APPENDIX B

INSURANCE & BONDING REQUIREMENTS RFP-C 1210216, Connally Vault Sewer Capacity Relief Project

A. <u>Preamble</u>

The following requirements apply to all work under the agreement. Compliance is required by all Contractors/Consultants. To the extent permitted by applicable law, the City of Atlanta ("City") reserves the right to adjust or waive any insurance or bonding requirements contained in this Appendix B and applicable to the agreement.

1. <u>Evidence of Insurance Required Before Work Begins</u>

No work under the agreement may be commenced until all insurance and bonding requirements contained in this Appendix B, or required by applicable law, have been complied with and evidence of such compliance satisfactory to City as to form and content has been filed with City. Contractor/Consultant must provide City with a Certificate of Insurance that clearly and unconditionally indicates that Contractor/Consultant has complied with all insurance and bonding requirements set forth in this Appendix B and applicable to the agreement. If the Contractor/Consultant is a joint venture, the insurance certificate should name the joint venture, rather than the joint venture partners individually, as the primary insured. In accordance with the solicitation documents applicable to the agreement at the time Contractor/Consultant submits to City its executed agreement, Contractor/Consultant must satisfy all insurance and bonding requirements required by this Appendix B and applicable by law, and provide the required written documentation to City evidencing such compliance. In the event that Contractor/Consultant does not comply with such submittal requirements within the time period established by the solicitation documents applicable to the agreement, City may, in addition to any other rights City may have under the solicitation documents applicable to the agreement or under applicable law, make a claim against any bid security provided by Contractor/Consultant.

2. <u>Minimum Financial Security Requirements</u>

All companies providing insurance required by this Appendix B must meet certain minimum financial security requirements. These requirements must conform to the ratings published by A.M. Best & Co. in the current Best's Key Rating Guide - Property-Casualty. The ratings for each company must be indicated on the documentation provided by Contractor/Consultant to City certifying that all insurance and bonding requirements set forth in this Appendix B and applicable to the agreement have been unconditionally satisfied.

For all agreements, regardless of size, companies providing insurance or bonds under the agreement must meet the following requirements:

- i) Best's rating not less than A-,
- ii) Best's Financial Size Category not less than Class VII, and
- iii) Companies must be authorized to conduct and transact insurance contracts by the Insurance Commissioner, State of Georgia.
- iv) All bid, performance and payment bonds must be underwritten by a U.S. Treasury Circular 570 listed company.

If the issuing company does not meet these minimum requirements, or for any other reason is or becomes unsatisfactory to City, City will notify Contractor/Consultant in writing. Contractor/Consultant must promptly obtain a new policy or bond issued by an insurer acceptable to City and submits to City evidence of its compliance with these conditions.

Contractor/Consultant's failure to comply with all insurance and bonding requirements set forth in this Appendix B and applicable to the agreement will not relieve Contractor/Consultant from any liability under the agreement. Contractor/Consultant's obligations to comply with all insurance and bonding requirements set forth in Appendix B and applicable to the agreement will not be construed to conflict with or limit Contractor/Consultant's/Consultant's indemnification obligations under the agreement.

3. Insurance Required for Duration of Contract

All insurance and bonds required by this Appendix B must be maintained during the entire term of the agreement, including any renewal or extension terms, and until all work has been completed to the satisfaction of City.

4. Notices of Cancellation & Renewal

Contractor/Consultant must, notify the City of Atlanta in writing at the address listed below by mail, hand-delivery or facsimile transmission, within 2 days of any notices received from any insurance carriers providing insurance coverage under this Agreement and Appendix B that concern the proposed cancellation, or termination of coverage.

> Enterprise Risk Management 68 Mitchell St. Suite 9100 Atlanta, GA 30303 Facsimile No. (404) 658-7450

Confirmation of any mailed notices must be evidenced by return receipts of registered or certified mail.

Contractor/Consultant shall provide the City with evidence of required insurance prior to the commencement of this agreement, and, thereafter, with a certificate evidencing renewals or changes to required policies of insurance at least fifteen (15) days prior to the expiration of previously provided certificates.

5. <u>Agent Acting as Authorized Representative</u>

Each and every agent acting as Authorized Representative on behalf of a company affording coverage under this contract shall warrant when signing the Accord Certificate of Insurance that specific authorization has been granted by the Companies for the Agent to bind coverage as required and to execute the Acord Certificates of Insurance as evidence of such coverage. City of Atlanta coverage requirements may be broader than the original policies; these requirements have been conveyed to the Companies for these terms and conditions.

In addition, each and every agent shall warrant when signing the Acord Certificate of Insurance that the Agent is licensed to do business in the State of Georgia and that the Company or Companies are currently in good standing in the State of Georgia.

6. <u>Certificate Holder</u>

The **City of Atlanta** must be named as certificate holder. All notices must be mailed to the attention of **Enterprise Risk Management** at **68 Mitchell Street, Suite, 9100, Atlanta, Georgia 30303.**

7. <u>Project Number & Name</u>

The project number and name must be referenced in the description section of the insurance certificate.

8. Additional Insured Endorsements – Form CG 20 26 04 13 or Equivalent

City shall be covered as an <u>Additional Insured</u>, as its interest may appear, under any and all insurance required pursuant to this Agreement, and such insurance shall be primary and noncontributory with respect to the <u>Additional Insured</u>. However, this requirement does not apply to Workers' Compensation or Professional Liability Insurance. Additional insured status extending to ongoing and completed operations per Form <u>CG 20 26 04 13</u> or their carrier equivalent shall be provided. Additional insured status shall be maintained following project completion equivalent to the statute of repose in the State of Georgia. If the vendor chooses to self-insure any of the insurance requirements, then the additional insured endorsement will be waived. <u>Additional Insured Endorsement Forms Must Be Provided in Addition to the Certificate of Insurance</u>.

9. Mandatory Sub-Contractor/Consultant Compliance

Service Provider must require and ensure that all of Service Provider's subcontractors operating under the Agreement at any level are sufficiently insured and bonded.

10. <u>Self Insured Retentions, Deductibles or Similar Obligations</u>

Any self-insured retention, deductible or similar obligation will be the sole responsibility of the contractor.

B. Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance

Contractor/Consultant must procure and maintain Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance in the following limits to cover each employee who is or may be engaged in work under the agreement.:

Workers' Compensation. **Statutory** Employer's Liability: Bodily Injury by Accident/Disease Bodily Injury by Accident/Disease Bodily Injury by Accident/Disease \$1,000,000 each accident \$1,000,000 each employee \$1,000,000 policy limit

C. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**

Contractor/Consultant must procure and maintain Commercial General Liability Insurance on form (CG 00 00 01 or equivalent) in an amount not less than \$2,000,000 per occurrence subject to a \$4,000,000 aggregate or vendor policy limits, whichever are higher. The following indicated extensions of coverage must be provided:

- Contractual Liability
 - **Broad Form Property Damage**
 - **Premises Operations**
 - Personal Injury
 - **Fire Legal Liability**
 - Advertising Injury
- XXXXXXXX Medical Expense
- Independent Contractor/Consultants/SubContractor/Consultants
- Products Completed Operations
- Explosion, Collapse and Underground (XCU) Liability
- \times Additional Insured Endorsement* (primary& non-contributing in favor of the City of Atlanta)
- \square Waiver of Subrogation in favor of the City of Atlanta

D. **Commercial Automobile Liability Insurance**

Contractor/Consultant must procure and maintain Automobile Liability Insurance in an amount not less than \$1,000,000 Bodily Injury and Property Damage combined single limit. The following indicated extensions of coverage must be provided:



Owned, Non-owned & Hired Vehicles

Waiver of Subrogation in favor of the City of Atlanta

If Contractor/Consultant does not own any automobiles in the corporate name, non-owned vehicle coverage will apply and must be endorsed on either Contractor/Consultant's personal automobile policy or the Commercial General Liability coverage required under this Appendix B.

Ε. Excess or Umbrella Liability Insurance

Contractor/Consultant shall procure and maintain a policy providing Excess or Umbrella Liability Insurance which is at least as broad as the underlying policy. This insurance, which shall be maintained throughout the life of the contract, shall be in an amount of not less than **<u>\$5,000,000</u>** per occurrence.



Coverage must follow form with primary policy

May be used to achieve minimum liability limits

F. <u>Pollution Liability</u>

Contractor/Consultant must procure and maintain Pollution Liability Insurance in an amount not less than **<u>\$1,000,000</u>** each occurrence/aggregate. Completed operations coverage shall remain in effect for no less than three (3) years after final completion. This coverage can also be satisfied with an endorsement to the General Liability policy.

G. <u>Performance Bond and Payment Bond</u>

Contractor/Consultant shall furnish a Payment Bond and a Performance Bond to the City in an amount equal to **100 percent of the total contract value** and for the duration of the entire term.

The person executing the Bonds on behalf of the surety shall file with the Bonds a general power of attorney unlimited as to amount and type of bonds covered by such power of attorney and certified by an official of said surety. **Be a U.S. Treasury Circular 570 listed company.**

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