions and to make such other comments as the State deems appropriate. All derivative publications shall follow the same acknowledgments and disclaimer as described in Section V(G)(2) (Publicity) hereof.

**H. Web-Based Applications-Accessibility:** Any web-based intranet and Internet information and applications development, or programming delivered pursuant to the Master Contract or procurement shall comply with New York State Enterprise IT Policy NYS-P08-005, Accessibility Web-Based Information and Applications, and New York State Enterprise IT Standard NYS-S08-005, Accessibility of Web-Based Information Applications, as such policy or standard may be amended, modified or superseded, which requires that State Agency web-based intranet and Internet information and applications are accessible to person with disabilities. Web content must conform to New York State Enterprise IT Standards NYS-S08-005, as determined by quality assurance testing. Such quality assurance testing shall be conducted by the State Agency and the results of such testing must be satisfactory to the State Agency before web content shall be considered a qualified deliverable under the Master Contract or procurement.

**I. Non-Discrimination Requirements:** Pursuant to Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor and sub-contractors will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed (religion), color, sex (including gender expression), national origin, sexual orientation, military status, age, disability, predisposing genetic characteristic, marital status or domestic violence victim status, and shall also follow the requirements of the Human Rights Law with regard to non-discrimination on the basis of prior criminal conviction and prior arrest. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that the Master Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under the Master Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under the Master Contract. The Contractor shall be subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 of the Labor Law.

**J. Equal Opportunities for Minorities and Women; Minority and Women Owned Business Enterprises:** In accordance with Section 312 of the Executive Law and 5 NYCRR 143, if the Master Contract is: (i) a written agreement or purchase order instrument, providing for a total expenditure in excess of \$25,000.00, whereby a contracting State Agency is committed to expend or does expend funds in return for labor, services, supplies, equipment, materials or any combination of the foregoing, to be performed for, or rendered or furnished to the contracting State Agency; or (ii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby a contracting State Agency is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon; or (iii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby the owner of a State assisted housing project is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon for such project, then the Contractor certifies and affirms that (i) it is subject to Article 15-A of the Executive Law which includes, but is not limited to, those provisions concerning the maximizing of opportunities for the participation of minority and women-owned business enterprises and (ii) the following provisions shall apply and it is Contractor's equal employment opportunity policy that:

1. The Contractor shall not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status;
2. The Contractor shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force on State contracts;
3. The Contractor shall undertake or continue existing programs of affirmative action to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Affirmative action shall mean recruitment, employment, job assignment,

promotion, upgrading, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination and rates of pay or other forms of compensation;

4. At the request of the State, the Contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish a written statement that such employment agency, labor union or representative shall not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative shall affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the Contractor's obligations herein; and

5. The Contractor shall state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees, that, in the performance of the State contract, all qualified applicants shall be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

The Contractor shall include the provisions of subclauses 1 – 5 of this Section (IV)(J), in every subcontract over \$25,000.00 for the construction, demolition, replacement, major repair, renovation, planning or design of real property and improvements thereon (Work) except where the Work is for the beneficial use of the Contractor. Section 312 of the Executive Law does not apply to: (i) work, goods or services unrelated to the Master Contract; or (ii) employment outside New York State. The State shall consider compliance by the Contractor or a subcontractor with the requirements of any Federal law concerning equal employment opportunity which effectuates the purpose of this section. The State shall determine whether the imposition of the requirements of the provisions hereof duplicate or conflict with any such Federal law and if such duplication or conflict exists, the State shall waive the applicability of Section 312 of the Executive Law to the extent of such duplication or conflict. The Contractor shall comply with all duly promulgated and lawful rules and regulations of the Department of Economic Development's Division of Minority and Women's Business Development pertaining hereto.

**K. Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992:** It is the policy of New York State to maximize opportunities for the participation of New York State business enterprises, including minority and women-owned business enterprises, as bidders, subcontractors and suppliers on its procurement contracts.

1. If the total dollar amount of the Master Contract is greater than \$1 million, the Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992 requires that by signing the Master Contract, the Contractor certifies the following:

a) The Contractor has made reasonable efforts to encourage the participation of State business enterprises as suppliers and subcontractors, including certified minority and women-owned business enterprises, on this project, and has retained the documentation of these efforts to be provided upon request to the State;

b) The Contractor has complied with the Federal Equal Opportunity Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-261), as amended;

c) The Contractor agrees to make reasonable efforts to provide notification to State residents of employment opportunities on this project through listing any such positions with the Job Service Division of the New York State Department of Labor, or providing such notification

in such manner as is consistent with existing collective bargaining contracts or agreements. The Contractor agrees to document these efforts and to provide said documentation to the State upon request; and

d) The Contractor acknowledges notice that the State may seek to obtain offset credits from foreign countries as a result of the Master Contract and agrees to cooperate with the State in these efforts.

**L. Workers' Compensation Benefits:**

1. In accordance with Section 142 of the State Finance Law, the Master Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of the Master Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

2. If a Contractor believes they are exempt from the Workers Compensation insurance requirement they must apply for an exemption.

**M. Unemployment Insurance Compliance:** The Contractor shall remain current in both its quarterly reporting and payment of contributions or payments in lieu of contributions, as applicable, to the State Unemployment Insurance system as a condition of maintaining this grant.

The Contractor hereby authorizes the State Department of Labor to disclose to the State Agency staff only such information as is necessary to determine the Contractor's compliance with the State Unemployment Insurance Law. This includes, but is not limited to, the following:

1. any records of unemployment insurance (UI) contributions, interest, and/or penalty payment arrears or reporting delinquency;
2. any debts owed for UI contributions, interest, and/or penalties;
3. the history and results of any audit or investigation; and
4. copies of wage reporting information.

Such disclosures are protected under Section 537 of the State Labor Law, which makes it a misdemeanor for the recipient of such information to use or disclose the information for any purpose other than the performing due diligence as a part of the approval process for the Master Contract.

**N. Vendor Responsibility:**

1. If a Contractor is required to complete a Questionnaire, the Contractor covenants and represents that it has, to the best of its knowledge, truthfully, accurately and thoroughly completed such Questionnaire. Although electronic filing is preferred, the Contractor may obtain a paper form from the OSC prior to execution of the Master Contract. The Contractor further covenants and represents that as of the date of execution of the Master Contract, there are no material events, omissions, changes or corrections to such document requiring an amendment to the Questionnaire.

2. The Contractor shall provide to the State updates to the Questionnaire if any material event(s) occurs requiring an amendment or as new information material to such Questionnaire becomes available.

3. The Contractor shall, in addition, promptly report to the State the initiation of any investigation or audit by a governmental entity with enforcement authority with respect to any alleged violation of Federal or state law by the Contractor, its employees, its officers and/or directors in connection with matters involving, relating to or arising out of the Contractor's business. Such report shall be made within five (5) business days following the Contractor becoming aware of such event, investigation, or audit. Such report may be considered by the State in making a Determination of Vendor Non-Responsibility pursuant to this section.

4. The State reserves the right, in its sole discretion, at any time during the term of the Master Contract:

a) to require updates or clarifications to the Questionnaire upon written request;

b) to inquire about information included in or required information omitted from the Questionnaire;

c) to require the Contractor to provide such information to the State within a reasonable timeframe; and

d) to require as a condition precedent to entering into the Master Contract that the Contractor agree to such additional conditions as shall be necessary to satisfy the State that the Contractor is, and shall remain, a responsible vendor; and

e) to require the Contractor to present evidence of its continuing legal authority to do business in New York State, integrity, experience, ability, prior performance, and organizational and financial capacity. By signing the Master Contract, the Contractor agrees to comply with any such additional conditions that have been made a part of the Master Contract.

5. The State, in its sole discretion, reserves the right to suspend any or all activities under the Master Contract, at any time, when it discovers information that calls into question the responsibility of the Contractor. In the event of such suspension, the Contractor shall be given written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of such notice, the Contractor must comply with the terms of the suspension order. Contract activity may resume at such time as the State issues a written notice authorizing a resumption of performance under the Master Contract.

6. The State, in its sole discretion, reserves the right to make a final Determination of Non-Responsibility at any time during the term of the Master Contract based on:

a) any information provided in the Questionnaire and/or in any updates, clarifications or amendments thereof; or

b) the State's discovery of any material information which pertains to the Contractor's responsibility.



7. Prior to making a final Determination of Non-Responsibility, the State shall provide written notice to the Contractor that it has made a preliminary determination of non-responsibility. The State shall detail the reason(s) for the preliminary determination, and shall provide the Contractor with an opportunity to be heard.

**O. Charities Registration:** If applicable, the Contractor agrees to (i) obtain not-for-profit status, a Federal identification number, and a charitable registration number (or a declaration of exemption) and to furnish the State Agency with this information as soon as it is available, (ii) be in compliance with the OAG charities registration requirements at the time of the awarding of this Master Contract by the State and (iii) remain in compliance with the OAG charities registration requirements throughout the term of the Master Contract.

**P. Consultant Disclosure Law:**<sup>9</sup> If this is a contract for consulting services, defined for purposes of this requirement to include analysis, evaluation, research, training, data processing, computer programming, engineering, environmental, health, and mental health services, accounting, auditing, paralegal, legal, or similar services, then in accordance with Section 163 (4-g) of the State Finance Law (as amended by Chapter 10 of the Laws of 2006), the Contractor shall timely, accurately and properly comply with the requirement to submit an annual employment report for the contract to the agency that awarded the contract, the Department of Civil Service and the State Comptroller.

**Q. Wage and Hours Provisions:** If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be condition precedent to payment by the State of any State approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

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<sup>9</sup> Not applicable to not-for-profit entities.

**ATTACHMENT A-1**  
**AGENCY AND PROGRAM SPECIFIC CLAUSES**  
**Part A. Agency Specific Clauses**

The parties to the attached contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter, "the contract" or "this contract") agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the contract (the word "Contractor" herein refers to any party other than the State, whether a contractor, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any other party):

**A. International Boycott Prohibition:** In accordance with Section 220-f of the Labor Law and Section 139-h of the State Finance Law, if this contract exceeds \$5,000, the Contractor agrees, as a material condition of the contract, that neither the Contractor nor any substantially owned or affiliated person, firm, partnership or corporation has participated, is participating, or shall participate in an international boycott in violation of the federal Export Administration Act of 1979 (50 USC App. Sections 2401 et seq.) or regulations thereunder. If such Contractor, or any of the aforesaid affiliates of Contractor, is convicted or is otherwise found to have violated said laws or regulations upon the final determination of the United States Commerce Department or any other appropriate agency of the United States subsequent to the contract's execution, such contract, amendment or modification thereto shall be rendered forfeit and void. The Contractor shall so notify the State Comptroller within five (5) business days of such conviction, determination or disposition of appeal (2NYCRR 105.4).

**B. Prohibition on Purchase of Tropical Hardwoods:**

1. The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law, (Use of Tropical Hardwoods) which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted, by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the State.

2. In addition, when any portion of this contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in §165 State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with the approval of the State; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the State.

**C. MacBride Fair Employment Principles:** In accordance with the MacBride Fair Employment Principles (Chapter 807 of the Laws of 1992), the Contractor hereby stipulates that the Contractor either (a) has no business operations in Northern Ireland, or (b) shall take lawful steps in good faith to conduct any business operations in Northern Ireland in accordance with the

MacBride Fair Employment Principles (as described in Section 165 of the New York State Finance Law), and shall permit independent monitoring of compliance with such principles.

**D. Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992:** It is the policy of New York State to maximize opportunities for the participation of New York State business enterprises, including minority and women-owned business enterprises as bidders, subcontractors and suppliers on its procurement contracts.

Information on the availability of New York State subcontractors and suppliers is available from:

NYS Department of Economic Development  
Division for Small Business  
Albany, New York 12245  
Telephone: 518-292-5100  
Fax: 518-292-5884  
email: [opa@esd.ny.gov](mailto:opa@esd.ny.gov)

A directory of certified minority and women-owned business enterprises is available from:

NYS Department of Economic Development  
Division of Minority and Women's Business Development

633 Third Avenue  
New York, NY 10017  
212-803-2414  
email: [mwbecertification@esd.ny.gov](mailto:mwbecertification@esd.ny.gov)  
<http://esd.ny.gov/MWBE/directorySearch.html>

**E. Procurement Lobbying:** To the extent this agreement is a "procurement contract" as defined by State Finance Law Sections 139-j and 139-k, by signing this agreement the contractor certifies and affirms that all disclosures made in accordance with State Finance Law Sections 139-j and 139-k are complete, true and accurate. In the event such certification is found to be intentionally false or intentionally incomplete, the State may terminate the agreement by providing written notification to the Contractor in accordance with the terms of the agreement.

**F. Certification of Registration to Collect Sales and Compensating Use Tax by Certain State Contractors, Affiliates, and Subcontractors:** To the extent this agreement is a contract as defined by Tax Law Section 5-a, if the contractor fails to make the certification required by Tax Law Section 5-a or if during the term of the contract, the Department of Taxation and Finance or the covered agency, as defined by Tax Law 5-a, discovers that the certification, made under penalty of perjury, is false, then such failure to file or false certification shall be a material breach of this contract and this contract may be terminated, by providing written notification to the Contractor in accordance with the terms of the agreement, if the covered agency determines that such action is in the best interest of the State.

G. The CONTRACTOR certifies that all revenue earned during the budget period as a result of services and related activities performed pursuant to this contract shall be used either to expand those program services funded by this AGREEMENT or to offset expenditures submitted to the STATE for reimbursement.

**H. Administrative Rules and Audits:**

1. If this contract is funded in whole or in part from federal funds, the CONTRACTOR shall comply with the following federal grant requirements regarding administration and allowable costs:

a) For a local or Indian tribal government, use the principles in the common rule, "Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Cooperative Agreements to State and Local Governments," and Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-87, "Cost Principles for State, Local and Indian Tribal Governments".

b) For a nonprofit organization other than  
(i) an institution of higher education,  
(ii) a hospital, or  
(iii) an organization named in OMB Circular A-122, "Cost Principles for Non-profit Organizations", as not subject to that circular,

use the principles in OMB Circular A-110, "Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Agreements with Institutions of Higher Education, Hospitals and Other Non-profit Organizations," and OMB Circular A-122.

c) For an Educational Institution, use the principles in OMB Circular A-110 and OMB Circular A-21, "Cost Principles for Educational Institutions".

d) For a hospital, use the principles in OMB Circular A-110, Department of Health and Human Services, 45 CFR 74, Appendix E, "Principles for Determining Costs Applicable to Research and Development Under Grants and Contracts with Hospitals" and, if not covered for audit purposes by OMB Circular A-133, "Audits of States Local Governments and Non-profit Organizations", then subject to program specific audit requirements following Government Auditing Standards for financial audits.

2. If this contract is funded entirely from STATE funds, and if there are no specific administration and allowable costs requirements applicable, CONTRACTOR shall adhere to the applicable principles in "1" above.

3. The CONTRACTOR shall comply with the following grant requirements regarding audits.

a) If the contract is funded from federal funds, and the CONTRACTOR spends more than \$500,000 in federal funds in their fiscal year, an audit report must be submitted in accordance with OMB Circular A-133.

b) If this contract is funded from other than federal funds or if the contract is funded from a combination of STATE and federal funds but federal funds are less than \$500,000, and if the CONTRACTOR receives \$300,000 or more in total annual payments from the STATE, the CONTRACTOR shall submit to the STATE after the end of the CONTRACTOR's fiscal year an audit report. The audit report shall be submitted to the STATE within thirty days after its completion but no later than nine months after the end of the audit period. The audit report shall summarize the business and financial transactions of the CONTRACTOR. The report shall be prepared and certified by an independent accounting firm or other accounting entity, which is demonstrably independent of the administration of the program being audited. Audits performed of the CONTRACTOR's records shall be conducted in accordance with Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States covering financial audits. This audit requirement may be met through entity-wide audits, coincident with the CONTRACTOR's fiscal year, as described in OMB Circular A-133. Reports, disclosures, comments and opinions required under these publications should be so noted in the audit report.

4. For audit reports due on or after April 1, 2003, that are not received by the dates due, the following steps shall be taken:

a) If the audit report is one or more days late, voucher payments shall be held until a compliant audit report is received.

b) If the audit report is 91 or more days late, the STATE shall recover payments for all STATE funded contracts for periods for which compliant audit reports are not received.

c) If the audit report is 180 days or more late, the STATE shall terminate all active contracts, prohibit renewal of those contracts and prohibit the execution of future contracts until all outstanding compliant audit reports have been submitted.

I. The CONTRACTOR shall accept responsibility for compensating the STATE for any exceptions which are revealed on an audit and sustained after completion of the normal audit procedure.

J. The STATE, its employees, representatives and designees, shall have the right at any time during normal business hours to inspect the sites where services are performed and observe the services being performed by the CONTRACTOR. The CONTRACTOR shall render all assistance and cooperation to the STATE in making such inspections. The surveyors shall have the responsibility for determining contract compliance as well as the quality of service being rendered.

**K.** The CONTRACTOR has an affirmative duty to take prompt, effective, investigative and remedial action where it has actual or constructive notice of discrimination in the terms, conditions or privileges of employment against (including harassment of) any of its employees by any of its other employees, including managerial personnel, based on race, creed, color, sex, national origin, age, disability, sexual orientation or marital status.

**L.** The CONTRACTOR shall not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, age, disability, sexual orientation or marital status against any person seeking services for which the CONTRACTOR may receive reimbursement or payment under this AGREEMENT

**M.** The CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, State and local civil rights and human rights laws with reference to equal employment opportunities and the provision of services.

**N.** Unless the CONTRACTOR is a political sub-division of New York State, the CONTRACTOR shall provide proof, completed by the CONTRACTOR's insurance carrier and/or the Workers' Compensation Board, of coverage for:

1. Workers' Compensation, for which one of the following is incorporated into this contract as **Attachment E-1**:

a) **CE-200** -- Certificate of Attestation For New York Entities With No Employees And Certain Out Of State Entities, That New York State Workers' Compensation And/Or Disability Benefits Insurance Coverage Is Not Required; OR

b) **C-105.2** -- Certificate of Workers' Compensation Insurance. PLEASE NOTE: The State Insurance Fund provides its own version of this form, the **U-26.3**; OR

c) **SI-12** -- Certificate of Workers' Compensation Self-Insurance, OR **GSI-105.2** -- Certificate of Participation in Workers' Compensation Group Self-Insurance

2. Disability Benefits coverage, for which one of the following is incorporated into this contract as **Attachment E-2**:

a) **CE-200**, Certificate of Attestation For New York Entities With No Employees And Certain Out Of State Entities, That New York State Workers' Compensation And/Or Disability Benefits Insurance Coverage Is Not Required; OR

b) **DB-120.1** -- Certificate of Disability Benefits Insurance OR

c) **DB-155** -- Certificate of Disability Benefits Self-Insurance

**O.** Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa; State Technology Law

Section 208). Contractor shall be liable for the costs associated with any breach if caused by Contractor's negligent or willful acts or omissions, or the negligent or willful acts or omissions of Contractor's agents, officers, employees or subcontractors.

P. All products supplied pursuant to this agreement shall meet local, state and federal regulations, guidelines and action levels for lead as they exist at the time of the State's acceptance of this contract.

Q. All bidders/contractors agree that all state funds dispersed under this bid/contract will be bound by the terms, conditions, obligations and regulations promulgated or to be promulgated by the Department in accordance with E.O. 38, signed in 2012, governing restrictions on executive compensation.

R. The CONTRACTOR shall submit to the STATE (*quarterly*) voucher claims and reports of expenditures on such forms and in such detail as the STATE shall require. The CONTRACTOR shall submit vouchers to the State's designated payment office located in the:

New York State Department of Health  
Bureau of Administration, Finance & Contract Management Unit  
Empire State Plaza, Corning Tower Building, Room 859  
Albany, NY 12237

S. If the CONTRACTOR is eligible for an annual cost of living adjustment (COLA), enacted in New York State Law, that is associated with this grant AGREEMENT, payment of such COLA shall be made separate from payments under this AGREEMENT and shall not be applied toward or amend amounts payable under Attachment B of this Agreement.

Before payment of a COLA can be made, the STATE shall notify the CONTRACTOR, in writing, of eligibility for any COLA. The CONTRACTOR shall be required to submit a written certification attesting that all COLA funding will be used to promote the recruitment and retention of staff or respond to other critical non-personal service costs during the State fiscal year for which the cost of living adjustment was allocated, or provide any other such certification as may be required in the enacted legislation authorizing the COLA.

T. Certification Regarding Environmental Tobacco Smoke: Public Law 103-227, also known as the Pro-Children Act of 1994 (Act), requires that smoking not be permitted in any portion of any indoor facility owned or leased or contracted for by an entity and used routinely or regularly for the provision of health, day care, early childhood development services, education or library services to children under the age of 18, if the services are funded by federal programs either directly or through State or local governments, by federal grant, contract, loan, or loan guarantee. The law also applies to children's services that are provided in indoor facilities that are constructed, operated, or maintained with such federal funds. The law does not apply to children's services provided in private residences; portions of facilities used for inpatient drug or alcohol treatment; service providers whose sole source of applicable federal funds is Medicare or Medicaid; or facilities where WIC coupons are redeemed. Failure to comply with the provisions of the law may result in the imposition of a monetary penalty of up to \$1000 for each violation and/or the imposition of an administrative compliance order on the responsible entity.

By signing this AGREEMENT, the CONTRACTOR certifies that it will comply with the requirements of the Act and will not allow smoking within any portion of any indoor facility used for the provision of services for children as defined by the Act. The CONTRACTOR agrees that it will require that the language of this certification be included in any subawards which contain provisions for children's services and that all subrecipients shall certify accordingly.

U. Pursuant to the Master Contract's Standard Terms and Conditions, I. (General Provisions); J. (Notices), such notices shall be addressed as follows or to such different addresses as the parties may from time to time designate:

**State of New York Department of Health**

Name: Alexis Lighthall

Title: Health Program Administrator

Address: New York State Department of Health

Bureau of Administration, Finance & Contract Management Unit

Empire State Plaza, Corning Tower Building, Room 859

Albany, NY 12237

Telephone Number: 518-474-4569

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E-Mail Address: alexis.lighthall@health.ny.gov

**County Public Health**

Name: Phyllis D. Ellis, BSN, MS, F.A.C.H.E.

Title: Director of Health

Address: 185 Genesee St., Utica, N.Y. 13501

Telephone Number: 315-798-6400

Facsimile Number: 315-266-6138

E-Mail Address: pellis@ocgov.net

**Part B. Program Specific Clauses**

Additional Department of Health program specific clauses follow in Attachment A-1 Part B.



ATTACHMENT A-1 Part B  
PROGRAM SPECIFIC CLAUSES

A. SUBCONTRACTS

1. In addition to those terms set forth in the Master Contract concerning subcontractors, the following terms shall also apply:

- a. Unless otherwise authorized or directed by the Department, all proposed subcontracts for the performance of the obligations contained herein require the review and approval of the Department prior to the execution of an agreement between the Contractor and subcontractors. All such agreements between the Contractor and subcontractors shall be by bona fide written contract, which may only be changed by expressed written consent of both parties and upon prior approval of the Department.
- b. The Department shall have the right to contact any subcontractor directly concerning the Performance of the obligations contained herein and to require the attendance of the Subcontractor at any or all meetings between the Contractor and Department, at which the performance of the Contractor pursuant to this Master Contract will be discussed.
- c. Any interest accrued on funds provided to the contractor by the Department pursuant to the contractors request for an advance payment, shall either be used to reduce reimbursement owed to the Contractor by the Department pursuant to this Master Contract , or at the direction of the Department, used to provide additional services provided for under this Master Contract.

B. The Contractor agrees to identify the position(s) and the incumbent(s) responsible for directing the work to be done under this Master Contract. The Department may, at its discretion, require the Contractor to request prior approval from the Department to change or substitute such responsible person(s), to the degree that such change is within the reasonable control of the Contractor.

C. PUBLICATIONS AND COPYRIGHTS

1. The Contractor agrees that any and all materials, publications, videos or curricula conceived, produced and/or reduced to practice pursuant to this Master Contract, or with monies supplied pursuant to this Master Contract, shall become property of the Department.
2. Pursuant to Section IV(G)(2)(a) of the Master Contract, the Contractor shall acknowledge the support of the State and Department of Health with the following language: "Produced with funding from The New York State Department of Health, Division of Family Health."
3. Except as otherwise provided in Section IV(G)(3) of the Master Contract, the Department and the State of New York expressly reserve the right to reproduce, publish distribute, copyright or otherwise use, in perpetuity, any and

all materials, publications, videos or curricula conceived and produced pursuant to this Master Contract and all the activities supported thereunder.

4. The Contractor agrees that unless otherwise provided by the terms of this Master Contract, the Contractor is expressly prohibited from copyrighting the materials developed in the course of this Master Contract, or permitting others to do so without the prior written consent of the Department.
5. If any materials paid for under this contract are used in a revenue generating activity, the Contractor shall report such intentions to the Department for prior written approval and shall be subject to the direction of the Department as to the disposition of such revenue.

#### D. PURCHASING

1. All procurement transactions, including but not limited to equipment purchases and leases, supplies, conference, training, or seminar related expenditures, and other services whose cost is borne in whole or in part by this contract shall be conducted in a manner to provide , to the maximum extent practicable, open and free competition.
2. In addition to the requirements of Section IV (D) of the Master Contract, procurement records and files for purchases in excess of \$5,000 shall include the following:
  - a. basis for selection;
  - b. listing of bidders solicited or vendors contacted, including but not limited to the response from each bidder or vendor to the solicitation;
  - c. justification for lack of competition when competitive bids or offers are not obtained;
  - d. basis for award cost or price.

E. Reimbursement for any travel related expenses, including but not limited to transportation, lodging, and meal expenses shall be based upon the actual, necessary and reasonable expenses essential to the ordinary comforts of the traveler in the performance of the duties under this Master Contract and shall be reimbursed pursuant to the terms of Section III (5) of the Master Contract.

#### F. EQUIPMENT/INVENTORY REPORT

1. In addition to the requirements contained in Section IV (c) (1) and Section IV (D) (2) of the Master Contract, A complete inventory of all property as defined in Section IV (D) (1) shall be maintained by the Contractor who shall report to the appropriate Program Director of the State Department of Health acquisitions of equipment. All such equipment shall be identified in a suitable manner. An annual inventory of such equipment shall be submitted to such Program Director by the Contractor and is to be inclusive of all such equipment received during the contract year, within 45 days after the completion of the services to be performed under this Master Contract. Disposition of the inventoried property will be made in accordance with the Master Contract and applicable provisions of law.

**ATTACHMENT A-2**  
**FEDERALLY FUNDED GRANTS**  
**Part A. AGENCY SPECIFIC CLAUSES**

**A. Federal Certifications:** This section shall be applicable to this AGREEMENT only if any of the funds made available to the CONTRACTOR under this AGREEMENT are federal funds.

1. Lobbying Certification (except as otherwise provided in Part B of this Attachment A-2)

a) If the CONTRACTOR is a tax-exempt organization under Section 501 (c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code, the CONTRACTOR certifies that it will not engage in lobbying activities of any kind regardless of how funded.

b) The CONTRACTOR acknowledges that as a recipient of federal appropriated funds, it is subject to the limitations on the use of such funds to influence certain Federal contracting and financial transactions, as specified in Public Law 101-121, section 319, and codified in section 1352 of Title 31 of the United States Code. In accordance with P.L. 101-121, section 319, 31 U.S.C. 1352 and implementing regulations, the CONTRACTOR affirmatively acknowledges and represents that it is prohibited and shall refrain from using Federal funds received under this AGREEMENT for the purposes of lobbying; provided, however, that such prohibition does not apply in the case of a payment of reasonable compensation made to an officer or employee of the CONTRACTOR to the extent that the payment is for agency and legislative liaison activities not directly related to the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant or loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, or the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan or cooperative agreement. Nor does such prohibition prohibit any reasonable payment to a person in connection with, or any payment of reasonable compensation to an officer or employee of the CONTRACTOR if the payment is for professional or technical services rendered directly in the preparation, submission or negotiation of any bid, proposal, or application for a Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, or an extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification thereof, or for meeting requirements imposed by or pursuant to law as a condition for receiving that Federal contract, grant, loan or cooperative agreement.

c) This section shall be applicable to this AGREEMENT only if federal funds allotted exceed \$100,000.

(i) The CONTRACTOR certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

- No federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the CONTRACTOR, 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 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.

- 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 any 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 CONTRACTOR shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying" in accordance with its instructions.
- (ii) The CONTRACTOR shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all sub-awards at all tiers (including subcontracts, sub-grants, 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.
- (iii) The CONTRACTOR shall disclose specified information on any agreement with lobbyists whom the CONTRACTOR will pay with other Federal appropriated funds by completion and submission to the STATE of the Federal Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying", in accordance with its instructions. This form may be obtained by contacting either the Office of Management and Budget Fax Information Line at (202) 395-9068 or the Bureau of Contracts at (518) 474-7896. Completed forms should be submitted to the New York State Department of Health, Bureau of Contracts, Empire State Plaza, Corning Tower Building, Room 2756, Albany, 12237-0016.
- (iv) The CONTRACTOR shall file quarterly updates on the use of lobbyists if material changes occur, using the same standard disclosure form identified in (c) above to report such updated information.
- d) The reporting requirements enumerated in subsection (3) of this paragraph shall not apply to the CONTRACTOR with respect to:
- (i) Payments of reasonable compensation made to its regularly employed officers or employees;

- (ii) A request for or receipt of a contract (other than a contract referred to in clause (c) below), grant, cooperative agreement, subcontract (other than a subcontract referred to in clause (c) below), or subgrant that does not exceed \$100,000; and
- (iii) A request for or receipt of a loan, or a commitment providing for the United States to insure or guarantee a loan, that does not exceed \$150,000, including a contract or subcontract to carry out any purpose for which such a loan is made.

2. Certification Regarding Environmental Tobacco Smoke: Public Law 103-227, also known as the Pro-Children Act of 1994 (Act), requires that smoking not be permitted in any portion of any indoor facility owned or leased or contracted for by an entity and used routinely or regularly for the provision of health, day care, early childhood development services, education or library services to children under the age of 18, if the services are funded by federal programs either directly or through State or local governments, by federal grant, contract, loan, or loan guarantee. The law also applies to children's services that are provided in indoor facilities that are constructed, operated, or maintained with such federal funds. The law does not apply to children's services provided in private residences; portions of facilities used for inpatient drug or alcohol treatment; service providers whose sole source of applicable federal funds is Medicare or Medicaid; or facilities where WIC coupons are redeemed. Failure to comply with the provisions of the law may result in the imposition of a monetary penalty of up to \$1000 for each violation and/or the imposition of an administrative compliance order on the responsible entity.

By signing this AGREEMENT, the CONTRACTOR certifies that it will comply with the requirements of the Act and will not allow smoking within any portion of any indoor facility used for the provision of services for children as defined by the Act. The CONTRACTOR agrees that it will require that the language of this certification be included in any subawards which contain provisions for children's services and that all subrecipients shall certify accordingly.

3. Certification Regarding Debarment and Suspension: Regulations of the Department of Health and Human Services, located at Part 76 of Title 45 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), implement Executive Orders 12549 and 12689 concerning debarment and suspension of participants in federal programs and activities. Executive Order 12549 provides that, to the extent permitted by law, Executive departments and agencies shall participate in a government-wide system for non-procurement debarment and suspension. Executive Order 12689 extends the debarment and suspension policy to procurement activities of the federal government. A person who is debarred or suspended by a federal agency is excluded from federal financial and non-financial assistance and benefits under federal programs and activities, both directly (primary covered transaction) and indirectly (lower tier covered transactions). Debarment or suspension by one federal agency has government-wide effect.

Pursuant to the above-cited regulations, the New York State Department of Health (as a participant in a primary covered transaction) may not knowingly do business with a person who is debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or subject to other government-wide exclusion (including any exclusion from Medicare and State health care program participation on or after

August 25, 1995), and the Department of Health must require its prospective contractors, as prospective lower tier participants, to provide the certification in Appendix B to Part 76 of Title 45 CFR, as set forth below:

a) APPENDIX B TO 45 CFR PART 76-CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, INELIGIBILITY AND VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION-LOWER TIER COVERED TRANSACTIONS

**Instructions for Certification**

- (i) By signing and submitting this proposal, the prospective lower tier participant is providing the certification set out below.
- (ii) 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.
- (iii) 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 had become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- (iv) 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 meaning 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 those regulations.
- (v) 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 proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, 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.

- (vi) 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.
- (vii) 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 proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions, 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 List of Parties Excluded From Federal Procurement and Non-procurement Programs.
- (viii) 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.
- (ix) Except for transactions authorized under paragraph "e" of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, 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.

b) Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion – Lower Tier Covered Transactions

- (i) 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 agency.
- (ii) 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.

**B. Administrative Rules and Audits:**

1. If this contract is funded in whole or in part from federal funds, the CONTRACTOR shall comply with the following federal grant requirements regarding administration and allowable costs:

a) For a local or Indian tribal government, use the principles in the common rule, "Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Cooperative Agreements to State and Local Governments," and Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-87, "Cost Principles for State, Local and Indian Tribal Governments".

b) For a nonprofit organization other than  
(i) an institution of higher education,  
(ii) a hospital, or  
(iii) an organization named in OMB Circular A-122, "Cost Principles for Non-profit Organizations", as not subject to that circular, use the principles in OMB Circular A-110, "Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Agreements with Institutions of Higher Education, Hospitals and Other Non-profit Organizations," and OMB Circular A-122.

c) For an Educational Institution, use the principles in OMB Circular A-110 and OMB Circular A-21, "Cost Principles for Educational Institutions".

d) For a hospital, use the principles in OMB Circular A-110, Department of Health and Human Services, 45 CFR 74, Appendix E, "Principles for Determining Costs Applicable to Research and Development Under Grants and Contracts with Hospitals" and, if not covered for audit purposes by OMB Circular A-133, "Audits of States Local Governments and Non-profit Organizations", then subject to program specific audit requirements following Government Auditing Standards for financial audits.

2. If this contract is funded entirely from STATE funds, and if there are no specific administration and allowable costs requirements applicable, CONTRACTOR shall adhere to the applicable principles in "a" above.

3. The CONTRACTOR shall comply with the following grant requirements regarding audits.

a) If the contract is funded from federal funds, and the CONTRACTOR spends more than \$500,000 in federal funds in their fiscal year, an audit report must be submitted in accordance with OMB Circular A-133.

b) If this contract is funded from other than federal funds or if the contract is funded from a combination of STATE and federal funds but federal funds are less than \$500,000,



and if the CONTRACTOR receives \$300,000 or more in total annual payments from the STATE, the CONTRACTOR shall submit to the STATE after the end of the CONTRACTOR's fiscal year an audit report. The audit report shall be submitted to the STATE within thirty days after its completion but no later than nine months after the end of the audit period. The audit report shall summarize the business and financial transactions of the CONTRACTOR. The report shall be prepared and certified by an independent accounting firm or other accounting entity, which is demonstrably independent of the administration of the program being audited. Audits performed of the CONTRACTOR's records shall be conducted in accordance with Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States covering financial audits. This audit requirement may be met through entity-wide audits, coincident with the CONTRACTOR's fiscal year, as described in OMB Circular A-133. Reports, disclosures, comments and opinions required under these publications should be so noted in the audit report.

4. For audit reports due on or after April 1, 2003, that are not received by the dates due, the following steps shall be taken:

- a) If the audit report is one or more days late, voucher payments shall be held until a compliant audit report is received.
- b) If the audit report is 91 or more days late, the STATE shall recover payments for all STATE funded contracts for periods for which compliant audit reports are not received.
- c) If the audit report is 180 days or more late, the STATE shall terminate all active contracts, prohibit renewal of those contracts and prohibit the execution of future contracts until all outstanding compliant audit reports have been submitted.

#### **Part B. Program Specific Federal Clauses**

Attachment A-2 Part B intentionally omitted.

**ATTACHMENT B-1 EXPENDITURE BASED BUDGET  
SUMMARY**

PROJECT NAME: Early Intervention Administration

CONTRACTOR SFS PAYEE NAME: Oneida County Health Department

CONTRACT PERIOD:

From: October 1, 2014  
To: September 30, 2015

CATEGORY/OF EXPENSE	GRANT FUNDS	MATCH FUNDS	MATCH%	OTHER FUNDS	TOTAL
1. Personal Services					
a) Salary	\$ 61,538				\$ 61,538
b) Fringe	\$ 31,827				\$ 31,827
Subtotal	\$ 93,365				\$ 93,365
2. Non Personal Services					
a) Contractual Services					
b) Travel					
c) Equipment					
d) Space/Property & Utilities					
e) Operating Expenses	\$ 424				\$ 424
f) Other					
Subtotal	\$ 424				\$ 424
TOTAL	\$ 93,789				\$ 93,789







OPERATING EXPENSES - TYPE/DESCRIPTION	TOTAL
Office Supplies	424
TOTAL	424

OTHER - TYPE/DESCRIPTION	TOTAL
TOTAL	

## **ATTACHMENT C**

### **EARLY INTERVENTION ADMINISTRATION WORK PLAN**

**October 1, 2014 - September 30, 2015**

The mission of the statewide Early Intervention Program (EIP) is to identify and evaluate as early as possible those infants and toddlers whose healthy development is compromised and provide appropriate intervention to improve child and family development.

Local governments have responsibility for administering the EIP, subject to regulations of the Commissioner of Health, Subpart 69-4 of subchapter H of Chapter II of Title 10 (Health) of the Official Compilation of Codes, Rules and Regulations of the State of New York. Administrative funds are provided to all municipalities to offset costs incurred in the implementation of the EIP, exclusive of due process costs. This funding is contingent upon a municipality's compliance with the following work plan developed by the Department:

#### **Work Plan Responsibilities of Municipalities for 2014-2015:**

##### **Public Awareness and Child Find**

Municipalities will ensure that primary referral sources are aware of their responsibilities; that required provisions related to initial service coordination are implemented; and that procedures to complete evaluations, determine eligibility, and report eligibility determinations are implemented according to all regulatory requirements.

To accomplish this, municipalities will:

- Establish a single point of entry for referral of children who are at risk for developmental delays or potentially eligible children to the EIP and have a process in place for immediate referral of children suspected of having a developmental delay to the Early Intervention Official/Designee (EIO/D) if public health officers are designated to receive referrals.
- Disseminate public awareness materials and materials related to the EIP and Child Health Plus (including standardized referral forms to be used by primary referral sources, e.g., hospitals, pediatricians, day care providers, etc.) and promote local awareness of the EIP.
- Educate health care providers and primary referral sources about the importance of developmental screening, the availability of the EIP, and the requirement to refer children under the age of three years suspected of or at-risk for developmental disability to the EIO in the municipality that the child resides.
- Establish a working relationship with child protection agencies regarding the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act and address referral and screening requirements for

children under three years of age who are subjects of substantiated cases of abuse and neglect.

- Make other reasonable efforts to identify and locate children within the municipality who are potentially eligible for the EIP.
- Promote a local process to engage children in the primary health care system, including:
  - coordinating efforts to locate and recover at-risk children who have been disengaged from the primary health care system and reengage those children in primary care where they will receive periodic developmental surveillance and screening;
  - establishing linkages to other county health/community programs that currently have the responsibility to track at-risk children, and ensure that these children are followed and receive periodic developmental surveillance through those programs; and,
  - conducting follow-up activities with infants who have been referred by a hospital or have failed the initial newborn hearing screening and have not had a second screening.
- Ensure that any direct developmental screening conducted by the municipality is only conducted as a last resort, is not duplicative, and is provided only to children who have been identified as outside the primary health care system who cannot be reengaged in that system successfully. Because children who are suspected of having a developmental delay or disability are entitled to a multidisciplinary evaluation, municipalities cannot “prescreen” or “rescreen” them (e.g., complete a developmental screening such as the ASQ or other type of screening) to determine whether an evaluation should be completed or what type should be administered.
- Ensure that parents are fully informed of and understand their rights and entitlements under the EIP, including providing *The Early Intervention Program: A Parent’s Guide* to parents by mail or other suitable means within seven business days, and communicating in the family’s dominant language unless it is clearly not feasible to do so.
- Ensure that the municipality appropriately designates in writing an initial service coordinator (SC) (State-approved service providers) for each referred child, and that the initial SC performs required activities, including:
  - arranging a contact with the parent within five business days of receipt of referral from the EIO/D in a time, place and manner reasonably convenient for the parent;
  - assisting the parent in identifying and applying for Medicaid or other public benefit programs (such as Child Health Plus or SSI) for which the family may be eligible;
  - informing parents of potentially eligible children of their rights under the EIP;
  - collecting information necessary to establish third-party coverage for eligible children, including Medicaid, Child Health Plus, and commercial insurance;
  - assisting parents in gaining access to a multidisciplinary evaluation for their child for the purpose of determining eligibility according to regulatory requirements, including providing parents with all options for evaluation and objectively reviewing with parents evaluation options to allow them to make an informed choice regarding the evaluator’s specialties, availability, and location: and



- In consultation with the evaluator and with parent consent, notify regional offices of the Office of People with Developmental Disabilities (OPWDD) if a child is found to be potentially eligible for services under that agency.
- Ensure that the parent and municipality receive the evaluation report in a timely manner prior to the initial Individualized Family Service Plan (IFSP) so the IFSP meeting can be held within 45 days of the child's referral.
- Ensure that only eligible children receive IFSP services.

## **Family-Centered Services**

Municipalities will ensure that the development and implementation of the IFSP is timely, meets all regulatory requirements, and that parents are involved in the planning and evaluation of service delivery.

To accomplish this, municipalities will:

- Ensure that the EIO/D provides for adequate time before the meeting date so that the family and other participants will be able to attend.
- Ensure that the EIO/D sends timely written notice (two or more days before the meeting) of all IFSP meetings to required participants.
- Ensure that the EIO/D and all other required members participate in IFSP meetings, including six-month reviews. IFSP reviews can be conducted by an in-person meeting or other means agreed to by the parent that may include a telephone or video conference call or record review and written correspondence.
- Ensure that initial IFSPs are completed in a timely manner so that IFSPs are in compliance with the 45-day timeline from date of referral and that it is documented in the child's record and in the EI data system (KIDS/NYEIS) if the timeline is not met.
- Ensure that the development of IFSPs meet all regulatory requirements for every eligible child, including that IFSPs are held within the required time frames and that it is documented in the child's record and in the EI data system (KIDS/NYEIS) if the timeline is not met.
- Ensure that services agreed upon between the parent and EIO/D are clearly stated, in writing, in IFSPs authorized by the municipality.
- Ensure that due process rights of mediation, impartial hearing, and system complaints are provided to the parent whenever there is a dispute regarding services.  
The municipality is responsible for:
  - notifying the community dispute resolution center of the parent /guardian request.
  - being an active participant in the resolution of a dispute, including being available for

- attendance during mediations and impartial hearings; and,
  - cooperating with the system complaint process including the development of an acceptable corrective action plan which ensures continued compliance with statute and regulation.
- Ensure that parents understand that they may accept or decline any early intervention service without jeopardizing other early intervention services.
  - Secure written parental permission for the confidential exchange of information among parents, evaluators, service providers, service coordinators, and/or other individuals according to federal and state law and regulation.
  - Ensure that families are included in all aspects of the early intervention process and have the services needed to maximize their involvement.

### **Service Delivery and Natural Environments**

Municipalities will be responsible to ensure that services are individualized and delivered in accordance with the IFSP in environments appropriate to the unique needs of the child, and in a timely fashion.

To accomplish this, municipalities will:

- Ensure that all models of early intervention service delivery (home/community-based individual/collateral visits, office/facility-based individual/collateral visits, parent-child groups, group developmental interventions, family/caregiver support groups) are continuously available.
- Ensure that services specified in IFSPs, including any amendments, begin within 30 days of the effective date of the IFSP period and are provided continuously for the entire period that the IFSP is in effect.
- Ensure that all services use an individualized approach for both children and their families, including consideration and respect for cultural, ethnic, and other individual and family characteristics and lifestyles.
- Ensure that services are provided in home and community based settings to the maximum extent appropriate for the needs of the eligible child and, if services are not provided in natural environments, an explanation is provided in the IFSP. Natural environments include settings that are natural or normal for the child's age peers who do not have disabilities, including the home, a relative's home when child care is provided by the relative, a child care setting, or other community settings in which children without disabilities participate.
- Ensure that procedures are in place to change a service provider and to provide appropriate notification to the parent and other providers delivering IFSP services. The procedure implemented does not require an IFSP amendment for a change in the provider of record

and any process implemented must not delay service provision.

### **Delivery of Transportation and Respite Services**

Municipalities will be responsible to ensure that respite and transportation services are individualized and that these services are delivered in accordance with the IFSP and delivered in a timely fashion.

To accomplish this, municipalities will:

- Ensure that procedures are in place to ensure that respite services are available and that an established criterion to authorize respite services is in place when needed by the family.
- Ensure that procedures are in place to ensure that transportation services are available when needed by the family.

### **Transition**

Municipalities will ensure that a transition plan is created for all children, with the family, and is included in the child's record/IFSP; that transition steps occur within the required timelines; that gaps in services do not occur for children who are potentially eligible for services under section 4410 of the Education Law; and that referrals to other appropriate early childhood programs are made.

To accomplish this, municipalities will:

- Ensure that children thought to be potentially eligible for services under Section 4410 of the Education Law can smoothly transition from the EIP to the Preschool Special Education Program.
- Ensure that a transition plan to other childhood and support services is developed and implemented for children determined not eligible by the CPSE and that parents are assisted to access such services.
- Ensure that children determined not eligible by the CPSE are discharged from the EIP by their third birthday.

### **Administration**

Municipalities will strive to continuously improve the administration of the EIP in an effort to enhance the quality of services and payment of services.

To accomplish this, municipalities will:

- Comply with all federal and state laws and regulations regarding submission of data.

- Ensure that proper procedures exist to resolve disputes or complaints and parents are made aware of their rights to due process procedures to resolve such disputes or complaints through mediation and an impartial hearing.
- Ensure that proper procedures exist to maximize third-party reimbursement for services by ensuring that children's social security numbers, Medicaid enrollment status, identification numbers, and/or information of any other insurance or health benefits plan is obtained upon initial referral or as early as possible, and maintained in a confidential manner and that data is timely entered into the Department's data systems (NYEIS and KIDS).
- Establish an electronic funds transfer for county escrow payments by April 1, 2014
- Provide notification to the Department regarding fiscal audits that will be or have been conducted by the municipality and ensure that the final results of fiscal audits are immediately reported to the Department according to regulatory requirements.
- Report immediately to the Department violation(s) of any known statute or regulation.
- Develop and implement activities to oversee and improve the administration of the program, including:
  - ensuring that Local Early Intervention Coordinating Councils (LEICCs) meet EIP regulatory requirements regarding public notice, composition, activities, and reporting;
  - including the LEICC in assessing local service delivery capacity and identifying gaps in available qualified personnel and unmet service needs;
  - developing mechanisms to support parents of young children with a developmental delay to participate in collaborative planning and policy development efforts with the municipality and state;
  - ensuring that the municipality maintains early intervention records consistent with the early intervention records guidance document issued by the Department;
  - ensuring that municipal policies are consistent with federal provision of Part C of the IDEA and by CFR Part 303 and state law and regulation;
  - using the EIP computerized data system provided by the Department to enter valid data into all required data fields in a timely fashion;
  - identifying and reporting to the Department eligible foster or homeless children through the data system (KIDS/NYEIS);
  - routinely transmitting data, including electronic data transfers, in a method and to a location defined by the Department as detailed in Section D. of Project Specific Reporting Requirements;
  - providing data and other information mandated by specific legislation or otherwise required by the Department for administrative purposes; and
  - conducting ongoing data validation, including providing timely corrections when invalid data is identified by the Department.
- Implement proper procedures to protect the confidentiality of early intervention records and

personally identifiable information of children and their families within the municipality and by service providers according to FERPA and EIP regulations, and applicable federal requirements.

- Participate in monitoring and quality assurance activities, including:
  - providing data, completing surveys, and conducting other activities that provide information about local program performance needed for federal or state monitoring and quality assurance initiatives and reports;
  - providing access to documents and personnel for municipal or provider monitoring, audits, investigations, or other reviews conducted by the State or its agents;
  - participating in State monitoring reviews, as resources allow.
  
- Ensure that procedures are in place in accordance with EIP regulations for children in care, including:
  - establishing agreements with local social services districts to identify children in need of a surrogate parent and ensuring prompt designation of a qualified surrogate parent; and
  - ensuring that information about children in care, including the IFSP, is transmitted to the municipality of residence.
  
- Utilize the centralized management information system, New York Early Intervention System (NYEIS), in the manner prescribed by the Department and the Bureau of Early Intervention.

**ATTACHMENT D  
PAYMENT AND REPORTING SCHEDULE**

**I. PAYMENT PROVISIONS**

In full consideration of contract services to be performed the State Agency agrees to pay and the contractor agrees to accept a sum not to exceed the amount noted on the face page hereof. All payments shall be in accordance with the budget contained in the applicable Attachment B form (Budget), which is attached hereto.

**A. Advance Payment and Recoupment Language (if applicable):**

1. The State agency will make an advance payment to the Contractor, during the initial period, in the amount of 0 percent (0 %) the budget as set forth in the most recently approved applicable Attachment B form (Budget).
2. Recoupment of any advance payment(s) shall be recovered by crediting (  %) of subsequent claims and such claims will be reduced until the advance is fully recovered within the contract period.
3. Scheduled advance payments shall be due in accordance with an approved payment schedule as follows:

Period: _____	Amount: _____	Due Date: _____
Period: _____	Amount: _____	Due Date: _____
Period: _____	Amount: _____	Due Date: _____
Period: _____	Amount: _____	Due Date: _____

**B. Interim and/or Final Claims for Reimbursement**

Claiming Schedule (*select applicable frequency*):

- Quarterly Reimbursement  
Due date 45 days after end of quarter
- Monthly Reimbursement  
Due date \_\_\_\_\_
- Biannual Reimbursement  
Due date \_\_\_\_\_
- Fee for Service Reimbursement  
Due date \_\_\_\_\_

- Rate Based Reimbursement  
Due date \_\_\_\_\_
- Fifth Quarter Reimbursement  
Due date \_\_\_\_\_
- Milestone/Performance Reimbursement  
Due date/Frequency \_\_\_\_\_
- Scheduled Reimbursement  
Due date/Frequency \_\_\_\_\_

## II. REPORTING PROVISIONS

### A. Expenditure-Based Reports *(select the applicable report type):*

- Narrative/Qualitative Report

The Contractor will submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than \_\_\_\_\_ days from the end of the quarter, the report described in Section III(G)(2)(a)(i) of the Master Contract.

- Statistical/Quantitative Report

The Contractor will submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than \_\_\_\_\_ days from the end of the quarter, the report described in Section III(G)(2)(a)(ii) of the Master Contract.

- Expenditure Report

The Contractor will submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than 45 days after the end date for which reimbursement is being claimed, the report described in Section III(G)(2)(a)(iii) of the Master Contract.

- Final Report

The Contractor will submit the final report as described in Section III(G)(2)(a)(iv) of the Master Contract, no later than \_\_\_\_\_ days after the end of the contract period.

- Consolidated Fiscal Report (CFR)<sup>1</sup>

The Contractor will submit the CFR on an annual basis, in accordance with the time frames designated in the CFR manual. For New York City contractors, the due date shall be May 1 of each year; for Upstate and Long Island contractors, the due date shall be November 1 of each year.

<sup>1</sup> The Consolidated Fiscal Reporting System is a standardized electronic reporting method accepted by Office of Alcoholism & Substance Services, Office of Mental Health, Office of Persons with Developmental Disabilities and the State Education Department, consisting of schedules which, in different combinations, capture financial information for budgets, quarterly and/or mid-year claims, an annual cost report, and a final claim. The CFR, which must be submitted annually, is both a year-end cost report and a year-end claiming document.

**B. Progress-Based Reports**

1. Progress Reports

The Contractor shall provide the report described in Section III(G)(2)(b)(i) of the Master Contract in accordance with the forms and in the format provided by the State Agency, summarizing the work performed during the contract period (see Table 1 below for the annual schedule).

2. Final Progress Report

Final scheduled payment will not be due until \_\_\_\_ days after completion of agency's audit of the final expenditures report/documentation showing total grant expenses submitted by vendor with its final invoice. Deadline for submission of the final report is \_\_\_\_\_. The agency shall complete its audit and notify vendor of the results no later than \_\_\_\_\_. The Contractor shall submit the report not later than \_\_\_\_ days from the end of the contract.

**C. Other Reports**

The Contractor shall provide reports in accordance with the form, content and schedule as set forth in Table 1.



**TABLE I – REPORTING SCHEDULE**

PROGRESS REPORT #	PERIOD COVERED	DUE DATE
A	10/1/2014 - 9/30/2015 quarterly	45 days after quarter ending date
B	10/1/2014 - 9/30/2015	45 days after 9/30/2015
C.1	Data Complete Through 10/1/2014	11/1/2014
C.2	Data Complete Through 12/31/2014	2/1/2015
C.3	Data Complete Through 3/31/2015	5/1/2015
C.4	Data Complete Through 6/30/2015	8/1/2015
C.5	Data Complete Through 8/31/2015	10/1/2015
D	As required	Upon request
E	As required	Upon request

## PROJECT SPECIFIC REPORTING REQUIREMENTS EARLY INTERVENTION ADMINISTRATION

October 1, 2014 - September 30, 2015

### A. Expenditure Report

The Contractor will submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than **45** days after the end date for which reimbursement is being claimed, a detailed expenditure report, by object of expense. This report will accompany the voucher submitted for each period. A copy of this report will be submitted within the specified timeframes to the county's regional office staff representative.

### B. Annual Equipment Inventory

The Contractor will submit, not later than **45** days after the end of each contract year, a perpetual annual equipment inventory report, in a format to be provided by the State, listing equipment purchased with Early Intervention Administration funds since the start of the contract term (October 1, 2014).

### C. Data Reports

- Submission of Data

The Contractor will submit data to the State in a format to be provided by State DOH. Prior to submission, data entry into the Early Intervention data system is to be complete (through entry of service records) and accurate for all children who are served (with an initial IFSP) in the Early Intervention Program in accordance with the following schedule:

<u>Data Complete through</u>	<u>Date Due</u>
1. October 1	November 1
2. December 31	February 1
3. March 31	May 1
4. June 30	August 1
5. August 31	October 1

### D. Ad Hoc Reports

- On occasion, other reports may be required to determine contract compliance and quality of service being rendered (e.g. sample case studies, corrective action plans, quality improvement surveys). A copy of

these reports will be submitted within the specified timeframe(s) to the county's regional office staff representative.

- Submission of data and completion of surveys to respond to statutorily required reports shall be required as necessary. A copy of any completed surveys will be submitted within the specified timeframe(s) to the county's regional office staff representative.

#### E. Local Reports

- As required by the U.S. Department of Education, during the contract period the Department will analyze Contractor's own data using methodologies defined by the U.S. Department of Education to determine Contractor's performance for eight federally-defined indicators. The Department will provide the results back to the Contractor and the Contractor will submit a report in response to each indicator. The content and format of the report will be determined by the Department. The eight federally-defined indicators are:
  1. Percent of infants and toddlers with Individual Family Service Plans (IFSPs) who receive EI services on their IFSPs in a timely manner;
  2. Percent of infants and toddlers with IFSPs who receive EI services primarily in the home or in programs for typically developing children;
  3. Percent of infants and toddlers with IFSPs who demonstrate improved positive social-emotional skills, acquisition and use of knowledge and skills, and use of appropriate behaviors to meet their needs;
  4. Percent of families participating in Part C who report that early intervention services have helped the family know their rights, effectively communicate their children's needs, help their children develop and learn;
  5. Percent of infants and toddlers birth to one year with IFSPs;
  6. Percent of infants and toddlers birth to three years with IFSPs;
  7. Percent of eligible infants and toddlers with IFSPs for whom an evaluation and assessment and an initial IFSP meeting were conducted within 45 days;
  8. Percent of all children exiting Part C who received timely transition planning to support the child's transition to preschool and other

appropriate community services by their third birthday, including: IFSPs with transition steps and services, notification to Local Education Agency (LEA) if child potentially eligible for Part B, and transition conference, if child potentially eligible for Part B.

- On occasion, the Department may provide the results of other State analyses of local data back to the Contractor. Upon the request of the Department, the Contractor will submit a report in response to all or some of the data analyses, in a format to be determined by the Department.

## DFH Vendor/Grantee Staff Contact Update Form

Please complete all sections of the form for your current Division of Family Health (DFH) contract. If you have more than one active contract with DFH you **MUST** complete a separate form for each contract. Providing this information will allow us to keep accurate records and insure that you receive contract information in a timely manner.

**SFS Vendor Name:** Oneida County of

**SFS Vendor ID #:** 1000002595

**Contract #:** C027494

**Initiative:** Early Intervention

### **Counties Served (Check all that apply):**

<input type="checkbox"/> Statewide (all counties)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Albany	<input type="checkbox"/> Allegany	<input type="checkbox"/> Bronx	<input type="checkbox"/> Broome
<input type="checkbox"/> Cattaraugus	<input type="checkbox"/> Cayuga	<input type="checkbox"/> Chautauqua	<input type="checkbox"/> Chemung
<input type="checkbox"/> Chenango	<input type="checkbox"/> Clinton	<input type="checkbox"/> Columbia	<input type="checkbox"/> Cortland
<input type="checkbox"/> Delaware	<input type="checkbox"/> Dutchess	<input type="checkbox"/> Erie	<input type="checkbox"/> Essex
<input type="checkbox"/> Franklin	<input type="checkbox"/> Fulton	<input type="checkbox"/> Genesee	<input type="checkbox"/> Greene
<input type="checkbox"/> Hamilton	<input type="checkbox"/> Herkimer	<input type="checkbox"/> Jefferson	<input type="checkbox"/> Kings
<input type="checkbox"/> Lewis	<input type="checkbox"/> Livingston	<input type="checkbox"/> Madison	<input type="checkbox"/> Monroe
<input type="checkbox"/> Montgomery	<input type="checkbox"/> Nassau	<input type="checkbox"/> New York	<input type="checkbox"/> Niagara
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oneida	<input type="checkbox"/> Onondaga	<input type="checkbox"/> Ontario	<input type="checkbox"/> Orange
<input type="checkbox"/> Orleans	<input type="checkbox"/> Oswego	<input type="checkbox"/> Otsego	<input type="checkbox"/> Putnam
<input type="checkbox"/> Queens	<input type="checkbox"/> Rensselaer	<input type="checkbox"/> Richmond	<input type="checkbox"/> Rockland
<input type="checkbox"/> Saratoga	<input type="checkbox"/> Schenectady	<input type="checkbox"/> Schoharie	<input type="checkbox"/> Schuyler
<input type="checkbox"/> Seneca	<input type="checkbox"/> St. Lawrence	<input type="checkbox"/> Steuben	<input type="checkbox"/> Suffolk
<input type="checkbox"/> Sullivan	<input type="checkbox"/> Tioga	<input type="checkbox"/> Tompkins	<input type="checkbox"/> Ulster
<input type="checkbox"/> Warren	<input type="checkbox"/> Washington	<input type="checkbox"/> Wayne	<input type="checkbox"/> Westchester
<input type="checkbox"/> Wyoming	<input type="checkbox"/> Yates		

Please fill in the information for the person(s) in your organization to be contacted regarding issues in the categories below. The same person may have more than one designation, but there should be at least 2 staff members able to provide coverage for the four functions. Please note that all DFH contract communications are sent electronically. Accurate emails will reduce delays in processing your contract.

<b>Primary Program Contact: (works directly with the program)</b>	<b>Contact Name:</b> Patricia Meyer
	<b>Title:</b> Director of Early Intervention
	<b>Address 1:</b> 185 Genesee St.
	<b>Address 2:</b>
	<b>City, State, Zip:</b> Utica, NY 13501
	<b>Phone:</b> 315-798-5249
	<b>Email:</b> pmeyer@ocgov.net

<b>Primary Administrative Contact: (has administrative responsibility for the program/initiative)</b>	<b>Contact Name:</b> Patricia Meyer
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<b>Primary Fiscal Contact: (works with and/or has responsibility for budgetary issues)</b>	<b>Contact Name:</b> Thomas Engle
	<b>Title:</b> Fiscal Services Administrator
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	<b>Phone:</b> 315-798-5080
	<b>Email:</b> tengle@ocgov.net

<b>Contract Signatory:</b> (person authorized to sign contracts)	<b>Contact Name:</b> Anthony J. Picente, Jr.
	<b>Title:</b> Oneida County Executive
	<b>Address 1:</b> 800 Park Avenue
	<b>Address 2:</b>
	<b>City, State, Zip:</b> Utica, NY 13501
	<b>Phone:</b> 315-798-5800
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<b>Board Chair: (chair of the Board of Directors)</b>	<b>Contact Name:</b> Gerald J. Fiorini
	<b>Title:</b> Chairman of the Board
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# ONEIDA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

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ANTHONY J. PICENTE, JR.  
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March 6, 2015

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive  
Oneida County Office Building  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, New York 13501

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15-181

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Re: C-029728 Renewal

WAYS & MEANS

Dear Mr. Picente:

Attached are five (5) copies of a renewal agreement between Oneida County through its Health Department and New York State Department of Health – Children with Special Health Care Needs Program. As you are aware, the Oneida County Department of Health through the Division of Special Children's Services and Physically Handicapped Children's Program receives funding from the New York State Department of Health for the administration of the Children with Special Health Care Needs Program (CSHCN).

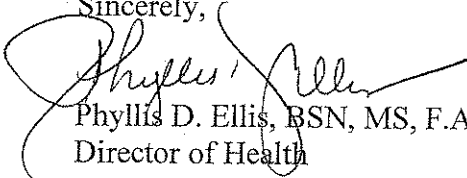
The Children with Special Health Care Needs Program provides information and referrals to families of the CSHCN Program who are uninsured or underinsured or need assistance accessing appropriate community resources.

This agreement will commence October 1, 2014 through September 30, 2017 for a total reimbursement of \$88,101.00. This agreement is being sent for execution after its commencement date as the agreement was received by Oneida County Health Department on January 26, 2015.

**Please note:** New York State Department of Health requires two (2) original signature forms with notarized signatures; which will be returned to them.

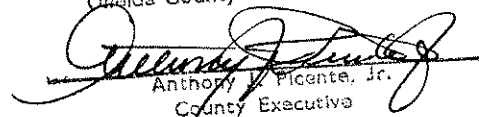
*This Contract Renewal requires Board of Legislatures approval.*

Sincerely,

  
Phyllis D. Ellis, BSN, MS, F.A.C.H.E.  
Director of Health

PDE/kb  
Attachments

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

  
Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date

4/6/15





**STATE OF NEW YORK MASTER CONTRACT FOR GRANTS FACE PAGE**

<p>STATE AGENCY (Name &amp; Address):</p> <p>New York State Department of Health          Empire State Plaza          Corning Tower, Room 859          Albany, NY 12237</p>	<p>BUSINESS UNIT/DEPT. ID: DOH01/3450000</p> <p>CONTRACT NUMBER: C029728</p> <p>CONTRACT TYPE:</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Multi-Year Agreement  <input type="checkbox"/> Simplified Renewal Agreement  <input type="checkbox"/> Fixed Term Agreement</p>
<p>CONTRACTOR SFS PAYEE NAME:</p> <p>Oneida County</p>	<p>TRANSACTION TYPE:</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New  <input type="checkbox"/> Renewal  <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment</p>
<p>CONTRACTOR DOS INCORPORATED NAME:</p>	<p>PROJECT NAME:</p> <p>Children with Special Health Care Needs</p>
<p>CONTRACTOR IDENTIFICATION NUMBERS:</p> <p>NYS Vendor ID Number: 1000002595          Federal Tax ID Number: 15-6000460          DUNS Number (if applicable): 075814186</p>	<p>AGENCY IDENTIFIER:</p> <p>CFDA NUMBER (Federally Funded Grants Only):          93.994</p>
<p>CONTRACTOR PRIMARY MAILING ADDRESS:</p> <p>185 Genesee St., 5th Floor          Utica, New York 13501</p> <p>CONTRACTOR PAYMENT ADDRESS:</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check if same as primary mailing address</p> <p>CONTRACT MAILING ADDRESS:</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check if same as primary mailing address</p>	<p>CONTRACTOR STATUS:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> For Profit  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Municipality, Code: 300100000  <input type="checkbox"/> Tribal Nation  <input type="checkbox"/> Individual  <input type="checkbox"/> Not-for-Profit</p> <p>Charities Registration Number:</p> <p>Exemption Status/Code: EPTL3</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Sectarian Entity</p>

Contract Number: # C029728

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Master Grant Contract, Face Page

**STATE OF NEW YORK MASTER CONTRACT FOR GRANTS FACE PAGE**

<p><b>CURRENT CONTRACT TERM:</b> From: 10/01/2014      To: 09/30/2017</p> <p><b>CURRENT CONTRACT PERIOD:</b> From: 10/01/2014      To: 09/30/2017</p> <p><b>AMENDED TERM:</b> From:                      To:</p> <p><b>AMENDED PERIOD:</b> From:                      To:</p>	<p><b>CONTRACT FUNDING AMOUNT</b> (<i>Multi-year</i> - enter total projected amount of the contract; <i>Fixed Term/Simplified Renewal</i> - enter current period amount):</p> <p>CURRENT: \$ 88,101</p> <p>AMENDED:</p> <p>FUNDING SOURCE(S)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> State <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Federal <input type="checkbox"/> Other</p>
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*FOR MULTI-YEAR AGREEMENTS ONLY* - CONTRACT PERIOD AND FUNDING AMOUNT:  
(Out years represent projected funding amounts)

#	CURRENT PERIOD	CURRENT AMOUNT	AMENDED PERIOD	AMENDED AMOUNT
1	10/1/14-9/30/15	\$ 29,367		
2	10/1/15-9/30/16	\$ 29,367		
3	10/1/16-9/30/17	\$ 29,367		
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**ATTACHMENTS PART OF THIS AGREEMENT:**

- Attachment A:
  - A-1 Program Specific Terms and Conditions
  - A-2 Federally Funded Grants
  
- Attachment B:
  - B-1 Expenditure Based Budget
  - B-2 Performance Based Budget
  - B-3 Capital Budget
  - B-1(A) Expenditure Based Budget (Amendment)
  - B-2(A) Performance Based Budget (Amendment)
  - B-3(A) Capital Budget (Amendment)
  
- Attachment C: Work Plan
- Attachment D: Payment and Reporting Schedule
- Other:

**STATE OF NEW YORK  
MASTER CONTRACT FOR GRANTS**

This State of New York Master Contract for Grants (Master Contract) is hereby made by and between the State of New York acting by and through the applicable State Agency (State) and the public or private entity (Contractor) identified on the face page hereof (Face Page).

**WITNESSETH:**

**WHEREAS**, the State has the authority to regulate and provide funding for the establishment and operation of program services, design or the execution and performance of construction projects, as applicable and desires to contract with skilled parties possessing the necessary resources to provide such services or work, as applicable; and

**WHEREAS**, the Contractor is ready, willing and able to provide such program services or the execution and performance of construction projects and possesses or can make available all necessary qualified personnel, licenses, facilities and expertise to perform or have performed the services or work, as applicable, required pursuant to the terms of the Master Contract;

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the promises, responsibilities, and covenants herein, the State and the Contractor agree as follows:

**STANDARD TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

**I. GENERAL PROVISIONS**

**A. Executory Clause:** In accordance with Section 41 of the State Finance Law, the State shall have no liability under the Master Contract to the Contractor, or to anyone else, beyond funds appropriated and available for the Master Contract.

**B. Required Approvals:** In accordance with Section 112 of the State Finance Law (or, if the Master Contract is with the State University of New York (SUNY) or City University of New York (CUNY), Section 355 or Section 6218 of the Education Law), if the Master Contract exceeds \$50,000 (or \$85,000 for contracts let by the Office of General Services, or the minimum thresholds agreed to by the Office of the State Comptroller (OSC) for certain SUNY and CUNY contracts), or if this is an amendment for any amount to a contract which, as so amended, exceeds said statutory amount including, but not limited to, changes in amount, consideration, scope or contract term identified on the Face Page (Contract Term), it shall not be valid, effective or binding upon the State until it has been approved by, and filed with, the New York Attorney General Contract Approval Unit (AG) and OSC. If, by the Master Contract, the State agrees to give something other than money when the value or reasonably estimated value of such consideration exceeds \$10,000, it shall not be valid, effective or binding upon the State until it has been approved by, and filed with, the AG and OSC.

**Budget Changes:** An amendment that would result in a transfer of funds among program activities or budget cost categories that does not affect the amount, consideration, scope or other terms of such contract may be subject to the approval of the AG and OSC where the amount of such modification is, as a portion of the total value of the contract, equal to or greater than ten percent for contracts of less than five million dollars, or five percent for contracts of more than

five million dollars; and, in addition, such amendment may be subject to prior approval by the applicable State Agency as detailed in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

**C. Order of Precedence:**

In the event of a conflict among (i) the terms of the Master Contract (including any and all attachments and amendments) or (ii) between the terms of the Master Contract and the original request for proposal, the program application or other attachment that was completed and executed by the Contractor in connection with the Master Contract, the order of precedence is as follows:

1. Standard Terms and Conditions
2. Modifications to the Face Page
3. Modifications to Attachment A-2<sup>1</sup>, Attachment B, Attachment C and Attachment D
4. The Face Page
5. Attachment A-2<sup>2</sup>, Attachment B, Attachment C and Attachment D
6. Modification to Attachment A-1
7. Attachment A-1
8. Other attachments, including, but not limited to, the request for proposal or program application

**D. Funding:** Funding for the term of the Master Contract shall not exceed the amount specified as “Contract Funding Amount” on the Face Page or as subsequently revised to reflect an approved renewal or cost amendment. Funding for the initial and subsequent periods of the Master Contract shall not exceed the applicable amounts specified in the applicable Attachment B form (Budget).

**E. Contract Performance:** The Contractor shall perform all services or work, as applicable, and comply with all provisions of the Master Contract to the satisfaction of the State. The Contractor shall provide services or work, as applicable, and meet the program objectives summarized in Attachment C (Work Plan) in accordance with the provisions of the Master Contract, relevant laws, rules and regulations, administrative, program and fiscal guidelines, and where applicable, operating certificate for facilities or licenses for an activity or program.

**F. Modifications:** To modify the Attachments or Face Page, the parties mutually agree to record, in writing, the terms of such modification and to revise or complete the Face Page and all the appropriate attachments in conjunction therewith. In addition, to the extent that such modification meets the criteria set forth in Section I.B herein, it shall be subject to the approval of the AG and

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<sup>1</sup> To the extent that the modifications to Attachment A-2 are required by federal requirements and conflict with other provisions of the Master Contract, the modifications to Attachment A-2 shall supersede all other provisions of this Master Contract. See Section I(V).

<sup>2</sup> To the extent that the terms of Attachment A-2 are required by federal requirements and conflict with other provisions of the Master Contract, the federal requirements of Attachment A-2 shall supersede all other provisions of this Master Contract. See Section I(V).  
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OSC before it shall become valid, effective and binding upon the State. Modifications that are not subject to the AG and OSC approval shall be processed in accordance with the guidelines stated in the Master Contract.

**G. Governing Law:** The Master Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal Supremacy Clause requires otherwise.

**H. Severability:** Any provision of the Master Contract that is held to be invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any respect by a court of competent jurisdiction, shall be ineffective only to the extent of such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability, without affecting in any way the remaining provisions hereof; provided, however, that the parties to the Master Contract shall attempt in good faith to reform the Master Contract in a manner consistent with the intent of any such ineffective provision for the purpose of carrying out such intent. If any provision is held void, invalid or unenforceable with respect to particular circumstances, it shall nevertheless remain in full force and effect in all other circumstances.

**I. Interpretation:** The headings in the Master Contract are inserted for convenience and reference only and do not modify or restrict any of the provisions herein. All personal pronouns used herein shall be considered to be gender neutral. The Master Contract has been made under the laws of the State of New York, and the venue for resolving any disputes hereunder shall be in a court of competent jurisdiction of the State of New York.

**J. Notice:**

1. All notices, except for notices of termination, shall be in writing and shall be transmitted either:

- a) by certified or registered United States mail, return receipt requested;
- b) by facsimile transmission;
- c) by personal delivery;
- d) by expedited delivery service; or
- e) by e-mail.

2. Notices to the State shall be addressed to the Program Office designated in Attachment A-1 (Program Specific Terms and Conditions).

3. Notices to the Contractor shall be addressed to the Contractor's designee as designated in Attachment A-1 (Program Specific Terms and Conditions).

4. Any such notice shall be deemed to have been given either at the time of personal delivery or, in the case of expedited delivery service or certified or registered United States mail, as of the date of first attempted delivery at the address and in the manner provided herein, or in the case of facsimile transmission or e-mail, upon receipt.

5. The parties may, from time to time, specify any new or different e-mail address, facsimile

number or address in the United States as their address for purpose of receiving notice under the Master Contract by giving fifteen (15) calendar days prior written notice to the other party sent in accordance herewith. The parties agree to mutually designate individuals as their respective representatives for the purposes of receiving notices under the Master Contract. Additional individuals may be designated in writing by the parties for purposes of implementation, administration, billing and resolving issues and/or disputes.

**K. Service of Process:** In addition to the methods of service allowed by the State Civil Practice Law & Rules (CPLR), Contractor hereby consents to service of process upon it by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested. Service hereunder shall be complete upon Contractor's actual receipt of process or upon the State's receipt of the return thereof by the United States Postal Service as refused or undeliverable. Contractor must promptly notify the State, in writing, of each and every change of address to which service of process can be made. Service by the State to the last known address shall be sufficient. The Contractor shall have thirty (30) calendar days after service hereunder is complete in which to respond.

**L. Set-Off Rights:** The State shall have all of its common law, equitable, and statutory rights of set-off. These rights shall include, but not be limited to, the State's option to withhold, for the purposes of set-off, any moneys due to the Contractor under the Master Contract up to any amounts due and owing to the State with regard to the Master Contract, any other contract with any State department or agency, including any contract for a term commencing prior to the term of the Master Contract, plus any amounts due and owing to the State for any other reason including, without limitation, tax delinquencies, fee delinquencies, or monetary penalties relative thereto. The State shall exercise its set-off rights in accordance with normal State practices including, in cases of set-off pursuant to an audit, the finalization of such audit by the State Agency, its representatives, or OSC.

**M. Indemnification:** The Contractor shall be solely responsible and answerable in damages for any and all accidents and/or injuries to persons (including death) or property arising out of or related to the services to be rendered by the Contractor or its subcontractors pursuant to this Master Contract. The Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless the State and its officers and employees from claims, suits, actions, damages and cost of every nature arising out of the provision of services pursuant to the Master Contract.

**N. Non-Assignment Clause:** In accordance with Section 138 of the State Finance Law, the Master Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet, or otherwise disposed of without the State's previous written consent, and attempts to do so shall be considered to be null and void. Notwithstanding the foregoing, such prior written consent of an assignment of a contract, let pursuant to Article XI of the State Finance Law, may be waived at the discretion of the State Agency and with the concurrence of OSC, where the original contract was subject to OSC's approval, where the assignment is due to a reorganization, merger, or consolidation of the Contractor's business entity or enterprise. The State retains its right to approve an assignment and to require that the merged contractor demonstrate its responsibility to do business with the State. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the State's prior written consent unless the Master Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Article 5-A of the State Finance Law.

**O. Legal Action:** No litigation or regulatory action shall be brought against the State of New York, the State Agency, or against any county or other local government entity with funds provided under

the Master Contract. The term "litigation" shall include commencing or threatening to commence a lawsuit, joining or threatening to join as a party to ongoing litigation, or requesting any relief from any of the State of New York, the State Agency, or any county, or other local government entity. The term "regulatory action" shall include commencing or threatening to commence a regulatory proceeding, or requesting any regulatory relief from any of the State of New York, the State Agency, or any county, or other local government entity.

**P. No Arbitration:** Disputes involving the Master Contract, including the breach or alleged breach thereof, may not be submitted to binding arbitration (except where statutorily authorized), but must, instead, be heard in a court of competent jurisdiction of the State of New York.

**Q. Secular Purpose:** Services performed pursuant to the Master Contract are secular in nature and shall be performed in a manner that does not discriminate on the basis of religious belief, or promote or discourage adherence to religion in general or particular religious beliefs.

**R. Partisan Political Activity and Lobbying:** Funds provided pursuant to the Master Contract shall not be used for any partisan political activity, or for activities that attempt to influence legislation or election or defeat of any candidate for public office.

**S. Reciprocity and Sanctions Provisions:** The Contractor is hereby notified that if its principal place of business is located in a country, nation, province, state, or political subdivision that penalizes New York State vendors, and if the goods or services it offers shall be substantially produced or performed outside New York State, the Omnibus Procurement Act 1994 and 2000 amendments (Chapter 684 and Chapter 383, respectively) require that it be denied contracts which it would otherwise obtain.<sup>3</sup>

**T. Reporting Fraud and Abuse:** Contractor acknowledges that it has reviewed information on how to prevent, detect, and report fraud, waste and abuse of public funds, including information about the Federal False Claims Act, the New York State False Claims Act, and whistleblower protections.

**U. Non-Collusive Bidding:** By submission of this bid, the Contractor and each person signing on behalf of the Contractor certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of his or her knowledge and belief that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the State a non-collusive binding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

**V. Federally Funded Grants:** All of the Specific federal requirements that are applicable to the Master Contract are identified in Attachment A-2 (Federally Funded Grants) hereto. To the extent that the Master Contract is funded in whole or part with federal funds, (i) the provisions of the Master Contract that conflict with federal rules, federal regulations, or federal program specific requirements shall not apply and (ii) the Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable federal

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<sup>3</sup>As of October 9, 2012, the list of discriminatory jurisdictions subject to this provision includes the states of Alaska, Hawaii, Louisiana, South Carolina, West Virginia and Wyoming. Contact NYS Department of Economic Development for the most current list of jurisdictions subject to this provision.



rules, regulations and program specific requirements including, but not limited to, those provisions that are set forth in Attachment A-2 (Federally Funded Grants) hereto.

## II. TERM, TERMINATION AND SUSPENSION

**A. Term:** The term of the Master Contract shall be as specified on the Face Page, unless terminated sooner as provided herein.

**B. Renewal:**

**1. General Renewal:** The Master Contract may consist of successive periods on the same terms and conditions, as specified within the Master Contract (a "Simplified Renewal Contract"). Each additional or superseding period shall be on the forms specified by the State and shall be incorporated in the Master Contract.

**2. Renewal Notice to Not-for-Profit Contractors:**

a) Pursuant to State Finance Law §179-t, if the Master Contract is with a not-for-profit Contractor and provides for a renewal option, the State shall notify the Contractor of the State's intent to renew or not to renew the Master Contract no later than ninety (90) calendar days prior to the end of the term of the Master Contract, unless funding for the renewal is contingent upon enactment of an appropriation. If funding for the renewal is contingent upon enactment of an appropriation, the State shall notify the Contractor of the State's intent to renew or not to renew the Master Contract the later of: (1) ninety (90) calendar days prior to the end of the term of the Master Contract, and (2) thirty (30) calendar days after the necessary appropriation becomes law. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in the event that the State is unable to comply with the time frames set forth in this paragraph due to unusual circumstances beyond the control of the State ("Unusual Circumstances"), no payment of interest shall be due to the not-for-profit Contractor. For purposes of State Finance Law §179-t, "Unusual Circumstances" shall not mean the failure by the State to (i) plan for implementation of a program, (ii) assign sufficient staff resources to implement a program, (iii) establish a schedule for the implementation of a program or (iv) anticipate any other reasonably foreseeable circumstance.

b) Notification to the not-for-profit Contractor of the State's intent to not renew the Master Contract must be in writing in the form of a letter, with the reason(s) for the non-renewal included. If the State does not provide notice to the not-for-profit Contractor of its intent not to renew the Master Contract as required in this Section and State Finance Law §179-t, the Master Contract shall be deemed continued until the date the State provides the necessary notice to the Contractor, in accordance with State Finance Law §179-t. Expenses incurred by the not-for-profit Contractor during such extension shall be reimbursable under the terms of the Master Contract.

## C. Termination:

### 1. Grounds:

a) Mutual Consent: The Master Contract may be terminated at any time upon mutual written consent of the State and the Contractor.

b) Cause: The State may terminate the Master Contract immediately, upon written notice of termination to the Contractor, if the Contractor fails to comply with any of the terms and conditions of the Master Contract and/or with any laws, rules, regulations, policies, or procedures that are applicable to the Master Contract.

c) Non-Responsibility: In accordance with the provisions of Sections IV(N)(6) and (7) herein, the State may make a final determination that the Contractor is non-responsible (Determination of Non-Responsibility). In such event, the State may terminate the Master Contract at the Contractor's expense, complete the contractual requirements in any manner the State deems advisable and pursue available legal or equitable remedies for breach.

d) Convenience: The State may terminate the Master Contract in its sole discretion upon thirty (30) calendar days prior written notice.

e) Lack of Funds: If for any reason the State or the Federal government terminates or reduces its appropriation to the applicable State Agency entering into the Master Contract or fails to pay the full amount of the allocation for the operation of one or more programs funded under this Master Contract, the Master Contract may be terminated or reduced at the State Agency's discretion, provided that no such reduction or termination shall apply to allowable costs already incurred by the Contractor where funds are available to the State Agency for payment of such costs. Upon termination or reduction of the Master Contract, all remaining funds paid to the Contractor that are not subject to allowable costs already incurred by the Contractor shall be returned to the State Agency. In any event, no liability shall be incurred by the State (including the State Agency) beyond monies available for the purposes of the Master Contract. The Contractor acknowledges that any funds due to the State Agency or the State of New York because of disallowed expenditures after audit shall be the Contractor's responsibility.

f) Force Majeure: The State may terminate or suspend its performance under the Master Contract immediately upon the occurrence of a "force majeure." For purposes of the Master Contract, "Force majeure" shall include, but not be limited to, natural disasters, war, rebellion, insurrection, riot, strikes, lockout and any unforeseen circumstances and acts beyond the control of the State which render the performance of its obligations impossible.

### 2. Notice of Termination:

a) Service of notice: Written notice of termination shall be sent by:

(i) personal messenger service; or

(ii) certified mail, return receipt requested and first class mail.

b) Effective date of termination: The effective date of the termination shall be the later of (i) the date indicated in the notice and (ii) the date the notice is received by the Contractor, and shall be established as follows:

(i) if the notice is delivered by hand, the date of receipt shall be established by the receipt given to the Contractor or by affidavit of the individual making such hand delivery attesting to the date of delivery; or

(ii) if the notice is delivered by registered or certified mail, by the receipt returned from the United States Postal Service, or if no receipt is returned, five (5) business days from the date of mailing of the first class letter, postage prepaid, in a depository under the care and control of the United States Postal Service.

**3. *Effect of Notice and Termination on State's Payment Obligations:***

a) Upon receipt of notice of termination, the Contractor agrees to cancel, prior to the effective date of any prospective termination, as many outstanding obligations as possible, and agrees not to incur any new obligations after receipt of the notice without approval by the State.

b) The State shall be responsible for payment on claims for services or work provided and costs incurred pursuant to the terms of the Master Contract. In no event shall the State be liable for expenses and obligations arising from the requirements of the Master Contract after its termination date.

**4. *Effect of Termination Based on Misuse or Conversion of State or Federal Property:***

Where the Master Contract is terminated for cause based on Contractor's failure to use some or all of the real property or equipment purchased pursuant to the Master Contract for the purposes set forth herein, the State may, at its option, require:

a) the repayment to the State of any monies previously paid to the Contractor; or

b) the return of any real property or equipment purchased under the terms of the Master Contract; or

c) an appropriate combination of clauses (a) and (b) of Section II(C)(4) herein.

Nothing herein shall be intended to limit the State's ability to pursue such other legal or equitable remedies as may be available.

**D. Suspension**: The State may, in its discretion, order the Contractor to suspend performance for a reasonable period of time. In the event of such suspension, the Contractor shall be given a formal written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of such notice, the Contractor shall comply with the particulars of the notice. The State shall have no obligation to reimburse Contractor's expenses during such suspension period. Activities may resume at such time

as the State issues a formal written notice authorizing a resumption of performance under the Master Contract.

### III. PAYMENT AND REPORTING

#### A. Terms and Conditions:

1. In full consideration of contract services to be performed, the State Agency agrees to pay and the Contractor agrees to accept a sum not to exceed the amount noted on the Face Page.
2. The State has no obligation to make payment until all required approvals, including the approval of the AG and OSC, if required, have been obtained. Contractor obligations or expenditures that precede the start date of the Master Contract shall not be reimbursed.
3. Contractor must provide complete and accurate billing invoices to the State in order to receive payment. Provided, however, the State may, at its discretion, automatically generate a voucher in accordance with an approved contract payment schedule. Billing invoices submitted to the State must contain all information and supporting documentation required by Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule) and Section III(C) herein. The State may require the Contractor to submit billing invoices electronically.
4. Payment for invoices submitted by the Contractor shall only be rendered electronically unless payment by paper check is expressly authorized by the head of the State Agency, in the sole discretion of the head of such State Agency, due to extenuating circumstances. Such electronic payment shall be made in accordance with OSC's procedures and practices to authorize electronic payments.
5. If travel expenses are an approved expenditure under the Master Contract, travel expenses shall be reimbursed at the lesser of the rates set forth in the written standard travel policy of the Contractor, the OSC guidelines, or United States General Services Administration rates. No out-of-state travel costs shall be permitted unless specifically detailed and pre-approved by the State.
6. Timeliness of advance payments or other claims for reimbursement, and any interest to be paid to Contractor for late payment, shall be governed by Article 11-A of the State Finance Law to the extent required by law.
7. Article 11-B of the State Finance Law sets forth certain time frames for the Full Execution of contracts or renewal contracts with not-for-profit organizations and the implementation of any program plan associated with such contract. For purposes of this section, "Full Execution" shall mean that the contract has been signed by all parties thereto and has obtained the approval of the AG and OSC. Any interest to be paid on a missed payment to the Contractor based on a delay in the Full Execution of the Master Contract shall be governed by Article 11-B of the State Finance Law.

**B. Advance Payment and Recoupment:**

1. Advance payments, which the State in its sole discretion may make to not-for-profit grant recipients, shall be made and recouped in accordance with State Finance Law Section 179(u), this Section and the provisions of Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule).
2. Advance payments made by the State to not-for-profit grant recipients shall be due no later than thirty (30) calendar days, excluding legal holidays, after the first day of the Contract Term or, if renewed, in the period identified on the Face Page.
3. For subsequent contract years in multi-year contracts, Contractor will be notified of the scheduled advance payments for the upcoming contract year no later than 90 days prior to the commencement of the contract year. For simplified renewals, the payment schedule (Attachment D) will be modified as part of the renewal process.
4. Recoupment of any advance payment(s) shall be recovered by crediting the percentage of subsequent claims listed in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule) and Section III(C) herein and such claims shall be reduced until the advance is fully recovered within the Contract Term. Any unexpended advance balance at the end of the Contract Term shall be refunded by the Contractor to the State.
5. If for any reason the amount of any claim is not sufficient to cover the proportionate advance amount to be recovered, then subsequent claims may be reduced until the advance is fully recovered.

**C. Claims for Reimbursement:**

1. The Contractor shall submit claims for the reimbursement of expenses incurred on behalf of the State under the Master Contract in accordance with this Section and the applicable claiming schedule in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

Vouchers submitted for payment shall be deemed to be a certification that the payments requested are for project expenditures made in accordance with the items as contained in the applicable Attachment B form (Budget) and during the Contract Term. When submitting a voucher, such voucher shall also be deemed to certify that: (i) the payments requested do not duplicate reimbursement from other sources of funding; and (ii) the funds provided herein do not replace funds that, in the absence of this grant, would have been made available by the Contractor for this program. Requirement (ii) does not apply to grants funded pursuant to a Community Projects Fund appropriation.

2. Consistent with the selected reimbursement claiming schedule in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall comply with the appropriate following provisions:
  - a) Quarterly Reimbursement: The Contractor shall be entitled to receive payments for work, projects, and services rendered as detailed and described in Attachment C (Work Plan).

The Contractor shall submit to the State Agency quarterly voucher claims and supporting documentation. The Contractor shall submit vouchers to the State Agency in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section III(A)(3) herein.

b) Monthly Reimbursement: The Contractor shall be entitled to receive payments for work, projects, and services rendered as detailed and described in Attachment C (Work Plan).

The Contractor shall submit to the State Agency monthly voucher claims and supporting documentation. The Contractor shall submit vouchers to the State Agency in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section III(A)(3) herein.

c) Biannual Reimbursement: The Contractor shall be entitled to receive payments for work, projects, and services rendered as detailed and described in Attachment C (Work Plan).

The Contractor shall submit to the State Agency biannually voucher claims and supporting documentation. The Contractor shall submit vouchers to the State Agency in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section III(A)(3) herein.

d) Milestone/Performance Reimbursement:<sup>4</sup> Requests for payment based upon an event or milestone may be either severable or cumulative. A severable event/milestone is independent of accomplishment of any other event. If the event is cumulative, the successful completion of an event or milestone is dependent on the previous completion of another event.

Milestone payments shall be made to the Contractor when requested in a form approved by the State, and at frequencies and in amounts stated in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule). The State Agency shall make milestone payments subject to the Contractor's satisfactory performance.

e) Fee for Service Reimbursement:<sup>5</sup> Payment shall be limited to only those fees specifically agreed upon in the Master Contract and shall be payable no more frequently than monthly upon submission of a voucher by the contractor.

f) Rate Based Reimbursement:<sup>6</sup> Payment shall be limited to rate(s) established in the Master Contract. Payment may be requested no more frequently than monthly.

g) Scheduled Reimbursement:<sup>7</sup> The State Agency shall generate vouchers at the frequencies and amounts as set forth in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule),

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<sup>4</sup> A milestone/ performance payment schedule identifies mutually agreed-to payment amounts based on meeting contract events or milestones. Events or milestones must represent integral and meaningful aspects of contract performance and should signify true progress in completing the Master Contract effort.

<sup>5</sup> Fee for Service is a rate established by the Contractor for a service or services rendered.

<sup>6</sup> Rate based agreements are those agreements in which payment is premised upon a specific established rate per unit.

<sup>7</sup> Scheduled Reimbursement agreements provide for payments that occur at defined and regular intervals that provide for a specified dollar amount to be paid to the Contractor at the beginning of each payment period (i.e. quarterly, monthly or bi-annually). While these payments are related to the particular services and outcomes defined in the Master Contract, they are not dependent upon particular services or expenses in any one payment period and provide the Contractor with a defined and regular payment over the life of the contract.

and service reports shall be used to determine funding levels appropriate to the next annual contract period.

h) Fifth Quarter Payments:<sup>8</sup> Fifth quarter payment shall be paid to the Contractor at the conclusion of the final scheduled payment period of the preceding contract period. The State Agency shall use a written directive for fifth quarter financing. The State Agency shall generate a voucher in the fourth quarter of the current contract year to pay the scheduled payment for the next contract year.

3. The Contractor shall also submit supporting fiscal documentation for the expenses claimed.
4. The State reserves the right to withhold up to fifteen percent (15%) of the total amount of the Master Contract as security for the faithful completion of services or work, as applicable, under the Master Contract. This amount may be withheld in whole or in part from any single payment or combination of payments otherwise due under the Master Contract. In the event that such withheld funds are insufficient to satisfy Contractor's obligations to the State, the State may pursue all available remedies, including the right of setoff and recoupment.
5. The State shall not be liable for payments on the Master Contract if it is made pursuant to a Community Projects Fund appropriation if insufficient monies are available pursuant to Section 99-d of the State Finance Law.
6. All vouchers submitted by the Contractor pursuant to the Master Contract shall be submitted to the State Agency no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the end date of the period for which reimbursement is claimed. In no event shall the amount received by the Contractor exceed the budget amount approved by the State Agency, and, if actual expenditures by the Contractor are less than such sum, the amount payable by the State Agency to the Contractor shall not exceed the amount of actual expenditures.
7. All obligations must be incurred prior to the end date of the contract. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section III(C)(6) above, with respect to the final period for which reimbursement is claimed, so long as the obligations were incurred prior to the end date of the contract, the Contractor shall have up to ninety (90) calendar days after the contract end date to make expenditures; provided, however, that if the Master Contract is funded in whole or in part with federal funds, the Contractor shall have up to sixty (60) calendar days after the contract end date to make expenditures.

#### **D. Identifying Information and Privacy Notification:**

1. Every voucher or New York State Claim for Payment submitted to a State Agency by the Contractor, for payment for the sale of goods or services or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property, must include the Contractor's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System, and any or all of the following identification numbers: (i) the Contractor's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the Contractor's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) DUNS number. Failure to

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<sup>8</sup> Fifth Quarter Payments occurs where there are scheduled payments and where there is an expectation that services will be continued through renewals or subsequent contracts. Fifth Quarter Payments allow for the continuation of scheduled payments to a Contractor for the first payment period quarter of an anticipated renewal or new contract.

include such identification number or numbers may delay payment by the State to the Contractor. Where the Contractor does not have such number or numbers, the Contractor, on its voucher or Claim for Payment, must provide the reason or reasons for why the Contractor does not have such number or numbers.

2. The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the State is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their tax liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. The personal information is requested by the purchasing unit of the State Agency contracting to purchase the goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by the Master Contract. This information is maintained in the Statewide Financial System by the Vendor Management Unit within the Bureau of State Expenditures, Office of the State Comptroller, 110 State Street, Albany, New York, 12236.

#### **E. Refunds:**

1. In the event that the Contractor must make a refund to the State for Master Contract-related activities, including repayment of an advance or an audit disallowance, payment must be made payable as set forth in Attachment A-1 (Program Specific Terms and Conditions). The Contractor must reference the contract number with its payment and include a brief explanation of why the refund is being made. Refund payments must be submitted to the Designated Refund Office at the address specified in Attachment A-1 (Program Specific Terms and Conditions).

2. If at the end or termination of the Master Contract, there remains any unexpended balance of the monies advanced under the Master Contract in the possession of the Contractor, the Contractor shall make payment within forty-five (45) calendar days of the end or termination of the Master Contract. In the event that the Contractor fails to refund such balance the State may pursue all available remedies.

**F. Outstanding Amounts Owed to the State:** Prior period overpayments (including, but not limited to, contract advances in excess of actual expenditures) and/or audit recoveries associated with the Contractor may be recouped against future payments made under this Master Contract to Contractor. The recoupment generally begins with the first payment made to the Contractor following identification of the overpayment and/or audit recovery amount. In the event that there are no payments to apply recoveries against, the Contractor shall make payment as provided in Section III(E) (Refunds) herein.

#### **G. Program and Fiscal Reporting Requirements:**

1. The Contractor shall submit required periodic reports in accordance with the applicable schedule provided in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule). All required reports or other work products developed pursuant to the Master Contract must be completed as provided by the agreed upon work schedule in a manner satisfactory and acceptable to the State Agency in order for the Contractor to be eligible for payment.



2. Consistent with the selected reporting options in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall comply with the following applicable provisions:

a) If the Expenditure Based Reports option is indicated in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall provide the State Agency with one or more of the following reports as required by the following provisions and Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule) as applicable:

(i) *Narrative/Qualitative Report*: The Contractor shall submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than the time period listed in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), a report, in narrative form, summarizing the services rendered during the quarter. This report shall detail how the Contractor has progressed toward attaining the qualitative goals enumerated in Attachment C (Work Plan). This report should address all goals and objectives of the project and include a discussion of problems encountered and steps taken to solve them.

(ii) *Statistical/Quantitative Report*: The Contractor shall submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than the time period listed in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), a detailed report analyzing the quantitative aspects of the program plan, as appropriate (e.g., number of meals served, clients transported, patient/client encounters, procedures performed, training sessions conducted, etc.)

(iii) *Expenditure Report*: The Contractor shall submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than the time period listed in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), a detailed expenditure report, by object of expense. This report shall accompany the voucher submitted for such period.

(iv) *Final Report*: The Contractor shall submit a final report as required by the Master Contract, not later than the time period listed in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule) which reports on all aspects of the program and detailing how the use of funds were utilized in achieving the goals set forth in Attachment C (Work Plan).

(v) *Consolidated Fiscal Report (CFR)*: The Contractor shall submit a CFR, which includes a year-end cost report and final claim not later than the time period listed in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

b) If the Performance-Based Reports option is indicated in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), the Contractor shall provide the State Agency with the following reports as required by the following provisions and Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule) as applicable:

(i) *Progress Report*: The Contractor shall provide the State Agency with a written progress report using the forms and formats as provided by the State Agency, summarizing the work performed during the period. These reports shall detail the Contractor's progress toward attaining the specific goals enumerated in Attachment C (Work Plan). Progress reports shall be submitted in a format prescribed in the Master Contract.

(ii) *Final Progress Report*: Final scheduled payment is due during the time period set forth in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule). The deadline for submission of the final report shall be the date set forth in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule). The State Agency shall complete its audit and notify the Contractor of the results no later than the date set forth in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule). Payment shall be adjusted by the State Agency to reflect only those services/expenditures that were made in accordance with the Master Contract. The Contractor shall submit a detailed comprehensive final progress report not later than the date set forth in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), summarizing the work performed during the entire Contract Term (i.e., a cumulative report), in the forms and formats required.

3. In addition to the periodic reports stated above, the Contractor may be required (a) to submit such other reports as are required in Table 1 of Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule), and (b) prior to receipt of final payment under the Master Contract, to submit one or more final reports in accordance with the form, content, and schedule stated in Table 1 of Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule).

#### **H. Notification of Significant Occurrences:**

1. If any specific event or conjunction of circumstances threatens the successful completion of this project, in whole or in part, including where relevant, timely completion of milestones or other program requirements, the Contractor agrees to submit to the State Agency within three (3) calendar days of becoming aware of the occurrence or of such problem, a written description thereof together with a recommended solution thereto.

2. The Contractor shall immediately notify in writing the program manager assigned to the Master Contract of any unusual incident, occurrence, or event that involves the staff, volunteers, directors or officers of the Contractor, any subcontractor or program participant funded through the Master Contract, including but not limited to the following: death or serious injury; an arrest or possible criminal activity that could impact the successful completion of this project; any destruction of property; significant damage to the physical plant of the Contractor; or other matters of a similarly serious nature.

### **IV. ADDITIONAL CONTRACTOR OBLIGATIONS, REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES**

#### **A. Contractor as an Independent Contractor/Employees:**

1. The State and the Contractor agree that the Contractor is an independent contractor, and not an employee of the State and may neither hold itself out nor claim to be an officer, employee, or subdivision of the State nor make any claim, demand, or application to or for any right based upon any different status. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for the recruitment, hiring, provision of employment benefits, payment of salaries and management of its project personnel. These functions shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Master Contract, and all applicable Federal and State laws and regulations.

2. The Contractor warrants that it, its staff, and any and all subcontractors have all the necessary licenses, approvals, and certifications currently required by the laws of any applicable local, state, or Federal government to perform the services or work, as applicable, pursuant to the

Master Contract and/or any subcontract entered into under the Master Contract. The Contractor further agrees that such required licenses, approvals, and certificates shall be kept in full force and effect during the term of the Master Contract, or any extension thereof, and to secure any new licenses, approvals, or certificates within the required time frames and/or to require its staff and subcontractors to obtain the requisite licenses, approvals, or certificates. In the event the Contractor, its staff, and/or subcontractors are notified of a denial or revocation of any license, approval, or certification to perform the services or work, as applicable, under the Master Contract, Contractor shall immediately notify the State.

**B. Subcontractors:**

1. If the Contractor enters into subcontracts for the performance of work pursuant to the Master Contract, the Contractor shall take full responsibility for the acts and omissions of its subcontractors. Nothing in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the State under the Master Contract. No contractual relationship shall be deemed to exist between the subcontractor and the State.
2. The Contractor agrees not to enter into any subcontracts, or revisions to subcontracts, that are in excess of \$100,000 for the performance of the obligations contained herein until it has received the prior written permission of the State, which shall have the right to review and approve each and every subcontract in excess of \$100,000 prior to giving written permission to the Contractor to enter into the subcontract. All agreements between the Contractor and subcontractors shall be by written contract, signed by individuals authorized to bind the parties. All such subcontracts shall contain provisions for specifying (1) that the work performed by the subcontractor must be in accordance with the terms of the Master Contract, (2) that nothing contained in the subcontract shall impair the rights of the State under the Master Contract, and (3) that nothing contained in the subcontract, nor under the Master Contract, shall be deemed to create any contractual relationship between the subcontractor and the State. In addition, subcontracts shall contain any other provisions which are required to be included in subcontracts pursuant to the terms herein.
3. Prior to executing a subcontract, the Contractor agrees to require the subcontractor to provide to the State the information the State needs to determine whether a proposed subcontractor is a responsible vendor.
4. When a subcontract equals or exceeds \$100,000, the subcontractor must submit a Vendor Responsibility Questionnaire (Questionnaire).
5. When a subcontract is executed, the Contractor must provide detailed subcontract information (a copy of subcontract will suffice) to the State within fifteen (15) calendar days after execution. The State may request from the Contractor copies of subcontracts between a subcontractor and its subcontractor.
6. The Contractor shall require any and all subcontractors to submit to the Contractor all financial claims for Services or work to the State agency, as applicable, rendered and required supporting documentation and reports as necessary to permit Contractor to meet claim deadlines and documentation requirements as established in Attachment D (Payment and Reporting Schedule) and Section III. Subcontractors shall be paid by the Contractor on a timely basis after submitting the required reports and vouchers for reimbursement of services or work, as

applicable. Subcontractors shall be informed by the Contractor of the possibility of non-payment or rejection by the Contractor of claims that do not contain the required information, and/or are not received by the Contractor by said due date.

**C. Use Of Material, Equipment, Or Personnel:**

1. The Contractor shall not use materials, equipment, or personnel paid for under the Master Contract for any activity other than those provided for under the Master Contract, except with the State's prior written permission.
2. Any interest accrued on funds paid to the Contractor by the State shall be deemed to be the property of the State and shall either be credited to the State at the close-out of the Master Contract or, upon the written permission of the State, shall be expended on additional services or work, as applicable, provided for under the Master Contract.

**D. Property:**

1. Property is real property, equipment, or tangible personal property having a useful life of more than one year and an acquisition cost of \$1,000 or more per unit.
  - a) If an item of Property required by the Contractor is available as surplus to the State, the State at its sole discretion, may arrange to provide such Property to the Contractor in lieu of the purchase of such Property.
  - b) If the State consents in writing, the Contractor may retain possession of Property owned by the State, as provided herein, after the termination of the Master Contract to use for similar purposes. Otherwise, the Contractor shall return such Property to the State at the Contractor's cost and expense upon the expiration of the Master Contract.
  - c) In addition, the Contractor agrees to permit the State to inspect the Property and to monitor its use at reasonable intervals during the Contractor's regular business hours.
  - d) The Contractor shall be responsible for maintaining and repairing Property purchased or procured under the Master Contract at its own cost and expense. The Contractor shall procure and maintain insurance at its own cost and expense in an amount satisfactory to the State Agency, naming the State Agency as an additional insured, covering the loss, theft or destruction of such equipment.
  - e) A rental charge to the Master Contract for a piece of Property owned by the Contractor shall not be allowed.
  - f) The State has the right to review and approve in writing any new contract for the purchase of or lease for rental of Property (Purchase/Lease Contract) operated in connection with the provision of the services or work, as applicable, as specified in the Master Contract, if applicable, and any modifications, amendments, or extensions of an existing lease or purchase prior to its execution. If, in its discretion, the State disapproves of any Purchase/Lease Contract, then the State shall not be obligated to make any payments for such Property.

g) No member, officer, director or employee of the Contractor shall retain or acquire any interest, direct or indirect, in any Property, paid for with funds under the Master Contract, nor retain any interest, direct or indirect, in such, without full and complete prior disclosure of such interest and the date of acquisition thereof, in writing to the Contractor and the State.

2. For non-Federally-funded contracts, unless otherwise provided herein, the State shall have the following rights to Property purchased with funds provided under the Master Contract:

a) For cost-reimbursable contracts, all right, title and interest in such Property shall belong to the State.

b) For performance-based contracts, all right, title and interest in such Property shall belong to the Contractor.

3. For Federally funded contracts, title to Property whose requisition cost is borne in whole or in part by monies provided under the Master Contract shall be governed by the terms and conditions of Attachment A-2 (Federally Funded Grants).

4. Upon written direction by the State, the Contractor shall maintain an inventory of all Property that is owned by the State as provided herein.

5. The Contractor shall execute any documents which the State may reasonably require to effectuate the provisions of this section.

#### **E. Records and Audits:**

##### **1. General:**

a) The Contractor shall establish and maintain, in paper or electronic format, complete and accurate books, records, documents, receipts, accounts, and other evidence directly pertinent to its performance under the Master Contract (collectively, Records).

b) The Contractor agrees to produce and retain for the balance of the term of the Master Contract, and for a period of six years from the later of the date of (i) the Master Contract and (ii) the most recent renewal of the Master Contract, any and all Records necessary to substantiate upon audit, the proper deposit and expenditure of funds received under the Master Contract. Such Records may include, but not be limited to, original books of entry (e.g., cash disbursements and cash receipts journal), and the following specific records (as applicable) to substantiate the types of expenditures noted:

(i) personal service expenditures: cancelled checks and the related bank statements, time and attendance records, payroll journals, cash and check disbursement records including copies of money orders and the like, vouchers and invoices, records of contract labor, any and all records listing payroll and the money value of non-cash advantages provided to employees, time cards, work schedules and logs, employee personal history folders, detailed and general ledgers, sales records, miscellaneous reports and returns (tax and otherwise), and cost allocation plans, if applicable.

(ii) payroll taxes and fringe benefits: cancelled checks, copies of related bank statements, cash and check disbursement records including copies of money orders and the like, invoices for fringe benefit expenses, miscellaneous reports and returns (tax and otherwise), and cost allocation plans, if applicable.

(iii) non-personal services expenditures: original invoices/receipts, cancelled checks and related bank statements, consultant agreements, leases, and cost allocation plans, if applicable.

(iv) receipt and deposit of advance and reimbursements: itemized bank stamped deposit slips, and a copy of the related bank statements.

c) The OSC, AG and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the State Agency or State Agencies involved in the Master Contract that provided funding, shall have access to the Records during the hours of 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday (excluding State recognized holidays), at an office of the Contractor within the State of New York or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the State, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying.

d) The State shall protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law provided that: (i) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate State official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; and (ii) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (iii) designation of said records, as exempt under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law, is reasonable.

e) Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the State's rights in connection with its audit and investigatory authority or the State's rights in connection with discovery in any pending or future litigation.

## **2. Cost Allocation:**

a) For non-performance based contracts, the proper allocation of the Contractor's costs must be made according to a cost allocation plan that meets the requirements of OMB Circulars A-87, A-122, and/or A-21. Methods used to determine and assign costs shall conform to generally accepted accounting practices and shall be consistent with the method(s) used by the Contractor to determine costs for other operations or programs. Such accounting standards and practices shall be subject to approval of the State.

b) For performance based milestone contracts, or for the portion of the contract amount paid on a performance basis, the Contractor shall maintain documentation demonstrating that milestones were attained.

## **3. Federal Funds:** For records and audit provisions governing Federal funds, please see Attachment A-2 (Federally Funded Grants).

**F. Confidentiality:** The Contractor agrees that it shall use and maintain information relating to individuals who may receive services, and their families pursuant to the Master Contract, or any other information, data or records deemed confidential by the State (Confidential Information) only

for the limited purposes of the Master Contract and in conformity with applicable provisions of State and Federal law. The Contractor (i) has an affirmative obligation to safeguard any such Confidential Information from unnecessary or unauthorized disclosure and (ii) must comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa; State Technology Law Section 208).

**G. Publicity:**

1. Publicity includes, but is not limited to: news conferences; news releases; public announcements; advertising; brochures; reports; discussions or presentations at conferences or meetings; and/or the inclusion of State materials, the State's name or other such references to the State in any document or forum. Publicity regarding this project may not be released without prior written approval from the State.

2. Any publications, presentations or announcements of conferences, meetings or trainings which are funded in whole or in part through any activity supported under the Master Contract may not be published, presented or announced without prior approval of the State. Any such publication, presentation or announcement shall:

a) Acknowledge the support of the State of New York and, if funded with Federal funds, the applicable Federal funding agency; and

b) State that the opinions, results, findings and/or interpretations of data contained therein are the responsibility of the Contractor and do not necessarily represent the opinions, interpretations or policy of the State or if funded with Federal funds, the applicable Federal funding agency.

3. Notwithstanding the above, the Contractor may submit for publication, scholarly or academic publications that derive from activity under the Master Contract (but are not deliverable under the Master Contract), provided that the Contractor first submits such manuscripts to the State forty-five (45) calendar days prior to submission for consideration by a publisher in order for the State to review the manuscript for compliance with confidentiality requirements and restrictions and to make such other comments as the State deems appropriate. All derivative publications shall follow the same acknowledgments and disclaimer as described in Section V(G)(2) (Publicity) hereof.

**H. Web-Based Applications-Accessibility:** Any web-based intranet and Internet information and applications development, or programming delivered pursuant to the Master Contract or procurement shall comply with New York State Enterprise IT Policy NYS-P08-005, Accessibility Web-Based Information and Applications, and New York State Enterprise IT Standard NYS-S08-005, Accessibility of Web-Based Information Applications, as such policy or standard may be amended, modified or superseded, which requires that State Agency web-based intranet and Internet information and applications are accessible to person with disabilities. Web content must conform to New York State Enterprise IT Standards NYS-S08-005, as determined by quality assurance testing. Such quality assurance testing shall be conducted by the State Agency and the results of such testing must be satisfactory to the State Agency before web content shall be considered a qualified deliverable under the Master Contract or procurement.

**I. Non-Discrimination Requirements:** Pursuant to Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor and sub-contractors will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed (religion), color, sex (including gender expression), national origin, sexual orientation, military status, age, disability, predisposing genetic characteristic, marital status or domestic violence victim status, and shall also follow the requirements of the Human Rights Law with regard to non-discrimination on the basis of prior criminal conviction and prior arrest. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that the Master Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under the Master Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under the Master Contract. The Contractor shall be subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 of the Labor Law.

**J. Equal Opportunities for Minorities and Women; Minority and Women Owned Business Enterprises:** In accordance with Section 312 of the Executive Law and 5 NYCRR 143, if the Master Contract is: (i) a written agreement or purchase order instrument, providing for a total expenditure in excess of \$25,000.00, whereby a contracting State Agency is committed to expend or does expend funds in return for labor, services, supplies, equipment, materials or any combination of the foregoing, to be performed for, or rendered or furnished to the contracting State Agency; or (ii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby a contracting State Agency is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon; or (iii) a written agreement in excess of \$100,000.00 whereby the owner of a State assisted housing project is committed to expend or does expend funds for the acquisition, construction, demolition, replacement, major repair or renovation of real property and improvements thereon for such project, then the Contractor certifies and affirms that (i) it is subject to Article 15-A of the Executive Law which includes, but is not limited to, those provisions concerning the maximizing of opportunities for the participation of minority and women-owned business enterprises and (ii) the following provisions shall apply and it is Contractor's equal employment opportunity policy that:

1. The Contractor shall not discriminate against employees or applicants for employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status;
2. The Contractor shall make and document its conscientious and active efforts to employ and utilize minority group members and women in its work force on State contracts;
3. The Contractor shall undertake or continue existing programs of affirmative action to ensure that minority group members and women are afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination. Affirmative action shall mean recruitment, employment, job assignment,



promotion, upgrading, demotion, transfer, layoff, or termination and rates of pay or other forms of compensation;

4. At the request of the State, the Contractor shall request each employment agency, labor union, or authorized representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining or other agreement or understanding, to furnish a written statement that such employment agency, labor union or representative shall not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status and that such union or representative shall affirmatively cooperate in the implementation of the Contractor's obligations herein; and

5. The Contractor shall state, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees, that, in the performance of the State contract, all qualified applicants shall be afforded equal employment opportunities without discrimination because of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, age, disability or marital status.

The Contractor shall include the provisions of subclauses 1 – 5 of this Section (IV)(J), in every subcontract over \$25,000.00 for the construction, demolition, replacement, major repair, renovation, planning or design of real property and improvements thereon (Work) except where the Work is for the beneficial use of the Contractor. Section 312 of the Executive Law does not apply to: (i) work, goods or services unrelated to the Master Contract; or (ii) employment outside New York State. The State shall consider compliance by the Contractor or a subcontractor with the requirements of any Federal law concerning equal employment opportunity which effectuates the purpose of this section. The State shall determine whether the imposition of the requirements of the provisions hereof duplicate or conflict with any such Federal law and if such duplication or conflict exists, the State shall waive the applicability of Section 312 of the Executive Law to the extent of such duplication or conflict. The Contractor shall comply with all duly promulgated and lawful rules and regulations of the Department of Economic Development's Division of Minority and Women's Business Development pertaining hereto.

**K. Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992:** It is the policy of New York State to maximize opportunities for the participation of New York State business enterprises, including minority and women-owned business enterprises, as bidders, subcontractors and suppliers on its procurement contracts.

1. If the total dollar amount of the Master Contract is greater than \$1 million, the Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992 requires that by signing the Master Contract, the Contractor certifies the following:

a) The Contractor has made reasonable efforts to encourage the participation of State business enterprises as suppliers and subcontractors, including certified minority and women-owned business enterprises, on this project, and has retained the documentation of these efforts to be provided upon request to the State;

b) The Contractor has complied with the Federal Equal Opportunity Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-261), as amended;

c) The Contractor agrees to make reasonable efforts to provide notification to State residents of employment opportunities on this project through listing any such positions with the Job Service Division of the New York State Department of Labor, or providing such notification

in such manner as is consistent with existing collective bargaining contracts or agreements. The Contractor agrees to document these efforts and to provide said documentation to the State upon request; and

d) The Contractor acknowledges notice that the State may seek to obtain offset credits from foreign countries as a result of the Master Contract and agrees to cooperate with the State in these efforts.

**L. Workers' Compensation Benefits:**

1. In accordance with Section 142 of the State Finance Law, the Master Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of the Master Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

2. If a Contractor believes they are exempt from the Workers Compensation insurance requirement they must apply for an exemption.

**M. Unemployment Insurance Compliance:** The Contractor shall remain current in both its quarterly reporting and payment of contributions or payments in lieu of contributions, as applicable, to the State Unemployment Insurance system as a condition of maintaining this grant.

The Contractor hereby authorizes the State Department of Labor to disclose to the State Agency staff only such information as is necessary to determine the Contractor's compliance with the State Unemployment Insurance Law. This includes, but is not limited to, the following:

1. any records of unemployment insurance (UI) contributions, interest, and/or penalty payment arrears or reporting delinquency;
2. any debts owed for UI contributions, interest, and/or penalties;
3. the history and results of any audit or investigation; and
4. copies of wage reporting information.

Such disclosures are protected under Section 537 of the State Labor Law, which makes it a misdemeanor for the recipient of such information to use or disclose the information for any purpose other than the performing due diligence as a part of the approval process for the Master Contract.

**N. Vendor Responsibility:**

1. If a Contractor is required to complete a Questionnaire, the Contractor covenants and represents that it has, to the best of its knowledge, truthfully, accurately and thoroughly completed such Questionnaire. Although electronic filing is preferred, the Contractor may obtain a paper form from the OSC prior to execution of the Master Contract. The Contractor further covenants and represents that as of the date of execution of the Master Contract, there are no material events, omissions, changes or corrections to such document requiring an amendment to the Questionnaire.

2. The Contractor shall provide to the State updates to the Questionnaire if any material event(s) occurs requiring an amendment or as new information material to such Questionnaire becomes available.

3. The Contractor shall, in addition, promptly report to the State the initiation of any investigation or audit by a governmental entity with enforcement authority with respect to any alleged violation of Federal or state law by the Contractor, its employees, its officers and/or directors in connection with matters involving, relating to or arising out of the Contractor's business. Such report shall be made within five (5) business days following the Contractor becoming aware of such event, investigation, or audit. Such report may be considered by the State in making a Determination of Vendor Non-Responsibility pursuant to this section.

4. The State reserves the right, in its sole discretion, at any time during the term of the Master Contract:

- a) to require updates or clarifications to the Questionnaire upon written request;
- b) to inquire about information included in or required information omitted from the Questionnaire;
- c) to require the Contractor to provide such information to the State within a reasonable timeframe; and
- d) to require as a condition precedent to entering into the Master Contract that the Contractor agree to such additional conditions as shall be necessary to satisfy the State that the Contractor is, and shall remain, a responsible vendor; and
- e) to require the Contractor to present evidence of its continuing legal authority to do business in New York State, integrity, experience, ability, prior performance, and organizational and financial capacity. By signing the Master Contract, the Contractor agrees to comply with any such additional conditions that have been made a part of the Master Contract.

5. The State, in its sole discretion, reserves the right to suspend any or all activities under the Master Contract, at any time, when it discovers information that calls into question the responsibility of the Contractor. In the event of such suspension, the Contractor shall be given written notice outlining the particulars of such suspension. Upon issuance of such notice, the Contractor must comply with the terms of the suspension order. Contract activity may resume at such time as the State issues a written notice authorizing a resumption of performance under the Master Contract.

6. The State, in its sole discretion, reserves the right to make a final Determination of Non-Responsibility at any time during the term of the Master Contract based on:

- a) any information provided in the Questionnaire and/or in any updates, clarifications or amendments thereof; or
- b) the State's discovery of any material information which pertains to the Contractor's responsibility.

7. Prior to making a final Determination of Non-Responsibility, the State shall provide written notice to the Contractor that it has made a preliminary determination of non-responsibility. The State shall detail the reason(s) for the preliminary determination, and shall provide the Contractor with an opportunity to be heard.

**O. Charities Registration:** If applicable, the Contractor agrees to (i) obtain not-for-profit status, a Federal identification number, and a charitable registration number (or a declaration of exemption) and to furnish the State Agency with this information as soon as it is available, (ii) be in compliance with the OAG charities registration requirements at the time of the awarding of this Master Contract by the State and (iii) remain in compliance with the OAG charities registration requirements throughout the term of the Master Contract.

**P. Consultant Disclosure Law:**<sup>9</sup> If this is a contract for consulting services, defined for purposes of this requirement to include analysis, evaluation, research, training, data processing, computer programming, engineering, environmental, health, and mental health services, accounting, auditing, paralegal, legal, or similar services, then in accordance with Section 163 (4-g) of the State Finance Law (as amended by Chapter 10 of the Laws of 2006), the Contractor shall timely, accurately and properly comply with the requirement to submit an annual employment report for the contract to the agency that awarded the contract, the Department of Civil Service and the State Comptroller.

**Q. Wage and Hours Provisions:** If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be condition precedent to payment by the State of any State approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

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<sup>9</sup> Not applicable to not-for-profit entities.

**ATTACHMENT A-1**  
**AGENCY AND PROGRAM SPECIFIC CLAUSES**  
**Part A. Agency Specific Clauses**

The parties to the attached contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter, "the contract" or "this contract") agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the contract (the word "Contractor" herein refers to any party other than the State, whether a contractor, licenser, licensee, lessor, lessee or any other party):

**A. International Boycott Prohibition:** In accordance with Section 220-f of the Labor Law and Section 139-h of the State Finance Law, if this contract exceeds \$5,000, the Contractor agrees, as a material condition of the contract, that neither the Contractor nor any substantially owned or affiliated person, firm, partnership or corporation has participated, is participating, or shall participate in an international boycott in violation of the federal Export Administration Act of 1979 (50 USC App. Sections 2401 et seq.) or regulations thereunder. If such Contractor, or any of the aforesaid affiliates of Contractor, is convicted or is otherwise found to have violated said laws or regulations upon the final determination of the United States Commerce Department or any other appropriate agency of the United States subsequent to the contract's execution, such contract, amendment or modification thereto shall be rendered forfeit and void. The Contractor shall so notify the State Comptroller within five (5) business days of such conviction, determination or disposition of appeal (2NYCRR 105.4).

**B. Prohibition on Purchase of Tropical Hardwoods:**

1. The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law, (Use of Tropical Hardwoods) which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted, by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the State.

2. In addition, when any portion of this contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in §165 State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with the approval of the State; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the State.

**C. MacBride Fair Employment Principles:** In accordance with the MacBride Fair Employment Principles (Chapter 807 of the Laws of 1992), the Contractor hereby stipulates that the Contractor either (a) has no business operations in Northern Ireland, or (b) shall take lawful steps in good faith to conduct any business operations in Northern Ireland in accordance with the

MacBride Fair Employment Principles (as described in Section 165 of the New York State Finance Law), and shall permit independent monitoring of compliance with such principles.

**D. Omnibus Procurement Act of 1992:** It is the policy of New York State to maximize opportunities for the participation of New York State business enterprises, including minority and women-owned business enterprises as bidders, subcontractors and suppliers on its procurement contracts.

Information on the availability of New York State subcontractors and suppliers is available from:

NYS Department of Economic Development  
Division for Small Business  
Albany, New York 12245  
Telephone: 518-292-5100  
Fax: 518-292-5884  
email: [opa@esd.ny.gov](mailto:opa@esd.ny.gov)

A directory of certified minority and women-owned business enterprises is available from:

NYS Department of Economic Development  
Division of Minority and Women's Business Development  
  
633 Third Avenue  
New York, NY 10017  
212-803-2414  
email: [mwbecertification@esd.ny.gov](mailto:mwbecertification@esd.ny.gov)  
<http://esd.ny.gov/MWBE/directorySearch.html>

**E. Procurement Lobbying:** To the extent this agreement is a "procurement contract" as defined by State Finance Law Sections 139-j and 139-k, by signing this agreement the contractor certifies and affirms that all disclosures made in accordance with State Finance Law Sections 139-j and 139-k are complete, true and accurate. In the event such certification is found to be intentionally false or intentionally incomplete, the State may terminate the agreement by providing written notification to the Contractor in accordance with the terms of the agreement.

**F. Certification of Registration to Collect Sales and Compensating Use Tax by Certain State Contractors, Affiliates, and Subcontractors:** To the extent this agreement is a contract as defined by Tax Law Section 5-a, if the contractor fails to make the certification required by Tax Law Section 5-a or if during the term of the contract, the Department of Taxation and Finance or the covered agency, as defined by Tax Law 5-a, discovers that the certification, made under penalty of perjury, is false, then such failure to file or false certification shall be a material breach of this contract and this contract may be terminated, by providing written notification to the Contractor in accordance with the terms of the agreement, if the covered agency determines that such action is in the best interest of the State.

- G. The CONTRACTOR certifies that all revenue earned during the budget period as a result of services and related activities performed pursuant to this contract shall be used either to expand those program services funded by this AGREEMENT or to offset expenditures submitted to the STATE for reimbursement.

**H. Administrative Rules and Audits:**

1. If this contract is funded in whole or in part from federal funds, the CONTRACTOR shall comply with the following federal grant requirements regarding administration and allowable costs:

a) For a local or Indian tribal government, use the principles in the common rule, "Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Cooperative Agreements to State and Local Governments," and Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-87, "Cost Principles for State, Local and Indian Tribal Governments".

b) For a nonprofit organization other than

(i) an institution of higher education,

(ii) a hospital, or

(iii) an organization named in OMB Circular A-122, "Cost Principles for Non-profit Organizations", as not subject to that circular,

use the principles in OMB Circular A-110, "Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Agreements with Institutions of Higher Education, Hospitals and Other Non-profit Organizations," and OMB Circular A-122.

c) For an Educational Institution, use the principles in OMB Circular A-110 and OMB Circular A-21, "Cost Principles for Educational Institutions".

d) For a hospital, use the principles in OMB Circular A-110, Department of Health and Human Services, 45 CFR 74, Appendix E, "Principles for Determining Costs Applicable to Research and Development Under Grants and Contracts with Hospitals" and, if not covered for audit purposes by OMB Circular A-133, "Audits of States Local Governments and Non-profit Organizations", then subject to program specific audit requirements following Government Auditing Standards for financial audits.

2. If this contract is funded entirely from STATE funds, and if there are no specific administration and allowable costs requirements applicable, CONTRACTOR shall adhere to the applicable principles in "1" above.

3. The CONTRACTOR shall comply with the following grant requirements regarding audits.

- a) If the contract is funded from federal funds, and the CONTRACTOR spends more than \$500,000 in federal funds in their fiscal year, an audit report must be submitted in accordance with OMB Circular A-133.
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4. For audit reports due on or after April 1, 2003, that are not received by the dates due, the following steps shall be taken:

- a) If the audit report is one or more days late, voucher payments shall be held until a compliant audit report is received.
- b) If the audit report is 91 or more days late, the STATE shall recover payments for all STATE funded contracts for periods for which compliant audit reports are not received.
- c) If the audit report is 180 days or more late, the STATE shall terminate all active contracts, prohibit renewal of those contracts and prohibit the execution of future contracts until all outstanding compliant audit reports have been submitted.

**I.** The CONTRACTOR shall accept responsibility for compensating the STATE for any exceptions which are revealed on an audit and sustained after completion of the normal audit procedure.

**J.** The STATE, its employees, representatives and designees, shall have the right at any time during normal business hours to inspect the sites where services are performed and observe the services being performed by the CONTRACTOR. The CONTRACTOR shall render all assistance and cooperation to the STATE in making such inspections. The surveyors shall have the responsibility for determining contract compliance as well as the quality of service being rendered.



**K.** The CONTRACTOR has an affirmative duty to take prompt, effective, investigative and remedial action where it has actual or constructive notice of discrimination in the terms, conditions or privileges of employment against (including harassment of) any of its employees by any of its other employees, including managerial personnel, based on race, creed, color, sex, national origin, age, disability, sexual orientation or marital status.

**L.** The CONTRACTOR shall not discriminate on the basis of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, age, disability, sexual orientation or marital status against any person seeking services for which the CONTRACTOR may receive reimbursement or payment under this AGREEMENT

**M.** The CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, State and local civil rights and human rights laws with reference to equal employment opportunities and the provision of services.

**N.** Unless the CONTRACTOR is a political sub-division of New York State, the CONTRACTOR shall provide proof, completed by the CONTRACTOR's insurance carrier and/or the Workers' Compensation Board, of coverage for:

1. Workers' Compensation, for which one of the following is incorporated into this contract as **Attachment E-1**:

a) **CE-200** -- Certificate of Attestation For New York Entities With No Employees And Certain Out Of State Entities, That New York State Workers' Compensation And/Or Disability Benefits Insurance Coverage Is Not Required; OR

b) **C-105.2** -- Certificate of Workers' Compensation Insurance. PLEASE NOTE: The State Insurance Fund provides its own version of this form, the **U-26.3**; OR

c) **SI-12** -- Certificate of Workers' Compensation Self-Insurance, OR **GSI-105.2** -- Certificate of Participation in Workers' Compensation Group Self-Insurance

2. Disability Benefits coverage, for which one of the following is incorporated into this contract as **Attachment E-2**:

a) **CE-200**, Certificate of Attestation For New York Entities With No Employees And Certain Out Of State Entities, That New York State Workers' Compensation And/Or Disability Benefits Insurance Coverage Is Not Required; OR

b) **DB-120.1** -- Certificate of Disability Benefits Insurance OR

c) **DB-155** -- Certificate of Disability Benefits Self-Insurance

**O.** Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa; State Technology Law

Section 208). Contractor shall be liable for the costs associated with any breach if caused by Contractor's negligent or willful acts or omissions, or the negligent or willful acts or omissions of Contractor's agents, officers, employees or subcontractors.

**P.** All products supplied pursuant to this agreement shall meet local, state and federal regulations, guidelines and action levels for lead as they exist at the time of the State's acceptance of this contract.

**Q.** All bidders/contractors agree that all state funds dispersed under this bid/contract will be bound by the terms, conditions, obligations and regulations promulgated or to be promulgated by the Department in accordance with E.O. 38, signed in 2012, governing restrictions on executive compensation.

**R.** The CONTRACTOR shall submit to the STATE (*quarterly*) voucher claims and reports of expenditures on such forms and in such detail as the STATE shall require. The CONTRACTOR shall submit vouchers to the State's designated payment office located in the:

New York State Department of Health  
Bureau of Administration, Finance & Contract Management Unit  
Empire State Plaza, Corning Tower Building, Room 859  
Albany, NY 12237

**S.** If the CONTRACTOR is eligible for an annual cost of living adjustment (COLA), enacted in New York State Law, that is associated with this grant AGREEMENT, payment of such COLA shall be made separate from payments under this AGREEMENT and shall not be applied toward or amend amounts payable under Attachment B of this Agreement.

Before payment of a COLA can be made, the STATE shall notify the CONTRACTOR, in writing, of eligibility for any COLA. The CONTRACTOR shall be required to submit a written certification attesting that all COLA funding will be used to promote the recruitment and retention of staff or respond to other critical non-personal service costs during the State fiscal year for which the cost of living adjustment was allocated, or provide any other such certification as may be required in the enacted legislation authorizing the COLA.

**T. Certification Regarding Environmental Tobacco Smoke:** Public Law 103-227, also known as the Pro-Children Act of 1994 (Act), requires that smoking not be permitted in any portion of any indoor facility owned or leased or contracted for by an entity and used routinely or regularly for the provision of health, day care, early childhood development services, education or library services to children under the age of 18, if the services are funded by federal programs either directly or through State or local governments, by federal grant, contract, loan, or loan guarantee. The law also applies to children's services that are provided in indoor facilities that are constructed, operated, or maintained with such federal funds. The law does not apply to children's services provided in private residences; portions of facilities used for inpatient drug or alcohol treatment; service providers whose sole source of applicable federal funds is Medicare or Medicaid; or facilities where WIC coupons are redeemed. Failure to comply with the provisions of the law may result in the imposition of a monetary penalty of up to \$1000 for each violation and/or the imposition of an administrative compliance order on the responsible entity.

By signing this AGREEMENT, the CONTRACTOR certifies that it will comply with the requirements of the Act and will not allow smoking within any portion of any indoor facility used for the provision of services for children as defined by the Act. The CONTRACTOR agrees that it will require that the language of this certification be included in any subawards which contain provisions for children's services and that all subrecipients shall certify accordingly.

U. Pursuant to the Master Contract's Standard Terms and Conditions, I. (General Provisions); J. (Notices), such notices shall be addressed as follows or to such different addresses as the parties may from time to time designate:

**State of New York Department of Health**

Name: Alexis Lighthall

Title: Health Program Administrator

Address: New York State Department of Health

Bureau of Administration, Finance & Contract Management Unit

Empire State Plaza, Corning Tower Building, Room 859

Albany, NY 12237

Telephone Number: 518-474-4569

Facsimile Number: 518-473-3391

E-Mail Address: alexis.lighthall@health.ny.gov

**Oneida County Health Department**

Name: Thomas Engle, Sr.

Title: Fiscal Service Administrator

Address: 185 Genesee St., 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Utica, New York 13501

Telephone Number: 315-798-5080

Facsimile Number: 315-266-6138

E-Mail Address: tengle@ocgov.net

**Part B. Program Specific Clauses**

Additional Department of Health program specific clauses follow in Attachment A-1 Part B.

ATTACHMENT A-1 Part B  
PROGRAM SPECIFIC CLAUSES

A. SUBCONTRACTS

1. In addition to those terms set forth in the Master Contract concerning subcontractors, the following terms shall also apply:

- a. Unless otherwise authorized or directed by the Department, all proposed subcontracts for the performance of the obligations contained herein require the review and approval of the Department prior to the execution of an agreement between the Contractor and subcontractors. All such agreements between the Contractor and subcontractors shall be by bona fide written contract, which may only be changed by expressed written consent of both parties and upon prior approval of the Department.
- b. The Department shall have the right to contact any subcontractor directly concerning the Performance of the obligations contained herein and to require the attendance of the Subcontractor at any or all meetings between the Contractor and Department, at which the performance of the Contractor pursuant to this Master Contract will be discussed.
- c. Any interest accrued on funds provided to the contractor by the Department pursuant to the contractors request for an advance payment, shall either be used to reduce reimbursement owed to the Contractor by the Department pursuant to this Master Contract , or at the direction of the Department, used to provide additional services provided for under this Master Contract.

B. The Contractor agrees to identify the position(s) and the incumbent(s) responsible for directing the work to be done under this Master Contract. The Department may, at its discretion, require the Contractor to request prior approval from the Department to change or substitute such responsible person(s), to the degree that such change is within the reasonable control of the Contractor.

C. PUBLICATIONS AND COPYRIGHTS

1. The Contractor agrees that any and all materials, publications, videos or curricula conceived, produced and/or reduced to practice pursuant to this Master Contract, or with monies supplied pursuant to this Master Contract, shall become property of the Department.
2. Pursuant to Section IV(G)(2)(a) of the Master Contract, the Contractor shall acknowledge the support of the State and Department of Health with the following language: "Produced with funding from The New York State Department of Health, Division of Family Health."
3. Except as otherwise provided in Section IV(G)(3) of the Master Contract, the Department and the State of New York expressly reserve the right to reproduce, publish distribute, copyright or otherwise use, in perpetuity, any and

all materials, publications, videos or curricula conceived and produced pursuant to this Master Contract and all the activities supported thereunder.

4. The Contractor agrees that unless otherwise provided by the terms of this Master Contract, the Contractor is expressly prohibited from copyrighting the materials developed in the course of this Master Contract, or permitting others to do so without the prior written consent of the Department.
5. If any materials paid for under this contract are used in a revenue generating activity, the Contractor shall report such intentions to the Department for prior written approval and shall be subject to the direction of the Department as to the disposition of such revenue.

D. PURCHASING

1. All procurement transactions, including but not limited to equipment purchases and leases, supplies, conference, training, or seminar related expenditures, and other services whose cost is borne in whole or in part by this contract shall be conducted in a manner to provide , to the maximum extent practicable, open and free competition.
2. In addition to the requirements of Section IV (D) of the Master Contract, procurement records and files for purchases in excess of \$5,000 shall include the following:
  - a. basis for selection;
  - b. listing of bidders solicited or vendors contacted, including but not limited to the response from each bidder or vendor to the solicitation;
  - c. justification for lack of competition when competitive bids or offers are not obtained;
  - d. basis for award cost or price.

E. Reimbursement for any travel related expenses, including but not limited to transportation, lodging, and meal expenses shall be based upon the actual, necessary and reasonable expenses essential to the ordinary comforts of the traveler in the performance of the duties under this Master Contract and shall be reimbursed pursuant to the terms of Section III (5) of the Master Contract.

F. EQUIPMENT/INVENTORY REPORT

1. In addition to the requirements contained in Section IV (c) (1) and Section IV (D) (2) of the Master Contract, A complete inventory of all property as defined in Section IV (D) (1) shall be maintained by the Contractor who shall report to the appropriate Program Director of the State Department of Health acquisitions of equipment. All such equipment shall be identified in a suitable manner. An annual inventory of such equipment shall be submitted to such Program Director by the Contractor and is to be inclusive of all such equipment received during the contract year, within 45 days after the completion of the services to be performed under this Master Contract. Disposition of the inventoried property will be made in accordance with the Master Contract and applicable provisions of law.

**ATTACHMENT A-2**  
**FEDERALLY FUNDED GRANTS**  
**Part A. AGENCY SPECIFIC CLAUSES**

**A. Federal Certifications:** This section shall be applicable to this AGREEMENT only if any of the funds made available to the CONTRACTOR under this AGREEMENT are federal funds.

1. Lobbying Certification (except as otherwise provided in Part B of this Attachment A-2)

a) If the CONTRACTOR is a tax-exempt organization under Section 501 (c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code, the CONTRACTOR certifies that it will not engage in lobbying activities of any kind regardless of how funded.

b) The CONTRACTOR acknowledges that as a recipient of federal appropriated funds, it is subject to the limitations on the use of such funds to influence certain Federal contracting and financial transactions, as specified in Public Law 101-121, section 319, and codified in section 1352 of Title 31 of the United States Code. In accordance with P.L. 101-121, section 319, 31 U.S.C. 1352 and implementing regulations, the CONTRACTOR affirmatively acknowledges and represents that it is prohibited and shall refrain from using Federal funds received under this AGREEMENT for the purposes of lobbying; provided, however, that such prohibition does not apply in the case of a payment of reasonable compensation made to an officer or employee of the CONTRACTOR to the extent that the payment is for agency and legislative liaison activities not directly related to the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant or loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, or the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan or cooperative agreement. Nor does such prohibition prohibit any reasonable payment to a person in connection with, or any payment of reasonable compensation to an officer or employee of the CONTRACTOR if the payment is for professional or technical services rendered directly in the preparation, submission or negotiation of any bid, proposal, or application for a Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, or an extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification thereof, or for meeting requirements imposed by or pursuant to law as a condition for receiving that Federal contract, grant, loan or cooperative agreement.

c) This section shall be applicable to this AGREEMENT only if federal funds allotted exceed \$100,000.

(i) The CONTRACTOR certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

- No federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the CONTRACTOR, 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 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.

- 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 any 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 CONTRACTOR shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying" in accordance with its instructions.
  - (ii) The CONTRACTOR shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all sub-awards at all tiers (including subcontracts, sub-grants, 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.
  - (iii) The CONTRACTOR shall disclose specified information on any agreement with lobbyists whom the CONTRACTOR will pay with other Federal appropriated funds by completion and submission to the STATE of the Federal Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying", in accordance with its instructions. This form may be obtained by contacting either the Office of Management and Budget Fax Information Line at (202) 395-9068 or the Bureau of Contracts at (518) 474-7896. Completed forms should be submitted to the New York State Department of Health, Bureau of Contracts, Empire State Plaza, Corning Tower Building, Room 2756, Albany, 12237-0016.
  - (iv) The CONTRACTOR shall file quarterly updates on the use of lobbyists if material changes occur, using the same standard disclosure form identified in (c) above to report such updated information.
- d) The reporting requirements enumerated in subsection (3) of this paragraph shall not apply to the CONTRACTOR with respect to:
- (i) Payments of reasonable compensation made to its regularly employed officers or employees;

- (ii) A request for or receipt of a contract (other than a contract referred to in clause (c) below), grant, cooperative agreement, subcontract (other than a subcontract referred to in clause (c) below), or subgrant that does not exceed \$100,000; and
- (iii) A request for or receipt of a loan, or a commitment providing for the United States to insure or guarantee a loan, that does not exceed \$150,000, including a contract or subcontract to carry out any purpose for which such a loan is made.

2. Certification Regarding Environmental Tobacco Smoke: Public Law 103-227, also known as the Pro-Children Act of 1994 (Act), requires that smoking not be permitted in any portion of any indoor facility owned or leased or contracted for by an entity and used routinely or regularly for the provision of health, day care, early childhood development services, education or library services to children under the age of 18, if the services are funded by federal programs either directly or through State or local governments, by federal grant, contract, loan, or loan guarantee. The law also applies to children's services that are provided in indoor facilities that are constructed, operated, or maintained with such federal funds. The law does not apply to children's services provided in private residences; portions of facilities used for inpatient drug or alcohol treatment; service providers whose sole source of applicable federal funds is Medicare or Medicaid; or facilities where WIC coupons are redeemed. Failure to comply with the provisions of the law may result in the imposition of a monetary penalty of up to \$1000 for each violation and/or the imposition of an administrative compliance order on the responsible entity.

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3. Certification Regarding Debarment and Suspension: Regulations of the Department of Health and Human Services, located at Part 76 of Title 45 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), implement Executive Orders 12549 and 12689 concerning debarment and suspension of participants in federal programs and activities. Executive Order 12549 provides that, to the extent permitted by law, Executive departments and agencies shall participate in a government-wide system for non-procurement debarment and suspension. Executive Order 12689 extends the debarment and suspension policy to procurement activities of the federal government. A person who is debarred or suspended by a federal agency is excluded from federal financial and non-financial assistance and benefits under federal programs and activities, both directly (primary covered transaction) and indirectly (lower tier covered transactions). Debarment or suspension by one federal agency has government-wide effect.

Pursuant to the above-cited regulations, the New York State Department of Health (as a participant in a primary covered transaction) may not knowingly do business with a person who is debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or subject to other government-wide exclusion (including any exclusion from Medicare and State health care program participation on or after



August 25, 1995), and the Department of Health must require its prospective contractors, as prospective lower tier participants, to provide the certification in Appendix B to Part 76 of Title 45 CFR, as set forth below:

a) APPENDIX B TO 45 CFR PART 76-CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, INELIGIBILITY AND VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION-LOWER TIER COVERED TRANSACTIONS

**Instructions for Certification**

- (i) By signing and submitting this proposal, the prospective lower tier participant is providing the certification set out below.
- (ii) 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.
- (iii) 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 had become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- (iv) 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 meaning 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 those regulations.
- (v) 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 proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, 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.

- (vi) 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.
- (vii) 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 proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions, 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 List of Parties Excluded From Federal Procurement and Non-procurement Programs.
- (viii) 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.
- (ix) Except for transactions authorized under paragraph "e" of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, 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.

b) Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion – Lower Tier Covered Transactions

- (i) 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 agency.
- (ii) 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.

**B. Administrative Rules and Audits:**

1. If this contract is funded in whole or in part from federal funds, the CONTRACTOR shall comply with the following federal grant requirements regarding administration and allowable costs:

a) For a local or Indian tribal government, use the principles in the common rule, "Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Cooperative Agreements to State and Local Governments," and Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-87, "Cost Principles for State, Local and Indian Tribal Governments".

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a) If the contract is funded from federal funds, and the CONTRACTOR spends more than \$500,000 in federal funds in their fiscal year, an audit report must be submitted in accordance with OMB Circular A-133.

b) If this contract is funded from other than federal funds or if the contract is funded from a combination of STATE and federal funds but federal funds are less than \$500,000,

and if the CONTRACTOR receives \$300,000 or more in total annual payments from the STATE, the CONTRACTOR shall submit to the STATE after the end of the CONTRACTOR's fiscal year an audit report. The audit report shall be submitted to the STATE within thirty days after its completion but no later than nine months after the end of the audit period. The audit report shall summarize the business and financial transactions of the CONTRACTOR. The report shall be prepared and certified by an independent accounting firm or other accounting entity, which is demonstrably independent of the administration of the program being audited. Audits performed of the CONTRACTOR's records shall be conducted in accordance with Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States covering financial audits. This audit requirement may be met through entity-wide audits, coincident with the CONTRACTOR's fiscal year, as described in OMB Circular A-133. Reports, disclosures, comments and opinions required under these publications should be so noted in the audit report.

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**Part B. Program Specific Federal Clauses**

Attachment A-2 Part B intentionally omitted.

**ATTACHMENT B-1 - EXPENDITURE BASED BUDGET  
SUMMARY**

PROJECT NAME: Children with Special Health Care Needs Program

CONTRACTOR SFS PAYEE NAME: Oneida County Public Health Department

CONTRACT PERIOD: From: 10/1/14

To: 9/30/15

CATEGORY OF EXPENSE	GRANT FUNDS	MATCH FUNDS	MATCH %	OTHER FUNDS	TOTAL
1. Personal Services					
a) Salary	\$19,650				\$19,650
b) Fringe	\$8,597				\$8,597
Subtotal	\$28,247	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$28,247
2. Non Personal Services					
a) Contractual Services	\$0				\$0
b) Travel	\$100				\$100
c) Equipment	\$0				\$0
d) Space/Property & Utilities	\$200				\$200
e) Operating Expenses	\$720				\$720
f) Other	\$100				\$100
Subtotal	\$1,120	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,120
TOTAL	\$29,367	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$29,367



**ATTACHMENT B-1 - EXPENDITURE BASED BUDGET  
NON-PERSONAL SERVICES DETAIL**

CONTRACTUAL SERVICES - TYPE/DESCRIPTION		TOTAL
2.		\$0
3.		
4.		
5.		
6.		
7.		
8.		
TOTAL		\$0

TRAVEL - TYPE/DESCRIPTION		TOTAL
1. Travel - Instate		\$100
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		
6.		
7.		
8.		
TOTAL		\$100

EQUIPMENT - TYPE/DESCRIPTION		TOTAL
		\$0

SPACE/PROPERTY EXPENSES: RENT - TYPE/DESCRIPTION		TOTAL
1.		\$0
2.		
3.		\$0
SPACE/PROPERTY EXPENSES: OWN - TYPE/DESCRIPTION		TOTAL
1.		\$0
2.		
3.		\$0
TYPE/DESCRIPTION OF UTILITY EXPENSES		TOTAL
1. Telephone		\$200
2.		
3.		
	TOTAL	\$200





**ATTACHMENT B-1 - EXPENDITURE BASED BUDGET  
SUMMARY**

PROJECT NAME: Children with Special Health Care Needs Program

CONTRACTOR SFS PAYEE NAME: Oneida County Public Health Department

CONTRACT PERIOD: From: 10/1/15 To: 9/30/16

CATEGORY OF EXPENSE	GRANT FUNDS	MATCH FUNDS	MATCH %	OTHER FUNDS	TOTAL
1. Personal Services					
a) Salary	\$19,608				\$19,608
b) Fringe	\$8,589				\$8,589
Subtotal	\$28,197	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$28,197
2. Non Personal Services					
a) Contractual Services					\$0
b) Travel	\$100				\$100
c) Equipment					\$0
d) Space/Property & Utilities	\$200				\$200
e) Operating Expenses	\$769				\$769
f) Other	\$101				\$101
Subtotal	\$1,170	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,170
TOTAL	\$29,367	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$29,367



**ATTACHMENT B-1 - EXPENDITURE BASED BUDGET  
NON-PERSONAL SERVICES DETAIL**

CONTRACTUAL SERVICES - TYPE/DESCRIPTION		TOTAL
2.		\$0
3.		
4.		
5.		
6.		
7.		
8.		
TOTAL		\$0

TRAVEL - TYPE/DESCRIPTION		TOTAL
Travel - Instate		\$100
3.		
4.		
5.		
6.		
7.		
8.		
TOTAL		\$100

EQUIPMENT - TYPE/DESCRIPTION		TOTAL
		\$0

SPACE/PROPERTY EXPENSES: RENT - TYPE/DESCRIPTION		TOTAL
1.		\$0
2.		
3.		\$0
SPACE/PROPERTY EXPENSES: OWN - TYPE/DESCRIPTION		TOTAL
1.		\$0
2.		
3.		\$0
TYPE/DESCRIPTION OF UTILITY EXPENSES		TOTAL
1. Telephone		\$200
2.		
3.		
	TOTAL	\$200



**ATTACHMENT B-1 - EXPENDITURE BASED BUDGET  
SUMMARY**

PROJECT NAME: Children with Special Health Care Needs Program

CONTRACTOR SFS PAYEE NAME: Oneida County Public Health Department

CONTRACT PERIOD: From: 10/1/16 To: 9/30/17

CATEGORY OF EXPENSE	GRANT FUNDS	MATCH FUNDS	MATCH %	OTHER FUNDS	TOTAL
1. Personal Services					
a) Salary	\$19,670				\$19,670
b) Fringe	\$8,587				\$8,587
Subtotal	\$28,257	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$28,257
2. Non Personal Services					
a) Contractual Services					\$0
b) Travel	\$100				\$100
c) Equipment					\$0
d) Space/Property & Utilities	\$200				\$200
e) Operating Expenses	\$710				\$710
f) Other	\$100				\$100
Subtotal	\$1,110	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,110
TOTAL	\$29,367	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$29,367





**ATTACHMENT B-1 - EXPENDITURE BASED BUDGET  
NON-PERSONAL SERVICES DETAIL**

CONTRACTUAL SERVICES - TYPE/DESCRIPTION		TOTAL
2.		\$0
3.		
4.		
5.		
6.		
7.		
8.		
TOTAL		\$0

TRAVEL - TYPE/DESCRIPTION		TOTAL
Travel - Instate		\$100
3.		
4.		
5.		
6.		
7.		
8.		
TOTAL		\$100

EQUIPMENT - TYPE/DESCRIPTION		TOTAL
		\$0

SPACE/PROPERTY EXPENSES: RENT - TYPE/DESCRIPTION		TOTAL
1.		\$0
2.		
3.		\$0
SPACE/PROPERTY EXPENSES: OWN - TYPE/DESCRIPTION		TOTAL
1.		\$0
2.		
3.		\$0
TYPE/DESCRIPTION OF UTILITY EXPENSES		TOTAL
Telephone		\$200
2.		
3.		
	TOTAL	\$200

OPERATING EXPENSES - TYPE/DESCRIPTION		TOTAL
1. Print and Copy		\$200
2. Postage		\$200
3. Supplies		\$310
4.		
5.		
6.		
7.		
8.		
TOTAL		\$710

OTHER - TYPE/DESCRIPTION		TOTAL
Training		\$100
TOTAL		\$100

**ATTACHMENT C – WORK PLAN  
SUMMARY**

PROJECT NAME: Children with Special Health Care Needs Program - Local Health Department (LHD)

CONTRACTOR SFS PAYEE NAME: Oneida County Public Health Department

CONTRACT PERIOD: From: 10/1/14

To: 9/30/17

Provide an overview of the project including goals, tasks, desired outcomes and performance measures:

The goals of the Children with Special Health Care Needs (CSHCN) Program are: 1) Local Health Departments (LHD) will effectively administer a CSHCN Program; 2) Families of CSHCN and youth and young adults with special health care needs (YAYASHCN) who contact the CSHCN Program will receive timely and appropriate information and referrals to insurance, health services, and community resources to address their identified needs; 3) LHD will empower families of CSHCN and YAYASHCN to navigate community systems of care; 4) Gaps and barriers to access health care and related services and resources for families are reduced or eliminated; 5) CSHCN Program activities are responsive to the needs of families and youth; and 6) Youth and young adults with special health care needs will make successful transitions to all aspects of adult life.

The tasks of local CSHCN Programs are to: 1) Provide community outreach and education to consumers and providers about programs, supports and services for families of CSHCN; 2) Offer information and referral services to families of CSHN age birth to 21 years; 3) Identify gaps and barriers in health care service systems and propose strategies to address them; and 4) Report progress towards grant deliverables.

The desired outcomes are: 1) Families of CSHCN received timely, accurate and useful information to help them obtain health and related services that address their identified needs; 2) Each Local CSHCN Program has the capacity to provide families of CSHCN with appropriate, comprehensive information about local and state resources to address identified needs.

The performance measures include consumer and provider outreach and education, information and referral, and reporting.

**ATTACHMENT C – WORK PLAN  
DETAIL**

OBJECTIVE	BUDGET CATEGORY/ DELIVERABLE (if applicable)	TASKS	PERFORMANCE MEASURES
<p><b>Goal 1: Program Administration</b></p> <p>a. LHD has all appropriate staff responsible for carrying out activities for a comprehensive CHSCN Program.</p> <p>b. LHD has appropriate and up-to-date policies and procedures in place to guide staff activities.</p>	<p>Personal Services and Non-Personal Services</p>	<p>a. 1. Develop and maintain an updated organizational chart of all personnel, including any vacant positions. Within the chart include all personnel who perform CSHCN activities and the location of the CSHCN Program (please submit with first quarterly report each year).</p> <p>2. Develop and update as needed CSHCN Program (including Physically Handicapped Children's Program when applicable) policies and procedures for daily use, orientation of new staff and in-service education.</p> <p>b. Manuals are centrally located and available for use by LHD staff and for review by NYSDOH staff during the site visit review process or upon request.</p>	<p>a. 1. LHD will submit an organizational chart with the first quarter report by February 15<sup>th</sup> annually.</p> <p>2. Relevant CSHCN and PHCP policies and procedures are written, reviewed and kept current.</p> <p>b. LHD staff report where the policies and procedures are located.</p>

<p><b>Goal 2: Program Services</b></p> <p>a. 100% of families of CSHCN and YAYASHCN who are uninsured or underinsured will be provided with information regarding health and dental insurance and gap-filling programs.</p>	<p>Personal Services and Non-Personal Services</p>	<p>a. 1. Determine if each CSHCN served by the program has insurance.</p> <p>2. Determine if each CSHCN served by the program has a primary care provider.</p> <p>3. Provide families with information, guidance and referrals about insurance and gap-filling programs, including but not limited to the New York State of Health (The Official Health Plan Marketplace) and Navigators, PHCP (if Treatment Program offered) and SSI.</p> <p>4. Follow up to determine outcomes of referrals related to insurance and health services and document outcomes.</p> <p>b. Provide families with information, guidance and referrals about available community resources; refer to resources and follow up on outcomes of referrals; and document outcomes.</p>	<p>a. 1. Each CSHCN record has a response for either type of insurance or has no insurance.</p> <p>2. Each CSHCN record has a response for whether they have or do not have a primary care provider.</p> <p>3. Each CSHCN without insurance will have a record of a referral for insurance.</p> <p>4. Each CSHCN with a referral related to insurance and health services will have an outcome documented.</p> <p>b. Each CSHCN with a referral to resources will have an outcome documented.</p>
<p>b. 100% of families of CSHCN and YAYASHCN with health-related needs will be assisted in accessing appropriate community resources.</p>			

<p><b>Goal 3: Outreach and Education</b></p> <p>a. Increase awareness and knowledge of the public, health care providers and other professionals about information, tools and resources to empower families of CSHCN and YAYASHCN to navigate community systems of care.</p>	<p>Personal Service and Non- Personal Services</p>	<p>a. 1. LHD shall provide information via print or electronic form about the services of the CSHCN Program, gap-filling programs, insurance, and state and local programs to <i>health care providers and health care facilities</i>.</p> <p>2. LHD shall provide information via print or electronic form about the services of the CSHCN Program, gap-filling programs, insurance, and state and local programs and community resources to <i>families</i> (including culturally diverse populations) of CSHCN, YAYASHCN, and <i>family serving organizations and providers</i> (i.e. Parent to Parent, respite).</p> <p>3. LHD shall inform and/or provide opportunities for families about support meetings and training workshops on CSHCN related topics including medical home, education advocacy, and transition.</p>	<p>a. 1-3. LHD will describe a minimum of one outreach and education activity performed during the quarter. Description includes the method, target audience and dates.</p>
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<p><b>Goal 4. Quality Improvement</b></p> <p>a. Identify unmet health and related needs for CSHCN and YAYASCHN and their families.</p>	<p>Personal Service and Non-Personal Services</p>	<p>a. 1. LHD shall identify barriers and unmet needs and report them to local/state CSHCN Program staff.</p> <p>a. 2. LHD shall suggest strategy(ies) for addressing barriers and unmet needs.</p> <p>a. 3. LHD shall initiate proposed strategy(ies), report on progress in overcoming the barriers and the effective strategy(ies).</p>	<p>a. 1-3.CSHCN quarterly narrative report describes gaps and barriers identified in their county and suggest strategies to address these unmet needs.</p>
<p><b>Goal 5. CSHCN Program activities are responsive to the needs of families and youth.</b></p> <p>a. Increase families and youth's satisfaction with CSHCN Program activities.</p>	<p>Personal Services and Non- Personal Services</p>	<p>a. 1. Elicit family and youth satisfaction with services provided by the CSHCN Program (using a standardized survey tool provided by the Department) including feedback from those individuals of diverse cultures.</p> <p>a. 2. Review consumer feedback and continue/modify program activities based upon their input.</p> <p>a. 3. Optional Activities (check if any are planned to be performed):</p>	<p>a. 1. Number of CSHCN served monthly and number of Family Satisfaction Survey responses reported monthly.</p> <p>a. 2. Narrative report will describe any program modifications.</p> <p>a. 3. Narrative report will describe any optional activities performed.</p>



<p><b>Goal 6. Transitions</b></p> <p>a. Youth and young adults with special health care needs, ages 14 to 21 years, will receive information about transitioning to adult health care.</p>	<p>Personal Services and Non-Personal Services</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Involve families of CSHCN and youth and young adults with special health care needs (YAYSCHN) in work groups, committees, task forces or advisory committees to improve the system of care for CSHCN.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Involve families and YYSCHN in local planning activities, such as the Community Health Assessment.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Involve families of CSHCN and YYSCHN in training of CSHCN staff and providers.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Provide reimbursement of families of CSHCN and YYSCHN for their participation in CSHCN program planning activities (i.e. travel expenses, attendant care, and stipends).</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Engage families of CSHCN and YYSCHN of diverse cultures in above activities.</li> </ul>	<p>a. Quarterly narrative reports reflect that H.I. Doc and transition information were given to the number of youth age 14 and older reported in the database during that quarter.</p>
		<p>a. Provide youth age fourteen years and older and their families with H.I.Doc and information about transitions on <a href="http://healthytransitionsny.com/">http://healthytransitionsny.com/</a> website.</p>	

**ATTACHMENT D  
PAYMENT AND REPORTING SCHEDULE**

**I. PAYMENT PROVISIONS**

In full consideration of contract services to be performed the State Agency agrees to pay and the contractor agrees to accept a sum not to exceed the amount noted on the face page hereof. All payments shall be in accordance with the budget contained in the applicable Attachment B form (Budget), which is attached hereto.

**A. Advance Payment and Recoupment Language (if applicable):**

1. The State agency will make an advance payment to the Contractor, during the initial period, in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_ percent (\_\_\_%) the budget as set forth in the most recently approved applicable Attachment B form (Budget).
2. Recoupment of any advance payment(s) shall be recovered by crediting (\_\_\_%) of subsequent claims and such claims will be reduced until the advance is fully recovered within the contract period.
3. Scheduled advance payments shall be due in accordance with an approved payment schedule as follows:

Period: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \_\_\_\_\_ Due Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Period: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \_\_\_\_\_ Due Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Period: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \_\_\_\_\_ Due Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Period: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \_\_\_\_\_ Due Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**B. Interim and/or Final Claims for Reimbursement**

Claiming Schedule (*select applicable frequency*):

- Quarterly Reimbursement  
Due date w/in 30 days end of quarter
- Monthly Reimbursement  
Due date \_\_\_\_\_
- Biannual Reimbursement  
Due date \_\_\_\_\_
- Fee for Service Reimbursement  
Due date \_\_\_\_\_

- Rate Based Reimbursement  
Due date \_\_\_\_\_
- Fifth Quarter Reimbursement  
Due date \_\_\_\_\_
- Milestone/Performance Reimbursement  
Due date/Frequency \_\_\_\_\_
- Scheduled Reimbursement  
Due date/Frequency \_\_\_\_\_

## II. REPORTING PROVISIONS

### A. Expenditure-Based Reports *(select the applicable report type):*

- Narrative/Qualitative Report

The Contractor will submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than 30 days from the end of the quarter, the report described in Section III(G)(2)(a)(i) of the Master Contract.

- Statistical/Quantitative Report

The Contractor will submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than 30 days from the end of the quarter, the report described in Section III(G)(2)(a)(ii) of the Master Contract.

- Expenditure Report

The Contractor will submit, on a quarterly basis, not later than 30 days after the end date for which reimbursement is being claimed, the report described in Section III(G)(2)(a)(iii) of the Master Contract.

- Final Report

The Contractor will submit the final report as described in Section III(G)(2)(a)(iv) of the Master Contract, no later than \_\_\_\_\_ days after the end of the contract period.

- Consolidated Fiscal Report (CFR)<sup>1</sup>

The Contractor will submit the CFR on an annual basis, in accordance with the time frames designated in the CFR manual. For New York City contractors, the due date shall be May 1 of each year; for Upstate and Long Island contractors, the due date shall be November 1 of each year.

<sup>1</sup> The Consolidated Fiscal Reporting System is a standardized electronic reporting method accepted by Office of Alcoholism & Substance Services, Office of Mental Health, Office of Persons with Developmental Disabilities and the State Education Department, consisting of schedules which, in different combinations, capture financial information for budgets, quarterly and/or mid-year claims, an annual cost report, and a final claim. The CFR, which must be submitted annually, is both a year-end cost report and a year-end claiming document.

**B. Progress-Based Reports**

1. Progress Reports

The Contractor shall provide the report described in Section III(G)(2)(b)(i) of the Master Contract in accordance with the forms and in the format provided by the State Agency, summarizing the work performed during the contract period (see Table 1 below for the annual schedule).

2. Final Progress Report

Final scheduled payment will not be due until \_\_\_\_ days after completion of agency's audit of the final expenditures report/documentation showing total grant expenses submitted by vendor with its final invoice. Deadline for submission of the final report is \_\_\_\_\_. The agency shall complete its audit and notify vendor of the results no later than \_\_\_\_\_. The Contractor shall submit the report not later than \_\_\_\_ days from the end of the contract.

**C. Other Reports**

The Contractor shall provide reports in accordance with the form, content and schedule as set forth in Table 1.



IN WITNESS THEREOF, the parties hereto have executed or approved this Master Contract on the dates below their signatures.

**CONTRACTOR:**

Oneida County

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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

**STATE AGENCY:**

New York State Department of Health

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Bradley Hutton

Printed Name

Title: Director, Center for Community Health

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

**STATE OF NEW YORK**

County of \_\_\_\_\_

On the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, before me personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_, to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that he/she resides at \_\_\_\_\_, that he/she is the \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_, the contractor described herein which executed the foregoing instrument; and that he/she signed his/her name thereto as authorized by the contractor named on the face page of this Master Contract.

(Notary) \_\_\_\_\_

**ATTORNEY GENERAL'S SIGNATURE**

\_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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

**STATE COMPTROLLER'S SIGNATURE**

\_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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

# ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

ANTHONY J. PICENTE JR.  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

DENNIS S. DAVIS  
COMMISSIONER



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January 13, 2015

Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Ave.  
Utica, NY 13501

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**PUBLIC WORKS**  
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Dear County Executive Picente,

On November 13, 2014 the Oneida County Board of Acquisition & Contract accepted a proposal from Delta Engineers, Architects, & Land Surveyors, P.C. for \$82,700.00 to prepare plans and specifications for rehabilitation of the following bridges.

Replace Structure C3-70, Redfield Road over Tributary Mad River, Florence  
Rehabilitate Structure C1-42A, Eureka Road over Sucker Brook, Westmoreland  
Rehabilitate Structure C3-52, Halsey Road over Black Creek, Whitestown  
Rehabilitate Structure C1-62, Lee Valley Road over Sash Factory Creek, Lee  
Rehabilitate BIN 3311220, Blackman Corners Road over Branch Stony Creek, Verona  
Replace BIN 3311310, Mill Road over Hall Brook, Vienna

Please consider the enclosed contract for the above mentioned services. If acceptable, please forward to the Oneida County Board of Legislators for further consideration.

Thank you for your support.

Sincerely,

Dennis S. Davis  
Commissioner

cc: Mark E. Laramie, P.E., Deputy Commissioner

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 4/16/15

Competing Proposal	<u>  X  </u>
Only Respondent	<u>          </u>
Sole Source RFP	<u>          </u>

## ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS

Name of Proposing Organization: Delta Engineers, Architects, & Land Surveyors, P.C.  
860 Hooper Road  
Endwell, NY 13760

Title of Activity or Service: Professional Consulting Services

Proposed Dates of Operation: Start on Execution – 12/31/2015

Client Population/Number to be Served: N/A

### Summary Statements

#### 1) Narrative Description of Proposed Services:

Prepare plans and specifications for reconstruction/rehabilitation of the following bridges and structures.

Replace Structure C3-70, Redfield Road over Tributary Mad River, Florence  
Rehabilitate Structure C1-42A, Eureka Road over Sucker Brook, Westmoreland  
Rehabilitate Structure C3-52, Halsey Road over Black Creek, Whitestown  
Rehabilitate Structure C1-62, Lee Valley Road over Sash Factory Creek, Lee  
Rehabilitate BIN 3311220, Blackman Corners Road over Branch Stony Creek, Verona  
Replace BIN 3311310, Mill Road over Hall Brook, Vienna

2) Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes: N/A

3) Program Design and Staffing: N/A

Total Funding Requested: \$82,700.00                      Account #: H-498

Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation: \$82,700.00

Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$): \$82,700.00 County

Cost Per Client Served: N/A

Past Performance Data: N/A

O.C. Department Staff Comments: None



CONSULTING AGREEMENT  
COUNTY OF ONEIDA

THIS Agreement is made and entered into this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2014, by and between THE COUNTY OF ONEIDA, 800 Park Avenue, Utica, NY 13501, a public entity, hereinafter called "COUNTY," and Delta Engineers, Architects, & Land Surveyors, P.C., 860 Hooper Road, Endwell, NY 13760, hereinafter called "CONSULTANT."

WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, COUNTY requires consulting services to assist the COUNTY in preparing detailed highway and bridge reconstruction plans and specifications; and

WHEREAS, CONSULTANT has submitted a proposal to provide plans, specifications, and construction phase services for rehabilitation or replacement of various structures and bridges in Oneida County and CONSULTANT represents that it has the experience, licenses qualifications, staff and expertise to perform said services in a professional and competent manner; and

WHEREAS, COUNTY Board of Acquisition and Contract has authorized the contract;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is mutually agreed by COUNTY and CONSULTANT that for the consideration hereinafter set forth, CONSULTANT shall provide said services to COUNTY, as set forth in greater detail herein.

1. ARTICLE 1 - SCOPE OF WORK

- 1.1. CONSULTANT agrees to furnish services set forth in Attachment A, Scope of Services, attached hereto and incorporated herein. The services authorized under this Agreement shall also include all reports, manuals, plans, and specifications as set forth in Attachment A.
- 1.2. CONSULTANT'S work product shall be completed and submitted in accordance with industry standards. Completion dates, if specified herein, may only be modified by mutual written agreement between COUNTY and CONSULTANT. CONSULTANT agrees to diligently perform the services to be provided under this Agreement.
- 1.3. It is understood and agreed that CONSULTANT has the professional skills necessary to perform the work agreed to be performed under this Agreement, that COUNTY relies upon the professional skills of CONSULTANT to do and perform CONSULTANT'S duties.
- 1.4. CONSULTANT agrees to maintain in confidence and not disclose to any person or entity, without COUNTY'S prior written consent, any confidential information, knowledge or data relating to the products, processes, or operations of COUNTY. The covenants contained in this paragraph shall survive the termination of this Agreement for whatever cause.

- 1.5. The originals of all computations, drawings, designs, graphics, studies, reports, manuals, photographs, videotapes, data, computer files, and other documents prepared or caused to be prepared by CONSULTANT or its subconsultants in connection with these services shall be delivered to and shall become the exclusive property of COUNTY. COUNTY is licensed to utilize these documents for COUNTY applications on other projects or extensions of this project, at its own risk. CONSULTANT and its subconsultants may retain and use copies of such documents, with written approval of COUNTY.
- 1.6. CONSULTANT is an independent contractor and not an employee of COUNTY. CONSULTANT expressly warrants that it will not represent that it is an employee or servant of COUNTY.

## 2. ARTICLE 2 – COMPENSATION

- 2.1. COUNTY agrees to pay CONSULTANT a lump sum fee of \$67,700.00 for Implementation, Design Development, Comments/Revisions/Final Review, Bid Documents, Public Bidding, and Record Drawings. Payment shall be made on a basis of work completed.
- 2.2. COUNTY agrees to pay CONSULTANT a not-to-exceed lump sum fee of \$15,000 for Construction Phase services. Consultant shall receive payment on a work performed basis. Therefore, contingency funds not used shall be credited to the County. Attachment B, attached hereto and incorporated herein, shall be used to calculate payment due for Construction Phase services.
- 2.3. In case of changes affecting project scope resulting from new findings, unanticipated conditions, or other conflicts or discrepancies, CONSULTANT shall promptly notify COUNTY of the identified changes and advise COUNTY of the recommended solution. Work shall not be performed on such changes without prior written authorization of COUNTY. Payments for additional services performed shall be agreed upon in writing prior to commencement of such additional services and payment for such additional services shall be made based on the percentage of work completed and/or on completion of major tasks.

## 3. ARTICLE 3 - NOTICE TO PROCEED

- 3.1. This Agreement shall become effective upon execution of the final signature. CONSULTANT shall commence work upon receipt of COUNTY'S Notice to Proceed, which shall be in the form of a letter signed by COUNTY'S Project Manager. COUNTY'S Notice to Proceed will authorize the Contracted Services described in Exhibit A with fees described in ARTICLE 2. No work shall commence until the Notice to Proceed is issued.

## 4. ARTICLE 4 – TERMINATION

- 4.1. This Agreement may be terminated by COUNTY immediately for cause or upon 10 days written notice.

4.2. If this Agreement is terminated, CONSULTANT shall be entitled to compensation for services satisfactorily performed to the effective date of termination; provided however, that COUNTY may condition payment of such compensation upon CONSULTANT'S delivery to COUNTY of any and all documents, photographs, computer software, videotapes, and other materials provided to CONSULTANT or prepared by CONSULTANT for COUNTY in connection with this Agreement. Payment by COUNTY for the services satisfactorily performed to the effective date of termination shall be the sole and exclusive remedy to which CONSULTANT is entitled in the event of termination of the Agreement and CONSULTANT shall be entitled to no other compensation or damages and expressly waives same.

4.3. This Agreement may be terminated by CONSULTANT upon 10 days written notice to COUNTY only in the event of substantial failure by COUNTY to fulfill its obligations under this Agreement through no fault of the CONSULTANT.

## 5. ARTICLE 5 - PROJECT MANAGERS

5.1. COUNTY designates the Deputy Commissioner, Division of Engineering as its Project Manager, who shall be responsible for administering and interpreting the terms and conditions of this Agreement, for matters relating to CONSULTANT'S performance under this Agreement, and for liaison and coordination between COUNTY and CONSULTANT. In the event COUNTY wishes to make a change in the COUNTY'S representative, COUNTY will notify CONSULTANT of the change in writing.

5.2. CONSULTANT designates Tamer Osman, P.E. as its Project Manager, who shall have immediate responsibility for the performance of the work and for all matters relating to performance under this Agreement. Any change in CONSULTANT designated personnel or subconsultant shall be subject to approval by the COUNTY Project Manager.

## 6. ARTICLE 6 - INDEMNIFICATION AND INSURANCE

6.1. Indemnification. The CONSULTANT agrees that it shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the COUNTY from and against all liability, damages, expenses, costs, causes of actions, suits, claims or judgments arising, occurring or resulting from property damage, personal injuries or death to persons arising, occurring or resulting from or out of the work of the CONSULTANT and its subconsultants, agents, servants, or employees, and from any loss or damage arising, occurring or resulting from the acts or failure to act or any default or negligence by the CONSULTANT and its subconsultants or failure on the part of the CONSULTANT and its subconsultants to comply with any of the covenants, terms or conditions of this agreement.

6.2. Insurance Requirements. CONSULTANT shall procure and maintain during the life of the Agreement all the insurance required in this ARTICLE, and shall submit certificates for review and approval by COUNTY. The Notice to Proceed shall not be issued, and CONSULTANT shall not commence work until such insurance has been approved by COUNTY. The certificates shall be on forms approved by COUNTY. Acceptance of the certificates shall not relieve

CONSULTANT of any of the insurance requirements, nor decrease the liability of CONSULTANT. COUNTY reserves the right to require CONSULTANT to provide insurance policies for review by COUNTY. CONSULTANT grants COUNTY a limited power of attorney to communicate with CONSULTANT's insurance provider and/or agent for the express purpose of confirming the coverages required hereunder.

- 6.3. Commercial General Liability Insurance. The CONSULTANT agrees that it will, at its own expense, at all times during the term of this agreement, maintain in force a policy of insurance which will insure against liability for property damage and/or injury/death with regard to any property or persons. The liability and property damage coverage of such insurance shall not be less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00). The CONSULTANT agrees to have the COUNTY added to said insurance policies as a named additional insured, on a primary, non-contributory basis, as its interests may appear, and to provide the COUNTY with a certificate from said insurance company, or companies, showing coverage as herein before required, such certificate to show the COUNTY as an additional insured and to provide that coverage shall not be terminated without written prior notice to the County of at least thirty (30) days.
- 6.4. Professional Liability Insurance. The CONSULTANT shall maintain a professional liability policy and will provide the COUNTY with proof of coverage in the amount of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per incident and One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) aggregate. The CONSULTANT agrees that coverage shall not be terminated without written prior notice to the County of at least thirty (30) days.
- 6.5. CONSULTANT shall maintain Auto Liability insurance in an amount equal to or greater than \$1,000,000.00 for the duration of this contract. The CONSULTANT agrees to have the COUNTY added to said insurance policies as a named additional insured, on a primary, non-contributory basis, as its interests may appear, and to provide the COUNTY with a certificate from said insurance company, or companies, showing coverage as herein before required, such certificate to show the COUNTY as an additional insured and to provide that coverage shall not be terminated without written prior notice to the County of at least thirty (30) days.
- 6.6. Workman's Compensation insurance shall be procured by CONSULTANT in accordance with State Law.
- 6.7. CONSULTANT shall require any subconsultant to procure and maintain insurance coverage of the same type and in the same amounts with the same endorsements required of the CONSULTANT in paragraphs 6.3, 6.4, 6.5, and 6.6 above.

## 7. ARTICLE 7 – NOTICES

- 7.1. Any notice which COUNTY may desire or is required at any time to give or serve CONSULTANT may be delivered personally, or be sent by United States mail, postage prepaid, addressed to CONSULTANT's Project Manager's attention, or at such other address as shall have been last furnished in writing by CONSULTANT to COUNTY. Any notice which CONSULTANT may desire

or is required at any time to give or serve upon COUNTY may be delivered personally at 6000 Airport Road, Oriskany, NY, or be sent by United States mail, postage prepaid, addressed to Deputy Commissioner, Division of Engineering, 6000 Airport Road, Oriskany, NY 13424, or at such other address as shall have been last furnished in writing by COUNTY to CONSULTANT. Such personal delivery or mailing in such manner shall constitute a good, sufficient and lawful notice and service thereof in all such cases.

## 8. ARTICLE 8 – MISCELLANEOUS

- 8.1. This Agreement and all exhibits, attachments, appendices and addendums represent the entire understanding of COUNTY and CONSULTANT as to those matters contained herein. No prior oral or written understanding shall be of any force or effect with respect to those matters covered hereunder. This Agreement may only be modified by amendment in writing signed by each party.
- 8.2. This Agreement is to be binding on the successors and assigns of the parties hereto. The services called for herein are deemed unique and CONSULTANT shall not assign, transfer or otherwise substitute its interest in this Agreement or any of its obligations hereunder without the prior written consent of COUNTY.
- 8.3. Should any part of this Agreement be declared by a final decision by a court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional, invalid or beyond the authority of either party to enter into or carry out, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remainder of this Agreement, which shall continue in full force and effect, provided that the remainder of this Agreement can be interpreted to give effect to the intentions of the parties.
- 8.4. Multiple copies of this Agreement may be executed by the parties and the parties agree that the Agreement on file at the COUNTY is the version of the Agreement that shall take precedence should any differences exist among counterparts of the Agreement.
- 8.5. This Agreement and all matters relating to it shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York with venue for any proceeding commenced to be held in the Supreme Court of the State of New York, County of Oneida.
- 8.6. In compliance with the General Municipal and Finance Laws of New York State, the Consultant agrees to sign a waiver of immunity against criminal prosecution.
- 8.7. If the COUNTY becomes party to any litigation resulting from this project that is not the fault of the CONSULTANT and that requires the CONSULTANT's services, the additional fee to be paid shall be one that is mutually agreed upon between the COUNTY and the CONSULTANT.
- 8.8. Consultant agrees to comply with all applicable provisions of the Labor Laws of New York State and the United States of America.

8.9. The COUNTY's waiver of the performance of any covenant, condition, obligation, representation, warranty or promise in this agreement shall not invalidate this Agreement or be deemed a waiver of any other covenant, condition, obligation, representation, warranty or promise. The COUNTY's waiver of the time for performing any act or condition hereunder does not constitute a waiver of the act or condition itself.

8.10. There shall be no discrimination against any person or group of persons, on account of race, color, religious creed, national origin, ancestry, gender including gender identity or expression, age, marital or domestic partnership status, mental or physical disability, medical condition, genetic information, or sexual orientation in the performance of this contract. CONSULTANT shall not establish or permit any such practice(s) of discrimination with reference to the contract or any part thereof. CONSULTANTS determined to be in violation of this section shall be deemed to be in material breach of this Agreement.

8.11. CONSULTANT affirms that it does not have any financial interest or conflict of interest that would prevent CONSULTANT from providing unbiased, impartial service to the COUNTY under this Agreement.

8.12. CONSULTANT shall comply with COUNTY's Standard Addendum attached hereto and incorporated herein.

## 9. ARTICLE 9 - TERM

9.1. Unless terminated pursuant to Article 4 herein, this Agreement shall expire when all tasks have been completed and final payment has been made by COUNTY, or in any event, no later than December 31, 2015. The terms of this Agreement may be amended only in writing signed by both parties.

## 10. ARTICLE 10 - OTHER DOCUMENTS

10.1. The documents listed below shall become part of this agreement.

- 10.1.1. Attachment A, Scope of Services
- 10.1.2. Attachment B, Billable Rates
- 10.1.3. Attachment C, Change Order
- 10.1.4. Attachment D, Certification of Consultant
- 10.1.5. Attachment E, Standard Addendum

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto each herewith subscribe the same in duplicate.

COUNTY OF ONEIDA

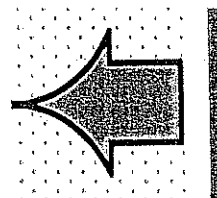
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Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive

DELTA ENGINEERS, ARCHITECTS, & LAND SURVEYORS, P.C.

By: Joseph J. Mieczkowski Date: 1-5-15  
Joseph J. Mieczkowski, P.E.

APPROVED AS TO FORM

By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Oneida County Attorney



## ATTACHMENT A

### PROJECT DESCRIPTION AND NARRATIVE

#### Project Narrative.

1. a. Replacement of Structure C3-70, Redfield Road over Tributary Mad River, Town of Florence.
- b. Rehabilitation of Structure C1-42A, Eureka Road over Sucker Brook, Town of Westmoreland.  
Existing concrete parapet walls will be removed and replaced. New culvert and approach railing to be installed. Existing bituminous overlays will be removed and replaced following installation of waterproofing membrane.
- c. Rehabilitation of Structure C3-52, Halsey Road over Black Creek, Town of Whitestown.  
Concrete deck to be removed along with a portion of the abutments in order to accommodate a wider prestressed concrete beam superstructure with concrete headwalls. New culvert and approach railing to be installed. Waterproofing membrane and asphalt overlay to be placed over deck.
- d. Rehabilitation of Structure C1-62, Lee Valley Road over Sash Factory Creek, Town of Lee.  
Areas of deteriorated concrete will be removed and replaced. New culvert and approach railing to be installed. Existing bituminous overlays will be removed and replaced following installation of waterproofing membrane.
- e. Rehabilitation of BIN 3311220, Blackman Corners Road over Branch Stony Creek, Town of Verona.  
Superstructure to be removed and new prestressed concrete beams installed with an asphalt overlay on a wider beam seat. New culvert and approach railing to be installed.
- f. Replacement of BIN 3311310, Mill Road over Hall Brook, Town of Vienna.

#### 2. Scope of Work

- A. The Consultant shall prepare plans and bid specifications for the projects, as described in Section 1, Project Narrative, and as determined by the County of Oneida.
- B. Plans and bid specifications shall be prepared in accordance with applicable New York State Department of Transportation and AASHTO guidelines.
- C. Work shall include plans and bid specifications for all related work as well as all field surveys, subsurface investigations, and tests necessary for a complete project design. A minimum of two soil borings will be performed for each replacement bridge or structure. Cost of soil borings to be included in Lump Sum fee for each structure. A hydraulic analysis may be required for each replacement bridge and structure.
- D. **Without exception**, the Consultant shall be responsible for preparing and securing **all permits** in association with the construction of this project. The County of Oneida shall pay for all permits.
- E. Consultant shall be responsible for securing current New York State Schedule of Wage Rates for this project and distributing subsequent updates to all parties involved throughout construction.



- F. Consultant shall be responsible for securing and preparing necessary contract documentation as required by New York State Department of Transportation guidelines (i.e., equal employment opportunity guidelines, etc.) when necessary.
- G. Plans and specifications shall be ready for bid **no later than 90 days after execution of an agreement for consultant services.**
- H. Work shall be completed in accordance with the following criteria. The most current editions of the following reference manuals shall prevail:
- (1) NYSDOT:
    - (a) HS-25 Live Load Rating
    - (b) The Environmental Manual
    - (c) Standard Specifications for Construction and Materials
    - (d) Highway Design Manual - Volume 1, 2 and 3
    - (e) Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices
    - (f) Policy on Geometrics of Structures
    - (g) Standard Specifications for Highway Bridges
    - (h) Standard Details for Highway Bridges
    - (i) Engineering Instructions / Bulletins
  - (2) AASHTO:
    - (a) Standard Specifications for Highway Bridges
    - (b) Policy on Geometric Design of Highways and Streets
  - (3) Any other applicable NYSDOT or AASHTO guideline.
- I. Generate formal minutes for all meetings. Minutes shall be distributed to the County of Oneida and all other parties involved. The following statement shall be included in the Meeting Minutes: "These minutes convey our understanding of items discussed and agreements reached during this meeting. We shall assume that understanding is correct unless written notice to the contrary is directed to us within ten (10) days of the above date of issue."
- J. Consultant services shall be divided into the following sequential phases:
- (1) Implementation
    - (a) Confer with the County and review recommendations/requirements of the project to arrive at a mutual understanding of the scope of the project.
    - (b) Inspect site and review existing data available for project development.
    - (c) Analyze various design alternatives with regards to cost and schedule. Submit results to the County for review and selection.
  - (2) Design Development
    - (a) Verify design alternative selected by the County.
    - (b) Prepare preliminary drawings and specifications sufficient to permit review and approval by the County or its representatives.

- (c) Review and incorporate comments and revisions into design.
  - (d) Provide a detailed statement of probable construction cost.
- (3) Comments, Revisions and Final Review
- (a) Submit drawings and specifications for approval to all agencies concerned. Including, but not limited to, Oneida County and governing New York State permitting agencies.
  - (b) Review and incorporate comments and revisions into design.
  - (c) Provide a detailed statement of probable construction cost.
  - (d) Provide all information generated during design development. Include as a minimum All hand calculations. Computer program outputs (hydraulic analysis, etc.). Subsurface information and bearing capacity analysis. ASCII survey coordinate file.
- (4) Bid Documents
- (a) Prepare final design drawings, specifications and bid documents stamped and signed by a Professional Engineer registered with the State of New York, in the format previously approved by the County.
  - (b) Deliver original manuscripts and drawings to County within ten days after final review of preliminary drawings.
  - (c) Provide two (2) diskettes containing entire bid document (plans and specifications), for each project, in Adobe Acrobat (.pdf) format.
- (5) Public Bidding
- (a) The County of Oneida shall reproduce and distribute all construction documents.
  - (b) Assist in the bidding process by answering questions submitted by bidders and provide Addendums when necessary.
  - (c) Review bids submitted by contractors and forward recommendation to the County.
- (6) Construction Phase
- (a) All construction inspection shall be performed under a separate agreement. However, following an award of a construction contract the Consultant shall be required to perform site visits, answer questions related to the contract documents, perform submittal review & approval and provide additional services when requested. The cost for these services shall be funded through a contingency fund of \$15,000.00. The Consultant shall provide a schedule defining hourly rates for each individual assigned to this project. This schedule shall be used to determine the cost of additional services to be billed against the contingency fund. Consultant shall receive payment on a work performed basis. Therefore, contingency funds not used shall be credited to the County. Attachment B establishes the billing schedule for this contract.
- (7) "Record" Drawings

- (a) Upon completion of a project, assemble all job notes, directives, change orders, and other pertinent data to fully describe all changes to the original plans and specifications.
- (b) Revise original drawings and specifications to accurately depict the "as-built" condition of the project.
- (c) Deliver to Oneida County copies of "as-built" drawings on 4mil, double matte, polyester film. Also, required shall be "as-built" drawings on "disk" in AutoCAD version 2002 or 2010 format.

3. PAYMENT FOR SERVICES

A. Payments shall be made on the basis of work completed. The following schedule of values shall be applied:

Implementation, Design Development & Final Review	60%
Bid Documents and Public Bidding	30%
Construction Phase	See Section 3.J.6.a
Record Drawings	<u>10%</u>
Total	100%

B. Construction Phase. Payments shall be made on the basis of work completed at the billing rates in Attachment B.

## Section D: Project Fee Proposal, Documentation, &amp; Rate Schedule

Delta Rate Schedule

**2014-2015 RATE SCHEDULE**

Effective Thru: 12/31/15 for this project



Project Name: Design Services for Rehabilitation/Replacement of Various Bridges and Structures

Client Name: Oneida County Department of Public Works

**LABOR**

TITLE	HOURLY RATE
PRINCIPAL	\$170
SENIOR PROJECT MANAGER	\$150
PROJECT MANAGER	\$130
PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR	\$130
SENIOR PROJECT ARCHITECT/ENGINEER	\$110
PROJECT ARCHITECT/ENGINEER	\$95
SENIOR ARCHITECT/ENGINEER	\$85
ARCHITECT/ENGINEER	\$75
ASSISTANT ARCHITECT/ENGINEER	\$70
SENIOR TECHNICIAN	\$65
TECHNICIAN	\$55
ASSISTANT TECHNICIAN	\$45
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT	\$55
2 PERSON SURVEY FIELD CREW (CONVENTIONAL)*	\$125
SURVEY OFFICE TECHNICIAN	\$50
LASER SCANNER TECHNICIAN	\$65
CONSTRUCTION SUPERVISOR	\$115
LEVEL 4 INSPECTOR	\$95
LEVEL 3 INSPECTOR	\$80
LEVEL 2 INSPECTOR	\$60

\*For Prevailing Rate Projects – field time (excluding travel time) - use Crew Rate \*1.8

**REIMBURSABLE EXPENSES**

ITEM	BILLING RATE
MILEAGE	AT IRS RATE
MEALS/LODGING	AT COST
PRINTS (ANY SIZE)	\$ 0.25/Square Foot
VELLUM	\$ 0.50/Square Foot
MYLAR	\$ 0.75/Square Foot
PHOTOCOPIES	\$ 0.10/Sheet
OVERNIGHT SHIPPING (UPS, FEDERAL EXPRESS, ETC.)	AT COST
FILM AND PHOTO DEVELOPING	AT COST
SUBCONTRACT SERVICES	COST + 10%
HIGH DEFINITION LASER SCANNER	\$1000/Day; \$500/Half Day
CONSUMABLE INSPECTION / FIELD SUPPLIES	AT COST

Note: Project-Specific Rates established to reflect staffing and market conditions existing at time of proposal.

Project Specific Delta Billing Rates

Attachment C

Contract No. \_\_\_\_\_

Change Order No. \_\_\_\_\_

Effective Date \_\_\_\_\_

CHANGE ORDER

This Change Order modifies the Consulting Services Agreement entered into this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, between Oneida County ("CLIENT") and Delta Engineers, Architects, & Land Surveyors, P.C. ("CONSULTANT"), this Change Order modifies the Agreement as follows:

1. Change in Services:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. Change in time of Performance (attach schedule if appropriate):

\_\_\_\_\_

3. Change in CONSULTANT's Compensation:

\_\_\_\_\_

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.

CLIENT

CONSULTANT

Signature

Signature

Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive

Name (Printed or Typed)

Name (Printed or Typed)

Date

Date

Approved As To Form

\_\_\_\_\_  
Oneida County Attorney

Attachment D

CERTIFICATION OF CONSULTANT

I hereby certify that I am the duly authorized representative of the firm of Delta Engineers, Architects, & Land Surveyors, P.C., a company organized under the laws of the State of New York, having their principal office for the transaction of business at 860 Hooper Road, Endwell, NY 13760, and that neither I nor the above firm I here represent has:

(a) employed or retained for a commission, percentage, brokerage, contingent fee, or other consideration, any firm or person (other than a bona fide employee working solely for me or the above consultant) to solicit or secure this Contract, or

(b) agreed, as an express or implied condition for obtaining this Contract, to employ or retain the services of any firm or person other than those named herein in connection with carrying out the Contract, or

(c) paid or agreed to pay to any firm, organization, or person (other than a bona fide employee working solely for me or the above consultant) any fee, contribution, donation, or consideration of any kind for, or in connection with, procuring or carrying out the Contract; except as here expressly stated (if any):

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I acknowledge that this contract shall be rendered null and void if subsequent to the date of this contract it is determined that a violation of such acts or regulations has occurred, and

I further acknowledge that this certificate is to be furnished to all agencies named in this contract and is subject to applicable State and Federal Laws, both criminal and civil.

Company: Delta Engineers, Architects, & Land Surveyors, P.C.

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: Joseph J. Mazkewski

Title: Director of Transportation Services

Date: 1-5-15

Attest: Kelcie J. Bimler

KELCIE J. BIMLER  
NOTARY PUBLIC-STATE OF NEW YORK  
No. 01B16257470  
Qualified in Broome County  
My Commission Expires March 12, 2016

Attachment E

STANDARD ADDENDUM

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2014, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as COUNTY, and Delta Engineers, Architects, & Land Surveyors, P.C., hereinafter known as CONTRACTOR.

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CONTRACTOR have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which COUNTY is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

1. Executor or Non-Appropriation Clause.

- a. The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

2. Oneida County Board of Legislators: Resolution #249 Solid Waste Disposal Requirements.

- a. Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislators Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.

3. Certification Regarding Lobbying; Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters; and Drug-Free Workplace Requirements.

- a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:
  1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, and officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any Federal Grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal grant or cooperative agreement.
  2. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.

3. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,
  1. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
    - a. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
    - b. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract 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 contracts 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 indicated or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government 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 Contract had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) for cause or default; and
  2. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.
- c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
  1. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:
    - a. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
    - b. Establishing an on-going drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:
      1. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
      2. The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
      3. Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
      4. The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;
    - c. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a);
    - d. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:
      1. Abide by the terms of the statement; and
      2. Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;
    - e. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (d)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position title, to: Director Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.



- f. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted;
          - 1. Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the Requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
          - 2. Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;
        - g. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (a),(b),(c),(d),(e),(f).
      - 2. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract. Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).
- d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F. for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
  - 1. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and
  - 2. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to: Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected Contract.
4. Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA). When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:
- a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:
    - 1. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
    - 2. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
    - 3. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to filing cabinets, and locks on drawers, cabinets, and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.
  - b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:
    - 1. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and

2. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.
- c. The Contractor shall:
  1. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
  2. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
  3. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
  4. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
  5. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.524;
  6. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
  7. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
  8. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
  9. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County that the Contractor still maintains in any form and retain no copies of such information or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.
- d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:
  1. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
  2. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or
  3. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

5. Non-Assignment Clause.

- a. In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and attempts to do so are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

6. Worker's Compensation Benefits.

- a. In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

7. Non-Discrimination Requirements.

- a. To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

8. Wage and Hours Provisions.

- a. If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

9. Non-Collusive Bidding Certification.

- a. In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor affirms, under penalty of perjury, that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

10. Records.

- a. The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails and attachments,

rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute") provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

#### 11. Identifying Information and Privacy Notification.

- a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. The number is any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payees, on its invoice or claim for payment, must give the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.
- b. Privacy Notification. (1) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (2) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

#### 12. Conflicting Terms.

- a. In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

#### 13. Governing Law.

- a. This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal supremacy clause requires otherwise.

#### 14. Prohibition on Purchase of Tropical Hardwoods.

- a. The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods,

unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

- b. In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the County.

15. Compliance with New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act.

- a. The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

16. Gratuities and Kickbacks.

- a. Gratuities. It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request, influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard, rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application, request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.
- b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.

17. Audit

- a. The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.
- b. If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a Federal financial assistance program from a Federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

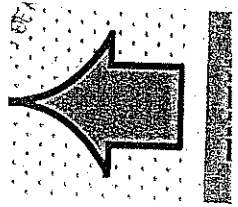
18. Certification of compliance with the Iran Divestment Act.

- a. Pursuant Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each Bidder/Contractor, any person signing on behalf of any Bidder/Contractor and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (OGS) website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each Bidder/Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).
- b. Additionally, the Bidder/Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any Bidder/Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.
- c. During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a Bidder/Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he/she/it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be appropriate including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the Bidder/Contractor in default.
- d. The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a Bidder/Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any Bidder/Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have signed this document on the day and year first above written.

COUNTY OF ONEIDA

By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive



Approved As To Form

By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Oneida County Attorney

Contractor

By: Delta Engineers Architects Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Surveyors, PC  
Name: Joseph J. Mueggenstern  
Title: Director of Transportation Services

# ONEIDA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

ANTHONY J. PICENTE JR.  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

DENNIS S. DAVIS  
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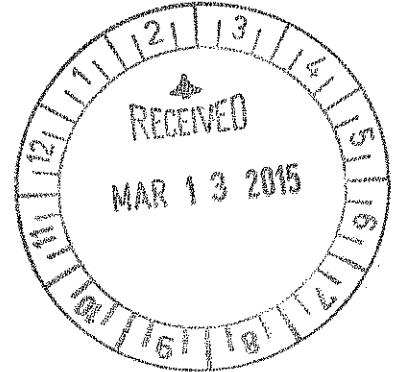
6000 Airport Road, Oriskany, New York 13424  
Phone: (315) 793-6213 Fax: (315) 768-6299

February 25, 2015

Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Ave.  
Utica, NY 13501

FN 20 15-183

**PUBLIC WORKS**



Dear County Executive Picente,

**WAYS & MEANS**

Oneida County has received Federal aid for the rehabilitation of the Randall Road Bridge (BIN 2266560) over CSX tracks in the town of Verona. This project is contingent upon a railroad grade crossing closure at Sand Hill Road in the Town of Verona. The scope of work includes deck repairs, joint repair/replacement, structural repairs, bridge and approach rail repair/replacement, and approach paving. This is a 100% Federal aid project with no local match.

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If acceptable, please forward the enclosed Change Order No. 1 for the aforementioned work to the Oneida County Board of legislators for consideration.

Thank you for your support.

Sincerely,

Dennis S. Davis  
Commissioner

Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
Oneida County Board of Legislators by

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 3/13/15

Competing Proposal	<u>  X  </u>
Only Respondent	<u>          </u>
Sole Source RFP	<u>          </u>

## ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD OF LEGISLATORS

**Name of Proposing Organization:** Lochner Engineering, P.C  
181 Genesee Street  
Utica, NY 13501

**Title of Activity or Service:** Professional Consulting Services  
Change Order No. 1

**Proposed Dates of Operation:** Start on Execution – December 31, 2015.

**Client Population/Number to be Served:** N/A

### Summary Statements

#### 1) Narrative Description of Proposed Services:

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Original Contract Fee	\$201,500.00	
Proposed CO#1	\$14,500.00	(SWPPP and SPDES permit)
Proposed Contract Fee	\$216,000.00	

2) Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes: N/A

3) Program Design and Staffing: N/A

Total Funding Requested: \$216,000.00      Account #: H-298

Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation: \$216,000.00

Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$): \$216,000.00 (Federal)

Cost Per Client Served: N/A

Past Performance Data: N/A

O.C. Department Staff Comments: None



**Attachment B**  
**Change Order Form**

Contract No.	Lochner No. 9538
Change Order No.	1
Effective Date	January 29, 2015

In accordance with Article 2 of the Consulting Services Agreement dated April 23, 2014 (“Agreement”) between Oneida County (“CLIENT”) and Lochner Engineering, P.C. (“CONSULTANT”), this Change Order modifies the Agreement as follows:

1. **Change in Services:** Prepare Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) and perform Water Quality calculations and hydrologic analyses in support of its development. If necessary, incorporate stormwater management practices into the current plans as Field Change drawings. Prepare Notice of Intent, for SPDES permit, obtain signatures and submit to NYSDEC.
  
2. **Change in time of Performance** (attach schedule if appropriate):
  
3. **Change in CONSULTANT’s Compensation:**

The increase in Maximum Amount Payable as a result of this change order is as follows:

Original MAP .....	\$201,500
Change Order #1 Final Design Services Lump Sum.....	<u>\$14,500</u>
<b>Revised MAP .....</b>	<b>\$216,000</b>

Change Order 1 Lump Sum to be paid upon completion of SWPPP & submission of Notice Of Intent for coverage under SPDES permit.

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.

**CLIENT**

**CONSULTANT**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name, Title (Printed or Typed)

*Allen J. Cowen*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Allen J. Cowen, PE  
Name, Title (Printed or Typed)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
January 29, 2015  
Date

ANTHONY J. PICENTE JR.  
County Executive

DENNIS S. DAVIS  
Commissioner



DIVISIONS:  
Buildings & Grounds  
Engineering  
Highways, Bridges & Structures  
Reforestation

## Oneida County Department of Public Works

6000 Airport Road w Oriskany, New York 13424  
Phone: (315) 793-6213 w Fax: (315) 768-6299

March 6, 2015

FN 20 15-184

**PUBLIC WORKS**

**WAYS & MEANS**

Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
Oneida County Executive  
800 Park Avenue  
Utica, NY 13501

Dear County Executive Picente,

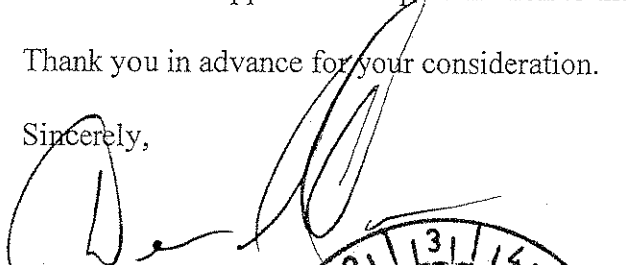
Attached is a sample copy of a mowing agreement that Oneida County has with various towns and the City of Rome to mow County roads within their municipality. I have also included a chart with the breakdown of mileage, payments/and or trade for payment for the towns interested in the agreements.

Under the proposed Mowing Agreement, the municipalities will receive \$375 a mile and one town has a County mower will receive \$325 a mile.

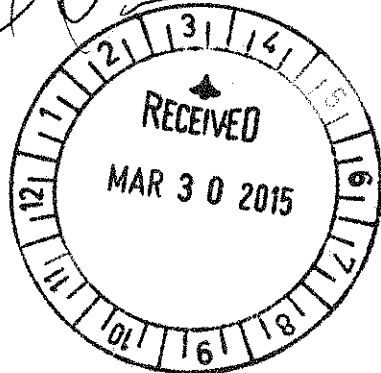
If you concur with this request, please forward to the Public Works and Ways and Means Committee for approval with presentation to the full Board at their earliest convenience.

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

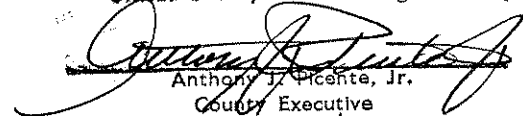
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Commissioner

DSD/bns  
Enclosure(s)



Reviewed and Approved for submittal to the  
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Anthony J. Picente, Jr.  
County Executive

Date 3/30/15

Competing Proposal \_\_\_\_\_  
Only Respondent \_\_\_\_\_  
Sole Source RFP \_\_\_\_\_

**ONEIDA COUNTY BOARD  
OF LEGISLATORS**

**Name of Proposing Organization:** Various Municipalities in Oneida County  
**Title of Activity or Service:** Mowing Agreement with participating municipalities.  
**Proposed Dates of Operation:** To commence May 1, 2015 – November 1, 2015.  
**Client Population/Number to be Served:** Oneida County Residents and those who travel on Oneida County Roads.

**Summary Statements**

- 1) **Narrative Description of Proposed Services:** Towns to perform Mowing on Oneida County roads, right of ways, and driveway per Agreements.
- 2) **Program/Service Objectives and Outcomes:**
- 3) **Program Design and Staffing:**

**Total Funding Requested:** \$127,788.50      **Account #:** D5110.495

**Oneida County Dept. Funding Recommendation:**

**Proposed Funding Sources (Federal \$/ State \$/County \$):** N/A

**Cost Per Client Served:**

**Past Performance Data:**

**O.C. Department Staff Comments:** This program is an effort to utilize existing resources to accomplish a common goal. Rate of \$375.00 & \$325 (to Town of New Hartford using County Equipment), is to be paid per County mile located within their municipality. We need to start the process as each participating municipality needs to bring their contract before their Board. The results of their meetings determine whether or not they plan to participate and what we will need for total funding.

## ROADSIDE MOWING AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT, made this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2015 by and between the County of Oneida, a municipal corporation organized and existing pursuant to the laws of the State of New York, hereinafter referred to as "County" and the Town of AVA, a municipal corporation organized and existing pursuant to the laws of the State of New York, hereinafter called "Town".

WHEREAS, the County proposes the Town perform roadside mowing on the improved County road system located within the geographical boundaries of the Town for an agreed-upon price and pursuant to agreed-upon terms and conditions, and

WHEREAS, the Town Board of the Town has adopted a resolution authorizing the Town to enter into this Agreement and thereby accepting the proposal of the County, now, therefore

In consideration of the mutual covenants contained in this Agreement, and other good and valuable consideration, County and Town agree as follows:

1. The term of this Agreement shall be from May 15, 2015, to November 1, 2015.
2. The Town will furnish machinery and labor to perform roadside mowing on the improved County road system located within the geographical boundaries of the Town (hereinafter the "Roads").
  - a) The Town will keep the right of way portions of the Roads mowed in accordance with the guidelines set forth in paragraph 2.b. below.
  - b) The Town will mow said Roads as follows:
    - i) The first pass shall be one pass to the ditch and around all intersections and driveways
    - ii) The second pass shall include all of the County right of way as practical
    - iii) The third pass shall be at the option of the County and will involve one pass to the ditch and around all intersections and driveways. The need for a third pass shall be determined by the County's Deputy Commissioner of Public Works or designee(s).
3. The County may loan equipment to the Town for the performance of roadside mowing pursuant to this Agreement, including but not limited to a tractor-mower.
  - a) The Town is responsible for the upkeep of any loaned County equipment.
  - b) The County makes no warranty of fitness or usability related to any loaned County equipment.
  - c) During the time any loaned County equipment is in the possession of the Town, said equipment shall be added to Town's list of property insured by Town, by a policy or policies written by one or more insurance carriers licensed to do business in the State of New York, and having offices within the State of New York. Town shall provide a certificate or certificates of insurance showing the property insured by the Town prior to the use of the loaded equipment, and said certificate or certificates shall provide that such coverage shall not be terminated without prior written notice to the County at least thirty (30) days prior to said termination.
4. The parties hereby agree that the Roads consist of 15.76 miles of the improved County road system located within the geographical boundaries of Town, as set forth in the map attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit 1.
5. The County shall pay the Town the sum of \$375.00 per mile, for a total cost not to exceed \$5,910.00.

6. The County reserves the right, upon written notice to the town, to withhold payment under this Agreement and to correct any conditions which do not meet the requirements set forth herein and to deduct the cost of such corrections from the amounts due under this Agreement.
7. The Town further shall save the County harmless from all claims for labor or materials used in the Town's performance under this Agreement.
8. The Town shall secure and maintain safe work sites, equipment and conditions in accordance with all requirements of state and federal law.
9. The Town shall secure all permits required to perform its duties under this Agreement and will comply with all applicable federal, state, county and municipal laws, rules, ordinances and regulations.
10. The Town agrees that it shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the County from and against all liability, damages, expenses, costs, causes of actions, suits, claims or judgments arising from property damage, personal injuries or death to persons arising from or out of the work of the Town and its agents, servants or employees, and from any loss or damage arising from the acts or failure to act or any default or negligence by the Town or failure on the part of the Town to comply with any of the covenants, terms or conditions of this agreement. The Town shall not be required to defend and indemnify the County against claims alleging negligent acts of commission or omission attributable solely to the County, including claims alleging negligent design or signing of the Roads.
11. The Town agrees that it will, at its own expense, at all times during the term of this Agreement, procure and maintain in force policies of insurance, written by one or more insurance carriers licensed to do business in the State of New York, and having offices within the State of New York, which will insure against liability for the services to be performed under the agreement. The Town agrees to have the County named as additional insured on a primary, non-contributory basis to said policies, and to provide the County with certificates from said insurance company or companies showing the County as additional insured prior to the execution of this Agreement, and to provide that such coverage shall not be terminated without prior written notice to the County at least fifteen (15) days prior to said termination. Specific Insurance minimum requirements shall be in accordance with the schedule attached hereto as Exhibit "1".
12. The Town agrees that it will, at its own expense, at all times during the terms of this Agreement, procure and maintain in force a policy of insurance, written by one or more insurance carriers licensed to do business in the State of New York, and having offices within the State of New York, which will insure against claims under the Worker's Compensation Act.
13. The Town covenants and agrees that its officers, agents, directors, employees or members, in accordance with the status of the Town as an independent entity, will conduct themselves consistent with such status; that they shall neither hold themselves out as, nor claim to be, officers or employees of the County, nor shall they make any claim, demand or application to, or for, any right or privilege applicable to any officer or employee of the County, including but not limited to Worker's Compensation coverage, unemployment insurance benefits, Social Security coverage or retirement membership credit.
14. No provision of this Agreement shall be deemed to have been waived by either party, unless such waiver shall be set forth in a written instrument executed by such party. Any waiver by any of the

parties to any of the provisions of this Agreement shall not imply preceding or subsequent waiver of that or any other provision, unless explicitly stated otherwise.

15. No assignment by any of the parties to this Agreement of any rights, including rights to monies due or to become due under this Agreement or delegation of any duties under this Agreement, shall be binding upon the parties until their written consent has been obtained.
16. If any provision of this Agreement or any part thereof is or becomes void or unenforceable by force or operation of law, the parties agree that this Agreement shall be reformed to replace the stricken provision or part thereof with a valid and enforceable provision that comes as close as possible to expressing the intention of the stricken provision. Further, the parties agree that all other provisions shall remain valid and enforceable.
17. Oral statements and understandings are not valid or binding, and neither this Agreement nor any other shall be changed or modified except by a writing signed by all parties.
18. In performing under this Agreement, all applicable governmental laws, regulations, orders, ordinances and other rules of duly constituted authority will be followed and complied with in all respects by all parties.
19. This agreement shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of New York.
20. This Agreement contains the binding agreement between the parties and supersedes all other agreements and representations, written or oral, on the subject matter of this Agreement.
21. All exhibits to which reference is made are deemed incorporated in this Agreement, whether or not actually attached.
22. This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, and all of which together shall be deemed one and the same instrument.

COUNTY OF ONEIDA

TOWN OF AVA

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Dennis S Davis, Commissioner  
Oneida County DPW

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Town Supervisor

COUNTY OF ONEIDA

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Anthony J. Picente Jr.  
Oneida County Executive

Highway Supt.

APPROVED AS TO FORM

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Oneida County Attorney

# Exhibit I

<b>ACORD<sup>TM</sup> CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE</b>		DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
PRODUCER Insurance Agent; Name and Address	THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW.	
INSURED Contractor; Name and Address	INSURERS AFFORDING COVERAGE INSURER A: INSURER B: INSURER C: INSURER D: INSURER E:	NAIC #

**COVERAGES**

THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. AGGREGATE LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

INSR	ADD'L	TYPE OF INSURANCE	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFFECTIVE DATE (MM/DD/YY)	POLICY EXPIRATION DATE (MM/DD/YY)	LIMITS
A		GENERAL LIABILITY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS MADE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUR				EACH OCCURRENCE \$ 1,000,000 DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (Ea occurrence) \$ 50,000 MED EXP (Any one person) \$ 5,000 PERSONAL & ADV INJURY \$ 1,000,000 GENERAL AGGREGATE \$ 2,000,000 PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG \$ 2,000,000
		GENL AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER: <input type="checkbox"/> POLICY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PROJECT <input type="checkbox"/> LOC				
A		AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> ANY AUTO <input type="checkbox"/> ALL OWNED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULED AUTOS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HIRED AUTOS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NON-OWNED AUTOS				COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident) \$ 1,000,000 BODILY INJURY (Per person) \$ BODILY INJURY (Per accident) \$ PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident) \$
		GARAGE LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> ANY AUTO				AUTO ONLY - EA ACCIDENT \$ OTHER THAN EA ACC \$ AUTO ONLY: AGG \$
A		EXCESS/UMBRELLA LIABILITY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUR <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS MADE <input type="checkbox"/> DEDUCTIBLE RETENTION \$				EACH OCCURRENCE \$ 2,000,000 AGGREGATE \$ 2,000,000
A		WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? If yes, describe under SPECIAL PROVISIONS below OTHER				Provide Limits As Required by New York State Law

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES / EXCLUSIONS ADDED BY ENDORSEMENT / SPECIAL PROVISIONS

Oneida County added as a named insured to General, Auto, and Excess Liability policies on a primary basis.

**CERTIFICATE HOLDER**

County of Oneida & Department of Public Works  
 c/o Commissioner of Finance  
 800 Park Ave., Utica, NY 13501

**CANCELLATION**

SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, THE ISSUING INSURER WILL ENDEAVOR TO MAIL \_\_\_\_\_ DAYS WRITTEN NOTICE TO THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER NAMED TO THE LEFT, BUT FAILURE TO DO SO SHALL IMPOSE NO OBLIGATION OR LIABILITY OF ANY KIND UPON THE INSURER, ITS AGENTS OR REPRESENTATIVES.  
 AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

## ADDENDUM

THIS ADDENDUM, entered into on this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, between the County of Oneida, hereinafter known as COUNTY, and a contractor, subcontractor, vendor, vendee, licensor, licensee, lessor, lessee or any third party, hereinafter known as CONTRACTOR.

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CONTRACTOR have entered into a contract, license, lease, amendment or other agreement of any kind (hereinafter referred to as the "Contract"), and

WHEREAS, the Oneida County Attorney and the Oneida County Director of Purchasing have recommended the inclusion of the standard clauses set forth in this Addendum to be included in every Contract for which COUNTY is a party, now, thereafter,

The parties to the attached Contract, for good consideration, agree to be bound by the following clauses which are hereby made a part of the Contract.

**1. Executor or Non-Appropriation Clause.**

The County shall have no liability or obligation under this Contract to the Contractor or to anyone else beyond the annual funds being appropriated and available for this Contract.

**2. Oneida County Board of Legislators: Resolution #249 Solid Waste Disposal Requirements.**

Pursuant to Oneida County Board of Legislators Resolution No. 249 of May 26, 1999, the Contractor agrees to deliver exclusively to the facilities of the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority, all waste and recyclables generated within the Authority's service area by performance of this Contract by the Contractor and any subcontractors. Upon awarding of this Contract, and before work commences, the Contractor will be required to provide Oneida County with proof that Resolution No. 249 of 1999 has been complied with, and that all wastes and recyclables in the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority's service area which are generated by the Contractor and any subcontractors in performance of this Contract will be delivered exclusively to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority facilities.



**3. Certification Regarding Lobbying; Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters; and Drug-Free Workplace Requirements.**

- a. Lobbying. As required by Section 1352, Title 31 of the U.S. Code and implemented at 34 CFR Part 82 for persons entering into a grant or cooperative agreement over \$100,000, as defined at 34 CFR Part 82, Section 82.105 and 82.110, the Contractor certifies that:
1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, to any persons for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, and officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the making of any Federal Grant, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal grant or cooperative agreement.
  2. If any funds other than federally appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this federal grant or cooperative agreement, the Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form 111 "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
  3. The Contractor shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subcontracts and that all subcontractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.
- b. Debarment, Suspension and other Responsibility Matters. As required by Executive Order 12549, Debarments and Suspension, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, for prospective participants in primary covered transactions, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 83.105 and 85.110,
1. The Contractor certifies that it and its principals:
    - a. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
    - b. Have not within a three-year period preceding this Contract 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 contracts 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 indicated or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government 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 Contract had one or more public transactions (Federal, State, or local) for cause or default; and
  2. Where the Contractor is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, he or she shall attach an explanation to this Contract.

c. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors other than individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F, for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:

1. The Contractor will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:
  - a. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the Contractor's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
  - b. Establishing an on-going drug-free awareness program to inform employees about:
    1. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
    2. The Contractor's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
    3. Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance program; and
    4. The penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violation occurring in the workplace;
  - c. Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a);
  - d. Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that as a condition of employment under the Contract, the employee will:
    1. Abide by the terms of the statement; and
    2. Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) calendar days after such conviction;
  - e. Notifying the County, in writing within ten (10) calendar days after having received notice under subparagraph (d)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position title, to: Director Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, New York 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected contract.
  - f. Taking one of the following actions, within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving notice under subparagraph (d)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted;
    1. Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the Requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
    2. Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;
  - g. Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (a),(b),(c),(d),(e),(f).

2. The Contractor may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific contract.  
Place of Performance (street, address, city, county, state, zip code).

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- d. Drug-Free Workplace (Contractors who are individuals). As required by the Drug-Free Workplace act of 1988, and implemented at 34 CFR Part 85, Subpart F. for Contractors, as defined at 34 CFR Part 85, Sections 85.605 and 85.610:
1. As a condition of the contract, the Contractor certifies that he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the Contract; and
  2. If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any contract activity, the Contractor will report the conviction, in writing, within ten (10) calendar days of the conviction, to: Director, Grants Management Bureau, State Office Building Campus, Albany, NY 12240. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected Contract.

4. **Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPPA).**

When applicable to the services provided pursuant to the Contract:

- a. The Contractor, as a Business Associate of the County, shall comply with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, hereinafter referred to as "HIPAA," as well as all regulations promulgated by the Federal Government in furtherance thereof, to assure the privacy and security of all protected health information exchanged between the Contractor and the County. In order to assure such privacy and security, the Contractor agrees to enact the following safeguards for protected health information:
1. Establish policies and procedures, in written or electronic form, that are reasonably designed, taking into consideration the size of, and the type of activities undertaken by, the Contractor, to comply with the Standards for Privacy of Individual Identifiable Health Information, commonly referred to as the Privacy Rule;
  2. Utilize a combination of electronic hardware and computer software in order to securely store, maintain, transmit, and access, protected health information electronically; and
  3. Utilize an adequate amount of physical hardware, including but not limited to filing cabinets, and locks on drawers, cabinets, and office doors, in order to prevent unwarranted and illegal access to computers and paper files that contain protected health information of the County's clients.

- b. This agreement does not authorize the Contractor to use or further disclose the protected health information that the Contractor handles in treating patients of the County in any manner that would violate the requirements of 45 CFR § 164.504(e), if that same use or disclosure were done by the County, except that:
  - 1. The Contractor may use and disclose protected health information for the Contractor's own proper management and administration; and
  - 2. The Contractor may provide data aggregation services relating to the health care operations of the County.
- c. The Contractor shall:
  - 1. Not use or further disclose protected health information other than as permitted or required by this contract or as required by law;
  - 2. Use appropriate safeguards to prevent the use or disclosure of protected health information other than as provided for in this Contract;
  - 3. Report to the County any use or disclosure of the information not provided for by this Contract of which the Contractor becomes aware;
  - 4. Ensure that any agents, including a subcontractor, to whom the Contractor provides protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County agrees to the same restrictions and conditions that apply to the Contractor with respect to such protected health information;
  - 5. Make available protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.524;
  - 6. Make available protected health information for amendment and incorporate any amendments to protected health information in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
  - 7. Make available the information required to provide an accounting of disclosures in accordance with 45 CFR § 164.528;
  - 8. Make its internal practices, books, and records relating to the use and disclosure of protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County available to the Secretary of Health and Human Services for purposes of determining the County's compliance with 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(ii); and
  - 9. At the termination of this Contract, if feasible, return or destroy all protected health information received from, or created or received by the Contractor on behalf of, the County that the Contractor still maintains in any form and retain no copies of such information or, if such return or destruction is not feasible, extend the protections of this Contract to such information and limit further uses and disclosures to those purposes that make the return or destruction of the information infeasible.
- d. The Contractor agrees that this contract may be amended if any of the following events occurs:
  - 1. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is modified by Congress or the Department of Health and Human Services;
  - 2. HIPAA, or any of the regulations promulgated in furtherance thereof, is interpreted by a court in a manner impacting the County's HIPAA compliance; or

3. There is a material change in the business practices and procedures of the County.
- e. Pursuant to 45 CFR § 164.504(e)(2)(iii), the County is authorized to unilaterally terminate this Contract if the County determines that the Contractor has violated a material term of this Contract.

**5. Non-Assignment Clause.**

In accordance with Section 109 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract may not be assigned by the Contractor or its right, title or interest therein assigned, transferred, conveyed, sublet or otherwise disposed of without the County's previous written consent, and attempts to do so are null and void. The Contractor may, however, assign its right to receive payments without the County's prior written consent unless this Contract concerns Certificates of Participation pursuant to Section 109-b of the General Municipal Law.

**6. Worker's Compensation Benefits.**

In accordance with Section 108 of the General Municipal Law, this Contract shall be void and of no force and effect unless the Contractor shall provide and maintain coverage during the life of this Contract for the benefit of such employees as are required to be covered by the provisions of the Workers' Compensation Law.

**7. Non-Discrimination Requirements.**

To the extent required by Article 15 of the Executive Law (also known as the Human Rights Law) and all other State and Federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions, the Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, creed, color, sex, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, genetic predisposition or carrier status, or marital status. Furthermore, in accordance with Section 220-e of the Labor Law, if this is a Contract for the construction, alteration or repair of any public building or public work or for the manufacture, sale or distribution of materials, equipment or supplies, and to the extent that this Contract shall be performed within the State of New York, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall, by reason of race, creed, color, disability, sex, or national origin: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. If this is a building service contract as defined in Section 230 of the Labor Law, then, in accordance with Section 239 thereof, the Contractor agrees that neither it nor its subcontractors shall by reason of race, creed, color, national origin, age, sex or disability: (a) discriminate in hiring against any New York State citizen who is qualified and available to perform the work; or (b) discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this Contract. The Contractor is subject to fines of \$50.00 per person per day for any violation of Section 220-e or Section 239 as well as possible termination of this Contract and forfeiture of all moneys due hereunder for a second or subsequent violation.

**8. Wage and Hours Provisions.**

If this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law or a building service contract covered by Article 9 thereof, neither the Contractor's employees nor the employees of its subcontractors may be required or permitted to work more than the number of hours or days stated in said statutes, except as otherwise provided in the Labor Law and as set forth in prevailing wage and supplement schedules issued by the State Labor Department. Furthermore, the Contractor and its subcontractors must pay at least the prevailing wage rate and pay or provide the prevailing supplements, including the premium rates for overtime pay, as determined by the State Labor Department in accordance with the Labor Law. Additionally, effective April 28, 2008, if this is a public work contract covered by Article 8 of the Labor Law, the Contractor understands and agrees that the filing of payrolls in a manner consistent with Subdivision 3-a of Section 220 of the Labor Law shall be a condition precedent to payment by the County of any County approved sums due and owing for work done upon the project.

**9. Non-Collusive Bidding Certification.**

In accordance with Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law, if this Contract is awarded based upon the submission of bids, the Contractor affirms, under penalty of perjury, that its bid was arrived at independently and without collusion aimed at restricting competition. The Contractor further affirms that, at the time the Contractor submitted its bid, an authorized and responsible person executed and delivered to the County a non-collusive bidding certification on the Contractor's behalf.

**10. Records.**

The Contractor shall establish and maintain complete and accurate books, records, documents, accounts and other evidence directly pertinent to performance under this Contract (hereinafter, collectively, "the Records"). The Records shall include, but not be limited to, reports, statements, examinations, letters, memoranda, opinions, folders, files, books, manuals, pamphlets, forms, papers, designs, drawings, maps, photos, letters, microfilms, computer tapes or discs, electronic files, e-mails and attachments, rules, regulations and codes. The Records must be kept for the balance of the calendar year in which they were made and for six (6) additional years thereafter. The County Comptroller, the County Attorney and any other person or entity authorized to conduct an examination, as well as the agency or agencies involved in this Contract, shall have access to the Records during normal business hours at an office of the Contractor within the County or, if no such office is available, at a mutually agreeable and reasonable venue within the County, for the term specified above for the purposes of inspection, auditing and copying. The County shall take reasonable steps to protect from public disclosure any of the Records which are exempt from disclosure under Section 87 of the Public Officers Law (the "Statute") provided that: (a) the Contractor shall timely inform an appropriate County official, in writing, that said records should not be disclosed; (b) said records shall be sufficiently identified; and (c) designation of said records as exempt under the Statute is reasonable. Nothing contained herein shall diminish, or in any way adversely affect, the County's right to discovery

in any pending or future litigation. Notwithstanding any other language, the Records may be subject to disclosure under the New York Freedom of Information Law, for other applicable state or federal law, rule or regulation.

**11. Identifying Information and Privacy Notification.**

a. Identification Number(s). Every invoice or claim for payment submitted to a County agency by a payee, for payment for the sale of goods or service or for transactions (e.g., leases, easements, licenses, etc.) related to real or personal property must include the payee's identification number. The number is any or all of the following: (i) the payee's Federal employer identification number, (ii) the payee's Federal social security number, and/or (iii) the payee's Vendor Identification Number assigned by the Statewide Financial System. Where the payee does not have such number or numbers, the payees, on its invoice or claim for payment, must give the reason or reasons why the payee does not have such number or numbers.

b. Privacy Notification. (1) The authority to request the above personal information from a seller of goods or services or a lessor of real or personal property, and the authority to maintain such information, is found in Section 5 of the State Tax Law. Disclosure of this information by the seller or lessor to the County is mandatory. The principle purpose for which the information is collected is to enable the State to identify individuals, businesses and others who have been delinquent in filing tax returns or may have understated their liabilities and to generally identify persons affected by the taxes administered by the New York State Commissioner of Taxation and Finance. The information will be used for tax administration purposes and for any other purpose authorized by law. (2) The personal information is requested by the County's purchasing unit contracting to purchase goods or services or lease the real or personal property covered by this Contract.

**12. Conflicting Terms.**

In the event of a conflict between the terms of the Contract (including any and all attachments thereto and amendments thereof) and the terms of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall control.

**13. Governing Law.**

This Contract shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York except where the Federal supremacy clause requires otherwise.

**14. Prohibition on Purchase of Tropical Hardwoods.**

The Contractor certifies and warrants that all wood products to be used under this Contract award will be in accordance with, but not limited to, the specifications and provisions of Section 165 of the State Finance Law (Use of Tropical Hardwoods), which prohibits purchase and use of tropical hardwoods, unless specifically exempted by the State or any governmental agency or political subdivision or public benefit corporation. Qualification for an exemption under this law will be the responsibility of the Contractor to establish to meet with the approval of the County.

In addition, when any portion of this Contract involving the use of woods, whether supply or installation, is to be performed by any subcontractor, the prime Contractor will indicate and certify in the submitted bid proposal that the subcontractor has been informed and is in compliance with specifications and provisions regarding use of tropical hardwoods as detailed in Section 165 of the State Finance Law. Any such use must meet with approval of the County; otherwise, the bid may not be considered responsive. Under bidder certifications, proof of qualification for exemption will be the responsibility of the Contractor to meet with the approval of the County.

**15. Compliance with New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act.**

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the New York State Information Security Breach and Notification Act (General Business Law Section 899-aa).

**16. Gratuities and Kickbacks.**

a. Gratuities. It shall be unethical for any person to offer, give, or agree to give any County employee or former County employee, or for any County employee or former County employee to solicit, demand, accept, or agree to accept from another person, a gratuity or an offer of employment in connection with any decision, approval, disapproval, recommendation, or preparation of any part of a program requirement or a purchase request, influencing the content of any specification or procurement standard, rendering of advice, investigation, auditing, or in any other advisory capacity in any proceeding or application, request for ruling, determination, claim, or controversy, or other particular matter, pertaining to any program requirement or a contract or subcontract, or to any solicitation or proposal therefor.

b. Kickbacks. It shall be unethical for any payment, gratuity, or offer of employment to be made by or on behalf of a subcontractor under a contract to the prime contractor or higher tier subcontractor or any person associated therewith, as an inducement for the award of a subcontract or order.



## **17. Audit**

The County, the State of New York, and the United States shall have the right at any time during the term of this agreement and for the period limited by the applicable statute of limitations to audit the payment of monies hereunder. The Contractor shall comply with any demands made by the County to provide information with respect to the payment of monies hereunder during the period covered by this paragraph. The Contractor shall maintain its books and records in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles or such other method of account which is approved in writing by the County prior to the date of this agreement. The revenues and expenditures of the Contractor in connection with this agreement shall be separately identifiable. Each expenditure or claim for payment shall be fully documented. Expenditures or claims for payment which are not fully documented may be disallowed. The Contractor agrees to provide to or permit the County to examine or obtain copies of any documents relating to the payment of money to the Contractor or expenditures made by the Contractor for which reimbursement is made to the Contractor by the County. The Contractor shall maintain all records required by this paragraph for 7 years after the date this agreement is terminated or ends.

If the Contractor has expended, in any fiscal year, \$300,000.00 or more in funds provided by a Federal financial assistance program from a Federal agency pursuant to this agreement and all other contracts with the County, the Contractor shall provide the County with an audit prepared by an independent auditor in accordance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, 31 U.S.C. §§ 7501, et seq., as amended, and the regulations adopted pursuant to such Act.

## **18. Certification of compliance with the Iran Divestment Act.**

Pursuant Section 103-g of the General Municipal Law, by submitting a bid in response to this solicitation or by assuming the responsibility of a Contract awarded hereunder, each Bidder/Contractor, any person signing on behalf of any Bidder/Contractor and any assignee or subcontractor and, in the case of a joint bid, each party thereto, certifies, under penalty of perjury, that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the Office of General Services (OGS) website, that to the best of its knowledge and belief, that each Bidder/Contractor and any subcontractor or assignee is not identified on the Prohibited Entities List created pursuant to State Finance Law § 165-a(3)(b).

Additionally, the Bidder/Contractor is advised that once the Prohibited Entities List is posted on the OGS website, any Bidder/Contractor seeking to renew or extend a Contract or assume the responsibility of a Contract awarded in response to this solicitation must certify at the time the Contract is renewed, extended or assigned that it is not included on the Prohibited Entities List.

During the term of the Contract, should the County receive information that a Bidder/Contractor is in violation of the above-referenced certification, the County will offer the person or entity an opportunity to respond. If the person or entity fails to demonstrate that he/she/it has ceased engagement in the investment which is in violation of the Iran Divestment Act of 2012 within 90 days after the determination of such violation, then the County shall take such action as may be

appropriate including, but not limited to, imposing sanctions, seeking compliance, recovering damages or declaring the Bidder/Contractor in default.

The County reserves the right to reject any bid or request for assignment for a Bidder/Contractor that appears on the Prohibited Entities List prior to the award of a Contract and to pursue a responsibility review with respect to any Bidder/Contractor that is awarded a Contract and subsequently appears on the Prohibited Entities List.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have signed this document on the day and year first above written.

County of Oneida

Contractor

By: \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Oneida County Executive

Town Supervisor

Approved as to Form only

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Oneida County Attorney