



CONSTRUCTION SERVICES
PART II – SERVICE AGREEMENT



CITY OF IQALUIT SERVICES AGREEMENT

BETWEEN: THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF IQALUIT
(hereinafter referred to as the "CITY OF IQALUIT")

OF THE FIRST PART

AND: . <CONTRACTOR NAME>
(hereinafter referred to as the "Contractor")

OF THE SECOND PART

WHEREAS the CITY OF IQALUIT has requested the Contractor to provide <description of services>;

AND WHEREAS the Contractor has agreed to provide such services to the CITY OF IQALUIT in its bid dated <Bid Submission Date>;

AND WHEREAS the CITY OF IQALUIT and the Contractor wish to set out the terms and conditions relating to the provision of such services;

THEREFORE the CITY OF IQALUIT and the Contractor agree as follows:

1. SERVICES AND PAYMENT

1.1 The Contractor agrees to provide to the CITY OF IQALUIT those services set out in the job description and scope of work provided on <RFT Date>. A copy of the bid is attached as Appendix "A".

1.2 The CITY OF IQALUIT agrees to pay for the services described above, a total amount not greater than <Bid Value>, for the provision of professional services based on the Bid dated <Bid Submission Date>.

2. TERM

2.1. This Contract shall commence on the <Contract Commence Date> and terminates on the <Contract Termination Date> unless otherwise terminated in accordance with the provisions of this Contract.

3. NOTICE AND ADDRESS

3.1 Any notice required to be given herein or any other communication required by this contract shall be in writing and shall be personally delivered, sent by facsimile, or posted by prepaid registered mail and shall be addressed as follows:

i) If, to the CITY OF IQALUIT:

Amy Elgersma
Chief Administrative Officer
City of Iqaluit
1085 Mivvik Street,
P.O. Box 460, Iqaluit, NU, X0A 0H0
Fax: 979-5922

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ii) If to the Contractor at:

<Contractor Representative – Name>
<Contractor Organization Name>
<Contractor Address>

3.2 Every such notice and communication, if delivered by hand, shall be deemed to have been received on the date of delivery or if sent by prepaid registered mail shall be deemed to have been received on the seventh day after posting, or if by facsimile, 48 hours after the time of transmission, excluding from the calculation weekends and statutory holidays.

4. COMPLETE AGREEMENT

4.1 This Contract and its attachments constitute the complete Contract between the parties. Except as provided herein, it supersedes and shall take effect in substitution for all previous agreements. It is subject to change only by an instrument executed in writing by the City.

4.2 If this Contract arises from a request for proposals or tender call, the provisions of the request for proposals or tender call and the Contractor's bid or proposal submission are incorporated into this Contract and may be used to clarify, explain or supplement this Contract, but shall not be used to contradict any express terms of this Contract.

4.3 In the event of a conflict between this Contract, the Contractor's bid or proposal submission, and the City's original tender bid instructions or Request for Proposals, the more recently prepared document shall govern to the extent of such inconsistency.

5. GENERAL TERMS

5.1 Any information obtained from or concerning any department of the CITY OF IQALUIT or clients of any department of the CITY OF IQALUIT, by the contractor, its agents or employees in the performance of any contract shall be confidential. The Contractor shall take such steps as are necessary to ensure that any such information is not disclosed to any other person and shall maintain confidential and secure all material and information that is the property of the CITY OF IQALUIT and in the possession of or under the control of the Contractor. This clause survives the termination of this contract.

5.2 Time shall in every respect be of the essence. The Contractor shall deliver the services specified in the contract and according to the project schedule on costs. The CITY OF IQALUIT may grant reasonable extensions to the Contractor for delays, if the Contractor can show those delays were caused by circumstances beyond the control of the Contractor.

5.3 The Contractor is an independent Contractor with the CITY OF IQALUIT and nothing in this contract shall be construed or deemed to create the relationship of employee and employer or of principal and agent between the CITY OF IQALUIT and the Contractor. The Contractor is solely responsible for payments of all statutory deductions or contributions including but not limited to pension plans, unemployment insurance, income tax, workers' compensation and the Nunavut Payroll Tax.

5.4 This contract shall be interpreted and governed in accordance with the laws of Nunavut and the laws of Canada as they apply in Nunavut.

5.5 No waiver by either party of any breach of any term, condition or covenant of this contract shall be effective unless the waiver is in writing and signed by both parties. A waiver, with respect to a specific breach, shall not affect any rights of the parties relating to other or future breaches.

5.6 The failure of either party at any time to require the performance of any provision or requirement of this contract shall not affect the right of that party to require the subsequent performance of that provision or requirement.



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- 5.7 Title to any report, drawing, photograph, plan, specification, model, prototype, pattern, sample, design, logo, technical information, invention, method or process and all other property, work or materials which are produced by the Contractor in performing the contract or conceived, developed or first actually reduced to practice in performing the contract (herein called "the Property") shall vest in the CITY OF IQALUIT and the Contractor hereby absolutely assigns to the CITY OF IQALUIT the copyright in the property for the whole of the term of the copyright. The Contractor shall not be responsible for any loss or damage suffered by the City of Iqaluit or any third parties resulting from any unauthorized use or modification of the property, errors in transmission of the property, changes to the Property by others, the consequences of design defects due to the design of others, or defects in contract documents prepared by others, and the City of Iqaluit agrees to defend, indemnify, and hold the Contractor harmless from and against all claims, demands, losses, damages, liability and costs associated therewith. Subject to the foregoing, the Property may be relied by the City of Iqaluit for design and construction work undertaken by other parties with respect to the Services provided that such parties verify the accuracy and completeness of the Property to their satisfaction.
- 5.8 It is intended that all provisions of this agreement shall be fully binding and effective between the parties, but in the event that any particular provision or provisions or a part of one is found to be void, voidable or unenforceable for any reason whatever, then the remainder of the agreement shall be interpreted as if such provision, provisions, or part thereof, had not been included.
- 5.9 This contract may be extended by the written consent of the parties.
- 5.10 The CITY OF IQALUIT may delegate any of its authority and undertaking pursuant to this contract to any employee or contractor the CITY OF IQALUIT by notice in writing to the Contractor.
- 5.11 This contract shall enure to the benefit of and be binding on the respective administrators, successors and assignment of each of the parties hereto.
6. CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITIES
- 6.1 The Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless, the CITY OF IQALUIT, its officers, employees, servants and agents from and against all claims, actions, causes of action, demands, losses, costs, damages, expenses, suits or other proceedings by whomsoever made, brought or prosecuted in any manner based upon or related to the negligent acts, errors, or omissions of the Contractor under this contract.
- 6.2 The Contractor shall be liable to the CITY OF IQALUIT for any loss or damage to property or equipment that is supplied to or placed in the care, custody or control of the Contractor for use in connection with the contract if such loss or damage is attributable to the negligence or deliberate acts of the Contractor or its employees or agents.
- 6.3 If, in the opinion of the CITY OF IQALUIT acting reasonably, the Contractor is in default in respect of any obligation of the Contractor hereunder, the CITY OF IQALUIT may rectify such default and pursue a claim against the Contractor for any direct costs associated with any such remediation, including a reasonable allowance for the use of the CITY OF IQALUIT's own employees or equipment.
- 6.4 The Contractor may not assign or delegate work to be done under this contract, or any part thereof, to any other party without the written consent of the CITY OF IQALUIT. In the case of a proposed assignment of monies owing to the Contractor under this contract, the consent in writing of the CITY OF IQALUIT must be obtained.
- 6.5 The Contractor shall keep proper accounts and records of the services for a period of 3 years after the expiry or termination of this agreement. At any time during the term of this contract or during the three years following the completion or termination of this agreement, the Contractor shall produce copies of such accounts and records upon the written request of the CITY OF IQALUIT.
- 6.6 The Contractor shall notify the CITY OF IQALUIT immediately of any claim, action, or other proceeding made, brought, prosecuted or threatened in writing to be brought or prosecuted that is based upon,



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occasioned by or in any way attributable to the performance or non-performance of the services under this contract.

- 6.7 If at any time the Contractor considers their estimates indicate costs will exceed the project budget they will immediately advise the City of Iqaluit. If in the opinion of the City of Iqaluit, acting reasonably, the excess is due to design, costs factors or matters under the control or reasonably foreseeable by the Contractor, the CITY OF IQALUIT may require the Contractor to do everything by way of revision of the design to bring the cost estimate within the project budget. Costs of completing such revisions shall be based upon a level of compensation reasonably appropriate to the circumstances, including the reason for the revisions.
- 6.8 Except as required in the performance of services set out in this agreement, the Contractor must maintain as confidential all data and information made available to the Contractor, the CITY OF IQALUIT, or any other parties which is generated by or results from the Contractor's performance of the Services described in this Contract. All such data and information is the property of the City of Iqaluit. This clause shall survive the termination of the Contract.

7. TERMINATION

- 7.1 The CITY OF IQALUIT may terminate this contract at any time upon giving written notice to this effect to the Contractor if, in the opinion of the CITY OF IQALUIT, the Contractor is unable to deliver the service as required, the Contractor's performance of work is persistently faulty, in the event that the Contractor becomes insolvent or commits an act of bankruptcy, in the event that any actual or potential labor dispute delays or threatens to delay timely performance of the contract or the (Contractor's Sub-Contractor) defaults or fails to observe the terms and conditions of the contract in any material respect.
- 7.2 This contract shall terminate as of the day for termination set out in the written notice and the Contractor shall forthwith invoice the CITY OF IQALUIT for work performed to the date of termination.
- 7.3 Any invoice submitted by the Contractor pursuant to clause 7.2 shall be reviewed by the CITY OF IQALUIT to assess the amount which is properly due and owing for work done by the Contractor prior to termination.

8. FINANCIAL

- 8.1 The CITY OF IQALUIT, having given written notice of a breach, may withhold or hold back in whole or in part any payment due the Contractor without penalty, expense or liability, if in the opinion of the Contracting Authority, the Contractor has failed to comply with or has in any way breached an obligation of the Contractor. Any such hold back shall continue until the breach has been rectified to the satisfaction of the CITY OF IQALUIT.
- 8.2 The CITY OF IQALUIT may set off any payment due the Contractor against any monies owed by the Contractor to the CITY OF IQALUIT.
- 8.3 The City of Iqaluit will pay the Goods and Services Tax (GST).
- 8.4 Provided all terms and conditions on the part of the Contractor have been complied with, each invoice will be paid thirty (30) calendar days after receipt of the invoice, or thirty (30) calendar days after delivery of the services, whichever is later. Invoices from Nunavut Contractors (as defined by the CITY OF IQALUIT NNI Policy) will be paid twenty (20) calendar days after receipt of the invoice, or twenty (20) calendar days after receipt of the services, whichever is later.
- 8.5 The CITY OF IQALUIT may, in order to discharge lawful obligations or to satisfy lawful claims against the Contractor or a Sub-Contractor arising out of the execution of work, pay any amount, which is due and payable to the Contractor under the contract, if any, directly to the obligee of and the claimants against the Contractor or Sub-Contractor.



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9. INSURANCE AND LIABILITY

- 9.1 The Contractor's liability to the City of Iqaluit for claims arising out of this Agreement, or in any way relating to the Services, will be limited to direct damages and to the re-performance, without additional compensation, of any Services not meeting a normal professional standard of care and such liability will, in the aggregate, not exceed the amount of \$1,000,000.00. The limitations of liability will apply, to the extent permitted by law, whether Contractor's liability arises under breach of contract or warranty; tort, including negligence; strict liability; statutory liability; or any other cause of action, and will extend to and include Contractor's directors, officers, employees, insurers, agents and sub-contractor.
- 9.2 In no event will either party be liable to the other party for indirect or consequential damages including without limitation loss of use or production, loss of profits or business interruption.
- 9.3 The Contractor shall, without limiting his obligations or liabilities hereto, obtain, maintain and pay for during the period of this agreement, the following insurance with limits not less than those shown:
- a) Workers' Compensation insurance covering all employees engaged in the work in accordance with the statutory requirements of the Territory or Province having jurisdiction over such employees. If the Contractor is assessed any additional levy, extra assessment or super-assessment by a Workers' Compensation Board as a result of an accident causing injury or death to an employee of the Contractor or any sub-contractor, or due to unsafe working conditions, then such levy or assessment shall be paid by the Contractor at its sole cost and is not reimbursed by the CITY OF IQALUIT.
 - b) Employer's liability insurance with limits not less than \$500,000 for each accidental injury to or death of the Contractor's employees engaged in the work. If Workers' Compensation insurance exists, then in such event, the aforementioned Employer's Liability insurance shall not be required but the Comprehensive General Liability policy referred to in item (d) herein shall contain an endorsement providing for Contingent Employers' Liability insurance.
 - c) Motor Vehicle, water craft and snow craft standard liability insurance covering all vehicles and/or craft owned or non-owned, operated and/or licensed by the Contractor and used by the Contractor in the performance of this agreement in an amount not less than one million dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence for bodily injury, death and damage to property; and with respect to busses limits of not less than one million dollars (\$1,000,000.00) for vehicle hazards and not less than one million dollars (\$1,000,000.00) for Bodily Injury to or death of one or more passengers and loss of or damage to the passengers property in one accident.)
 - d) Comprehensive General Liability Insurance with limits of not less than One million dollars (\$1,000,000.00) (inclusive) per occurrence for bodily injury, death and damage to property including loss of use thereof. Such insurance shall include but not be limited to the following terms and conditions:
 - Products & Completed Operations Liability *
 - Contractor's Protective Liability
 - Blanket Contractual Liability
 - Broad Form Property Damage
 - Personal Injury Liability
 - Cross Liability
 - Medical Payments



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- Non-owned Automobile Liability *
- Contingent Employers Liability *
- Employees as Additional Insureds *

**WHERE APPLICABLE*

- e) Professional Liability Insurance with limits of not less than two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000.00) per claim and five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000.00) in the annual aggregate, to cover claims arising out of the rendering of or failure to render any professional service under this contract or agreement.

All policies shall provide that thirty days written notice be given to the CITY OF IQALUIT prior to any cancellations of any such policies.

The Comprehensive General Liability Insurance policies shall name the CITY OF IQALUIT and any permitted sub-contractor's as additional insureds only with respect to the terms of this contract and shall extend to cover the employees of the insureds hereunder.

The Contractor shall be responsible for any deductibles, exclusions and/or insufficiency of coverage relating to such policies.

The Contractor shall deposit with the CITY OF IQALUIT prior to commencing with the work a certificate of insurance evidencing the insurance(s) required by this clause in a form satisfactory to the CITY OF IQALUIT and with insurance companies satisfactory to the CITY OF IQALUIT.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have set their hand as of the date and year entered below.

FOR THE CITY OF IQALUIT:

FOR THE CONTRACTOR:

Name/Title

Name/Title

Signature

Signature

Date

Date

Witness

Witness