



Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government

Request for Proposals

The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government hereby requests proposals for **RFP #44-2022 Hazardous Household Waste Collection Event** to be provided in accordance with terms, conditions and specifications established herein.

Sealed proposals will be received through Ion Wave until **2:00 PM**, prevailing local time, on **August 10, 2022**. All forms and information requested in RFP must be included and attached in Response Attachments tab in Ion Wave.

Proposals received after the date and time set for opening proposals will not be accepted. It is the sole responsibility of the Proposer to assure that his/her proposal is submitted in Ion Wave before the date and time set for opening proposals.

Proposals, once submitted, may not be withdrawn for a period of one hundred twenty (120) calendar days.

The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, and to waive technicalities and informalities when such waiver is determined by the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government to be in its best interest.

Signature of this proposal by the Proposer constitutes acceptance by the Proposer of terms, conditions and requirements set forth herein.

Minor exceptions may not eliminate the proposal. Any exceptions to the specifications established herein shall be listed in detail on a separate sheet and attached hereto. The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government shall determine whether any exception is minor.

The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government encourages the participation of minority- and women-owned businesses in Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government contracts. This proposal is subject to Affirmative Action requirements attached hereto.

Please do not contact any LFUCG staff member or any other person involved in the selection process other than the designated contact person(s) regarding the project contemplated under this RFP while this RFP is open and a selection has not been finalized. Any attempt to do so may result in disqualification of the firm's submittal for consideration.

Laws and Regulations

All applicable state laws, municipal ordinances and regulations of all authorities having jurisdiction over the project shall apply to the contract, and shall be deemed to be incorporated herein by reference.

Equal Employment Opportunity

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.

Kentucky Equal Employment Opportunity Act

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 provision of the nondiscrimination 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 timetables.
- (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 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 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 workforce 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.

LFUCG Non-Appropriation Clause

Contractor acknowledges that the LFUCG is a governmental entity, and the contract validity is based upon the availability of public funding under the authority of its statutory mandate.

In the event that public funds are unavailable and not appropriated for the performance of the LFUCG's obligations under this contract, then this contract shall automatically expire without

penalty to the LFUCG thirty (30) days after written notice to Contractor of the unavailability and non-appropriation of public funds. It is expressly agreed that the LFUCG shall not activate this non-appropriation provision for its convenience or to circumvent the requirements of this contract, but only as an emergency fiscal measure during a substantial fiscal crisis, which affects generally its governmental operations.

In the event of a change in the LFUCG's statutory authority, mandate and mandated functions, by state and federal legislative or regulatory action, which adversely affects the LFUCG's authority to continue its obligations under this contract, then this contract shall automatically terminate without penalty to the LFUCG upon written notice to Contractor of such limitation or change in the LFUCG's legal authority.

Contention Process

Vendors who respond to this invitation have the right to file a notice of contention associated with the RFP 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 RFP 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 RFP 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 RFP processes. If, based on this review, a RFP 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 RFP recommendation must be filed within 3 business days of the RFP 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.

AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT

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 sub-grantee, 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(1). 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 goods, products or materials produced in the United States, in conformity with 2 C.F.R. § 200.322.

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.

Signature

Date

SELECTION CRITERIA:

1. Specialized experience and technical competence of the person or firm with the type of service required. 15 points
2. Capacity of the person or firm to perform the work, including any specialized services, within the time limitations; 15 points
3. Past record and performance on similar contracts with the LFUCG or other governmental agencies and private industry with respect to such factors as control of cost, quality or work and ability to meet schedules; 15 points
4. Familiarity with the details of the project; 10 points
5. The ultimate disposition of the materials collected (i.e. reuse and recycling versus disposal); 10 points
6. The compliance history of the recycling and/or disposal facilities that will be utilized and; 10 points
7. Degree of local employment to be provided by the person or firm in the performance of the contract by the person or firm; 10 points
8. Estimated Cost of Services. 15 points

Proposals shall contain the appropriate information necessary to evaluate based on these criteria. A committee composed of government employees as well as representatives of relevant user groups will evaluate the proposals.

Questions shall be submitted via IonWave at: <https://lexingtonky.ionwave.net>

Affirmative Action Plan

All vendors must submit as a part of the proposal package the following items to the Urban County Government:

1. Affirmative Action Plan for his/her firm;
2. Current Work Force Analysis Form;

Failure to submit these items as required may result in disqualification of the submitter from award of the contract. All submissions should be directed to:

Director, Division of Central Purchasing
Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government
200 East Main Street, 3rd Floor
Lexington, Kentucky 40507

All questions regarding this proposal must be directed to the Division of Central Purchasing, (859)-258-3320.

AFFIDAVIT

Comes the Affiant, _____, and after being first duly sworn, states under penalty of perjury as follows:

1. His/her name is _____ and he/she is the individual submitting the proposal or is the authorized representative of _____, the entity submitting the proposal (hereinafter referred to as "Proposer").

2. Proposer will pay all taxes and fees, which are owed to the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government at the time the proposal 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. Proposer will obtain a Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government business license, if applicable, prior to award of the contract.

4. Proposer 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. Proposer 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 Proposer will not violate any provision of the campaign finance laws of the Commonwealth.

6. Proposer has not knowingly violated any provision of Chapter 25 of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government Code of Ordinances, known as "Ethics Act."

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7. Proposer 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 _____

COUNTY OF _____

The foregoing instrument was subscribed, sworn to and acknowledged before me

by _____ on this the _____ day

of _____, 20__.

My Commission expires: _____

NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE AT LARGE

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 handicap.

- 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, Vietnam veterans, handicapped and aged persons.

Signature

Name of Business

WORKFORCE ANALYSIS FORM

Name of Organization: _____

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																	
Professionals																	
Superintendents																	
Supervisors																	
Foremen																	
Technicians																	
Protective																	
Para-																	
Office/Clerical																	
Skilled Craft																	
Service/Maintena																	
Total:																	

Prepared by: _____ Date: ____/____/____

(Name and Title)

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**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

Notice of requirement for Affirmative Action to ensure Equal Employment Opportunities and Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE) Contract participation. Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE) consists of Minority-Owned Business Enterprises (MBE) and Woman-Owned Business Enterprises (WBE).

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 Disadvantaged Business Enterprises, which is made up of MBEs and WBEs. The Lexington Fayette Urban County Government also has 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 Disadvantaged Business Enterprises as well Veteran –owned Small Businesses as subcontractors is a recommended goal. Contractor(s) who fail to meet such goal will be expected to provide written explanations to the Director of the Division of Purchasing of efforts they have made to accomplish the recommended goal, and the extent to which they are successful in accomplishing the recommended goal will be a consideration in the procurement process. Depending on the funding source, other DBE goals may apply.

For assistance in locating Disadvantaged Business Enterprises Subcontractors contact:

Sherita Miller, MPA, Division of Central Purchasing
Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government
200 East Main Street, 3rd Floor, Room 338
Lexington, Kentucky 40507
smiller@lexingtonky.gov

Firm Submitting Proposal: _____

Complete Address: _____
Street City Zip

Contact Name: _____ Title: _____

Telephone Number: _____ Fax Number: _____

Email address: _____

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.
- d. 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.
- e. 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

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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.

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>)

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



LFUCG MWDBE PARTICIPATION FORM

Bid/RFP/Quote Reference # _____

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.				
2.				
3.				
4.				

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.

Company

Company Representative

Date

Title



LFUCG MWDBE SUBSTITUTION FORM

Bid/RFP/Quote Reference # _____

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.

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.					
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.

Company

Company Representative

Date

Title



MWDBE QUOTE SUMMARY FORM

Bid/RFP/Quote Reference # _____

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	Contact Person
Address/Phone/Email	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

(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.

Company

Company Representative

Date

Title



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 / Room 338 / Lexington, KY 40507.

Bid/RFP/Quote # _____

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.

Company

Company Representative

Date

Title

LFUCG STATEMENT OF GOOD FAITH EFFORTS

Bid/RFP/Quote # _____

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

_____ 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.

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_____ 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.

Company

Company Representative

Date

Title

GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. Each Respondent shall comply with all Federal, State & Local regulations concerning this type of service or good.

The Respondent agrees to comply with all statutes, rules, and regulations governing safe and healthful working conditions, including the Occupational Health and Safety Act of 1970, *29 U.S.C. 650 et. seq.*, as amended, and KRS Chapter 338. The Respondent also agrees to notify the LFUCG in writing immediately upon detection of any unsafe and/or unhealthful working conditions at the job site. The Respondent agrees to indemnify, defend and hold the LFUCG harmless from all penalties, fines or other expenses arising out of the alleged violation of said laws.

2. Failure to submit ALL forms and information required in this RFP may be grounds for disqualification.
3. Addenda: All addenda and IonWave Q&A, if any, shall be considered in making the proposal, and such addenda shall be made a part of this RFP. Before submitting a proposal, it is incumbent upon each proposer to be informed as to whether any addenda have been issued, and the failure to cover in the bid any such addenda may result in disqualification of that proposal.
4. Proposal Reservations: LFUCG reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, 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 a Respondent in the preparation of proposals.
6. Changes/Alterations: Respondent 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 proposal, and received by LFUCG prior to the scheduled closing time for receipt of proposals, will be accepted. The proposal, 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 proposal".
7. Clarification of Submittal: LFUCG reserves the right to obtain clarification of any point in a bid or to obtain additional information from a Respondent.
8. Bribery Clause: By his/her signature on the bid, Respondent 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 Respondent may include any product brochures, software documentation, sample reports, or other documentation that may assist LFUCG in better understanding and evaluating the Respondent's response. Additional documentation shall not serve as a substitute for other documentation which is required by this RFP to be submitted with the proposal,
10. Ambiguity, Conflict or other Errors in RFP: If a Respondent discovers any ambiguity, conflict, discrepancy, omission or other error in the RFP, 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 this proposal, the Respondent agrees that it has carefully examined the specifications and all provisions relating to the work to be done attached hereto and made part of this proposal. By acceptance of a Contract under this RFP, proposer states that it understands the meaning, intent and requirements of the RFP and agrees to the same. The successful Respondent 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 Respondent shall be authorized for services or expenses reasonably covered under these provisions that the proposer omits from its Proposal.
12. Cancellation: If the services to be performed hereunder by the Respondent are not performed in an acceptable manner to the LFUCG, the LFUCG may cancel this contract for cause by providing written notice to the proposer, giving at least thirty (30) days notice of the proposed cancellation and the reasons for same. During that time period, the proposer may seek to bring the performance of services hereunder to a level that is acceptable to the LFUCG, and the LFUCG may rescind the cancellation if such action is in its best interest.

A. Termination for Cause

- (1) LFUCG may terminate a contract because of the contractor's failure to perform its contractual duties
- (2) If a contractor is determined to be in default, LFUCG shall notify the contractor of the determination in writing, and may include a specified date by which the contractor shall cure the identified deficiencies. LFUCG may proceed with termination if the contractor fails to cure the deficiencies within the specified time.
- (3) A default in performance by a contractor for which a contract may be terminated shall include, but shall not necessarily be limited to:
 - (a) Failure to perform the contract according to its terms, conditions and specifications;
 - (b) Failure to make delivery within the time specified or according

- to a delivery schedule fixed by the contract;
- (c) Late payment or nonpayment of bills for labor, materials, supplies, or equipment furnished in connection with a contract for construction services as evidenced by mechanics' liens filed pursuant to the provisions of KRS Chapter 376, or letters of indebtedness received from creditors by the purchasing agency;
 - (d) Failure to diligently advance the work under a contract for construction services;
 - (e) The filing of a bankruptcy petition by or against the contractor; or
 - (f) Actions that endanger the health, safety or welfare of the LFUCG or its citizens.

B. At Will Termination

Notwithstanding the above provisions, the LFUCG may terminate this contract at will in accordance with the law upon providing thirty (30) days written notice of that intent, 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 contractor shall not assign or subcontract any portion of the Contract 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 Contract shall affect the rights, remedies, powers or privileges of LFUCG hereunder or shall operate as a waiver thereof.
15. **Authority to do Business:** The Respondent must be a duly organized and authorized to do business under the laws of Kentucky. Respondent must be in good standing and have full legal capacity to provide the services specified under this Contract. The Respondent must have all necessary right and lawful authority to enter into this Contract for the full term hereof and that proper corporate or other action has been duly taken authorizing the Respondent to enter into this Contract. The Respondent will provide LFUCG with a copy of a corporate resolution authorizing this action and a letter from an attorney confirming that the proposer is authorized to do business in the State of Kentucky if requested. All proposals must

be signed by a duly authorized officer, agent or employee of the Respondent.

16. **Governing Law:** This 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 Contract, the Parties agree that the venue shall be the Fayette County Circuit Court or the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky, Lexington Division. All parties expressly consent to personal jurisdiction and venue in such Court for the limited and sole purpose of proceedings relating to this Contract or any rights or obligations arising thereunder. Service of process may be accomplished by following the procedures prescribed by law.
17. **Ability to Meet Obligations:** Respondent affirmatively states that there are no actions, suits or proceedings of any kind pending against Respondent or, to the knowledge of the Respondent, threatened against the Respondent 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 Respondent to perform its obligations under this Contract, or which question the legality, validity or enforceability hereof or thereof.
18. Contractor understands and agrees that its employees, agents, or subcontractors are not employees of LFUCG for any purpose whatsoever. Contractor is an independent contractor at all times during the performance of the services specified.
19. If any term or provision of this 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.
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.

Signature

Date

**RISK MANAGEMENT PROVISIONS
INSURANCE AND INDEMNIFICATION**

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, prior to final acceptance of its bid and the commencement of any work, demonstrate the ability to assure compliance with the above Indemnity provisions and these other risk management provisions.

INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

YOUR ATTENTION IS DIRECTED TO THE INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS BELOW, AAND 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 or \$2 million combined single limit
Commercial Automobile Liability (Insurance Services Office Form CA 0001)	combined single, \$1 million per occurrence
Worker's Compensation	Statutory
Employer's Liability	\$1,000,000.00

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 a Products and Completed Operations endorsement or Premises and Operations Liability endorsement unless deemed not to apply by LFUCG.
- d. The General Liability Policy shall include an Environmental Pollution Liability endorsement of not less than \$5,000,000.00 per occurrence or like insurance coverage shall be provided.
- e. 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.
- f. 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. If BIDDER/CONTRACTOR satisfies any portion of the insurance requirements through deductibles, self-insurance programs, or self-insured retentions, BIDDER/CONTRACTOR agrees to provide Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government, Division of Risk Management, the following data prior to the final acceptance of bid and the commencement of any work:

- a. Latest audited financial statement, including auditor's notes.
- b. Any records of any self-insured trust fund plan or policy and related accounting statements.
- c. Actuarial funding reports or retained losses.
- d. Risk Management Manual or a description of the self-insurance and risk management program.
- e. A claim loss run summary for the previous five (5) years.
- f. Self-Insured Associations will be considered.

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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**Request for Proposal - Issued by
Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government
Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Collection Event**

INTRODUCTION

With grant funding provided through the Kentucky Department of Environmental Protection, Division of Waste Management, Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government (LFUCG) is planning to conduct a Household Hazardous Waste (“drop-off”) event in the Fall of 2022 and seeks proposals from qualified vendors, to manage the event and the collected materials and to provide related services. Only materials from Fayette County residents and from LFUCG divisions (conditionally exempt small quantity generators [CESQGs]) will be accepted. Materials will not be accepted from businesses/commercial establishments.

A. OVERVIEW

The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government will provide one collection site, at LFUCG’s old landfill pad, at 1631 Old Frankfort Pike, Lexington, KY. The collection of materials will take place between the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., on Saturday October 22, 2022.

The goals of the event include the following:

- Providing a safe and environmentally sound way to dispose/manage household hazardous wastes;
- Increasing public awareness concerning the proper use and disposal of hazardous household chemicals and other products;
- Recycling these materials when possible;
- Preserving the environment;
- Protecting citizens and volunteers as well as LFUCG employees;
- Reducing LFUCG potential environmental liabilities.

B. LFUCG RESPONSIBILITIES

The LFUCG will accept proposals from qualified vendors. In general, the process will include a cost evaluation with consideration given to the following:

1. Specialized experience and technical competence of the person or firm with the type of service required. 15 points
2. Capacity of the person or firm to perform the work, including any specialized services, within the time limitations; 15 points

3. Past record and performance on similar contracts with the LFUCG or other governmental agencies and private industry with respect to such factors as control of cost, quality or work and ability to meet schedules; 15 points
4. Familiarity with the details of the project; 10 points
5. The ultimate disposition of the materials collected (i.e. reuse and recycling versus disposal); 10 points
6. The compliance history of the recycling and/or disposal facilities that will be utilized and; 10 points
7. Degree of local employment to be provided by the person or firm in the performance of the contract by the person or firm; 10 points
8. Estimated Cost of Services. 15 points

The LFUCG will provide the following:

- Management of non-hazardous waste and recyclables (such as cardboard and household landfill waste);
- Ample number of staff/labor for activities such as traffic control, off-loading, participant surveys, etc.;
- Traffic cones and signage;
- Promotion for the event;
- Restroom facilities;
- Shelters, covered area, or tent for non-waste handling areas (such as lunch/break area);
- Personal protective equipment (PPE) for volunteers and LFUCG employees;
- Fire Department personnel

The LFUCG reserves the right to provide additional items/materials at our discretion to reduce our costs.

In the event of being awarded the bid and price contract, the agreement set forth shall be eligible for up to three, one-year automatic renewals.

C. VENDOR RESPONSIBILITIES

The selected vendor must make a site visit to the collection site at least one month prior to the collection event to determine suitability and to identify any potential concerns. This site visit must be made jointly with LFUCG personnel.

The successful vendor assumes responsibility for all waste collected during the event. The vendors name and EPA ID number will appear as the generator of the waste on all manifests and other legal documents. As in previous events, the LFUCG requires that the successful vendor obtain all required permits and authorizations to include applicable federal EPA and Kentucky permits. The selected vendor will be expected to provide enough manpower and equipment so that at least four (4) lanes of vehicles can be off-loaded simultaneously, with a goal of accommodating an estimated 1,500 – 2,000

vehicles. Other responsibilities assumed by the vendor are:

- Mobilization, including travel and supply trucks, to and from the collection site;
- Set up and tear down of tents, tables and work areas: Vendor must arrive on-site the day prior to the collection event to set up (access to the site for the day and/or evening prior can be made available). *Vendors are subject to a penalty of 10% off the project cost for failure to comply with this requirement;*
- Overall responsibility and oversight for the entire event, from set-up to closure of site;
- Overall responsibility for site safety to include responsibility for preparing and implementing a site health and safety plan covering all workers and participants;
- Pre-event safety and education session for all event staff and volunteers on the day of the event;
- Provide adequate management and labor-staff on site during the entire event;
- Provide refreshments and lunch for all vendor staff;
- Provide forklift(s) and operator(s) for handling chemical containers, Loading/unloading vendor trucks, etc.
- Provision of appropriate insurance, indemnification, and safety and loss coverage and procedures to include commercial general liability, automobile liability, workers compensation with employee liability, and contractor's pollution legal liability with consultants environmental liability;
- Provision of DOT-approved totes, drums, Gaylord boxes, and other shipping containers;
- Provision of spill containment, neutralization materials and lab carts;
- Provisions of spill clean-up equipment and absorbents;
- Spill clean-up;
- Classification, segregation, and packaging of waste by hazard class in compliance with DOT, EPA, state, and local regulations;
- Testing to determine the correct hazard classification of unknown materials;
- Proper waste drum labeling, manifesting, permitting, and other paperwork required by law;
- Provide timely on-site cost-tracking to include hourly updates to the LFUCG of estimated costs incurred to that point;
- Removal of collected materials from the collection site by midnight of the collection day, unless otherwise authorized by the LFUCG: *Vendors are subject to a penalty of 10% off the project cost for failure to comply with this requirement;*
- Recycling, reuse or disposal of the collected materials at EPA approved facilities;
- Provision of a completed manifest or other form document the treatment status of the collected materials within 90 days of the event;
- Completion of a detailed final report and bill summarizing the activities of the HHW event, the key statistics and data from the collection event, including, weight and volume, type, and disposition of material/item, the costs of services provided, and any recommendations for improving future HHW events. Final report and bill should be sent within 30 days of the event and should also be broken out in accordance with granting agency requirements;

- Provide necessary scale equipment to weigh collected waste material; and
- Ensure that at the end of the event, the LFUCG site (old landfill pad) and any surrounding areas used for the HHW event are restored to the same condition that existed prior to the event.

D. ACCEPTANCE OF MATERIALS

Collection is limited to residents of Fayette County. Materials that may be dropped off include, but are not limited to:

Acceptable Items

Automotive Products

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| • antifreeze | • auto wax | • batteries (auto, boat, etc.)** |
| • carburetor cleaner | • diesel fuel | • engine cleaners |
| • engine degreasers | • fuel oil | • gas & diesel additives |
| • gasoline, old | • motor oil and filters** | • oil & transmission additives |
| • transmission fluid | • waste windshield cleaner fluid | |

Fertilizers & Pesticides

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| • algaecides | • bug spray/sticks | • dioxin |
| • fertilizers containing nitrogen | • fungicides | • herbicides/weed killers |
| • insecticides (ant & roach powder) | • insecticides (garden dusts & sprays) | • pet flea & tick products |
| • rodenticides | | |

Paint Products & Solvents

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| • auto paint | • brush cleaner | • creosote |
| • finishes | • furniture stain remover | • furniture strippers |
| • lead paint | • linseed oil | • mineral spirits |
| • oil-based paints | • paint removers | • paint strippers |
| • paint thinners | • polyurethane coatings | • preservatives |
| • primer paint | • rust removers | • turpentine |
| • varnishes | • water based/latex paints** | |

Household Products

- acids
- alcohols
- artist supplies
- carpet cleaner
- compressed gas cylinders
- cutting oils
- disinfectants
- ether
- floor adhesive
- furniture polish
- kerosene
- metal polishes
- nail polish or remover
- plant food
- solvents
- spray cleaners
- upholstery cleaner
- adhesives
- ammonia
- ballast PCB
- caulking
- contact cement
- cylinders (propane, helium)***
- drain cleaners
- fiberglass epoxy
- floor waxes
- glass cleaners
- liquid shoe polish
- metal primer
- oven cleaner
- roofing tar
- spackling (drywall compound)
- swimming pool chemicals
- wood preservatives
- aerosol cans
- arsenic
- batteries – household*
- chlorine
- correction fluid
- degreaser
- dyes
- fire extinguishers
- fluorescent lightbulbs
- glue ink
- mercury
- moth balls/flakes
- photographic chemicals
- rubber adhesives
- spot or stain removers
- tile adhesives
- wood sealers

*(alkaline, NiCad, lithium)

**Latex and water based paint, motor oil, motor oil filters and batteries (auto and boat) will be accepted at the event, at the discretion of LFUCG, but will need to be invoiced (or credited) separate from the other material, since the cost for disposal isn't covered by the Kentucky Department of Environmental Protection grant. Please note, the vendor may not be responsible for handling all the latex and water based paint, some of it may be handled by a local non-profit recycler.

***Cylinders include the following categories: small, medium, large, propane, freons, helium, fire extinguishers.

Unacceptable Items

Dangerous items (explosives, ammunition, radioactive materials, etc.) will not be accepted per grant restrictions, with the exception of small caliber ammunition which will be managed by the LFUCG Department of Public Safety.

- appliances (microwave oven, toaster, air conditioner, hair dryer etc.)

- asbestos-containing material
- electronics (TV's, computer gear, etc).
- explosives/ammunition
- infectious waste
- medical waste
- pharmaceuticals
- radioactive materials
- smoke detectors
- tires
- white goods (dishwasher, clothes washer, dryer, etc.)

E. PROPOSAL REQUIREMENTS

The proposal submitted should include the following information:

- Completed Part I. Vendor Qualifications sheet;
- Completed Part II. Site Set-Up sheet;
- Completed Part III. Household Hazardous Waste Collection Price Sheet and addendum sheet;
- A description of vendor qualifications;
- Examples of relevant work performed in the recent past, including the name and phone number of a contact person for each example (the LFUCG reserves the right to contact these references);
- Proof of all necessary state and federal licenses, permits and authorizations required for the collection, transportation and disposal of the collected wastes;
- Copies of any notices of violations, administrative orders, or other enforcement actions taken by regulatory agencies in the past five years against the primary vendor, the parent company and the probable sites to be used for waste disposal;
- Copies of any letters of commendation, awards, or other recognition received in the last five years;
- A detailed list of key personnel working on the project;
- A detailed list of persons who will be on site during the collection day, including relevant experience, qualifications, and a detailed list of duties to be performed that day for each individual;
- The number of vendor employees that will be on site working the event and the number of hours it is anticipated by your company they will be working;
- An example of a typical site set-up including vehicle unloading, material identification and separation, material bulking, non-regulated waste disposal, and truck loading;
- A plan for handling overflow of materials or traffic at the site, including plans to obtain more drums, gaylords, or roll-off boxes, and plans to use areas of the site for traffic control;
- A description of the on-site cost tracking method;

- A detailed equipment list for the collection site including materials for fire prevention, safety, personal protective equipment, material bulking, and any other supplies or equipment necessary for this event, including process for each item;
- A complete list of the recycling, disposal, and/or transfer facilities to be used by the vendor including company name, address, contact name and phone number, federal ID number, types of waste(s) accepted, and method(s) to be used;
- A detailed description of how individual materials will be managed on site during the event as well as once the materials leave the site;
- A copy of lithium battery handling and transport policy (compliant with DOT Guidelines);
- A copy of protocols for identifying unknown materials;
- A description of spill and fire prevention plans, emergency response plans, and health and safety plans;
- A detailed description of any training (safety or otherwise) vendor will provide to volunteers and LFUCG staff on the day of the event prior to event start time;
- Documentation of insurance; and
- A list of the names of the subcontractors proposed for the any part of the event. If the contractor intends to use a subcontractor for any phases of the event such subcontractor shall be approved by the LFUCG before any work is accomplished.

In addition to this information, the proposal should include a complete estimated project cost and proposal based on the details provided on the attached pages.

F. STATISTICS & QUANTITY ESTIMATES

Please see the following tables (below) for information from previous Household Hazardous Waste Collection events held by the LFUCG. Approximately 1,200 – 1,600 vehicles were serviced at these past events. The quantities are presented below to aid vendors in pricing and preparing estimations for the Fall 2022 event. These quantities are not guaranteed for the event.

Respondents should note the LFUCG reserves the right to divert select wastes from the waste stream on the day of the event so that these can be optimally managed and to reduce costs to the LFUCG. For example, the LFUCG desires that some of the usable water-based (latex) paint be diverted out of the collection process at the event for reuse through our existing partnership with Habitat for Humanity ReStore to the extent practical.

Similarly, it may be advantageous for the LFUCG to contract directly with vendors (to include vendors that may not have responded to the RFP) that would pay for materials received during the HHW event that have an obvious marketable value (such as lead acid batteries). Respondents are encouraged to indicate how they would manage these types of materials and how much they will credit (pay) the LFUCG for these materials in Part III – Household Waste Collection Proposal Price sheet. The LFUCG reserves the right to

utilize vendors other than the successful vendor for these marketable items should we determine it is advantageous to do so.

LFUCG is restricted from paying for disposal of certain materials using Kentucky Department of Environmental Protection grant funds. The LFUCG may want to accept these materials but manage them in alternate ways if that proves acceptable to the state. Used oil is one example. The LFUCG may enter into a recycling arrangement with vendors to recycle used oil at no cost to the state.

TABLE 1
2014 HHW EVENT TOTALS

Products	Amount
Antifreeze	2,177 lbs.
Flammable Solvents Liquids	8,303 lbs
Lab Packs for Treatment/Incineration and Lab Pack Reactives	1,955 lbs.
NON-LATEX Paint Related Material (Processable 1 & 5 gallon containers, and non-processable pints and quarts)	66,031 lbs.
Mercury	20 lbs.
Fertilizers & Pesticides	20,934 lbs.
Waxes, Joint Compounds, Latex Adhesives	22,608 lbs.
Consumer Commodity Flammables	5,448 lbs.
Aerosol Cans	5,201 lbs.
Non-Motor Oil Used Oils	7,113 lbs.
Corrosives	2,101 lbs.
Fluorescent bulbs	15,616 feet
PCB Ballast	0 invoiced lbs.
Propane Cylinders	379 (# of cylinders)

TABLE 2
2016 HHW EVENT TOTALS

Products	Amount
Antifreeze	3,484 lbs.
Flammable Solvents Liquids	7,716 lbs
Lab Packs for Treatment/Incineration and Lab Pack Reactives	782 lbs.
NON-LATEX Paint Related Material (Processable 1 & 5 gallon containers, and non-processable pints and quarts)	84,661 lbs.
Mercury	40 lbs.
Fertilizers & Pesticides	9,524 lbs.
Waxes, Joint Compounds, Latex Adhesives	12,912 lbs.
Consumer Commodity Flammables	8,273 lbs.
Aerosol Cans	4,537 lbs.

Non-Motor Oil Used Oils	7,984 lbs.
Corrosives	3,190 lbs.
Fluorescent bulbs	844 feet
PCB Ballast	6.6 lbs.
Propane Cylinders	288 (# of cylinders)

TABLE 3
2017 HHW EVENT TOTALS

Products	Amount
Antifreeze	3,470 lbs.
Flammable Solvents Liquids	7,108 lbs
Lab Packs for Treatment/Incineration and Lab Pack Reactives	1,679 lbs.
NON-LATEX Paint Related Material (Processable 1 & 5 gallon containers, and non-processable pints and quarts)	136,780 lbs.
Mercury	71 lbs.
Fertilizers & Pesticides	16,089 lbs.
Waxes, Joint Compounds, Latex Adhesives	13,903 lbs.
Consumer Commodity Flammables	10,894 lbs.
Aerosol Cans	6,294 lbs.
Non-Motor Oil Used Oils	7,804 lbs.
Corrosives	3,372 lbs.
Fluorescent bulbs	3,259 feet
PCB Ballast	7 lbs.
Propane Cylinders	361 (# of cylinders)

TABLE 4
Spring 2018 HHW EVENT TOTALS

Products	Amount
Antifreeze	3,208 lbs.
Flammable Solvents Liquids	9,464 lbs.
Lab Packs for Treatment/Incineration and Lab Pack Reactives	1,019 lbs.
NON-LATEX Paint Related Material (Processable 1 & 5 gallon containers, and non-processable pints and quarts)	125,400 lbs.
Mercury	43 lbs.
Fertilizers & Pesticides	13,486 lbs.
Waxes, Joint Compounds, Latex Adhesives	22,037 lbs.
Consumer Commodity Flammables	10,296 lbs.
Aerosol Cans	4,756 lbs.
Non-Motor Oil Used Oils	8,770 lbs.
Corrosives	4,892 lbs.
Fluorescent bulbs	26,008 feet

PCB Ballast	57 lbs.
Propane Cylinders	696 x 1 lb. 61 x 20 lb.

TABLE 5
Fall 2018 HHW EVENT TOTALS

Products	Amount
Antifreeze	2,077 lbs.
Flammable Solvents Liquids	6,301 lbs
Lab Packs for Treatment/Incineration and Lab Pack Reactives	786 lbs.
NON-LATEX Paint Related Material (Processable 1 & 5 gallon containers, and non-processable pints and quarts)	77,023 lbs.
Mercury	10 lbs.
Fertilizers & Pesticides	9,905 lbs.
Waxes, Joint Compounds, Latex Adhesives	15,083 lbs.
Consumer Commodity Flammables	5,926 lbs.
Aerosol Cans	3,174 lbs.
Non-Motor Oil Used Oils	4,216 lbs.
Corrosives	2,077 lbs.
Fluorescent bulbs	3,184 feet
PCB Ballast	- lbs.
Propane Cylinders	276 (# of cylinders)

TABLE 6
Spring 2019 HHW EVENT TOTALS

Products	Amount
Antifreeze	2,652 lbs.
Flammable Solvents Liquids	6,195 lbs
Lab Packs for Treatment/Incineration and Lab Pack Reactives	813 lbs.
NON-LATEX Paint Related Material (Processable 1 & 5 gallon containers, and non-processable pints and quarts)	91,367 lbs.
Mercury	52 lbs.
Fertilizers & Pesticides	11,340 lbs.
Waxes, Joint Compounds, Latex Adhesives	15,460 lbs.
Consumer Commodity Flammables	8,259 lbs.
Aerosol Cans	4,432 lbs.
Non-Motor Oil Used Oils	6,797 lbs.
Corrosives	1,963 lbs.
Fluorescent bulbs	12,044 feet
PCB Ballast	16 lbs.
Propane Cylinders	273 (# of cylinders)

TABLE 7
Fall 2019 HHW EVENT TOTALS

Products	Amount
Antifreeze	2,521 lbs.
Flammable Solvents Liquids	6,073 lbs
Lab Packs for Treatment/Incineration and Lab Pack Reactives	1,346 lbs.
NON-LATEX Paint Related Material (Processable 1 & 5 gallon containers, and non-processable pints and quarts)	72,714 lbs.
Mercury	1 lbs.
Fertilizers & Pesticides	10,353 lbs.
Waxes, Joint Compounds, Latex Adhesives	19,371 lbs.
Consumer Commodity Flammables	8,269 lbs.
Aerosol Cans	3,982 lbs.
Non-Motor Oil Used Oils	6,006 lbs.
Corrosives	1,819 lbs.
Fluorescent bulbs	13,828 feet
PCB Ballast	85 lbs.
Propane Cylinders	1,201 (# of cylinders)

No Spring 2020 collection event held, due to the COVID-19 Pandemic

TABLE 8
Fall 2020 HHW EVENT TOTALS

Products	Amount
Antifreeze	3,563 lbs.
Flammable Solvents Liquids	6,571 lbs
Lab Packs for Treatment/Incineration and Lab Pack Reactives	2,272 lbs.
NON-LATEX Paint Related Material (Processable 1 & 5 gallon containers, and non-processable pints and quarts)	136,904 lbs.
Mercury	126 lbs.
Fertilizers & Pesticides	22,155 lbs.
Waxes, Joint Compounds, Latex Adhesives	20,779 lbs.
Consumer Commodity Flammables	14,813 lbs.
Aerosol Cans	6,597 lbs.
Non-Motor Oil Used Oils	8,195 lbs.
Corrosives	2,669 lbs.
Fluorescent bulbs	35,632 feet
PCB Ballast	178 lbs.
Propane Cylinders	2,010 (# of cylinders)

TABLE 9
Spring 2021 HHW EVENT TOTALS

Products	Amount
Antifreeze	3,147 lbs.
Flammable Solvents Liquids	4,795 lbs
Lab Packs for Treatment/Incineration and Lab Pack Reactives	3,147 lbs.
NON-LATEX Paint Related Material (Processable 1 & 5 gallon containers, and non-processable pints and quarts)	23,673 lbs.
Mercury	27 lbs.
Fertilizers & Pesticides	13,583 lbs.
Waxes, Joint Compounds, Latex Adhesives	9,830 lbs.
Consumer Commodity Flammables	11,410 lbs.
Aerosol Cans	5,387 lbs.
Non-Motor Oil Used Oils	7,539 lbs.
Corrosives	2,385 lbs.
Fluorescent bulbs	17,037 feet
PCB Ballast	22 lbs.
Propane Cylinders	4,112 (# of cylinders)

TABLE 10
Fall 2021 HHW EVENT TOTALS

Products	Amount
Antifreeze	2,292 lbs.
Flammable Solvents Liquids	5,601 lbs
Lab Packs for Treatment/Incineration and Lab Pack Reactives	1,550 lbs.
NON-LATEX Paint Related Material (Processable 1 & 5 gallon containers, and non-processable pints and quarts)	83,824 lbs.
Mercury	12 lbs.
Fertilizers & Pesticides	3,834 lbs.
Waxes, Joint Compounds, Latex Adhesives	13,909 lbs.
Consumer Commodity Flammables	8,315 lbs.
Aerosol Cans	3,834 lbs.
Non-Motor Oil Used Oils	5,157 lbs.
Corrosives	1,901 lbs.
Fluorescent bulbs	10,608 feet
PCB Ballast	28 lbs.
Propane Cylinders	486 (# of cylinders)

LFUCG asks that the contractor be staffed and prepared for LFUCG Divisions to drop off materials on the Friday afternoon prior to the public event. Materials to be expected during this internal collection will be consumer products that had been abandoned at

public properties, consumer materials separated out of solid waste collection and recycling processes, and expired or unused products from LFUCG operations. For this internal collection only, LFUCG will be the generator as a Conditionally Exempt Small Quantity Generator (CESQG) for all materials. Contractor will collect, package, manifest, and bill separately. Disposal will be at the same waste category rates as quoted for the public HHW event unless otherwise indicated by the vendor in the RFP response. Quantities will vary, and staff will prepare a list of anticipated items prior to the internal collection event.

Important Information

The Total Disposal Cost (Part III- Household Hazardous Waste Collection Proposal Price Sheet) should be calculated by using the quantities listed in Table 11 below. The amounts listed below are estimates for price comparison only and are not guaranteed. Note: the quantities are specified in **pounds**, the preferred pricing method, unless otherwise stated. Respondents should also specify in their pricing the amount to be remitted/credited to the LFUCG (if any) for any items that have marketable value such as lead acid batteries.

The estimated amounts on the Pricing Sheet are to be used by LFUCG to compare proposals. The actual characterization of the material collected at the event will likely be different. See Tables above for previous collection totals.

TABLE 11
Fall 2022 HHW EVENT FOR BIDDING PURPOSES

Products	Amount
Antifreeze	3,200 lbs
Flammable Solvents Liquids	6,000 lbs
Lab Packs for Treatment/Incineration	2,500 lbs.
Lab Pack Reactives	200 lbs
NON-LATEX Paint Related Material (Processable 1 & 5 gallon containers)	100,000 lbs.
NON-LATEX Paint Related Material (Non-Processable pints & quarts)	10,000 lbs.
Mercury	50 lbs.
Fertilizers & Pesticides	13,000 lbs.
Waxes, Joint Compounds, Latex Adhesives	16,000 lbs.
Consumer Commodity Flammables	10,000 lbs.
Aerosol Cans	5,000 lbs.
Non-Motor Oil Used Oils	7,500 lbs.
Corrosives	2,000 lbs.
Fluorescent bulbs	16,000 feet
PCB Ballast	100 lbs.
Propane cylinders	1,000 x 1 lb 100 x 20 lb

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Part I: Vendor Qualifications

Please describe vendor qualifications, including examples of relevant work performed in the recent past. Include the name and phone number of a contact person for each example provided. Attach to this sheet proof of all necessary state and federal licenses and permits needed for the transportation and disposal of wastes; copies of any notices of violations, administrative orders, or other enforcement actions taken by regulatory agencies within the last five years against the primary vendor, parent company, or probable sources of waste disposal; and copies of any letters of recommendation, awards or other recognition received in the last five years.

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Part II: Site Set-up

The event will take place at the LFUCG old landfill pad, located at 1631 Old Frankfort Pike, Lexington, KY. Cars will enter the site through Jimmie Campbell Drive and exit on Old Frankfort Pike. (Aerial photo of site is attached).

Please provide examples of set-up diagrams for events conducted by your company, especially those with a high volume of traffic that include four lanes. Diagrams should include the following areas: Vehicle Unloading, Material Identification and Separation, Material Bulking, Non-Regulated Waste Disposal, and Truck Loading. Please include plans for handling overflow of traffic and materials, including plans to add more lanes for unloading and plans to bring in materials from outside to accommodate excess wastes. Please attach a description of spill and fire prevention plans, an emergency response plan, and a detailed outline of any volunteer training program provided by the vendor. The protocols for testing for unknown substances and packaging/transporting lithium batteries should also be attached.

Please note that the site of the event is a landfill cap with an asphalt pad cover. Tents cannot be staked and grounding rods cannot be used on the asphalt. Grounding rods can be driven off the pad. The pad and surrounding area will need to be maintained to be in the same condition that existed prior to the event.

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Part III: Pricing

The Total Disposal Cost (Part III- Household Hazardous Waste Collection Proposal Price Sheet) should be calculated by using the quantities listed below. The amounts listed below are estimates for price comparison only and are not guaranteed. Note: the quantities are specified in **pounds**, the preferred pricing method, unless otherwise stated. Respondents should also specify in their pricing the amount to be remitted/credited to the LFUCG (if any) for any items that have marketable value such as lead acid batteries.

The estimated amounts on the Pricing Sheet are to be used by LFUCG to compare proposals. The actual characterization of the material collected at the event will likely be different. See Tables 1 – 11 for previous collection totals.

The pricing will go into effect and be used for any future events planned by the LFUCG while the agreement with the selected vendor is in place.

Product category	Amount	Price per unit	Total Cost
Antifreeze	3,200 lbs		
Flammable Solvents Liquids	6,000 lbs		
Lab Packs for Treatment/Incineration and Lab Pack Reactives	2,700 lbs		
NON-LATEX Paint Related Material (Processable 1 & 5 gallon containers, and non-processable pints and quarts)	110,000 lbs.		
Mercury	50 lbs.		
Fertilizers & Pesticides	13,000 lbs.		
Waxes, Joint Compounds, Latex Adhesives	16,000 lbs.		
Consumer Commodity Flammables	10,000 lbs.		
Aerosol Cans	5,000 lbs.		
Non-Motor Oil Used Oils	7,500 lbs.		
Corrosives	2,000 lbs.		
Fluorescent bulbs	16,000 feet		
PCB Ballast	100 lbs		
Propane cylinders	1,000 x 1 lb 100 x 20 lb		
Total Set Up & Mobilization/Demobilization Cost			
Total Miscellaneous Charges (please detail in below chart)			
Total Labor Charges			

Total Cost: _____

Please complete unit price, total cost per category, and total cost of all categories added together.

For example, 2,000 lbs antifreeze @ \$0.12/lb = \$240.00

Please list any additional miscellaneous charges in the below chart:

Item	Estimated amount	Price per item or pound	Total estimate

