#### AGREEMENT

#### BETWEEN

#### THE CITY OF DELRAY BEACH

#### AND

#### M.T. CAUSLEY, INC.

#### FOR

#### INSPECTION, PLAN REVIEW AND DEVELOPMENT REVIEW SERVICES

This is an Agreement (Agreement), made and entered into by and between: Delray Beach, a municipal corporation of the State of Florida, hereinafter referred to as "City", and M.T. CAUSLEY, INC. a Florida corporation, hereinafter referred to as "Contractor" (collectively referred to as Parties).

WHEREAS, on August 18, 2015, the City Commission of the City of Delray Bach approved the award of Bid #2015-56 "Inspection, Plan Review and Development Services" to M.T. Causley, Inc., Inc. for a three-year term with two additional one-year renewal periods.

WHEREAS, pursuant to its bid submission, Contractor agreed to the Terms and Conditions and Scope of Services of Bid #2015-56. However, the City and Contractor never executed a formal Agreement.

**WHEREAS**, the City and Contractor have agreed to enter into this Agreement to formalize the Terms and Conditions of Bid #2015-56.

#### WITNESSETH:

**NOW, THEREFORE,** in consideration of the mutual terms, conditions, promises, covenants, and payments hereinafter set forth, the Parties agree as follows:

# ARTICLE 1 DEFINITIONS AND IDENTIFICATIONS

The following definitions apply unless the context in which the word or phrase is used requires a different definition:

- 1.1 **Agreement** This Agreement includes Articles 1 through 9, the exhibits and documents that are expressly incorporated herein by reference.
- 1.2 **Board** The City Commission of Delray Beach, Florida.
- 1.3 **Contract Administrator** The Delray Beach City Manager or designee. The primary responsibilities of the Contract Administrator are to coordinate and communicate with Contractor and to manage and supervise execution and completion of the Scope of Services and the terms and conditions of this Agreement as set forth herein. In the administration of this Agreement, as contrasted with matters of policy, all Parties may rely on the instructions or determinations made by the Contract Administrator; provided, however, that such instructions and determinations do not change the Scope of Services.
- 1.4 **City Manager** The administrative head of City appointed by the Board.
- 1.5 **City Attorney** The chief legal counsel for City appointed by the Board.
- 1.6 **Project** The Project consists of the services described in Article 2.

# ARTICLE 2 SCOPE OF SERVICES

- 2.1 Contractor shall perform all work identified in this Agreement and Exhibit A. The Scope of Services is a description of Contractor's obligations and responsibilities and is deemed to include preliminary considerations and prerequisites, and all labor, materials, equipment, and tasks which are such an inseparable part of the work described that exclusion would render performance by Contractor impractical, illogical, or unconscionable.
- 2.2 Contractor acknowledges that the Contract Administrator has no authority to make changes that would increase, decrease, or otherwise modify the Scope of Services to be provided under this Agreement.

# ARTICLE 3 TERM AND TIME OF PERFORMANCE

- 3.1 This Agreement is in full force and effect upon full contract execution by the City of Delray Beach. The term of the Agreement shall be from August 19, 2015 through August 18, 2018 with two one-year options to renew. The continuation of this Agreement beyond the end of any fiscal year shall be subject to both the appropriation and the availability of funds in accordance with Florida law.
- 3.2 In the event services are scheduled to end due to the expiration of this Agreement, the Contractor agrees that it shall continue service upon the request of the Contract Administrator. The extension period shall not extend for greater than three months beyond the term of the Agreement. The Contractor shall be compensated for the service at the rate in effect when the extension is invoked by the City upon the same terms and conditions as contained in this Agreement as amended. The Chief Purchasing Officer shall notify Contractor of an extension authorized herein by written notice delivered prior to the end of the term of the Agreement.

# ARTICLE 4 COMPENSATION

- 4.1 City will pay Contractor, in the manner specified in Section 4.3, the total not-toexceed amount of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000) per fiscal year for work actually performed and completed pursuant to this Agreement and billed in accordance with the hourly rate schedule detailed in Exhibit D. Contractor acknowledges that this amount is the maximum payable and constitutes a limitation upon City's obligation to compensate Contractor for its services related to this Agreement. This maximum amount, however, does not constitute a limitation, of any sort, upon Contractor's obligation to perform all items of work required by or which can be reasonably inferred from the Scope of Services.
  - 4.1.1 Contractor acknowledges that the dollar limitation set forth in Section 4.2.1 is a limitation upon, and describes the maximum extent of, City's obligation, but does not constitute a limitation, of any sort, upon Contractor's obligation to incur expenses or perform the services identified in Article 2.

# 4.2 METHOD OF BILLING AND PAYMENT

4.2.1 Contractor may submit invoices for compensation no more often than on a monthly basis, but only after the services for which the invoices are submitted have been completed. An original invoice plus one copy are due within fifteen (15) days of the end of the month except the final invoice

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which must be received no later than sixty (60) days after this Agreement expires. Invoices shall designate the nature of the services performed. Contractor shall submit with each invoice a Certification of Payments to Subcontractors and Suppliers (Exhibit B). The certification shall be accompanied by a copy of the notification sent to each subcontractor and supplier listed in item 2 of the form, explaining the good cause why payment has not been made.

- 4.2.2 City shall pay Contractor within thirty (30) calendar days of receipt of Contractor's proper invoice, or as required by Florida Law. To be deemed proper, all invoices must comply with the requirements set forth in this Agreement and must be submitted on the form and pursuant to instructions prescribed by the Contract Administrator. Payment may be withheld for failure of Contractor to comply with a term, condition, or requirement of this Agreement.
- 4.2.3 Contractor shall pay its subcontractors and suppliers within thirty (30) days following receipt of payment from City for such subcontracted work or supplies. If Contractor withholds an amount from subcontractors or suppliers as retainage, such retainage shall be released and paid within thirty (30) days following receipt of payment of retained amounts from City.
- 4.3 Notwithstanding any provision of this Agreement to the contrary, City may withhold, in whole or in part, payment to the extent necessary to protect itself from loss on account of inadequate or defective work which has not been remedied or resolved in a manner satisfactory to the Contract Administrator or failure to comply with this Agreement. The amount withheld shall not be subject to payment of interest by City.
- 4.4 Payment shall be made to Contractor at:

M.T. CAUSLEY, INC. 97 NE 15 Street Homestead, FL 33030

#### ARTICLE 5 INDEMNIFICATION

Contractor shall at all times hereafter indemnify, hold harmless and, at the City Attorney's option, defend or pay for an attorney selected by the City Attorney to defend City, its officers, agents, servants, and employees from and against any and all causes of action, demands, claims, losses, liabilities and expenditures of any kind, including attorney fees, court costs, and expenses, caused or alleged to be caused by any intentional, negligent, or reckless act of, or omission of, Contractor, its employees,

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agents, servants, or officers, or accruing, resulting from, or related to the subject matter of this Agreement including, without limitation, any and all claims, losses, liabilities, expenditures, demands or causes of action of any nature whatsoever resulting from injuries or damages sustained by any person or property. In the event any lawsuit or other proceeding is brought against City by reason of any such claim, cause of action, or demand, Contractor shall, upon written notice from City, resist and defend such lawsuit or proceeding by counsel satisfactory to City or, at City's option, pay for an attorney selected by City Attorney to defend City. The obligations of this section shall survive the expiration or earlier termination of this Agreement. To the extent considered necessary by the Contract Administrator and the City Attorney, any sums due Contractor under this Agreement may be retained by City until all of City's claims for indemnification pursuant to this Agreement have been settled or otherwise resolved. Any amount withheld shall not be subject to payment of interest by City.

#### ARTICLE 6 INSURANCE

6.1 Contractor shall maintain at its sole expense, at all times during the term of this Agreement (unless a different time period is otherwise stated herein), at least the minimum insurance coverage designated in Exhibit C, Insurances, in accordance with the terms and conditions stated.

#### ARTICLE 7 TERMINATION

- 7.1 This Agreement may be terminated for cause by the aggrieved party if the party in breach has not corrected the breach within ten (10) days after receipt of written notice from the aggrieved party identifying the breach. This Agreement may also be terminated for convenience by the Board. Termination for convenience by the Board shall be effective on the termination date stated in written notice provided by City, which termination date shall be not less than thirty (30) days after the date of such written notice. This Agreement may also be terminated by the City Manager upon such notice as the City Manager deems appropriate under the circumstances in the event the City Manager determines that termination is necessary to protect the public health, safety, or welfare. If City erroneously, improperly, or unjustifiably terminates for cause, such termination shall be deemed a termination for convenience, which shall be effective thirty (30) days after such notice of termination for cause is provided.
- 7.2 This Agreement may be terminated for cause for reasons including, but not limited to, Contractor's repeated (whether negligent or intentional) submission for payment of false or incorrect bills or invoices, failure to suitably perform the work, or failure to continuously perform the work in a manner calculated to meet or accomplish the objectives as set forth in this Agreement. The Agreement may

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also be terminated for cause if the Contractor is placed on the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in Sudan List or the Scrutinized Companies with Activities in the Iran Petroleum Energy Sector List created pursuant to Section 215.473, Florida Statutes, or if the Contractor provides a false certification submitted pursuant to Section 287.135, Florida Statutes. This Agreement may also be terminated by the Board:

- 7.3 Notice of termination shall be provided in accordance with the "NOTICES" section of this Agreement except that notice of termination by the City Manager, which the City Manager deems necessary to protect the public health, safety, or welfare may be verbal notice that shall be promptly confirmed in writing in accordance with the "NOTICES" section of this Agreement.
- 7.4 In the event this Agreement is terminated for convenience, Contractor shall be paid for any services properly performed under the Agreement through the termination date specified in the written notice of termination. Contractor acknowledges that it has received good, valuable and sufficient consideration from City, the receipt and adequacy of which are, hereby acknowledged by Contractor, for City's right to terminate this Agreement for convenience.
- 7.5 In the event this Agreement is terminated for any reason, any amounts due Contractor shall be withheld by City until all documents are provided to City pursuant to Section 9.1 of Article 9.

# ARTICLE 8

# NON-DISCRIMINATION

8.1 No party to this Agreement may discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, religion, national origin, disability, age, marital status, political affiliation, sexual orientation, pregnancy, or gender identity and expression in the performance of this Agreement. Failure by Contractor to carry out any of these requirements shall constitute a material breach of this Agreement, which shall permit the City, to terminate this Agreement or to exercise any other remedy provided under this Agreement, or under the Delray Beach Code of Ordinances or under applicable law, with all of such remedies being cumulative.

Contractor shall include the foregoing or similar language in its contracts with any subcontractors or subconsultants, except that any project assisted by the U.S. Department of Transportation funds shall comply with the non-discrimination requirements in 49 C.F.R. Parts 23 and 26. Failure to comply with the foregoing requirements is a material breach of this Agreement, which may result in the termination of this Agreement or such other remedy as City deems appropriate.

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By execution of this Agreement, Contractor represents that it has not been placed on the discriminatory vendor list as provided in Section 287.134, Florida Statutes. City hereby materially relies on such representation in entering into this Agreement. An untrue representation of the foregoing shall entitle City to terminate this Agreement and recover from Contractor all monies paid by City pursuant to this Agreement, and may result in debarment from City's competitive procurement activities.

#### ARTICLE 9 MISCELLANEOUS

#### 9.1 RIGHTS IN DOCUMENTS AND WORK

Any and all reports, photographs, surveys, and other data and documents provided or created in connection with this Agreement are and shall remain the property of City, and, if a copyright is claimed, Contractor grants to City a nonexclusive license to use the copyrighted item(s) indefinitely, to prepare derivative works, and to make and distribute copies to the public. In the event of termination of this Agreement, any reports, photographs, surveys, and other data and documents prepared by Contractor, whether finished or unfinished, shall become the property of City and shall be delivered by Contractor to the Contract Administrator within eight (8) days of termination of this Agreement by either party. Any compensation due to Contractor shall be withheld until all documents are received as provided herein.

# 9.2 PUBLIC RECORDS

9.2.1 IF THE CONTRACTOR HAS QUESTIONS REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 119, FLORIDA STATUTES, TO THE CONTRACTOR'S DUTY TO PROVIDE PUBLIC RECORDS RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT, CONTACT THE CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS AT CITY OF DELRAY BEACH, CITY

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# CLERK, 100 N.W. 1<sup>ST</sup> AVE., DELRAY BEACH FLORIDA. THE CITY CLERK MAY BE REACH VIA TELEPHONE AT 561-243-7060 OR BY EMAIL AT CITYCLERK@MYDELRAYBEACH.COM.

9.2.2 Contractor shall comply with public records laws, specifically to:

- i. Keep and maintain public records required by the City to perform the service.
- ii. Upon request from the City's custodian of public records, provide the City with a copy of the requested records or allow the records to be inspected or copied within a reasonable time at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided in Florida Statute or as otherwise provided by law.
- iii. Ensure that public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law for the duration of the Agreement term and following completion of the Agreement if the Contractor does not transfer the records to the City.
- iv. Upon completion of the Agreement, transfer, at no cost, to the City all public records in possession of the Contractor or keep and maintain public records required by the City to perform the service. If the Contractor transfers all public records to the City upon completion of the Agreement, the Contractor shall destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements. If the Contractor keeps and maintains public records upon completion of the Agreement, the Contractor shall meet all applicable requirements for retaining public records. All records stored electronically must be provided to the City, upon request from the City's custodian of public records, in a format that is compatible with the information technology systems of the City.
- v. If the Contractor does not comply with this section, the City shall enforce the contract provisions in accordance with the contract and may unilaterally cancel this contract in accordance with state law.

# 9.3 INSPECTOR GENERAL.

Contractor is aware that the Inspector General of Palm Beach County has the authority to investigate and audit matters relating to the negotiation and performance of this contract, and may demand and obtain records and testimony from Contractor and its sub licensees and lower tier sub licensees. Contractor understands and agrees that in addition to all other remedies and consequences provided by law, the failure of Contractor or its sub licensee or lower tier sub licensees to fully cooperate with the Inspector General when requested may be deemed by the City to be a material breach of this Agreement justifying its termination.

# 9.4 AUDIT RIGHTS, AND RETENTION OF RECORDS

City shall have the right to audit the books, records, and accounts of Contractor and its subcontractors that are related to this Project. Contractor and its subcontractors shall keep such books, records, and accounts as may be necessary in order to record complete and correct entries related to the Project. All books, records, and accounts of Contractor and its subcontractors shall be kept in written form, or in a form capable of conversion into written form within a reasonable time, and upon request to do so, Second Party or its subcontractor, as applicable, shall make same available at no cost to City in written form.

Contractor and its subcontractors shall preserve and make available, at reasonable times for examination and audit by City, all financial records, supporting documents, statistical records, and any other documents pertinent to this Agreement for the required retention period of the Florida Public Records Act, Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, if applicable, or, if the Florida Public Records Act is not applicable, for a minimum period of three (3) years after termination of this Agreement. If any audit has been initiated and audit findings have not been resolved at the end of the retention period or three (3) years, whichever is longer, the books, records, and accounts shall be retained until resolution of the audit findings. Any incomplete or incorrect entry in such books, records, and accounts shall be a basis for City's disallowance and recovery of any payment upon such entry.

Contractor shall ensure that the requirements of this Section 9.3 are included in all agreements with its subcontractor(s).

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# 9.5 TRUTH-IN-NEGOTIATION REPRESENTATION

Contractor's compensation under this Agreement is based upon representations supplied to City by Contractor, and Contractor certifies that the information supplied is accurate, complete, and current at the time of contracting. City shall be entitled to recover any damages it incurs to the extent such representation is untrue.

# 9.6 PUBLIC ENTITY CRIME ACT

Contractor represents that the execution of this Agreement will not violate the Public Entity Crime Act, Section 287.133, Florida Statutes, which essentially provides that a person or affiliate who is a contractor, consultant, or other provider and who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime may not submit a bid on a contract to provide any goods or services to City, may not submit a bid on a contract with City for the construction or repair of a public building or public work, may not submit bids on leases of real property to City, may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with City, and may not transact any business with City in excess of the threshold amount provided in Section 287.017, Florida Statutes, for category two purchases for a period of thirty-six (36) months from the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list. Violation of this section shall result in termination of this Agreement and recovery of all monies paid by City pursuant to this Agreement, and may result in debarment from City's competitive procurement activities.

In addition to the foregoing, Contractor further represents that there has been no determination, based on an audit, that it committed an act defined by Section 287.133, Florida Statutes, as a "public entity crime" and that it has not been formally charged with committing an act defined as a "public entity crime" regardless of the amount of money involved or whether Contractor has been placed on the convicted vendor list.

# 9.7 INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Contractor is an independent contractor under this Agreement. Services provided by Contractor pursuant to this Agreement shall be subject to the supervision of Contractor. In providing such services, neither Contractor nor its agents shall act as officers, employees, or agents of City. No partnership, joint venture, or other joint relationship is created hereby. City does not extend to Contractor or Contractor's agents any authority of any kind to bind City in any respect whatsoever.

# 9.8 THIRD PARTY BENEFICIARIES

Neither Contractor nor City intends to directly or substantially benefit a third party by this Agreement. Therefore, the Parties acknowledge that there are no third party beneficiaries to this Agreement and that no third party shall be entitled to assert a right or claim against either of them based upon this Agreement.

# 9.9 <u>NOTICES</u>

Whenever either Party desires to give notice to the other, such notice must be in writing, sent by certified United States Mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested, or sent by commercial express carrier with acknowledgement of delivery, or by hand delivery with a request for a written receipt of acknowledgment of delivery, addressed to the party for whom it is intended at the place last specified. The place for giving notice shall remain the same as set forth herein until changed in writing in the manner provided in this section. For the present, the Parties designate the following:

For City:

City Manager, City of Delray Beach City Hall 100 N.W. 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue Delray Beach, Florida 33444

For Contractor:

M.T. CAUSLEY, INC. 97 NE 15 Street Homestead, FL 33030

# 9.10 ASSIGNMENT AND PERFORMANCE

Neither this Agreement nor any right or interest herein shall be assigned, transferred, or encumbered without the written consent of the other Party. In addition, Contractor shall not subcontract any portion of the work required by this Agreement, except as may specifically provided for herein. Notwithstanding the Termination provision of this Agreement, City may terminate this Agreement, effective immediately, if there is any assignment, or attempted assignment, transfer, or encumbrance, by Contractor of this Agreement or any right or interest herein without City's written consent.

Contractor represents that each person who will render services pursuant to this Agreement is duly qualified to perform such services by all appropriate

governmental authorities, where required, and that each such person is reasonably experienced and skilled in the area(s) for which he or she will render his or her services.

Contractor shall perform its duties, obligations, and services under this Agreement in a skillful and respectable manner. The quality of Contractor's performance and all interim and final product(s) provided to or on behalf of City shall be comparable to the best local and national standards.

# 9.11 CONFLICTS

Neither Contractor nor its employees shall have or hold any continuing or frequently recurring employment or contractual relationship that is substantially antagonistic or incompatible with Contractor's loyal and conscientious exercise of judgment and care related to its performance under this Agreement.

None of Contractor's officers or employees shall, during the term of this Agreement, serve as an expert witness against City in any legal or administrative proceeding in which he, she, or Contractor is not a party, unless compelled by court process. Further, such persons shall not give sworn testimony or issue a report or writing, as an expression of his or her expert opinion, which is adverse or prejudicial to the interests of City in connection with any such pending or threatened legal or administrative proceeding unless compelled by court process. The limitations of this section shall not preclude Contractor or any persons in any way from representing themselves, including giving expert testimony in support thereof, in any action or in any administrative or legal proceeding.

In the event Contractor is permitted pursuant to this Agreement to utilize subcontractors to perform any services required by this Agreement, Contractor shall require such subcontractors, by written contract, to comply with the provisions of this section to the same extent as Contractor.

#### 9.12 MATERIALITY AND WAIVER OF BREACH

Each requirement, duty, and obligation set forth herein was bargained for at arm's-length and is agreed to by the Parties. Each requirement, duty, and obligation set forth herein is substantial and important to the formation of this Agreement, and each is, therefore, a material term hereof.

City's failure to enforce any provision of this Agreement shall not be deemed a waiver of such provision or modification of this Agreement. A waiver of any breach of a provision of this Agreement shall not be deemed a waiver of any subsequent breach and shall not be construed to be a modification of the terms of this Agreement.

# 9.13 COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS

Contractor shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, codes, ordinances, rules, and regulations in performing its duties, responsibilities, and obligations pursuant to this Agreement.

# 9.14 SEVERANCE

In the event a portion of this Agreement is found by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, the remaining provisions shall continue to be effective unless City or Contractor elects to terminate this Agreement. An election to terminate this Agreement based upon this provision shall be made within seven (7) days of final court action, including all available appeals.

# 9.15 JOINT PREPARATION

The Parties and their counsel have participated fully in the drafting of this Agreement and acknowledge that the preparation of this Agreement has been their joint effort. The language agreed to expresses their mutual intent and the resulting document shall not, solely as a matter of judicial construction, be construed more severely against one of the Parties than the other. The language in this Agreement shall be interpreted as to its fair meaning and not strictly for or against any party.

# 9.16 INTERPRETATION

The headings contained in this Agreement are for reference purposes only and shall not affect in any way the meaning or interpretation of this Agreement. All personal pronouns used in this Agreement shall include the other gender, and the singular shall include the plural, and vice versa, unless the context otherwise requires. Terms such as "herein," "hereof," "hereunder," and "hereinafter," refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular sentence, paragraph, or section where they appear, unless the context otherwise requires. Whenever reference is made to a Section or Article of this Agreement, such reference is to the Section or Article as a whole, including all of the subsections of such Section, unless the reference is made to a particular subsection or subparagraph of such Section or Article.

# 9.17 PRIORITY OF PROVISIONS

If there is a conflict or inconsistency between any term, statement, requirement, or provision of any exhibit attached hereto, any document or events referred to herein, or any document incorporated into this Agreement by reference and a

term, statement, requirement, or provision of Articles 1 through 9 of this Agreement, the term, statement, requirement, or provision contained in Articles 1 through 9 shall prevail and be given effect.

# 9.18 LAW, JURISDICTION, VENUE, WAIVER OF JURY TRIAL

This Agreement shall be interpreted and construed in accordance with and governed by the laws of the state of Florida. All Parties agree and accept that jurisdiction of any controversies or legal problems arising out of this Agreement, and any action involving the enforcement or interpretation of any rights hereunder, shall be exclusively in the state courts of the Fifteenth Judicial Circuit in Palm Beach County, Florida, and venue for litigation arising out of this Agreement shall be exclusively in such state courts, forsaking any other jurisdiction which either party may claim by virtue of its residency or other jurisdictional device. BY ENTERING INTO THIS AGREEMENT, CONTRACTOR AND CITY HEREBY EXPRESSLY WAIVE ANY RIGHTS EITHER PARTY MAY HAVE TO A TRIAL BY JURY OF ANY CIVIL LITIGATION RELATED TO THIS AGREEMENT. IF A PARTY FAILS TO WITHDRAW A REQUEST FOR A JURY TRIAL IN A LAWSUIT ARISING OUT OF THIS AGREEMENT AFTER WRITTEN NOTICE BY THE OTHER PARTY OF VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION, THE PARTY MAKING THE REQUEST FOR JURY TRIAL SHALL BE LIABLE FOR THE REASONABLE ATTORNEYS' FEES AND COSTS OF THE OTHER PARTY IN CONTESTING THE REQUEST FOR JURY TRIAL, AND SUCH AMOUNTS SHALL BE AWARDED BY THE COURT IN ADJUDICATING THE MOTION.

#### 9.19 AMENDMENTS

The Parties may amend this Agreement to conform to changes in federal, state, or local laws, regulations, directives, and objectives. No modification, amendment, or alteration in the terms or conditions contained herein shall be effective unless contained in a written document prepared with the same or similar formality as this Agreement and executed by the Board and Contractor or others delegated authority to or otherwise authorized to execute same on their behalf.

# 9.20 PRIOR AGREEMENTS

This document represents the final and complete understanding of the Parties and incorporates or supersedes all prior negotiations, correspondence, conversations, agreements, and understandings applicable to the matters contained herein. There is no commitment, agreement, or understanding concerning the subject matter of this Agreement that is not contained in this written document. Accordingly, no deviation from the terms hereof shall be predicated upon any prior representation or agreement, whether oral or written.

# 9.21 PAYABLE INTEREST

- 9.21.1 <u>Payment of Interest</u>. Except as required by the Prompt Payment laws, City shall not be liable for interest for any reason, whether as prejudgment interest or for any other purpose, and in furtherance thereof Contractor waives, rejects, disclaims and surrenders any and all entitlement it has or may have to receive interest in connection with a dispute or claim based on or related to this Agreement.
- 9.21.2 <u>Rate of Interest</u>. In any instance where the prohibition or limitations of Section 9.21.1 are determined to be invalid or unenforceable, the annual rate of interest payable by City under this Agreement, whether as prejudgment interest or for any other purpose, shall be .025 percent simple interest (uncompounded).

# 9.22 INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE

The truth and accuracy of each "Whereas" clause set forth above is acknowledged by the Parties. All Exhibits are incorporated into and made a part of this Agreement.

# 9.23 <u>REPRESENTATION OF AUTHORITY</u>

Each individual executing this Agreement on behalf of a party hereto hereby represents and warrants that he or she is, on the date he or she signs this Agreement, duly authorized by all necessary and appropriate action to execute this Agreement on behalf of such party and does so with full legal authority.

#### 9.25 MULTIPLE ORIGINALS

Multiple copies of this Agreement may be executed by all Parties, each of which, bearing original signatures, shall have the force and effect of an original document.

# ARTICLE 10 ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

The documents listed below are a part of this Agreement and are hereby incorporated by reference. In the event of inconsistency between the documents, unless otherwise provided herein, the terms of the following documents will govern in the following order of precedence:

- A. Terms and conditions as contained in this Agreement;
- B. Bid No. 2015-56, Inspection, Plan Review and Development Review Services, dated May 26, 2015, and all its addenda;
- C. Contractor's response to Bid No. 2015-56, Inspection, Plan Review and Development Review Services, and any subsequent information submitted by Contractor during the evaluation and negotiation process.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have made and executed this Agreement: City through its Board, signing by and through its Mayor or Vice-Mayor, authorized to execute same by Board action on the  $18^{+10}$  day of  $20^{11}$  and Contractor, signing by and through its **President**, duly authorized to execute same.

ATTEST: City Clerk APPROVED AS TO FORM

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CITY OF DELRAY BEACH, FLORIDA By Cary D. Glickstein, Mayor day of April , 20 17 . 14

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WITNESS:

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(Signature) (Printed name)

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# EXHIBIT A SCOPE OF SERVICES

1. **SCOPE:** Contractor's personnel will temporarily augment and support City Development Services Department (building and planning) staff to provide timely, effective and responsive inspections and reviews. Services shall be provided in a manner which meets the needs of City citizens and contractors while maintaining strict adherence to all federal, State and local laws, including those specific to the City and the Town of Gulfstream form whom the City provides building and planning services through an inter-local agreement. As required by the City, Contractor shall provide one or more personnel to meet the technicalities of single or multiple disciplines at any given time.

Examples of the work to be performed by Contractor's personnel, while not all inclusive, may include physical on-site structural/building, mechanical, plumbing, electrical, and flood plan reviews and inspections, and other functions relating to issuance of building and construction permits, certificates of occupancy and other duties as determined by the City Building Official in accordance with Florida Building Code; City of Delray Beach Code of Ordinances, Federal Flood Plain Regulations and other applicable documents.

#### 2. REQUIREMENTS:

Contractor shall provide the following:

- A. Licensed, professional personnel who are experienced in performing plan review and inspection services, as well as on-site development review as part of the City building permit process. Personnel will be required on an as-needed basis.
- B. Contractor's personnel shall provide planning, zoning, development review, permit plan review, environmental review and inspections in accordance with the City Comprehensive Plan, Land Development Code, and other applicable documents.
- C. Personnel who meet the following requirements:
  - i. Licensed by the Florida Department of Business Professional Regulation as a Certified Building Code Inspector with a current certificate to perform building, electrical, mechanical and plumbing inspections, as applicable to the task/ project for which they are assigned. NOTE: a copy of each personnel license must be provided upon request by the City.
  - ii. Have been licensed by the Florida Department of Business Professional Regulation for a minimum of two years.
  - iii. Efficiently and effectively perform duties and responsibilities as assigned in a professional manner, upholding the City regulations and policies, and abiding by the ethical standards of conduct appropriate to their position.

- iv. Be detail oriented, have good reasoning skills, consistently follow the City review process checklists, and be able to work independently with minimum supervision.
- v. Provide their own transportation to the work-sites to perform inspections.
- vi. Provide services during City business hours of 7:30 a.m. through 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding City holidays and work up to 40 hours per work week.
- vii. Upon request by the City, work during after business hours, including weekend hours.
- D. Conduct building, structural, plumbing, mechanical, electrical, and flood inspections and plan review as well as permit intake and issuance services, if requested by the City. Work will include inspections and plan review for single family and multi-family residential, commercial, office and/or industrial projects for compliance with the latest Florida Building Code in effect.

#### 3. STAFFING AND PERSONNEL:

Staffing will be the responsibility of the Contractor and Contractor's staff will be employees of Contractor. Contractor may change personnel at will with reasonable notice to the City. Any changes in personnel require Contractor to provide copies of inspection licenses of new personnel.

Contractor shall ensure that its personnel assigned to the City are neat in appearance and dressed appropriately for the services they will perform in a company uniform shirt that identifies the company and the personnel. Personnel shall carry a company identification while providing services that identifies them as an employee of Contractor.

Contractor's personnel shall be employees of Contractor, under Contractor's sole direction, and not an employee or agent of the City. Contractor shall remove any employee the City, at its sole discretion, deems careless, incompetent, insubordinate or otherwise objectionable and whose presence on City property is not in the best interest of the City. City shall not have any duty to implement or enforce such requirements.

# 4. WORK REQUIREMENTS:

A. In the performance or furnishing of professional services hereunder, Contractor, and its personnel, shall exercise the degree of skill and care customarily accepted as prudent professional practices and procedures by members of the same profession currently practicing under similar conditions in the same locality (Standard of Care). Consistent with this Standard of Care, the services shall conform to applicable laws; codes, ordinances and regulations of any governmental agency having jurisdiction over the project, at the time services are rendered.

- B. Contractor shall perform its services within the response times provided herein and as expeditiously as is consistent with the Standard of Care and with the orderly progress of the Work.
- C. Contractor shall not be required to sign any documents, irregardless of the requestor, that would result in Contractor having to certify, guaranty or warrant the existence of conditions whose existence Contractor cannot ascertain. Any certification provided by Contractor shall be so provided based on Contractor's knowledge, information and belief subject to the preceding sentence, and shall be given in Contractor's professional opinion consistent with the Standard of Care.
- D. Contractor will be responsible for coordination of its work with City directors.
- E. Contractor at the conclusion of its review of each building permit, shall state in writing on forms provided by the City whether the plans reviewed or the construction inspection passed or failed. Contractor will specify the legal reasons for a failed review or inspection, and the necessary remedial actions.
- F. Contractor shall provide to the City clear, specific, and definite written final recommendations and observations that support Contractor's recommendations and conclusions regarding each building inspection and plan review.
- G. Field inspections must be completed within response time of twenty-four hours of request, the same or next business day, depending on when the call for inspection is received by the City excluding weekends and City holidays.
- H. Contractor guarantees that no work shall be performed on private sites within the City other than assigned by the City, whether or not there is any remuneration to Contractor or Contractor's employees, whether employed by Contractor or acting as individuals, during the entire term of this agreement. In addition, Contractor shall not have any direct or indirect relationships, business or otherwise, with any entity having an interest in any project(s) being reviewed or inspected on behalf of the City. It shall be the responsibility of Contractor to inform the City and refrain from performing services on such jobs.
- Contractor shall not perform work of any kind or description within the City of Delray Beach for any party other than the City during the term of this Agreement whether related or unrelated to the types of services covered by or contemplated under this agreement or in any other location which could create a conflict of interest.

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J. Tasks will be assigned by task number and provided to Contractor and Contractor's personnel on site. If Contractor directs its personnel to proceed with the task, Contractor shall communicate that decision to the applicable City staff.

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# EXHIBIT B CERTIFICATION OF PAYMENTS TO SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS

Bid No. 2015-56

Project Title

The undersigned CONTRACTOR hereby swears under penalty of perjury that:

- CONTRACTOR has paid all subcontractors and suppliers all undisputed contract 1. obligations for labor, services, or materials provided on this project in accordance with Section 4.2.3 of the Agreement, except as provided in paragraph 2 below.
- 2. The following subcontractors and suppliers have not been paid because of disputed contractual obligations; a copy of the notification sent to each, explaining in reasonably specific detail the good cause why payment has not been made, is attached to this form:

Subcontractor or Supplier's name and address	Date of disputed invoice	Amount in dispute	

The undersigned is authorized to execute this Certification on behalf of 3. CONTRACTOR.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_

Contractor

By\_\_\_\_\_ (Signature)

By

(Name and Title)

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# CERTIFICATION OF PAYMENTS TO SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS (Continued)

SS.

STATE OF

COUNTY OF

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_, by \_\_\_\_\_ who is personally known to me or who has produced \_\_\_\_\_\_ as identification and who did/did not take an oath.

WITNESS my hand and official seal, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_.

(NOTARY SEAL)

(Signature of person taking acknowledgment)

(Name of officer taking acknowledgment) typed, printed, or stamped

(Title or rank)

My commission expires:

(Serial number, if any)

# EXHIBIT C INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

Contractor shall submit to the City current certificate(s) of insurance with the following limits:

- 1. Worker's Compensation Coverage to apply for all employees for Statutory Limits in compliance with the applicable State and Federal Laws. In addition, the policy must include Employer's Liability with a limit of \$100,000 each accident.
- 2. Comprehensive General Liability Coverage must be afforded on a form no more restrictive than the latest edition of the Comprehensive General Liability Policy filed by the Insurance Services Office and must include:
  - a. Minimum limits of \$300,000 per occurrence combined single limit for Bodily Injury Liability and Property Damage Liability.
  - b. Premises and/or Operations.
  - c. Independent Contractors.
  - d. Products and/or Completed Operations.
  - e. No exclusion for Underground, Explosion or Collapse hazards.
- 3. Business Auto Policy Coverage must be afforded on a form no more restrictive than the latest edition of the Business Auto Policy filed by the Insurance Service Office and must include:
  - a. Minimum Limits of \$300,000 per occurrence combined single limit for Bodily Injury Liability and Property Damage Liability.
  - b. Owned Vehicles.
  - c. Hired and Non-Owned Vehicles.
  - d. Employer Non-Ownership.

All insurance policies shall be issued by companies that (a) are authorized to do business in the State of Florida; (b) have agents upon whom service of process may be made in Palm Beach County, Florida; and (c) have a Best's rating of A- VIII or better. All insurance policies shall name the City of Delray Beach as an additional insured. The Contractor agrees to notify the City within (5) business days of coverage cancellation, lapse or material modification. All renewal or replacement certificates of insurance shall be forwarded to the City Purchasing Department located at 100 N.W. 1<sup>st</sup> Ave., Delray Beach, FL 33444.

# EXHIBIT D HOURLY RATE SCHEDULE

Title	Hourly Rate		
Building Inspector	\$	65.00	
Electrical Inspector	\$	65.00	
Plumbing Inspector	\$	65.00	
Mechanical Inspector	\$	65.00	
Plan Reviewer	\$	75.00	
Landscape Plan Reviewer	\$	75.00	
Plan Review Technician	\$	45.00	

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