



# LEXINGTON

## Bid 93-2023 Myers Fence Inc. Supplier Response

### Event Information

Number: Bid 93-2023  
Title: Fencing Services  
Type: Competitive Bid  
Issue Date: 7/27/2023  
Deadline: 8/9/2023 02:00 PM (ET)  
Notes: **ONLY ONLINE BIDS WILL BE ACCEPTED. PLEASE FILL OUT THE BID PACKAGE AND ATTACH IN THE "RESPONSE ATTACHMENTS" TAB INCLUDING ANY OTHER REQUIRED DOCUMENTS AS LISTED IN THE SPECIFICATIONS.**

### Contact Information

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## Myers Fence Inc. Information

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Web Address: myersfencing.com

ONLY ONLINE BIDS WILL BE ACCEPTED! By submitting your response, you certify that you are authorized to represent and bind your company and that you agree to all bid terms and conditions as stated in the attached bid/RFP/RFQ/Quote/Auction documents.

Shon Ping

*Signature*

*Submitted at 8/7/2023 02:26:29 PM (ET)*

shonping@ymail.com

*Email*

## Response Attachments

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BID#93-2023 FENCING SERVICE



**LEXINGTON**

# Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government

Lexington, Kentucky  
Horse Capital of the World

Division of Central Purchasing

Date of Issue: July 27, 2023

## INVITATION TO BID #93-2023 Fencing Services

**Bid Opening Date:** August 9, 2023

**Bid Opening Time:** 2:00 PM

**Address:** All bids must be submitted on line at <https://lexingtonky.ionwave.net/>

**Type of Bid:** Price Contract

**Pre Bid Meeting:** N/A

**Pre Bid Time:** N/A

**Address:** N/A

Sealed bids will ONLY be received online at <https://lexingtonky.ionwave.net/> until **2:00 PM**, prevailing local time on **08/09/2023**. Bids must be submitted/uploaded by the above-mentioned date and time.

Bids are to include all shipping, handling and associated fees to the point of delivery (unless otherwise specified in the bid documents below) located at: Various Location, Lexington, KY

<b>Check One:</b>		<b>Proposed Delivery:</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Bid Specifications Met	<input type="checkbox"/> Exceptions to Bid Specifications. <i>Exceptions shall be itemized and attached to bid proposal submitted.</i>	_____ days after acceptance of bid.
<b>Procurement Card Usage</b> —The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government may be using Procurement Cards to purchase goods and services and also to make payments. Will you accept Procurement Cards? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		

**To expedite award, the forms in this document should be completed and uploaded with your bid.**

Submitted by: Myers Fence Inc.  
*Firm Name*

100 Moore Dr.  
*Address*

Nicholasville, KY 40356  
*City, State & Zip*

**Bid must be signed:** Shou Ping - Sales Manager  
*Signature of Authorized Company Representative - Title*

Shou Ping  
*Representative's Name (Typed or printed)*

859-621-1814  
*Area Code - Phone - Extension*      *Fax #*

N/A  
*E-Mail Address*      shouping78@gmail.com



The Affidavit in this bid must be completed before your firm can be considered for award of this contract.

**AFFIDAVIT**

Comes the Affiant, Myers Fence, Inc., and after being first duly sworn under penalty of perjury as follows:

1. His/her name is Troy C. Myers and he/she is the individual submitting the bid or is the authorized representative of Myers Fence, Inc. the entity submitting the bid (hereinafter referred to as "Bidder")
2. Bidder will pay all taxes and fees, which are owed to the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government at the time the bid is submitted, prior to award of the contract and will maintain a "current" status in regard to those taxes and fees during the life of the contract.
3. Bidder will obtain a Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government business license, if applicable, prior to award of the contract.
4. Bidder has authorized the Division of Central Purchasing to verify the above-mentioned information with the Division of Revenue and to disclose to the Urban County Council that taxes and/or fees are delinquent or that a business license has not been obtained.
5. Bidder has not knowingly violated any provision of the campaign finance laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky within the past five (5) years and the award of a contract to the Bidder will not violate any provision of the campaign finance laws of the Commonwealth.
6. Bidder has not knowingly violated any provision of Chapter 25 of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government Code of Ordinances, known as "Ethics Act."
7. Bidder acknowledges that "knowingly" for purposes of this Affidavit means, with respect to conduct or to circumstances described by a statute or ordinance defining an offense, that a person is aware or should have been aware that his conduct is of that nature or that the circumstance exists.

Further, Affiant sayeth naught. \_\_\_\_\_

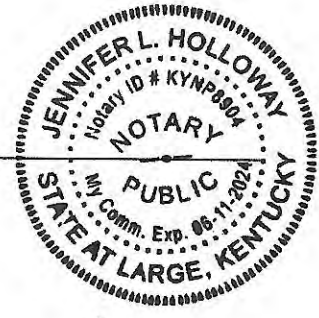
STATE OF Kentucky

COUNTY OF Jessamine

The foregoing instrument was subscribed, sworn to and acknowledged before me by Troy Myers on this the 7th day of August, 2023

My Commission expires: 6-11-24

J. J. Holloway  
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE AT LARGE



Please refer to Section II. Bid Conditions, Item "U" prior to completing this form.



## **I. GREEN PROCUREMENT**

### **A. ENERGY**

The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government is committed to protecting our environment and being fiscally responsible to our citizens.

The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government mandates the use of Energy Star compliant products if they are available in the marketplace (go to [www.Energystar.gov](http://www.Energystar.gov)). If these products are available, but not submitted in your pricing, your bid will be rejected as non-compliant.

ENERGY STAR is a government program that offers businesses and consumers energy-efficient solutions, making it easy to save money while protecting the environment for future generations.

#### Key Benefits

These products use 25 to 50% less energy  
Reduced energy costs without compromising quality or performance  
Reduced air pollution because fewer fossil fuels are burned  
Significant return on investment  
Extended product life and decreased maintenance

### **B. GREEN SEAL CERTIFIED PRODUCTS**

The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government is also committed to using other environmentally friendly products that do not negatively impact our environment. Green Seal is a non-profit organization devoted to environmental standard setting, product certification, and public education.

Go to [www.Greenseal.org](http://www.Greenseal.org) to find available certified products. These products will have a reduced impact on the environment and on human health. The products to be used must be pre-approved by the LFUCG prior to commencement of any work in any LFUCG facility. If a Green Seal product is not available, the LFUCG must provide a signed waiver to use an alternate product. Please provide information on the Green Seal products being used with your bid response.

### **C. GREEN COMMUNITY**

**The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government (LFUCG) serves as a principal, along with the University of Kentucky and Fayette County Public Schools, in the Bluegrass Partnership for a Green Community. The Purchasing Team component of the Partnership collaborates on economy of scale purchasing that promotes and enhances environmental initiatives. Specifically, when applicable, each principal is interested in obtaining best value products and/or services which promote environment initiatives via solicitations and awards from the other principals.**

**If your company is the successful bidder on this Invitation For Bid, do you agree to extend the same product/service pricing to the other principals of the Bluegrass Partnership for a Green Community (i.e. University of Kentucky and Fayette County Schools) if requested?**

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

## **II. Bid Conditions**

- A. No bid may be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days after the date and time set for opening.
- B. No bid may be altered after the date and time set for opening. In the case of obvious errors, the Division of Central Purchasing may permit the withdrawal of a bid. The decision as to whether a bid may be withdrawn shall be that of the Division of Central Purchasing.
- C. Acceptance of this proposal shall be enactment of an Ordinance by the Urban County Council.
- D. The bidder agrees that the Urban County Government reserves the right to reject any and all bids for either fiscal



- or technical reasons, and to award each part of the bid separately, all parts to one vendor or all parts to multiple vendors.
- E. Minor exceptions may not eliminate the bidder. The decision as to whether any exception is minor shall be entirely that of the head of the requisitioning Department or Division and the Director of the Division of Central Purchasing. The Urban County Government may waive technicalities and informalities where such waiver would best serve the interests of the Urban County Government.
  - F. Manufacturer's catalogue numbers, trade names, etc., where shown herein are for descriptive purposes and are to guide the bidder in interpreting the standard of quality, design, and performance desired, and shall not be construed to exclude proposals based on furnishing other types of materials and/or services. However, any substitution or departure proposed by the bidder must be clearly noted and described; otherwise, it will be assumed that the bidder intends to supply items specifically mentioned in this Invitation for Bids.
  - G. The Urban County Government may require demonstrations of the materials proposed herein prior to acceptance of this proposal.
  - H. Bids must be submitted on this form and must be signed by the bidder or his authorized representative. Unsigned bids will not be considered.
  - I. Bids must be submitted prior to the date and time indicated for opening. Bids submitted after this time will not be considered.
  - J. All bids mailed must be submitted in the Ion Wave online portal at <https://lexingtonky.ionwave.net/>
  - K. Bidder is requested to show both unit prices and lot prices. In the event of error, the unit price shall prevail.
  - L. A certified check or Bid Bond in the amount of XX percent of the bid price must be attached hereto. This check must be made payable to the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government, and will be returned when the material and/or services specified herein have been delivered in accordance with specifications. In the event of failure to perform within the time period set forth in this bid, it is agreed the certified check may be cashed and the funds retained by the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government as liquidated damages. Checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned when the bid has been awarded.
  - M. The delivery dates specified by bidder may be a factor in the determination of the successful bidder.
  - N. Tabulations of bids received may be mailed to bidders. Bidders requesting tabulations must enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope with the bid.
  - O. The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government is exempt from Kentucky Sales Tax and Federal Excise Tax on materials purchased from this bid invitation. Materials purchased by the bidder for construction projects are not tax exempt and are the sole responsibility of the bidder.
  - P. All material furnished hereunder must be in full compliance with OSHA regulations.
  - Q. If more than one bid is offered by one party, or by any person or persons representing a party, all such bids shall be rejected.
  - R. Signature on the face of this bid by the Bidder or his authorized representative shall be construed as acceptance of and compliance with all terms and conditions contained herein.
  - S. The Entity (regardless of whether construction contractor, non-construction contractor or supplier) agrees to provide equal opportunity in employment for all qualified persons, to prohibit discrimination in employment because of race, color, religion, sex (including pregnancy, sexual orientation or gender identity), national origin, disability, age, genetic information, political affiliation, or veteran status, and to promote equal employment through a positive, continuing program from itself and each of its sub-contracting agents. This program of equal employment opportunity shall apply to every aspect of its employment policies and practices.
  - T. The Kentucky Equal Employment Opportunity Act of 1978 (KRS 45.560-45.640) requires that any county, city, town, school district, water district, hospital district, or other political subdivision of the state shall include in directly



or indirectly publicly funded contracts for supplies, materials, services, or equipment hereinafter entered into the following provisions:

During the performance of this contract, the contractor agrees as follows:

- (1) The contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, age or national origin;*
- (2) The contractor will state in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractors that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, age or national origin;*
- (3) The contractor will post notices in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, setting forth the provisions of the non-discrimination clauses required by this section; and*
- (4) The contractor will send a notice to each labor union or representative of workers with which he has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding advising the labor union or workers' representative of the contractor's commitments under the nondiscrimination clauses.*

The Act further provides:

KRS 45.610. Hiring minorities - Information required

- (1) For the length of the contract, each contractor shall hire minorities from other sources within the drawing area, should the union with which he has collective bargaining agreements be unwilling to supply sufficient minorities to satisfy the agreed upon goals and timetable.*
- (2) Each contractor shall, for the length of the contract, furnish such information as required by KRS 45.560 to KRS 45.640 and by such rules, regulations and orders issued pursuant thereto and will permit access to all books and records pertaining to his employment practices and work sites by the contracting agency and the department for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with KRS 45.560 to 45.640 and such rules, regulations and orders issued pursuant thereto.*

KRS 45.620. Action against contractor - Hiring of minority contractor or subcontractor

- (1) If any contractor is found by the department to have engaged in an unlawful practice under this chapter during the course of performing under a contract or subcontract covered under KRS 45.560 to 45.640, the department shall so certify to the contracting agency and such certification shall be binding upon the contracting agency unless it is reversed in the course of judicial review.*
- (2) If the contractor is found to have committed an unlawful practice under KRS 45.560 to 45.640, the contracting agency may cancel or terminate the contract, conditioned upon a program for future compliance approved by the contracting agency and the department. The contracting agency may declare such a contractor ineligible to bid on further contracts with that agency until such time as the contractor complies in full with the requirements of KRS 45.560 to 45.640.*
- (3) The equal employment provisions of KRS 45.560 to 45.640 may be met in part by a contractor by subcontracting to a minority contractor or subcontractor. For the provisions of KRS 45.560 to 45.640, a minority contractor or subcontractor shall mean a business that is owned and controlled by one or more persons disadvantaged by racial or ethnic circumstances.*

KRS 45.630 Termination of existing employee not required, when

*Any provision of KRS 45.560 to 45.640 notwithstanding, no contractor shall be required to terminate an existing employee upon proof that that employee was employed prior to the date of the contract.*

KRS 45.640 Minimum skills

*Nothing in KRS 45.560 to 45.640 shall require a contractor to hire anyone who fails to demonstrate the minimum skills required to perform a particular job.*

It is recommended that all of the provisions above quoted to be included as special conditions in each contract.



In the case of a contract exceeding \$250,000, the contractor is required to furnish evidence that his work-force in Kentucky is representative of the available work-force in the area from which he draws employees, or to supply an Affirmative Action plan which will achieve such representation during the life of the contract.

- U. Any party, firm or individual submitting a proposal pursuant to this invitation must be in compliance with the requirements of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government regarding taxes and fees before they can be considered for award of this invitation and must maintain a "current" status with regard to those taxes and fees throughout the term of the contract. The contractor must be in compliance with Chapter 13 from the Code of Ordinances of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government. The contractor must be in compliance with Ordinance 35-2000 pursuant to contractor registration with the Division of Building Inspection. If applicable, said business must have a Fayette County business license.

Pursuant to KRS 45A.343 and KRS 45A.345, the contractor shall

- (1) *Reveal any final determination of a violation by the contractor within the previous five year period pursuant to KRS Chapters 136 (corporation and utility taxes), 139 (sales and use taxes), 141 (income taxes), 337 (wages and hours), 338 (occupational safety and health of employees), 341 (unemployment and compensation) and 342 (labor and human rights) that apply to the contractor; and*
- (2) *Be in continuous compliance with the above-mentioned KRS provisions that apply to the contractor for the duration of the contract.*

A contractor's failure to reveal the above or to comply with such provisions for the duration of the contract shall be grounds for cancellation of the contract and disqualification of the contractor from eligibility for future contracts for a period of two (2) years.

- V. Vendors who respond to this invitation have the right to file a notice of contention associated with the bid process or to file a notice of appeal of the recommendation made by the Director of Central Purchasing resulting from this invitation.

Notice of contention with the bid process must be filed within 3 business days of the bid/proposal opening by (1) sending a written notice, including sufficient documentation to support contention, to the Director of the Division of Central Purchasing or (2) submitting a written request for a meeting with the Director of Central Purchasing to explain his/her contention with the bid process. After consulting with the Commissioner of Finance the Chief Administrative Officer and reviewing the documentation and/or hearing the vendor, the Director of Central Purchasing shall promptly respond in writing findings as to the compliance with bid processes. If, based on this review, a bid process irregularity is deemed to have occurred the Director of Central Purchasing will consult with the Commissioner of Finance, the Chief Administrative Officer and the Department of Law as to the appropriate remedy.

Notice of appeal of a bid recommendation must be filed within 3 business days of the bid recommendation by (1) sending a written notice, including sufficient documentation to support appeal, to the Director, Division of Central Purchasing or (2) submitting a written request for a meeting with the Director of Central Purchasing to explain his appeal. After reviewing the documentation and/or hearing the vendor and consulting with the Commissioner of Finance and the Chief Administrative Officer, the Director of Central Purchasing shall in writing, affirm or withdraw the recommendation.

### **III. Procurement Contract Bid Conditions**

- A. The terms of this agreement shall be for 2 year(s) from the date of acceptance of this contract by the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government. This agreement may be automatically extended for an additional **(3)1** year(s) renewal. This contract may be canceled by either party thirty (30) days after delivery by canceling party of written notice of intent to cancel to the other contracting party.
- B. Price Changes **(Space Checked Applies)**
  - (XXX)1. Prices quoted in response to the Invitation shall be firm prices for the first 365 days of the Procurement Contract. After 365 days, prices may be subject to revision and such changes shall be based on general industry changes. Revision may be either increases or decreases and may be requested by either party. There will be no more than one (1) price adjustment per year. Requests for price changes shall be received in writing at least twenty (20) days prior to the effective date and are subject to written acceptance before becoming effective. Proof of the validity of a request for revision shall be responsibility of the requesting party. The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government shall receive the benefit of any decline that the seller shall offer his other accounts.
  - ( ) 2. No provision for price change is made herein. Prices are to be firm for the term of this contract.
  - ( ) 3. See bid specifications.
- C. If any contract item is not available from the vendor, the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government, at its option, may permit the item to be back-ordered or may procure the item on the open market.
- D. All invoices must bear reference to the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government Purchasing document numbers which are being billed.
- E. This contract may be canceled by the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government if it is determined that the Bidder has failed to perform under the terms of this agreement, such cancellation to be effective upon receipt of written notice of cancellation by the Bidder.
- F. No substitutions for articles specified herein may be made without prior approval of the Division of Central Purchasing.



## EQUAL OPPORTUNITY AGREEMENT

### Standard Title VI Assurance

The Lexington Fayette-Urban County Government, (hereinafter referred to as the "Recipient") hereby agrees that as a condition to receiving any Federal financial assistance from the U.S. Department of Transportation, it will comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78Stat.252, 42 U.S.C. 2000d-4 (hereinafter referred to as the "Act"), and all requirements imposed by or pursuant to Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, U.S. Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, (49 CFR, Part 21) Nondiscrimination in Federally Assisted Program of the Department of Transportation – Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (hereinafter referred to as the "Regulations") and other pertinent directives, no person in the United States shall, on the grounds of race, color, national origin, sex, age (over 40), religion, sexual orientation, gender identity, veteran status, or disability be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity for which the Recipient receives Federal financial assistance from the U.S. Department of Transportation, including the Federal Highway Administration, and hereby gives assurance that will promptly take any necessary measures to effectuate this agreement. This assurance is required by subsection 21.7(a) (1) of the Regulations.

### The Law

- Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (amended 1972) states that it is unlawful for an employer to discriminate in employment because of race, color, religion, sex, age (40-70 years) or national origin.
- Executive Order No. 11246 on Nondiscrimination under Federal contract prohibits employment discrimination by contractor and sub-contractor doing business with the Federal Government or recipients of Federal funds. This order was later amended by Executive Order No. 11375 to prohibit discrimination on the basis of sex.
- Section 503 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 states: *The Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of physical or mental disability.*
- Section 2012 of the Vietnam Era Veterans Readjustment Act of 1973 requires Affirmative Action on behalf of disabled veterans and veterans of the Vietnam Era by contractors having Federal contracts.
- Section 206(A) of Executive Order 12086, Consolidation of Contract Compliance Functions for Equal Employment Opportunity, states: *The Secretary of Labor may investigate the employment practices of any Government contractor or sub-contractor to determine whether or not the contractual provisions specified in Section 202 of this order have been violated.*

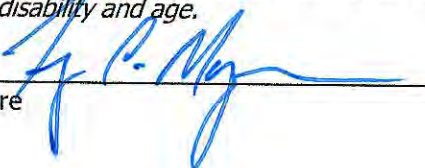
The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government practices Equal Opportunity in recruiting, hiring and promoting. It is the Government's intent to affirmatively provide employment opportunities for those individuals who have previously not been allowed to enter into the mainstream of society. Because of its importance to the local Government, this policy carries the full endorsement of the Mayor, Commissioners, Directors and all supervisory personnel. In following this commitment to Equal Employment Opportunity and because the Government is the benefactor of the Federal funds, it is both against the Urban County Government policy and illegal for the Government to let contracts to companies which knowingly or unknowingly practice discrimination in their employment practices. Violation of the above mentioned ordinances may cause a contract to be canceled and the contractors may be declared ineligible for future consideration.

Please sign this statement in the appropriate space acknowledging that you have read and understand the provisions contained herein. Return this document as part of your application packet.

### Bidders

*I/We agree to comply with the Civil Rights Laws listed above that govern employment rights of minorities, women, veteran status, disability and age.*

Signature



Name of Business

Myers Fence Inc.



## GENERAL PROVISIONS OF BID CONTRACT

By signing the below, bidder acknowledges that it understands and agrees with the following provisions related to its bid response and the provision of any goods or services to LFUCG upon selection by LFUCG pursuant to the bid request:

1. Bidder shall comply with all Federal, State & Local regulations concerning this type of service or good. All applicable state laws, ordinances and resolutions (including but not limited to Section 2-33 (Discrimination due to sexual orientation or gender identity) and Chapter 13 (Licenses and Regulations) of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government Code of Ordinances, and Resolution No. 484-17 (Minority, Women, and Veteran-Owned Businesses)) and the regulations of all authorities having jurisdiction over the project shall apply to the contract, and shall be deemed to be incorporated herein by reference.
2. Failure to submit ALL forms and information required by LFUCG may be grounds for disqualification.
3. Addenda: All addenda and IonWave Q&A, if any, must be considered by the bidder in making its response, and such addenda shall be made a part of the requirements of the bid contract. Before submitting a bid response, it is incumbent upon bidder to be informed as to whether any addenda have been issued, and the failure of the bidder to cover any such addenda may result in disqualification of that response.
4. Bid Reservations: LFUCG reserves the right to reject any or all bid responses, to award in whole or part, and to waive minor immaterial defects in proposals. LFUCG may consider any alternative proposal that meets its basic needs.
5. Liability: LFUCG is not responsible for any cost incurred by bidder in the preparation of its response.
6. Changes/Alterations: Bidder may change or withdraw a proposal at any time prior to the opening; however, no oral modifications will be allowed. Only letters, or other formal written requests for modifications or corrections of a previously submitted proposal which is addressed in the same manner as the bid response, and received by LFUCG prior to the scheduled closing time for receipt of bids, will be accepted. The bid response when opened, will then be corrected in accordance with such written request(s), provided that the written request is contained in a sealed envelope which is plainly marked "modifications of bid response".
7. Clarification of Submittal: LFUCG reserves the right to obtain clarification of any point in a bid or to obtain additional information from any bidder.
8. Bribery Clause: By his/her signature on its response, bidder certifies that no employee of his/hers, any affiliate or subcontractor, has bribed or attempted to bribe an officer or employee of the LFUCG.
9. Additional Information: While not necessary, the bidder may include any product brochures, software documentation, sample reports, or other documentation that may assist LFUCG in better understanding and evaluating the bid response. Additional documentation shall not serve as a substitute for other documentation which is required by the LFUCG to be submitted with the bid response.
10. Ambiguity, Conflict or other Errors: If a bidder discovers any ambiguity, conflict, discrepancy, omission or other error in the bid request of LFUCG, it shall immediately notify LFUCG of such error in writing and request modification or clarification of the document if allowable by the LFUCG.
11. Agreement to Bid Terms: In submitting its bid response, the bidder agrees that it has carefully examined the specifications and all provisions relating to LFUCG's bid request, including but not limited to the bid contract. By submission of its bid response, bidder states that it understands the meaning, intent and requirements of LFUCG's bid request and agrees to the same. The successful bidder shall warrant that it is familiar with and understands all provisions herein and shall warrant that it can comply with them. No additional compensation to bidder shall be authorized for services, expenses, or goods reasonably covered under these provisions that the bidder omits from its bid response.
12. Cancellation: LFUCG may unilaterally terminate the bid contract with the selected bidder(s) at any time, with or without cause, by providing at least thirty (30) days advance written notice unless a different advance written notice



period is negotiated prior to contract approval. Payment for services or goods received prior to termination shall be made by the LFUCG provided these goods or services were provided in a manner acceptable to the LFUCG. Payment for those goods and services shall not be unreasonably withheld.

13. **Assignment of Contract:** The selected bidder(s) shall not assign or subcontract any portion of the bid contract with LFUCG without the express written consent of LFUCG. Any purported assignment or subcontract in violation hereof shall be void. It is expressly acknowledged that LFUCG shall never be required or obligated to consent to any request for assignment or subcontract; and further that such refusal to consent can be for any or no reason, fully within the sole discretion of LFUCG.
14. **No Waiver:** No failure or delay by LFUCG in exercising any right, remedy, power or privilege hereunder, nor any single or partial exercise thereof, nor the exercise of any other right, remedy, power or privilege shall operate as a waiver hereof or thereof. No failure or delay by LFUCG in exercising any right, remedy, power or privilege under or in respect of this bid proposal or bid contract shall affect the rights, remedies, powers or privileges of LFUCG hereunder or shall operate as a waiver thereof.
15. **Authority to do Business:** Each bidder must be authorized to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky and must be in good standing and have full legal capacity to provide the goods or services specified in the bid proposal. Each bidder must have all necessary right and lawful authority to submit the bid response and enter into the bid contract for the full term hereof including any necessary corporate or other action authorizing the bidder to submit the bid response and enter into this bid contract. If requested, the bidder will provide LFUCG with a copy of a corporate resolution authorizing this action and/or a letter from an attorney confirming that the proposer is authorized to do business in the Commonwealth of Kentucky. All bid responses must be signed by a duly authorized officer, agent or employee of the bidder.
16. **Governing Law:** This bid request and bid contract shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky. In the event of any proceedings regarding this matter, the bidder agrees that the venue shall be the Fayette County Circuit Court or the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky, Lexington Division and that the bidder expressly consents to personal jurisdiction and venue in such Court for the limited and sole purpose of proceedings relating to these matters or any rights or obligations arising thereunder.
17. **Ability to Meet Obligations:** Bidder affirmatively states that there are no actions, suits or proceedings of any kind pending against bidder or, to the knowledge of the bidder, threatened against the bidder before or by any court, governmental body or agency or other tribunal or authority which would, if adversely determined, have a materially adverse effect on the authority or ability of bidder to perform its obligations under this bid response or bid contract, or which question the legality, validity or enforceability hereof or thereof.
18. **Price Discrepancy:** When applicable, in case of price discrepancy, unit bid price written in words will prevail followed by unit price written in numbers then total amount bid per line item.
19. Bidder understands and agrees that its employees, agents, or subcontractors are not employees of LFUCG for any purpose whatsoever. Bidder is an independent contractor at all times related to the bid response or bid contract.
20. Contractor [or Vendor or Vendor's Employees] will not appropriate or make use of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government (LFUCG) name or any of its trade or service marks or property (including but not limited to any logo or seal), in any promotion, endorsement, advertisement, testimonial or similar use without the prior written consent of the government. If such consent is granted LFUCG reserves the unilateral right, in its sole discretion, to immediately terminate and revoke such use for any reason whatsoever. Contractor agrees that it shall cease and desist from any unauthorized use immediately upon being notified by LFUCG.
21. If any term or provision of this bid contract shall be found to be illegal or unenforceable, the remainder of the contract shall remain in full force and such term or provision shall be deemed stricken.

Signature

Date



**WORKFORCE ANALYSIS FORM**

Name of Organization: Myers Fence Inc.

Categories	Total	White (Not Hispanic or Latino)		Hispanic or Latino		Black or African-American (Not Hispanic or Latino)		Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander (Not Hispanic or Latino)		Asian (Not Hispanic or Latino)		American Indian or Alaskan Native (not Hispanic or Latino)		Two or more races (Not Hispanic or Latino)		Total	
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
Administrators	3	2	1														
Professionals	2	2															
Superintendents	4	2		1						1							
Supervisors	2	2															
Foremen	4	2		1						1							
Technicians	N/A																
Protective Service	N/A																
Para-Professionals	N/A																
Office/Clerical	1		1														
Skilled Craft	3	2		1													
Service/Maintenance	1	1															
<b>Total:</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>						<b>2</b>							

Prepared by: Shou Ping - Sales Manager Date: 8 / 7 / 2023  
 (Name and Title) Revised 2015-Dec-15



**DIRECTOR, DIVISION OF CENTRAL PURCHASING  
LEXINGTON-FAYETTE URBAN COUNTY GOVERNMENT  
200 EAST MAIN STREET  
LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY 40507**

**NOTICE OF REQUIREMENT FOR AFFIRMATIVE ACTION TO ENSURE  
EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES AND DBE CONTRACT PARTICIPATION**

The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government has set a goal that not less than ten percent (10%) of the total value of this contract be subcontracted to MBE/WBE's, and set a goal that not less than three percent (3%) of the total value of this contract be subcontracted to Veteran-Owned Small Businesses. The goal for the utilization of Certified MBE/WBE's and Veteran-Owned Small Businesses as subcontractors are recommended goals. Contractors who fail to meet such goals will be expected to provide written explanations to the Director of the Division of Central Purchasing of efforts they have made to accomplish the recommended goals and the extent to which they are successful in accomplishing the recommended goals will be a consideration in the procurement process.

For assistance in locating MBE/WBE Subcontractors contact Sherita Miller at 859/258-3320 or by writing the address listed below:

Sherita Miller, Division of Central Purchasing  
Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government  
200 East Main Street  
Lexington, Kentucky 40507  
[smiller@lexingtonky.gov](mailto:smiller@lexingtonky.gov)

**Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government**  
**MWDBE PARTICIPATION GOALS**

**A. GENERAL**

- 1) The LFUCG request all potential contractors to make a concerted effort to include Minority-Owned (MBE), Woman-Owned (WBE), Disadvantaged (DBE) Business Enterprises and Veteran-Owned Small Businesses (VOSB) as subcontractors or suppliers in their bids.
- 2) Toward that end, the LFUCG has established 10% of total procurement costs as a Goal for participation of Minority-Owned, Woman-Owned and Disadvantaged Businesses on this contract.
- 3) **It is therefore a request of each Bidder to include in its bid, the same goal (10%) for MWDBE participation and other requirements as outlined in this section.**
- 4) The LFUCG has also established a 3% of total procurement costs as a Goal for participation for of Veteran-Owned Businesses.
- 5) **It is therefore a request of each Bidder to include in its bid, the same goal (3%) for Veteran-Owned participation and other requirements as outlined in this section.**

**B. PROCEDURES**

- 1) The successful bidder will be required to report to the LFUCG, the dollar amounts of all payments submitted to Minority-Owned, Woman-Owned or Veteran-Owned subcontractors and suppliers for work done or materials purchased for this contract. (See Subcontractor Monthly Payment Report)
- 2) Replacement of a Minority-Owned, Woman-Owned or Veteran-Owned subcontractor or supplier listed in the original submittal must be requested in writing and must be accompanied by documentation of Good Faith Efforts to replace the subcontractor / supplier with another MWDBE Firm; this is subject to approval by the LFUCG. (See LFUCG MWDBE Substitution Form)
- 3) For assistance in identifying qualified, certified businesses to solicit for potential contracting opportunities, bidders may contact:
  - a) The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government, Division of Central Purchasing (859-258-3320)
- 4) The LFUCG will make every effort to notify interested MWDBE and Veteran-Owned subcontractors and suppliers of each Bid Package, including information on the scope of work, the pre-bid meeting time and location, the bid date, and all other pertinent information regarding the project.

**C. DEFINITIONS**

- 1) A Minority-Owned Business Enterprise (MBE) is defined as a business which is certified as being at least 51% owned, managed and controlled by persons of African American, Hispanic, Asian, Pacific Islander, American Indian or Alaskan Native Heritage.
- 2) A Woman-Owned Business Enterprise (WBE) is defined as a business which is certified as being at least 51% owned, managed and controlled by one or more women.
- 3) A Disadvantaged Business (DBE) is defined as a business which is certified as being at least 51% owned, managed and controlled by a person(s) that are economically and socially disadvantaged.



- 4) A Veteran-Owned Small Business (VOSB) is defined as a business which is certified as being at least 51% owned, managed and controlled by a veteran and/or a service disabled veteran.
- 5) Good Faith Efforts are efforts that, given all relevant circumstances, a bidder or proposer actively and aggressively seeking to meet the goals, can reasonably be expected to make. In evaluating good faith efforts made toward achieving the goals, whether the bidder or proposer has performed the efforts outlined in the Obligations of Bidder for Good Faith Efforts outlined in this document will be considered, along with any other relevant factors.

D. OBLIGATION OF BIDDER FOR GOOD FAITH EFFORTS

- 1) **The bidder shall make a Good Faith Effort to achieve the Participation Goal for MWDBE and Veteran-Owned subcontractors/suppliers. The failure to meet the goal shall not necessarily be cause for disqualification of the bidder; however, bidders not meeting the goal are required to furnish with their bids written documentation of their Good Faith Efforts to do so.**
- 2) Award of Contract shall be conditioned upon satisfaction of the requirements set forth herein.
- 3) The Form of Proposal includes a section entitled "MWDBE Participation Form". The applicable information must be completed and submitted as outlined below.
- 4) **Failure to submit this information as requested may be cause for rejection of bid or delay in contract award.**

E. DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR GOOD FAITH EFFORTS

- 1) Bidders reaching the Goal are required to submit only the MWDBE Participation Form." The form must be fully completed including names and telephone number of participating MWDBE firm(s); type of work to be performed; estimated value of the contract and value expressed as a percentage of the total Lump Sum Bid Price. The form must be signed and dated, and is to be submitted with the bid.
- 2) Bidders not reaching the Goal must submit the "MWDBE Participation Form", the "Quote Summary Form" and a written statement documenting their Good Faith Effort to do so. If bid includes no MWDBE and/or Veteran participation, bidder shall enter "None" on the subcontractor / supplier form). In addition, the bidder must submit written proof of their Good Faith Efforts to meet the Participation Goal:
  - a. Advertised opportunities to participate in the contract in at least two (2) publications of general circulation media; trade and professional association publications; small and minority business or trade publications; and publications or trades targeting minority, women and disadvantaged businesses not less than fifteen (15) days prior to the deadline for submission of bids to allow MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses to participate.
  - b. Included documentation of advertising in the above publications with the bidders good faith efforts package
  - c. Attended LFUCG Central Purchasing Economic Inclusion Outreach event
  - d. Attended pre-bid meetings that were scheduled by LFUCG to inform MWDBEs and/or Veteran-Owned businesses of subcontracting opportunities



- e. Sponsored Economic Inclusion event to provide networking opportunities for prime contractors and MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses.
- f. Requested a list of MWDBE and/or Veteran subcontractors or suppliers from LFUCG and showed evidence of contacting the companies on the list(s).
- g. Contacted organizations that work with MWDBE companies for assistance in finding certified MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses to work on this project. Those contacted and their responses should be a part of the bidder's good faith efforts documentation.
- h. Sent written notices, by certified mail, email or facsimile, to qualified, certified MWDBEs and/or Veteran-Owned businesses soliciting their participation in the contract not less than seven (7) days prior to the deadline for submission of bids to allow them to participate effectively.
- i. Followed up initial solicitations by contacting MWDBEs and Veteran-Owned Businesses to determine their level of interest.
- j. Provided the interested MWDBE firm and/or Veteran-Owned business with adequate and timely information about the plans, specifications, and requirements of the contract.
- k. Selected portions of the work to be performed by MWDBE firms and/or Veteran-Owned businesses in order to increase the likelihood of meeting the contract goals. This includes, where appropriate, breaking out contract work items into economically feasible units to facilitate MWDBE and Veteran participation, even when the prime contractor may otherwise perform these work items with its own workforce
- l. Negotiated in good faith with interested MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses not rejecting them as unqualified without sound reasons based on a thorough investigation of their capabilities. Any rejection should be so noted in writing with a description as to why an agreement could not be reached.
- m. Included documentation of quotations received from interested MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses which were not used due to uncompetitive pricing or were rejected as unacceptable and/or copies of responses from firms indicating that they would not be submitting a bid.
- n. Bidder has to submit sound reasons why the quotations were considered unacceptable. The fact that the bidder has the ability and/or desire to perform the contract work with its own forces will not be considered a sound reason for rejecting a MWDBE and/or Veteran-Owned business's quote. Nothing in this provision shall be construed to require the bidder to accept unreasonable quotes in order to satisfy MWDBE and Veteran goals.
- o. Made an effort to offer assistance to or refer interested MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses to obtain the necessary equipment, supplies, materials, insurance and/or bonding to satisfy the work requirements of the bid proposal
- p. Made efforts to expand the search for MWBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses beyond the usual geographic boundaries.

q. Other--any other evidence that the bidder submits which may show that the bidder has made reasonable good faith efforts to include MWDBE and Veteran participation.

**Note: Failure to submit any of the documentation requested in this section may be cause for rejection of bid. Bidders may include any other documentation deemed relevant to this requirement which is subject to review by the MBE Liaison. Documentation of Good Faith Efforts must be submitted with the Bid, if the participation Goal is not met.**





## MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROGRAM

Sherita Miller, MPA  
Minority Business Enterprise Liaison  
Division of Central Purchasing  
Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government  
200 East Main Street  
Lexington, KY 40507  
[smiller@lexingtonky.gov](mailto:smiller@lexingtonky.gov)  
859-258-3323

**OUR MISSION:** The mission of the Minority Business Enterprise Program is to facilitate the full participation of minority and women owned businesses in the procurement process and to promote economic inclusion as a business imperative essential to the long term economic viability of Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government.

To that end the city council adopted and implemented Resolution 484-2017 – A Certified Minority, Women and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise ten percent (10%) minimum goal and a three (3%) minimum goal for Certified Veteran-Owned Small Businesses and Certified Service Disabled Veteran – Owned Businesses for government contracts.

The resolution states the following definitions shall be used for the purposes of reaching these goals (a full copy is available in Central Purchasing):

***Certified Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE)*** – a business in which at least fifty-one percent (51%) is owned, managed and controlled by a person(s) who is socially and economically disadvantaged as defined by 49 CFR subpart 26.

***Certified Minority Business Enterprise (MBE)*** – a business in which at least fifty-one percent (51%) is owned, managed and controlled by an ethnic minority (i.e. African American, Asian American/Pacific Islander, Hispanic Islander, Native American/Native Alaskan Indian) as defined in federal law or regulation as it may be amended from time-to-time.

***Certified Women Business Enterprise (WBE)*** – a business in which at least fifty-one percent (51%) is owned, managed and controlled by a woman.

***Certified Veteran-Owned Small Business (VOSB)*** – a business in which at least fifty-one percent (51%) is owned, managed and controlled by a veteran who served on active duty with the U.S. Army, Air Force, Navy, Marines or Coast Guard.

***Certified Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business (SDVOSB)*** – a business in which at least fifty-one percent (51%) is owned, managed and controlled by a disabled veteran who served on active duty with the U.S. Army, Air Force, Navy, Marines or Coast Guard.

The term “Certified” shall mean the business is appropriately certified, licensed, verified, or validated by an organization or entity recognized by the Division of Purchasing as having the appropriate credentials to make a determination as to the status of the business.

To comply with Resolution 484-2017, prime contractors and minority, women and veteran owned businesses must enroll in the new Diverse Business Management Compliance system, <https://lexingtonky.diversitycompliance.com/>

We have compiled the list below to help you locate certified MBE, WBE and DBE certified businesses. Below is a listing of contacts for LFUCG Certified MWDBEs and Veteran-Owned Small Businesses in (<https://lexingtonky.ionwave.net>)

<b>Business</b>	<b>Contact</b>	<b>Email Address</b>	<b>Phone</b>
<b>LFUCG</b>	Sherita Miller	<a href="mailto:smiller@lexingtonky.gov">smiller@lexingtonky.gov</a>	859-258-3323
<b>Commerce Lexington – Minority Business Development</b>	Tyrone Tyra	<a href="mailto:ttyra@commercelexington.com">ttyra@commercelexington.com</a>	859-226-1625
<b>Tri-State Minority Supplier Diversity Council</b>	Susan Marston	<a href="mailto:smarston@tsmsdc.com">smarston@tsmsdc.com</a>	502-365-9762
<b>Small Business Development Council</b>	Shawn Rogers UK SBDC	<a href="mailto:shawn.rogers@uky.edu">shawn.rogers@uky.edu</a>	859-257-7666
<b>Community Ventures Corporation</b>	Phyllis Alcorn	<a href="mailto:palcorn@cvky.org">palcorn@cvky.org</a>	859-231-0054
<b>KY Transportation Cabinet (KYTC)</b>	Melvin Bynes	<a href="mailto:Melvin.bynes2@ky.gov">Melvin.bynes2@ky.gov</a>	502-564-3601
<b>KYTC Pre-Qualification</b>	Sheila Eagle	<a href="mailto:Sheila.Eagle@ky.gov">Sheila.Eagle@ky.gov</a>	502-782-4815
<b>Ohio River Valley Women’s Business Council (WBENC)</b>	Sheila Mixon	<a href="mailto:smixon@orvwbc.org">smixon@orvwbc.org</a>	513-487-6537
<b>Kentucky MWBE Certification Program</b>	Yvette Smith, Kentucky Finance Cabinet	<a href="mailto:Yvette.Smith@ky.gov">Yvette.Smith@ky.gov</a>	502-564-8099
<b>National Women Business Owner’s Council (NWBOC)</b>	Janet Harris-Lange	<a href="mailto:janet@nwbo.org">janet@nwbo.org</a>	800-675-5066
<b>Small Business Administration</b>	Robert Coffey	<a href="mailto:robertcoffey@sba.gov">robertcoffey@sba.gov</a>	502-582-5971
<b>LaVoz de Kentucky</b>	Andres Cruz	<a href="mailto:lavozdeky@yahoo.com">lavozdeky@yahoo.com</a>	859-621-2106
<b>The Key News Journal</b>	Patrice Muhammad	<a href="mailto:production@keynewsjournal.com">production@keynewsjournal.com</a>	859-685-8488





**LFUCG MWDBE PARTICIPATION FORM**

Bid/RFP/Quote Reference # 93-2023

The MWDBE and/or veteran subcontractors listed have agreed to participate on this Bid/RFP/Quote. If any substitution is made or the total value of the work is changed prior to or after the job is in progress, it is understood that those substitutions must be submitted to Central Purchasing for approval immediately. **Failure to submit a completed form may cause rejection of the bid.**

MWDBE Company, Name, Address, Phone, Email	MBE WBE or DBE	Work to be Performed	Total Dollar Value of the Work	% Value of Total Contract
1. <i>None Available</i>				
2. <i>ll</i>				
3. <i>ll</i>				
4. <i>ll</i>				

The undersigned company representative submits the above list of MWDBE firms to be used in accomplishing the work contained in this Bid/RFP/Quote. Any misrepresentation may result in the termination of the contract and/or be subject to applicable Federal and State laws concerning false statements and false claims.

Myers Fence Inc.  
Company

8/7/2023  
Date

Shou Ping  
Company Representative

Sales Manager  
Title



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## LFUCG MWDBE PARTICIPATION FORM

Bid/RFP/Quote Reference # 93-2023

The MWDBE and/or veteran subcontractors listed have agreed to participate on this Bid/RFP/Quote. If any substitution is made or the total value of the work is changed prior to or after the job is in progress, it is understood that those substitutions must be submitted to Central Purchasing for approval immediately. **Failure to submit a completed form may cause rejection of the bid.**

MWDBE Company, Name, Address, Phone, Email	MBE WBE or DBE	Work to be Performed	Total Dollar Value of the Work	% Value of Total Contract
1. <i>None Available</i>				
2. <i>u</i>				
3. <i>u</i>				
4. <i>u</i>				

The undersigned company representative submits the above list of MWDBE firms to be used in accomplishing the work contained in this Bid/RFP/Quote. Any misrepresentation may result in the termination of the contract and/or be subject to applicable Federal and State laws concerning false statements and false claims.

Myers Fence Inc.  
Company

8/7/2023  
Date

Shan Ping  
Company Representative

Sales Manager  
Title





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## LFUCG MWDBE SUBSTITUTION FORM

Bid/RFP/Quote Reference # 93-2023

The substituted MWDBE and/or veteran subcontractors listed below have agreed to participate on this Bid/RFP/Quote. These substitutions were made prior to or after the job was in progress. These substitutions were made for reasons stated below and are now being submitted to Central Purchasing for approval. By the authorized signature of a representative of our company, we understand that this information will be entered into our file for this project. **Failure to submit this form may cause rejection of the bid.**

SUBSTITUTED MWDBE Company Name, Address, Phone, Email	MWDBE Formally Contracted/ Name, Address, Phone, Email	Work to Be Performed	Reason for the Substitution	Total Dollar Value of the Work	% Value of Total Contract
1. <i>None Available</i>					
2.					
3.					
4.					

The undersigned acknowledges that any misrepresentation may result in termination of the contract and/or be subject to applicable Federal and State laws concerning false statements and false claims.

Myers Fence Inc.  
Company

8/7/2023  
Date

Shawn Ping  
Company Representative

Sales Manager  
Title



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## MWDBE QUOTE SUMMARY FORM

Bid/RFP/Quote Reference # 93-2023

The undersigned acknowledges that the minority and/or veteran subcontractors listed on this form did submit a quote to participate on this project. Failure to submit this form may cause rejection of the bid.

Company Name <i>None Available</i>	Contact Person
Address/Phone/Email <i>''</i>	Bid Package / Bid Date

MWDBE Company Address	Contact Person	Contact Information (work phone, Email, cell)	Date Contacted	Services to be performed	Method of Communication (email, phone meeting, ad, event etc)	Total dollars \$\$ Do Not Leave Blank (Attach Documentation)	MBE * AA HA AS NA Female	Veteran
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(MBE designation / AA=African American / HA= Hispanic American/AS = Asian American/Pacific Islander/ NA= Native American)

The undersigned acknowledges that all information is accurate. Any misrepresentation may result in termination of the contract and/or be subject to applicable Federal and State laws concerning false statements and claims.

*Myers Fence Inc.*  
Company  
*3/7/2023*  
Date

*Shan King*  
Company Representative  
*Sales Manager*  
Title





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## LFUCG SUBCONTRACTOR MONTHLY PAYMENT REPORT

The LFUCG has a 10% goal plan adopted by city council to increase the participation of minority and women owned businesses in the procurement process. The LFUCG also has a 3% goal plan adopted by cited council to increase the participation of veteran owned businesses in the procurement process. In order to measure that goal LFUCG will track spending with MWDBE and Veteran contractors on a monthly basis. By the signature below of an authorized company representative, you certify that the information is correct, and that each of the representations set forth below is true. Any misrepresentation may result in termination of the contract and/or prosecution under applicable Federal and State laws concerning false statements and false claims. Please submit this form monthly to the Division of Central Purchasing/ 200 East Main Street/ Lexington, KY 40507.

Bid/RFP/Quote # 93-2023

Total Contract Amount Awarded to Prime Contractor for this Project \_\_\_\_\_

Project Name/ Contract #	Work Period/ From: _____ To: _____
Company Name:	Address: _____
Federal Tax ID:	Contact Person: _____

Subcontractor Vendor ID (name, address, phone, email)	Description of Work	Total Subcontract Amount	% of Total Contract Awarded to Prime for this Project	Total Amount Paid for this Period	Purchase Order number for subcontractor work (please attach PO)	Scheduled Project Start Date	Scheduled Project End Date

By the signature below of an authorized company representative, you certify that the information is correct, and that each of the representations set forth below is true. Any misrepresentations may result in the termination of the contract and/or prosecution under applicable Federal and State laws concerning false statements and false claims.

Myers Fence Inc.  
Company

Shan King  
Company Representative

8/7/2023  
Date

Sales Manager  
Title

### LFUCG STATEMENT OF GOOD FAITH EFFORTS



By the signature below of an authorized company representative, we certify that we have utilized the following Good Faith Efforts to obtain the maximum participation by MWDBE and Veteran-Owned business enterprises on the project and can supply the appropriate documentation.

\_\_\_\_\_ Advertised opportunities to participate in the contract in at least two (2) publications of general circulation media; trade and professional association publications; small and minority business or trade publications; and publications or trades targeting minority, women and disadvantaged businesses not less than fifteen (15) days prior to the deadline for submission of bids to allow MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses to participate.

\_\_\_\_\_ Included documentation of advertising in the above publications with the bidders good faith efforts package

Attended LFUCG Central Purchasing Economic Inclusion Outreach event (yes in the PST)

Attended pre-bid meetings that were scheduled by LFUCG to inform MWDBEs and/or Veteran-Owned Businesses of subcontracting opportunities

\_\_\_\_\_ Sponsored Economic Inclusion event to provide networking opportunities for prime contractors and MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses

Requested a list of MWDBE and/or Veteran subcontractors or suppliers from LFUCG and showed evidence of contacting the companies on the list(s).

\_\_\_\_\_ Contacted organizations that work with MWDBE companies for assistance in finding certified MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses to work on this project. Those contacted and their responses should be a part of the bidder's good faith efforts documentation.

\_\_\_\_\_ Sent written notices, by certified mail, email or facsimile, to qualified, certified MWDBEs soliciting their participation in the contract not less than seven (7) days prior to the deadline for submission of bids to allow them to participate effectively.

\_\_\_\_\_ Followed up initial solicitations by contacting MWDBEs and Veteran-Owned businesses to determine their level of interest.

\_\_\_\_\_ Provided the interested MWDBE firm and/or Veteran-Owned business with adequate and timely information about the plans, specifications, and requirements of the contract.

\_\_\_\_\_ Selected portions of the work to be performed by MWDBE firms and/or Veteran-Owned businesses in order to increase the likelihood of meeting the contract goals. This includes, where appropriate, breaking out contract work items into economically feasible units to facilitate MWDBE and Veteran participation, even when the prime contractor may otherwise perform these work items with its own workforce

\_\_\_\_\_ Negotiated in good faith with interested MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses not rejecting them as unqualified without sound reasons based on a thorough investigation of their capabilities. Any rejection should be so noted in writing with a description as to why an agreement could not be reached.

\_\_\_\_\_ Included documentation of quotations received from interested MWDBE firms and



Veteran-Owned businesses which were not used due to uncompetitive pricing or were rejected as unacceptable and/or copies of responses from firms indicating that they would not be submitting a bid.

\_\_\_\_\_ Bidder has to submit sound reasons why the quotations were considered unacceptable. The fact that the bidder has the ability and/or desire to perform the contract work with its own forces will not be considered a sound reason for rejecting a MWDBE and/or Veteran-Owned business's quote. Nothing in this provision shall be construed to require the bidder to accept unreasonable quotes in order to satisfy MWDBE and Veteran goals.

\_\_\_\_\_ Made an effort to offer assistance to or refer interested MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses to obtain the necessary equipment, supplies, materials, insurance and/or bonding to satisfy the work requirements of the bid proposal

\_\_\_\_\_ Made efforts to expand the search for MWBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses beyond the usual geographic boundaries.

\_\_\_\_\_ Other--any other evidence that the bidder submits which may show that the bidder has made reasonable good faith efforts to include MWDBE and Veteran participation.

**NOTE: Failure to submit any of the documentation requested in this section may be cause for rejection of bid. Bidders may include any other documentation deemed relevant to this requirement which is subject to approval by the MBE Liaison. Documentation of Good Faith Efforts must be submitted with the Bid, if the participation Goal is not met.**

The undersigned acknowledges that all information is accurate. Any misrepresentations may result in termination of the contract and/or be subject to applicable Federal and State laws concerning false statements and claims.

Myers Fence  
Company  
8/7/2023  
Date

Shon Burg  
Company Representative  
Sales Manager  
Title



**AMENDMENT 1 —  
CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE FOR EXPENDITURES USING FEDERAL FUNDS,  
INCLUDING THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT**

The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government (“LFUCG”) may use Federal funding to pay for the goods and/or services that are the subject matter of this bid. That Federal funding may include funds received by LFUCG under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021. Expenditures using Federal funds require evidence of the contractor’s compliance with Federal law. Therefore, by the signature below of an authorized company representative, you certify that the information below is understood, agreed, and correct. Any misrepresentations may result in the termination of the contract and/or prosecution under applicable Federal and State laws concerning false statements and false claims.

**The bidder (hereafter “bidder,” or “contractor”) agrees and understands that in addition to all conditions stated within the attached bid documents, the following conditions will also apply to any Agreement entered between bidder and LFUCG, if LFUCG uses Federal funds, including but not limited to funding received by LFUCG under the American Rescue Plan Act (“ARPA”), toward payment of goods and/or services referenced in this bid. The bidder also agrees and understands that if there is a conflict between the terms included elsewhere in this Request for Proposal and the terms of this Amendment 1, then the terms of Amendment 1 shall control. The bidder further certifies that it can and will comply with these conditions, if this bid is accepted and an Agreement is executed:**

1. Any Agreement executed as a result of acceptance of this bid may be governed in accordance with 2 CFR Part 200 and all other applicable Federal law and regulations and guidance issued by the U.S. Department of the Treasury.
  
2. Pursuant to 24 CFR § 85.43, any Agreement executed as a result of acceptance of this bid can be terminated if the contractor fails to comply with any term of the award. This Agreement may be terminated for convenience in accordance with 24 CFR § 85.44 upon written notice by LFUCG. Either party may terminate this Agreement with thirty (30) days written notice to the other party, in which case the Agreement shall terminate on the thirtieth day. In the event of termination, the contractor shall be entitled to that portion of total compensation due under this Agreement as the services rendered bears to the services required. However, if LFUCG suspects a breach of the terms of the Agreement and/or that the contractor is violating the terms of any applicable law governing the use of Federal funds, LFUCG may suspend the contractor’s ability to receive payment by giving thirty (30) days’ advance written notice. Further, either party may terminate this Agreement for cause shown with thirty (30) days written notice, which shall explain the party’s cause for the termination. If the parties do not reach a settlement before the end of the 30 days, then the Agreement shall terminate on the thirtieth day. In the event of a breach, LFUCG reserves the right to pursue any and all applicable legal, equitable, and/or administrative remedies against the contractor.
  
3. The contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin. The contractor will take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed and that employees are treated during employment without regard to their race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin. Such action shall include, but not be limited to the following:
  - (1) Employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. The contractor agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided setting forth the provisions of this nondiscrimination clause.



- (2) The contractor will, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin.
- (3) The contractor will not discharge or in any other manner discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because such employee or applicant has inquired about, discussed, or disclosed the compensation of the employee or applicant or another employee or applicant. This provision shall not apply to instances in which an employee who has access to the compensation information of other employees or applicants as a part of such employee's essential job functions discloses the compensation of such other employees or applicants to individuals who do not otherwise have access to such information, unless such disclosure is in response to a formal complaint or charge, in furtherance of an investigation, proceeding, hearing, or action, including an investigation conducted by the employer, or is consistent with the contractor's legal duty to furnish information.
- (4) The contractor will send to each labor union or representative of workers with which he has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding a notice to be provided advising the said labor union or workers' representatives of the contractor's commitments under this section and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment.
- (5) The contractor will comply with all provisions of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and of the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the Secretary of Labor.
- (6) The contractor will furnish all information and reports required by Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and by rules, regulations, and orders of the Secretary of Labor, or pursuant thereto, and will permit access to his books, records, and accounts by the administering agency and the Secretary of Labor for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with such rules, regulations, and orders.
- (7) In the event of the contractor's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination clauses of this contract or with any of the said rules, regulations, or orders, this contract may be canceled, terminated, or suspended in whole or in part, and the contractor may be declared ineligible for further government contracts or federally assisted construction contracts in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and such other sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked as provided in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, or by rule, regulation, or order of the Secretary of Labor, or as otherwise provided by law.
- (8) The contractor will include the portion of the sentence immediately preceding paragraph (1) and the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (8) in every subcontract or purchase order unless exempted by rules, regulations, or orders of the Secretary of Labor issued pursuant to section 204 of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, so that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor. The contractor will take such action with respect to any subcontract or purchase order as the administering agency may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions, including sanctions for noncompliance.

Provided, however, that in the event a contractor becomes involved in or is threatened with litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction by the administering agency, the contractor may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

4. If fulfillment of the contract requires the contractor to employ mechanic's or laborers, the contractor further agrees that it can and will comply with the following:

- (1) Overtime requirements: No contractor or subcontractor contracting for any part of the contract work which may require or involve the employment of laborers or mechanics shall require or permit any such laborer or mechanic in any workweek in which he or she is employed on such work to work in excess of forty hours in such a workweek unless such laborer or mechanic receives compensation at a rate not less than one and one-half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of forty hours in such a workweek.
- (2) Violation: liability for unpaid wages; liquidated damages. In the event of any violation of the clause set forth in paragraph (1) of this section, the contractor and any subcontractor responsible therefor shall be liable for



the unpaid wages. In addition, such contractor and subcontractor shall be liable to the United States (in the case of work done under contract for the District of Columbia or a territory, to such District or to such territory) for liquidated damages. Such liquidated damages shall be computed with respect to each individual laborer or mechanic, including watchmen and guards, employed in violation of the clause set forth in paragraph (1) of this section, in the sum of \$10 for each calendar day on which such individual was required or permitted to work in excess of the standard workweek of forty hours without payment of the overtime wages required by the clause set forth in paragraph (1) of this section.

- (3) Withholding for unpaid wages and liquidated damages. LFUCG shall upon its own action or upon written request of an authorized representative of the Department of Labor withhold or cause to be withheld, from any moneys payable on account of work performed by the contractor or subcontractor under any such contract or any other federal contract with the same prime contractor, or any other federally-assisted contract subject to the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act, which is held by the same prime contractor, such sums as may be determined to be necessary to satisfy any liabilities of such contractor or subcontractor for unpaid wages and liquidated damages as provided in the clause set forth in paragraph (2) of this section.
  - (4) Subcontracts. The contractor or subcontractor shall insert in any subcontracts the clauses set forth in paragraph (1) through (4) of this section and also a clause requiring the subcontractors to include these clauses in any lower-tier subcontracts. The prime contractor shall be responsible for compliance by any subcontractor or lower-tier subcontractor with the clauses set forth in paragraphs (1) through (4) of this section.
5. The contractor shall comply with all applicable standards, orders, or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 7401 et seq.
  6. The contractor shall report each violation to LFUCG and understands and agrees that LFUCG will, in turn, report each violation as required to assure notification to the Treasury Department and the appropriate Environmental Protection Agency Regional Office.
  7. The contractor shall include these requirements in numerical paragraphs 5 and 6 in each subcontract exceeding \$100,000 financed in whole or in part with Federal funding.
  8. The contractor shall comply with all applicable standards, orders, or regulations issued pursuant to the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended, 33 U.S.C. § 1251 et seq.
  9. The contractor shall report each violation to LFUCG and understands and agrees that LFUCG will, in turn, report each violation as required to assure notification to the Treasury Department and the appropriate Environmental Protection Agency Regional Office.
  10. The contractor shall include these requirements in numerical paragraphs 8 and 9 in each subcontract exceeding \$100,000 financed in whole or in part with Federal funds.
  11. The contractor shall comply with all applicable standards, orders, or regulations issued pursuant to the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended, 33 U.S.C. § 1251 et seq.
  12. The contractor shall report each violation to LFUCG and understands and agrees that LFUCG will, in turn, report each violation as required to assure notification to the Treasury Department and the appropriate Environmental Protection Agency regional office.
  13. The contractor shall include these requirements in numerical paragraphs 11 and 12 in each subcontract exceeding \$100,000 financed in whole or in part with American Rescue Plan Act funds.
  14. The contractor shall include this language in any subcontract it executes to fulfill the terms of this bid: "the subgrantee, contractor, subcontractor, successor, transferee, and assignee shall comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights



Act of 1964, which prohibits recipients of federal financial assistance from excluding from a program or activity, denying benefits of, or otherwise discriminating against a person on the basis of race, color, or national origin (42 U.S.C. § 2000d et seq.), as implemented by the Department of the Treasury's Title VI regulations, 31 CFR Part 22, which are herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this contract (or agreement). Title VI also includes protection to persons with 'Limited English Proficiency' in any program or activity receiving federal financial assistance, 42 U.S.C. § 2000d et seq., as implemented by the Department of the Treasury's Title VI regulations, 31 CFR Part 22, and herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this contract or agreement."

15. Contractors who apply or bid for an award of \$100,000 or more shall file the required certification that it will not and has not used federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency. Each tier certifies to the tier above that it will not and has not used federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any federal contract, grant, or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. § 1352. Each tier shall also disclose any lobbying with non-federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier, up to the recipient. The required certification is included here:

a. The undersigned certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

- (1) No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of an agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
- (2) If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
- (3) The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subcontracts, subgrants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

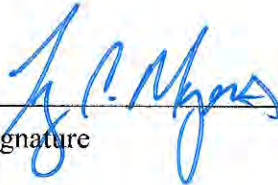
b. This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by section 1352, title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

16. The contractor acknowledges and certifies that it has not been debarred or suspended and further acknowledges and agrees that it must comply with regulations regarding debarred or suspended entities in accordance with 24 CFR § 570.489(I). Funds may not be provided to excluded or disqualified persons.

17. The contractor agrees and certifies that to the greatest extent practicable, it will prefer the purchase, acquisition, and use of all applicable goods, products or materials produced in the United States, in conformity with 2 CFR 200.322 and/or section 70914 of Public Law No. 117-58, §§ 70901-52, also known as the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act, whichever is applicable.

18. The contractor agrees and certifies that all activities performed pursuant to any Agreement entered as a result of the contractor's bid, and all goods and services procured under that Agreement, shall comply with 2 C.F.R. § 200.216 (Prohibition on certain telecommunications and video surveillance services and equipment) and 2 C.F.R. 200 § 200..323 (Procurement of recovered materials), to the extent either section is applicable.

19. If this bid involves construction work for a project totaling \$10 million or more, then the contractor further agrees that all laborers and mechanics, etc., employed in the construction of the public facility project assisted with funds provided under this Agreement, whether employed by contractor, or contractor's contractors, or subcontractors, shall be paid wages complying with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. 3141-3144). Contractor agrees that all of contractor's contractors and subcontractors will pay laborers and mechanics the prevailing wage as determined by the Secretary of Labor and that said laborers and mechanics will be paid not less than once a week. The contractor agrees to comply with the Copeland Anti- Kick Back Act (18 U.S.C. § 874) and its implementing regulations of the U.S. Department of Labor at 29 CFR part 3 and part 5. The contractor further agrees to comply with the applicable provisions of the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. Section 327-333), and the applicable provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938, as amended (29 U.S.C. et seq.). Contractor further agrees that it will report all suspected or reported violations of any of the laws identified in this paragraph to LFUCG.

  
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**RISK MANAGEMENT PROVISIONS  
INSURANCE AND INDEMNIFICATION**

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**INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS PROVISION**

- (1) It is understood and agreed by the parties that Contractor hereby assumes the entire responsibility and liability for any and all damages to persons or property caused by or resulting from or arising out of any act or omission on the part of Contractor or its employees, agents, servants, owners, principals, licensees, assigns or subcontractors of any tier (hereinafter "CONTRACTOR") under or in connection with this agreement and/or the provision of goods or services and the performance or failure to perform any work required thereby.
- (2) CONTRACTOR shall indemnify, save, hold harmless and defend the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government and its elected and appointed officials, employees, agents, volunteers, and successors in interest (hereinafter "LFUCG") from and against all liability, damages, and losses, including but not limited to, demands, claims, obligations, causes of action, judgments, penalties, fines, liens, costs, expenses, interest, defense costs and reasonable attorney's fees that are in any way incidental to or connected with, or that arise or are alleged to have arisen, directly or indirectly, from or by CONTRACTOR's performance or breach of the agreement and/or the provision of goods or services provided that: (a) it is attributable to personal injury, bodily injury, sickness, or death, or to injury to or destruction of property (including the loss of use resulting therefrom), or to or from the negligent acts, errors or omissions or willful misconduct of the CONTRACTOR; and (b) not caused solely by the active negligence or willful misconduct of LFUCG.
- (3) In the event LFUCG is alleged to be liable based upon the above, CONTRACTOR shall defend such allegations and shall bear all costs, fees and expenses of such defense, including but not limited to, all reasonable attorneys' fees and expenses, court costs, and expert witness fees and expenses, using attorneys approved in writing by LFUCG, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld.
- (4) These provisions shall in no way be limited by any financial responsibility or insurance requirements, and shall survive the termination of this agreement.
- (5) LFUCG is a political subdivision of the Commonwealth of Kentucky. CONTRACTOR acknowledges and agrees that LFUCG is unable to provide indemnity or otherwise save, hold harmless, or defend the CONTRACTOR in any manner.

**FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY**

BIDDER/CONTRACTOR understands and agrees that it shall demonstrate the ability to assure compliance with the above Indemnity provisions and these other risk management provisions prior to final acceptance of its bid and the commencement of any work or provision of goods.

**INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS**

YOUR ATTENTION IS DIRECTED TO THE INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS BELOW, AND YOU MAY NEED TO CONFER WITH YOUR INSURANCE AGENTS, BROKERS, OR CARRIERS TO DETERMINE IN ADVANCE OF SUBMISSION OF A RESPONSE THE AVAILABILITY OF THE INSURANCE COVERAGES AND ENDORSEMENTS REQUIRED HEREIN. IF YOU FAIL TO COMPLY WITH THE INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS BELOW, YOU MAY BE DISQUALIFIED FROM AWARD OF THE CONTRACT.

Required Insurance Coverage

BIDDER/CONTRACTOR shall procure and maintain for the duration of this contract the following or equivalent insurance policies at no less than the limits shown below and cause its subcontractors to maintain similar insurance with limits acceptable to LFUCG in order to protect LFUCG against claims for injuries to persons or damages to property which may arise from or in connection with the performance of the work hereunder by CONTRACTOR. The cost of such insurance shall be included in any bid:

<u>Coverage</u>	<u>Limits</u>
General Liability (Insurance Services Office Form CG 00 01)	\$1 million per occurrence, \$2 million aggregate
Worker's Compensation	Statutory
Employer's Liability	\$100,000
Excess/Umbrella Liability	\$2 million per occurrence

The policies above shall contain the following conditions:

- a. All Certificates of Insurance forms used by the insurance carrier shall be properly filed and approved by the Department of Insurance for the Commonwealth of Kentucky (DOI). LFUCG shall be named as an additional insured in the General Liability Policy and Commercial Automobile Liability Policy using the Kentucky DOI approved forms.
- b. The General Liability Policy shall be primary to any insurance or self-insurance retained by LFUCG.
- c. The General Liability Policy shall include Premises and Operations coverage unless it is deemed not to apply by LFUCG.
- d. The General Liability Policy shall include Employment Practices Liability coverage or an endorsement in a minimum amount of \$1 million unless it is deemed not to apply by LFUCG.
- e. The Policy shall include Umbrella/Excess Liability coverage in the amount of \$2 million per occurrence, \$2 million aggregate, unless it is deemed not to apply by LFUCG.
- f. LFUCG shall be provided at least 30 days advance written notice via certified mail, return receipt requested, in the event any of the required policies are canceled or non-renewed.
- g. Said coverage shall be written by insurers acceptable to LFUCG and shall be in a form acceptable to LFUCG. Insurance placed with insurers with a rating classification of no less than Excellent (A or A-) and a financial size category of no less than VIII, as defined by the most current Best's Key Rating Guide shall be deemed automatically acceptable.



### Renewals

After insurance has been approved by LFUCG, evidence of renewal of an expiring policy must be submitted to LFUCG, and may be submitted on a manually signed renewal endorsement form. If the policy or carrier has changed, however, new evidence of coverage must be submitted in accordance with these Insurance Requirements.

### Deductibles and Self-Insured Programs

**IF YOU INTEND TO SUBMIT A SELF-INSURANCE PLAN IT MUST BE FORWARDED TO LEXINGTON-FAYETTE URBAN COUNTY GOVERNMENT, DIVISION OF RISK MANAGEMENT, 200 EAST MAIN STREET, LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY 40507 NO LATER THAN A MINIMUM OF FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS PRIOR TO THE RESPONSE DATE.** Self-insurance programs, deductibles, and self-insured retentions in insurance policies are subject to separate approval by Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government's Division of Risk Management, upon review of evidence of BIDDER/CONTRACTOR's financial capacity to respond to claims. Any such programs or retentions must provide LFUCG with at least the same protection from liability and defense of suits as would be afforded by first-dollar insurance coverage

### Safety and Loss Control

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local safety standards related to the performance of its works or services under this Agreement and take necessary action to protect the life, health and safety and property of all of its personnel on the job site, the public, and LFUCG.

### Verification of Coverage

BIDDER/CONTRACTOR agrees to furnish LFUCG with all applicable Certificates of Insurance signed by a person authorized by the insurer to bind coverage on its behalf prior to final award, and if requested, shall provide LFUCG copies of all insurance policies, including all endorsements.

### Right to Review, Audit and Inspect

CONTRACTOR understands and agrees that LFUCG may review, audit and inspect any and all of its records and operations to insure compliance with these Insurance Requirements.

### **DEFAULT**

BIDDER/CONTRACTOR understands and agrees that the failure to comply with any of these insurance, safety, or loss control provisions shall constitute default and that LFUCG may elect at its option any single remedy or penalty or any combination of remedies and penalties, as available, including but not limited to purchasing insurance and charging BIDDER/CONTRACTOR for any such insurance premiums purchased, or suspending or terminating the work.

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**LEXINGTON-FAYETTE URBAN COUNTY GOVERNMENT  
REQUEST FOR BID**

**#93-2023 Fencing Services**

**SCOPE**

This request for bid is to establish a price contract for the installation, replacement, and/or repair of fences for the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government. The Contractor shall provide installation, replacement, and/or repair of metal chain link fencing, metal gates, wooden fencing, temporary fencing, and other fencing needs of various styles, types and sizes, as requested. The items to be installed, replaced, and/or repaired shall include posts, end posts, gates, line rail, fabric and any other items related to fencing work. Each job to be completed under this contract shall be quoted on a lump sum basis. The work shall be performed at various locations.

The Contractor shall do all the work and furnish all the management, supervision, labor, materials, tools, equipment, excavation, and incidentals necessary for the performance and completion of this contract.

The LFUCG reserves the right to award contract to multiple, qualified Bidders. The initial term of the contract will be for two (2) years, with up to three (3) additional automatic one (1) year renewals.

**CONTRACTING PROCESS**

LFUCG shall request quotes under this contract on a lump sum basis, following LFUCG procurement rules.

Contracted firms are free to bid on some jobs and not others depending upon their areas of expertise and availability.

The lowest bidder that is able to meet the specific project specifications, quality, and schedule shall be awarded the job. The selected bidder shall do all of the work and furnish all of the management, supervision, labor, materials, tools, equipment, excavation, and incidentals necessary for the performance and completion of this contract.

If an unknown site condition is encountered during installation, LFUCG reserves the right to negotiate a change in price terms. Failure to begin a project on time, maintain the project schedule, meet project specifications or quality, meet permit requirements, or come to an agreement on price or specification changes, may result in removal of a contractor from a specific job.

There will be no guarantee of work for any firm. LFUCG reserves the right to utilize vendors not on contract for similar work within procurement guidelines. If a contracted



firm has a change in staffing or expertise that substantially changes their qualifications to perform work under this program, they must communicate the change in qualifications to LFUCG in writing.

## **GENERAL CONDITIONS**

All work performed shall meet all project specifications described in the individual project quote requests, be of professional quality, and meet all industry standards.

If determined necessary by LFUCG, it is required that the Contractor be available to meet with the Project Manager or his representative(s) **within 48 hours** of being notified of a proposed project, to discuss the project. The Project Manager or his representative(s) shall determine the extent of the work to be performed. The Contractor shall, **within five (5) working days** following initial contact, provide the Project Manager or his representative with a written cost estimate (lump sum) and work schedule, including the starting and completion date. Time of completion for such project(s) will be determined with the approval of the Project Manager. All cost estimates prepared by the Contractor shall be at no cost to the LFUCG. The Contractor agrees that these estimated costs will be the maximum project cost if accepted by the LFUCG. The Contractor agrees that the LFUCG shall bear no liability or responsibility to the Contractor for the payment of any costs or charges in excess of the amount identified in the written cost estimates. The Contractor shall complete project(s) within the time period specified unless a time extension has been approved by the Project Manager.

The Contractor hereby agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the LFUCG, its employees and agents, from any claims or demands whatsoever arising from the Contractor's performance under this contract.

The Contractor shall keep in force at all times liability insurance in amounts specified herein. Failure to maintain such insurance shall be cause for cancellation of this contract without notice. The Contractor hereby accepts responsibility for any loss or damage to property owned by LFUCG or the general public caused by the Contractor's employees or agents. Contractor shall replace or repair same at their own cost and expense in like kind and at the direction of the contracting Division. If damaged property resulting from the Contractor's operations has to be repaired or replaced by LFUCG, the cost of such work shall be deducted from the Contractor's payment.

A performance bond will be required on projects exceeding \$50,000.

**Site Inspection:** Contractor shall familiarize themselves with the site, the plans, the specifications, special provisions, and plan requirements, and is responsible for calling any discrepancies or special problems to the attention of the Project Manager. Before and after site photos shall be provided to LFUCG at the completion of job with the invoice.

**Scheduling:** Contractor shall coordinate with other trades affected by the work. Contractor shall keep themselves informed of the construction progress of all other Contractors and/or subcontractors working on the project, particularly where they affect their work, and shall coordinate their work with that of other Contractors to ensure efficient and orderly progress of the work. LFUCG and the Contractor may negotiate terms for invoice scheduling on larger jobs.

**Surveyor:** If needed, Contractor shall include costs of services of a registered surveyor to lay out the graded area and check the grades during the progress of the work. Not all projects will require this service.

**Construction Stakes:** Construction stakes shall be set to mark the general location, alignment, elevation, and grade of the work. The Contractor shall assume full responsibility for dimension and elevations from such stakes. The Contractor shall furnish at his/her expense the size, quality, and quantity of stakes required.

**Protection:** Protect, maintain, and restore bench marks, monuments, and other reference points affected by this work. If such items are displaced or destroyed by this work, they will be reestablished by a licensed surveyor at no expense to the Owner. After items have been permanently set, certify the work and furnish certification to the Owner's Representative.

**Warranties/Guarantees:** For a period of one year from the date of issuance of the final payment for the work, the Contractor shall furnish and install, without cost to the LFUCG, any and all work which, in the judgment of the LFUCG, proves defective in materials and/or workmanship.

**Product Delivery, Storage and Handling:** Deliver materials with manufacturer's tags and labels intact. Handle and store to avoid damage.

**Cleanup:** All rough edges, tags and staples to be removed. Site is to be left free of all trash and debris daily. Contractor will be responsible for any turf and site damage. Site is to be returned to original condition.

The Contractor shall be responsible to have all utilities located prior to any digging, and work methods shall be modified as needed to avoid utilities.

All work shall be performed in a safe manner, following all local, state, and federal laws, and project specific permit requirements, including but not limited to traffic control devices, erosion control measures, and method and location of transport and disposal of construction debris.

LFUCG may cancel this contract without notice if the Contractor fails to perform the services herein. In the event of such cancellation, LFUCG may make arrangements as it deems necessary to secure the services specified.



The failure of either party to insist on strict performance of any of the terms or conditions of this contract shall not be construed as a waiver of the right to insist upon strict enforcement of such provisions in the future.

### **REQUIRED BID SUBMITTAL**

Each Bidder must submit with their Bid the following information:

1. A statement, on company letterhead, stating that the Bidder's primary business is fencing installation, replacement, and repairs. Also that the Bidder has been regularly and actively engaged in the fencing contracting business, for a minimum of three years.
2. A list of at least three references for jobs performed in the past year that are similar in scope to the work required under this contract. Include the names and telephone numbers of a contact person for each reference.
3. Company must hold a valid business license and be current with the Division of Revenue, LFUCG.
4. Must be a registered contractor in Lexington-Fayette County.

### **NOTE TO BIDDER:**

**Failure to provide all information requested on this page may result in disqualification of bid. Questions on bidding procedure should be directed to Division of Procurement, Kristie Thomas, (859) 258-3320.**

The LFUCG does not guarantee the amount of work to be performed or that any work will be performed under this contract.

### **ROCK CLAUSE**

When performing installation of fence for the contracting Division, if rock is encountered for which removal will necessitate special equipment or additional labor, the Contractor shall notify Owner immediately and request an inspection of the site.

At that time, Owner and Contractor shall probe remaining holes to develop a reasonable estimate of the total amount of rock likely to be encountered on the project.

Within 24 hours, Owner will advise Contractor whether remainder of rock is to be removed, if holes depth is to be modified (and concrete added to shallower footers) or if fence location is to be adjusted.

If instructed to proceed with rock removal, Contractor shall continue work but must leave all holes claimed to contain rock unfilled and all debris removed next to each hole until Owner inspects and verifies the number of holes with rock.

\$ 50<sup>00</sup> cost per hole shall include all rental fees, materials and labor.

Any other items encountered to inhibit normal progress shall be the responsibility of the Contractor at no extra charge to Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government.



## **TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

LFUCG reserves the right to make modifications to material or installation specifications contained herein. The types of fencing contained in this specification are merely a representation of the types of fencing presently utilized and are not intended to be all inclusive.

### **WOOD PLANK FENCING**

These specifications provide the minimum standards to provide and install wood plank fencing. Owner shall specify per project whether 3-plank or 4-plank is to be used.

#### **Posts:**

1. All posts shall be 7 ½ ft. long, faced, 6" inch diameter CCA treated face posts.
2. Posts shall be buried 30" inches deep unless rock is discovered. A determination will be made by the LFUCG if depth is sufficient or location will be adjusted.
3. Posts shall be placed 8 ft. on center unless otherwise indicated or necessitated by site conditions.
4. Posts shall be stained or painted to the owner's specified color.

#### **Planking:**

1. The fence shall be a five (5) foot high, three (3) or four (4) board horse fence with face boards. The bottom board shall be 18" off the ground or to match existing. The middle board shall be placed evenly between the top and bottom boards.
2. The board shall be 1-1/8" x 6" x 16' rough hardwood; pre-approved hardwoods include red oak, white oak and poplar.
3. The boards shall be fastened with #10 screw shank nails alternating joints between rows/post. Use 3 nails per board, per connection on each post.
4. The boards shall be fastened in such a manner to have minimal splitting in the nailed area. Boards determined to be inappropriately attached will have to be renailed.
5. The boards shall have minimal warping and bowing. Any boards with severe warping, bowing or splitting shall be rejected.
6. All boards to be painted or stained to the Owner's specification.

## **FOUR PLANK WOODEN FENCE**

This work consists of furnishing and installing 4 plank wooden fence at various locations. Wood plank fence installation shall include all labor, materials, equipment and incidentals necessary to complete the work.

These specifications provide the minimum specifications to provide and install wood plank fencing. All pricing is to include all materials and installation.

### **Posts:**

1. Six (6) inch CCA treated face posts.
2. The posts shall be aligned, leveled and anchored in concrete footings.
3. Posts shall be 7 ½ feet long and placed in holes 10-12" wide and 6" deeper than the post. Backfill the bottom of hole with gravel and fill with concrete. Tap concrete to remove air pockets and overfill hole at the top and slope concrete away from the post.
4. Posts shall be buried 30" inches deep unless rock is discovered at that point; a determination will be made if depth is sufficient or location will be adjusted.
5. Posts shall be placed at 8 foot intervals while maintaining structural integrity of fence.
6. Posts shall be stained or painted to the owner's specified color.
7. All posts shall include a face board.

### **Planking:**

1. The fence shall be a five (5) foot high, four (4) board horse fence. The bottom board shall be 1.25 feet off the ground. Remaining three boards shall be spaced equally between top and bottom boards foot on center.
2. The board shall be 1-1/8" x 6" x 16' rough poplar.
3. The boards shall be fastened with #16 screw shank galvanized nails.
4. The boards shall be fastened in such a manner to have minimal splitting in the nailed area. Boards determined to be inappropriately attached will have to be re-nailed.
5. The boards shall be reasonably true, with minimal warping and bowing as determined by the responsible Consultant.



6. All boards to be primed and painted or stain to the Owner's specification.

### **WOVEN WIRE, CHAIN LINK AND PRIVACY FENCE**

Work for this section consists of furnishing and installing Woven Wire, Chain Link or Privacy Fencing (type as specified). Woven Wire and Chain Link shall conform to the Kentucky Department of Highways Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction, Section 721, 722, 816, and 817 current edition, and LFUCG Standard Drawings, and shall include all labor, materials, equipment and incidentals necessary to complete the Work. Privacy Fencing shall match existing fencing as closely as possible and shall include all labor, materials, equipment and incidentals to complete the work.

#### **For Dog Parks:**

These specifications provide the minimum requirements for the installation of woven wire integrated with wood plank fencing for dog park applications.

1. Woven wire shall be 5' high galvanized steel with 2" x 4" openings; 12.5 gauge. Welded wire WILL NOT be accepted.
2. Woven wire shall be installed between the posts and the planks and be fastened with a minimum of 5 staples per post.
3. Woven wire shall be installed flush with grade whenever possible; Owner may approve a maximum of 1" above grade in areas with sloping or uneven terrain. Contractor should identify these areas prior to installation to obtain Owner's approval.
4. Woven wire that is visibly disfigured or damaged while being stretched shall be rejected.
5. Wire fencing to be painted black.

### **CHAIN LINK GALVANIZED**

#### **Framework: Type I or Type II Steel Pipe**

1. Type I – Schedule 40 steel pipe with 1.8 ounces of zinc coating per square foot of surface area conforming to Standard Specification ASTM F1083 ; or,
2. Type II – Pipe manufactured from steel conforming to ASTM A669, Group IC, cold-rolled, having minimum yield strength of 55,000 psi and coated with a total of 0.9 ounces of zinc per square foot on the internal and external surfaces meeting the coating requirements of ASTM A525G90. A minimum of 15

micrograms of zinc chromate per square inch and a minimum of 3 mils of lifecoat fuse bonded polyester powder exterior coating.

3. All coatings to be applied inside and out after welding.
4. Pipe shall be straight, true to section, and conform to the following weights:

**Base Metal** - shall be steel of such quality that the fabricated product will meet the performance criteria set forth in this standard. The steel strip used in the manufacture of the pipe shall conform to ASTM A-569.

**Zinc** - used in the manufacture of flo-coat pipe and shall conform to ASTM B-6 High Grade and Special High Grade Zinc.

**Clear Coating** – shall be manufactured from high grade raw materials which produce a crosslinked acrylic polyurethane coating.

**Internal Coating** - shall have a minimum zinc power loading of 87% by weight and be capable of providing galvanic protection.

Mid-rails on backstops to be welded to posts.

**Chain Link Fabric:**

1. Shall conform to Federal specifications RR-F 191A.
2. Type A, 2" square mesh fabric.
3. Top edges knuckled.
4. #9 gauge wire, conforming to ASTM 342-1, Class 1.

**Technical:**

1. Weight of Zinc Coatings - shall be determined by the method contained in ASTM A-90.
2. Chromate Coating Weight - shall be 30 micrograms/sq. in.
3. Exterior Clear Coated Surface - shall have a demonstrated ability to resist 1000 hours of exposure to salt fog with a maximum of 5% red rust when conducted in accordance with ASTM-B117.



**Performance Properties of the Product:**

1. The strength of line, end, corner and pull posts shall be determined by a 6-foot cantilever beam test.
2. The strength of top rail shall be determined by using a 10' tree supported beam test.

	Diameter	SS40st/ft	6' Cantilever
Line posts, gate post	2-1/2"	3.117 lbs	330 lbs
End, corner, gate post	3"	4.640 lbs	610 lbs
*Top rails	1-5/8"	1.836 lbs	135 lbs
*Braces	1-5/8"	1.836 lbs	135 lbs
*Gate frames	1-5/8"	1.836 lbs	135 lbs

\*Note: 10' support load 327 lbs. All pipe materials shall be prime, no welds or "reject" pipe. Letter of "Mill Certification" shall be provided on pipe.

Provide approved malleable post tops, sleeves, and other fittings for complete installation. All such frame work shall be hot-dip, zinc-coated after fabrication.

**Inspections:**

1. Verify that final grading in fence location is completed without irregularities which would interfere with fence installation.
2. Do not commence work until unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

**Installation:**

1. Posts shall be buried in concrete cylinders to a minimum depth of 27" to 30" of concrete.
2. Concrete cylinders shall have the following minimum diameter:

Line posts 9"  
Corner posts 12"  
Gate posts 12"

3. Where installed through asphalt paving, the top of the cylinders shall be flush with the surface of the asphalt. Top of the cylinder shall be troweled to a smooth surface.
4. Unless otherwise indicated, posts shall be spaced not more than 10 feet apart.
5. Fabric to be tied every foot.

**CHAIN LINK PVC COATED**

**Framework:** Type I or Type II Steel Pipe.

1. Type I – Schedule 40 steel pipe with 1.8 ounces of zinc coating per square foot of surface area conforming to Standard Specification ASTM F1083 ; or,
2. Type II – Pipe manufactured from steel conforming to ASTM A669, Group IC, cold-rolled, having minimum yield strength of 55,000 psi and coated with a total of 0.9 ounces of zinc per square foot on the internal and external surfaces meeting the coating requirements of ASTM A525G90. A minimum of 15 micrograms of zinc chromate per square inch and a minimum of 3 mils of lifecoat fuse bonded polyester powder exterior coating.
3. All coatings to be applied inside and out after welding.
4. Pipe shall be straight, true to section, and conform to the following weights:

Pipe Size Outside Diameter	Type I Weight Lbs./FT	Type II Weight Lbs./Ft
1-5/8"	2.27	1.84
2"	2.72	2.28
2-1/2"	3.65	3.18
3"	5.79	4.65
3-1/2"	7.58	5.71
4"	9.11	6.56
6-5/8"	18.97	

5. Piping to be black in color.

**Fabric – PVC Coated**

1. Fabric shall be either 6 gauge steel core, 9 gauge steel core wire, or as specified by Owner prior to request for quote.
2. Coating to be .015-.025 PVC bonded to galvanized wire.
3. Fabric to be black in color.



**Concrete Mix:**

ASTM C94 Portland cement concrete with maximum  $\frac{3}{4}$  inch aggregate having a minimum compressive strength of 3,000 psi at 28 days.

**Components****Fence Posts:**

## Type I-II

Fabric Height	Line Post O.D.	Terminal Post O.D.	Nominal Pipe Size
Under 6'	2"	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	2"
6' to 9'	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	3"	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ "
9' to 12'	3"	4"	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ "
20' to Backstop	4"	6"	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ "

**Gate Posts:**

Single Gate Width	Double Gate Width	Post O.D. Type II	Nominal Pipe Size
Up to 6'	Up to 12'	3"	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ "
7' to 12'	13' to 25'	4"	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ "

**Rails and Braces:** 1-5/8 inches O.D. (nominal pipe size 1- 1/4 inch).

**Gates:** Frame assembly of 2 inch O.D. pipe Type I or Type II with welded joints. Weld areas repaired with zinc-rich coating applied per manufacturer's directions. Fabric to match fence. Gate accessories, hinges, latches, center stops, keepers and necessary hardware of quality required for industrial and commercial application. Latches shall permit padlocking.

**Fittings:**

1. Post Caps – Pressed steel, cast iron or cast aluminum alloy designed to fit snugly over posts to exclude moisture. Supply cone type caps for terminal posts and loop for line posts. All fittings to conform to ASTM F626.
2. Rail and Brace Ends – Pressed steel, cast iron, or cast aluminum alloy, cup-shaped to receive rail and brace ends.
3. Top Rail Sleeves – Tubular steel, 0.051 inch thickness x 7 inches x 7 inches long, expansion type.

4. Tension Bars – Steel strip, 5/8 inch wide x 3/16 inch thick.
5. Tension Bands – Pressed steel, 14 gauge thickness x 3/4 inch wide.
6. Brace Bands – Pressed steel, 12 gauge thickness x 3/4 inch wide.
7. Truss Rods – Steel rod, 3/8 inch diameter merchant quality with turnbuckle.

**Tension Wire:** Marcellled 7 gauge steel wire with minimum coating of 0.80 ounces of zinc or 0.40 ounces of aluminum per square foot of wire surface and conforming to ASTM A824.

**Tie Wire:** Aluminum, 9 gauge, alloy 1100-H4 or equal.

**Hog Rings:** Steel wire, 11 gauge, with a minimum zinc coating of 0.80 ounces per square foot of wire surface.

All fencing and piping components to be black in color.

**Foul Poles:** Supply and install foul poles as per the Drawings.

**Primer and Paint for Foul Poles:** Exterior grade, oil-based, as manufactured by Glidden, Sherwin-Williams, or other approved equivalent, in yellow color.

#### **Installation:**

**General:** Installation to conform to ASTM F567

**Height:** Provide height as indicated on construction documents.

**Post Spacing:** Spacing of line posts at intervals not exceeding 10 feet.

**Post Setting:** Set terminal, gate, and line posts plumb in concrete footings. Top of footing to be flush with grade and sloped to direct water away from posts.

**Bracing:** Brace gate and terminal posts back to adjacent line posts with horizontal brace rails and diagonal truss rods.

**Top Rail:** Install through line post loop caps connecting sections with sleeves to form a continuous rail between terminal posts.

**Top Tension Wire:** When a top rail is omitted, stretch tension wire through loop caps and fasten to terminal posts.

**Bottom Rail:** Run bottom rail flush to grade continuous along all fencing.

**Fabric:** Pull fabric taut with bottom selvage 1/2 inch grade. Fasten to terminal posts with tension bars threaded through mesh and secured with tension bands at maximum 15 inch intervals. Tie to line posts and top rails with tie wires spaced at maximum 12



inches on posts and 24 inches on rails. Attach to bottom tension wire with top rings at maximum 24 inch intervals.

**Gates:** Install gates plumb, level, and secure for full opening without interference. Anchor center stops and keepers in concrete.

**Fasteners:** Install nuts for fittings, bands, and hardware bolts on side of fence opposite baseball playing field on interior fences, and inside of fence at main entry gate and maintenance access gate.

All rails, posts, and connectors will be located outside the ball playing fields.

### **PRIVACY FENCING**

Work for this section consists of furnishing and installing wood privacy fencing (type as specified by the Purchase Order) and shall match existing privacy fencing as closely as possible, and shall include all labor, materials, equipment and incidentals necessary to complete the work.

**Materials:** All materials shall be treated wood, or wood of natural resistance to decay and shall be construction grade 2 or better.

1. Fence posts for a five to 6 1/2 foot fence shall be a four inch by four inch wood post. Fence posts shall consist be spaced on a maximum of eight feet on center. Fence posts for a fence over 6 1/2 feet to eight feet shall be spaced a maximum of six feet on center. If a four inch by six inch post is used then spacing can be eight feet on center.
2. Four inch by four inch wood fence posts shall be set in a minimum ten inch diameter concrete pier, extending two feet deep. Four inch by six inch posts shall be set in a minimum 12 inch diameter concrete pier, again extending a minimum of two feet deep.
3. Any wooden stockade style fence five feet to 6 1/2 feet that is visually nontransparent shall have a minimum of three two-inch by four inch rails. Any wooden stockade style fence over 6 1/2 feet to eight feet that is visually nontransparent will have a minimum of four two-inch by four-inch rails.
4. Vertical wooden fence boards or pickets shall be a minimum of one inch in thickness and all pickets shall be spaced such that a sphere four inches in diameter cannot pass through.
5. All measurements for fence materials are nominal measurements in accordance with generally accepted industry standards.
6. The exposed framing for a single sided fence should face the interior of the yard. This prevents others from climbing up the fence rails to view or access enclosed

property. Rails should be attached to post with at least two minimum 5/16 diameter by 3.5 inch length bolts at each connection point. The use of bolts instead of nails increases the likelihood that the rails will remain in place.

7. Wooden fence boards or pickets should be attached with at least two minimum 1.5 inch length screws at each rail, per board or picket. While nails tend to come loose over time, screws tend to remain in place, thus lessening the time spent making fence repairs.
8. Fence posts must be set in a concrete pier. It is recommended that the concrete extend from the fence post to finish grade and have a sufficient pitch to shed water away from the post. It is also recommended that the wood post extend three inches from the bottom of the pier into gravel or sand fill to allow the moisture to escape.

## **SPLIT RAIL FENCES & GATES**

### **SECTION INCLUDES**

- A. Requirements regarding split rail fencing and gates.

### **PRODUCTS**

#### **GENERAL**

1. Unless otherwise required by city and/or county ordinances, fences and gates shall be six feet in height.
2. All wood materials shall be treated wood, or wood of a natural resistance to decay. Materials shall be free from loose knots, cracks, and other imperfections.
3. This specification is written around traditional split rail style fencing. However, post and rail or buck and rail style fences will be considered on a case-by-case basis.

#### **RAILS**

1. 3-rail or 2-rail "American Style" split rail system shall be used.

#### **POSTS**

1. Posts shall be 18-inch girth (apprx. 25 square inches). Any deviations shall be approved by District.
2. 2-rail posts shall be approximately 64-inches in height. Any deviations shall be approved by District.
3. 3-rail posts shall be approximately 78-inches in height. Any deviations shall be approved by District.
4. Posts shall be buried 32-inches into ground.

#### **GATES**

1. In general, gates shall be tubular steel frame or heavy duty livestock or farm style. If field conditions dictate a different gate type, consult with Owner.
2. Gates for split rail style fences shall be Man Gates or Truck Gates.



3. Man Gate openings shall be a minimum of 3 feet wide.
4. Truck Gate openings shall be at least 12 feet wide.
5. Gates shall be a minimum 16 gauge (1 3/4" or heavier), high tensile 50,000 psi tubular steel.
6. Fittings and hardware shall be galvanized.
7. Hinge system shall be as per gate manufacturer's recommendations.
8. Gates shall be approximately 50-inches high.
9. Latching system shall be positive lock chain and slot or equal and be daisy-chain compatible.
10. Gates shall be powder coated or EQUAL.

## EXECUTION

### INSTALLATION OF POSTS

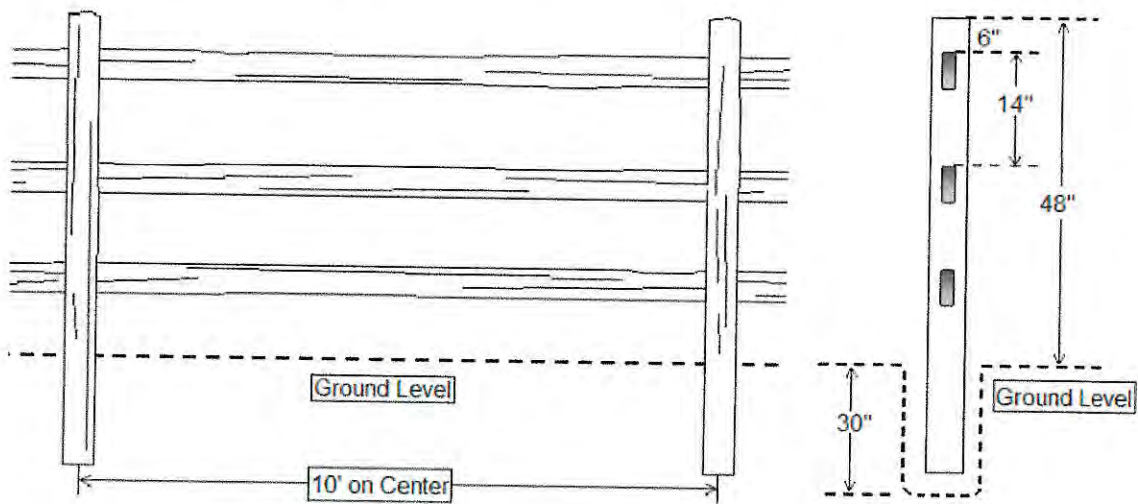
1. Posts shall be set true to line and grade.
2. Line posts do not require concrete footings.
3. Gate, corner, or end posts do require 12-inch diameter concrete footings extending at least 32-inches into undisturbed natural ground or properly compacted fill.

### INSTALLATION OF FENCE

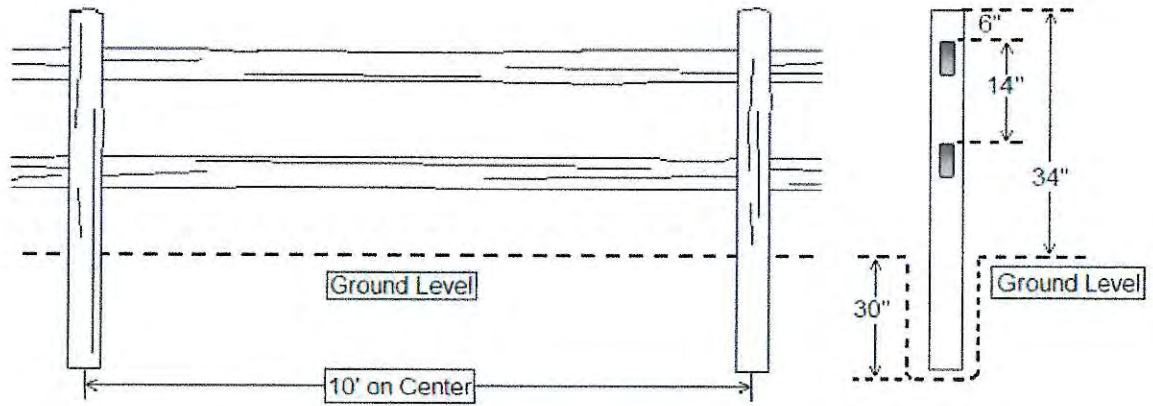
1. Typical split rail fence installation can be found in Figure 1 and 2 at the end of this specification section.
2. Installation of fence shall be as per fence manufacturer's recommendations.

### INSTALLATION OF GATES

1. Install gates plumb, level, and secure for full opening without interference. Install ground-set items in concrete for anchorage as recommended by the fence manufacturer. Adjust hardware for smooth operation.
2. Once gate is installed coordinate with Owner on lock installation.



**FIGURE 1 - 3-rail Split Rail Fence Detail.**  
(Source: CFC Fences & Decks)



Post Spacing 10' O.C.

**FIGURE 2 - 2-rail Split Rail Fence Detail.**  
(Source: CFC Fences & Decks)