STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION



DIVISION 9

CONTRACT PROPOSAL SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE

ROUTES:	VARIOUS SITES	COUNTIES:	DAVIDSON DAVIE FORSYTH ROWAN STOKES				
TYPE OF WORK:	VEGETATION MANAGEMENT IN DAVIDSON, DAVIE, FORSYTH, ROWAN AND STOKES COUNTIES						
BID OPENING:	DIVISION 9 OFFICE 375 SILAS CREEK PARKWAY WINSTON-SALEM, NC 27127 MARCH 12, 2014 10:00						

NOTICE:

ALL BIDDERS SHALL COMPLY WITH ALL APPLICABLE LAWS REGULATING THE PRACTICE OF GENERAL CONTRACTING AS CONTAINED IN CHAPTER 87 OF THE GENERAL STATUTES OF NORTH CAROLINA WHICH REQUIRES THE BIDDER TO BE LICENSED BY THE N.C. LICENSING BOARD FOR CONTRACTORS WHEN BIDDING ON ANY NON-FEDERAL AID PROJECT WHERE THE BID IS \$30,000 OR MORE, EXCEPT FOR CERTAIN SPECIALTY WORK AS DETERMINED BY THE LICENSING BOARD.

ALL BIDDERS MUST BE PREQUALIFIED AS A "BIDDER" or "SUBCONTRACTOR" WITH NCDOT PRIOR TO BID OPENING.

NAME OF BIDDER

N.C. CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE NUMBER

ADDRESS OF BIDDER RETURN BIDS TO:

J. Brett Abernathy, PE, PLS
Division 9 Project Manager
N. C. Department of Transportation
375 Silas Creek Parkway
Winston-Salem, North Carolina 27127

If you have any questions concerning this contract, contact J. Brett Abernathy at (336) 747-7800.

"VEGETATION MANAGEMENT IN DAVIDSON, DAVIE, FORSYTH, ROWAN AND STOKES COUNTIES"

CONTRACT FOR VEGETATION MANAGEMENT IN DAVIDSON, DAVIE, FORSYTH, ROWAN AND STOKES COUNTIES, NORTH CAROLINA

DATE: FEBRUARY 19, 2014
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION,
RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA

The Bidder has carefully examined the location of the proposed work to be known as Contract for Vegetation Management; has carefully examined the plans and specifications, which are acknowledged to be part of the proposal, the special provisions, the proposal, the form of contract, and the forms of contract payment bond and contract performance bond; and thoroughly understands the stipulations, requirements and provisions. The undersigned bidder agrees to bound upon his execution of the bid and subsequent award to him by the Board of Transportation in accordance with this proposal to provide the necessary contract payment bond and contract performance bond within fourteen days after the written notice of award is received by him. The undersigned Bidder further agrees to provide all necessary machinery, tools, labor, and other means of construction; and to do all the work and to furnish all materials, except as otherwise noted, necessary to perform and complete the said contract in accordance with the 2012 Standard Specifications for Roads and Structures by the dates(s) specified in the Project Special Provisions and in accordance with the requirements of the Engineer, and at the unit or lump sum prices, as the case may be, for the various items given on the sheets contained herein.

The Bidder shall provide and furnish all the materials, machinery, implements, appliances and tools, and perform the work and required labor to construct and complete State Highway Contract for <u>Vegetation Management</u> in <u>Davidson, Davie, Forsyth, Rowan and Stokes Counties</u>, for the unit or lump sum prices, as the case may be, bid by the Bidder in his bid and according to the proposal, plans, and specifications prepared by said Department, which proposal, plans, and specifications show the details covering this project, and hereby become a part of this contract.

The published volume entitled *North Carolina Department of Transportation, Raleigh, Standard Specifications for Roads and Structures, January 2012* with all amendments and supplements thereto, is by reference incorporated into and made a part of this contract; that, except as herein modified, all the construction and work included in this contract is to be done in accordance with the specifications contained in said volume, and amendments and supplements thereto, under the direction of the Engineer.

If the proposal is accepted and the award is made, the contract is valid only when signed either by the Contract Officer or such other person as may be designated by the Secretary to sign for the Department of Transportation. The conditions and provisions herein cannot be changed except over the signature of the said Contract Officer.

The quantities shown in the itemized proposal for the project are considered to be approximate only and are given as the basis for comparison of bids. The Department of Transportation may increase or decrease the quantity of any item or portion of the work as may be deemed necessary or expedient.

An increase or decrease in the quantity of an item will not be regarded as sufficient ground for an increase or decrease in the unit prices, nor in the time allowed for the completion of the work, except as provided for the contract.

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INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY BEFORE PREPARING AND SUBMITTING YOUR BID.

All bids shall be prepared and submitted in accordance with the following requirements. Failure to comply with any requirement shall cause the bid to be considered irregular and shall be grounds for rejection of the bid. NO BID BONDS REQUIRED.

- 1. The bid sheet furnished by NCDOT with the proposal shall be used and shall not be altered in any manner.
- 2. All entries on the bid sheet, including signatures, shall be written in ink.
- 3. The Bidder shall submit a unit price for every item on the bid form. The unit prices for the various contract items shall be written in figures. ** Unit bid prices must be limited to two (2) decimal places. **
- 4. An amount bid shall be entered on the bid sheet for every item. The amount bid for each item shall be determined by multiplying each unit bid by the quantity for that item, and shall be written in figures in the "Amount Bid" column of the sheet.
- 5. The total amount bid shall be written in figures in the proper place on the bid sheet. The total amount shall be determined by adding the amounts bid for each item.
- 6. Changes in any entry shall be made by marking through the entry in ink and making the correct entry adjacent thereto in ink. A representative of the Bidder shall initial the change in ink. Do NOT use white-out.
- 7. The bid shall be properly executed. All bids shall show the following information:
 - a. Name of individual, firm, corporation, partnership, or joint venture submitting bid.
 - b. Name of individual or representative submitting bid and position or title.
 - c. Name, signature, and position or title of witness.
 - d. Federal Identification Number
 - e. Contractor's License Number
- 8. Bids submitted by corporations shall bear the seal of the corporation.
- 9. The bid shall not contain any unauthorized additions, deletions, or conditional bids.
- 10. The bidder shall not add any provision reserving the right to accept or reject an award, or to enter into a contract pursuant to an award.
- 11. THE ENTIRE PROPOSAL INCLUDING BID FORMS SHALL BE PLACED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE AND SHALL HAVE BEEN DELIVERED TO AND RECEIVED IN THE DIVISION OFFICE AT 375 SILAS CREEK PARKWAY, WINSTON-SALEM, NC 27127 BY 10:00 A.M. ON MARCH 12, 2014.
- 12. The sealed bid must display the following statement on the front of the sealed envelope:

Name and Address of Company and:

"VEGETATION MANAGEMENT IN DAVIDSON, DAVIE, FORSYTH, ROWAN AND STOKES COUNTIES TO BE OPENED AT 10:00AM ON MARCH 12, 2014."

13. If delivered by mail, the sealed envelope shall be placed in another sealed envelope and the outer envelope shall be addressed as follows:

J. Brett Abernathy, PE, PLS
Division 9 Project Manager
N. C. Department of Transportation
375 Silas Creek Parkway
Winston-Salem, North Carolina 27127

AWARD OF CONTRACT

The award of the contract, if it be awarded, will be made to the lowest responsible Bidder. The lowest responsible Bidder will be notified that his bid has been accepted and that he has been awarded the contract. NCDOT reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

STANDARD PROVISIONS

GENERAL

This contract is for VEGETATION MANAGEMENT IN DAVIDSON, DAVIE, FORSYTH, ROWAN AND STOKES COUNTIES.

All work and materials shall be in accordance with the provisions of the General Guidelines of this contract, the Project Special Provisions, the current edition of the North Carolina Department of Transportation Standard Specifications for Roads and Structures, the current edition of the North Carolina Department of Transportation Roadway Standards Drawings, the current NCDOT Superpave Manual, and the current edition of the Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD).

The following is the link to the current edition of the NCDOT

"Standard Specifications for Roads and Structures" and "Roadway Standard Drawings"

http://ncdot.org/doh/preconstruct/ps/specifications/specifications provisions.html

http://ncdot.org/doh/preconstruct/ps/std_draw/06english/default.html

The Contractor shall keep himself fully informed of all Federal, State and local laws, ordinances, and regulations, and shall comply with the provisions of Section 107 of the current edition of the Standard Specifications for Roads and Structures.

SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROGRAM

Bids are being solicited for this project under the provisions of the NCDOT's Small Business Enterprise Program.

Your firm does not have to be formally identified as a minority, woman or disabled business to qualify for this Program, but you must have had an annual gross income of \$1.5 million or less, exclusive of materials, for the previous calendar year.

The maximum contract limit is set at \$500,000. If the total bid amount of the contract exceeds this amount, the bid will not be considered for award.

Under the provisions of this Program, a NC General Contractor's License is not required nor are Contract Payment and Contract Performance Bonds required. Bidders shall comply with all other applicable laws, including but not limited to, those regulating the practices of electrical, plumbing, heating and air conditioning and refrigeration contracting as contained in Chapter 87 of the General Statutes of North Carolina.

Only contractors currently certified as a SBE Contractor by the Contractual Services Unit of NCDOT will be eligible to bid on this project.

Prospective bidders who qualify for the SBE Program and are not currently certified are requested to apply for certification immediately. The submittal form is included at the end of the Contract Proposal. Do not submit the form with the Bid Documents. Send completed forms to:

Contractual Services Unit

ATTN: SBE 1509 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-1509

Additional information on the program may be obtained online at:

http://www.ncdot.org/business/ocs/sbe/

CONTRACT TIME

The date of availability for this contract is the date of execution of the purchase order. The Contractor may begin work prior to this date upon approval of the Engineer or his duly authorized representative. The completion date is March 31, 2015.

No work will be permitted and no purchase order will be issued until all requirements and prerequisite conditions and certifications have been satisfied.

At the option of the Department, this contract may be extended for two (2) additional periods of one (1) year with a (Maximum of three (3) years total). The Engineer will notify the contractor in writing before completion of the current contract if the contract is to be extended. No extensions will be authorized except as authorized by Article 108-10 of the Standard Specifications or as stated above.

CPI (PRICE ADJUSTMENT)

The compensation payable to the contractor shall be fixed for the first twelve months of this contract. However, upon an application by the contract, or sixty (60) days prior to the end of each contract period, the renewal contract may be adjusted to reflect the adjustment in the Consumer Price Index for the previous twelve (12) month period as published by the US Bureau of Labor Statistics. If the amount of the requested adjustment is more than ten (10) percent, the Department of Transportation reserves the right to cancel this contract.

ftp://ftp.bls.gov/pub/special.requests/cpi/cpiai.txt

The CPI will be determined from a 12-month period. Example below:

Year	J	\mathbf{F}	\mathbf{M}	\mathbf{A}	\mathbf{M}	J	J	A	\mathbf{S}	O	N	D
2009	211.1	212.2	212.7	213.2	213.8	215.7	215.3	215.8	215.9	216.2	216.3	215.9
2010	216.7	216.7	217.6	218.0	218.2	217.9	218.0	218.3	218.4	218.7	218.8	219.2
2011	220.2	221.3	223.4	224.9	225.9	225.7	225.9	226.6	226.9	226.4	226.2	225.7
	226.7											

CPI for current period	226.7
Less CPI for previous period	<u>220.2</u>
Equals index point change	6.5
Divided by previous period CPI	220.2
Equals	0.0295
Result multiplied by 100	0.0295 x 100
Equals percentage change	2.95 %

All line items in this contract (except asphalt items) will be adjusted by the calculated percentage at the time of renewal for CPI (Price Adjustment).

WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE

The contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless the North Carolina Department of Transportation, its officers and employees from any claim, demand, suit, liability, judgment and expense (including attorney's fees and other costs of litigation) arising out of or relating to injury, disease, or death of persons or damage to or loss of property resulting from or in connection with the negligent performance of this contract by the contractor, its agents, employees, and subcontractors or any one for whom the contractor may be responsible. The obligations, indemnities and liabilities assumed by the contractor under this paragraph shall not extend to any liability caused by the negligence of the Department of Transportation or its employees. The contractor's liability shall not be limited by any provisions or limits of insurance set forth in this contract.

The contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless the North Carolina Department of Transportation from any claim, demand, suit, liability, judgment, and expense involving damage or loss to the contractor's equipment (including vandalism, theft, fire and acts of God) arising out of or relating to work performed under this agreement. The obligations, indemnities and liabilities assumed by the contractor under this paragraph shall not extend to any

liability caused by the negligence of the Department of Transportation or its employees. The contractor's liability shall not be limited by any provisions or limits of insurance set forth in this contract.

The contractor further agrees to indemnify the North Carolina Department of Transportation for any damages to the roadway, highway signs, highway equipment and other property owned or in possession of the Department of Transportation, brought about by reason of the negligent operation of the leased equipment. The contractor further agrees to indemnify and save harmless the Department of Transportation, its officers and employees from any claims or amounts recovered by any of the contractor's employees under the Worker's Compensation Act.

Pursuant to N.C.G.S. § 97-19, all contractors/subcontractors of the Department of Transportation are, prior to beginning services, required to show proof of coverage issued by a workers' compensation insurance carrier, or a certificate of compliance issued by the Department of Insurance for self-insured contractor/subcontractors stating that it has complied with N.C.G.S. § 97-93 irrespective of whether contractor/subcontractors have regularly in service fewer than three employees in the same business within the State of North Carolina, and contractor/subcontractors shall be hereinafter liable under the Workers' Compensation Act for payment of compensation and other benefits to its employees for any injury or death due to an accident arising out of and in the course of performance of the work insured by the subcontractor.

The successful bidder shall provide Proof of insurance within (14) days after request from NCDOT prior to issuance of a purchase order and beginning work.

AUTHORITY OF THE ENGINEER

The Engineer for this project shall be the Division Engineer, Division 9, Division of Highways, North Carolina Department of Transportation, acting directly or through his duly authorized representatives.

The Engineer will decide all questions, which may arise as to the quality and acceptability of work performed and as to the rate of progress of the work. All questions which may arise as to the interpretation of the contract; and all questions as to the acceptable fulfillment of the contract on the part of the Contractor. His decision shall be final and he shall have executive authority to enforce and make effective such decisions and orders as the Contractor fails to carry out promptly.

AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS – CONTRACT TERMINATION

Payments on this contract are subject to availability of funds as allocated by the General Assembly. If the General Assembly fails to allocate adequate funds, the Department reserves the right to terminate this contract.

In the event of termination, the Contractor shall be given a written notice of termination at least 60 days before completion of scheduled work for which funds are available. In the event of termination, the Contractor shall be paid for the work already performed in accordance with the contract specifications.

SUBLETTING OF CONTRACT

The contractor shall not sublet, sell, transfer, assign or otherwise dispose of this contract or any portion thereof; or his rights, title, or interest therein; without written consent or prior approval of the Engineer. Subletting of this contract or any portion of the contract shall conform to the requirements of Article of 108-6 of the Standard Specifications.

BANKRUPTCY

The Department of Transportation, at its option, may terminate the contract upon filing by the Contractor of any petition for protection under the provisions of the Federal Bankruptcy Act.

SUPERVISION BY CONTRACTOR

At all times during the life of the project the Contractor shall provide one permanent employee who shall have the authority and capability for overall responsibility of the project and who shall be personally available at the work site

within 24 hour notice. Such employee shall be fully authorized to conduct all business with the subcontractors, to negotiate and execute all supplemental agreements, and to execute the orders or directions of the Engineer.

At all times that work is actually being performed, the Contractor shall have present on the project one competent individual who is authorized to act in a supervisory capacity over all work on the project, including work subcontracted. The individual who has been so authorized shall be experienced in the type of work being performed and shall be fully capable of managing, directing, and coordinating the work; of reading and thoroughly understanding the contract; and receiving and carrying out directions from the Engineer or his authorized representatives. He shall be an employee of the Contractor unless otherwise approved by the Engineer.

The Contractor may, at his option, designate one employee to meet the requirements of both positions. However, whenever the designated employee is absent from the work site, an authorized individual qualified to act in a supervisory capacity on the project shall be present.

TEMPORARY SUSPENSION OF WORK

In accordance with Article 108-7 of the <u>Standard Specifications</u>, the Engineer will have the authority to suspend the work wholly or in part, any written order for such periods as he may deem necessary for any of the following reasons.

- 1. Conditions considered unfavorable for the suitable prosecution of the work, or
- 2. The Contractor's failure for correct conditions unsafe for workmen or the general public, or
- 3. The Contractor has not carried out orders given to him by the Engineer, or
- 4. The Contractor's failure to perform any provisions of the contract.

SAFETY VESTS

All Contractors' personnel, all subcontractors and their personnel, and any material suppliers and their personnel must wear an OSHA approved reflective vest or outer garment at all times while on the project.

NOTIFICATION OF OPERATIONS

The Contractor will be notified by the Roadside Environmental Engineer, or his duly appointed representative, when routes require vegetation management. Upon notification, the Contractor shall commence operations within three (3) calendar days, and pursue the work in a timely and efficient manner until completed. Notification by telephone shall be considered adequate notification. The Contractor shall, in turn, notify the Roadside Environmental Engineer in advance of commencing operations in order to allow time to schedule NCDOT personnel for inspection.

PROSECUTION AND PROGRESS

The Contractor shall pursue the work diligently with workmen in sufficient numbers, abilities and supervision, and with equipment, materials, and methods of construction as may be required to complete the work described in the contract by the completion date and in accordance with Section 108 of the Standard Specifications.

The Contractor's operations are restricted to daylight hours. No work may be performed on Sundays and Legal State holidays. Work shall only be performed when weather and visibility conditions allow safe operations.

The Contractor's vehicles and equipment shall not be parked within the State Highway System right of way overnight or at other times when work has been suspended unless approved by the Engineer, and in no case within 30 feet of the edge of pavement.

DEFAULT OF CONTRACT

The Department of Transportation shall have the right to declare a default of contract for breach by the Contractor of any material term or condition of the contract. Default of contract shall be accordance with the terms, conditions, and procedures of Article 108-9 of the Standard Specifications.

PAYMENT

The Contractor may submit a request for payment on a monthly basis, or other interval as approved by the Engineer. The amount of payments will be based on the work accomplished and accepted as the last day of the approved pay period. All requests for payment shall be made on the form furnished to the Contractor by the Department of Transportation. The form shall be completely and legibly filled out with all appropriate information supplied and shall be signed by an authorized representative of the Contractor.

SCHEDULE OF ESTIMATED COMPLETION PROGRESS:

(7-15-08) (Rev. 5-21-13)

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SP1 G58

The Contractor's attention is directed to the Standard Special Provision entitled *Availability of Funds Termination of Contracts* included elsewhere in this proposal. The Department of Transportation's schedule of estimated completion progress for this project as required by that Standard Special Provision is as follows:

	Fiscal Year	Progress (% of Dollar Value)
2014	(7/01/13 - 6/30/14)	25% of Total Amount Bid
2015	(7/01/14 - 6/30/15)	75% of Total Amount Bid

The Contractor shall also furnish his own progress schedule in accordance with Article 108-2 of the 2012 Standard Specifications. Any acceleration of the progress as shown by the Contractor's progress schedule over the progress as shown above shall be subject to the approval of the Engineer.

LOCATING EXISTING UNDERGROUND UTILITIES:

(3-20-12)

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SP1 G115

Revise the 2012 Standard Specifications as follows:

Page 1-43, Article 105-8, line 28, after the first sentence, add the following:

Identify excavation locations by means of pre-marking with white paint, flags, or stakes or provide a specific written description of the location in the locate request.

RESOURCE CONSERVATION

(5-21-13)

104-13

SPI G118

In accordance with North Carolina Executive Order 156, NCGS 130A-309.14(2), and NCGS 136-28.8, it is the policy of the Department to aid in the reduction of materials that become a part of our solid waste stream, to divert materials from landfills, and to find ways to recycle and reuse materials for the benefit of the Citizens of North Carolina.

Initiate, develop and use products and construction methods that incorporate the use of recycled or solid waste products in accordance with Article 104-13 of the 2012 Standard Specifications. Report the quantities of reused or recycled materials either incorporated in the project or diverted from landfills on the Project Construction Reuse and Recycling Reporting Form.

A location-based tool for finding local recycling facilities and the Project Construction Reuse and Recycling Reporting Form are available at:

http://connect.ncdot.gov/resources/Environmental/Pages/North-Carolina-Recycling-Locations.aspx

(4-16-13) 106 SP1 G120

Revise the 2012 Standard Specifications as follows:

Page 1-49, Subarticle 106-1(B) Domestic Steel, lines 2-7, replace the first paragraph with the following:

All steel and iron products that are permanently incorporated into this project shall be produced in the United States except minimal amounts of foreign steel and iron products may be used provided the combined material cost of the items involved does not exceed 0.1% of the total amount bid for the entire project or \$2,500, whichever is greater. If invoices showing the cost of the material are not provided, the amount of the bid item involving the foreign material will be used for calculations. This minimal amount of foreign produced steel and iron products permitted for use is not applicable to high strength fasteners. Domestically produced high strength fasteners are required.

OUTSOURCING OUTSIDE THE USA

(9-21-04) (Rev. 5-16-06)

SP1 G150

All work on consultant contracts, services contracts, and construction contracts shall be performed in the United States of America. No work shall be outsourced outside of the United States of America.

Outsourcing for the purpose of this provision is defined as the practice of subcontracting labor, work, services, staffing, or personnel to entities located outside of the United States.

The North Carolina Secretary of Transportation shall approve exceptions to this provision in writing.

GIFTS FROM VENDORS AND CONTRACTORS

(12-15-09)

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SP1 G152

By Executive Order 24, issued by Governor Perdue, and *N.C.G.S.§ 133-32*, it is unlawful for any vendor or contractor (i.e. architect, bidder, contractor, construction manager, design professional, engineer, landlord, offeror, seller, subcontractor, supplier, or vendor), to make gifts or to give favors to any State employee of the Governor's Cabinet Agencies (i.e. Administration, Commerce, Correction, Crime Control and Public Safety, Cultural Resources, Environment and Natural Resources, Health and Human Services, Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, Revenue, Transportation, and the Office of the Governor). This prohibition covers those vendors and contractors who:

- (A) Have a contract with a governmental agency; or
- (B) Have performed under such a contract within the past year; or
- (C) Anticipate bidding on such a contract in the future.

For additional information regarding the specific requirements and exemptions, vendors and contractors are encouraged to review Executive Order 24 and N.C.G.S. § 133-32.

Executive Order 24 also encouraged and invited other State Agencies to implement the requirements and prohibitions of the Executive Order to their agencies. Vendors and contractors should contact other State Agencies to determine if those agencies have adopted Executive Order 24.

EMPLOYMENT

(11-15-11) (Rev. 1-17-12)

108, 102

SP1 G184

Revise the 2012 Standard Specifications as follows:

Page 1-20, Subarticle 102-15(O), delete and replace with the following:

(O) Failure to restrict a former Department employee as prohibited by Article 108-5.

Page 1-65, Article 108-5 Character of Workmen, Methods, and Equipment, line 32, delete all of line 32, the first sentence of the second paragraph and the first word of the second sentence of the second paragraph.

STATE HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATOR TITLE CHANGE (9-18-12)

SP1 G185

Revise the 2012 Standard Specifications as follows:

Replace all references to "State Highway Administrator" with "Chief Engineer".

PROJECT SPECIAL PROVISIONS - ROADWAY

MATERIALS

(2-21-12) (Rev. 1-21-14)

1000, 1005, 1024, 1050, 1056, 1074, 1078, 1080, 1081, 1086, 1084, 1087, 1092

SP10 R01

Revise the 2012 Standard Specifications as follows:

Page 10-1, Article 1000-1, DESCRIPTION, lines 9-10, replace the last sentence of the first paragraph with the following:

Type IL, IP, IS or IT blended cement may be used instead of Portland cement.

Page 10-1, Article 1000-1, DESCRIPTION, line 14, add the following:

Use materials which do not produce a mottled appearance through rusting or other staining of the finished concrete surface.

Page 10-1, Article 1000-2, MATERIALS, line 16, add the following to the table of item references:

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Section

Type IL Blended Cement

1024-1

Page 10-5, Table 1000-1, REQUIREMENTS FOR CONCRETE, replace with the following:

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Class of	Min. Comp. Strength at 28 days	Air-Ent Conc	rete	Non Air-E Conc		ted	l- ted	Vib	rated	Non- V	ibrated
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AA	4,500	0.381	0.426	_	-	3.5	-	639	715	† - ·	-
AA Slip Form	4,500	0.381	0.426	_	-	1.5	-	639	715	-	-
Drilled Pier	4,500	-	-	0.450	0.450	-	5-7 dry 7-9 wet	-	-	640	800
A	3,000	0.488	0.532	0.550	0.594	3.5	4	564	-	602	-
В	2,500	0.488	0.567	0.559	0.630	2.5	4	508	1 -	545	_
B Slip Formed	2,500	0.488	0.567	_	-	1.5	-	508	-	-	-
Sand Light- weight	4,500	-	0.420	-	_	4	-	715	-	-	-
Latex Modified	3,000 7 day	0.400	0.400	-	-	6	-	658	-	-	-
Flowable Fill excavatable	150 max. at 56 days	as needed	as needed	as needed	as needed	_	Flow- able	-	_	40	100
Flowable Fill non- excavatable	125	as needed	as needed	as needed	as needed	-	Flow- able	-		100	as needed
Pavement	4,500 design, field 650 flexural, design only	0.559	0.559	-	-	1.5 slip form 3.0 hand place	-	526	-	-	-
Precast	See Table 1077-1	as needed	as needed	-	-	6	as needed	as needed	as needed	as needed	as needed
Prestress	per contract	See Table 1078-1	See Table 1078-1	-	-	8	-	564	as needed	_	-

A.	Light- weight ^C	ABC (M)	ABC -	9	14M -	78M -	67 -	6M -	57M -	57 -	5	467M 100	4 100	Std. 2" Size #		
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Page 10-46, Article 1024-1, PORTLAND CEMENT, line 33, add the following as the ninth paragraph:

Use Type IL blended cement that meets AASHTO M 240, except that the limestone content is limited to between 5 and 12% by weight and the constituents shall be interground. Class F fly ash can replace a portion of Type IL blended cement and shall be replaced as outlined in Subarticle 1000-4(I) for Portland cement. For mixes that contain cement with alkali content between 0.6% and 1.0% and for mixes that contain a reactive aggregate documented by the Department, use a pozzolan in the amount shown in Table 1024-1.

Page 10-65, Article 1050-1, GENERAL, line 41, replace the first sentence with the following:

All fencing material and accessories shall meet Section 106.

Page 10-73, Article 1056-1 DESCRIPTION, lines 7-8, delete the first sentence of the second paragraph and replace with the following:

Use geotextile fabrics that are on the NCDOT Approved Products List.

Page 10-73, Article 1056-2 HANDLING AND STORING, line 17, replace "mechanically stabilized earth (MSE) wall faces" with "temporary wall faces".

Page 10-74, TABLE 1056-1 GEOTEXTILE REQUIREMENTS, replace table with the following:

			ABLE 1056-1 ILE REQUIRE	MENTS		-	
Property		Re	quirement (MA	RV ^A)			
Troperty	Type 1	Type 2	Type 3 ^B	Type 4	Type 5 ^C	Test	
Typical Application	Shoulder Drains	Under Rip Rap	Temporary Silt Fence	Soil Stabilization	Temporary Walls	Method	
Elongation (MD & CD)	≥ 50%	≥ 50%	≤ 25%	< 50%	< 50%	ASTM D4632	
Grab Strength (MD & CD)			100 lb		- 1	ASTM D4632	
Tear Strength (MD & CD)	Table 1 ^b , Class 3	Table 1 ^b , Class 1	-	Table 1 ^D , Class 3	-	ASTM D4533	
Puncture Strength	gth		-		-	ASTM D6241	
Ultimate Tensile Strength (MD & CD)	-	_	-	-	2,400 lb/ft (unless required otherwise in the contract)	ASTM D4595	
Permittivity	Tobl	e 2 ^D ,			0.20 sec ⁻¹	ASTM D4491	
Apparent Opening Size		0 50%	Table 7 ^D	Table 5 ^{D}	No. 30 ^E	ASTM D4751	
UV Stability (Retained Strength)	Passing 1				70%	ASTM D4355	

- A. MARV does not apply to elongation
- B. Minimum roll width of 36" required
- C. Minimum roll width of 13 ft required
- D. AASHTO M 288
- E. US Sieve No. per AASHTO M 92

Page 10-115, Subarticle 1074-7(B), Gray Iron Castings, lines 10-11, replace with the first two sentences with the following:

Supply gray iron castings meeting all facets of AASHTO M 306 excluding proof load. Proof load testing will only be required for new casting designs during the design process, and conformance to M306 loading (40,000 lbs.) will be required only when noted on the design documents.

Page 10-126, Table 1078-1, REQUIREMENTS FOR CONCRETE, replace with the following:

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Property	28 Day Design Compressive Strength 6,000 psi or less	28 Day Design Compressive Strength greater than 6,000 ps
Maximum Water/Cementitious Material Ratio	0.45	0.40
Maximum Slump without HRWR	3.5"	3.5"
Maximum Slump with HRWR	8"	8"
Air Content (upon discharge into forms)	5 + 2%	5 + 2%

Page 10-151, Article 1080-4 Inspection and Sampling, lines 18-22, replace (B), (C) and (D) with the following:

- (B) At least 3 panels prepared as specified in 5.5.10 of AASHTO M 300, Bullet Hole Immersion Test.
- (C) At least 3 panels of 4"x6"x1/4" for the Elcometer Adhesion Pull Off Test, ASTM D4541.
- (D) A certified test report from an approved independent testing laboratory for the Salt Fog Resistance Test, Cyclic Weathering Resistance Test, and Bullet Hole Immersion Test as specified in AASHTO M 300.
- (E) A certified test report from an approved independent testing laboratory that the product has been tested for slip coefficient and meets AASHTO M253, Class B.

Page 10-161, Subarticle 1081-1(A) Classifications, lines 29-33, delete first 3 sentences of the description for Type 2 and replace with the following:

Type 2 - A low-modulus, general-purpose adhesive used in epoxy mortar repairs. It may be used to patch spalled, cracked or broken concrete where vibration, shock or expansion and contraction are expected.

Page 10-162, Subarticle 1081-1(A) Classifications, lines 4-7, delete the second and third sentences of the description for Type 3A. Lines 16-22, delete Types 6A, 6B and 6C.

Page 10-162, Subarticle 1081-1(B) Requirements, lines 26-30, replace the second paragraph with the following:

For epoxy resin systems used for embedding dowel bars, threaded rods, rebar, anchor bolts and other fixtures in hardened concrete, the manufacturer shall submit test results showing that the bonding system will obtain 125% of the specified required yield strength of the fixture. Furnish certification that, for the particular bolt grade, diameter and embedment depth required, the anchor system will not fail by adhesive failure and that there is no movement of the anchor bolt. For certification and anchorage, use 3,000 psi as the minimum Portland cement concrete compressive strength used in this test. Use adhesives that meet Section 1081.

List the properties of the adhesive on the container and include density, minimum and maximum temperature application, setting time, shelf life, pot life, shear strength and compressive strength.

Page 10-163, Table 1081-1 Properties of Mixed Epoxy Resin Systems, replace table with the following:

Property Viscosity-Poises at 77°F ± 2°F Spindle No. Speed (RPM) Pot Life (Minutes) Pot Life (Minutes) Tensile Strength at 7 days (%) Tensile Elongation at 7 days (%)	Properties Type 1 Gel	Table 1081-1 of Mixed Epoxy Type 2 Ty 10-30 25 20 2 20 2 30-60 20 2,000 4,0 30 min. 2-	Table 1081-1 Properties of Mixed Epoxy Resin Systems Type 1 Type 2 Type 3 Type 3 Type 3 Type 3 Type 3 Type 3 A Gel Gel 10-30 25-75 Gel Gel - 20 20 - 20-50 30-60 20-50 5-50 1,500 2,000 4,000 4,000 1,500 2,000 4,000 4,000 30 min. 30 min. 2-5 2-5	Systems Type 3A Gel 4,000 4,000	Type 44. 40-150 10 10 1,500 1,500 5-15	Type 4B 40-150 10 10 1,500 1,500	Type 5 1-6 20-60 4,000
Tensile Elongation at 7 days (%)	30 min.	30 min.	2-5	2-5	5-15	5-15	2-5
Min. Compressive Strength of 2". mortar cubes at 24 hours	3,000 (Neat)	4,000-	6,000-	6,000 (Neat)	3,000	3,000	6,000
Min. Compressive Strength of 2" mortar cubes at 7 days	5,000 (Neat)	t [ı	1	ı	5,000	,
Maximum Water Absorption (%)	1.5	1.0	1.0	1.5	1.0	1.0	1.0
Min. Bond Strength Slant Shear Test at 14 days (psi)	1,500	1,500	2,000	2,000	1,500	1,500	1,500

Page 10-164, Subarticle 1081-1(E) Prequalification, lines 31-33, replace the second sentence of the first paragraph with the following:

Manufacturers choosing to supply material for Department jobs must submit an application through the Value Management Unit with the following information for each type and brand name:

Page 10-164, Subarticle 1081-1(E)(3), line 37, replace this subarticle with the following:

(3) Type of the material in accordance with Articles 1081-1 and 1081-4,

Page 10-165, Subarticle 1081-1(E)(6), line 1, in the first sentence of the first paragraph replace "AASHTO M 237" with "the specifications".

Page 10-165, Subarticle 1081-1(E) Prequalification, line 9-10, delete the second sentence of the last paragraph.

Page 10-165, Subarticle 1081-1(F) Acceptance, line 14, in the first sentence of the first paragraph replace "Type 1" with "Type 3".

Page 10-169, Subarticle 1081-3(G) Anchor Bolt Adhesives, delete this subarticle.

Page 10-170, Article 1081-3 Hot Bitumen, line 9, add the following at the end of Section 1081:

1081-4 EPOXY RESIN ADHESIVE FOR BONDING TRAFFIC MARKINGS

(A) General

This section covers epoxy resin adhesive for bonding traffic markers to pavement surfaces.

(B) Classification

The types of epoxies and their uses are as shown below:

Type I – Rapid Setting, High Viscosity, Epoxy Adhesive. This type of adhesive provides rapid adherence to traffic markers to the surface of pavement.

Type II – Standard Setting, High Viscosity, Epoxy Adhesive. This type of adhesive is recommended for adherence of traffic markers to pavement surfaces when rapid set is not required.

Type III – Rapid Setting, Low Viscosity, Water Resistant, Epoxy Adhesive. This type of rapid setting adhesive, due to its low viscosity, is appropriate only for use with embedded traffic markers.

Type IV – Standard Set Epoxy for Blade Deflecting-Type Plowable Markers.

(C) Requirements

Epoxies shall conform to the requirements set forth in AASHTO M 237.

(D) Prequalification

Refer to Subarticle 1081-1(E).

(E) Acceptance

Refer to Subarticle 1081-1(F).

Page 10-173, Article 1084-2 STEEL SHEET PILES, lines 37-38, replace first paragraph with the following:

Steel sheet piles detailed for permanent applications shall be hot rolled and meet ASTM A572 or ASTM A690 unless otherwise required by the plans. Steel sheet piles shall be coated as required by the plans. Galvanized sheet piles shall be coated in accordance with Section 1076. Metallized sheet piles shall be metallized in accordance to the Project Special Provision "Thermal Sprayed Coatings (Metallization)" with an 8 mil, 99.9% aluminum alloy coating and a 0.5 mil seal coating. Any portion of the metallized sheet piling encased in concrete shall receive a barrier coat. The barrier coat shall be an approved waterborne coating with a low-viscosity which readily absorbs into the pores of the aluminum thermal sprayed coating. The waterborne coating shall be applied at a spreading rate that results in a theoretical 1.5 mil dry film thickness. The manufacturer shall issue a letter of certification that the resin chemistry of the waterborne coating is compatible with the 99.9% aluminum thermal sprayed alloy and suitable for tidal water applications.

Page 10-174, Subarticle 1086-1(B)(1) Epoxy, lines 18-24, replace this subarticle with the following:

The epoxy shall meet Article 1081-4.

The 2 types of epoxy adhesive which may be used are Type I, Rapid Setting, and Type II, Standard Setting. Use Type II when the pavement temperature is above 60°F or per the manufacturer's recommendations whichever is more stringent. Use Type I when the pavement temperature is between 50°F and 60°F or per the manufacturer's recommendations whichever is more stringent. Epoxy adhesive Type I, Cold Set, may be used to attach temporary pavement markers to the pavement surface when the pavement temperature is between 32°F and 50°F or per the manufacturer's recommendations whichever is more stringent.

Page 10-175, Subarticle 1086-2(E) Epoxy Adhesives, line 27, replace "Section 1081" with "Article 1081-4".

Page 10-177, Subarticle 1086-3(E) Epoxy Adhesives, line 22, replace "Section 1081" with "Article 1081-4".

Page 10-179, Subarticle 1087-4(A) Composition, lines 39-41, replace the third paragraph with the following:

All intermixed and drop-on glass beads shall not contain more than 75 ppm arsenic or 200 ppm lead.

Page 10-180, Subarticle 1087-4(B) Physical Characteristics, line 8, replace the second paragraph with the following:

All intermixed and drop-on glass beads shall comply with NCGS § 136-30.2 and 23 USC § 109(r).

Page 10-181, Subarticle 1087-7(A) Intermixed and Drop-on Glass Beads, line 24, add the following after the first paragraph:

Use X-ray Fluorescence for the normal sampling procedure for intermixed and drop-on beads, without crushing, to check for any levels of arsenic and lead. If any arsenic or lead is detected, the sample shall be crushed and repeat the test using X-ray Fluorescence. If the X-ray Fluorescence test shows more than a LOD of 5 ppm, test the beads using United States Environmental Protection Agency Method 6010B, 6010C or 3052 for no more than 75 ppm arsenic or 200 ppm lead.

Page 10-204, Subarticle 1092-2(A) Performance and Test Requirements, replace Table 1092-3 Minimum Coefficient of Retroreflection for NC Grade A with the following:

MIN		FICIENT (Candel	OFR		REFLE		FOR NC GRADE	A
Observation Angle, degrees	Entrance Angle, degrees	White	Yellow	Green	Red	Blue	Fluorescent Yellow Green	Fluorescent Yellow
0.2	-4.0	525	395	52	95	30	420	315
0.2	30.0	215	162	22	43	10	170	130
0.5	-4.0	310	230	31	56	18	245	185
0.5	30.0	135	100	14	27	6	110	81
1.0	-4.0	120	60	8	16	3.6	64	48
1.0	30.0	45	34	4.5	9	2	36	27

PROJECT SPECIAL PROVISIONS

MOBILIZATION

The Contractor will be notified on the vegetation management service work by the Engineer and shall begin work within five (5) calendar days after notification as determined by the Engineer. Failure to respond within the designated time frame for the routine vegetation service work or as approved by the Engineer may result in cancellation of this contract.

VEGETATION MANAGEMENT

The Contractor shall be required to perform specialized hand mowing around guard/cable rail, under or around fixed objects, including but not limited to guardrail, signs, bridges, culverts, barriers and slopes, or areas that cannot be mechanically mowed, as directed by the Engineer.

Guard/Cable Rail shall be trimmed 1" in front of and 1" behind the structure.

Upon request, the Contractor shall provide the following equipment and manpower:

- Operators with power tools (with a minimum 2 four man crews).
- Additional four man crew with power tools may be needed if work is not performed in a timely manner as determined by the Engineer.
- Operators must be qualified to use equipment and follow OSHA guidelines.
- Operators must use hearing, vision and other protective equipment.
- Protective equipment will include safety vests, shoes and shirts with sleeves.

String Trimmer

- Shall be in good working order, gas powered and commercial grade.
- All safety devices should be in place.

Contractor will be required to supplement power tools with hand tools when needed to successfully complete a required vegetation management. Hand tools will be considered incidental in nature and no additional compensation shall be paid.

Any damage to adjacent and/or personal property including windshields, fences, signs, pavement and/or alleged thrown rocks due to Contractor's negligence shall be replaced or repaired by the Contractor to the satisfaction of the Engineer.

Any work performed in an unsatisfactory manner could be basis for cancellation of the contract.

Any fixed object, including but not limited to guardrail, signs, bridges, or culverts, which is behind the guard/cable rail will be incidental and weed eated at no additional cost.

The Method of Measurement and Basis of Payment shall be for every linear foot of guardrail trimmed converted to should mile with payment made to the nearest hundredth of shoulder mile. All work or items necessary to complete the work other than those listed on the "Bid Proposal Form" will be considered incidental in nature and no additional compensation shall be made.

Quantity to be mowed – The quantity of vegetation management is based on an anticipated three (3) mowing cycles. The number of anticipated mowing cycles is an estimate only and may be increased or decreased by the Engineer.

SUPPLEMENTAL SPECIALIZED HAND MOWING

For work not covered under routine vegetation management, the Contractor shall perform specialized hand-mowing including areas around trees, plant beds, and on slopes. This work shall be completed with mechanically operated power trimmers. Brush trimmers, of commercial grades, are required for dense brush/vegetation, in order to perform

work in a timely and efficient manner. Brush trimmers shall be in good working order, with all original equipment safety devices in place.

The quantity of specialized hand mowing to be performed will be determined on an as-needed basis throughout the life of the contract. The quantity may be increased, decreased or eliminated entirely as directed.

Specialized hand mowing will be measured and paid as the actual number of man-hours each worker spends hand mowing as directed.

TRAFFIC CONTROL

Traffic Control devices may be required to provide for the safe mowing of the median of divided highways where continuous runs of guardrail have been installed. The utilization of Traffic Control Devices will be required when the mowing operations encroaches onto the adjacent travel way.

In all situations, a minimum of the following signs shall be used:

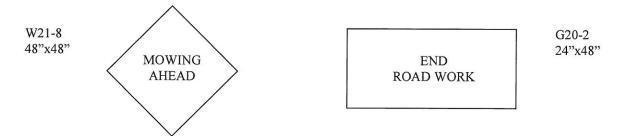
The W21-8 is a portable 48"x48" black on orange sign that is mounted a minimum of five (5) feet from the roadway to the bottom of the sign. The sign required a mounting height of five (5) feet for increased visibility and should read "Mowing Ahead". The total distance between workers and preceding sign should not exceed 4 miles. Signs shall be located a minimum of 500 feet before the work zone begins. A W21-8 sign should also be used at an interchange where traffic is entering the interstate or highway.

The Engineer, or his representative, may require that additional W21-8 signs be used on roads with high traffic volumes, narrow shoulders, etc. Each additional sign will be paid for individually for each day it is used.

The G20-2 is a portable 24"x48" black on orange sign that is mounted a minimum of five (5) feet from the roadway to the bottom of the sign. The sign required a mounting height of five (5) feet for increased visibility and should read "End Road Work". The sign should be placed at the end of the work zone.

Care should be taken that signs are displayed only while vegetation mowing is underway.

All portable signs and stands must meet or exceed the requirements of NCHRP 350 for Work Zone Category II Devices, and must be listed on North Carolina's approved products list or accepted as traffic control qualified by the Traffic Control Section. Use portable work zone signs and stands specifically designed for one another. Refer to the North Carolina Department of Transportation 2012 High Design Branch Roadway Standard Drawing No. 1110.02.



The provided sketch is a guide for installing the work zone for vegetation management operations.

SAFETY VESTS

Workers shall wear high visibility safety apparel that meets the Performance Class 2 or 3 requirements of the ANSI/ISEA 107-2004 publications entitled "American National Standards for High Visibility Apparel and Headwear" (see Section 1A.11) and labeled as meeting the ANSI 107-2004 standard performance for Class 2 or 3 risk exposure. The apparel background (outer) material color shall be fluorescent orange-red, fluorescent yellow-green, or a combination of the two as defined in the ANSI standard. The retro reflective material shall be orange,

yellow, white, silver, yellow-green or fluorescent version of these colors, and shall be visible at a minimum distance of 1000 feet. The retro reflective safety apparel shall be designed to clearly identify the wearer as a person.

Vests must remain clean and highly visible. The Engineer or his representative may require that a vest be replaced if they determine it is no longer highly visible due to fading, discoloration, dirt, etc. It is recommended that workers wear fluorescent orange-red vests due to the higher contrast with the vegetation.

STANDARD SPECIAL PROVISIONS

AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS – TERMINATION OF CONTRACTS

(5-20-08)

General Statute 143C-6-11. (h) Highway Appropriation is hereby incorporated verbatim in this contract as follows:

(h) Amounts Encumbered. — Transportation project appropriations may be encumbered in the amount of allotments made to the Department of Transportation by the Director for the estimated payments for transportation project contract work to be performed in the appropriation fiscal year. The allotments shall be multiyear allotments and shall be based on estimated revenues and shall be subject to the maximum contract authority contained in *General Statute 143C-6-11(c)*. Payment for transportation project work performed pursuant to contract in any fiscal year other than the current fiscal year is subject to appropriations by the General Assembly. Transportation project contracts shall contain a schedule of estimated completion progress, and any acceleration of this progress shall be subject to the approval of the Department of Transportation provided funds are available. The State reserves the right to terminate or suspend any transportation project contract, and any transportation project contract shall be so terminated or suspended if funds will not be available for payment of the work to be performed during that fiscal year pursuant to the contract. In the event of termination of any contract, the contractor shall be given a written notice of termination at least 60 days before completion of scheduled work for which funds are available. In the event of termination, the contractor shall be paid for the work already performed in accordance with the contract specifications.

Payment will be made on any contract terminated pursuant to the special provision in accordance with Subarticle 108-13(E) of the 2012 Standard Specifications.

ERRATA

(1-17-12) (Rev. 10-15-13)

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Revise the 2012 Standard Specifications as follows:

Division 2

Page 2-7, line 31, Article 215-2 Construction Methods, replace "Article 107-26" with "Article 107-25".

Page 2-17, Article 226-3, Measurement and Payment, line 2, delete "pipe culverts,".

Page 2-20, Subarticle 230-4(B), Contractor Furnished Sources, change references as follows: Line 1, replace "(4) Buffer Zone" with "(c) Buffer Zone"; Line 12, replace "(5) Evaluation for Potential Wetlands and Endangered Species" with "(d) Evaluation for Potential Wetlands and Endangered Species"; and Line 33, replace "(6) Approval" with "(4) Approval".

Division 4

Page 4-77, line 27, Subarticle 452-3(C) Concrete Coping, replace "sheet pile" with "reinforcement".

Division 6

Page 6-7, line 31, Article 609-3 Field Verification of Mixture and Job Mix Formula Adjustments, replace "30" with "45".

Page 6-10, line 42, Subarticle 609-6(C)(2), replace "Subarticle 609-6(E)" with "Subarticle 609-6(D)".

Page 6-11, Table 609-1 Control Limits, replace "Max. Spec. Limit" for the Target Source of P_{0.075}/P_{be} Ratio with "1.0".

Page 6-40, Article 650-2 Materials, replace "Subarticle 1012-1(F)" with "Subarticle 1012-1(E)"

Division 8

Page 8-23, line 10, Article 838-2 Materials, replace "Portland Cement Concrete, Class B" with "Portland Cement Concrete, Class A".

Division 10

Page 10-74, Table 1056-1 Geotextile Requirements, replace "50%" for the UV Stability (Retained Strength) of Type 5 geotextiles with "70%".

Division 12

Page 12-7, Table 1205-3, add "FOR THERMOPLASTIC" to the end of the title.

Page 12-8, Subarticle 1205-5(B), line 13, replace "Table 1205-2" with "Table 1205-4".

Page 12-8, Table 1205-4 and 1205-5, replace "THERMOPLASTIC" in the title of these tables with "POLYUREA".

Page 12-9, Subarticle 1205-6(B), line 21, replace "Table 1205-4" with "Table 1205-6".

Page 12-11, Subarticle 1205-8(C), line 25, replace "Table 1205-5" with "Table 1205-7".

Division 15

Page 15-4, Subarticle 1505-3(F) Backfilling, line 26, replace "Subarticle 235-4(C)" with "Subarticle 235-3(C)". Page 15-6, Subarticle 1510-3(B), after line 21, replace the allowable leakage formula with the following:

 $W = LD\sqrt{P} \div 148,000$

Page 15-6, Subarticle 1510-3(B), line 32, delete "may be performed concurrently or" and replace with "shall be performed".

Page 15-17, Subarticle 1540-3(E), line 27, delete "Type 1".

Division 17

Page 17-26, line 42, Subarticle 1731-3(D) Termination and Splicing within Interconnect Center, delete this subarticle.

Revise the 2012 Roadway Standard Drawings as follows:

1633.01 Sheet 1 of 1, English Standard Drawing for Matting Installation, replace "1633.01" with "1631.01".

PLANT AND PEST QUARANTINES

(Imported Fire Ant, Gypsy Moth, Witchweed, And Other Noxious Weeds) (3-18-03) (Rev. 10-15-13)

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Within Quarantined Area

This project may be within a county regulated for plant and/or pests. If the project or any part of the Contractor's operations is located within a quarantined area, thoroughly clean all equipment prior to moving out of the quarantined area. Comply with federal/state regulations by obtaining a certificate or limited permit for any regulated article moving from the quarantined area.

Originating in a Quarantined County

Obtain a certificate or limited permit issued by the N.C. Department of Agriculture/United States Department of Agriculture. Have the certificate or limited permit accompany the article when it arrives at the project site.

Contact

Contact the N.C. Department of Agriculture/United States Department of Agriculture at 1-800-206-9333, 919-733-6932, or http://www.ncagr.gov/plantind/ to determine those specific project sites located in the quarantined area or for any regulated article used on this project originating in a quarantined county.

Regulated Articles Include

- Soil, sand, gravel, compost, peat, humus, muck, and decomposed manure, separately or with other articles. This
 includes movement of articles listed above that may be associated with cut/waste, ditch pulling, and shoulder
 cutting.
- 2. Plants with roots including grass sod.
- 3. Plant crowns and roots.
- 4. Bulbs, corms, rhizomes, and tubers of ornamental plants.
- 5. Hay, straw, fodder, and plant litter of any kind.
- 6. Clearing and grubbing debris.

- 7. Used agricultural cultivating and harvesting equipment.
- 8. Used earth-moving equipment.
- 9. Any other products, articles, or means of conveyance, of any character, if determined by an inspector to present a hazard of spreading imported fire ant, gypsy moth, witchweed or other noxious weeds.

MINIMUM WAGES

(7-21-09) Z-5

FEDERAL:

The Fair Labor Standards Act provides that with certain exceptions every employer shall pay wages at the rate of not less than SEVEN DOLLARS AND TWENTY FIVE CENTS (\$7.25) per hour.

STATE:

The North Carolina Minimum Wage Act provides that every employer shall pay to each of his employees, wages at a rate of not less than SEVEN DOLLARS AND TWENTY FIVE CENTS (\$7.25) per hour.

The minimum wage paid to all skilled labor employed on this contract shall be SEVEN DOLLARS AND TWENTY FIVE CENTS (\$7.25) per hour.

The minimum wage paid to all intermediate labor employed on this contract shall be SEVEN DOLLARS AND TWENTY FIVE CENTS (\$7.25) per hour.

The minimum wage paid to all unskilled labor on this contract shall be SEVEN DOLLARS AND TWENTY FIVE CENTS (\$7.25) per hour.

This determination of the intent of the application of this act to the contract on this project is the responsibility of the Contractor.

The Contractor shall have no claim against the Department of Transportation for any changes in the minimum wage laws, Federal or State. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to keep fully informed of all Federal and State Laws affecting his contract.

ON-THE-JOB TRAINING

(10-16-07) (Rev. 5-21-13) Z-10

Description

The North Carolina Department of Transportation will administer a custom version of the Federal On-the-Job Training (OJT) Program, commonly referred to as the Alternate OJT Program. All contractors (existing and newcomers) will be automatically placed in the Alternate Program. Standard OJT requirements typically associated with individual projects will no longer be applied at the project level. Instead, these requirements will be applicable on an annual basis for each contractor administered by the OJT Program Manager.

On the Job Training shall meet the requirements of 23 CFR 230.107 (b), 23 USC – Section 140, this provision and the On-the-Job Training Program Manual.

The Alternate OJT Program will allow a contractor to train employees on Federal, State and privately funded projects located in North Carolina. However, priority shall be given to training employees on NCDOT Federal-Aid funded projects.

Minorities and Women

Developing, training and upgrading of minorities and women toward journeyman level status is a primary objective of this special training provision. Accordingly, the Contractor shall make every effort to enroll minority and women as trainees to the extent that such persons are available within a reasonable area of recruitment. This training commitment is not intended, and shall not be used, to discriminate against any applicant for training, whether a member of a minority group or not.

Assigning Training Goals

The Department, through the OJT Program Manager, will assign training goals for a calendar year based on the contractors' past three years' activity and the contractors' anticipated upcoming year's activity with the Department. At the beginning of each year, all contractors eligible will be contacted by the Department to determine the number of trainees that will be assigned for the upcoming calendar year. At that time the Contractor shall enter into an agreement with the Department to provide a self-imposed on-the-job training program for the calendar year. This agreement will include a specific number of annual training goals agreed to by both parties. The number of training assignments may range from 1 to 15 per contractor per calendar year. The Contractor shall sign an agreement to fulfill their annual goal for the year. A sample agreement is available at www.ncbowd.com/section/on-the-job-training.

Training Classifications

The Contractor shall provide on-the-job training aimed at developing full journeyman level workers in the construction craft/operator positions. Preference shall be given to providing training in the following skilled work classifications:

Equipment Operators Office Engineers
Truck Drivers Estimators

Carpenters Iron / Reinforcing Steel Workers

Concrete Finishers Mechanics
Pipe Layers Welders

The Department has established common training classifications and their respective training requirements that may be used by the contractors. However, the classifications established are not all-inclusive. Where the training is oriented toward construction applications, training will be allowed in lower-level management positions such as office engineers and estimators. Contractors shall submit new classifications for specific job functions that their employees are performing. The Department will review and recommend for acceptance to FHWA the new classifications proposed by contractors, if applicable. New classifications shall meet the following requirements:

Proposed training classifications are reasonable and realistic based on the job skill classification needs, and

The number of training hours specified in the training classification is consistent with common practices and provides enough time for the trainee to obtain journeyman level status.

The Contractor may allow trainees to be trained by a subcontractor provided that the Contractor retains primary responsibility for meeting the training and this provision is made applicable to the subcontract. However, only the Contractor will receive credit towards the annual goal for the trainee.

Where feasible, 25 percent of apprentices or trainees in each occupation shall be in their first year of apprenticeship or training. The number of trainees shall be distributed among the work classifications on the basis of the contractor's needs and the availability of journeymen in the various classifications within a reasonable area of recruitment.

No employee shall be employed as a trainee in any classification in which they have successfully completed a training course leading to journeyman level status or in which they have been employed as a journeyman.

Records and Reports

The Contractor shall maintain enrollment, monthly and completion reports documenting company compliance under these contract documents. These documents and any other information as requested shall be submitted to the OJT Program Manager.

Upon completion and graduation of the program, the Contractor shall provide each trainee with a certification Certificate showing the type and length of training satisfactorily completed.

Trainee Interviews

All trainees enrolled in the program will receive an initial and Trainee/Post graduate interview conducted by the OJT program staff.

Trainee Wages

Contractors shall compensate trainees on a graduating pay scale based upon a percentage of the prevailing minimum journeyman wages (Davis-Bacon Act). Minimum pay shall be as follows:

60 percent of the journeyman wage for the first half of the training period
75 percent of the journeyman wage for the third quarter of the training period
90 percent of the journeyman wage for the last quarter of the training period

In no instance shall a trainee be paid less than the local minimum wage. The Contractor shall adhere to the minimum hourly wage rate that will satisfy both the NC Department of Labor (NCDOL) and the Department.

Achieving or Failing to Meet Training Goals

The Contractor will be credited for each trainee employed by him on the contract work who is currently enrolled or becomes enrolled in an approved program and who receives training for at least 50 percent of the specific program requirement. Trainees will be allowed to be transferred between projects if required by the Contractor's scheduled workload to meet training goals.

If a contractor fails to attain their training assignments for the calendar year, they may be taken off the NCDOT's Bidders List.

Measurement and Payment

No compensation will be made for providing required training in accordance with these contract documents.

SAFETY VESTS and FLAGGER CERTIFICATION

All Contractors personnel, all subcontractors and their personnel, and any material suppliers and their personnel must wear an OSHA approved or MUTCD Class II (Class III at night) reflective vest or outer garment at all times while on the project. All flaggers must be certified.

TRAFFIC CONTROL AND WORK ZONE SAFETY

The Contractor shall maintain traffic during construction and provide, install, and maintain all traffic control devices in accordance with these project guidelines, the Project Special Provisions, North Carolina Department of Transportation Standard Specifications for Roads and Structures, July 2006, and the current edition of the Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD).

The Contractor shall utilize complete and proper traffic controls and traffic control devices during all operations. All traffic control and traffic control devices required for any operation shall be functional and in place prior to the commencement of that operation. Signs for temporary operations shall be removed during periods of inactivity. The Contractor is required to leave the project in a manner that will be safe to the traveling public and which will not impede motorists.

Traffic movements through lane closures on roads with two-way traffic shall be controlled by flaggers stationed at each end of the work zone. In situations where sight distance is limited, the Contractor shall provide additional means of controlling traffic, including, but not limited to, two-way radios, pilot vehicles, or additional flaggers. Flaggers shall be competent personnel, adequately trained in flagging procedures, and furnished with proper safety devices and equipment, including, but not limited to, safety vests and stop/slow paddles.

All personnel while on the project shall wear an approved safety vest, or shirt or jacket which meets the color requirements of the <u>Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices</u> (MUTCD).

The Contractor shall comply with all applicable Federal, State, and local laws, ordinances, and regulations governing safety, health, and sanitation, and shall provide all safeguards, safety devices, and protective equipment, and shall take any other needed actions, on his own responsibility that are reasonably necessary to protect the life and health of employees on the job and the safety of the public, and to protect property in connection with the performance of the work covered by the contract.

Failure to comply with any of the requirements for safety and traffic control of this contract shall result in suspension of work as provided in subarticle 108-7(2) of the <u>Standard Specifications</u>.

No separate payment will be made for providing the above-mentioned items, but the cost will be included in the several pay items included in this contract.

FULL LANE CLOSURE

When tree removal is performed in areas needing a **full lane closure** or as determined by the Engineer, the full lane closure will be paid under a separate bid item for "Full Lane Closure" per each, EA. The contractor shall provide a full lane closure in accordance with the latest edition of the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices and payment will be made on a separate bid item for **full lane closure** and will be full compensation for all cost of furnishing, installing, maintaining, and finally removing any and all signs, barricades, drums, cones, flashing arrow boards, truck mounted impact attenuators and all other traffic control devices required to safely perform the construction work and protect the public.

REQUESTS FOR QUOTATIONS WERE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING:

Crystal Cost Disaster 2115 Government Road Clayton, NC 27520 ATTN: Lisa Lee

Ms. Tami Gabriel (EMAIL) NCDOT Civil Rights Office

M & M Mowing 3212 Lone Hickory Road Yadkinville, NC 27055 ATTN: Luanne Mullis

Mr. Reginald McNeill (EMAIL) **NCDOT** Civil Rights Office

Meador Farms Inc. 5286 Ferrum Mt. Rd. Callaway, VA 24067 Mr. Michael McKoy (EMAIL) NCDOT

ATTN: Glenn Scott

Ms. Jamila Ormond (EMAIL) NCDOT

Civil Rights Office

Turf Master Mowing

1004 Hwy 21 South Hamptonville, NC 27020 ATTN: Jeff Whitaker

Association of General Contractors (EMAIL)

Division 9 Web Page: http://www.ncdot.org/doh/operations/division9/div9bid.html

NC A & T Plan & Resource Center Department of Construction Management & Occupational Safety and Health Price Hall - Room 112M, Laurel Street

Greensboro, NC 27411 Attn: Andrew Davis

Goler Community Development Corporation 889 N. Liberty St. Winston-Salem, NC 27101 ATTN: Michael Suggs 336-761-0595 msuggs@golercdc.org

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Subcontract Approval Form (SAF)

- Complete the "Subcontract Approval Form" (Form SAF) for the Subcontractor and the 2nd Tier Subcontractor on one form. Additional items of work can be entered on the "Subcontract Approval Form Attachment". If there is more than one 2nd Tier Subcontractor, the information should be listed on the "Subcontract Approval Form - Additional 2nd Tier" (SAF - Additional 2nd Tier).
- Reporting Number is the Fiscal Vendor Number for Contractors and Subcontractors. This number can be found in the NCDOT Directory of Transportation Firms - Prequalified Bidders and Subcontractors. Use the following web address to access the list of Prequalified Bidders and Subcontractors.

https://partner.ncdot.gov/VendorDirectory/default.html

Enter the name of your subcontractor and hit "Submit". If the firm is prequalified to perform work for NCDOT, the firm's information will be shown on the screen. Click on the firm's name to access the Reporting Number.

- 3. If retainage is being withheld for the Subcontractor or 2nd Tier Subcontractor place an "X" in the box under the column titled "Retainage."
- 4. When the proposed Subcontractor or 2nd Tier Subcontractor is a certified DBE, MBE, or WBE Subcontractor, select the appropriate certification from the drop down list. When the proposed Subcontractor is not a certified DBE, MBE, or WBE subcontractor, select "NONE" from the drop down list.
- 5. Partial Item of Work and Portion of Work

Partial Item of Work is defined as a Subcontractor performing part of the work associated with a line item, such as hauling asphalt or tying steel. The partial item of work should be indicated by the symbol (*). The work associated with the contract line item to be performed by the Subcontractor shall be identified.

Portion of Work is defined as a Subcontractor performing all the work associated with a line item, but only a portion of the contract quantity. An example is grading from Station 225+00 - L- to the end of the project. The portions of work should be indicated by the symbol (•). The physical limits of the sublet quantity shall be identified.

The Contractor may designate a subcontracted item of work as both a portion and a partial. (Example: Contractor is subcontracting hauling of unclassified excavation to multiple trucking contractors.) If the item of work is designated as both a portion and a partial the unit price shall be less than the contract unit price and the quantity shall be less than the contract quantity.

- 6. Sub or 2nd Tier Designate if the work for the associated line item will be performed by a Subcontractor or a 2nd Tier Subcontractor. This must be completed to correctly calculate the Subcontract Amount.
- 7. Units of Measure (UOM) shown on the Subcontract Approval Form (SAF) shall be the same as those shown in the Department's contract. Any conversions that are necessary to satisfy this requirement shall be the responsibility of the Contractor. The Converted Price (CP) shall be denoted with an asterisk (*). (Examples of converting units of measure can be found in the HiCAMS User Guide, Chapter 2, Section 8A. Use the following link to view the examples.)

https://connect.ncdot.gov/projects/construction/Pages/HiCAMS-Manual.aspx

8. DBE/MBE/WBE Unit Price - This unit price should only be completed for DBE/MBE/WBE Subcontractors. Enter a DBE/MBE/WBE Unit Price for the items of work performed by any certified DBE/MBE/WBE. Use the chart below to determine if a DBE/MBE/WBE Unit Price shall be entered for the line item, based on the certification of the firm.

		Enter
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Subcontractor	2nd Tier	Unit Price For
Certified	None	Subcontractor
Certified	Certified	Subcontractor
None	Certified	2nd Tier

The DBE/MBE/WBE Unit Price must be the negotiated unit or lump sum price agreed upon between the Contractor and the Subcontractor, unless the Contractor is entering a Converted Price. Indicating a Converted Price acknowledges that the price shown is not the actual price, but an approximate value used for calculating the Sublet Amount as reasonably close as possible. It can be higher, lower or equal to the contract bid price.

- 9. DBE/MBE/WBE Sublet Amount is the DBE/MBE/WBE Unit Price multiplied by the Quantity. For committed firms, the DBE/MBE/WBE Sublet Amount shall be the same or higher than the amount listed in the contract.
- 10. Subcontract Unit Price The Subcontract Unit Price must be the same as the contract unit price unless the Subcontractor is performing a partial item of work. When a partial item of work is sublet, the unit price must be less than the contract unit price. When only a portion of the quantity of an item is sublet, the unit price shall be the same as the contract unit price. If an item of work is designated as both a partial and a portion, refer to Item 5 of these instructions. A Subcontract Unit Price must be entered for every line item, including an item of work performed by a DBE/MBE/WBE Subcontractor.
- 11. The Total Subcontract Amount is the Subcontract Unit Price multiplied by the Quantity.
- 12. The Subcontract Amount is the amount subcontracted by the Contractor. The amount is used to determine the percent of work performed by the Prime Contractor. (Refer to Article 108-6 of the Standard Specifications for subletting percentages.) The Subcontract Amount is calculated by summing the Total Subcontract Amounts for the Subcontractor. Any items listed on the Attachment sheet for the Subcontractor is also included in the Subcontract Amount. The line items for 2nd Tier Subcontractor(s) are not included.
- 13. When any item requested to be sublet has been previously included in an approved subcontract, the following statement shall be included above the listing of these items: "The following items are being deleted from "Subcontract Request Number _____."
- 14. The Contractor, Subcontractor and 2nd Tier Subcontractor shall sign the original Subcontract Approval Form and the Contractor shall submit the form to the Resident Engineer.

Sublet Percentages

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The following is the process used to calculate the Sublet Percentages after the approval of each subcontract. The fields will not populate, this process should be hand calculated.

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The MBE /WBE /DBE status of the above named subcontractor is certified by the North Carolina Department of Transportation. The above named subcontractor is prepared to perform the described work listed on the attached MBE/WBE/DBE Commitment Items sheet, in connection with the above contract upon execution of the bid and subsequent award of contract by the Board of Transportation. The above named subcontractor is prepared to perform the described work at the estimated Commitment Total for Subcontractor Price identified on the MBE/WBE/DBE Commitment Items sheet and amount indicated below.							
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The above named bidder and subcontractor mutually accepts the Commitment Total estimated for the Unit Prices and Quantities. This commitment total is based on estimated quantities only and most likely will vary up or down as the project is completed. Final compensation will be based on actual quantities of work performed and accepted during the pursuance of work. The above listed amount represents the entire dollar amount quoted based on these estimated quantities. No conversations, verbal agreements, and/or other forms of non-written representations shall serve to add, delete, or modify the terms as stated.							
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State of North Carolina Department of Transportation Subcontractor Payment Information

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SUBSTITUTE FORM W-9

VENDOR REGISTRATION FORM NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Pursuant to Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Regulations, vendors must furnish their Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN) to the State. If this number is not provided, you may be subject to a 20% withholding on each payment. To avoid this 20% withholding and to insure that accurate tax information is reported to the Internal Revenue Service and the State, please use this form to provide the requested information exactly as it appears on file with the IRS.

INDIVIDUAL AND SOLE PROPRIETOR: ENTER NAME AS SHOWN ON SOCIAL SECURITY CARD

CORPORATION OR PARTNERSHIP : ENTER YOUR LEGAL BUSINESS NAME NAME: MAILING ADDRESS: STREET/PO BOX: CITY, STATE, ZIP: DBA / TRADE NAME (IF APPLICABLE): BUSINESS DESIGNATION: | INDIVIDUAL (use Social Security No.) SOLE PROPRIETER (use SS No. or Fed ID No.) CORPORATION (use Federal ID No.) PARTNERSHIP (use Federal ID No.) ☐ ESTATE/TRUST (use Federal ID no.) STATE OR LOCAL GOVT. (use Federal ID No.) ☐ OTHER / SPECIFY SOCIAL SECURITY NO. ___ - __ - __ __ _ (Social Security #) FED.EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NO. ____ - ____ - _____ (Employer Identification #) COMPLETE THIS SECTION IF PAYMENTS ARE MADE TO AN ADDRESS OTHER THAN THE ONE LISTED ABOVE: REMIT TO ADDRESS: STREET / PO BOX: CITY, STATE, ZIP: Participation in this section is voluntary. You are not required to complete this section to become a registered vendor. The information below will in no way affect the vendor registration process and its sole purpose is to collect statistical data on those vendors doing business with NCDOT. If you choose to participate, circle the answer that best fits your firm's group definition. What is your firm's ethnicity? (Prefer Not To Answer, African American, Native American, Caucasian American, Asian American, ☐ Hispanic American, ☐ Asian-Indian American, ☐ Other: What is your firm's gender? (Prefer Not to Answer, Male, Female) Disabled-Owned Business? (Prefer Not to Answer, Yes, No) **IRS** Certification Under penalties of periury. I certify that: The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification and I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the IRS that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding, and I am a U.S. person (including a U.S. resident alien). The IRS does not require your consent to any provision of this document other than the certifications required to avoid backup withholding. For complete certification instructions please see IRS FORM W-9 at http://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/fw9.pdf. NAME (Print or Type) TITLE (Print or Type) SIGNATURE DATE PHONE NUMBER

To avoid payment delays, completed forms should be returned promptly to:

NC Department of Transportation Fiscal /Commercial Accounts 1514 Mail Service Center Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-1514

PHONE (919) 733-3624 FAX (919) 715-3700

CORPORATION

The person executing the bid, on behalf of the Bidder, being duly sworn, solemnly swears (or affirms) that neither he, nor any official, agent or employee of the bidder has entered into any agreement, participated in any collusion, or otherwise taken any action which is in restraint of free competitive bidding in connection with any bid or contract, that the bidder has not been convicted of violating N.C.G.S. § 133-24 within the last three years, and that the Bidder intends to do the work with its own bonafide employees or subcontractors and is not bidding for the benefit of another contractor.

In addition, execution of this bid in the proper manner also constitutes the Bidder's certification of status under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States in accordance with the Debarment Certification attached, provided that the Debarment Certification also includes any required statements concerning exceptions that are applicable.

N.C.G.S. § 133-32 and Executive Order 24 prohibit the offer to, or acceptance by, any State Employee of any gift from anyone with a contract with the State, or from any person seeking to do business with the State. By execution of any response in this procurement, you attest, for your entire organization and its employees or agents, that you are not aware that any such gift has been offered, accepted, or promised by any employees of your organization.

SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR Full name of Corporation Address as prequalified Attest Secretary/Assistant Secretary President/Vice President/Assistant Vice President Select appropriate title Select appropriate title Print or type Signer's name Print or type Signer's name CORPORATE SEAL AFFIDAVIT MUST BE NOTARIZED **NOTARY SEAL** Subscribed and sworn to before me this the ___ day of _____, 20____ Signature of Notary Public Of _____ County State of _____

My Commission Expires

PARTNERSHIP

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LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

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	SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR	
	Full Name of Firm	
	Address as Prequalified	
Witness's Signature	Signature of Member/Manager/Authorized Agent Select appropriate title	
Print or type Signer's name	Print or type Signer's name	
A	FFIDAVIT MUST BE NOTARIZED	
	NOTARY SEAL	
Subscribed and sworn to before me this the		
day of, 20		
Signature of Notary Public		
Of County		
State of	-	

My Commission Expires

EXECUTION OF BID NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT, DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION AND GIFT BAN CERTIFICATION JOINT VENTURE (2) or (3)

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SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR

Instructions: 2 Joint Venturers Fill in lines (1), (2) and (3) and execute. 3 Joint Venturers Fill in lines (1), (2), (3) and (4) and execute. On Line (1), fill in the name of the Joint Venture Company. On Line (2), fill in the name of one of the joint venturers and execute below in the appropriate manner. On Line (3), print or type the name of the other joint venturers and execute below in the appropriate manner. On Line (4), fill in the name of the third joint venturer, if applicable and execute below in the appropriate manner.

(1)		
(2)	Name of Joint Venture	
	Name of Contractor	
	Address as prequalified By	
Signature of Witness or Attest		Signature of Contractor
Print or type Signer's name		Print or type Signer's name
If Corporation, affix Corporate Seal	and	
(3)		
	Name of Contractor	
	Address as prequalified	
	Ву	
Signature of Witness or Attest		Signature of Contractor
Print or type Signer's name		Print or type Signer's name
If Corporation, affix Corporate Seal	and and	
(4)		
	Name of Contractor (for 3 Joint Venture only)	
	Address as prequalified	
	Ву	
Signature of Witness or Attest	-	Signature of Contractor
Print or type Signer's name		Print or type Signer's name
If Corporation, affix Corporate Seal NOTARY SEAL Affidavit must be notarized for Line (2) Subscribed and sworn to before me thisday of20	NOTARY SEAL Affidavit must be notarized for Line (3) Subscribed and sworn to before me thisday of 20	NOTARY SEAL Affidavit must be notarized for Line (4) Subscribed and sworn to before me thisday of20
Signature of Notary Public of County State of My Commission Expires:	Signature of Notary Public ofCounty State of My Commission Expires:	Signature of Notary Public ofCounty State of My Commission Expires:

INDIVIDUAL DOING BUSINESS UNDER A FIRM NAME

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	SIGNATU	JRE OF CONTRACTOR	
Name of Contractor			
		Individual Name	
Trading and doing business as	,		
		Full name of Firm	
	Addr	ress as Prequalified	
Signature of Witnes	SS	Signature of Contractor, Individually	
Print or type Signer's r	name	Print or type Signer's name	
	AFFIDAVIT	T MUST BE NOTARIZED	
		NOTARY SEAL	
Subscribed and sworn to before me	this the		
day of,	20		
Signature of Notary Public	2		
Of	County		
State of			

My Commission Expires _____

INDIVIDUAL DOING BUSINESS IN HIS OWN NAME

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3	SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR
Name of Contractor	
	Print or type individual name
	Address as Prequalified
	Signature of Contractor, Individually
	Print or type Signer's name
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Signature of Witness	
Signature of Wittless	
Print or type Signer's name	
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this the	
day of, 20	
Signature of Notary Public	
Of County	
State of	

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DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

Conditions for certification:

- 1. The prequalified bidder shall provide immediate written notice to the Department if at any time the bidder learns that his certification was erroneous when he submitted his debarment certification or explanation that is file with the Department, or has become erroneous because of changed circumstances.
- 2. The terms covered transaction, debarred, suspended, ineligible, lower tier covered transaction, participant, person, primary covered transaction, principal, proposal, and voluntarily excluded, as used in this provision, have the meanings set out in the Definitions and Coverage sections of the rules implementing Executive Order 12549. A copy of the Federal Rules requiring this certification and detailing the definitions and coverages may be obtained from the Contract Officer of the Department.
- 3. The prequalified bidder agrees by submitting this form, that he will not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in NCDOT contracts, unless authorized by the Department.
- 4. For Federal Aid projects, the prequalified bidder further agrees that by submitting this form he will include the Federal-Aid Provision titled Required Contract Provisions Federal-Aid Construction Contract (Form FHWA PR 1273) provided by the Department, without subsequent modification, in all lower tier covered transactions.
- 5. The prequalified bidder may rely upon a certification of a participant in a lower tier covered transaction that he is not debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless he knows that the certification is erroneous. The bidder may decide the method and frequency by which he will determine the eligibility of his subcontractors.
- 6. Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this provision. The knowledge and information of a participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.
- 7. Except as authorized in paragraph 6 herein, the Department may terminate any contract if the bidder knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available by the Federal Government.

DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

The prequalified bidder certifies to the best of his knowledge and belief, that he and his principals:

- a. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
- b. Have not within a three-year period preceding this proposal been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records; making false statements; or receiving stolen property;
- Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph b. of this certification; and
- d. Have not within a three-year period preceding this proposal had one or more public transactions (Federal, State or local) terminated for cause or default.
- e. Will submit a revised Debarment Certification immediately if his status changes and will show in his bid proposal an explanation for the change in status.

If the prequalified bidder cannot certify that he is not debarred, he shall provide an explanation with this submittal. An explanation will not necessarily result in denial of participation in a contract.

Failure to submit a non-collusion affidavit and debarment certification will result in the prequalified bidder's bid being considered non-responsive.

Check here is an explanation is attached to this certification.
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Execution of Contract

CONTRACT: Vegetation Management	
COUNTY: Davidson, Davie, Forsyth, Rowan & Stokes	
ACCEPTED BY THE	
Proposals Engineer	
Date	
EXECUTION OF CONTRACT AND BONDS APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
Division Engineer	
Date	

Signature Sheet (Bid) - ACCEPTANCE SHEET

North Carolina Department of Transportation

BID FORM

DESCRIPTION:

VEGETATION MANAGEMENT IN DAVIDSON, DAVIE, FORSYTH, ROWAN AND STOKES COUNTIES

DISTRICT 1: Davidson and Rowan Counties

LINE #	SECT	ITEM DESCRIPTION	QTY*	UNIT	UNIT PRICE	PRICE
1		Weed Eating	315	SM	TRICE	
2		Weed Eating around Stationary Objects (Objects behind guardrails are incidental)	4,971	EA		
3		Weed Eating around Culverts	3,000	EA		
4		Supplemental Specialized Hand Mowing	200	HR		

^{*}The Contractor shall note that all quantities are used only for figuring the lowest responsible bidder. The quantities may vary based on the amount of work needed during the year as directed by the Engineer.

TOTAL BID F	OR PROJECT:	
CONTRACTORADDRESS		
Federal Identification Number	Contractor's License Nu	ımber
Authorized AgentSignature	Ille	
Witness	Date	
Signature	Date	-
TRANSPORTATION	ED BY NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT lance with Article 103-1 of the Standard Specif	202
Reviewed byAccepted by NCDOT	Engineer	(date)

North Carolina Department of Transportation

BID FORM

DESCRIPTION:

VEGETATION MANAGEMENT IN DAVIDSON, DAVIE, FORSYTH, ROWAN AND STOKES COUNTIES

DISTRICT 2: Davie, Forsyth and Stokes Counties

LINE	SECT	ITEM DESCRIPTION	QTY*	UNIT	UNIT	PRICE
#					PRICE	
1		Weed Eating	525	SM		
2		Weed Eating around Stationary Objects (Objects behind guardrails are incidental)	3,405	EA		
3		Weed Eating around Culverts	3,390	EA		1099
4		Supplemental Specialized Hand Mowing	200	HR		

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TOTAL BID FOR PROJECT:		
CONTRACTOR		
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Federal Identification Number	Contractor's License Nu	mber
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Signature	Date	
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