

#### CONTRACT RENEWAL EXT-5622-25-DD

Date: February 12, 2025

Firm: Redi Services, LLC

Description: Biosolids Hauling and Landfill Disposal for the City of Grand Junction

Second Year Contract Renewal for RFP-5152-23-DD

Congratulations, Redi Services, LLC is awarded the second (2<sup>nd</sup>) year renewal option for contract RFP-5152-23-DD **Biosolids Hauling and Landfill Disposal for the City of Grand Junction**.

Redi Services. LLC shall provide to City of Grand Junction the services set forth in the Contract Documents dated February 17, 2023, for Contract RFP-5152-23-DD. Terms & Conditions and established rates will remain in effect, in accordance with the original Contract Documents. This renewal shall cover services from January 1, 2025 through December 31, 2025.

CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO

DocuSigned by:		
Dolly Daniels		
Dolly Daniels,	Senior Buyer	

#### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

Receipt of this Contract Renewal is hereby acknowledged:

Firm: Redi Services, LLC

DocuSigned by:

By: <u>(raiz lbernathy</u>

raigoAbemathy, Regional Director

Date: 2/12/2025



# #5343-24-DD

Date: January 3, 2024

Firm: Redi Services, LLC

Description: Biosolids Hauling and Landfill Disposal for the City of Grand Junction

First Year Contract Renewal for RFP-5152-23-DD

Congratulations, Redi Services, LLC is awarded the first (1<sup>st</sup>) year renewal option for contract RFP-5152-23-DD **Biosolids Hauling and Landfill Disposal for the City of Grand Junction.** 

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CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO

DocuSigned by:	
Duane Hoff Ir.	
Uuane Hoff Jr., Contract Administrator	

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Receipt of this Contract Renewal is hereby acknowledged:

Firm: Redi Services, LLC

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By: (rais abernathy

Craig Abernathy, Regional Director

Date: 1/3/2024



## CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO

#### CONTRACT

This CONTRACT made and entered into this <u>17th</u> day of <u>February 2023</u> by and between the <u>City of Grand Junction</u>, a government entity in the County of Mesa, State of Colorado, hereinafter in the Contract Documents referred to as the "Owner" and <u>Redi Services</u>, <u>LLC</u> hereinafter in the Contract Documents referred to as the "Contractor."

#### WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the Owner advertised that sealed Bids would be received for furnishing all labor, tools, supplies, equipment, materials, and everything necessary and required for the Project described by the Contract Documents and known as **Biosolids Hauling and Landfill Disposal for the City of Grand Junction RFP-5152-23-DD.** 

WHEREAS, the Contract has been awarded to the above-named Contractor by the Owner, and said Contractor is now ready, willing and able to perform the Work specified in the Notice of Award, in accordance with the Contract Documents;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the compensation to be paid the Contractor, the mutual covenants hereinafter set forth and subject to the terms hereinafter stated, it is mutually covenanted and agreed as follows:

#### **ARTICLE 1**

<u>Contract Documents</u>: It is agreed by the parties hereto that the following list of instruments, drawings, and documents which are attached hereto, bound herewith, or incorporated herein by reference constitute and shall be referred to either as the "Contract Documents" or the "Contract", and all of said instruments, drawings, and documents taken together as a whole constitute the Contract between the parties hereto, and they are fully a part of this agreement as if they were set out verbatim and in full herein:

The order of contract document governance shall be as follows:

- a. The body of this contract agreement
- b. Solicitation Documents for the Project including all Addenda; **Biosolids Hauling and Landfill Disposal for the City of Grand Junction RFP-5152-23-DD.**
- c. Notice of Award
- d. Contractors Response to the Solicitation
- e. Work Change Requests (directing that changed work be performed);
- f. Field Orders
- g. Change Orders.

#### **ARTICLE 2**

<u>Definitions:</u> The clauses provided in the Solicitation apply to the terms used in the Contract and all the Contract Documents.

#### **ARTICLE 3**

<u>Contract Work:</u> The Contractor agrees to furnish all labor, tools, supplies, equipment, materials, and all that is necessary and required to complete the tasks associated with the Work described, set forth, shown, and included in the Contract Documents as indicated in the Solicitation Document.

#### **ARTICLE 4**

<u>Contract Time</u>: Time is of the essence with respect to this Contract. The Contractor hereby agrees to commence Work under the Contract on or before the date specified in the Solicitation from the Owner, and to achieve Substantial Completion and Final Completion of the Work within the time or times specified in the Solicitation

#### **ARTICLE 5**

<u>Contract Price and Payment Procedures:</u> The Contractor shall accept as full and complete compensation for the performance and completion of all the Work specified in the Contract Documents.

#### \$21.86 per Wet Ton

#### Twenty-One and 86/100 Dollars per Wet Ton

If this Contract contains unit price pay items, the Contract Price shall be adjusted in accordance with the actual quantities of items completed and accepted by the Owner at the unit prices quoted in the Solicitation Response. The amount of the Contract Price is and has heretofore been appropriated by the Grand Junction City Council for the use and benefit of this Project. The Contract Price shall not be modified except by Change Order or other written directive of the Owner. The Owner shall not issue a Change Order or other written directive which requires additional work to be performed, which work causes the aggregate amount payable under this Contract to exceed the amount appropriated for this Project, unless and until the Owner provides Contractor written assurance that lawful appropriations to cover the costs of the additional work have been made.

Unless otherwise provided in the Solicitation, monthly partial payments shall be made as the Work progresses. Applications for partial and Final Payment shall be prepared by the Contractor and approved by the Owner in accordance with the Solicitation.

Upon Final Completion of the Work under the Contract and before the Contractor shall receive final payment, the Owner shall publish at least twice in a newspaper of general circulation published in the County a notice that: 1. the Owner has accepted such Work as completed according to the Contract Documents; 2. the Contractor is entitled to final payment therefore; 3. thirty days after the first publication, specifying the exact date, the Owner shall pay the full balance due under the Contract; and 4. persons having claims for labor, materials, team hire, sustenance, provisions, provender, or other supplies used or consumed by the Contractor or a subcontractor shall file a verified statement of the amount due and unpaid on account of such claim prior to the date specified for such payment. Nothing herein shall be construed as relieving the Contractor and the Sureties on the Contractor's Bonds from any claim or claims for work or labor done or materials or supplies furnished in the execution of the Contract.

#### **ARTICLE 6**

<u>Contract Binding:</u> The Owner and the Contractor each bind itself, its partners, successors, assigns and legal representatives to the other party hereto in respect to all covenants, agreements and obligations contained in the Contract Documents. The Contract Documents constitute the entire agreement between the Owner and Contractor and may only be altered, amended, or repealed by a duly executed written instrument. Neither the Owner nor the Contractor shall, without the prior written consent of the other, assign or sublet in whole or in part its interest under any of the Contract Documents and specifically, the Contractor shall not assign any moneys due or to become due without the prior written consent of the Owner.

#### **ARTICLE 7**

<u>Severability:</u> If any part, portion or provision of the Contract shall be found or declared null, void or unenforceable for any reason whatsoever by any court of competent jurisdiction or any governmental agency having the authority thereover, only such part, portion or provision shall be affected thereby and all other parts, portions and provisions of the Contract shall remain in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, City of Grand Junction, Colorado, has caused this Contract to be subscribed and sealed and attested in its behalf; and the Contractor has signed this Contract the day and the year first mentioned herein.

The Contract is executed in two counterparts.

#### **CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO**

By: Duane Hoff Jr.	2/21/2023	
Duane Hoff Jr. Contract Administrator	Date	
Redi Services, LLC		
By: Craiz abernathy	2/17/2023	
Craig Abernathy, Regional Director	 Date	



#### **NOTICE OF AWARD**

Date: February 17, 2023

Company: Redi Services, LLC

Project: Biosolids Hauling and Landfill Disposal for the City of Grand Junction RFP-5152-23-DD

You have been awarded the City of Grand Junction Contract for the Biosolids Hauling and Landfill Disposal for the City of Grand Junction for a unit rate of **\$21.86 per wet ton hauled**.

Please notify Kurt Carson City of Grand Junction Wastewater Services Manager at 970-256-4171 or <a href="mailto:kurtc@gjcity.org">kurtc@gjcity.org</a> for project scheduling and return to the City Purchasing Division an acknowledged copy of this Notice of Award, signed Contract and Insurance Certificate, as per the contract documents.

CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO

DocuSigned by:

Duane Hoff Ir.

Duane Hoff, Jr. Contracts Administrator

#### SUPPLIER ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Receipt of this Notice to Award is hereby acknowledged:

Company: Redi Services, LLC

- DocuSigned by:

By: Craiz abernathy

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Title: Regional Director



# Request for Proposal RFP-5152-23-DD

# Contract for Biosolids Hauling and Landfill Disposal Persigo Wastewater Treatment Plant

#### **RESPONSES DUE:**

January 4, 2023, prior to 2:00 PM

Accepting Electronic Responses Only

Responses Only Submitted Through the Rocky Mountain E-Purchasing System (RMEPS)

www.bidnetdirect.com/colorado

(Purchasing Representative does not have access or control of the vendor side of RMEPS. If website or other problems arise during response submission, vendor <u>MUST</u> contact RMEPS to resolve issue prior to the response deadline. 800-835-4603)

NOTE: All City solicitation openings will continue to be held virtually.

#### **PURCHASING REPRESENTATIVE:**

Dolly Daniels, Senior Buyer dollyd@gicity.org
970-256-4048

This solicitation has been developed specifically for a Request for Proposal intended to solicit competitive responses for this solicitation and may not be the same as previous City of Grand Junction solicitations. All offerors are urged to thoroughly review this solicitation prior to submitting. Submittal by FAX, EMAIL or HARD COPY IS NOT ACCEPTABLE for this solicitation.

# **REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL**

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#### REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

#### SECTION 1.0: ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION & CONDITIONS FOR SUBMITTAL

**NOTE:** It is the Firm's responsibility to read and review all solicitation documentation in its entirety, and to ensure that they have a clear and complete understanding of not only the scope, specifications, project requirements, etc., but also all other requirements, instructions, rules, regulations, laws, conditions, statements, procurement policies, etc. that are associated with the solicitation process and project/services being solicited.

**1.1 Issuing Office:** This Request for Proposal (RFP) is issued by the City of Grand Junction. All contact regarding this RFP is directed to:

#### **RFP QUESTIONS:**

Dolly Daniels, Senior Buyer dollyd@gjcity.org

The City would like to remind all Contractors, Sub-Contractors, Vendors, Suppliers, Manufacturers, Service Providers, etc. that (with the exception of Pre-Bid or Site Visit Meetings) all questions, inquiries, comments, or communication pertaining to any formal solicitation (whether process, specifications, scope, etc.) must be directed (in writing) to the Purchasing Agent assigned to the project, or Purchasing Division. Direct communication with the City assigned Project Managers/Engineers is not appropriate for public procurement and may result in disqualification.

- 1.2 Non-Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting: <u>Prospective offers are encouraged to attend a non-mandatory pre-bid meeting on December 13, 2022, at 2:00 pm</u>. <u>Meeting location shall begin at Persigo Wastewater Treatment Plant Training Room located in the Administration Building at 2145 River Road, Grand Junction, CO</u>. The purpose of this meeting will be to inspect and to clarify the contents of this Request for Proposal (RFP).
- 1.3 Purpose: The purpose of this RFP is to obtain proposals from qualified firms to provide hauling and landfill disposal of dewatered biosolids from the Persigo Wastewater Treatment Plant. The disposal will need to be congruent with all CDPHE and EPA biosolid requirements. More specifically, these biosolids do not meet land application requirements and will need to be landfilled.
- **1.4 The Owner:** The Owner is the City of Grand Junction, Colorado and is referred to throughout this Solicitation. The term Owner means the Owner or his authorized representative.
- 1.5 Compliance: All participating Offerors, by their signature hereunder, shall agree to comply with all conditions, requirements, and instructions of this RFP as stated or implied herein. Should the Owner omit anything from this packet which is necessary to the clear understanding of the requirements, or should it appear that various instructions are in conflict, the Offeror(s) shall secure instructions from the Purchasing Division prior to the date and time of the submittal deadline shown in this RFP.

1.6 Submission: Please refer to section 5.0 for what is to be included. Each proposal shall be submitted in electronic format only, and only through the Rocky Mountain E-Purchasing website (www.bidnetdirect.com/colorado). This site offers both "free" and "paying" registration options that allow for full access of the Owner's documents and for electronic submission of proposals. (Note: "free" registration may take up to 24 hours to process. Please Plan accordingly.) Please view our "Electronic Vendor Registration Guide" at <a href="https://co-grandjunction.civicplus.com/501/Purchasing-Bids">https://co-grandjunction.civicplus.com/501/Purchasing-Bids</a> for details. For proper comparison and evaluation, the City requests that proposals be formatted as directed in Section 5.0 "Preparation and Submittal of Proposals." Submittals received that fail to follow this format may be ruled non-responsive. (Purchasing Representative does not have access or control of the vendor side of RMEPS. If website or other problems arise during response submission, vendor MUST contact RMEPS to resolve issue prior to the response deadline. 800-835-4603).

Proposal Opening Contract for Biosolids Hauling and Landfill Disposal RFP-5152-23-DD Jan 4, 2023, 2:00 – 2:30 PM (America/Denver)

Please join my meeting from your computer, tablet, or smartphone. https://meet.goto.com/772095461

You can also dial in using your phone.

Access Code:

772-095-461

**United States:** 

+1 (646) 749-3122

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- **1.7 Altering Proposals:** Any alterations made prior to opening date and time must be initialed by the signer of the proposal, guaranteeing authenticity. Proposals cannot be altered or amended after submission deadline.
- **1.8 Withdrawal of Proposal:** A proposal must be firm and valid for award and may not be withdrawn or canceled by the Offeror for sixty (60) days following the submittal deadline date, and only prior to award. The Offeror so agrees upon submittal of their proposal. After award, this statement is not applicable.
- 1.9 Acceptance of Proposal Content: The contents of the proposal of the successful Offeror shall become contractual obligations if acquisition action ensues. Failure of the successful Offeror to accept these obligations in a contract shall result in cancellation of the award and such vendor shall be removed from future solicitations.

- 1.10 Addenda: All questions shall be submitted in writing to the appropriate person as shown in Section 1.1. Any interpretations, corrections and changes to this RFP or extensions to the opening/receipt date shall be made by a written Addendum to the RFP by the City Purchasing Division. Sole authority to authorize addenda shall be vested in the City of Grand Junction Purchasing Representative. Addenda will be issued electronically through the Rocky Mountain E-Purchasing website at <a href="www.bidnetdirect.com/colorado">www.bidnetdirect.com/colorado</a>. Offerors shall acknowledge receipt of all addenda in their proposal.
- 1.11 Exceptions and Substitutions: All proposals meeting the intent of this RFP shall be considered for award. Offerors taking exception to the specifications shall do so at their own risk. The Owner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all substitutions or alternatives. When offering substitutions and/or alternatives, Offeror must state these exceptions in the section pertaining to that area. Exception/substitution, if accepted, must meet or exceed the stated intent and/or specifications. The absence of such a list shall indicate that the Offeror has not taken exceptions, and if awarded a contract, shall hold the Offeror responsible to perform in strict accordance with the specifications or scope of services contained herein.
- 1.12 Confidential Material: All materials submitted in response to this RFP shall ultimately become public record and shall be subject to inspection after contract award. "Proprietary or Confidential Information" is defined as any information that is not generally known to competitors and which provides a competitive advantage. Unrestricted disclosure of proprietary information places it in the public domain. Only submittal information clearly identified with the words "Confidential Disclosure" and uploaded as a separate document shall establish a confidential, proprietary relationship. Any material to be treated as confidential or proprietary in nature must include a justification for the request. The request shall be reviewed and either approved or denied by the Owner. If denied, the proposer shall have the opportunity to withdraw its entire proposal, or to remove the confidential or proprietary restrictions. Neither cost nor pricing information nor the total proposal shall be considered confidential or proprietary.
- 1.13 Response Material Ownership: All proposals become the property of the Owner upon receipt and shall only be returned to the proposer at the Owner's option. Selection or rejection of the proposal shall not affect this right. The Owner shall have the right to use all ideas or adaptations of the ideas contained in any proposal received in response to this RFP, subject to limitations outlined in the entitled "Confidential Material". Disqualification of a proposal does not eliminate this right.
- **1.14 Minimal Standards for Responsible Prospective Offerors:** A prospective Offeror must affirmably demonstrate their responsibility. A prospective Offeror must meet the following requirements.
  - Have adequate financial resources, or the ability to obtain such resources as required.
  - Be able to comply with the required or proposed completion schedule.
  - Have a satisfactory record of performance.
  - Have a satisfactory record of integrity and ethics.
  - Be otherwise qualified and eligible to receive an award and enter into a contract with the Owner.

- 1.15 Open Records: Proposals shall be received and publicly acknowledged at the location, date, and time stated herein. Offerors, their representatives and interested persons may be present. Proposals shall be received and acknowledged only so as to avoid disclosure of process. However, all proposals shall be open for public inspection after the contract is awarded. Trade secrets and confidential information contained in the proposal so identified by offer as such shall be treated as confidential by the Owner to the extent allowable in the Open Records Act.
- **1.16 Sales Tax:** The Owner is, by statute, exempt from the State Sales Tax and Federal Excise Tax; therefore, all fees shall not include taxes.
- 1.17 Public Opening: Proposals shall be opened in a virtual meeting immediately following the proposal deadline. Offerors, their representatives and interested persons may be present. Only the names and locations on the proposing firms will be disclosed.

#### **SECTION 2.0: GENERAL CONTRACT TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

- 2.1. Acceptance of RFP Terms: A proposal submitted in response to this RFP shall constitute a binding offer. Acknowledgment of this condition shall be indicated on the Letter of Interest or Cover Letter by the autographic signature of the Offeror or an officer of the Offeror legally authorized to execute contractual obligations. A submission in response to the RFP acknowledges acceptance by the Offeror of all terms and conditions including compensation, as set forth herein. An Offeror shall identify clearly and thoroughly any variations between its proposal and the Owner's RFP requirements. Failure to do so shall be deemed a waiver of any rights to subsequently modify the terms of performance, except as outlined or specified in the RFP.
- 2.2. Execution, Correlation, Intent, and Interpretations: The Contract Documents shall be signed by the Owner and Firm. By executing the contract, the Firm represents that they have familiarized themselves with the local conditions under which the Services is to be performed and correlated their observations with the requirements of the Contract Documents. The Contract Documents are complementary, and what is required by anyone, shall be as binding as if required by all. The intention of the documents is to include all labor, materials, equipment, services and other items necessary for the proper execution and completion of the scope of services as defined in the technical specifications and drawings contained herein. All drawings, specifications and copies furnished by the Owner are, and shall remain, Owner property. They are not to be used on any other project.
- 2.3. Permits, Fees, & Notices: The Firm shall secure and pay for all permits, governmental fees and licenses necessary for the proper execution and completion of the services. The Firm shall give all notices and comply with all laws, ordinances, rules, regulations and orders of any public authority bearing on the performance of the services. If the Firm observes that any of the Contract Documents are at variance in any respect, he shall promptly notify the Owner in writing, and any necessary changes shall be adjusted by approximate modification. If the Firm performs any services knowing it to be contrary to such laws, ordinances, rules and regulations, and without such notice to the Owner, he shall assume full responsibility and shall bear all costs attributable.

- **2.4.** Responsibility for those Performing the Services: The Firm shall be responsible to the Owner for the acts and omissions of all his employees and all other persons performing any of the services under a contract with the Firm.
- 2.5. Payment & Completion: The Contract Sum is stated in the Contract and is the total amount payable by the Owner to the Firm for the performance of the services under the Contract Documents. Upon receipt of written notice that the services is ready for final inspection and acceptance and upon receipt of application for payment, the Owner's Project Manager will promptly make such inspection and, when they find the services acceptable under the Contract Documents and the Contract fully performed, the Owner shall make payment in the manner provided in the Contract Documents. Partial payments will be based upon estimates, prepared by the Firm, of the value of services performed and materials placed in accordance with the Contract Documents. The services performed by Firm shall be in accordance with generally accepted professional practices and the level of competency presently maintained by other practicing professional firms in the same or similar type of services in the applicable community. The services and services to be performed by Firm hereunder shall be done in compliance with applicable laws, ordinances, rules and regulations.
- 2.6. Protection of Persons & Property: The Firm shall comply with all applicable laws, ordinances, rules, regulations and orders of any public authority having jurisdiction for the safety of persons or property or to protect them from damage, injury or loss. Firm shall erect and maintain, as required by existing safeguards for safety and protection, and all reasonable precautions, including posting danger signs or other warnings against hazards promulgating safety regulations and notifying owners and users of adjacent utilities. When or where any direct or indirect damage or injury is done to public or private property by or on account of any act, omission, neglect, or misconduct by the Firm in the execution of the services, or in consequence of the non-execution thereof by the Firm, they shall restore, at their own expense, such property to a condition similar or equal to that existing before such damage or injury was done, by repairing, rebuilding, or otherwise restoring as may be directed, or it shall make good such damage or injury in an acceptable manner.
- 2.7. Changes in the Services: The Owner, without invalidating the contract, may order changes in the services within the general scope of the contract consisting of additions, deletions or other revisions. All such changes in the services shall be authorized by Change Order/Amendment and shall be executed under the applicable conditions of the contract documents. A Change Order/Amendment is a written order to the Firm signed by the Owner issued after the execution of the contract, authorizing a change in the services or an adjustment in the contract sum or the contract time.
- 2.8. Minor Changes in the Services: The Owner shall have authority to order minor changes in the services not involving an adjustment in the contract sum or an extension of the contract time and not inconsistent with the intent of the contract documents.
- 2.9. Uncovering & Correction of Services: The Firm shall promptly correct all services found by the Owner as defective or as failing to conform to the contract documents. The Firm shall bear all costs of correcting such rejected services, including the cost of the Owner's additional services thereby made necessary. The Owner shall give such notice promptly after discovering of condition. All such defective or non-conforming services under the

- above paragraphs shall be removed from the site where necessary and the services shall be corrected to comply with the contract documents without cost to the Owner.
- 2.10. Acceptance Not Waiver: The Owner's acceptance or approval of any services furnished hereunder shall not in any way relieve the proposer of their present responsibility to maintain the high quality, integrity and timeliness of his services. The Owner's approval or acceptance of, or payment for, any services shall not be construed as a future waiver of any rights under this Contract, or of any cause of action arising out of performance under this Contract.
- **2.11. Change Order/Amendment:** No oral statement of any person shall modify or otherwise change, or affect the terms, conditions or specifications stated in the resulting contract. All amendments to the contract shall be made in writing by the Owner.
- **2.12. Assignment:** The Offeror shall not sell, assign, transfer or convey any contract resulting from this RFP, in whole or in part, without the prior written approval from the Owner.
- 2.13. Compliance with Laws: Proposals must comply with all Federal, State, County and local laws governing or covering this type of service and the fulfillment of all ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act) requirements. Firm hereby warrants that it is qualified to assume the responsibilities and render the services described herein and has all requisite corporate authority and professional licenses in good standing, required by law.
- **2.14. Debarment/Suspension:** The Firm herby certifies that the Firm is not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Governmental department or agency.
- **2.15.** Confidentiality: All information disclosed by the Owner to the Offeror for the purpose of the services to be done or information that comes to the attention of the Offeror during the course of performing such services is to be kept strictly confidential.
- **2.16.** Conflict of Interest: No public official and/or Owner employee shall have interest in any contract resulting from this RFP.
- 2.17. Contract: This Request for Proposal, submitted documents, and any negotiations, when properly accepted by the Owner, shall constitute a contract equally binding between the Owner and Offeror. The contract represents the entire and integrated agreement between the parties hereto and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations, or agreements, either written or oral, including the Proposal documents. The contract may be amended or modified with Change Orders, Field Orders, or Amendment.
- 2.18. Project Manager/Administrator: The Project Manager, on behalf of the Owner, shall render decisions in a timely manner pertaining to the services proposed or performed by the Offeror. The Project Manager shall be responsible for approval and/or acceptance of any related performance of the Scope of Services. Kurt Carson, Wastewater Services Manager is the Project Manager for this Project.
- 2.19. Contract Termination: This contract shall remain in effect until any of the following occurs: (1) contract expires; (2) completion of services; (3) acceptance of services or, (4) for convenience terminated by either party with a written Notice of Cancellation stating therein

the reasons for such cancellation and the effective date of cancellation at least thirty days past notification.

- **2.20. Employment Discrimination:** During the performance of any services per agreement with the Owner, the Offeror, by submitting a Proposal, agrees to the following conditions:
  - 2.20.1. The Offeror shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, religion, color, sex, age, disability, citizenship status, marital status, veteran status, sexual orientation, national origin, or any legally protected status except when such condition is a legitimate occupational qualification reasonably necessary for the normal operations of the Offeror. The Offeror agrees to post in conspicuous places, visible to employees and applicants for employment, notices setting forth the provisions of this nondiscrimination clause.
  - 2.20.2. The Offeror, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the Offeror, shall state that such Offeror is an Equal Opportunity Employer.
  - 2.20.3. Notices, advertisements, and solicitations placed in accordance with federal law, rule, or regulation shall be deemed sufficient for the purpose of meeting the requirements of this section.
- 2.21. Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 and Immigration Compliance: The Offeror certifies that it does not and will not during the performance of the contract employ worker without authorization services or otherwise violate the provisions of the Federal Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 and/or the immigration compliance requirements of State of Colorado C.R.S. § 8-17.5-101, et.seq. (House Bill 06-1343).
- **2.22. Ethics**: The Offeror shall not accept or offer gifts or anything of value nor enter into any business arrangement with any employee, official, or agent of the Owner.
- **2.23.** Failure to Deliver: In the event of failure of the Offeror to deliver services in accordance with the contract terms and conditions, the Owner, after due oral or written notice, may procure the services from other sources and hold the Offeror responsible for any costs resulting in additional purchase and administrative services. This remedy shall be in addition to any other remedies that the Owner may have.
- **2.24.** Failure to Enforce: Failure by the Owner at any time to enforce the provisions of the contract shall not be construed as a waiver of any such provisions. Such failure to enforce shall not affect the validity of the contract or any part thereof or the right of the Owner to enforce any provision at any time in accordance with its terms.
- **2.25. Force Majeure:** The Offeror shall not be held responsible for failure to perform the duties and responsibilities imposed by the contract due to legal strikes, fires, riots, rebellions, and acts of God beyond the control of the Offeror, unless otherwise specified in the contract.
- **2.26. Indemnification:** Offeror shall defend, indemnify and save harmless the Owner and all its officers, employees, insurers, and self-insurance pool, from and against all liability, suits, actions, or other claims of any character, name and description brought for or on account of any injuries or damages received or sustained by any person, persons, or property on

account of any negligent act or fault of the Offeror, or of any Offeror's agent, employee, sub-contractor or supplier in the execution of, or performance under, any contract which may result from proposal award. Offeror shall pay any judgment with cost which may be obtained against the Owner growing out of such injury or damages.

- 2.27. Independent Firm: The Offeror shall be legally considered an Independent Firm and neither the Firm nor its employees shall, under any circumstances, be considered servants or agents of the Owner. The Owner shall be at no time legally responsible for any negligence or other wrongdoing by the Firm, its servants, or agents. The Owner shall not withhold from the contract payments to the Firm any federal or state unemployment taxes, federal or state income taxes, Social Security Tax or any other amounts for benefits to the Firm. Further, the Owner shall not provide to the Firm any insurance coverage or other benefits, including Workers' Compensation, normally provided by the Owner for its employees.
- 2.28. Nonconforming Terms and Conditions: A proposal that includes terms and conditions that do not conform to the terms and conditions of this Request for Proposal is subject to rejection as non-responsive. The Owner reserves the right to permit the Offeror to withdraw nonconforming terms and conditions from its proposal prior to a determination by the Owner of non-responsiveness based on the submission of nonconforming terms and conditions.
- **2.29.** Ownership: All plans, prints, designs, concepts, etc., shall become the property of the Owner.
- **2.30. Oral Statements:** No oral statement of any person shall modify or otherwise affect the terms, conditions, or specifications stated in this document and/or resulting agreement. All modifications to this request and any agreement must be made in writing by the Owner.
- 2.31. Patents/Copyrights: The Offeror agrees to protect the Owner from any claims involving infringements of patents and/or copyrights. In no event shall the Owner be liable to the Offeror for any/all suits arising on the grounds of patent(s)/copyright(s) infringement. Patent/copyright infringement shall null and void any agreement resulting from response to this RFP.
- **2.32. Venue**: Any agreement as a result of responding to this RFP shall be deemed to have been made in, and shall be construed and interpreted in accordance with, the laws of the City of Grand Junction, Mesa County, Colorado.
- **2.33.** Expenses: Expenses incurred in preparation, submission and presentation of this RFP are the responsibility of the company and cannot be charged to the Owner.
- **2.34. Sovereign Immunity:** The Owner specifically reserves its right to sovereign immunity pursuant to Colorado State Law as a defense to any action arising in conjunction to this agreement.
- 2.35. Public Funds/Non-Appropriation of Funds: Funds for payment have been provided through the Owner's budget approved by the City Council/Board of County Commissioners for the stated fiscal year only. State of Colorado statutes prohibit the obligation and

expenditure of public funds beyond the fiscal year for which a budget has been approved. Therefore, anticipated orders or other obligations that may arise past the end of the stated Owner's fiscal year shall be subject to budget approval. Any contract will be subject to and must contain a governmental non-appropriation of funds clause.

- 2.36. Collusion Clause: Each Offeror by submitting a proposal certifies that it is not party to any collusive action or any action that may be in violation of the Sherman Antitrust Act. Any and all proposals shall be rejected if there is evidence or reason for believing that collusion exists among the proposers. The Owner may or may not, at the discretion of the Owner Purchasing Representative, accept future proposals for the same service or commodities for participants in such collusion.
- 2.37. Gratuities: The Firm certifies and agrees that no gratuities or kickbacks were paid in connection with this contract, nor were any fees, commissions, gifts or other considerations made contingent upon the award of this contract. If the Firm breaches or violates this warranty, the Owner may, at their discretion, terminate this contract without liability to the Owner.
- **2.38. Performance of the Contract:** The Owner reserves the right to enforce the performance of the contract in any manner prescribed by law or deemed to be in the best interest of the Owner in the event of breach or default of resulting contract award.
- **2.39. Benefit Claims:** The Owner shall not provide to the Offeror any insurance coverage or other benefits, including Worker's Compensation, normally provided by the Owner for its employees.
- **2.40. Default**: The Owner reserves the right to terminate the contract in the event the Firm fails to meet delivery or completion schedules, or otherwise perform in accordance with the accepted proposal. Breach of contract or default authorizes the Owner to purchase like services elsewhere and charge the full increase in cost to the defaulting Offeror.
- **2.41. Multiple Offers:** If said proposer chooses to submit more than one offer, THE ALTERNATE OFFER must be clearly marked "Alternate Proposal". The Owner reserves the right to make award in the best interest of the Owner.
- 2.42. Cooperative Purchasing: Purchases as a result of this solicitation are primarily for the Owner. Other governmental entities may be extended the opportunity to utilize the resultant contract award with the agreement of the successful provider and the participating agencies. All participating entities will be required to abide by the specifications, terms, conditions and pricings established in this Proposal. The quantities furnished in this proposal document are for only the Owner. It does not include quantities for any other jurisdiction. The Owner will be responsible only for the award for our jurisdiction. Other participating entities will place their own awards on their respective Purchase Orders through their purchasing office or use their purchasing card for purchase/payment as authorized or agreed upon between the provider and the individual entity. The Owner accepts no liability for payment of orders placed by other participating jurisdictions that choose to piggy-back on our solicitation. Orders placed by participating jurisdictions under the terms of this solicitation will indicate their specific delivery and invoicing instructions.

#### 2.43. Definitions:

- 2.43.1. "Offeror" and/or "Proposer" refers to the person or persons legally authorized by the Consultant to make an offer and/or submit a response (fee) proposal in response to the Owner's RFP.
- 2.43.2. The term "Services" includes all labor, materials, equipment, and/or services necessary to produce the requirements of the Contract Documents.
- 2.43.3. "Firm" is the person, organization, firm or consultant identified as such in the Agreement and is referred to throughout the Contract Documents. The term Firm means the Firm or his authorized representative. The Firm shall carefully study and compare the General Contract Conditions of the Contract, Specification and Drawings, Scope of Services, Addenda and Modifications and shall at once report to the Owner any error, inconsistency or omission he may discover. Firm shall not be liable to the Owner for any damage resulting from such errors, inconsistencies or omissions. The Firm shall not commence services without clarifying Drawings, Specifications, or Interpretations.
- 2.43.4. "Sub-Contractor is a person or organization who has a direct contract with the Firm to perform any of the services at the site. The term Sub-Contractor is referred to throughout the contract documents and means a Sub-Contractor or his authorized representative.
- 2.44. Public Disclosure Record: If the Proposer has knowledge of their employee(s) or subproposers having an immediate family relationship with an Owner employee or elected official, the proposer must provide the Purchasing Representative with the name(s) of these individuals. These individuals are required to file an acceptable "Public Disclosure Record", a statement of financial interest, before conducting business with the Owner.

#### **SECTION 3.0: INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS**

3.1 Insurance Requirements: The selected Firm agrees to procure and maintain, at its own cost, policy(s) of insurance sufficient to insure against all liability, claims, demands, and other obligations assumed by the Firm pursuant to this Section. Such insurance shall be in addition to any other insurance requirements imposed by this Contract or by law. The Firm shall not be relieved of any liability, claims, demands, or other obligations assumed pursuant to this Section by reason of its failure to procure or maintain insurance in sufficient amounts, durations, or types.

Firm shall procure and maintain and, if applicable, shall cause any Sub-Contractor of the Firm to procure and maintain insurance coverage listed below. Such coverage shall be procured and maintained with forms and insurers acceptable to The Owner. All coverage shall be continuously maintained to cover all liability, claims, demands, and other obligations assumed by the Firm pursuant to this Section. In the case of any claims-made policy, the necessary retroactive dates and extended reporting periods shall be procured to maintain such continuous coverage. Minimum coverage limits shall be as indicated below unless specified otherwise in the Special Conditions:

- (a) Worker Compensation: Firm shall comply with all State of Colorado Regulations concerning Workers' Compensation insurance coverage.
- (b) General Liability insurance with minimum combined single limits of:

ONE MILLION DOLLARS (\$1,000,000) each occurrence and ONE MILLION DOLLARS (\$1,000,000) per job aggregate.

The policy shall be applicable to all premises, products and completed operations. The policy shall include coverage for bodily injury, broad form property damage (including completed operations), personal injury (including coverage for contractual and employee acts), blanket contractual, products, and completed operations. The policy shall include coverage for explosion, collapse, and underground (XCU) hazards. The policy shall contain a severability of interests provision.

(c) Comprehensive Automobile Liability insurance with minimum combined single limits for bodily injury and property damage of not less than:

ONE MILLION DOLLARS (\$1,000,000) each occurrence and ONE MILLION DOLLARS (\$1,000,000) aggregate

(d) Professional Liability & Errors and Omissions Insurance policy with a minimum of:

THREE MILLION DOLLARS (\$3,000,000) per claim

This policy shall provide coverage to protect the Firm against liability incurred as a result of the professional services performed as a result of responding to this Solicitation.

With respect to each of Consultant's owned, hired, or non-owned vehicles assigned to be used in performance of the Services. The policy shall contain a severability of interests provision.

3.2 Additional Insured Endorsement: The policies required by paragraphs (b), and (c) above shall be endorsed to include the City of Grand Junction, its Elected and Appointed Officials, Employees and Volunteers are included as Additional Insured. Every policy required above shall be primary insurance, and any insurance carried by the Owner, its officers, or its employees, or carried by or provided through any insurance pool of the Owner, shall be excess and not contributory insurance to that provided by Firm. The Firm shall be solely responsible for any deductible losses under any policy required above.

#### **SECTION 4.0: SPECIFICATIONS/SCOPE OF SERVICES**

#### 4.1. General/Background:

The City of Grand Junction is seeking proposals from qualified firms to provide all labor, material, and equipment necessary for transportation and landfill disposal of dewatered biosolids produced at:

Persigo Wastewater Treatment Plant (Facility) 2145 River Road Grand Junction, CO 81505

The dewatered biosolids do not meet land application requirements and will need to be landfill disposed in accordance with all applicable state and federal regulations. The

disposal location will need to be formally approved by the Project Manager. See Section 4.3 for dewatered biosolids volume, percent total solids and typical days/hours of facility operation.

<u>Note:</u> This RFP is only seeking to contract the hauling services to the approved disposal location. The facility will pay the landfill disposal fees to the landfill separately from this hauling contract.

#### 4.2. Special Conditions/Provisions:

- **4.2.1 Non-Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting:** Prospective offers are encouraged to attend a non-mandatory pre-bid meeting on December 13, 2022, at 2:00 pm. Meeting location shall begin at Persigo Wastewater Treatment Plant Training Room located in the Administration Building at 2145 River Road, Grand Junction, CO. The purpose of this meeting will be to inspect and to clarify the contents of this Request for Proposal (RFP).
- **4.2.2 Price/Fees:** Project pricing shall be <u>all inclusive</u>, to include, but not be limited to: labor, materials, equipment, travel, design, drawings, engineering work, shipping/freight, licenses, permits, etc.

The landfill disposal tipping fees will be handled and paid directly by the treatment plant.

Provide unit rate costs using Solicitation Response Form found in Section 7.

**4.2.3 Estimated Quantities:** The quantities indicated in this Request for Proposal are estimates that pertain to the total aggregate quantities that may be ordered throughout the stated contract period. Variation of quantities may increase or decrease. The estimates do not indicate single order amounts unless otherwise stated. The Owner makes no guarantees about single order quantities or total aggregate order quantities. The Owner reserves the right to haul biosolids when deemed necessary.

#### 4.3. Specifications/Scope of Services:

Currently facility operations staff perform all aspects of the biosolids treatment, dewatering, hauling, and disposal with in-house resources. The dewatered biosolids have historically been disposed at the Mesa County landfill located at 3071 US-50, Grand Junction, CO 81503. The anticipated biosolids tipping fee rate at the Mesa County Landfill for 2023 is \$26.25 per wet ton. The annual biosolids tipping fee is anticipated to increase 5% per year in the future.

The biosolids are dewatered using four belt filter presses (BFP) on the second floor of the dewatering building. There is minimal biosolids storage at the treatment plant and the dewatered biosolids are directly loaded into a 12-yard dump truck on the first floor of the dewatering building positioned under the BFPs using a belt conveyor. There is not an alternative biosolids conveyance or off-load location for dewatered biosolids.

Historically, the dewatered biosolids have a total solids concentration between 9% and 14%, with the "wetter" biosolids coinciding with the winter months and the "drier" biosolids occurring during the summer. The dewatered biosolids have always passed the paint

filter test and TCLP analysis and have been accepted for disposal at the Mesa County landfill without exception. We don't anticipate any substantial changes to the quality or quantity of dewatered biosolids during the duration of this hauling contract. The Persigo WWTP will continue to conduct all sampling, analysis, and reporting for the biosolids.

The scope of this RFP is for the awarded firm to take over the hauling and disposal responsibilities of the dewatered biosolids. The firm will need to provide trucks, drivers, all ancillary equipment, or materials needed, and coordination of logistics with the facility operations staff and landfill disposal. The selected firm will not be using City owned dump trucks or equipment under this contract.

Current Persigo Treatment facility dewatering operations (running the BFPs, loading dewatered biosolids, hauling and disposal) are Monday through Friday 7:00 am - 2:30 pm. There is no dewatering after 2:30 pm or on holidays or weekends. Occasionally, the Mesa County landfill will shut down due to weather (high winds, rain, snow, etc.). The selected firm will need to coordinate the daily logistics of providing hauling services that align with treatment plant operational needs and the ultimate landfill disposal location.

The selected firm will not be required to dispose of dewatered biosolids at the Mesa County landfill. There are other potential regional landfill locations that could be proposed for disposal pending Project Manager review and approval. At this point the Mesa County landfill is a very suitable disposal option but not a requirement of this RFP.

The awarded firm will need to pay special attention to potential operational constraints related to the dewatering process. One constraint is there is minimal dewatered biosolids storage or pre-dewatered storage at the treatment facility. The treatment facility is open to modifying historic dewatering practices to streamline the logistics of using a contract hauler. It is recommended that the prospective firms include any ideas for streamlining the logistics of using a contract hauler in their proposal. Any agreed upon changes to facility dewatering practices will need to be reviewed and approved by the Project Manager. Another constraint is the requirement for the treatment facility to conduct consistent dewatering of biosolids. The treatment plant does not have the ability to not dewater biosolids on a normal schedule. There is limited pre-dewatering digested sludge storage and dewatered storage. It is paramount that the hauling contractor can provide reliable and dependable biosolids hauling. The facility can't shut down biosolids dewatering for extended or unplanned periods of time.

The Contactor shall provide sufficient and acceptable equipment to transport the biosolids per the estimated quantities referenced in Table 1 and the outlined current parameters for biosolids. The biosolids could be loaded into the Contractor's equipment by City personnel or potentially stockpiled as required by facility operations. If biosolids are stockpiled it will be the responsibility of the contract hauler to load biosolids into their trucks for transport. Dewatered biosolids can likely be directly loaded into the contractor's trucks coming off the BFPs but if the biosolids are not directly loaded, then the contractor will need to provide loading of stockpiled biosolids.

The Contractor shall remove the dewatered biosolids from the wastewater treatment plant site and transport them to an approved disposal site.

The Contractor's required responsibilities include, but are not limited to the following:

- Participate in a monthly coordination meeting with City operations staff.
- Provide uninterrupted biosolids hauling service that does not obstruct the normal treatment plant operation.
- Comply with all applicable legal and other requirements
- Prepare and maintain an emergency preparedness and response plan
- Properly train all personnel and/or subcontractor personnel
- Communicate with interested parties
- Maintain control of applicable documents and records
- Maintain and provide to the City, all applicable data and performance measures as required
- Participate in corrective and preventive action plans

The Contractor shall be responsible for customary expenses such as maintaining licenses, certifications and attending contract related meetings.

Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable laws, regulations, or ordinances imposed by all applicable federal, state, regional, and local agencies.

Contractor shall accept all responsibility for disposal of the biosolids. Additionally, the Contractor shall accept full responsibility for any spillage, accidental or otherwise, which occurs on or off a Mesa County site. The spill shall be removed, and the site sanitized, and appropriate regulatory notification shall be made.

<u>TABLE 1</u> Previous 5-year biosolids hauling averages.

1 load is equivalent to a 12-yard dump truck

Year	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	5 Year Average
Loads Hauled	996	1031	1015	1010	1100	1030
Wet Tons	11763	12689	12298	11892	12581	12245
<b>Dry Metric Tons</b>	1305	1433	1509	1229	1344	1364
Total yards <sup>3</sup>	11952	12372	12180	12120	13200	12365

Current parameters for biosolids hauling by City staff, to be used as a point of reference for how City staff manage hauling and disposal. The contractor is not bound to conduct hauling in the same manner.

- Two- 12-yard dump trucks
- Average 45 min to load truck with dewatered biosolids from the BFPs
- 1 hour round trip drive time from Persigo WWTP to the Mesa County landfill
- Dewatering and hauling occurs Monday-Friday 7:00 am to 2:30 pm.
- No biosolids hauled on City observed holidays or weekends
- Maximum six loads per day with last load no later than 2:00pm. This has been a Mesa County landfill requirement.
- Hauling biosolids for disposal has needed a fulltime driver and truck to be coupled with each day of dewatering biosolids operation.

We are currently processing biosolids and hauling it to the land fill on a yearly average of 4 loads (12-yard dump truck) per day. We average more loads per day in the winter months than in the summer. Typically, in the winter we have hauled up to 6 dump tricks per day and in the summer, 2-3 is average.

#### 4.4. Contract Term:

Contract shall commence upon award and will run through <u>December 31, 2023</u>. The awarded Firm and the Owner agree that this Proposal or subsequent contract may, upon mutual agreement of the Firm and the Owner, be extended under the terms and conditions of the contract for three (3) additional one (1) year contract periods, contingent upon the applicable fiscal year funding.

#### 4.5. RFP Tentative Time Schedule:

Request for Proposal available: November 23, 2022 Non-Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting December 13, 2022 • Inquiry deadline, no questions after this date: December 19, 2022 Addendum Posted: December 22, 2022 Submittal deadline for proposals: January 4, 2023 Owner evaluation of proposals: January 5-9, 2023 Interviews (if required) January 12-13, 2023 Final selection: January 18, 2023 City Council Approval February 1, 2023 Contract execution: February 3, 2023

Holidays

Thanksgiving
Christmas (Observed)
New Years (Observed)
MLK Day
Presidents' Day
Memorial Day
Juneteenth
Independence Day
Labor Day
Veterans Day

November 24-25, 2022 December 26, 2022 January 2, 2023 January 16, 2023 February 20, 2023 May 29, 2023 June 19, 2023 July 4, 2023 September 4, 2023

November 10, 2023

## 4.6. Questions Regarding Scope of Services:

Dolly Daniels, Senior Buyer dollyd@gicity.org

#### SECTION 5.0: PREPARATION AND SUBMITTAL OF PROPOSALS

Submission: <u>Each proposal shall be submitted in electronic format only, and only through the Rocky Mountain E-Purchasing website (wwwbidnetdirect.com/colorado).</u>

This site offers both "free" and "paying" registration options that allow for full access of the Owner's documents and for electronic submission of proposals. (Note: "free" registration may take up to 24 hours to process. Please Plan accordingly.) Please view our "Electronic Vendor"

Registration Guide" at <a href="https://co-grandjunction.civicplus.com/501/Purchasing-Bids">https://co-grandjunction.civicplus.com/501/Purchasing-Bids</a> for details. (Purchasing Representative does not have access or control of the vendor side of RMEPS. If website or other problems arise during response submission, vendor <a href="MUST">MUST</a> contact RMEPS to resolve issue prior to the response deadline 800-835-4603). For proper comparison and evaluation, the City requests that proposals be formatted as directed in Section 5.0 "Preparation and Submittal of Proposals." Offerors are required to indicate their interest in this Project, show their specific experience and address their capability to perform the Scope of Services in the Time Schedule as set forth herein. For proper comparison and evaluation, the Owner requires that proposals be formatted A to F:

- A. Cover Letter: Cover letter shall be provided which explains the Firm's interest in the project. The letter shall contain the name/address/phone number/email of the person who will serve as the firm's principal contact person with Owner's Contract Administrator and shall identify individual(s) who will be authorized to make presentations on behalf of the firm. The statement shall bear the signature of the person having proper authority to make formal commitments on behalf of the firm. By submitting a response to this solicitation, the Firm agrees to all requirements herein.
- **B.** Qualifications/Experience/Credentials: Proposers shall provide their qualifications for consideration as a contract provider to the City of Grand Junction and include prior experience in similar projects.
- C. Strategy and Implementation Plan: Describe your (the firm's) interpretation of the Owner's objectives with regard to this RFP. Describe the proposed strategy and/or plan for achieving the objectives of this RFP. The Firm may utilize a written narrative or any other printed technique to demonstrate their ability to satisfy the Scope of Services.
- D. References: A minimum of three (3) references that can attest to your experience in projects of similar scope and size. Please also summarize the projects completed with these references including Client Name, Address, Contact Person, Telephone, Email Address, Project Dates, Project Description, Original Project Budget, Final Project Cost, Pictures, and Explanation of variation from original budget to final project cost.
- **E. Fee Proposal:** Provide a complete list of all potential costs with associated services, as may be related to hydro excavation, backfilling test holes, surface patching, and associated traffic control. The list should be broken down into both hourly rates and flat rate fees as may apply.
- **F.** Additional Data (optional): Provide any additional information that will aid in evaluation of your qualifications with respect to this project.

#### **SECTION 6.0: EVALUATION CRITERIA AND FACTORS**

- **6.1 Evaluation:** An evaluation team shall review all responses and select the proposal or proposals that best demonstrate the capability in all aspects to perform the scope of services and possess the integrity and reliability that will ensure good faith performance.
- **6.2 Intent:** Only respondents who meet the qualification criteria will be considered. Therefore, it is imperative that the submitted proposal clearly indicate the firm's ability to provide the services described herein.

Submittal evaluations will be done in accordance with the criteria and procedure defined herein. The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all portions of proposals and take into consideration past performance. The following parameters will be used to evaluate the submittals (with weighted values):

#### The following collective criteria shall be worth 80%

- Responsiveness of Submittal to the RFP (10)
   (Firm has submitted a proposal that is fully comprehensive, inclusive, and conforms in all respects to the Request for Proposals (RFP) and all of its requirements, including all forms and substance.)
- Understanding of the Project and Objectives (20)
   (Firm's ability to demonstrate a thorough understanding of the City's goals pertaining to this specific project.)
- Experience (25)
   (Firm's proven proficiency in the successful completion of similar projects.)
- Strategy & Implementation Plan (25)
   (Firm has provided a clear interpretation of the City's objectives in regard to the project, and a fully comprehensive plan to achieve successful completion. See Section 5.0 Item C. Strategy and Implementation Plan for details.)

#### The following criteria shall be worth 20%

\* Fees (20)

Owner also reserves the right to take into consideration past performance of previous awards/contracts with the Owner of any vendor, Firm, supplier, or service provider in determining final award(s).

The Owner may undertake negotiations with the top-rated firm and will not negotiate with lower rated firms unless negotiations with higher rated firms have been unsuccessful and terminated.

- **6.3 Oral Interviews:** The Owner reserves the right to invite the most qualified rated proposer(s) to participate in oral interviews, if needed.
- **6.4 Award:** Firms shall be ranked or disqualified based on the criteria listed in Section 6.2. The Owner reserves the right to consider all of the information submitted and/or oral presentations, if required, in selecting the project Firm.

City, State, and Zip Code

#### **SECTION 7.0: SOLICITATION RESPONSE FORM**

#### RFP-5153-23-DD Contract for the Biosolids Hauling for the Persigo Wastewater Treatment Plant

Offeror must submit entire Form completed, dated, and signed.

# NOTE: A complete list of all potential costs with associated services shall be included as

<u>required in Section 5.0, paragraph E.</u>		
The Owner reserves the right to accept any	portion of the services to be performed at its discretion	
The undersigned has thoroughly examined the enproposal and schedule of fees and services attach	tire Request for Proposals and therefore submits the ned hereto.	
This offer is firm and irrevocable for sixty (60) days	s after the time and date set for receipt of proposals.	
	es and products in accordance with the terms and conditions cribed in the Offeror's proposal attached hereto; as	
<ul> <li>Prices in this proposal have been arrived at it agreement for the purpose of restricting compton.</li> <li>No attempt has been made nor will be to indupurpose of restricting competition.</li> <li>The individual signing this proposal certifies the offeror and is legally responsible for the oprovided.</li> <li>Direct purchases by the City of Grand Junctice exempt No. 98-903544. The undersigned ceradded to the above quoted prices.</li> <li>City of Grand Junction payment terms shall be Prompt payment discount of percent.</li> </ul>	ney are a legal agent of the offeror, authorized to represent offer with regard to supporting documentation and prices on are tax exempt from Colorado Sales or Use Tax. Tax tifies that no Federal, State, County or Municipal tax will be ent of the net dollar will be offered to the Owner if the invoice ceipt of the invoice. The Owner reserves the right to consider	
•	cknowledges receipt of Addenda to the Solicitation,	
It is the responsibility of the Proposer to ensure all	Addenda have been received and acknowledged.	
Company Name – (Typed or Printed) Authorized	Agent – (Typed or Printed)	
Authorized Agent Signature	Phone Number	
Address of Offeror	E-mail Address of Agent	

Date

# Bid Schedule: Contract for Biosolids Hauling for the Persigo Wastewater Treatment Plant RFP-5152-23-DD

Biosolids Hauling			
Type of truck/trailer (Make/Model/Year):			
Price per Wet Ton to Haul	\$		
Amount Spelled Out			
"OR"			
Flat Rate per Delivery	\$		
Amount Spelled Out			
Preferred Disposal Landfill			
•	Landfill, what is the 2023 tipping fee per wet ton (this will be		
	nent plant and not included in the contractor hauler fee)?		
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\$			
Amount Spelled Out			

**Estimated Quantities:** The quantities indicated in this Request for Proposal are estimates that pertain to the total aggregate quantities that may be ordered throughout the stated contract period. Variation of quantities may increase or decrease. The estimates do not indicate single order amounts unless otherwise stated. The Owner makes no guarantees about single order quantities or total aggregate order quantities. The Owner reserves the right to haul biosolids when deemed necessary.



#### **Purchasing Division**

# **ADDENDUM NO. 1**

DATE: December 16, 2022

FROM: City of Grand Junction Purchasing Division

TO: All Offerors

RE: RFP-5152-23-DD Contract for Biosolids Hauling and Landfill Disposal

Offerors responding to the above referenced solicitation are hereby instructed that the requirements have been clarified, modified, superseded and supplemented as to this date as hereinafter described.

Please make note of the following clarifications:

1. Question: There is concern about making the landfill's 2 PM cutoff time for biosolids being

brought to the landfill.

Answer: Mesa County Landfill Site Manager has stated that they could allow sludge until 3

PM, however, he would like haulers to try to be at the landfill earlier whenever

possible.

The original solicitation for the project noted above is amended as noted.

All other conditions of subject remain the same.

Respectfully,

Dolly Daniels, Senior Buyer

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City of Grand Junction, Colorado



#### **Purchasing Division**

# **ADDENDUM NO. 2**

DATE: December 20, 2022

FROM: City of Grand Junction Purchasing Division

TO: All Offerors

RE: RFP-5152-23-DD Contract for Biosolids Hauling and Landfill Disposal

Offerors responding to the above referenced solicitation are hereby instructed that the requirements have been clarified, modified, superseded and supplemented as to this date as hereinafter described.

Please make note of the following clarifications:

1. Question: What is your current practice in case of Mesa County Landfill wind and holiday

closures? Do you still dewater these days?

Answer: On wind closures for the landfill, we process Until the landfill notifies us of the

closure. After notification from the landfill, we wait for the notification that the landfill has reopened and resume processing. If the landfill does not reopen, they will generally open early the next day and we will make plans whether or not we start

earlier the next day. If the landfill is closed for a holiday, we do not process.

2. Question: Would the City of Grand Junction consider modifying the chute to extend its length?

Would you call a hauler to extend the chute?

Answer: We would be open to consideration, of course we would need more information to

fully answer this question.

3. Question: Is there any health or safety risk should an employee come in direct contact with the

biosolids?

**Answer:** There is not any unusual health or safety risks involved with the biosolid handling.

Workers should always wear proper Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) to limit exposure. A good workplace hygiene practice is to wash your hands and avoid

contact if possible.

4. **Question**: Is the City of Grand Junction open to moving full containers with a hook cable from

under the chute to a staging area to be ready for hauling?

**Answer:** This cannot be answered completely with the limited information. It is the

responsibility of the hauler to manage the containers to accommodate the biosolids production. We could possibly move containers on the plant site as long as we have

the proper equipment and training.

5. **Question:** Do you accept Addenda/exceptions when the proposal is submitted in January? Answer: Any exceptions can be posed in the strategy and implementation plan in the proposal. This plan should also contain the proposed alternative.

The original solicitation for the project noted above is amended as noted.

All other conditions of subject remain the same.

Respectfully,

Dolly Daniels, Senior Buyer

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City of Grand Junction, Colorado



#### A. Cover Letter

To Whom it May Concern,

Redi Services is excited to provide a proposal to haul Biosolids for the City of Grand Junction. Redi's Interest in your project is because we believe it aligns well with our company's services offerings, and we are currently performing this same service for the City of Rifle. We understand the needs of your project and believe that our experience would be mutually beneficial for Redi and the City of Grand Junction. Redi Services has been in business on the Western Slope of Colorado Since 2007, and all our employees in the Rifle office live on the Western Slope. Many have been working here since we opened the doors in 2007. We are a small team, and when you call our office, you get a person that knows who you are and how to help you. Shelia Radel is our Area Manager and has worked here for almost 14 years. She has lived in the area her entire life and deeply cares about the community and the people in it. Our Trucking Manager Mario Ramirez has been with our team for almost 14 years as well and has a wealth of experience in the Waste Management and Trucking Industry. There is no problem that we can't come up with a solution for. We believe in doing the right thing for the right reasons every time and building win-win relationships with our customers. We are very confident that we can accommodate your needs and meet or exceed expectations.

Respectfully,

Craig Abernathy Regional Director

Principal Contact

**Craig Abernathy** 

Regional Director - Western Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, Idaho

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## B. Qualifications/Experience/Credentials

### **Project Objectives**

Redi has a deep understanding of what is needed to perform this service for The City of Grand junction and meet your objectives. We understand that service execution is number one. It is key that we are consistent in our service delivery, and available on all workdays to haul product without exception. We have a more than adequate staffing, and equipment to facilitate this and are confident in our ability to deliver. Even in situations that are outside of normal workdays or work hours we are available and able to respond to emergency needs of our customers 24 hours a day 7 days a week.

#### Experience

Redi is currently performing this same service for the City of Rifle for over 4 years now. We transport to the Garfield County Landfill in this case. Much like the city of Grand Junction they have limited storage space, and the operation can't stop, so we must be consistent with our service delivery, and it must be a priority

In addition to our experience specific to Biosolids Hauling we perform many other Waste Management services and Trucking Services in Western Colorado. We have over 150 Roll off Dumpsters dispatched and dumped regularly, perform over 2500 Portable Toilet Services a Month, pull and transport Septic from various facilities, and Deliver Potable water to various facilities.

Redi Also loads and transports over 280,000 tons of coal annually from Oak Creek Colorado to Rock Springs Wyoming. Our coal hauling operation is unique in that we haul 24 hours per day, 7 days per week, 365 days per year delivering over 7,900 loads annually from Colorado to Wyoming. Much like your facility, the operation of the facility we deliver to is dependent on us consistently delivering.

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# C. Strategy and Implementation Plan

Redi would propose to service the Biosolids hauling using 20 CY open top Roll off bins. The Bins measure 22' Long x 8' wide x4.5' Tall. This is the same configuration we are using on the Contract we Currently Service for the City of Rifle. The bins can be placed outside of the building then pulled or backed in under the Conveyer. They would then be loaded and swapped, or they can be Loaded directly while on the truck. Either option is achievable, and it gives us options to handle fluctuating volumes. After filling the bin, Redi would remove the full bin with a cable style roll off truck, place an empty bin. After placing the empty bin Redi would proceed to the landfill with the full bin for disposal. Upon Returning we repeat the process. These Bins are easily movable with a standard forklift empty or loaded if the need arose and we were not on site. We would dedicate a Roll Off Truck, Roll off Bins, and driver to your account. In addition, we would train a minimum of two alternate drivers to accommodate vacations and sick days. We also have additional trucks to accommodate equipment failure, maintenance, and increased volumes if needed. We are very confident we can handle your hauling needs and work through any obstacles that may be unforeseen. Using bins verses a Dump truck always give us the option to leave an empty bin ready to load, and additional bins could be left on site to accommodate any unforeseen needs.

Respectfully,

Craig Abernathy - Regional Director

Figure 1 Standard Roll off Truck

Figure 2 Standard 20cy Bin





# D. References

#### **City of Rifle**

Address: US-6 Rifle, CO 81650

Contact: Jared Emmert
Office 970-665-6589
Cell 970-456-3354

jemmert@rifleco.org

Biosolids Hauling – 2019- Current

#### American Soda, LLC / Solvay

Address: 2717 Co Rd 215, Parachute, CO 81635

Contact: Celina Akin
Office 970-285-0406
celina.akin@solvay.com

Sodium Bicarbonate Transport – 2019- Current

Roll off Dumpster Supply and Transport – 2019- Current

Septic Transport and Disposal - 2019 - Current

Potable Water Supply and Transport -2019 -Current

Portable Toilets - 2019 - Current

## **Bayer U.S. Crop Science**

Address: 2 Co Rd 50, Rock Springs, WY 82901

Contact: Greg Massie Office 307-340-1264

#### reg.masie@bayer.com

Transport Coal Oak Creek Colorado to Rock Springs Wyoming – 2018- Current

Facility Operations and Maintenance - 2017 - Current

Portable Toilets - 2017 - Current



# D. References



Figure 1 Coal Hauling



Figure 2 Pneumatic Transport, Rock Dust, Sodium Bicarbonate



# D. References



Figure 3 Portable Toilet Cleaning & Rental



Figure 4 Roll of Dumpsters and Biosolids Transport

#### **SECTION 7.0: SOLICITATION RESPONSE FORM**

### RFP-5152-23-DD Contract for the Biosolids Hauling for the Persigo Wastewater Treatment Plant

Offeror must submit entire Form completed, dated, and signed.

NOTE: A complete list of all potential cost required in Section 5.0, paragraph E.	ts with associated services shall be included as
The Owner reserves the right to accept any	y portion of the services to be performed at its discretion
The undersigned has thoroughly examined the en proposal and schedule of fees and services attack	ntire Request for Proposals and therefore submits the hed hereto.
This offer is firm and irrevocable for sixty (60) day	ys after the time and date set for receipt of proposals.
	ces and products in accordance with the terms and conditions scribed in the Offeror's proposal attached hereto; as
	lisclosed with another provider and will not be prior to award. independently, without consultation, communication, or upetition.
<ul> <li>No attempt has been made nor will be to ind purpose of restricting competition.</li> </ul>	luce any other person or firm to submit a proposal for the
	they are a legal agent of the offeror, authorized to represent offer with regard to supporting documentation and prices
<ul> <li>Direct purchases by the City of Grand Juncti exempt No. 98-903544. The undersigned ce added to the above quoted prices.</li> </ul>	ion are tax exempt from Colorado Sales or Use Tax. Tax rtifies that no Federal, State, County or Municipal tax will be
	ent of the net dollar will be offered to the Owner if the invoice eceipt of the invoice. The Owner reserves the right to consider
RECEIPT OF ADDENDA: the undersigned Firm a Specifications, and other Contract Documents. S	acknowledges receipt of Addenda to the Solicitation, tate number of Addenda received:2
It is the responsibility of the Proposer to ensure a	Il Addenda have been received and acknowledged.
Redi Services, LLC	Craig Abernathy
Company Name – (Typed or Printed) Authorized	Agent – (Typed or Printed)
	(970) 309-1234
Authorized Agent Signature //	Phone Number
2143 Airport Road	cabernathy@rediusa.com
Address of Offeror	E-mail Address of Agent
Rifle, CO 81650	1/4/2023
City, State, and Zip Code	Date

## **Bid Schedule:**

## **Contract for Biosolids Hauling for the Persigo Wastewater Treatment Plant** RFP-5152-23-DD

Biosolids Hauling	
Type of truck/trailer (Make/M	fodel/Year):
Roll off Truck Cable. 3 Available to co	ver scope of work. 2020 4700 Western Star, 2007 M2 Freightliner, 2017 4900 Western Star
Will Utilize 20 cubic Yard Roll off Bins	for Transport of Material. Bin Measurement 8' Wide x 22' Long x 4.5' High
Price per Wet Ton to Haul	<b>\$</b> 21.86
•	One Dollars and Eighty Six Cents Per Ton
"OR"	
Flat Rate per Delivery	\$ N/A
Amount Spelled Out N/A	
Preferred Disposal Landfill	
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	Landfill, what is the 2023 tipping fee per wet ton (this will be
paid directly by the treatm	ent plant and not included in the contractor hauler fee)?
\$ N/A	
Ψ	
Amount Spelled Out N/A Con	tinue to Dump at Mesa County Landfill fees paid by facility

Estimated Quantities: The quantities indicated in this Request for Proposal are estimates that pertain to the total aggregate quantities that may be ordered throughout the stated contract period. Variation of quantities may increase or decrease. The estimates do not indicate single order amounts unless otherwise stated. The Owner makes no guarantees about single order quantities or total aggregate order quantities. The Owner reserves the right to haul biosolids when deemed necessary.



#### CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY) 1/26/2023

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must have ADDITIONAL INSURED provisions or be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER Arthur J. Gallagher Risk Management Services, LLC		CONTACT NAME: Christi Basden, CIC, CISR		
6967 South River Gate Dr.			FAX (A/C, No): 801-924-1441	
Suite 200		ADDRESS: Christi_Basden@ajg.com		
Salt Lake City UT 84047		INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE		NAIC#
		INSURER A: Zurich American Insurance Company		16535
INSURED Redi Services LLC 225 West Owen Street	REDISER-01	INSURER B: Landmark American Insurance Compa	iny	33138
		INSURER c : Berkley National Insurance Company		38911
PO Box 310		INSURER D: Scottsdale Insurance Company		41297
Lyman WY 82937		INSURER E:		
		INSURER F:		

#### **COVERAGES**

#### **CERTIFICATE NUMBER: 966551312**

#### **REVISION NUMBER:**

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT 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. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

NSR TR	ISR TR TYPE OF INSURANCE		SUBR WVD	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMITS	S
Α	X COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY  CLAIMS-MADE X OCCUR	Y		GLO038151107	7/1/2022	7/1/2023	EACH OCCURRENCE DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (Ea occurrence)	\$ 2,000,000 \$ 1,000,000
							MED EXP (Any one person)	\$ 10,000
1							PERSONAL & ADV INJURY	\$ 2,000,000
1	GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER:						GENERAL AGGREGATE	\$4,000,000
	POLICY X PRO- JECT LOC						PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG	\$4,000,000
	OTHER:							\$
	AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY	Y		BAP038151207	7/1/2022	7/1/2023	COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident)	\$ 1,000,000
	X ANY AUTO						BODILY INJURY (Per person)	\$
Ī	OWNED SCHEDULED AUTOS ONLY AUTOS						BODILY INJURY (Per accident)	\$
	X HIRED X NON-OWNED AUTOS ONLY						PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident)	\$
								\$
,	UMBRELLA LIAB X OCCUR			XNS0009454	7/1/2022	7/1/2023	EACH OCCURRENCE	\$ 5,000,000
	X EXCESS LIAB CLAIMS-MADE						AGGREGATE	\$ 5,000,000
	DED X RETENTION \$ 0							\$
	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY Y/N			WC038151007	7/1/2022	7/1/2023	X PER OTH- STATUTE ER	
	ANYPROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EYECLITIVE	N/A					E.L. EACH ACCIDENT	\$ 1,000,000
	(Mandatory in NH)	,					E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE	\$ 1,000,000
	If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below						E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT	\$ 1,000,000
В	Pollution Liability Professional Liab Leased/Rented Equipment			ENS0008382 LHR796997 MNP1035112	7/1/2022 7/1/2022 7/1/2022	7/1/2023 7/1/2023 7/1/2023	Sudden & Accidental Limit Limit	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$500,000

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)
City of Grand Junction, its officers and employees are Additional Insured with respect to General Liability and Auto Liability. Coverage is primary and non-contributory as long as no other insurance applies.

CERTIFICATE HOLDER	CANCELLATION
<u> </u>	

City of Grand Junction 250 N. 5th Street Grand Junction CO 81501 SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.

**AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE** 





# Additional Insured – Automatic – Owners, Lessees Or Contractors

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.			
Policy No. GLO038151107	Effective Date: 07/01/2022		

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the:

#### **Commercial General Liability Coverage Part**

- A. Section II Who Is An Insured is amended to include as an additional insured any person or organization whom you are required to add as an additional insured under a written contract or written agreement executed by you, but only with respect to liability for "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" and subject to the following:
  - 1. If such written contract or written agreement specifically requires that you provide that the person or organization be named as an additional insured under one or both of the following endorsements:
    - a. The Insurance Services Office (ISO) ISO CG 20 10 (10/01 edition); or
    - **b.** The ISO CG 20 37 (10/01 edition),

such person or organization is then an additional insured with respect to such endorsement(s), but only to the extent that "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" arises out of:

- (1) Your ongoing operations, with respect to Paragraph 1.a. above; or
- (2) "Your work", with respect to Paragraph 1.b. above,

which is the subject of the written contract or written agreement.

However, solely with respect to this Paragraph 1., insurance afforded to such additional insured:

- (a) Only applies if the "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" offense occurs during the policy period and subsequent to your execution of the written contract or written agreement; and
- (b) Does not apply to "bodily injury" or "property damage" caused by "your work" and included within the "products-completed operations hazard" unless the written contract or written agreement specifically requires that you provide such coverage to such additional insured.
- 2. If such written contract or written agreement specifically requires that you provide that the person or organization be named as an additional insured under one or both of the following endorsements:
  - a. The Insurance Services Office (ISO) ISO CG 20 10 (07/04 edition); or
  - b. The ISO CG 20 37 (07/04 edition),

such person or organization is then an additional insured with respect to such endorsement(s), but only to the extent that "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" is caused, in whole or in part, by:

- Your acts or omissions; or
- (2) The acts or omissions of those acting on your behalf,

in the performance of:

- (a) Your ongoing operations, with respect to Paragraph 2.a. above; or
- (b) "Your work" and included in the "products-completed operations hazard", with respect to Paragraph 2.b. above,

which is the subject of the written contract or written agreement.

However, solely with respect to this Paragraph 2., insurance afforded to such additional insured:

- (i) Only applies if the "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" offense occurs during the policy period and subsequent to your execution of the written contract or written agreement; and
- (ii) Does not apply to "bodily injury" or "property damage" caused by "your work" and included within the "products-completed operations hazard" unless the written contract or written agreement specifically requires that you provide such coverage to such additional insured.
- 3. If neither Paragraph 1. nor Paragraph 2. above apply and such written contract or written agreement requires that you provide that the person or organization be named as an additional insured:
  - a. Under the ISO CG 20 10 (04/13 edition, any subsequent edition or if no edition date is specified); or
  - b. With respect to ongoing operations (if no form is specified),

such person or organization is then an additional insured only to the extent that "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" is caused, in whole or in part by:

- (1) Your acts or omissions; or
- (2) The acts or omissions of those acting on your behalf,

in the performance of your ongoing operations, which is the subject of the written contract or written agreement.

However, solely with respect to this Paragraph 3., insurance afforded to such additional insured:

- (a) Only applies to the extent permitted by law;
- (b) Will not be broader than that which you are required by the written contract or written agreement to provide for such additional insured; and
- (c) Only applies if the "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" offense occurs during the policy period and subsequent to your execution of the written contract or written agreement.
- **4.** If neither Paragraph **1.** nor Paragraph **2.** above apply and such written contract or written agreement requires that you provide that the person or organization be named as an additional insured:
  - a. Under the ISO CG 20 37 (04/13 edition, any subsequent edition or if no edition date is specified); or
  - b. With respect to the "products-completed operations hazard" (if no form is specified),

such person or organization is then an additional insured only to the extent that "bodily injury" or "property damage" is caused, in whole or in part by "your work" and included in the "products-completed operations hazard", which is the subject of the written contract or written agreement.

However, solely with respect to this Paragraph 4., insurance afforded to such additional insured:

- (1) Only applies to the extent permitted by law;
- (2) Will not be broader than that which you are required by the written contract or written agreement to provide for such additional insured;
- (3) Only applies if the "bodily injury" or "property damage" occurs during the policy period and subsequent to your execution of the written contract or written agreement; and
- (4) Does not apply to "bodily injury" or "property damage" caused by "your work" and included within the "products-completed operations hazard" unless the written contract or written agreement specifically requires that you provide such coverage to such additional insured.

**B.** Solely with respect to the insurance afforded to any additional insured referenced in Section **A.** of this endorsement, the following additional exclusion applies:

This insurance does not apply to "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" arising out of the rendering of, or failure to render, any professional architectural, engineering or surveying services including:

- 1. The preparing, approving or failing to prepare or approve maps, shop drawings, opinions, reports, surveys, field orders, change orders or drawings and specifications; or
- 2. Supervisory, inspection, architectural or engineering activities.

This exclusion applies even if the claims against any insured allege negligence or other wrongdoing in the supervision, hiring, employment, training or monitoring of others by that insured, if the "occurrence" which caused the "bodily injury" or "property damage", or the offense which caused the "personal and advertising injury", involved the rendering of or the failure to render any professional architectural, engineering or surveying services.

C. Solely with respect to the coverage provided by this endorsement, the following is added to Paragraph 2. Duties In The Event Of Occurrence, Offense, Claim Or Suit of Section IV – Commercial General Liability Conditions:

The additional insured must see to it that:

- (1) We are notified as soon as practicable of an "occurrence" or offense that may result in a claim;
- (2) We receive written notice of a claim or "suit" as soon as practicable; and
- (3) A request for defense and indemnity of the claim or "suit" will promptly be brought against any policy issued by another insurer under which the additional insured may be an insured in any capacity. This provision does not apply to insurance on which the additional insured is a Named Insured if the written contract or written agreement requires that this coverage be primary and non-contributory.
- **D.** Solely with respect to the coverage provided by this endorsement:
  - The following is added to the Other Insurance Condition of Section IV Commercial General Liability Conditions:

#### **Primary and Noncontributory insurance**

This insurance is primary to and will not seek contribution from any other insurance available to an additional insured provided that:

- a. The additional insured is a Named Insured under such other insurance; and
- **b.** You are required by written contract or written agreement that this insurance be primary and not seek contribution from any other insurance available to the additional insured.
- 2. The following paragraph is added to Paragraph 4.b. of the Other Insurance Condition under Section IV Commercial General Liability Conditions:

This insurance is excess over:

Any of the other insurance, whether primary, excess, contingent or on any other basis, available to an additional insured, in which the additional insured on our policy is also covered as an additional insured on another policy providing coverage for the same "occurrence", offense, claim or "suit". This provision does not apply to any policy in which the additional insured is a Named Insured on such other policy and where our policy is required by a written contract or written agreement to provide coverage to the additional insured on a primary and noncontributory basis.

- **E.** This endorsement does not apply to an additional insured which has been added to this Coverage Part by an endorsement showing the additional insured in a Schedule of additional insureds, and which endorsement applies specifically to that identified additional insured.
- F. Solely with respect to the insurance afforded to an additional insured under Paragraph A.3. or Paragraph A.4. of this endorsement, the following is added to Section III Limits Of Insurance:

#### Additional Insured – Automatic – Owners, Lessees Or Contractors Limit

The most we will pay on behalf of the additional insured is the amount of insurance:

- 1. Required by the written contract or written agreement referenced in Section A. of this endorsement; or
- **2.** Available under the applicable Limits of Insurance shown in the Declarations, whichever is less.

This endorsement shall not increase the applicable Limits of Insurance shown in the Declarations.

All other terms, conditions, provisions and exclusions of this policy remain the same.



## **Coverage Extension Endorsement**

Policy No.	Eff. Date of Pol.	Exp. Date of Pol.	Eff. Date of End.	Producer No.	Add'l. Prem	Return Prem.
BAP038151207	07/01/2022	07/01/2023	07/01/2022		INCL	

#### THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the:

**Business Auto Coverage Form Motor Carrier Coverage Form** 

#### A. Amended Who Is An Insured

- 1. The following is added to the **Who Is An Insured** Provision in **Section II Covered Autos Liability Coverage**:

  The following are also "insureds":
  - a. Any "employee" of yours is an "insured" while using a covered "auto" you don't own, hire or borrow for acts performed within the scope of employment by you. Any "employee" of yours is also an "insured" while operating an "auto" hired or rented under a contract or agreement in an "employee's" name, with your permission, while performing duties related to the conduct of your business.
  - **b.** Anyone volunteering services to you is an "insured" while using a covered "auto" you don't own, hire or borrow to transport your clients or other persons in activities necessary to your business.
  - c. Anyone else who furnishes an "auto" referenced in Paragraphs A.1.a. and A.1.b. in this endorsement.
  - d. Where and to the extent permitted by law, any person(s) or organization(s) where required by written contract or written agreement with you executed prior to any "accident", including those person(s) or organization(s) directing your work pursuant to such written contract or written agreement with you, provided the "accident" arises out of operations governed by such contract or agreement and only up to the limits required in the written contract or written agreement, or the Limits of Insurance shown in the Declarations, whichever is less.
- 2. The following is added to the **Other Insurance** Condition in the Business Auto Coverage Form and the **Other Insurance Primary and Excess Insurance Provisions Condition** in the Motor Carrier Coverage Form:

Coverage for any person(s) or organization(s), where required by written contract or written agreement with you executed prior to any "accident", will apply on a primary and non-contributory basis and any insurance maintained by the additional "insured" will apply on an excess basis. However, in no event will this coverage extend beyond the terms and conditions of the Coverage Form.

#### B. Amendment - Supplementary Payments

Paragraphs a.(2) and a.(4) of the Coverage Extensions Provision in Section II – Covered Autos Liability Coverage are replaced by the following:

- (2) Up to \$5,000 for the cost of bail bonds (including bonds for related traffic law violations) required because of an "accident" we cover. We do not have to furnish these bonds.
- (4) All reasonable expenses incurred by the "insured" at our request, including actual loss of earnings up to \$500 a day because of time off from work.

#### C. Fellow Employee Coverage

The Fellow Employee Exclusion contained in Section II - Covered Autos Liability Coverage does not apply.

#### D. Driver Safety Program Liability and Physical Damage Coverage

1. The following is added to the Racing Exclusion in Section II – Covered Autos Liability Coverage:

This exclusion does not apply to covered "autos" participating in a driver safety program event, such as, but not limited to, auto or truck rodeos and other auto or truck agility demonstrations.

2. The following is added to Paragraph 2. in the Exclusions of Section III – Physical Damage Coverage of the Business Auto Coverage Form and Paragraph 2.b. in the Exclusions of Section IV – Physical Damage Coverage of the Motor Carrier Coverage Form:

This exclusion does not apply to covered "autos" participating in a driver safety program event, such as, but not limited to, auto or truck rodeos and other auto or truck agility demonstrations.

#### E. Lease or Loan Gap Coverage

The following is added to the Coverage Provision of the Physical Damage Coverage Section:

#### Lease Or Loan Gap Coverage

In the event of a total "loss" to a covered "auto", we will pay any unpaid amount due on the lease or loan for a covered "auto", less:

- a. Any amount paid under the Physical Damage Coverage Section of the Coverage Form; and
- **b**. Any:
  - (1) Overdue lease or loan payments at the time of the "loss";
  - (2) Financial penalties imposed under a lease for excessive use, abnormal wear and tear or high mileage;
  - (3) Security deposits not returned by the lessor;
  - (4) Costs for extended warranties, credit life insurance, health, accident or disability insurance purchased with the loan or lease; and
  - (5) Carry-over balances from previous leases or loans.

#### F. Towing and Labor

Paragraph A.2. of the Physical Damage Coverage Section is replaced by the following:

We will pay up to \$75 for towing and labor costs incurred each time a covered "auto" of the private passenger type is disabled. However, the labor must be performed at the place of disablement.

#### G. Extended Glass Coverage

The following is added to Paragraph A.3.a. of the Physical Damage Coverage Section:

If glass must be replaced, the deductible shown in the Declarations will apply. However, if glass can be repaired and is actually repaired rather than replaced, the deductible will be waived. You have the option of having the glass repaired rather than replaced.

#### H. Hired Auto Physical Damage – Increased Loss of Use Expenses

The Coverage Extension for Loss Of Use Expenses in the Physical Damage Coverage Section is replaced by the following:

#### **Loss Of Use Expenses**

For Hired Auto Physical Damage, we will pay expenses for which an "insured" becomes legally responsible to pay for loss of use of a vehicle rented or hired without a driver under a written rental contract or written rental agreement. We will pay for loss of use expenses if caused by:

- (1) Other than collision only if the Declarations indicate that Comprehensive Coverage is provided for any covered "auto";
- (2) Specified Causes Of Loss only if the Declarations indicate that Specified Causes Of Loss Coverage is provided for any covered "auto"; or
- (3) Collision only if the Declarations indicate that Collision Coverage is provided for any covered "auto".

However, the most we will pay for any expenses for loss of use is \$100 per day, to a maximum of \$3000.

#### I. Personal Effects Coverage

The following is added to the Coverage Provision of the Physical Damage Coverage Section:

#### **Personal Effects Coverage**

- a. We will pay up to \$750 for "loss" to personal effects which are:
  - (1) Personal property owned by an "insured"; and
  - (2) In or on a covered "auto".
- b. Subject to Paragraph a. above, the amount to be paid for "loss" to personal effects will be based on the lesser of:
  - (1) The reasonable cost to replace; or
  - (2) The actual cash value.
- c. The coverage provided in Paragraphs a. and b. above, only applies in the event of a total theft of a covered "auto". No deductible applies to this coverage. However, we will not pay for "loss" to personal effects of any of the following:
  - (1) Accounts, bills, currency, deeds, evidence of debt, money, notes, securities, or commercial paper or other documents of value.
  - (2) Bullion, gold, silver, platinum, or other precious alloys or metals; furs or fur garments; jewelry, watches, precious or semi-precious stones.
  - (3) Paintings, statuary and other works of art.
  - (4) Contraband or property in the course of illegal transportation or trade.
  - (5) Tapes, records, discs or other similar devices used with audio, visual or data electronic equipment.

Any coverage provided by this Provision is excess over any other insurance coverage available for the same "loss".

#### J. Tapes, Records and Discs Coverage

- The Exclusion in Paragraph B.4.a. of Section III Physical Damage Coverage in the Business Auto Coverage
  Form and the Exclusion in Paragraph B.2.c. of Section IV Physical Damage Coverage in the Motor Carrier
  Coverage Form does not apply.
- 2. The following is added to Paragraph 1.a. Comprehensive Coverage under the Coverage Provision of the Physical Damage Coverage Section:

We will pay for "loss" to tapes, records, discs or other similar devices used with audio, visual or data electronic equipment. We will pay only if the tapes, records, discs or other similar audio, visual or data electronic devices:

- (a) Are the property of an "insured"; and
- (b) Are in a covered "auto" at the time of "loss".

The most we will pay for such "loss" to tapes, records, discs or other similar devices is \$500. The **Physical Damage Coverage Deductible** Provision does not apply to such "loss".

#### K. Airbag Coverage

The Exclusion in Paragraph **B.3.a.** of **Section III – Physical Damage Coverage** in the Business Auto Coverage Form and the Exclusion in Paragraph **B.4.a.** of **Section IV – Physical Damage Coverage** in the Motor Carrier Coverage Form does not apply to the accidental discharge of an airbag.

#### L. Two or More Deductibles

The following is added to the **Deductible** Provision of the **Physical Damage Coverage** Section:

If an accident is covered both by this policy or Coverage Form and by another policy or Coverage Form issued to you by us, the following applies for each covered "auto" on a per vehicle basis:

- 1. If the deductible on this policy or Coverage Form is the smaller (or smallest) deductible, it will be waived; or
- 2. If the deductible on this policy or Coverage Form is not the smaller (or smallest) deductible, it will be reduced by the amount of the smaller (or smallest) deductible.

#### M. Physical Damage - Comprehensive Coverage - Deductible

The following is added to the **Deductible** Provision of the **Physical Damage Coverage** Section:

Regardless of the number of covered "autos" damaged or stolen, the maximum deductible that will be applied to Comprehensive Coverage for all "loss" from any one cause is \$5,000 or the deductible shown in the Declarations, whichever is greater.

#### N. Temporary Substitute Autos – Physical Damage

1. The following is added to **Section I – Covered Autos**:

#### **Temporary Substitute Autos – Physical Damage**

If Physical Damage Coverage is provided by this Coverage Form on your owned covered "autos", the following types of vehicles are also covered "autos" for Physical Damage Coverage:

Any "auto" you do not own when used with the permission of its owner as a temporary substitute for a covered "auto" you do own but is out of service because of its:

- Breakdown;
- 2. Repair;
- 3. Servicing;
- 4. "Loss": or
- 5. Destruction.
- 2. The following is added to the Paragraph A. Coverage Provision of the Physical Damage Coverage Section:

#### **Temporary Substitute Autos – Physical Damage**

We will pay the owner for "loss" to the temporary substitute "auto" unless the "loss" results from fraudulent acts or omissions on your part. If we make any payment to the owner, we will obtain the owner's rights against any other party.

The deductible for the temporary substitute "auto" will be the same as the deductible for the covered "auto" it replaces.

#### O. Amended Duties In The Event Of Accident, Claim, Suit Or Loss

Paragraph a. of the Duties In The Event Of Accident, Claim, Suit Or Loss Condition is replaced by the following:

a. In the event of "accident", claim, "suit" or "loss", you must give us or our authorized representative prompt notice of the "accident", claim, "suit" or "loss". However, these duties only apply when the "accident", claim, "suit" or "loss" is known to you (if you are an individual), a partner (if you are a partnership), a member (if you are a limited liability company) or an executive officer or insurance manager (if you are a corporation). The failure of any

agent, servant or employee of the "insured" to notify us of any "accident", claim, "suit" or "loss" shall not invalidate the insurance afforded by this policy.

Include, as soon as practicable:

- (1) How, when and where the "accident" or "loss" occurred and if a claim is made or "suit" is brought, written notice of the claim or "suit" including, but not limited to, the date and details of such claim or "suit";
- (2) The "insured's" name and address; and
- (3) To the extent possible, the names and addresses of any injured persons and witnesses.

If you report an "accident", claim, "suit" or "loss" to another insurer when you should have reported to us, your failure to report to us will not be seen as a violation of these amended duties provided you give us notice as soon as practicable after the fact of the delay becomes known to you.

#### P. Waiver of Transfer Of Rights Of Recovery Against Others To Us

The following is added to the Transfer Of Rights Of Recovery Against Others To Us Condition:

This Condition does not apply to the extent required of you by a written contract, executed prior to any "accident" or "loss", provided that the "accident" or "loss" arises out of operations contemplated by such contract. This waiver only applies to the person or organization designated in the contract.

#### Q. Employee Hired Autos – Physical Damage

Paragraph **b.** of the **Other Insurance** Condition in the Business Auto Coverage Form and Paragraph **f.** of the **Other Insurance** – **Primary and Excess Insurance Provisions** Condition in the Motor Carrier Coverage Form are replaced by the following:

For Hired Auto Physical Damage Coverage, the following are deemed to be covered "autos" you own:

- (1) Any covered "auto" you lease, hire, rent or borrow; and
- (2) Any covered "auto" hired or rented under a written contract or written agreement entered into by an "employee" or elected or appointed official with your permission while being operated within the course and scope of that "employee's" employment by you or that elected or appointed official's duties as respect their obligations to you.

However, any "auto" that is leased, hired, rented or borrowed with a driver is not a covered "auto".

#### R. Unintentional Failure to Disclose Hazards

The following is added to the Concealment, Misrepresentation Or Fraud Condition:

However, we will not deny coverage under this Coverage Form if you unintentionally:

- Fail to disclose any hazards existing at the inception date of this Coverage Form; or
- (2) Make an error, omission, improper description of "autos" or other misstatement of information.

You must notify us as soon as possible after the discovery of any hazards or any other information that was not provided to us prior to the acceptance of this policy.

#### S. Hired Auto - World Wide Coverage

Paragraph 7a.(5) of the Policy Period, Coverage Territory Condition is replaced by the following:

(5) Anywhere in the world if a covered "auto" is leased, hired, rented or borrowed for a period of 60 days or less,

#### T. Bodily Injury Redefined

The definition of "bodily injury" in the **Definitions** Section is replaced by the following:

"Bodily injury" means bodily injury, sickness or disease, sustained by a person including death or mental anguish, resulting from any of these at any time. Mental anguish means any type of mental or emotional illness or disease.

#### **U. Expected Or Intended Injury**

The Expected Or Intended Injury Exclusion in Paragraph B. Exclusions under Section II – Covered Auto Liability Coverage is replaced by the following:

#### **Expected Or Intended Injury**

"Bodily injury" or "property damage" expected or intended from the standpoint of the "insured". This exclusion does not apply to "bodily injury" or "property damage" resulting from the use of reasonable force to protect persons or property.

#### V. Physical Damage – Additional Temporary Transportation Expense Coverage

Paragraph A.4.a. of Section III – Physical Damage Coverage is replaced by the following:

#### 4. Coverage Extensions

#### a. Transportation Expenses

We will pay up to \$50 per day to a maximum of \$1,000 for temporary transportation expense incurred by you because of the total theft of a covered "auto" of the private passenger type. We will pay only for those covered "autos" for which you carry either Comprehensive or Specified Causes of Loss Coverage. We will pay for temporary transportation expenses incurred during the period beginning 48 hours after the theft and ending, regardless of the policy's expiration, when the covered "auto" is returned to use or we pay for its "loss".

#### W. Replacement of a Private Passenger Auto with a Hybrid or Alternative Fuel Source Auto

The following is added to Paragraph A. Coverage of the Physical Damage Coverage Section:

In the event of a total "loss" to a covered "auto" of the private passenger type that is replaced with a hybrid "auto" or "auto" powered by an alternative fuel source of the private passenger type, we will pay an additional 10% of the cost of the replacement "auto", excluding tax, title, license, other fees and any aftermarket vehicle upgrades, up to a maximum of \$2500. The covered "auto" must be replaced by a hybrid "auto" or an "auto" powered by an alternative fuel source within 60 calendar days of the payment of the "loss" and evidenced by a bill of sale or new vehicle lease agreement.

To qualify as a hybrid "auto", the "auto" must be powered by a conventional gasoline engine and another source of propulsion power. The other source of propulsion power must be electric, hydrogen, propane, solar or natural gas, either compressed or liquefied. To qualify as an "auto" powered by an alternative fuel source, the "auto" must be powered by a source of propulsion power other than a conventional gasoline engine. An "auto" solely propelled by biofuel, gasoline or diesel fuel or any blend thereof is not an "auto" powered by an alternative fuel source.

#### X. Return of Stolen Automobile

The following is added to the Coverage Extension Provision of the Physical Damage Coverage Section:

If a covered "auto" is stolen and recovered, we will pay the cost of transport to return the "auto" to you. We will pay only for those covered "autos" for which you carry either Comprehensive or Specified Causes of Loss Coverage.

All other terms, conditions, provisions and exclusions of this policy remain the same.