

September 12, 2018

Dear Prospective Firm:

The City of Cleveland, ("City"), owner and operator of Cleveland Hopkins International Airport and Burke Lakefront Airport, through its Director of the Department of Port Control ("Director"), invites written Statements of Qualifications ("Statements") from Firms interested in providing the Department of Port Control ("Department") with comprehensive professional on call planning services. These services may encompass airfield, airspace, terminal, landside ground access, asset management, sustainability and environmental projects, as well as other general planning, urban design, architectural and interior design.

A pre-qualification conference will be held in the Engineering Building at Cleveland Hopkins International Airport, 5301 West Hangar Road, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Cleveland, Ohio 44135 on **Wednesday**, **September 26**, **2018 at 10:00 a.m. local time**. Although attendance is not mandatory, firms are encouraged to attend. For reasons of security, those planning to attend the pre-qualification conference must register by 4:00 p.m. local time on Friday, September 21, 2018 by e-mail to rosborne@clevelandairport.com. At or before the conference, interested parties may submit or ask questions pertaining to this Request for Qualifications and the services desired. Please provide written questions to the e-mail address listed above.

If your firm is interested in this Request for Qualifications, please submit seven (7) complete Statements, consisting of one (1) unbound original, five (5) identical bound copies and one (1) digital copy, USB flash drive or compact disc, in either Microsoft Word (.doc/.docx) or Adobe Acrobat (.pdf) format, to the City no later than **4:00 p.m.** local time on Wednesday, October 17, 2018. No Statements shall be accepted after that time unless such date or time is extended pursuant to a written addendum issued by the City.

Sealed Statements may be mailed to the address below and must be identified on the outside of the envelope(s) as: **Statement: On Call Professional Planning Services.** 

Cleveland Airport System
Department of Port Control
2nd Floor Administrative Offices
5300 Riverside Drive
P. O. Box 81009
Cleveland, Ohio 44181-0009
Attn: Rhonda Osborne

The Director reserves the right to reject all Statements or portions of any or all Statements, to waive irregularities and technicalities, to re-advertise or to provide the

service otherwise in the best interest of the City. The Director may, at his sole discretion, modify or amend any and all of the provisions of this notice or the Request for Qualifications.

The Request for Qualifications documentation is available on the City Website as follows:

http://www.city.cleveland.oh.us/CityofCleveland/Home/Government/CityAgencies/Finance/RFP

And on the Cleveland Hopkins International Airport website as follows:

# http://www.clevelandairport.com/about-us/business-cle/bids-rfps

All future documentation including addenda, response to questions, schedule changes and additional requirements for this Request for Qualifications will be posted on the above sites.

Should you have any questions regarding this solicitation, please contact me.

Sincerely, Bhonda Osharne

Rhonda Osborne Procurement Officer

Cleveland Airport System

Department of Port Control



# Request for Qualifications

On Call Professional Planning Services

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#### **ATTACHMENTS:**

Northern Ireland Fair Employment Practices Disclosure Request for Taxpayer Identification Number W9 Form Affidavit Non-Competitive Bid Contract Statement for Calendar Year 2018 Emerging Business Enterprise Development ("EBED") Documents

#### **EXHIBITS:**

Exhibit "A" Sub-contractor Addition and Substitution Policy
Exhibit "B" Local Producer/Local Sustainable Business Ordinance
Exhibit "C" Federal Aviation Administration ("FAA") Contract Provisions
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#### **INTRODUCTION**

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The Department of Port Control ("Department") has instituted a program whereby interested parties may receive this Request for Qualifications through the City of

Cleveland's website and the Department's website along with all applicable documentation and mailing lists. Please refer to the following websites for access to the Request for Qualifications:

http://www.city.cleveland.oh.us/CityofCleveland/Home/Government/CityAgencies/Finance/RFP

http://www.clevelandairport.com/about-us/business-cle/bids-rfps

NOTE: In an effort to comply with the City of Cleveland's green initiatives, the Department of Port Control will advertise all Requests for Proposals and Requests for Qualifications on the websites listed above together with all supporting documentation. A Letter of Invitation will be released as notification of the publication of Request for Proposal or Request for Qualifications for future projects.

All future documentation including addenda, response to questions, schedule changes, additional requirements for the On Call Professional Planning Services Request for Qualifications will be posted on the above sites as no additional paper mailings will be made for this Project. Upon receipt of a Letter of Invitation, it is requested that interested Firms contact **Rhonda Osborne via e-mail:** <a href="mailto:rosborne@clevelandairport.com">rosborne@clevelandairport.com</a> as confirmation of receipt and interest.

#### 1. BACKGROUND

The Department is responsible for the planning, programming and development of CLE and BKL. The Department's responsibilities include providing facilities that will improve airline and airport operations while achieving a level of service and convenience desired by the flying public.

These services will be task oriented and on-call in support of project initiatives at CLE and BKL. These services may include, but are not limited to: the preparation of facility strategic plans; conceptual and detailed plans; Airport master plan/ALP updates; and environmental analyses. These services may encompass airfield, airspace, terminal, landside ground access, asset management, safety risk management, sustainability and environmental services, as well as other engineering, surveying, urban design, architectural and interior design requests, in support of planning initiatives.

The Department requires experienced aviation, airspace, environmental and/or urban planning consultant(s) that can provide comprehensive planning, preliminary engineering/architectural/design efforts, plus National Environmental Policy Act ("NEPA") services for airports. Tasks under this solicitation may include performing all aspects of facility planning, strategic planning, facility programming, feasibility studies, computer modeling, environmental analyses, cost estimating, plus plan/program coordination, as well as other general airport system planning needs.

The Statement of Qualifications ("Statement") shall consist of a maximum of forty (40) one-sided pages exclusive of additional submittal requirements and divider tabs. All required information shall be inclusive.

By issuing this Request for Qualifications, the City makes known its intent to contract and commence this project at the earliest available opportunity. However, the City makes no commitment to proceed with the services based on a specific start date.

#### 2. SCOPE OF SERVICES

#### 2.1 General Scope.

The following contains the statement of work and project specific Statement requirements for professional services required for on call professional planning services.

The Consultant shall comply with all existing future laws, ordinances, orders, directives, codes, rules and regulations of the federal, state and local governmental agencies; including those of the City, which may be applicable to the Project.

The Department is seeking Statements from professional and qualified firms that can support the mission and responsibility of the Department. Such firms shall have demonstrated experience in general airport and urban/terminal planning, architectural, environmental, sustainability, interior design and facility support. The selected firm(s) will serve as a Consultant for the Department's Planning & Engineering Division. Services may be associated with State- and Federally- funded projects, Passenger Facility Charges, City of Cleveland, and/or others sources of funding and shall be performed pursuant to any and all guidelines and regulations.

Specific task assignments are expected to vary depending upon the Department's needs throughout the duration of the contract period. These services include a mix of anticipated and unanticipated tasks. A detailed scope of work will be prepared on an individual basis for each task/assignment prior to any issuance of a notice to proceed. Anticipated tasks are generally described below.

#### 2.2 Scope of Services.

The City has established the following scope of services to be provided by the successful Consultant(s). The City reserves the right to revise the scope of services prior to the execution of a contract to: (i) reflect changes arising out of this qualification process; (ii) incorporate any City requirements adopted after the publication of this Request for Qualifications; and (iii) incorporate any other changes it deems necessary.

The selected Consultant(s) shall, on an on-call basis, be expected to provide services and perform in the categories that follow. In addition to the identified services, the selected Consultant(s) may be called upon to engage in, but not be limited to: airport, urban/terminal planning, architectural, interior design and facility support services, urban development and/or environmental analysis.

A. <u>Aviation Planning</u>: Assist in the development and maintenance of airport planning tasks for CLE and BKL. These planning efforts shall provide direction in developing and maintaining safe, efficient and convenient facilities that meet

airside, landside and ground access demand. These items may or may not include:

- i. Investigation & Preparation of ALP Updates at CLE & BKL
- ii. Investigation & Preparation of forecast, demand/capacity analysis, Airspace Analysis
- iii. Investigation & Preparation of facility planning, strategic planning, feasibility studies & other planning documents
- iv. Investigation & Preparation of conceptual and/or detailed drawings
  - 1. Airside Development
    - a. Commercial
    - b. Corporate
    - c. Cargo
  - 2. Landside Development
    - a. Terminal Environment
    - b. Federal Inspection Station
    - c. Parking
    - d. Traffic Flow
    - e. Ground Transportation Center
  - 3. Land Use Compatibility/Noise
    - a. Property information
    - b. Land releases
    - c. Minimal and basic noise-related guidance (excluding equipment/software)
      - i. FAA Metroplex initiatives
- v. Additional General Aviation planning related items, site investigation, and plan preparation, as needed
- B. Environmental Planning, Sustainability & Safety Risk Management: Assist in the development of defensible environmental strategies related to potential Airport development. Such efforts shall include addressing requirements of the NEPA and the development of plans that address current and future environmental regulations. Environmental planning efforts shall provide direction for development while maintaining compatibility with surrounding communities and complying with regulatory requirements. Environmental planning tasks shall consider environmental impacts and alternatives for all projects.
  - i. Sustainable planning efforts should be taken into consideration in document preparation, where applicable.
  - ii. Safety Risk Management requirements should be taken into consideration and coordinated with the Airport System's Safety

Management System ("SMS") Manager for AIP funded projects, as required.

- C. Computer Aided Design & Drafting ("CADD") and Geographic Information System(s) ("GIS"): Aid in the drafting of any computer-generated drawings, models, or inputs into a GIS, as necessary, to support planning efforts. Planning responsibilities will include both scheduled and unplanned updating of master plan components. For example, Airport Layout Plan updates and revisions may be warranted at any time and, therefore, would be tasked when necessary.
  - i. Preparation of such items should be to the Departments' CAD/BIM/Data Specifications, where applicable
  - ii. Analysis of GIS development and Asset management initiatives
- D. <u>Programming and Cost Estimating</u>: Aid in the preparation of detail facility programming, including development of project cost estimates and phasing plans, may include site investigation on an a task oriented basis.
- E. <u>Harbors</u>: Planning assistance in the aforementioned categories may also be required in the vicinity of Cleveland's North Coast Harbor ("NCH"), including Voinovich Park, area north of First Energy Stadium, or nearby vicinities that can potentially impact Department planning initiatives at NCH or BKL.
- F. Third party planning reviews
- G. Other planning studies and activities

#### 3. GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE CONTRACT

- 3.1 Terms and Termination.
- A. The Department intends to recommend award of a contract to the firm that best satisfies the needs of the Department based on the requirements of this Request for Qualifications. The Department reserves the right to award more than one contract, using the criteria defined in this Request for Qualifications, if, in the Department's judgment, there is more than one qualified firm to fulfill the commitments.
- B. The term of the contract shall be for a period of one (1) year from the effective date of the contract, with three (3) one-year options exercisable by the Director of Port Control.
- C. The City may terminate the contract at any time for cause upon failure to perform in a manner satisfactory to the City after the successful Consultant has received written notice as provided in the contract. Such written notice may specify, among other matters, bankruptcy, unsatisfactory adherence to schedules, unsatisfactory performance of services,

unsatisfactory operating practices or unsatisfactory equipment and failure to comply with other provisions of the contract. The City shall, in the sole exercise of its business judgment, determine whether the service or any part thereof, is being performed in an unsatisfactory manner.

- D. The City may terminate the contract for cause and without any prior notice should the successful Consultant fail to maintain any licenses or permits as required by the contract or fail to adhere to the City's and/or Department's applicable rules and regulations.
- E. The City may, at any time and in its sole discretion, without cause and upon thirty (30) calendar days' written notice, discontinue the contract entirely. Such discontinuance of the contract by the City shall not constitute a breach of the contract by the City and the City shall have no obligation or liability whatsoever; and successful Consultant shall make no claim for payment of damages or of any cost or expense incurred in connection therewith.
- F. Failure of the successful Consultant to strictly enforce a subcontract agreement with any of its subcontractors shall be considered a default by the successful Consultant and grounds for termination of its contract.
- G. By submitting a Statement in response to this Request for Qualifications, a Consultant is certifying that all work will be performed in conformance with applicable local, state and federal laws and regulations and accepts the terms and conditions set forth herein, all of which will be made a part of any contract awarded as a result of this Request for Qualifications.
- H. The contract to be awarded under this Request for Qualifications shall be a fixed-price contract subject to a contract ceiling dollar amount. Said amount includes all fees to be charged for the services plus all related costs and expenses of the successful Consultant in performing such services.
- I. Any member of the Consultant team requiring access to a Security Identification Display Area or Air Operations Area as part of his/her assigned duties shall be subject to background checks, fingerprinting and other requirements as may be determined by Federal Aviation Administration ("FAA") or the Transportation Security Agency. Adherence to all federal/state laws and regulations, and airport regulations and policy regarding access to certain airport areas is a requirement of these Contracts. Failure to comply with appropriate security requirements may be grounds for loss of security access and/or Contract termination.
- J. Consultant or subcontractor shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in the performance of this contract. The Consultant shall carry out applicable requirements of 49 CFR Part 26 in the award and administration of United States Department of Transportation

assisted contracts. Failure by the Consultant to carry out these requirements is a material breach of this contract, which may result in the termination of this contract or such other remedy as the Department deems appropriate.

K. The statement above must be included in all subcontractor and subconsultant agreements that the prime contractor or prime consultant signs with a subcontractor or subconsultant.

#### 3.2 Subcontractors/Subconsultants.

Clearly indicate the specific tasks or areas of expertise that are subcontracted and to what entities. Experience cited for proposed subcontractors/subconsultants shall demonstrate proficiency in the services proposed for this contract. If the Consultant has doubt as to whether an area or field of expertise may potentially be used on the project, then strongly encouraged is a subcontractor/subconsultant with this specialty be provided with the list of subcontractors/subconsultants intended to be part of the Consultant's project team. Adding subcontractors/subconsultants later into the project will require the City of Cleveland's Board of Control approval and, depending on the specialty, may stop progress on the project. Subcontractors/subconsultants not approved by the Board of Control will not be allowed to work on the Project in any aspect.

#### 3.3 Insurance.

The successful Consultant, at its expense, shall at all times during the term of the contract resulting from this Request for Qualifications, maintain the following insurance coverage. The insurance company(ies) providing the required insurance shall be authorized by the Ohio Department of Insurance to do business in Ohio and rated "A" or above by A. M. Best Company or equivalent. The successful Consultant, as contractor, shall provide a copy of the policy or policies and any necessary endorsements, or a substitute for them satisfactory to and approved by the Director of Law, evidencing the required insurances upon execution of the contract.

A. Comprehensive General Liability Insurance. The comprehensive general liability insurance policy ("CGL") shall (1) be occurrence type; (2) name City and the Designer as an additional insureds; (3) include products/completed operations coverage; (4) have limits of not less than a combined single limit of Five Million Dollars (\$5,000,000.00), covering the successful Contractor, the City and the Designer as their interest may appear, for any one incident; and (5) be primary and non-contributory, notwithstanding any other insurance covering City. Such policy or policies shall include "Contractual Liability", the "Explosion Hazard", the "Underground Property Damage Hazard", and the "Collapse Hazard". If Contractor shall use motor vehicles on the aircraft ramps, taxiways or runways of the Airport and such vehicles are not escorted by escorts authorized and approved by the City, the limit of the CGL insurance required to be maintained by the Contractor shall be increased to a limit of not less than Ten Million Dollars (\$10,000,000.00), covering

the successful Contractor and the City as their interest may appear, for each occurrence.

This insurance shall include coverage for damage of property of any nature in care, custody, or control of the contractor or any property over which the successful Contractor is directly or indirectly exercising physical control by reasons of the work to be performed.

Contractor may utilize Excess or Umbrella coverage to satisfy limit requirements as long as those policy do not restrict the primary policy in any way.

- B. Business Automobile Liability Insurance. The business automobile liability insurance policy shall cover each automobile, truck or other vehicle used in the performance of the services in an amount not less than a combined single limit of Five Million Dollars (\$5,000,000.00), covering the successful Contractor and the City as their interest may appear, for any one incident for bodily injury (including death at any time occurring) and property damage per occurrence for any work and/or access to the landside area of the Airport and a combined single limit of Ten Million Dollars (\$10,000,000.00), covering the successful Contractor and the City as their interest may appear, for any one incident for bodily injury (including death at any time occurring) and property damage per occurrence for any work and/or access to the airside area of the Airport.
- C. Professional liability insurance (including errors and omissions) shall have limits of not less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) each occurrence and subject to a deductible each occurrence of not more than Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00) per occurrence and in the aggregate and if not written on an occurrence basis, shall be maintained for a period of not less than two (2) years following the completion of the services provided under the contract. The policy shall include valuable papers coverage with limits of not less than One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00).
- D. Workers' compensation and employer's liability insurance as provided under the laws of the state of Ohio. Notwithstanding the foregoing successful Consultant shall increase the limit of employer's liability insurance to a limit of not less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) each occurrence or any other increased amount as the City may reasonably require. Successful Consultant shall save the City harmless from any and all liability from or under said act.
- E. The successful Contractor shall take out and maintain in the name of the City of Cleveland as owner, and himself as Contractor, all builder's risk insurance in an amount equal to one hundred percent (100%) of his construction contract.
- F. Successful Consultant shall maintain statutory unemployment insurance protection for all its employees.
- G. The policy or policies shall be with companies authorized to do business in the State of Ohio and rated A-VIIor above by A. M. Best Company or its equivalent.

- H. The policy or policies shall contain the following special provision: "The Company agrees that thirty (30) calendar days prior to cancellation or reduction of the insurance afforded by this policy, with respect to the contract involved, written notice will be sent by certified mail to the Director of Port Control, City of Cleveland."
- I. Maintain such other insurance policies as may be reasonably required by the City.
- J. An original certificate of insurance, declarations pages of the policy (ies) or insurance binder(s) shall be deposited with the Department of Port Control City of Cleveland before the commencing of any work under the contract.
- K. Successful contractor shall name the City of Cleveland and the Department of Port Control as an additional insured on their General Liability and Auto policies.
- L. All policies shall contain a waiver of subrogation wherein the insurer(s) waives all rights of recovery against the City of Cleveland and Department of Port Control. All policies shall be primary and non-contributory.
- M. Contractor shall require any and all of its subcontractors to procure, maintain and pay premiums for the insurance coverages and limits of liability outlined above with respect to products, services, work and/or operations performed in connection with this Agreement.
- N. The maintenance of such insurance as outlined herein shall in no way constitute a waiver of legal liability for damages to any adjoining buildings or their contents or the work and property of others on the site beyond the limits of insurance thus maintained. The Contractor shall hold harmless the Airport Engineer and their agents for and from any injury or damage resulting from the negligent or faulty performance by the Contractor or his subcontractors. All insurance shall be carried without interruption to the end of the guarantee period.

#### 4. PROJECT SCHEDULE AND DELIVERABLES

#### 4.1 Deliverables.

The City has established the following list which includes items that the consultant will be required to provide as deliverables. The City reserves the right to modify the list of deliverables at any time before execution of a contract to add, delete, or otherwise amend, any report or other deliverable, as it deems necessary, in its sole judgment, and in the best interest of the City.

A. Within one week after receipt of a written Notice To Proceed issued by the Department, the successful Consultant shall be prepared to begin work covered by the contract and shall execute the work to be performed on as-required to the Department's satisfaction and in accordance with the tasks specified, unless otherwise directed by the Department.

- B. All work performed by the Consultant shall be under the direction of the Department's Project Manager. Task orders are individual project tasks that shall be assigned by the Department's Project Manager for services to be performed on an as-needed basis. The Consultant shall, after assignment of a task, develop a scope of services, management approach, detailed man hours and cost estimate to be presented for possible negotiation and approval. The Consultant shall not proceed on any project without written approval of the project estimate by the Project Manager.
- C. At all meetings between the Department and the Consultant held in connection with the project, the Consultant shall take minutes of all topics discussed and depositions or conclusions reached. Within one (1) week, the Consultant shall prepare a formal set of meeting minutes and submit same to the Department's Project Manager for approval. The Consultant will conduct weekly progress meetings with the Department to brief representatives on the progress of the work and any problems or issues affecting the completion of the task.
- D. All pertinent telephone conversations between the Department and the successful Consultant relative to instructions and/or authorizations must be confirmed in writing by the successful Consultant and submitted to the Project Manager for written approval.
- E. The Successful Consultant is responsible for controlling costs and ensuring that all required work is completed within the approved time limit for each task. No modification to the scope of work or extra work shall be considered by the Department unless conditions have been specifically documented as required by the terms of the contract. Additionally, this documentation shall be verified prior to the Department's authorization to the successful Consultant to perform additional work.
- F. The successful Consultant's staff shall be available with no more than two (2) business days' notice to attend meetings or make presentations at the request of the Department's Project Manager. The successful Consultant may be called upon to provide maps, drawings, audiovisual displays and similar material for such meetings.
- G. Copies of all appropriate written correspondence between the successful Consultant and any party pertaining specifically to any project shall be provided to the Department's Project Manager within one week of the receipt or sending of such correspondence.
- H. All other correspondence shall be turned over to the Department after completion of the project. The successful Consultant shall provide to the Department, on a monthly basis, progress reports, which describe the work performed on each work element, problems encountered, man hours expended by each member of the team and the total dollar expenditure on the project by work element during the reporting period. Progress reports shall be delivered to the Department's Project

Manager within one week of the monthly reporting period and shall be attached to the invoices when submitted for payment.

- I. No work performed on behalf of the Department may be used for other clients or potential clients of the successful Consultant without prior written approval from the Department's Project Manager.
- J. The successful Consultant must attend briefings with the Director, executive staff and other Department staff as requested. The successful Consultant will also be expected to provide briefings to the Director or his designated representative regarding any issues which arise during the conduct of the work.
- K. The successful Consultant must provide responses to questions or issues which may be raised by FAA representatives during project reviews and audits.
- L. The successful Consultant must provide progress reports, including work accomplished; tasks yet to be accomplished; any issues which have arisen which need the Department's assistance in order to obtain resolution and a description of the percentage of the work completed, in hard copy and electronically (in Microsoft or other pre-approved format).
- M. The successful Consultant must provide a minimum of three (3) hard copies and three (3) electronic copies on CD-ROM of each completed work product, including a detailed executive summary. Additional copies may be requested on an asneeded basis.

#### 5. GENERAL INFORMATION

#### 5.1 Submission of Statement.

- A. Each Consultant shall provide all information requested by the City in this Request for Qualifications. Consultants must organize their packages to address each of the elements outlined and in the same order listed in Section 7 of this Request for Qualifications.
- B. Consultants are advised to carefully read and complete all information requested in the Request for Qualifications. If the Consultant's response to this Request for Qualifications does not comply with the conditions for submittal, it shall be considered unacceptable by the City and may be rejected without further consideration.
- C. The City wishes to promote the greatest feasible use of recycled and environmentally sustainable products and to minimize waste in its operations. To that end, all Statements should comply with the following guidelines: Unless absolutely necessary, copies should minimize or eliminate use of non-recyclable or non-re-useable materials. Materials should be in a format permitting easy removal and recycling of paper. A Consultant should, to the extent possible, use products consisting of or

containing recycled content in its Statement including, but not limited to, folders, binders, paper clips, diskettes, envelopes, boxes, and the like. Do not submit any or a greater number of samples, attachments or documents than specifically requested.

#### 5.2 City's Rights and Requirements.

- A. Under the laws of the State of Ohio, all parts of a Statement, other than trade secret or proprietary information, may be considered a public record which, if properly requested, the City must make available to the requester for inspection and copying. Therefore, to protect trade secret or proprietary information, the Consultant should clearly mark each page, but only that page, of its Statement that contains that information. The City will notify the Consultant if such information in its Statement is requested, but cannot, however, guarantee the confidentiality of any proprietary or otherwise sensitive information in or with the Statement. Blanket marking of the entire Statement as "proprietary" or "trade secret" will not protect an entire Statement and is not acceptable.
- B. The Director, at his sole discretion, may require any Consultant to augment or supplement its Statement or to meet with the City's designated representatives for interview or presentation to further describe the Consultant's qualifications and capabilities. The requested information, interview, meeting or presentation shall be submitted or conducted, as appropriate, at a time and place the Director specifies.
- C. The City reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to reject any Statement that is incomplete or unresponsive to the requests or requirements of this Request for Qualifications. The City reserves the right to reject any or all Statements and to waive and accept any informality or discrepancy in the Statement or the process as may be in the City's best interest.
- D. All Statements will remain in effect and be subject to selection by the City until the earlier of the execution of a final contract or one hundred eighty (180) calendar days after the deadline for Statement submission ("Statement Expiration Date"). Until the Statement Expiration Date, Consultant agrees that its Statement shall remain in effect, as submitted, and subject to selection by the City.

#### 5.3 Supplemental Information.

The City may require Consultant to further supplement its written Statement to obtain additional information regarding the written Statement or to meet with the City's designated representatives to further describe Consultant's qualifications and abilities. The decision regarding which Consultant(s) will be asked to supplement a Statement or meet with City representatives is in the Director's sole discretion. Supplements will be utilized for clarification purposes only and the Consultant may not substitute material

elements of its written Statement, nor may Consultant provide previously omitted material.

# 5.4 <u>Disadvantage Business Enterprise Program Participation.</u>

In accordance with the regulations of the United States Department of Transportation, 49 CFR, Part 26, the City of Cleveland, Department of Port Control has implemented a Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Program ("DBE"). This program applies to all projects that are federally funded, in whole or in part. The objectives of the DBE program are to ensure nondiscrimination in the award and administration of United States Department of Transportation assisted contracts, and assist in the development of small businesses owned by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals that have been certified by the Ohio Uniform Certification Program and/or the Ohio Department of Transportation.

In accordance with 49 CFR Part 26.39, Fostering Small Business Participation, the Department received approval, in 2012, from the FAA for the addition of the Small Business Enterprise ("SBE") element to its DBE and Airport Concessions Disadvantaged Business Enterprise ("ACDBE") programs. The Airport is including this SBE element to facilitate competition by expanding opportunities for small businesses. The Airport is committed to taking all reasonable steps to eliminate obstacles to small businesses that may preclude their participation in procurements as prime contractors/consultants or subcontractors/sub-consultants.

A **DBE Goal of 15% and a SBE goal of 5%** have been established for this Project. DBE participation may be in the form of one or more joint ventures, partnerships, subcontracts or other legal arrangements meeting the eligibility standards in 49 CFR Part 26.

The selected Consultant will be required to submit information concerning the DBE/SBE firm(s) that will participate in this Project including the name and address of each Consultant, the estimated annual gross receipts to be earned by each named Consultant, a description of the legal arrangements to be utilized and the total overall estimated annual gross receipts to be earned.

If a Consultant is unable to achieve the DBE/SBE goals stated herein it will be required to provide documentation in its Statement demonstrating that it took all necessary and reasonable steps in attempting do so, or that it is not economically feasible at this time to enter into either a joint venture, partnership, subcontract or other eligible arrangement with a DBE firm.

The selected Consultant will be required to comply with the Department's DBE/SBE Program for the entire term of the contract.

Updated DBE Unified Certification Program ("UCP") directory can be obtained at the Ohio Department of Transportation's UCP website at:

# http://www.dot.state.oh.us/dbe/Pages/UCP.aspx.

All proposed sub-consultants listed in your Statement must receive written Board of Control approval in advance. The sub-consultants you propose in your sealed Statements will be considered the sub-consultants that you will use in the contract if awarded to you. See **Exhibit "A"** regarding the City's Sub-contractor Addition and Substitution Policy and Procedure. The City reserves the right to approve an award, but not approve a proposed sub-consultant.

The City maintains a list of Vendors Ineligible to Contract or Subcontract with the City at the City of Cleveland website: http://www.city.cleveland.oh.us. It is each Consultant's responsibility to propose only eligible contractors. The City cannot approve a sub-consultant whose name appears in this listing.

In addition, the City of Cleveland is firmly committed to assisting DBEs and SBEs through its contracting activities, and the City intends to contract with Consultants that share that commitment. Consultants shall make every effort to use DBEs and SBEs as sub-consultants where available and practical.

Please be aware that the participation of DBE/SBE Consultants listed in your Statement will be monitored by the Department's Office of Compliance and Inclusion ("OCI") throughout the duration of the contract. The selected Consultant will be responsible for providing the Department's OCI with any and all information necessary to facilitate this monitoring, including subcontractor/subconsultant agreements, invoices and cancelled checks. Selected Consultant performing on CLE projects have a dual reporting requirement. Selected Consultant will be required to provide sub-consultant agreements to the Department OCI.

Additionally, selected Consultant and subcontractors (Non-DBE/SBE and DBE/SBE) will be required to enter all payments, canceled checks and invoices associated with the contract into the contract monitoring system, B2Gnow software. Certified payrolls (where applicable) submitted to OCI on a weekly basis.

Note: The submission of the referenced forms is not required with the response to this Request for Qualifications. These forms will only be submitted by the Consultant selected to enter into contract negotiations, after the qualification evaluation process. The forms will be completed at the completion of the fee negotiation. However, the DBE/SBE firms and the anticipated percentages must be identified in the submittal.

It is the City's objective that the DBE/SBE performs a commercially useful function. A DBE/SBE is considered to perform a commercially useful function when it is independently responsible for the execution of a distinct element of the work of a contract and carries out its responsibilities by actually performing, managing and supervising the

work involved. In light of industry practices and other relevant considerations, the DBE/SBE must have a necessary and useful role in the transaction of a kind for which there is a market outside the context of the DBE/SBE program.

If you have any questions in regard to either the Department's OCI's requirements and/or its other contracting goals, please contact the OCI at (216) 664-6606.

#### 5.5 Outreach Events.

All Consultants must affirm their commitment to supporting and/or participating in Department-sponsored outreach events aimed at attracting and educating small, minority, and female-owned companies on business opportunities with the Department. This may include a nominal fee up to Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00) at the Director's discretion.

# 5.6 Equal Opportunity Clause.

The successful Consultant, as contractor, will be required to comply with all terms, conditions and requirements imposed on a "contractor" in the following Equal Opportunity Clause, Section 187.22(b) of the Cleveland Codified Ordinances, and shall make the clause part of every subcontract or agreement entered into for services or goods and binding on all persons and firms with which the successful Consultant may deal, as follows:

No contractor shall discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, religion, color, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, age, disability, ethnic group or Vietnam-era or disabled veteran status. Contractors shall take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed and that employees are treated during employment without regard to race, religion, color, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, age, disability, ethnic group or Vietnam-era or disabled veteran status. As used in this chapter, "treated" means and includes without limitation the following: recruited whether by advertising or other means; compensated, whether in the form of rates of pay or other forms of compensation; selected for training, including apprenticeship, promoted, upgraded, demoted, transferred, laid off and terminated. Contractors shall post in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided by the hiring representative of contractors setting forth the provisions of this non-discrimination clause.

Within sixty (60) calendar days after entering into a contract, the successful Consultant, as contractor, shall file a written affirmative action program with the Office of Equal Opportunity containing standards and procedures and representations assuring that the contractor affords all qualified employees and applicants for employment equal opportunities in the Contractor's recruitment, selection and advancement process.

#### 5.7 Short-listing.

The City reserves the right to select a limited number (a "short-list") of Consultants to make an oral presentation of their qualifications, proposed services and capabilities. The City will notify the Consultants selected for oral presentations in writing.

#### 5.8 Execution of Contract.

The successful Consultant shall, within ten (10) business days after receipt of a contract prepared by the City Director of Law, exclusive of Saturdays, Sundays and holidays, execute and return the contract to the City together with evidence of proper insurance and intent to conform to all requirements of the contract and all applicable federal, state and local laws and ordinances prior to or at the time of execution of the contract.

# 5.9 Familiarity with Request for Qualifications; Responsibility for Statement.

By submission of a statement, the Consultant acknowledges that it is aware of and understands all requirements, provisions and conditions in the Request for Qualifications and that its failure to become familiar with all the requirements, provisions, conditions and information either in this Request for Qualifications or disseminated either at a prequalification conference or by addendum issued prior to the Statement submission deadline, and all circumstances and conditions affecting performance of the services to be rendered by the successful Consultant will not relieve it from responsibility for all parts of its Statement and, if selected for a contract, its complete performance of the contract in compliance with its terms. Consultant acknowledges that the City has no responsibility for any conclusions or interpretations made by Consultant on the basis of information made available by the City and the City does not guarantee the accuracy of any information provided and Consultant expressly waives any right to a claim against the City arising from or based upon any incorrect, inaccurate or incomplete information or information not otherwise conforming to represented or actual conditions.

#### 5.10 Anticipated Statement Processing.

The City anticipates it will, but neither promises nor is obligated to, process Statements received in accordance with the following schedule:

Release of Request for Qualifications Pre-qualification Conference Deadline for Inquiries Written Response to Inquiries Deadline for Statements

Wednesday, September 12, 2018 Wednesday, September 26, 2018 Wednesday, October 3, 2018 Friday, October 5, 2018 Wednesday, October 17, 2018

#### 5.11 Interpretation of Statement Document.

A. If any prospective Consultant finds discrepancies or omissions in this Request for Qualifications or if there is doubt as to the intended meaning of any part of this Request for Qualifications, a written request for clarification or interpretation must be received by the Procurement Section of the Department of Port Control, Cleveland Airport System, 5300 Riverside Drive, P. O. Box 81009, Cleveland, Ohio 44181-0009 no later than Wednesday, October 3, 2018. Requests for clarification or interpretation may be submitted via e-mail to rosborne@clevelandairport.com.

B. The City is not responsible for any explanation, clarification, interpretation, representation or approval made concerning this Request for Qualifications or a Statement given in any manner except by written addendum. The City will post online a copy of each addendum issued for this Request for Qualifications. Any addenda so issued are a part of and incorporated into this Request for Qualifications as if originally written herein.

# 6. QUALIFICATIONS FOR STATEMENTS

# 6.1 Minimum Qualifications.

Each Consultant, regardless of the form of its business entity, must meet the following requirements. Failure to meet all requirements may be cause for rejection of a Statement. If Consultant is a partnership or a joint venture, at least one general partner or constituent member must meet the requirements. Each Consultant must:

- 1. Provide evidence that it has a minimum of five (5) continuous years of experience in the last seven (7) years in performing Airport planning services for public agencies.
- 2. Have previous experience in professional Airport planning services for other airports; or employ a designated staff member with airport experience. The designated staff member should have any required licenses and/or certification.
- 3. Possess all applicable licenses, certificates, permits or other authorizations required by all governmental authorities, including the City, having jurisdiction over the operations of the successful Consultant at Airports.
- 4. Be authorized to conduct business in the State of Ohio, County of Cuyahoga and the City of Cleveland.

#### 7. STATEMENT CONTENT

The Statement submittal shall consist of the following documents in the sequence listed below. To facilitate quick reference, each section of the Statement should be offset with a tab. The Statement may be disqualified if the documents are not submitted in the sequence listed below.

A. <u>Cover Letter</u>: The cover letter should identify the firm and state other general information that the Consultant desires to include regarding the Consultant's business organization. At a minimum the cover letter must include the name, form of business entity (e.g. corporation, partnership, joint venture, etc.), principal address, federal tax identification number, telephone number and facsimile number of the Consultant.

- B. <u>Executive Summary</u>: The executive summary should provide a clear and concise summary of Consultant's background, level of expertise, direct relevant experience and ability. The executive summary should make the Consultant's case as the best candidate for providing planning services to the Airports. Consultants should structure this section in a manner that allows it to serve as a stand-alone summary when separated from the other sections of the Statement.
- C. <u>Qualifications/Experience</u>: This section gives Consultants the opportunity to discuss their industry experience and what defines them as a leader in their industry. Consultants may submit as much information in this section as is needed to differentiate itself and its Statement from the other consultants.

Please include, as a minimum, the following information: (i) clearly communicate how you meet or exceed the minimum qualifications; (ii) list relevant recent experience for each firm on the consultant team as it relates to providing aforementioned airport planning services. The list should be limited to no more than seven (7) projects for the prime participant and no more than five (5) projects for each sub consultant. Provide information regarding projects this Consultant team has worked on together previously and length of partnering; (iii) give the name, location and date of all similar contracts that have been terminated or canceled within the past three (3) years, prior to the expiration of their contractual term, and also list any judgments terminating or any pending lawsuits or unresolved disputes for the termination of such services provided by you within the past three (3) years; and (iv) give the names and addresses of at least three (3) references as to your professional capability. The references should include the name of the contact person, e-mail address and telephone number.

- D. <u>Project Approach:</u> Provide a statement discussing your understanding of the consulting opportunity at the Airports, including those factors that are critical to making the opportunity a success. Consultants must provide a detailed discussion of how consultant will approach this opportunity to ensure that the City's goals and objectives will be realized. The Statement should also identify and discuss key issues impacting the services as defined in this Request for Qualifications and the Department as well as discuss methods/models that would address key issues.
- E. <u>Key Staff</u>: Consultants should indicate the key staff proposed for this contract, setting forth the specific responsibilities and availability of each proposed key staff person. Provide for each proposed key staff person a one page resume detailing both general experience and specific experience related to the services as defined in this Request for Qualifications.

Key staff is defined as productive staff having major project responsibilities.

1. Personnel proposed shall have the desired qualifications and experience in his/her area of expertise. It is preferred key staff experience cited be within the past ten years.

- 2. Individuals proposed and accepted by the Department as personnel for this contract are expected to remain dedicated to the contract.
- 3. In the event any key staff person(s) becomes unavailable for continuation of the work assignment, the successful Consultant shall replace said individual(s) with personnel of equal ability and qualifications. However, any changes to designated key staff personnel require the prior written approval of the Department. If acceptable, changes shall be in effect without additional cost to the Department and without formal modification of the contract.
- 4. The successful Consultant shall provide personnel at skill levels required for each type of services to be performed under the contract. Any employee whose service is deemed unsatisfactory for any reason by the Department shall be removed from the project. Upon written notification from the Department, the successful Consultant shall promptly offer a replacement with equal ability and qualifications for the Department's approval. The successful Consultant shall be responsible for any costs arising from the action of the Department relative to this requested action.
- 5. Any member of the successful Consultant's team requiring access to a Security Identification Display Area or Air Operations Area as part of his/her assigned duties shall be subject to background checks, fingerprinting and other requirements as may be determined by the Department, or the Federal Transportation Security Administration. Adherence to all federal, state, county and city laws and regulations and CLE regulations and policy regarding access to certain CLE areas is a requirement of this contract. Failure to comply with appropriate security requirements may be grounds for loss of security access and/or contract termination.
- F. <u>Management Approach</u>: Provide an organizational chart of the Consultant showing all major component units; where the management of this contract will fall within the organization and what resources will be available to support this contract in both primary and secondary or back-up roles. A discussion of cost control related to the location of work and performing project management responsibilities, including participating in meetings and completing work at CLE for this contract should also be included.
- G. Work Product Samples: Consultants are to submit a case history which demonstrates ability to perform planning, design and architectural services to the Airports. Be specific as to how and why the Consultant decided to approach the project a certain way. This case history should address the following elements: (i) concept; (ii) strategy;and (iii) supporting tactics (e.g. traffic forecast). The sample must have been developed within the past three (3) years. In addition, provide examples and discuss in narrative the consultant's capacity to produce quality materials in written, graphic and pictorial form.

- H. <u>DBE/SBE Participation</u>: Consultants shall submit the names of persons, subcontractors, joint ventures or others to be used in meeting DBE/SBE goals or requirements. A listing with Consultant(s) location shall be included in the submittal along with an estimate of anticipated percentage of work to be subcontracted to DBE/SBE and Non DBE/SBE proposed.
- I. <u>Affidavit</u>: Consultant shall submit, with its Statement, an affidavit stating that neither it nor its agents, nor any other party for it has paid or agreed to pay, directly or indirectly, any person, firm or corporation any money or valuable consideration for assistance in procuring or attempting to procure this contract, and further agreeing that no such money or reward will be hereafter paid.
- Joint Ventures or Partnerships: If the Statement submitted is on behalf of a joint venture or partnership, an executed copy of the joint venture or partnership agreement must be submitted with the Statement and will become an attachment to the City's contract. The award of a contract to the joint venture or partnership may be indicated as a condition precedent for the commencement of either such agreement.
- K. <u>Additional Submittal Requirements</u>: Consultant shall complete, execute and return with its Statement the following documents, copies of which are attached to this Request for Qualifications: (i) Northern Ireland Fair Employment Practices Disclosure; (ii) Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification; (iii) Affidavit; and (iv) Non-Competitive Bid Contract Statement for Calendar Year 2018.
- L. <u>Environmental Sustainability</u>: Describe how the proposed services/project/solution incorporate environmental sustainability.

#### M. Supplemental Information

- 1. The City may require a consultant to further supplement its written Statement to obtain additional information regarding its qualifications or to meet with the City's designated representatives to further describe the firm's qualifications and abilities.
- 2. The decision regarding which consultant(s) will be asked to supplement their Statement or meet with City representatives is in the Director's sole discretion.
- 3. Supplements will be utilized for clarification purposes only and the consultant may not substitute material elements of its written Statement nor may the consultant provide previously omitted material. The requested information or meeting shall be respectively furnished or take place at the time and place specified by the City.

# 8. INQUIRIES

Interested parties may submit questions pertaining to the Request for Qualifications. Questions must be submitted, in writing, to the Procurement Section of the Department of Port Control, 5300 Riverside Drive, P. O. Box 81009, Cleveland, Ohio 44181-0009 no later than **Wednesday**, **October 3**, **2018**. The Department will post online, via Addendum form, responses to all question received. Questions may be submitted via e-mail to **rosborne@clevelandairport.com**. Verbal responses given by representatives of the City at any time may not be relied upon by the Consultant in submitting its Statement or in the performance of its obligations under the Request for Qualifications.

# 9. DISQUALIFICATION OF CONSULTANT/ STATEMENT

The City does not intend by this Request for Qualifications to prohibit or discourage submission of a Statement that is based upon Consultant's trade experience relative to the scope of work, services or product(s) described in this Request for Qualifications or to proscribe the manner in which its services are to be performed or rendered. The City will not be obligated to accept, however, significant deviations from the work or services sought by this Request for Qualifications, including terms inconsistent with or substantially varying from the services or the financial and operational requirements of the Request for Qualifications, as determined solely by the City. The City reserves the right to reject any and all Statements or to waive and accept any deviation from this Request for Qualifications or in any step of the Statement submission or evaluation process so as to approve the award of the contract considered to be in the City's best interest, as determined in the City's sole discretion.

Although the City prefers that each Consultant submit only one Statement including all alternatives to the Statement that the Consultant desires the City to consider, it will accept Statements from different business entities or combinations having one or more members in interest in common with another Consultant. The City may reject one or more Statements if it has reason to believe that Consultants have colluded to conceal the interest of one or more parties in a Statement, and will not consider a future Statement from a participant in the collusion. In addition, the City will not accept a Statement from or approve a contract to any Consultant that is in default as surety or otherwise upon an obligation to the City or has failed to perform faithfully any previous contract with the City, or is currently in default under any contract with the City.

The City reserves the right to reject any or all Statements. Failure by a Consultant to respond thoroughly and completely to all information and document requests in this Request for Qualifications may result in rejection of its Statement. Further, the City reserves the right to independently investigate the financial status, qualifications, experience and performance history of a Consultant.

The City reserves the right to cancel the approval or authorization of a contract award, with or without cause, at any time before its execution of a contract and to later enter into a contract that deviates from the provisions contained in this Request for Qualifications, if agreed to by another Consultant.

#### 10. EVALUATION OF STATEMENTS

The City department/division issuing this Request for Qualifications will evaluate each Statement submitted. The Department will present its recommendations to the City's Board of Control ("Board"). The Board may, but shall not be obligated to, entertain formal presentations. The City will only consider Statements that are received on or before the submission deadline, and which meet all the requirements of this Request for Qualifications. The City reserves the right to request a "best and final offer" from Consultants meeting the minimum requirements.

CLE shall apply an Evaluation Credit of two percent (2%) of the total points awarded for a Statement received from a Local Producer and two percent (2%) of the total points awarded for a Statement received from a Local Sustainable Business provided that the maximum total Evaluation Credit applied shall not exceed four percent (4%). The Evaluation Credit to be added is solely for the purpose of Statement comparison when evaluating competing Statements. The use of Evaluation Credits does not alter the Statement submitted by a Consultant or the contract executed based on the Statement. As used herein "Local Producer" and "Local Sustainable Business" are defined in City of Cleveland Ordinance No. 1660-A-09 (Refer to Exhibit "A" attached hereto).

The numerical rating following each factor set forth below indicates the importance of the requested information in the selection process. The resulting selection rating will not reflect on the professional abilities of the Consultant. Instead, the rating reflects the City's best attempt to quantify each Consultant's ability to provide the services set forth in the contract and to meet the specific conditions and criteria included in this Request for Qualifications.

- 1. Qualifications/Experience. (Rating up to 15 points)
- 2. Project Approach. (Rating up to 30 points)
- 3. Key Staff. (Rating up to 20 points)
- 4. Management Approach. (Rating up to 25 points)
- 5. Work Product Sample. (Rating up to 10 points)
- 6. DBE/MBE/FBE Participation: Firms shall submit the names of persons, subcontractors, joint ventures or others to be used in meeting DBE/MBE/FBE goals. (Pass/Fail)

# NORTHERN IRELAND FAIR EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES DISCLOSURE

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(Rev. December 2014) Department of the Treasury

# Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give Form to the requester. Do not send to the IRS.

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Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)

Note. If you are a U.S. person and a requester gives you a form other than Form W-9 to request your TIN, you must use the requester's form if it is substantially similar to this Form W-9.

**Definition of a U.S.** person. For federal tax purposes, you are considered a U.S. person if you are:

- An individual who is a U.S. citizen or U.S. resident alien;
- A partnership, corporation, company, or association oreated or organized in the United States or under the laws of the United States;
- · An estate (other than a foreign estate); or
- A domestic trust (as defined in Regulations section 301.7701-7).

Special rules for partnerships. Partnerships that conduct a trade or business in the United States are generally required to pay a withholding tax under section. 1446 on any foreign partners' share of effectively connected taxable income from such business. Further, in certain cases where a Form W-9 has not been received, the rules under section 1446 require a partnership to presume that a partner is a foreign person, and pay the section 1446 withholding tax. Therefore, if you are a U.S. person that is a partner in a partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States, provide Form W-9 to the partnership to establish your U.S. status and avoid section 1446 withholding on your share of partnership income.

In the cases below, the following person must give Form W-9 to the partnership for purposes of establishing its U.S. status and avoiding withholding on its allocable share of net income from the partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States:

- In the case of a disregarded entity with a U.S. owner, the U.S. owner of the disregarded entity and not the entity;
- In the case of a grantor trust with a U.S. grantor or other U.S. owner, generally, the U.S. grantor or other U.S. owner of the grantor trust and not the trust; and
- In the case of a U.S. trust (other than a grantor trust), the U.S. trust (other than a grantor trust) and not the beneficiaries of the trust.

Foreign person. If you are a foreign person or the U.S. branch of a foreign bank that has elected to be treated as a U.S. person, do not use Form W-9. Instead, use the appropriate Form W-8 or Form 8233 (see Publication 615, Withholding of Tax on Nonresident Allens and Foreign Entities).

On nonresident alien who becomes a resident alien. Generally, only a nonresident alien individual may use the terms of a tax treaty to reduce or eliminate U.S. tax on certain types of income. However, most tax treaties contain a provision known as a "saving clause." Exceptions specified in the saving clause may permit an exemption from tax to continue for certain types of income even after the payee has otherwise become a U.S. resident alien for tax purposes.

If you are a U.S. resident alien who is relying on an exception contained in the saving clause of a tax treaty to claim an exemption from U.S. tax on certain types of income, you must attach a statement to Form W-9 that specifies the following five items:

- The treaty country. Generally, this must be the same treaty under which you claimed exemption from tax as a nonresident alien.
- 2. The treaty article addressing the income
- The article number (or location) in the tax treaty that contains the saving clause and its exceptions.
- The type and amount of income that qualifies for the exemption from tax.
- Sufficient facts to justify the exemption from tax under the terms of the treaty article.

Example. Article 20 of the U.S.-China income tax treaty allows an exemption from tax for scholarship income received by a Chinese student temporarily present in the United States. Under U.S. law, this student will become a resident alien for tax purposes if his or her stay in the United States exceeds 5 calendar years. However, paragraph 2 of the first Protocol to the U.S.-China treaty (dated April 30, 1984) allows the provisions of Article 20 to continue to apply even after the Chinese student becomes a resident alien of the United States. A Chinese student who qualifies for this exception (under paragraph 2 of the first protocol) and is relying on this exception to claim an exemption from tax on his or her scholarship or fellowship income would attach to Form W-9 a statement that includes the information described above to support that exemption.

If you are a nonresident alien or a foreign entity, give the requester the appropriate completed Form W-8 or Form 8233,

#### **Backup Withholding**

What is backup withholding? Persons making certain payments to you must under certain conditions withhold and pay to the IRS 28% of such payments. This is called "backup withholding." Payments that may be subject to backup withholding include interest, tax-exempt interest, dividends, broker and barter exchange transactions, rents, royalties, nonemployee pay, payments made in settlement of payment card and third party network transactions, and certain payments from fishing boat operators. Real estate transactions are not subject to backup withholding.

You will not be subject to backup withholding on payments you receive if you give the requester your correct TIN, make the proper certifications, and report all your taxable interest and dividends on your tax return.

Payments you receive will be subject to backup withholding if:

- 1. You do not furnish your TIN to the requester,
- 2. You do not certify your TIN when required (see the Part II instructions on page 3 for details),  $\,$

- 3. The IRS tells the requester that you furnished an incorrect TIN,
- 4. The IRS tells you that you are subject to backup withholding because you did not report all your interest and dividends on your tax return (for reportable interest and dividends only), or
- You do not certify to the requester that you are not subject to backup withholding under 4 above (for reportable interest and dividend accounts opened after 1983 only).

Certain payees and payments are exempt from backup withholding. See Exempt payee code on page 3 and the separate Instructions for the Requester of Form W-9 for more information.

Also see Special rules for partnerships above.

#### What is FATCA reporting?

The Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA) requires a participating foreign financial institution to report all United States account holders that are specified United States persons. Certain payees are exempt from FATCA reporting. See Exemption from FATCA reporting code on page 3 and the Instructions for the Requester of Form W-9 for more Information.

#### **Updating Your Information**

You must provide updated information to any person to whom you claimed to be an exempt payee if you are no longer an exempt payee and anticipate receiving reportable payments in the future from this person. For example, you may need to provide updated information if you are a C corporation that elects to be an S corporation, or if you no longer are tax exempt. In addition, you must furnish a new Form W-9 if the name or TIN changes for the account; for example, if the grantor of a grantor trust dies.

#### Penalties

Failure to furnish TIN. If you fail to furnish your correct TIN to a requester, you are subject to a penalty of \$50 for each such failure unless your failure is due to reasonable cause and not to willful neglect.

Civil penelty for false information with respect to withholding. If you make a false statement with no reasonable basis that results in no backup withholding, you are subject to a \$500 penalty.

Criminal penalty for falsifying information. Willfully falsifying certifications or affirmations may subject you to criminal penalties including fines and/or imprisonment.

Misuse of TINs. If the requester discloses or uses TINs in violation of federal law, the requester may be subject to civil and criminal penalties.

#### Specific Instructions

#### Line '

You must enter one of the following on this line; do not leave this line blank. The name should match the name on your tax return.

- If this Form W-9 is for a joint account, list first, and then circle, the name of the person or entity whose number you entered in Part I of Form W-9.
- a. Individual. Generally, enter the name shown on your tax return. If you have changed your last name without informing the Social Security Administration (SSA) of the name change, enter your first name, the last name as shown on your social security card, and your new last name.

Note. ITIN applicant: Enter your individual name as it was entered on your Form W-7 application, line 1a. This should also be the same as the name you entered on the Form 1040/1040A/1040EZ you filed with your application.

- Sole proprietor or single-member LLC. Enter your individual name as shown on your 1040/1040A/1040EZ on line 1. You may enter your business, trade, or "doing business as" (DBA) name on line 2.
- c. Partnership, LLC that is not a single-member LLC, C Corporation, or S Corporation. Enter the entity's name as shown on the entity's tax return on line 1 and any business, trade, or DBA name on line 2.
- d. Other entities. Enter your name as shown on required U.S. federal tax documents on line 1. This name should match the name shown on the charter or other legal document creating the entity. You may enter any business, trade, or DBA name on line 2.
- e. Disregarded entity. For U.S. federal tax purposes, an entity that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner is treated as a "disregarded entity." See Regulations section 301.7701-26(2)(2)(ii). Their the owner's name on line 1. The name of the entity entered on line 1 should never be a disregarded entity. The name on line 1 should be the name shown on the income tax return on which the income should be reported. For example, if a foreign LLC that is treated as a disregarded entity for U.S. federal tax purposes has a single owner that is a U.S. person, the U.S. owner's name is required to be provided on line 1. If the direct owner of the entity is also a disregarded entity, enter the first owner that is not disregarded for federal tax purposes. Enter the disregarded entity's name on line 2, "Business name/disregarded entity name." If the owner of the disregarded entity is a foreign person, the owner must complete an appropriate Form W-9. This is the case even if the foreign person has a U.S. TiN.

#### Line 2

If you have a business name, trade name, DBA name, or disregarded entity name, you may enter it on line 2.

#### Line 3

Check the appropriate box in line 3 for the U.S. federal tax classification of the person whose name is entered on line 1. Check only one box in line 3.

Limited Liability Company (LLC), if the name on line 1 is an LLC treated as a partnership for U.S. federal tax purposes, check the "Limited Liability Company" box and enter "p" in the space provided. If the LLC has filed Form 8832 or 2553 to be taxed as a corporation, check the "Limited Liability Company" box and in the space provided enter "C" for C corporation or "S" for S corporation. If it is a single-member LLC that is a disregarded entity, do not check the "Limited Liability Company" box; instead check the first box in line 3 "Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC."

#### Line 4, Exemptions

If you are exempt from backup withholding and/or FATCA reporting, enter in the appropriate space in line 4 any code(s) that may apply to you.

#### Exempt payes code.

- Generally, individuals (including sole proprietors) are not exempt from backup withholding.
- Except as provided below, corporations are exempt from backup withholding for certain payments, including interest and dividends.
- Corporations are not exempt from backup withholding for payments made in settlement of payment card or third party network transactions.
- Corporations are not exempt from backup withholding with respect to attorneys' fees or gross proceeds paid to attorneys, and corporations that provide medical or health care services are not exempt with respect to payments reportable on Form 1099-MISC.

The following codes identify payees that are exempt from backup withholding. Enter the appropriate code in the space in line 4.

- 1—An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a), any IRA, or a custodial account under section 403(b)(7) if the account satisfies the requirements of section 401(f)(2)
- 2-The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities
- 3-A state, the District of Columbia, a U.S. commonwealth or possession, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities
- 4—A foreign government or any of its political subdivisions, agencies, or instrumentalities
- 5-A corporation
- 6—A dealer in securities or commodities required to register in the United States, the District of Columbia, or a U.S. commonwealth or possession
- 7—A futures commission merchant registered with the Commodity Futures Trading Commission
- 8-A real estate investment trust
- 9--An entity registered at all times during the tax year under the Investment Company Act of 1940
  - 10-A common trust fund operated by a bank under section 584(a)
  - 11-A financial institution
- 12--A middleman known in the investment community as a nominee or custodian
- 13-A trust exempt from tax under section 664 or described in section 4947

The following chart shows types of payments that may be exempt from backup withholding. The chart applies to the exempt payees listed above, 1 through 13.

IF the payment is for	THEN the payment is exempt for
Interest and dividend payments	All exempt payees except for 7
Broker transactions	Exempt payees 1 through 4 and 6 through 11 and all C corporations. S corporations must not enter an exempt payee code because they are exempt only for sales of noncovered securities acquired prior to 2012.
Barter exchange transactions and patronage dividends	Exempt payees 1 through 4
Payments over \$600 required to be reported and direct sales over \$5,000 <sup>1</sup>	Generally, exempt payees 1 through 52
Payments made in settlement of payment card or third party network transactions	Exempt payees 1 through 4

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup> See Form 1099-MISC, Miscellaneous Income, and its instructions.

<sup>2</sup>However, the following payments made to a corporation and reportable on Form 1099-MISC are not exempt from backup withholding: medical and health care payments, attorneys' fees, gross proceeds paid to an attorney reportable under section 5045(f), and payments for services paid by a federal executive agency.

section 6045(f), and payments for services paid by a federal executive agency. Exemption from FATCA reporting code. The following codes identify payees that are exempt from reporting under FATCA. These codes apply to persons submitting this form for accounts maintained outside of the United States by certain foreign financial institutions. Therefore, if you are only submitting this form for an account you hold in the United States, you may leave this field blank. Consult with the person requesting this form if you are uncertain if the financial institution is subject to these requirements. A requester may indicate that a code is not required by providing you with a Form W-9 with "Not Applicable" (or any similar indication) written or printed on the line for a FATCA exemption code.

- A—An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a) or any individual retirement plan as defined in section 7701(a)(37)
- B-The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities
- C-A state, the District of Columbia, a U.S. commonwealth or possession, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities
- D—A corporation the stock of which is regularly traded on one or more established securities markets, as described in Regulations section 1.1472-1(x)(1)(i)
- $E-A\ corporation\ that\ is\ a\ member\ of\ the\ same\ expanded\ affiliated\ group\ as\ a\ corporation\ described\ in\ Regulations\ section\ 1.1472-1(c)(1)(i)$
- F—A dealer in securities, commodities, or derivative financial instruments (including notional principal contracts, futures, forwards, and options) that is registered as such under the laws of the United States or any state
  - G-A real estate investment trust
- H—A regulated investment company as defined in section 851 or an entity registered at all times during the tax year under the investment Company Act of 1940
- I-A common trust fund as defined in section 584(a)
- J-A bank as defined in section 581
- K-A broker
- L-A trust exempt from tax under section 664 or described in section 4947(a)(1)
- M-A tax exempt trust under a section 403(b) plan or section 457(g) plan

Note. You may wish to consult with the financial institution requesting this form to determine whether the FATCA code and/or exempt payee code should be completed.

#### Line 5

Enter your address (number, street, and apartment or suite number). This is where the requester of this Form W-9 will mail your information returns.

#### Line 6

Enter your city, state, and ZIP code.

#### Part I. Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. If you are a resident alien and you do not have and are not eligible to get an SSN, your TIN is your IRS individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN). Enter it in the social security number box. If you do not have an ITIN, see How to get a TIN below.

If you are a sole proprietor and you have an EIN, you may enter either your SSN or EIN. However, the IRS prefers that you use your SSN.

If you are a single-member LLC that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner (see Limited Liability Company (LLC) on this page), enter the owner's SSN (or EIN, if the owner has one). Do not enter the disregarded entity's EIN. If the LLC is classified as a corporation or partnership, enter the entity's EIN.

Note. See the chart on page 4 for further clarification of name and TIN combinations.

How to get a TIN. If you do not have a TIN, apply for one immediately. To apply for an SSN, get Form SS-5, Application for a Social Security Card, from your local SSA office or get this form online at www.ssa.gov. You may also get this form by calling 1-800-772-1213. Use Form W-7, Application for IRS Individual Taxpayer Identification Number, to apply for an ITIN, or Form SS-4, Application for Employer Identification Number, to apply for an EIN. You can apply for an EIN online by accessing the IRS website at www.frs.gov/businesses and clicking on Employer Identification Number (EIN) under Starting a Business. You can get Forms W-7 and SS-4 from the IRS by visiting IRS.gov or by calling 1-800-TAX-FORM (1-800-829-3676).

If you are asked to complete Form W-9 but do not have a TIN, apply for a TIN and give if to the requester. For in the space for the TIN, sign and date the form, and give if to the requester. For interest and dividend payments, and certain payments made with respect to readily tradable instruments, generally you will have 60 days to get a TIN and give it to the requester before you are subject to backup withholding on payments. The 60-day rule does not apply to other types of payments. You will be subject to backup withholding on all such payments until you provide your TIN to the requester.

Note. Entering "Applied For" means that you have already applied for a TIN or that you intend to apply for one soon.

Caution: A disregarded U.S. entity that has a foreign owner must use the appropriate Form W-8.

#### Part II. Certification

To establish to the withholding agent that you are a U.S. person, or resident alien, sign Form W-9. You may be requested to sign by the withholding agent even if items 1, 4, or 5 below indicate otherwise.

For a joint account, only the person whose TIN is shown in Part I should sign (when required). In the case of a disregarded entity, the person identified on line 1 must sign. Exempt payees, see Exempt payee code earlier.

Signature requirements. Complete the certification as indicated in items 1 through 5 below.

- Interest, dividend, and barter exchange accounts opened before 1984 and broker accounts considered active during 1983. You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification.
- 2. Interest, dividend, broker, and barter exchange accounts opened after 1983 and broker accounts considered inactive during 1983. You must sign the certification or backup withholding will apply. If you are subject to backup withholding and you are merely providing your correct TN to the requester, you must cross out item 2 in the certification before signing the form.
- 3. Real estate transactions. You must sign the certification. You may cross out item 2 of the certification.
- 4. Other payments. You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification unless you have been notified that you have previously given an incorrect TIN. "Other payments" include payments made in the course of the requester's trade or business for rents, royalties, goods (other than bills for merchandise), medical and health care services (including payments to corporations), payments to a nonemployee for services, payments made in settlement of payment card and third party network transactions, payments to certain fishing boat crew members and fishermen, and gross proceeds paid to attorneys (including payments to corporations).
- 5. Mortgage interest paid by you, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, qualified tuition program payments (under section 529), IRA, Coverdell ESA, Archer MSA or HSA contributions or distributions, and pension distributions. You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification.

#### What Name and Number To Give the Requester

For this type of account:	Give name and SSN of:
Individual     Two or more Individuals (joint account)	The individual The actual owner of the account or, if combined funds, the first individual on the account
<ol> <li>Custodian account of a minor (Uniform Gift to Minors Act)</li> </ol>	The minor <sup>2</sup>
a. The usual revocable savings trust (grantor is also trustee)     b. So-called trust account that is not a legal or valid trust under state law	The grantor-trustee* The actual owner*
<ol><li>Sole proprietorship or disregarded entity owned by an individual</li></ol>	The owner
Grantor trust filing under Optional     Form 1099 Filing Method 1 (see     Regulations section 1.671-4(b)(2)(j)     (A))	The grantor*
For this type of account:	Give name and EIN of:
<ol> <li>Disregarded entity not owned by an individual</li> </ol>	The owner
8. A valid trust, estate, or pension trust	Legal entity
Corporation or LLC electing corporate status on Form 8832 or Form 2553	The corporation
<ol> <li>Association, club, religious, charitable, educational, or other tax- exempt organization</li> </ol>	The organization
11. Partnership or multi-member LLC	The partnership
12. A broker or registered nominee	The broker or nominee
13. Account with the Department of Agriculture in the name of a public entity (such as a state or local government, school district, or prison) that receives agricultural program payments	The public entity
14. Grantor trust filing under the Form 1041 Filing Method or the Optional Form 1099 Filing Method 2 (see Regulations section 1.671-4(b)(2)(i) (B))	The trust

List first and circle the name of the person whose number you furnish, if only one person on a joint account has an SSN, that person's number must be furnished.

<sup>2</sup>Circle the minor's name and furnish the minor's SSN.

- <sup>3</sup>You must show your individual name and you may also enter your business or DBA name on the "Business name/disregarded entity" name line. You may use either your SSN or EIN (if you have one), but the IRS encourages you to use your SSN.
- List first and circle the name of the trust, estate, or pension trust. (Do not furnish the TIN of the personal representative or trustee unless the legal entity itself is not designated in the account title.) Also see Special rules for partnerships on page 2.

  \*Note. Granter also must provide a Form W-9 to trustee of trust.
- Note. If no name is circled when more than one name is listed, the number will be considered to be that of the first name listed.

#### Secure Your Tax Records from Identity Theft

Identity theft occurs when someone uses your personal information such as your name, SSN, or other identifying information, without your permission, to commit fraud or other crimes. An identity thief may use your SSN to get a job or may file a tax return using your SSN to receive a returnd.

To reduce your risk:

- · Protect your SSN,
- · Ensure your employer is protecting your SSN, and
- · Be careful when choosing a tax preparer.

If your tax records are affected by identity theft and you receive a notice from the IRS, respond right away to the name and phone number printed on the IRS notice or letter.

If your tax records are not currently affected by identity theft but you think you are at risk due to a lost or stolen purse or wallet, questionable credit card activity or credit report, contact the IRS identity Theft Hotline at 1-800-908-4490 or submit Form 14039.

For more information, see Publication 4535, Identity Theft Prevention and Victim Assistance.

Victims of identity theft who are experiencing economic harm or a system problem, or are seeking help in resolving tax problems that have not been resolved through normal channels, may be eligible for Taxpayer Advocate Service (TAS) assistance. You can reach TAS by calling the TAS toll-free case intake line at 1-877-777-4778 or TTY/TDD 1-800-829-4059.

Protect yourself from suspicious emails or phishing schemes. Phishing is the creation and use of email and websites designed to mimic legitimate business emails and websites. The most common act is sending an email to a user falsely claiming to be an established legitimate enterprise in an attempt to scam the user into surrendering private information that will be used for identity theft.

The IRS does not initiate contacts with taxpayers via emails. Also, the IRS does not request personal detailed information through email or ask taxpayers for the PIN numbers, passwords, or similar secret access information for their credit card, bank, or other financial accounts.

If you receive an unsolicited email claiming to be from the IRS, forward this message to phishing@irs.gov. You may also report misuse of the IRS name, logo, or other IRS property to the Treasury inspector General for Tax Administration (TIGTA) at 1-800-366-4484. You can forward suspicious emails to the Federal Trade Commission at: spam@uce.gov or contact them at www.ftc.gov/ldtheft or 1-877-IDTHEFT (1-877-438-4338).

Visit IRS.gov to learn more about identity theft and how to reduce your risk.

#### **Privacy Act Notice**

Section 6109 of the Internal Revenue Code requires you to provide your correct TIN to persons (including federal agencies) who are required to file information returns with the IRS to report interest, dividends, or certain other income paid to you; mortgage interest you paid; the acquisition or abandonment of secured property; the cancellation of debt; or contributions you made to an IRA, Archer MSA, or HSA. The person collecting this form uses the information on the form to file information returns with the IRS, reporting the above information. Routine uses of this information include giving it to the Department of Justice for civil and criminal litigation and to cities, states, the District of Columbia, and U.S. commonwealths and possessions for use in administering their laws. The information also may be disclosed to other countries under a treaty, to federal and state agencies to enforce civil and criminal laws, or to federal aw enforcement and intelligence agencies to combat terrorism. You must provide your TIN whether or not you are required to file a tax return. Under section 3406, payers must generally withhold a percentage of taxable interest, dividend, and certain other payments to a payee who does not give a TIN to the payer. Certain penalties may also apply for providing false or fraudulent information.

NOTE: Sections 181.23 and 185.04 of The Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio 1976 require that this affidavit, properly executed and containing all required information, accompany your bid. JF YOU FAIL TO COMPLY, YOUR BID WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

STATE OF	
COUNTY OF	SS AFFIDAVIT
	being first duly
	sworn deposes and says:
Individual only:	That he/she is an individual doing business under the name of
	at, State of
Partnership only:	That he/she is the duly authorized representative of a partnership doing business under the name of
	, in the City of
	, State of
Corporation only:	That he/she is the duly authorized, qualified and acting
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, n	and existing under the laws of the State of;
8	and that said individual, said partnership or said corporation, is filing herewith
* **	a bid to the City of Cleveland in conformity with the foregoing specifications;
Individual only:	Affiant further says that the following is a complete and accurate list of the names
	and addresses of all persons interested in said proposed contract:
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	Affiant further says that he/she is represented by the following attorneys:
	and is also represented by the following resident agents in the City of Cleveland:
Partnership only:	Affiant further says that the following is a complete and accurate list of the names
	and addresses of the members of said partnership:
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	Affiant further says that said partnership is represented by the following
	attorneys:
	and is also represented by the following resident agents in the City of Cleveland:

Corporation only:	Affiant further says that the follo	owing is a complete and acc	urate list of the
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	President	Directors:	
	Vice President		
	Secretary		
	Treasurer		
	Cleveland Manager or Agent		
	Attorneys		
	And that the following officers are	duly authorized to execute co	ontracts on behalf
	of said corporation:		
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that said bidder has not in conference with anyone to fi profit or cost element of such City of Cleveland or anyone are true; that said bidder has the contents thereof, or divulindirectly, any money or other procuring or attempting to company, association, organ such person or persons as hidder in his general busing indirectly, any money or association, organization or association, organization or	anyone else to put in a sham bid any manner, directly or indirectly, ix the bid price of said bidder or on bid price or that of any other bidd interested in the proposed contract not, directly or indirectly, submitted liged information or data relative the valuable consideration for assist procure the contract above referization or to any member or agent ereinabove disclosed to have a paress; and further that said bidder other valuable consideration to to any member or agent there act above referred to in the event the	sought by agreement, or fany other bidder, or to fer, or to secure any advart, that all statements control his bid price or any breaknereto, or paid or agree trance or aid rendered or the tred to, to any corporation thereof, or to any other incidency or to any corporation, partnered, or to any other indiversame is awarded to	ommunication of ix any overhead intage against the ained in such bick-down thereof of pay, directly of be rendered intion, partnership lividual, except to pay, directly of pay, directly of pay, directly of pay, directly of pay, for aid of ainerest with said pay, directly of pay, for aid of ainext.
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# NON-COMPETITIVE BID CONTRACT STATEMENT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2018 (ALL DEPARTMENTS/OFFICES)

This statement, COMPLY, YOUR	properly executed and containing all required information must be completed. IF YOU FAIL TO R PROPOSAL WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.
Entity Name:	
Entity's Mailing A	Address:
COMPLETE SE	CTION I, II, <u>OR</u> III BELOW, WHICHEVER IS APPROPRIATE, AND SECTION IV.
	poses of this Statement, the "Mayor" and "Mayor's Committee" means Frank G. Jackson and the n For A Better Cleveland Committee, respectively.
SECTION I.	TO BE COMPLETED BY NON-PROFIT CORPORATIONS AND GOVERNMENTAL ENTITIES.
If you are recog designation belo	nized by the IRS as a non-profit corporation or are a governmental entity, mark the appropriate w and proceed to the indicated section(s).
NON-P	ROFIT CORPORATION GO TO SECTIONS III and IV.
GOVER	RNMENTAL ENTITY GO TO SECTION IV.
SECTION II.	TO BE COMPLETED BY INDIVIDUALS, SOLE PROPRIETORSHIPS, PARTNERSHIPS, INCORPORATED PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS, UNINCORPORATED ASSOCIATIONS, ESTATES AND TRUSTS.
The above-name	ed entity is a (Please mark appropriate designation):
SOLE	PROPRIETORSHIP TRUST
	PORATED PROFESSIONAL  LIATION ESTATE
UNINC	ORPORATED ASSOCIATION PARTNERSHIP
LIMITE	D LIABILITY COMPANY JOINT VENTURE
	poses of Section II, a "principal" means an individual, an owner, a partner, a shareholder, a member, inistrator, an executor or trustee connected with the above-named entity, or the spouse of any of
checked, the C	PARAGRAPHS ( A ) and ( B ) and mark the appropriate paragraph. If paragraph ( B ) is ity of Cleveland is prohibited by Section 3517.13 of the Revised Code from awarding a nonid contract over \$500.00 to the entity during calendar year 2018 unless Council makes a direct
(A)	NO ONE PRINCIPAL of the above named entity made one or more contributions to the Mayor or the Mayor's Committee between January 1, 2016 and December 31, 2017 that totaled in excess of \$1,000.00 per individual. (This paragraph also applies if no principal of the above-named entity made any contributions to the Mayor or the Mayor's Committee).
(B)	ONE OR MORE PRINCIPALS of the above named entity made, as individual(s), one or more contributions to the Mayor or the Mayor's Committee between January 1, 2016 and December 31, 2017 that totaled in excess of \$1,000.00.

SECTION III.	TO BE COMPLETED BY NON- PROFIT AND FOR-PROFIT CORPORATIONS AND BUSINESS TRUSTS.
NON-F	PROFIT CORPORATION FOR-PROFIT CORPORATION
BUSIN	NESS TRUST (OTHER THAN INCORPORATED PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS)
	For purposes of Section III, a "principal" means an individual or an entity owning more than 20% of the corporation or business trust or the spouse of any such individual.
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(A)	NO INDIVIDUAL or entity owned more than 20% of the corporation or business trust between January 1, 2016 and December 31, 2017.
(B)	NO PRINCIPAL of the above named entity made, as an individual, one or more contributions to the Mayor or the Mayor's Committee between January 1, 2016 and December 31, 2017 that totaled in excess of \$1,000.00. (This paragraph also applies if no principal of the above-named entity made any contributions to the Mayor or the Mayor's Committee).
(C)	ONE OR MORE PRINCIPALS of the above named entity made one or more contributions to the Mayor or the Mayor's Committee between January 1, 2016 and December 31, 2017 that totaled in excess of \$1,000.00 individual.
(D)	FUNDS OF THE NON-PROFIT CORPORATION were contributed to the Mayor or the Mayor's Committee at any time.
GO TO SECTIO	DN IV.
SECTION IV.	TO BE COMPLETED BY ALL ENTITIES.
I do hereby state best of my know	te that I have legal authority to complete this statement on behalf of the above-named entity and to the viedge and belief the answers herein are true and complete.
Print Name	Print Title
Signature	Date
Telephone No.	(Area Code)
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COUNTY OF _	) SS: )
Before me, a	Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared the above-named , who acknowledged that (he/she) did sign the foregoing statement and
that the sam	ne is (his/her) free act deed, personally and as duly authorized representative o
(he/she) signed.	
	Notary Public
	Date
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