The following is a list of documents which should be included in your Internet Package.

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If this Bid Package is downloaded via the Internet, you will need to submit your signed bid documents in a sealed envelope with the following information on the envelope as provided in the sample below:

YOUR RETURN ADDRESS	Agreement No. 10A1577	
NDDI LOO	Bid Due Date: July 16, 2013 Bid Due Time: 2:15 P.M. Bid Opening: 3:00 P.M. Attention: Arlena Zavala	Postage
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INVITATION FOR BID (IFB) IFB # 10A1577 Notice to Prospective Contractors

You are invited to review and respond to this IFB #10A1577, entitled, <u>Uniform Laundry</u> <u>Services</u>. In submitting your bid, you shall comply with the instructions found herein. In addition to those programs and preferences that are specifically specified in this solicitation, Prospective Contractors are encouraged to consider programs and preferences that are available, such as those for the use of small businesses, disadvantaged businesses, disabled veteran businesses, and other businesses covered by State and Federal programs and preferences.

As required by Executive Order S-02-06, Department of Transportation (Caltrans) is committed to meeting the State's 25 percent (25%) Small Business (SB) participation goal. Certified SBs and Microbusinesses (MB) are encouraged to submit bids. See Section D, Special Programs, Item 1, in this IFB for requirements.

A Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise (DVBE) goal is not required, but DVBE participation is encouraged, and a DVBE incentive may apply to this IFB. See Section D, Item 2, in this IFB for requirements.

Note that all contracts entered into with Caltrans will include, by reference, General Terms and Conditions (GTC) and Contractor Certification Clauses (CCC) that may be viewed and downloaded at Internet site <u>http://www.ols.dgs.ca.gov/Standard+Language</u>.

The designated contact person for this IFB is:

Arlena Zavala Department of Transportation 916-227-6060 - Telephone Number 916-227-6034 - Fax Number

Please note that no *verbal* information given will be binding upon Caltrans unless such information is issued in writing as an official addendum.

*Technical questions regarding this solicitation will be addressed, in writing, and in accordance with the Questions and Answers portion of this IFB. See **Section C** Item **1**, **Time Schedule** for more details.

Sincerely,

ARLENA ZAVALA Acquisition Analyst

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A) Purpose and Description of Services

Contractor will furnish all labor, materials, tools, equipment, and incidentals needed to launder Caltrans owned coveralls and safety vests for various locations in Alpine, Amador Calaveras, Mariposa, Merced, San Joaquin, Stanislaus and Tuolumne Counties.

Refer to the **Proposed Form of Agreement, Exhibit A**, which is attached to this IFB as **Attachment 6** for a more complete description of services.

B) Bidder's Minimum Qualifications

- 1. Bidder shall bid in compliance with the Wages and Employee Benefits or In Lieu of Cash Payments as described herein (Government Code (GC) section 19134).
- 2. Bidder shall have a valid Motor Carrier Permit.

C) Bid Requirements and Information

1. Time Schedule

It is recognized that time is of the essence. All bidders are hereby advised of the following schedule and will be expected to adhere to the required dates and times.

EVENT	DATE	TIME (Pacific Time)
IFB available to prospective bidders	7/1/13	
Written Question Submittal	7/8/13	
Final Date and Time for Bid Submission	7/16/13	2:15 PM
Bid Opening	7/16	3:00 PM

2. Questions and Answers

- A. Questions regarding this IFB must be submitted in writing. Bidders are encouraged to submit their written questions via Bid Sync by July 8, 2013.
- B. Written questions must include: the individual's name, firm name, complete address and must reference IFB No. 10A1577. Questions must be sent to the following

MAIL OR FAX TO:

Department of Transportation Division of Procurement and Contracts Attention: Arlena Zavala 1727 - 30th Street, MS-65 Sacramento, CA 95816

Fax No.: (916) 227-6034

C. Written responses to all questions will be collectively compiled and posted, as an Addendum, to the BidSync website (see below). It is the responsibility of the Bidder to access the website for any changes or addenda that may be posted. Refer to this **IFB, Section C 1**, **Time Schedule**, for the schedule of events and dates/times. It is

the responsibility of the bidder to check BidSync for all addenda. Bidder can contact the Acquisition Analyst named above:

http://www.bidsync.com/

3. Costs Included in Bid Rates

Bid prices/rates shall include the cost of employer payments to or on behalf of employees, subsistence, travel, compensation insurance premiums, unemployment contributions, social security taxes, contract bond premiums, and any other taxes or assessments, **including but not limited to, sales and use taxes** required by law or otherwise and no additional allowance will be paid unless separate payment provisions in the Agreement should specifically provide otherwise.

4. Small Business Preference: http://www.pd.dgs.ca.gov/smbus

SB Preference will be granted on this IFB. Only firms certified as a "Small Business" or "Microbusiness" with the Department of General Services (DGS), Office of Small Business and DVBE Service (OSDS), in the categories most appropriate to accomplish the prescribed services, will be granted this preference.

5. Motor Carrier Permit

- A. At the time of bid, Contractor must provide a valid Motor Carrier Permit issued from the Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV). Contractor shall pay fee to obtain and maintain, in good standing, all necessary licenses and permits to accomplish work under this Agreement.
- B. For more information, the bidder may call its local DMV permit office or the Sacramento DMV Motor Carrier Services Branch at (916) 657-8153. Prior to obtaining a Motor Carrier Permit, the bidder must have a California "CA Number" issued by the California Highway Patrol (CHP). To request a CA Number, the bidder may call its local CHP office or the Sacramento CHP Commercial Records Unit at (916) 375-2810. DMV: (http://dmv.ca.gov/vehindustry/mcp/mcpinfo.htm)

6. Benefits

- A. Agreements awarded from this solicitation are subject to GC section 19134, and the bidder shall include in their bids, applicable provisions for Wages and Employee Benefits or In Lieu of Cash Payments for all covered employees.
- B. Caltrans has elected to use the published Wage and Employee Benefit Rates as described in the Proposed Form of Agreement, Exhibit B, and as specified on the Department of Personnel Administration's (DPA) schedule via their web-site: http://www.dpa.ca.gov/benefits/psc/main.htm.
- C. Rate changes published by the DPA after issuance of this solicitation, but prior to bid due date, shall be included in an addendum to the solicitation.
- D. By the submission of the signed **Bid/Bidder Certification Sheet (Attachment 3)**, the bidder is committing to comply with the requirements of GC section 19134 and Title 2, California Code of Regulations (CCR), section 1896.300 (2 CCR 1896.300) et seq.
- E. Wages and employee benefits shall be included and bid as part of the bid proposal **Bid Proposal (Attachment 1)**. The bidder shall use the rates specified in this

solicitation for bid calculations. If this information is not provided on the Bid Proposal , **the bid may be rejected.**

F. Before execution of the Agreement, employers choosing to offer actual health benefits coverage and/or an actual retirement benefit plan (rather than In Lieu of Cash Payments) shall provide evidence of such coverage and/or plan to Caltrans. Failure to provide verifiable evidence of such coverage and/or plan shall be grounds for rejection of bid.

7. Insurance

- A. The bidder, who receives the Agreement award, must provide a Certificate of Insurance providing proof of insurance to the Division of Procurement and Contracts within ten (10) working days from the date of notification of award. The State's Office of Risk and Insurance Management will review insurance certificates and/or proof of self-insurance documentation before execution of the Agreement. Refer to Exhibit E in the **Proposed Form of Agreement (Attachment 6)**, for the applicable and specific Insurance requirements and coverage limits.
- B. The insurance carrier shall provide an endorsement for the additional insured statement as follows:

The State of California, its officers, agents, employees, and servants shall be included as additional insured, but only with respect to work performed for the State of California under this Agreement.

8. Darfur Contracting Act

- A. The Darfur Contracting Act, PCC section 10475-10481, applies to any company that currently or within the previous three years has had business activities or other operations outside of the United States. The Act was passed by the California Legislature and signed into law by the Governor to preclude State agencies generally from contracting with "scrutinized" companies that do business in the African nation of Sudan (of which the Darfur region is a part), for the reasons described in PCC section, 10475. All bidders shall complete the Darfur Contracting Act Certification form, Attachment 4, and submit with bid.
- B. If your company has not, within the previous three years, had any business activities or other operations outside of the United States, complete Option 1 on the **Darfur Contracting Act Certification form, Attachment 4.**
- C. A scrutinized company is a company doing business in Sudan as defined in PCC section 10476. Scrutinized companies are ineligible to, and cannot bid on, or submit a proposal for an Agreement with a State agency for goods or services. (PCC section 10477(a)).
- D. Therefore, PCC section 10478 (a) requires a company that currently has (or within the previous three (3) years has had business activities or other operations outside of the United States to certify that it is not a "scrutinized" company when it submits a bid or proposal to a State agency.
- E. A scrutinized company may still; however, submit a bid or proposal for an Agreement with a State agency for goods or services if the company first obtains permission from

the Department of General Services (DGS) according to the criteria set forth in PCC section 10477(b).

9. Bid Submittal

- A. All bids must be submitted and received by Caltrans Division of Procurement and Contracts, Bid Unit by dates and times shown in the IFB, Section C) Bid Requirements and Information, Item 1) Time Schedule.
- B. The mailing package/envelope should be labeled as follows:

Note: All packages not clearly or properly labeled as indicated below, including overnight mail and hand delivered packages may be rejected.

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	Department of Transportation Division of Procurement and Contracts ATTN: BID UNIT 1727 30th Street, 4 TH Floor, MS-65 Sacramento, CA 95816-7006	

BID SUBMITTAL DO NOT OPEN

C. Late bids will not be considered.

- D. All bids shall include the documents identified on the IFB's Attachment Checklist (Attachment 5). Bids not including the required attachment(s) shall be deemed nonresponsive. A non-responsive bid is one that does not meet the basic bid requirements.
- E. Only an individual who is legally authorized to bind the proposing firm contractually shall sign all documents requiring a signature, and each document must bear an original ink signature.
- F. If your bid is hand delivered, you must date and time stamp the sealed envelope/package immediately upon arrival. The date/time stamp machine is located in the lobby on the first floor to the right of the security guard station at the address noted above. After date/time stamping, the bid should be placed in the locked bid cabinet located below the time stamp. If the bid package is too large to be electronically stamped, date/time stamp one of the labels provided and attach it to the proposal package. When the bid package is too large for the locked bid cabinet, ask the security guard to call the Division of Procurement and Contracts reception desk at 227-6000 to have your bid package picked up.

- G. Bid opening will be held at the above address at 3:00 PM on the date specified in Section C - <u>Bid Requirements and Information</u>, Item1 - <u>Time Schedule</u>. Bidders may participate in person or via teleconference by calling 1-866-700-7952 and entering the pass code 7089821#. Calls will be accepted beginning at 2:50 PM until the conclusion of the bid opening. Bids will be read in Agreement numeric order; questions will not be allowed; and information will not be repeated. Bid opening results will be posted online on the Division of Procurement and Contracts web site at <u>http://caltrans-opac.ca.gov/contracts/bidresults.htm</u> by 12:00 P.M. on the day following the bid opening. The Agreement will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder meeting the requirements outlined in the IFB.
- H. Bids must include the performance of all the services described herein. Any attempt to modify the bid document to deviate from the work specifications will not be considered and will cause a bid to be rejected.
- I. A bid may be rejected if it is conditional, incomplete, or if it contains any alterations of form or other irregularities of any kind. Caltrans may reject any bid on the basis that it is not responsive or from a non-responsible bidder, and may waive any immaterial deviation in a bid. Caltrans waiver of an immaterial defect shall in no way modify the IFB document or excuse the bidder from full compliance with all requirements if awarded the agreement.
- J. Costs for developing bids and in anticipation of award of an Agreement is entirely the responsibility of the bidder and shall not be charged to the State.
- K. Only an individual who is authorized to bind the bidding firm contractually shall sign the **Bid/Bidder Certification Sheet (Attachment 3)**. The signature must also indicate the title or position that the individual holds in the firm. **An unsigned bid may be rejected.**
- L. A bidder may modify a bid after its submission by first withdrawing the original bid and then by resubmitting a new bid prior to the bid submittal deadline. Bidder modifications offered in any other manner, oral or written, will not be considered.
- M. A bidder may withdraw a bid by, prior to bid opening, submitting a written withdrawal request to Caltrans, signed by the bidder or an agent authorized in accordance with Section K above. A bidder may thereafter submit a new bid prior to the bid submittal deadline. Bids may not be withdrawn without cause subsequent to bid submittal deadline.
- N. Caltrans may modify the IFB prior to the date fixed for submission of bids by the issuance of an addendum sent to all parties who received a bid package.
- O. Caltrans reserves the right to reject all bids for reasonable cause.
- P. Bidders are cautioned not to rely on Caltrans during its evaluation process to discover and report to the bidder any defects and/or errors in the submitted documents. Before submitting their documents, bidders should carefully proof them for errors and full adherence to the IFB requirements.
- Q. Where applicable, the bidder should carefully examine work sites and specifications. Bidder shall investigate conditions, character, and quality of surface or subsurface materials or obstacles that might be encountered. No additions or increases to the

Agreement amount will be made due to a lack of careful examination of work sites and specifications.

R. Caltrans does not accept alternate Agreement language from a bidder. A bid with such language will be considered a counter proposal and will be rejected. The State's GTC are not negotiable. The GTC 610 may be viewed at http://www.ols.dgs.ca.gov/Standard+Language/default.htm

10. Evaluation and Selection

- A. At the time of bid opening, each bid proposal's total and any small business and/or micro business information (if applicable) will be read aloud. Bids are considered preliminary pending review and verification of applicable bid requirements such as: small business preference, DVBE, DBE, licensing, bonding, qualifications, or other requirements as stated in the IFB. Agreements will be awarded to the lowest responsive responsible bidder.
- B. Each bid will be checked for the presence or absence of required information in conformance with the submission requirements of this IFB. Caltrans will check the bid submittal package to verify it received all required documents. Positive verification of required documents will be performed to determine its responsiveness to the State's needs.
- C. Bids that contain false or misleading statements, or which provide references, which do not support an attribute or condition claimed by the bidder, shall be rejected.
- D. The Agreement, if awarded, shall be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder meeting the specifications. A bid meets the specifications if it complies with all of the requirements in this solicitation. In the event of a tie bid, Caltrans will draw lots to determine the successful bidder. Only one proposal or bid may be submitted by an entity: individual, firm, partnership, corporation, joint venture or combination thereof. Receipt of more than one bid from an entity will result in all bids from that entity being rejected and returned to the bidder.

11. Award and Protest

- A. Bid results may be viewed on the internet at 12:00 P.M. (Noon) on the first business day following the bid due date at <u>http://caltrans-opac.ca.gov</u>.
- B. Whenever an Agreement is awarded under a procedure that provides for competitive bidding, but the Agreement is not to be awarded to the low bidder, the low bidder shall be given notice five (5) working days prior to the award of the Agreement by telegram, electronic facsimile transmission, overnight courier, Internet transmission, or personal delivery.
- C. Upon written request by any bidder, notice of the proposed award shall be posted in a public place in the office of the awarding agency at least five (5) working days prior to awarding the Agreement.
- D. Grounds for Filing a Protest: After the issuance of the applicable Agreement award notices as specified in this IFB, the right to protest the proposed award of an Agreement is afforded any bidder who claims it should have been awarded the Agreement because it was the lowest responsible bidder meeting the specifications.

- E. Filing a Protest: The initial protest must be submitted to the Caltrans, Protest Unit prior to the award of the Agreement. When a protest has been submitted, the Agreement shall not be awarded until either the protest has been withdrawn or DGS has decided the matter.
- F. Within five (5) days after filing the initial protest, the protesting bidder shall file with DGS and Caltrans, Protest Unit with a full and complete written statement specifying the grounds for the protest. The written protest must be sent to the addresses below:

Department of Transportation	Department of General Services
Division of Procurement & Contracts	Office of Legal Services
Attention: Bid, Protest, & Dispute Branch Chief	Attention: Protest Coordinator
1727 30th Street, MS 65	707 Third Street, 7th Floor
Sacramento, CA 95816	West Sacramento, CA 95605
Phone Number: (916) 227-0774	Phone Number: (916) 376-5080
Fax Number: (916) 227-1950	Fax Number: (916) 376-5088

It is suggested that you submit any protest by certified or registered mail.

- G. Upon award of the Agreement contractor shall complete and submit to Caltrans, the Payee Data Record form (STD 204), to determine if the contractor is subject to State income tax withholding pursuant to California Revenue and Taxation Code section 18662 et seq. This form can be found on the Internet at www.osp.dgs.ca.gov under the heading STANDARD FORMS. No payment shall be made unless a completed STD 204 has been returned to Caltrans.
- H. Prior to the award of the contract, the awarded bidder(s) must sign and submit to Caltrans, page one (1) of the Contractor Certification Clauses (CCC), Attachment 2, or this form can be obtained via the Internet at http://www.ols.dgs.ca.gov/Standard+Language/default.htm Bidder may also, as an option, submit the CCC with bid package.

12. Standard Conditions of Service

- A. Service shall not begin prior to the express date set by the Caltrans Contract Manager and the Contractor, after all approvals have been obtained, and the Agreement is fully executed Agreement. Should the Contractor fail to commence work at the agreed upon time, the Caltrans Contract Manager, upon five (5) days written notice to the Contractor, reserves the right to terminate the Agreement. In addition, the Contractor shall be liable to Caltrans for the difference between Contractor's bid price and the actual cost of performing work by the second lowest bidder or by another Contractor.
- B. All performance under the Agreement shall be completed on or before the termination date of the Agreement.
- C. Antitrust Provisions
 - In submitting a bid to a public purchasing body, the bidder offers and agrees that if the bid is accepted, it will assign to the purchasing body all rights, title, and interest in and to all causes of action it may have under Section 4 of the Clayton Act (15 U.S.C. Sec. 15 or under the Cartwright Act Chapter 2, commencing with

Section 16700, of Part 2 of Division 7 of the Business and Professions Code {BPC}), arising from purchases of goods, materials, or services by the bidder for sale to the purchasing body pursuant to the bid. Such assignment shall be made and become effective at the time the purchasing body tenders final payment to the bidder. (See GC section 4552)

- 2) If the awarding body or public purchasing body receives, either through judgment or settlement, a monetary recovery for a cause of action assigned under this chapter, the assignor shall be entitled to receive reimbursement for actual legal costs incurred and may, upon demand, recover from the public body any portion of the recovery, including treble damages, attributable to overcharges that were paid
- 3) Upon demand in writing by the assignor, the assignee shall, within one year from such demand, reassign the cause of action assigned under this part if the assignor has been or may have been injured by the violation of law for which the cause of action arose and (a) the assignee has not been injured thereby, or (b) the assignee declines to file a court action for the cause of action. (See GC section 4554)
- D. If the bidder is awarded the Agreement and refuses to sign the Agreement presented for signature within the time and manner required, the bidder will be liable to Caltrans for actual damages resulting to Caltrans therefrom or ten percent (10%) of the amount bid, whichever is less.
- E. Loss Leader usage is prohibited in this solicitation: It is unlawful for any person engaged in business within this State to sell or use any article or product as a "loss leader" as defined in Section 17030 of the California Business and Professions Code. "Loss Leader" means any article or product sold at less than cost: a) where the purpose is to induce, promote or encourage the purchase of other merchandise; or b) where the effect is a tendency or capacity to mislead or deceive purchasers of prospective purchasers; or c) where the effect is to divert trade from or otherwise injure competitors.
- F. No oral understanding or agreement shall be binding on either party.

D) Special Programs

The following Special Programs are applicable to this IFB.

1. Small Business (SB) or Microbusiness (MB) Preference

- A. GC section 14835 *et seq*. requires that a five percent (5%) preference be given to contractors who qualify as a certified SB or MB. References to a SB shall also include MB. The rules and regulations of this law, including the definition of a SB for the delivery of services, are contained in Title 2, California Code of Regulations (2 CCR) 1896 *et seq*.
- B. To claim the SB preference, your firm must have its principal place of business located in California and be certified by the California Department of General Services (DGS), Office of Small Business and DVBE Services (OSDS). The preference amount may not exceed fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) for any bid. If

prospective Contractor is claiming the five percent (5%) SB preference, complete Section 16 of the **Bid/Bidder Certification Sheet (Attachment 3).**

- C. SB preferences may not be applied to any bid deemed non-responsive with the solicitation instructions or from a non-responsible bidder.
- D. Questions regarding the certification approval process or SB program should be directed to OSDS at (800) 559-5529 or (916) 375-4940. For the 24-Hour Recording & Mail Request call (916) 322-5060, or E-mail: osdshelp@dgs.ca.gov.
- E. Additional references are at <u>http://www.dgs.ca.gov/pd/Programs/OSDS.aspx</u>.

2. Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise (DVBE) Programs

DVBE Participation Program with NO Goals

A DVBE goal is not required, but DVBE participation is encouraged, and a DVBE incentive will apply to this IFB as described below.

1) Tables for IFB (Low Price Method)

Goal Not Required

Verified DVBE Participation	DVBE is Contractor
5% or more	5%

2) When applying the DVBE Incentive, a NSB shall not displace an award to a DGS Certified Small Business.

Additional information: <u>http://www.dgs.ca.gov/pd/Programs/OSDS.aspx</u>

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BID PROPOSAL

ADM-1412 (REV. 06/06)

ATTACHMENT 1

CONTRACTOR'S	NAME (Please Print):		CONTRACT NO. 10A1577	PAGE 1 OF 1	
ITEM NO.	ESTIMATED QUANTITY	UNIT OF MEASURE	ITEM	UNIT PRICE (Price per Unit of Measure)	TOTAL (Estimated Quantity X Unit Price)
1	66,000	Each	Laundry Service, Class III Vest		
2	33,000	Each	Laundry Service, Coverall, Orange, White, Poly, Poly Blend, or Cotton		
3	2496	Each	Service charge, per Maintenance Station,		
	QUANTITIES ARE ESTIMATES IS MADE OR IMPLIED AS TO 1		A BASIS FOR COMPARISON OF BIDS. NO		
			TAL SET FORTH FOR A UNIT BASIS ITEM	TOTAL THIS PROPOSAL	

(2) IN CASE OF DISCREPANCY BETWEEN THE UNIT PRICE AND THE TOTAL SET FORTH FOR A UNIT BASIS ITEM, THE UNIT PRICE SHALL PREVAIL.

ATTACHMENT 2

CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATION CLAUSES

CCC-307

CERTIFICATION

I, the official named below, CERTIFY UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY that I am duly authorized to legally bind the prospective Contractor to the clause(s) listed below. This certification is made under the laws of the State of California.

Contractor/Bidder Firm Name (Printed)		Federal ID Number
By (Authorized Signature)		
Printed Name and Title of Person Sign	ing	
Date Executed	Executed in the County of	

CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATION CLAUSES

1. <u>STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE</u>: Contractor has, unless exempted, complied with the nondiscrimination program requirements. (Gov. Code §12990 (a-f) and CCR, Title 2, Section 8103) (Not applicable to public entities.)

2. <u>DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE REQUIREMENTS</u>: Contractor will comply with the requirements of the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1990 and will provide a drug-free workplace by taking the following actions:

a. Publish a statement notifying employees that unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession or use of a controlled substance is prohibited and specifying actions to be taken against employees for violations.

b. Establish a Drug-Free Awareness Program to inform employees about:

1) the dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;

2) the person's or organization's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;

- 3) any available counseling, rehabilitation and employee assistance programs; and,
- 4) penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations.

c. Every employee who works on the proposed Agreement will:

1) receive a copy of the company's drug-free workplace policy statement; and,

2) agree to abide by the terms of the company's statement as a condition of employment on the Agreement.

Failure to comply with these requirements may result in suspension of payments under the Agreement or termination of the Agreement or both and Contractor may be ineligible for award of any future State agreements if the department determines that any of the following has occurred: the Contractor has made false certification, or violated the certification by failing to carry out the requirements as noted above. (Gov. Code §8350 et seq.)

3. <u>NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD CERTIFICATION</u>: Contractor certifies that no more than one (1) final unappealable finding of contempt of court by a Federal court has been issued against Contractor within the immediately preceding two-year period because of Contractor's failure to comply

ATTACHMENT 2

with an order of a Federal court, which orders Contractor to comply with an order of the National Labor Relations Board. (Pub. Contract Code §10296) (Not applicable to public entities.)

4. <u>CONTRACTS FOR LEGAL SERVICES \$50,000 OR MORE- PRO BONO REQUIREMENT:</u> Contractor hereby certifies that contractor will comply with the requirements of Section 6072 of the Business and Professions Code, effective January 1, 2003.

Contractor agrees to make a good faith effort to provide a minimum number of hours of pro bono legal services during each year of the contract equal to the lessor of 30 multiplied by the number of full time attorneys in the firm's offices in the State, with the number of hours prorated on an actual day basis for any contract period of less than a full year or 10% of its contract with the State.

Failure to make a good faith effort may be cause for non-renewal of a state contract for legal services, and may be taken into account when determining the award of future contracts with the State for legal services.

5. <u>EXPATRIATE CORPORATIONS</u>: Contractor hereby declares that it is not an expatriate corporation or subsidiary of an expatriate corporation within the meaning of Public Contract Code Section 10286 and 10286.1, and is eligible to contract with the State of California.

6. SWEATFREE CODE OF CONDUCT:

a. All Contractors contracting for the procurement or laundering of apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, or the procurement of equipment, materials, or supplies, other than procurement related to a public works contract, declare under penalty of perjury that no apparel, garments or corresponding accessories, equipment, materials, or supplies furnished to the state pursuant to the contract have been laundered or produced in whole or in part by sweatshop labor, forced labor, convict labor, indentured labor under penal sanction, abusive forms of child labor or exploitation of children in sweatshop labor, or with the benefit of sweatshop labor, forced labor, convict labor under penal sanction, abusive forms of child labor or exploitation of children in sweatshop labor. The contractor further declares under penalty of perjury that they adhere to the Sweatfree Code of Conduct as set forth on the California Department of Industrial Relations website located at <u>www.dir.ca.gov</u>, and Public Contract Code Section 6108.

b. The contractor agrees to cooperate fully in providing reasonable access to the contractor's records, documents, agents or employees, or premises if reasonably required by authorized officials of the contracting agency, the Department of Industrial Relations, or the Department of Justice to determine the contractor's compliance with the requirements under paragraph (a).

7. <u>DOMESTIC PARTNERS</u>: For contracts over \$100,000 executed or amended after January 1, 2007, the contractor certifies that contractor is in compliance with Public Contract Code Section 10295.3.

ATTACHMENT 2 DOING BUSINESS WITH THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

The following laws apply to persons or entities doing business with the State of California.

1. <u>CONFLICT OF INTEREST</u>: Contractor needs to be aware of the following provisions regarding current or former state employees. If Contractor has any questions on the status of any person rendering services or involved with the Agreement, the awarding agency must be contacted immediately for clarification.

Current State Employees (Pub. Contract Code §10410):

- 1). No officer or employee shall engage in any employment, activity or enterprise from which the officer or employee receives compensation or has a financial interest and which is sponsored or funded by any state agency, unless the employment, activity or enterprise is required as a condition of regular state employment.
- 2). No officer or employee shall contract on his or her own behalf as an independent contractor with any state agency to provide goods or services.

Former State Employees (Pub. Contract Code §10411):

- 1). For the two-year period from the date he or she left state employment, no former state officer or employee may enter into a contract in which he or she engaged in any of the negotiations, transactions, planning, arrangements or any part of the decision-making process relevant to the contract while employed in any capacity by any state agency.
- 2). For the twelve-month period from the date he or she left state employment, no former state officer or employee may enter into a contract with any state agency if he or she was employed by that state agency in a policy-making position in the same general subject area as the proposed contract within the 12-month period prior to his or her leaving state service.

If Contractor violates any provisions of above paragraphs, such action by Contractor shall render this Agreement void. (Pub. Contract Code §10420)

Members of boards and commissions are exempt from this section if they do not receive payment other than payment of each meeting of the board or commission, payment for preparatory time and payment for per diem. (Pub. Contract Code \$10430 (e))

2. <u>LABOR CODE/WORKERS' COMPENSATION</u>: Contractor needs to be aware of the provisions which require every employer to be insured against liability for Worker's Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions, and Contractor affirms to comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the work of this Agreement. (Labor Code Section 3700)

3. <u>AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT</u>: Contractor assures the State that it complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990, which prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability, as well as all applicable regulations and guidelines issued pursuant to the ADA. (42 U.S.C. 12101 et seq.)

4. <u>CONTRACTOR NAME CHANGE</u>: An amendment is required to change the Contractor's name as listed on this Agreement. Upon receipt of legal documentation of the name change the State will process the amendment. Payment of invoices presented with a new name cannot be paid prior to approval of said amendment.

ATTACHMENT 2

5. CORPORATE QUALIFICATIONS TO DO BUSINESS IN CALIFORNIA:

- a. When agreements are to be performed in the state by corporations, the contracting agencies will be verifying that the contractor is currently qualified to do business in California in order to ensure that all obligations due to the state are fulfilled.
- b. "Doing business" is defined in R&TC Section 23101 as actively engaging in any transaction for the purpose of financial or pecuniary gain or profit. Although there are some statutory exceptions to taxation, rarely will a corporate contractor performing within the state not be subject to the franchise tax.
- c. Both domestic and foreign corporations (those incorporated outside of California) must be in good standing in order to be qualified to do business in California. Agencies will determine whether a corporation is in good standing by calling the Office of the Secretary of State.

6. <u>RESOLUTION</u>: A county, city, district, or other local public body must provide the State with a copy of a resolution, order, motion, or ordinance of the local governing body which by law has authority to enter into an agreement, authorizing execution of the agreement.

7. <u>AIR OR WATER POLLUTION VIOLATION</u>: Under the State laws, the Contractor shall not be: (1) in violation of any order or resolution not subject to review promulgated by the State Air Resources Board or an air pollution control district; (2) subject to cease and desist order not subject to review issued pursuant to Section 13301 of the Water Code for violation of waste discharge requirements or discharge prohibitions; or (3) finally determined to be in violation of provisions of federal law relating to air or water pollution.

8. <u>PAYEE DATA RECORD FORM STD. 204</u>: This form must be completed by all contractors that are not another state agency or other governmental entity.

ATTACHMENT 3 BID/BIDDER CERTIFICATION SHEET

Only an individual who is authorized to bind the bidding firm contractually shall sign the <u>Bid/Bidder</u> <u>Certification Sheet</u>. The signature must indicate the title or position that the individual holds in the firm. This Bid/Bidder Certification Sheet must be signed and returned along with all "required attachments" as an entire package with <u>original signatures</u>. The bid must be transmitted in a sealed envelope in accordance with IFB instructions.

- A. Our all-inclusive bid is submitted in a sealed envelope marked "Bid Submittal Do Not Open".
- B. All required attachments are included with this certification sheet.
- C. The signature affixed hereon and dated certifies compliance with all the requirements of this bid document. The signature below authorizes the verification of this certification.
- D. The signature and date affixed hereon certifies that this bid is a firm offer for a 90-day period.

An Unsigned Bid/Bidder Certification Sheet May Be Cause for Bid Rejection

1. Company Name	2. Telephone Number	2a. Fax Number
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J. AUUIESS	3.	Address
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Indicate your organization type: 4. Sole Proprietorship	5. 🔲 Partnership		6. 🗌 Corporation
Indicate the applicable employee and/or corporation 7. Federal Employee ID No. (FEIN)	number:	8. California Corpo	bration No.
Indicate applicable license and/or certification inform 9. Contractor's State Licensing Board Number	nation: 10. PUC Lice CAL-T-	nse Number	11. Required
12. Bidder' Name (Print)		13. Title	
14. Signature		15. Date	
16. Are you certified with the Department of Genera Business Enterprise Services (OSDS) as: a. Small Business Enterprise Yes No I If yes, enter certification number:] b. Disable		Enterprise Yes 🗌 No 🗌
NOTE : A copy of your Certification is required to be included if either of the above items is checked " Yes ". Date application was submitted to OSDS, if an application is pending:			

Completion Instructions for Bid/Bidder Certification Sheet

Complete the numbered items on the Bid/Bidder Certification Sheet by following the instructions below.

ltem Numbers	Instructions
1, 2, 2a, 3	Must be completed. These items are self-explanatory.
4	Check if your firm is a sole proprietorship. A sole proprietorship is a form of business in which one person owns all the assets of the business in contrast to a partnership and corporation. The sole proprietor is solely liable for all the debts of the business.
5	Check if your firm is a partnership. A partnership is a voluntary agreement between two or more competent persons to place their money, effects, labor, and skill, or some or all of them in lawful commerce or business, with the understanding that there shall be a proportional sharing of the profits and losses between them. An association of two or more persons to carry on, as co-owners, a business for profit.
6	Check if your firm is a corporation. A corporation is an artificial person or legal entity created by or under the authority of the laws of a state or nation, composed, in some rare instances, of a single person and his successors, being the incumbents of a particular office, but ordinarily consisting of an association of numerous individuals.
7	Enter your federal employee tax identification number.
8	Enter your corporation number assigned by the California Secretary of State's Office. This information is used for checking if a corporation is in good standing and qualified to conduct business in California.
9	Complete if your firm holds a California contractor's license. This information will used to verify possession of a contractor's license for public works agreements.
10	Complete if your firm holds a PUC license. This information will be used to verify possession of a PUC license for public works agreements.
11	Complete, if applicable, by indicating the type of license and/or certification that your firm possesses and that is required for the type of services being procured.
12, 13, 14, 15	Must be completed. These items are self-explanatory.
16	If certified as a Small Business Enterprise, place a check in the "yes" box, and enter your certification number on the line. If certified as a Disabled Veterans Business Enterprise, place a check in the "Yes" box and enter your service code on the line. If you are not certified to one or both, place a check in the "No" box. If your certification is pending, enter the date your application was submitted to the Department of General Services, Office Small Business and DVBE Services. To get certified, go to http://www.pd.dgs.ca.gov/smbus/default.htm

ATTACHMENT 4 Darfur Contracting Act

Instructions: Complete, as applicable, and submit with bid.

Public Contract Code Sections 10475 -10481 applies to any company that currently or within the previous three years has had business activities or other operations outside of the United States. For such a company to bid on or submit a proposal for a State of California contract, the company must certify that it is either a) not a scrutinized company; or b) a scrutinized company that has been granted permission by the Department of General Services to submit a proposal.

OPTION #1 - CERTIFICATION

If your company has not, within the previous three years, had any business activities or other operations outside of the United States, complete and sign this section and submit with bid package. I, the official named below, CERTIFY UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY that a) the prospective proposer/bidder named below has not, within the previous three years, had any business activities or other operations outside of the United States. b) I am duly authorized to legally bind the prospective proposer/bidder named below. This certification is made under the laws of the State of California.

Company/Vendor Name (Printed)	Federal ID Number
By (Authorized Signature)	

Printed Name and Title of Person Signing

OPTION #2 - CERTIFICATION

If your company, within the previous three years, has had business activities or other operations outside of the United States, in order to be eligible to submit a bid or proposal, please insert your company name and Federal ID Number and complete the certification below.

I, the official named below, CERTIFY UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY that a) the prospective proposer/bidder named below is not a scrutinized company per Public Contract Code 10476; and b) I am duly authorized to legally bind the prospective proposer/bidder named below. This certification is made under the laws of the State of California.

Company/Vendor Name (Printed)	Federal ID Number

By (Authorized Signature)

Printed Name and Title of Person Signing

Date Executed

Executed in the County and State of

OPTION #3 – WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM DGS

Pursuant to Public Contract Code section 10477(b), the Director of the Department of General Services may permit a scrutinized company, on a case-by-case basis, to bid on or submit a proposal for a contract with a state agency for goods or services, if it is in the best interests of the state. If you are a scrutinized company that has obtained written permission from the DGS to submit a bid or proposal, complete the information below.

We are a scrutinized company as defined in Public Contract Code section 10476, but we have received written permission from the Department of General Services to submit a bid or proposal pursuant to Public Contract Code section 10477(b). A copy of the written permission from DGS is included with our bid or proposal.

Company/Vendor Name (Printed)		Federal ID Number
By (Authorized Signature)		
Printed Name and Title of Person Signing		
Date Executed	Executed in the County and State of	

ATTACHMENT 5 Invitation for Bid No. 10A1577

ATTACHMENT CHECKLIST

A complete bid or bid package will consist of the items identified below.

Complete this checklist to confirm the items in your bid package. Place a check mark or "X" next to each item that you are submitting to Caltrans. All attachments identified below (unless noted otherwise) are required and must be returned as instructed or your bid may be considered non-responsive. **Return the Attachment Checklist with your bid package.**

Do NOT submit the Proposed Form of Agreement, Attachment 6, company advertisements, brochures, informational pamphlets or any other document unless specifically noted in the IFB Requirements and/or as listed below.

<u>Attachments</u>	Attachment Name/Description
Attachment 1	Bid Proposal, ADM 1412
Attachment 2	Contractor Certification Clauses (CCC 307). The CCC 307 can also be found on the Internet at <u>http://www.dgs.ca.gov/ols/home.aspx</u> . Page one (1) must be signed and submitted prior to the award of the contract.
Attachment 3	Bid/Bidder Certification Sheet
Attachment 4	Darfur Contracting Act
Attachment 5	Attachment Checklist
	Copy of Motor Carrier Permit

STANDARD AGREEMENT STD 213 (Rev 09/01)	IFB Number 10A1577
ATTACHMENT #6 Proposed Form of Agree	ment Note to Bidders: The following 15 pages represent a sample of the Agreement that will be awarded, if any, from this IFB.
1. This Agreement is entered into between the State Ager	
STATE AGENCY'S NAME	present any questions in writing to
Department of Transportation	the contact identified for this IFB.
CONTRACTOR'S NAME TBD	
2. The term of this Agreement is:8/15/13 (est) or upon DC whichever is later	GS approval, through 8/14/15 (est)
3. The maximum amount TBD of this Agreement is:	
 The parties agree to comply with the terms and conditio reference made a part of the Agreement. 	ns of the following exhibits/attachments, which are by this
Exhibit A – Scope of Work	5 Pages
Exhibit B – Budget Detail and Payment Provisions	4 Pages
Exhibit C[*] – General Terms and Conditions (Electr	onic File: GTC 610)
Exhibit D - Special Terms and Conditions	3 Pages
Exhibit E – Additional Provisions	2 Pages
Attachment 1 - Bid Proposal (To be attached upon a	ward) 1 Page

Department of Transportation

Items shown with an Asterisk (*), are hereby incorporated by reference and made part of this Agreement as if attached hereto. *These documents can be viewed at <u>http://www.dgs.ca.gov/ols/Home.aspx</u>.*

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Agreement has been executed by the parties hereto.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

CONTRACTOR		California Department of
CONTRACTOR'S NAME (if other than an individual, state whether a corporation, partnership, etc.) TBD		General Services Use Only
BY (Authorized Signature)	DATE SIGNED (Do not type)	
<u> </u>		
PRINTED NAME AND TITLE OF PERSON SIGNING		
ADDRESS		
STATE OF CALIFORNIA		
AGENCY NAME		
Department of Transportation		
BY (Authorized Signature)	DATE SIGNED (Do not type)	
<u>E</u>		
PRINTED NAME AND TITLE OF PERSON SIGNING		Exempt per:
ADDRESS		

SCOPE OF WORK

1. Contractor agrees to provide Laundry Services to the Department of Transportation (Caltrans), as described herein:

Contractor will furnish all labor, materials, tools, equipment, and incidentals needed to launder Caltrans-owned coveralls and safety vests, for various locations in Alpine, Amador, Calaveras, Mariposa, Merced, San Joaquin, Stanislaus and Tuolumne Counties.

- 2. Subcontracting is not permitted under this Agreement. All references to subcontracting or subcontractors as found herein are not applicable to this Agreement.
- 3. The services shall be performed for the following locations:
 - A. Stockton Maintenance and Electrical 1604 South B Street Stockton, CA 95206
 Contact Person and Phone Number:
 - B. Stockton Maintenance Station, Landscape Crew 312 South Lincoln Street
 Fresno, CA 95203
 Contact Person and Phone Number:
 - C. Stockton Mobile Paint Crew 3226 Lance Drive, Suite 1A Stockton, CA 95215 **Contact Person and Phone Number:**
 - D. Modesto Maintenance Station
 908 East Emerald Avenue
 Modesto, CA 95351
 Contact Person and Phone Number:
 - E. Patterson Maintenance Station
 2060 Sperry Road
 Patterson, CA 95363
 Contact Person and Phone Number:
 - F. Tracy Maintenance Station
 2005 Krohn Road
 Tracy, CA 95376
 Contact Person and Phone Number:

- G. Modesto Electrical South
 601 Crows Landing Road
 Modesto, CA 95351
 Contact Person and Phone Number:
- H. Merced Maintenance Station 1801 Motel Drive Merced, CA 95340
 Contact Person and Phone Number:
- Los Banos Maintenance Station 1359 East Pacheco Blvd.
 Los Banos, CA 95635
 Contact Person and Phone Number:
- J. Midpines Maintenance Station
 6610 State Highway 140
 Midpines, CA 95345
 Contact Person and Phone Number:
- K. Lodi Special Crews, Sign & Stencil Crew, and Button Crew 845 East Pine Avenue Lodi, CA 95240
 Contact Person and phone number:
- Woodfords Maintenance Station 18935 State Highway 88
 Woodfords, CA 96120
 Contact Person and Phone Number:
- M. Caples Lake Maintenance Station
 20 Snyder Cow Camp Road.
 Kirkwood, CA 95646
 Contact Person and Phone Number:
- N. Peddler Hill Maintenance Station 41951 State Highway 88 Pioneer, CA 95666
 Contact Person and Phone Number:
- O. Pine Grove Maintenance Station 19587 State Highway 88 Pine Grove CA. 95665 **Contact Person and phone number:**

- P. Ione Maintenance Station
 315 Depot Road
 Ione, CA 95640
 Contact Person and phone number:
- Q. West Point Maintenance Station
 22412 State Highway 26
 West Point, CA 95255
 Contact Person and Phone Number:
- R. Altaville Maintenance Station
 154 Monte Verde Street.
 Angles Camp, CA 95222
 Contact Person and Phone Number:
- S. Camp Connell Maintenance Station 5507 Meko Drive Camp Connell, CA 95223 **Contact Person and Phone Number:**
- T. Cabbage Patch Maintenance Station (Winter Only) 14747 State Highway 004 Tamarack CA. 95226
 Contact Person and Phone Number:
- U. Sonora Maintenance Station 8910 State Highway 49 Jamestown, CA 95327 Contact Person and phone number:
- V. Long Barn Maintenance Station
 25860 Sugar Pine Drive
 Long Barn, CA 95335
 Contact Person and Phone Number:
- W. Groveland Maintenance Station 18930 Ferretti Road Groveland, CA 95321 Contact Person and Phone Number:
- X. Coulterville Maintenance Station 4985 West Street Coulterville, CA 95311
 Contact Person and phone number:

Service locations L-O & Q may be combined and serviced at location O, Pine Grove, service locations R - T may be combined and serviced at location R, Altaville, and service locations U – X may be combine and serviced at location U, Sonora.

- 4. This Agreement will commence on 8/15/13 (est) or upon approval by the Department of General Services (DGS), whichever is later and no work shall begin before that time. This Agreement is of no effect unless approved by DGS. The Contractor shall not receive payment for work performed prior to approval of the Agreement and before receipt of notice to proceed by the Caltrans Contract Manager. This Agreement shall expire on 8/14/15 (est). The services shall be provided during the hours of 7:30 am and 3:30 pm, Monday through Friday, except State holidays. The parties may amend this Agreement as permitted by law.
- **5.** All inquiries during the term of this Agreement will be directed to the project representatives listed below:

Caltrans	Contractor: TBD	
Section/Unit:	Section/Unit:	
Contract Manager:	Project Manager:	
Address:	Address:	
Bus. Phone No.:	Bus. Phone No.:	
Fax No:	Fax No:	

- 6. Description of Work:
 - A. Prior to starting work under this Agreement, Contractor will arrange to meet with each Contact Person at the locations listed above to identify needs of the specific location and coordinate a designation point and a day of the week for "pick-ups" and "drop-offs." Contractor will summarize the needs in writing, and present them to the Contact Person for written approval before work is commenced.
 - B. Pick-ups and drop-offs shall be done weekly and shall be considered as service charges.
 - C. Contractor will provide Contract Manager with a copy of a Master Work Schedule no later than ten (10) business days from the start of this Agreement. The Master Work Schedule will include the following:
 - 1) Date and time of pick-up/drop-off
 - 2) Location of pick-up/drop-off
 - 3) Names and phone numbers of Contractor's delivery drivers for each location
 - D. Contractor will maintain size markings of coveralls and safety vests.
 - E. Caltrans will provide all coveralls and safety vests for cleaning. Contractor will inspect all coveralls and safety vests for excessive wear and holes and inform

the Contract Manager of such wear, location of pickup, and size. Contract Manager or Designee will provide a replacement for any garment that is unserviceable (worn-out).

- F. Coveralls will be pressed and have a professional appearance.
- G. Contractor is required to have a valid business license(s) to do business in Alpine, Amador Calaveras, Mariposa, Merced, San Joaquin, Stanislaus and Tuolumne counties and with the State of California. Business license(s) shall be made available to the Contract Manager upon Contract Manager's request.
- H. Contractor will be responsible for all garments picked up and will make sure garments are clearly marked and returned to the right location. **Garments must be returned to the location where they are picked up.** If garments are not returned to right location, Contractor shall replace/return garment at no charge to Caltrans. Only items listed on Attachment 1, Bid Proposal that are picked up at each specific Caltrans location will be brought back to same specific Caltrans location.
- I. Finished product is subject to inspection and acceptance by Caltrans. Any work that needs to be corrected shall be done at the Contractor's sole expense. Contractor will replace any item(s) damaged by Contractor at no cost to Caltrans.

BUDGET DETAIL AND PAYMENT PROVISIONS

1. Invoicing and Payment

- A. For services satisfactorily rendered and approved by the Caltrans Contract Manager, and upon receipt and approval of the invoices, Caltrans agrees to compensate the Contractor in accordance with the Bid Proposal, Attachment 1 and this Exhibit B. Incomplete or disputed invoices shall be returned to the Contractor, unpaid, for correction.
- B. Invoices shall be itemized in accordance with the Bid Proposal, Attachment 1, and shall be signed and submitted in triplicate not more frequently than monthly in arrears of the service.
- C. Each invoice shall include:
 - 1) Agreement Number
 - 2) Date(s) of Service
 - 3) Location of Service
 - 4) Description of Garment
 - 5) Quantity of Each Garment Picked Up
- D. Each invoice shall be submitted in triplicate to:

Department of Transportation Office/Unit Name, MS Number Attention: Contract Manager's Name Street Address/P.O. Box City, CA Zip Code

2. Budget Contingency Clause

- A. It is mutually understood between the parties that this Agreement may have been written before ascertaining the availability of congressional or legislative appropriation of funds, for the mutual benefit of both parties in order to avoid program and fiscal delays that would occur if the Agreement were executed after that determination was made.
- B. This Agreement is valid and enforceable only if sufficient funds are made available to the State of California by the United States Government or the California State Legislature for the purpose of this program. In addition, this Agreement is subject to any additional restrictions, limitations, conditions, or any statute enacted by the Congress or the State Legislature that may affect the provisions, terms or funding of this Agreement in any manner.
- C. It is mutually agreed that if the Congress or the State Legislature does not appropriate sufficient funds for the program, this Agreement shall be amended to reflect any reduction in funds.

- D. Pursuant to Government Code (GC), Section 927.13, no late payment penalty shall accrue during any time period for which there is no Budget Act in effect, nor on any payment or refund that is the result of a federally mandated program or that is directly dependent upon the receipt of federal funds by a state agency.
- E. Caltrans has the option to terminate the Agreement under the 30-day termination clause or to amend the Agreement to reflect any reduction of funds. Refer to Exhibit D. 2. B. Termination.

3. Prompt Payment Clause

Payment will be made in accordance with, and within the time specified in, GC, Chapter 4.5, commencing with Section 927.

4. Cost Limitation

- A. Total amount of this Agreement shall not exceed \$TBD.
- B. It is understood and agreed that this total is an estimate and that Caltrans will pay only for those services actually rendered as authorized by the Caltrans Contract Manager or their designee up to the maximum.

5. Rates

Rates for these services may be found on Attachment 1 of this document.

6. Excise Tax

The State of California is exempt from federal excise taxes, and no payment will be made for any taxes levied on employees' wages. Caltrans will pay for any applicable State or local sales or use taxes on the services rendered or equipment or parts supplied pursuant to this Agreement. Caltrans may pay any applicable sales and use tax imposed by another state.

7. Cost Principles

- A. The Contractor agrees that the Agreement Cost Principles and Procedures, 48 CFR, Federal Acquisition Regulations System, Chapter 1, Part 31 *et seq*., shall be used to determine the allowable individual items of cost.
- B. The Contractor also agrees to comply with Federal procedures in accordance with 49 CFR, Part 18, Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Cooperative Agreements to State and Local Governments.
- C. Any costs for which payment has been made to Contractor that are determined by subsequent audit to be unallowable under 48 CFR, Federal Acquisition Regulations System, Chapter 1, Part 31 *et seq.*, or 49 CFR, Part 18, Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants and Cooperative Agreements to State and Local Governments are subject to repayment by Contractor to State.
- D. Any subcontract entered into as a result of this Agreement shall contain all of the provisions of this clause.

8. Costs Included in Bid Rates

The cost of employer payments to or on behalf of employees, subsistence, travel, compensation insurance premiums, unemployment contributions, social security taxes, Agreement bond premiums, and any other taxes or assessments INCLUDING SALES AND USE TAXES required by law or otherwise shall be included in the Agreement rates and no additional allowance will be made thereof, unless separate payment provision should specifically so provide.

9. Employee Benefits

- A. Pursuant to GC, Section 19134, Contractor shall provide applicable wages and employee benefits and/or In Lieu Cash payment rates to all covered employees. With the exception of receiving holiday pay as described in GC 19134 (h), this section does not apply to personal services Agreements for the services performed by employees of nonprofit organizations that are employed in accordance with any of the following: (1) A special license issued pursuant to Section 1191.5 of the Labor Code. (2) A special certificate issued pursuant to Section 214 of Title 29 of the United States Code. (3) A community rehabilitation plan described in Sections 19152 and 19404 of the Welfare and Institutions Code. (4) A habilitation services program as described in Sections 19352 and 19356.6 of the Welfare and Institutions Code.
 - "Wages" means hourly payments paid pursuant to GC Section 19134 to a covered employee for work performed by such employee. Wages must be valued of at least 85 percent of wages paid to State of California employees performing similar work.
 - 2) Employee Benefits Includes:
 - a) Health Benefits (means coverage a Contractor provides to a covered employee, either through a purchased plan or by self-insurance) for:
 - (1) Basic health care, as identified in 28 CCR Section 1300.67, and
 - (2) Dental services, and
 - (3) Vision services.
 - b) Retirement Benefits, and
 - c) Holiday Pay, Sick Pay, and Vacation Pay.
 - d) Benefits shall be valued of at least 85 percent of the State cost for State of California employees performing similar work, or In Lieu Cash Payments, or a combination of the actual benefit and In Lieu Cash Payments totaling at least 85 percent of the State cost.
 - e) In Lieu Cash Payments to Covered Employees are valued of at least 85 percent of the State cost for State of California employees performing similar work.

- B. "Covered Employee" means a person who performs any of the services as more than an incidental part of their duties under this Agreement. This excludes a person who performs solely supervisory or administrative services under this Agreement, or an owner/operator.
- C. Rates "Blended" rates are determined by the Department of Personnel Administration (DPA). Rates for specific personal service classifications are included in annual Personal Services Contracts, which may be found at: <u>http://www.dpa.ca.gov/benefits/psc/main.htm</u>. GC 19134 requires DPA to set rates at 85% of the State's salary and benefit cost for State employees performing similar duties. The blended rates for this Agreement are as follows:

Laundry Worker Classification:

Current hourly rate is \$11.26 Current blended Benefit's rate is \$8.42

Blended rates are adjusted annually in February by DPA. Any published rate changes that occur during the term of the Agreement shall be given effect by Agreement amendment, with an effective date retroactive to the date rate changes were published by the DPA.

D. Reports

In order to receive any payment under this Agreement the Contractor shall provide, along with their monthly invoice, a monthly report that shall include the following items:

- 1) The number of Covered Employees who received Wages and Employee benefits and/or In Lieu Cash Payments in the preceding month.
- 2) The number of hours each Covered Employee worked on this Agreement in the preceding month.
- 3) The name of each Covered Employee who received Wages and Employee Benefits and/or In Lieu Cash Payments in the preceding month.
- 4) The amount paid to each Covered Employee for Wages and Employee Benefits and/or In Lieu Cash Payments in the preceding month. Contractor must itemize amounts paid for wages and for each type of employee Benefit/In Lieu Cash Payment separately.
- 5) The total monthly cost of Wages and Employee Benefits or In Lieu Cash Payments in the preceding month, excluding any administrative or indirect costs.
- E. Agreements and documents relating to implementing GC Section 19134 may be audited by Caltrans, the Department of General Services, and/or the Bureau of State Audits, or, in the case of a State-Leased Facility, by the contracting lessor.
- F. Failure to comply with the provisions of GC Section 19134 constitutes a material breach, which could subject the Agreement to immediate termination by the Caltrans.

SPECIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. Settlement of Disputes

- A. Any dispute concerning a question of fact arising under this Agreement that is not disposed of by Agreement shall be decided by the Caltrans Contract Officer, who may consider any written or verbal evidence submitted by the Contractor. The decision of the Caltrans Contract Officer, issued in writing, shall be Caltrans' final decision on the dispute.
- B. Neither the pendency of a dispute nor its consideration by the Caltrans Contract Officer will excuse the Contractor from full and timely performance in accordance with the terms of the Agreement.

2. Termination

- A. If, after award and execution of the Agreement, the Contractor's performance is unsatisfactory, the Agreement may be terminated for default. Additionally, the Contractor may be liable to Caltrans for damages including the difference between the Contractor's original bid price and the actual cost of performing the work by another Contractor. Default is defined as the Contractor failing to perform services required by the Agreement in a satisfactory manner.
- B. Caltrans reserves the right to terminate this Agreement without cause upon thirty (30) days written notice to the Contractor or immediately in the event of default or material breach by the Contractor.
- C. The State may terminate this Agreement immediately for good cause. The term "good cause" may be defined as "impossibility of performance" or "frustration of purpose," but does not include material breach, default, or termination without cause. In this instance, the Agreement termination shall be effective as of the date indicated on the State's notification to the Contractor.
- D. In the event that the total Agreement amount is expended prior to the expiration date, Caltrans may, at its discretion, terminate this Agreement with 30 days notice to Contractor.

3. Subcontractors

The Contractor shall perform the work contemplated with resources available within its own organization and no portion of the work shall be subcontracted.

4. Retention of Records/Audits

For the purpose of determining compliance with GC, Section 8546.7, the Contractor, Subcontractors and the State shall maintain all books, documents, papers, accounting records, and other evidence pertaining to the performance of the Agreement, including but not limited to, the costs of administering the Agreement. All parties shall make such materials available at their respective offices at all reasonable times during the Agreement period and for three years from the date of final payment under the Agreement. The

State, the State Auditor, Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), or any duly authorized representative of the Federal government having jurisdiction under Federal laws or regulations (including the basis of Federal funding in whole or in part) shall have access to any books, records, and documents of the Contractor that are pertinent to the Agreement for audits, examinations, excerpts, and transactions, and copies thereof shall be furnished if requested.

5. Non-Solicitation

The contractor warrants, by execution of this Agreement, that no person or selling agency has been employed or retained to solicit or secure this Agreement upon an agreement or understanding for a commission, percentage, brokerage, or contingent fee, except bona fide employees or bona fide established commercial or selling agencies maintained or contracted by the contractor for the purpose of securing business. For breach or violation of this warranty, the state shall have the right to annul this Agreement without liability, paying only for the value of the work actually performed, or in its discretion, to deduct from the Agreement price or consideration, or otherwise recover, the full amount of such commission, percentage, brokerage or contingent fee.

6. Disabled Veterans Business Enterprise (DVBE) Participation (Without Goals)

Caltrans has established no goals for DVBE participation for this Agreement. However, the Contractor shall be fully informed respecting the California Public Contract Code Section 10115 *et seq.*, which is incorporated by reference.

7. Laws to be Observed

The Contractor shall keep fully informed of all existing and future state and federal laws and county and municipal ordinances and regulations which in any manner affect those engaged or employed in the work, the materials used in the work, or which in any way affect the conduct of the work, and of all such orders and decrees of bodies or tribunals having any jurisdiction or authority over the same. Contractor shall at all times observe and comply with, and shall cause all agents and employees to observe and comply with all such existing and future laws, ordinances, regulations, orders, and decrees of bodies or tribunals having any jurisdiction or authority over the work. The Contractor shall protect and indemnify the State of California and all officers and employees thereof connected with the work against any claim, injury, or liability arising from or based on the violation of any such law, ordinance, regulation, order, or decree, whether by the Contractor, a Subcontractor(s), or an employee(s). If any discrepancy or inconsistency is discovered in the plans, drawings, specifications, or Agreement for the work in relation to any such law, ordinance, regulation, order, or decree, the Contractor shall immediately report the same to the Caltrans Contract Manager in writing.

8. Specific Statutory Reference

Any reference to certain statutes in this Agreement shall not relieve the Contractor from the responsibility of complying with all other statutes applicable to the service, work, or rental to be furnished thereunder.

9. Equipment Indemnification

The Contractor shall indemnify Caltrans for any claims against Caltrans for loss or damage to the Contractor's property or equipment during its use under this Agreement and shall at the Contractor's own expense maintain such fire, theft, liability or other insurance as deemed necessary for this protection. The Contractor assumes all responsibility which may be imposed by law for property damage or personal injuries caused by defective equipment furnished under this Agreement or by operations of the Contractor or the Contractor's employees under this Agreement.

10. Force Majeure

Neither party shall be liable to the other for any delay in or failure of performance, nor shall any such delay in or failure of performance constitute default, if such delay or failure is caused by "Force Majeure." As used in this section, "Force Majeure" is defined as follows: Acts of war and acts of God such as earthquakes, floods, and other natural disasters such that performance is impossible.

11. Employment of Undocumented Workers

By signing this Agreement, the Contractor swears or affirms that it has not, in the preceding five years, been convicted of violating a State or Federal law relative to the employment of undocumented workers.

ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS

1. General Provisions Required in all Insurance Policies

- A. Deductible: Contractor is responsible for any deductible or self-insured retention contained within the insurance program.
- B. Coverage Term: Coverage must be in force for the complete term of this Agreement. If insurance expires during the term of this Agreement, a new certificate must be received by the Caltrans Contract Manager at least ten (10) days prior to the expiration of the insurance. Any new insurance must continue to comply with the original terms of this Agreement 10A1577.
- C. Policy Cancellation or Termination and Notice of Non-Renewal: Contractor shall provide, to the Caltrans Contract Manager within five (5) business days, following receipt by Contactor, a copy of any cancellation or non-renewal of insurance required by this Agreement. In the event Contractor fails to keep, in effect at all times, the specified insurance coverage, the State may, in addition to any other remedies it may have, terminate this Agreement upon the occurrence of such event, subject to the provisions of this Agreement.
- D. Primary Clause: Any required insurance contained in this Agreement shall be primary, and not excess or contributory, to any other insurance carried by the State.
- E. Inadequate Insurance: Inadequate or lack of insurance does not negate the Contractor's obligations under this Agreement.
- F. Endorsements: Any required endorsements requested by the State must be physically attached to all requested certificates of insurance and not substituted by referring to such coverage on the certificate of insurance.
- G. Insurance Carrier Required Rating: All insurance companies must carry a rating acceptable to the Department of General Services, Office of Risk and Insurance Management (ORIM). If the Contractor is self insured for a portion or all of its insurance, review of financial information including a letter of credit may be required. Department of General Services, ORIM Website: http://www.dgs.ca.gov/orim/home.aspx
- H. Contractor shall include all of its subcontractors as insured's under Contractor's insurance or supply evidence of insurance to the State equal to the policies, coverage's and limits required of Contractor.
- I. The State will not be responsible for any premiums or assessments on the policy.

2. Insurance Requirements

- A. Commercial General Liability
 - 1) Contractor shall maintain general liability on an occurrence form with limits not less than **\$1,000,000** per occurrence and **\$2,000,000** aggregate for bodily injury

and property damage liability. The policy shall include coverage for liabilities arising out of premises, operations, independent contractors, products, completed operations, personal and advertising injury, and liability assumed under an insured Agreement. This insurance shall apply separately to each insured against whom claim is made or suit is brought subject to the Contractor's limit of liability. The policy must include:

Caltrans, State of California, its officers, agents, employees and servants are included as additional insured but only with respect to work performed under this Agreement.

- 2) This endorsement must be supplied under form acceptable to the Department of General Services, Office of Risk and Insurance Management.
- B. Automobile Liability

Contractor shall maintain motor vehicle liability with limits not less than **\$1,000,000** combined single limit per accident. Such insurance shall cover liability arising out of a motor vehicle including owned, hired and non-owned motor vehicles. The same additional insured designation and endorsement required for general liability is to be provided for this coverage.

C. Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability

Contractor shall maintain statutory worker's compensation and employer's liability coverage for all its employees who will be engaged in the performance of the Agreement. Employer's liability limits of **\$1,000,000** are required. When work is performed on State owned or controlled property the workers' compensation policy shall contain a waiver of subrogation in favor of the State. The waiver of subrogation endorsement shall be provided to the Caltrans' Contract Manager.

3. Motor Carrier Permit Requirements

Contractor must have a valid Motor Carrier Permit issued from the Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) throughout the duration of this Agreement. Contractor shall pay fee to obtain and maintain, in good standing, all necessary licenses and permits to accomplish work under this Agreement.