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DASNY'S JOC REGIONS		
Region	Comment	Counties Included
1	Formerly included Sub-Region 1A - Long Island (Nassau and Suffolk counties)	New York (Manhattan), Bronx, Kings (Brooklyn), Richmond (Staten Island), and Queens
2	Formerly Sub-Region 1A (Long Island)	Nassau and Suffolk
3	Formerly Sub-Region 2A	Westchester, Rockland, and Putnam
4	Formerly Sub-Region 2B	Orange, Sullivan, Delaware, Ulster, Dutchess, Greene, and Columbia
5	Formerly Sub-Region 3A	Rensselaer, Albany, Schenectady, Otsego, Schoharie, Fulton, Montgomery, Saratoga, Washington, Warren, Hamilton, and Herkimer
6	Formerly Sub-Region 3B	Essex, Clinton, and Franklin
7	Formerly Sub-Region 4B	Lewis, Jefferson, St. Lawrence
8	Formerly Sub-Region 4A	Broome, Tioga, Tompkins, Cortland, Chenango, Cayuga, Onondaga, Madison, Oswego
9	Formerly Region 5	Monroe, Wayne, Livingston, Ontario, Seneca, Yates, Steuben, Schuyler, and Chemung
10	Formerly Region 6	Niagara, Orleans, Genesee, Erie, Wyoming, Chautauqua, Allegany, and Cattaraugus

REGIONAL MAP

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ATTENTION TO BIDDERS

The attention of bidders is called particularly to the requirements for conditions of employment to be observed under the Contract. This includes, but is not limited to. U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Section 3; Executive Order 11246 -Equal Employment Opportunity; and Minority and Women Business Enterprises (MIWBE). The attention of bidders is also called to the requirement of paying local prevailing wage rates under the Contract as required by the Davis Bacon Act. The attention of bidders is also called to the requirement that contractors must complete diversity, employment, and labor compliance reporting through Elation Systems.

DASNY Vendors Elation Reporting Requirements

Report Name	Description	Reporting Requirement(s)	Quarterly Report Date Ranges
PROC-5 Workplace Employment Utilization	To report the <i>actual workforce utilized</i> in the performance of the Contract by the specified categories listed including ethnic background, gender, and Federal occupational categories. Submitted by all vendors.	Quarterly	1 st Quarter (04/01 - 06/30) 2 nd Quarter (07/01 - 09/30) 3 rd Quarter (10/01 - 12/31) 4 th Quarter (01/01 - 03/31)
ADM-136 Monthly Employment Utilization Report	This report covers all hourly workers, including foremen, supervisors or crew chiefs, journey workers and apprentices or trainees working on the project, including professionals, technicians and office clerical field office staff. Submitted by Prime contractors, Term Consultants, and Subcontractors/Subconsultants.	Quarterly (Submit Quarterly, Complete Monthly)	1 st Quarter (01/01 - 03/31) 2 nd Quarter (04/01 - 06/30) 3 rd Quarter (07/01 - 09/30) 4 th Quarter (10/01 - 12/31)
HUD 2516 Contract and Subcontract Activity	This report is to be completed by project owners for reporting contract and subcontract <i>activities of \$10,000 or more</i> . Section 3 requires that the employment and other economic opportunities generated by HUD financial assistance for housing and community development programs shall, to the greatest extent feasible, be directed toward low- and very low-income persons, particularly those who are recipients of government assistance for housing. Recipients using this form to report Section 3 contract data must also use Part I of form HUD-60002 to report employment and training opportunities data. Submitted by Prime contractors or Term Consultants only.	Quarterly	1 st Quarter (04/01 - 06/30) 2 nd Quarter (07/01 - 09/30) 3 rd Quarter (10/01 - 12/31) 4 th Quarter (01/01 - 03/31)
Section 3 Workforce	If the vendor's contract is under \$100,000, the vendor does not need to complete Section 3 reports. Submitted by all appropriate vendors.	Quarterly	1 st Quarter (01/01 - 03/31) 2 nd Quarter (04/01 - 06/30) 3 rd Quarter (07/01 - 09/30) 4 th Quarter (10/01 - 12/31)
Section 3 Subcontracting	If the vendor's contract is under \$100,000, the vendor does not need to complete Section 3 reports. Submitted by the appropriate Prime contractor or Term Consultants only.	Quarterly	1 st Quarter (01/01 - 03/31) 2 nd Quarter (04/01 - 06/30) 3 rd Quarter (07/01 - 09/30) 4 th Quarter (10/01 - 12/31)



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GOSR SECTION 3 GREATEST EXTENT FEASIBLE GUIDELINES

The purpose of section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 (12 U.S.C. 1701u) (section 3) is to ensure that employment and other economic opportunities generated by certain HUD financial assistance shall, to the greatest extent feasible, and consistent with existing Federal, State and local laws and regulations, be directed to low and very low income persons, particularly those who are recipients of government assistance for housing, and to business concerns which provide economic opportunities to low- and very low-income persons.

Recipients of covered funding are in compliance with Section 3 if they meet the minimum numerical goals set forth at 24 CFR Part 135.30. Specifically: (i) 30% of the aggregate number of new hires shall be Section 3 residents; (ii) 10% of the total dollar amount of all covered construction contracts shall be awarded to Section 3 business concerns; and; (iii) 3% of the total dollar amount of all covered non-construction contracts shall be awarded to Section 3 business concerns.

Enforcement

Failure to comply with the requirement to make Greatest Extent Feasible Efforts may include but are not limited to the following consequences:

1. An onsite integrity monitor may be assigned to evaluate and document subrecipients and their contractors Greatest Extent Feasible Efforts and any deficiencies in implementation.
2. Some or all costs for the integrity monitor may be withdrawn from the grant award.
3. A monetary penalty may be imposed in an amount between the legally applicable Section 3 goals and the actual achieved Section 3 participation.
4. Future payments/awards may be tolled until compliance is achieved.
5. Future projects may be fully or partially defunded depending on the magnitude of non-compliance.

Vendors and subrecipients will receive written notice prior to the issuance of any of the above-stated consequences, and will receive a reasonable period to make corrective actions.

Documenting Greatest Extent Feasible Efforts

Recipients that fail to meet the minimum numerical goals, bear the burden of demonstrating why it was not possible to do so. Such justifications should describe the “*efforts*” that were taken, barriers encountered, and other relevant information that will enable making a compliance determination. Recipients that submit Section 3 reports containing all zeroes, without a sufficient explanation to justify their submission, are in noncompliance with the requirements of Section 3. The *comprehensive list below describes the “efforts”* that should be made by recipients in order to meet their Section 3 goals.

GREATEST EXTENT FEASIBLE EFFORTS LIST

I. Efforts to Offer Training and Employment Opportunities to Section 3 Residents

1. Entering into “First Source” hiring agreements with Section 3 residents

**[First source agreement entails that if a contractor or subcontractor that works on a Section 3 covered project has a job opening during the time of construction, they must notify the Section 3 coordinator prior to interviewing or hiring. The Section 3 coordinator will find possible workers



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residing in that neighborhood/target project area for this open position and the contractor will be obligated to interview these candidates and document these conversations]

Strategies for “First Source” hiring agreements-

- i. Sponsor or establish training and employment programs for Section 3 residents.
- ii. Advertise employment and training positions in the project service area or neighborhood by distributing flyers (positions to be filled/qualifications/resource for information about the application process)
 - a) to every occupied dwelling unit in the housing development or developments
 - b) in the common areas or other prominent areas of the housing development
- iii. Contact resident councils, community organizations, state-local agencies, probation-parole agencies, unemployment compensation programs, and other applicable officials or organizations to assist with recruiting Section 3 residents.
- iv. Sponsor a job fair or informational meeting for residents.

2. Provide assistance in job-seeking skills to Section 3 residents

- i. Provide on-site applications and interviews; arrange assistance in conducting job interviews and completing job applications for residents.
- ii. Contacting resident councils/management corporations, or other resident organizations, in the housing development, and/or community organizations in HUD-assisted neighborhoods - to request their assistance in notifying residents of the positions to be filled.
- iii. Consult with local employment service providers.
- iv. Establishing training programs, which are consistent with the requirements of the Department of Labor, for public and Indian housing residents and other section 3 residents in the building trades.
- v. Employ section 3 residents directly on either a permanent or a temporary basis to perform work generated by section 3 assistance.
- vi. Employ a job coordinator or contract with a licensed job placement agency that will undertake, on your behalf, the efforts to match eligible and qualified section 3 residents with the positions that you intend to fill.
- vii. Coordinate activities with local educational institutions.
- viii. Maintain file of eligible, interested applicants.

II. Efforts to Award Contracts to Section 3 Businesses Concerns

1. Contact business assistance agencies, minority contracting associations and community organizations to inform them of opportunities and seek assistance in identifying eligible businesses.
2. Bid and solicitations
 - i. Provide bid notices to all known Section 3 businesses.
 - ii. Develop a Section 3 business communication network.
 - iii. Emphasize Section 3 at pre-bid conferences.
 - iv. Coordinate pre-bid meetings at which section 3 business concerns can be informed of upcoming contracting and subcontracting opportunities.
3. Conduct contractor workshops, informing section 3 business concerns of upcoming contracting opportunities, make information available in languages other than English where appropriate.



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4. Provide small business technical assistance.
 - i. Provide section 3 business concerns with resources for seeking assistance to overcome limitations such as inability to obtain bonding, lines of credit, financing, or insurance.
5. Advertising the contracting opportunities through trade association papers and newsletters, and through the local media, such as community television networks, newspapers of general circulation, and radio advertising.
6. Notify Youthbuild agencies of contracting opportunities.
7. Establish numerical goals for award of contracts to Section 3 businesses.
8. Encourage financial institutions to comply with their CRA requirements by making loans to Section 3 businesses.
9. Actively support joint ventures with Section 3 businesses.
10. Support business incubators which assist Section 3 businesses.
11. In determining the responsibility of potential contractors, consider their past record of section 3 compliance and their current plans for the pending contract.
12. Providing written notice to all known section 3 business concerns of the contracting opportunities.
 - i. Following up with section 3 business concerns that have expressed interest in the contracting opportunities.
13. Where appropriate, breaking out contract work items into economically feasible units to facilitate participation by section 3 business concerns.
14. Supporting businesses which provide economic opportunities to low income persons by linking them to the support services available through the Small Business Administration (SBA), the Department of Commerce and comparable agencies at the State and local levels.

Section 3 Plan

Contact Information
Address, Phone Email, Website

Name of Authorized
Representative

Project Name

SUBRECIPIENT NAME: _____ (“Subrecipient”)
CONTRACTOR NAME: _____ (“Contractor”)
PROJECT NAME: _____ (the “Project”)

GENERAL POLICY STATEMENT

Section 3 Policy Overview

Section 3 (24 CFR Part 135.30) of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, as amended (12 U.S.C. 1701u)¹ is intended to ensure that, to the greatest extent feasible, low- and very low-income persons receive benefits in employment and related economic opportunities when such opportunities are generated by funding from HUD. It also specifically encourages economic opportunities for households who are recipients of government assistance for housing. The Section 3 program requires that recipients of HUD funds, to the greatest extent feasible, provide (a) employment and training and (b) contracting opportunities for low- or very low-income residents in connection with construction projects (“Section 3 eligible projects”) in their neighborhoods.

SECTION 3 PLAN & PURPOSE

This document serves as the Section 3 Plan for Contractor’s work on the Project in compliance with the requirements of Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, as amended. This document contains goal requirements for awarding contracts to Section 3 Business Concerns and employment opportunities for individuals.

The regulations should not be construed to mean that recipients are required to hire Section 3 residents or award contracts to Section 3 business concerns other than as needed to fulfill regulatory obligations for covered projects and activities. Contractors are not required to hire or enter into contracts with unqualified Section 3 residents or business concerns simply to meet the Section 3 goals, as anyone selected for contracting or employment opportunities must meet the qualifications for the job/contract being sought. However contractors must document their outreach efforts and, to the greatest extent feasible, attempt to source qualified Section 3 residents and business concerns to meet the goal. If the expenditure of funding for an otherwise covered project and activity does not result in new employment, contracting, or training opportunities, reporting is still required.

NUMERICAL GOALS FOR TRAINING AND EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

These goals apply to contract awards in excess of \$100,000 in connection with a Section 3 eligible project. They apply to subrecipients and to their contractors and subcontractors.

Contractor will, to the greatest extent feasible, strive to comply with the goals established. The numerical goals established in this section represent minimum numerical targets for employment opportunities and training to Section 3 residents as follows:

- Thirty Percent (30%) of the aggregate number of new hires/training opportunities resulting

¹ http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/documents/huddoc?id=DOC_12047.pdf

from funds awarded and continuing thereafter.

Any contractor that does not meet the Section 3 numerical goals must demonstrate why meeting the goals was not feasible.

For this contract on the Project, the Number of Section 3 jobs/training opportunities anticipated is _____.

NUMERICAL GOALS FOR CONTRACTING ACTIVITIES

These goals apply to contract awards in excess of \$100,000 in connection with a Section 3 eligible project, and they apply to subrecipients, contractors, and subcontractors.

Contractor commits to award to Section 3 business concerns*, through subcontracts:

- At least 10% of the total dollar amount of all Section 3 covered contracts for construction work arising in connection with housing rehabilitation, housing construction and other public construction; and
- At least 3% of the total dollar amount of non-construction contracts arising in connection with housing rehabilitation, housing construction and other public construction.

*Section 3 Business Concerns are businesses that can provide evidence that they meet one of the following criteria:

- a) Business is 51 percent or more owned by Section 3 residents; or
- b) At least 30 percent of business' full time employees include persons that are currently Section 3 residents, or within three years of the date of first employment with the business concern were Section 3 residents; or
- c) Business provides evidence of commitment to sub-subcontract in excess of 25 percent of the dollar award of its subcontract to business concerns that meet the qualifications in the above two clauses a and b.

EVIDENCE OF SECTION 3 CERTIFICATION

Any individual seeking employment or training opportunities with Contractor shall complete a Self-Certification Form and provide adequate documentation as evidence of eligibility for preference under the Section 3 program.

Any business seeking Section 3 preference in the awarding of subcontracts or purchase agreements with Contractor shall complete the HUD Section 3 Business Registry. The business seeking Section 3 preference must be able to provide adequate documentation as supporting evidence.

CONTRACTOR’S SECTION 3 TABLES A & B

Instructions: The following two charts are for capturing the data related to subcontracting with Section 3 Businesses for construction and non-construction work as well as individual new hiring that may occur during the life of the project. These charts should be reflective and on par with the data submitted in Elation Systems.

**TABLE A
SUBCONTRACTING DATA**

At least **10%** of the total dollar amount of all Section 3 covered contracts for **construction work** arising in connection with housing rehabilitation, housing construction and other public construction to Section 3 Businesses*; and

At least **3%** of the total dollar amount of **non-construction contracts** arising in connection with housing rehabilitation, housing construction, and other public construction to Section 3 Businesses*.

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2	COLUMN 3	COLUMN 4	COLUMN 5
Type Of Contract (Construction or Non-Construction) & Description	Total Number of Contracts (during the life of the project)	Total Approximate Dollar Amount for (for contracts in Column 2)	Number Of Contracts (in this row) to Section 3 Businesses*	Estimated Dollar Amount to Section 3 Businesses*
		\$		\$
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*Section 3 Businesses are defined as a) 51 percent or more owned by Section 3 residents; or
 b) At least 30 percent of its fully time employees include persons that are currently Section 3 residents, or within three years of the date of first employment with the business concern were Section 3 residents; or c) Provides evidence, as required, of a commitment to subcontract in excess of 25 percent of the dollar award of all subcontracts to be awarded to business concerns that meet the qualifications in the above two clauses a and b.

**TABLE B
PROJECT WORKFORCE DATA**

At Least Thirty Percent (30%) of the aggregate number of *new hires/training opportunities* resulting from funds awarded and continuing thereafter.

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2	COLUMN 3	COLUMN 4	COLUMN 5
Job Category	Total Estimated Positions	No. Positions Currently Occupied By Permanent Employees	No. Positions Not Currently Occupied	No. Positions To Be Filled w/Section 3 Residents*
Officers/Supervisors				
Professionals				
Technicians				
Housing Sales/Rental/Mgmt.				
Office Clerical				
Service Workers				
Others				

TRADE:

Journeyman				
Apprentices				
Maximum No. Trainees				
Others				

TRADE:

Journeyman				
Apprentices				
Maximum No. Trainees				
Others				

*Section 3 Residents are defined as individuals residing locally whose family income does not exceed 80% of the median income in the State.

**Local Income levels can be obtained online at <https://www.huduser.gov/portal/datasets/il.html>

LIST OF STRATEGIES TO BE ADOPTED FOR COMPLIANCE WITH THE STATED EMPLOYMENT, TRAINING AND CONTRACTING GOALS

In compliance with Section 3 requirements, the Contractor should submit a current list of anticipated new hires as of the date the Section 3 Plan is submitted for approval. A list of employees can be submitted on the Worker Utilization Form included in the appendices **or** an official company form that includes the same information requested on the Worker Utilization Form. **The Contractor must also develop a list of strategies to be adopted for compliance with the stated employment, training and contracting goals.**

PLEASE NOTE: You may check off and initial your choices below from the following list of recommended strategies which may be employed to meet Section 3 goals.

List of Strategies to choose from:	Check Mark	Initials
Establish a Section 3 Coordinator.		
Develop a Section 3 Plan.		
Conduct pre-bid meeting and clearly articulate Section 3 requirements during meeting.		
Make the pre-bid meeting mandatory.		
Conduct networking event after pre-bid meeting.		
Utilize the GOSR Local Workforce Opportunities Program to recruit and attract Section 3 eligible applicants for posted positions.		
Forward procurements to Section 3 and small business concerns		
Forward RFPs to established list of Section 3 Firms.		
Clearly indicate on all job applications and websites for job postings that the position is "A Section 3 eligible job opportunity."		
Identify existing employees that may be Section 3 workers.		
Identify existing subcontractors that may qualify as Section 3 businesses.		
Request current list of Section 3 eligible applicants and certified Section 3 businesses from local PHAs, chambers of commerce, ESD, and SBA.		
Advertise job and subcontracting opportunities in local, community papers and job boards in impacted areas and communities.		
Encourage participation in "Meet the Prime" events		
Provide Subrecipient with acknowledgment of efforts to enforce Section 3		
Partner with the NY Division of Employment and Workforce Solutions (http://labor.ny.gov/dews-index.shtm) to promote special advertisement of Section 3 job postings and opportunities.		
Pro-actively contact and engage Organized Labor and Trade Unions		
Request candidates from Workforce One Career Centers near the Project area.		

The following questions and your responses may be used to identify additional strategies & details.

Q1: What actions will the Contractor take to recruit Skilled Workers and Unskilled Workers?

Response: _____

Q2: Which Resident Associations/ Organizations will you contact?

Response: _____

Q3: In which newspapers, magazines, journals or other periodicals will you advertise job openings?

Response: _____

Q4: In which locations will you display recruitment posters?

Response: _____

Q5: Which labor unions, or apprentice programs will you contact?

Response: _____

Q6: How else will you recruit Section 3 Residents?

Response: _____

Q7: Will you be reaching out to GOSR's Office of Diversity and Civil Rights for assistance in outreach events, training and support in approaching Union based training and apprenticeship programs?

Response: _____

SECTION 3 SUBMISSION OF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION

The Contractor shall maintain copies of the following types of supporting documentation as applicable:

The HUD-60002 form includes a Part III Summary which indicates supporting documentation is required.

As such, below are samples of the types of documentation applicable but not limited to the following:

- Reporting summary with metrics of strategies selected or described above
- A narrative that ties in all good faith effort components.
- Maintain a database of supporting raw data
- Copies of any Self Certification or Self-Affirmation forms for individuals and businesses.
- Completed Tables A and B (shown above) for all respective Contractors.

SECTION 3 REPORTING & TRAINING

The Governor's Office of Storm Recovery (GOSR) utilizes Elation Systems a web-based compliance management system to help all its Contractors and Subrecipients receiving Federal CDBG-DR funds to adhere to Labor Compliance (Davis-Bacon), Minority and Women Owned Business (MWBE) and Section 3 Federal reporting requirements.

GOSR offers ***free virtual training sessions*** monthly. They are extensive, detailed and information rich. *Training events have duration of 2 hours.* We encourage you to attend as much training as needed and ask questions during your learning process.

Attendees ***must*** have an Elation Systems account. To ***register your organization/firm for a free account*** please go to <https://www.elationsys.com/app/Registration/> and follow the registration instructions to register either as an agency or project owner, or as a contractor.

We offer two types of training sessions:

- **Contractor Training:** Payroll and Accounts company employees
- **Subrecipient Training:** Project Owners/Manager(s) and or Construction Manager(s)

2017 GOSR Sponsored ES Training Calendar	
Contractors	Subrecipients
January 4 th	January 25 th
February 1 st	February 22 th
March 1 st	March 29 th
April 5 th	April 26 th
May 3 th	May 31 st
June 7 th	June 28 th
July 5 th	July 26 th
August 2 nd	August 30 th
September 6 th	September 27 th
October 4 th	October 25 th
November 1 st	November 29 th

*There are **NO** training events offered in DECEMBER. Please be aware you will have to plan ahead to attend prior sessions offered*

To register to attend a training session:

- **If you are a Contractor or Vendor:**
 - <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/rt/4366394149354402049>
- **If you are a Subrecipient:**
 - <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/rt/7509002890700845825>

Resources:

elation@stormrecovery.ny.gov & 212-480-2337 (9a-5p ET)

- To access previously recorded webinar sessions you can log in to your Elations Account and click on "Get Started/Help" and then click on "Webinar Sessions"
- We have training manuals available upon request for Subrecipients/Developers/ Project Owners and Vendors/Contractors/Subcontractors



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GOSR GOOD FAITH EFFORTS GUIDELINES

All participating entities (including vendors and subrecipients) engaged with GOSR (operating under the umbrella of NY Rising) must make a commitment and demonstrate an acceptable “Good Faith Effort” toward achievement of GOSR’s M/WBE utilization goal of 30 percent participation (15 percent MBE, 15 percent WBE).

GOSR’s Diversity and Civil Rights (DCR) Department oversees all participating entities progress towards achieving their M/WBE goals. All entities must notify DCR of any considerations or concerns preventing M/WBE participation and provide documentation supporting their concerns.

In some cases, where participating entities are non-profit subrecipients, implementing public service activities where the majority of the grant will be used to reimburse the subrecipient for staff time. In these cases, entities can comply with GOSR’s M/WBE 30 percent goals by ensuring that 30 percent of any funds that are spent on goods or services are directed to M/WBE vendors or service providers. For example, a subrecipient can utilize M/WBE firms when purchasing supplies or for other vendor services such as marketing and promotions. Additionally where participating entities are subrecipients, they must complete DCR’s excel-based M/WBE Utilization Plan and update it whenever a new contract is entered into or amended, and must report progress towards meeting goals through Elation System.

Enforcement

Failure to comply with the requirement to make Good Faith Efforts may include but are not limited to the following consequences:

1. An onsite integrity monitor may be assigned to evaluate and document subrecipients and their contractors Good Faith Efforts and any deficiencies in implementation.
2. Some or all costs for the integrity monitor may be withdrawn from the grant award.
3. A monetary penalty may be imposed in an amount between the contractually stated goal or GOSR-approved utilization plan goal, and the utilization actually achieved by the contractor.
4. Future payments/awards may be tolled until compliance is achieved.
5. Future projects may be fully or partially defunded depending on the magnitude of non-compliance.

Vendors and subrecipients will receive written notice prior to the issuance of any of the above-stated consequences, and will receive a reasonable period to make corrective actions.

Documenting Good Faith Efforts

All participating entities compliance with the M/WBE program will be evaluated on the basis of their use of “Good Faith Efforts” to achieve maximum participation results. *Below is a list of the 17 steps* that can be taken in order to demonstrate Good Faith Efforts. All participants should undertake as many of these activities as possible in order to achieve the required 15 percent MBE and 15 percent WBE goals. Additionally participants must maintain a log and document all dates and detailed descriptions of the actions taken for each Good Faith Effort that was undertaken as well as add documentation, narrative or attached pages as needed to supplement responses.

GOOD FAITH EFFORTS LIST

1. Make frequent and timely advertisements in newspapers and periodicals that market to M/WBEs.
 - a. Maintain a log of dates of advertisements and the name of the publication.
 - b. Maintain copies of the advertisement itself.
 - c. Record copies of responses made by certified M/WBEs to your advertisement.
2. Make timely follow ups to responses received by M/WBEs.
 - a. If you received responses to your solicitations but did not select the M/WBE, maintain records describing why a response from a certified M/WBE was not selected.
 - b. Log responses from M/WBEs.



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3. Utilize list of certified M/WBEs in the Empire State Development directory, www.esd.ny.gov.
 - a. Maintain a log of all communications, including names, contacts and dates.
 - b. Maintain records including, copies of notices/solicitations, dates of contact, letters, etc.
4. Advertise your requirements in the NYS Contract Reporter, <https://www.nyscr.ny.gov/> as well as the NYS Storm Recovery Local Workforce Opportunities Page, www.nystormrecoveryopps.com.
 - a. Provide copies of your advertisements, dates on which the ad was submitted and log responses received.
5. Conduct pre-bid, pre-award, or other meetings to inform M/WBEs of available opportunities.
 - a. Maintain a record of the names of companies, dates, and locations of meetings attended.
6. Attend pre-bid, pre-award, or other meetings organized by GOSR to inform M/WBEs of opportunities available.
 - a. Maintain a record of the names, dates, and locations of meetings attended.
7. Contact community organizations and state/federal business assistance offices that provide support in the recruitment and placement of M/WBEs.
 - a. Maintain a record of all communications including, dates and contacts.
8. Send written notification to M/WBEs and trade associations located within the region where the work will be performed.
 - a. Maintain a record of communications.
9. Provide documents/plans/bid specifications to certified M/WBEs, and allow adequate time for them to respond to bids.
 - a. Record the steps taken to structure the scope of work for the purpose of contracting with certified M/WBEs.
10. Establish contacts and working relationships with certified M/WBE firms.
 - a. Maintain a log of all communications.
11. Divide total requirements, when economically feasible, into smaller tasks or quantities to permit maximum participation by small and minority/women's business enterprises.
 - a. Maintain a log of all such contracts and activities.
12. Establish delivery schedules which encourage participation by small and minority/women's business enterprises.
 - a. Maintain records of such schedules and activities.
13. Undertake specific steps to reasonably structure the contract scope of work for the purpose of subcontracting with, or obtaining supplies from, certified minority and women-owned business enterprises.
 - a. Provide record of all such contracts modified and list of steps as well as activities.
14. Make efforts to solicit certified M/WBEs located outside the region where the scope of work is to be performed and evaluate their ability to participate.
 - a. Log all efforts made for such outreach.
15. Document the evaluation you conducted to determine eligibility for participation.
16. Provide the same sub contract terms and conditions to certified M/WBEs as the ones offered to other sub-contractors in the ordinary course of business.
 - a. Document the terms and conditions being offered to both entities.
17. Make efforts to engage in either telephone or direct, in-person negotiations with NYS certified M/WBEs whose quotes were too high.
 - a. Document such efforts made by keeping a log of all communications.

EXHIBIT E2

SUPPLEMENTARY CONDITIONS FOR CONTRACTS

EXHIBIT B3

Budget

Item	Description	Basis	Budget
1	NY Rising Buyout and Acquisition Program	Original Subrecipient Agreement	\$ 2,000,000
2	Multi-Family Repair, Reconstruction, Rental Properties/Affordable Housing Programs	Original Subrecipient Agreement	\$ 3,000,000
3	Infrastructure and Local Government/NY Rising Community Reconstruction Program	Original Subrecipient Subrecipient Agreement	\$ 5,000,000
4	Subtotal (Original Subrecipient Agreement)		\$ 10,000,000
5	Amendment No. 1 (Multi-Family Program)	DASNY WO #2015-04	\$ 3,000,000
6	Amendment No. 1 (unassigned)	Amendment No. 1	\$ 2,000,000
7	Infrastructure and Local Government/NY Rising Community Reconstruction Program	Amendment No. 1	\$ 25,000,000
8	Subtotal (First Amendment)		\$ 30,000,000
9	NY Rising Community Reconstruction Program	Amendment No. 3	\$129,860,000
10	NDRC Public Housing Authorities (Long Beach, Town of Hempstead, Binghamton)	Amendment No. 3	\$ 30,140,000
11	Subtotal (Third Amendment)		\$160,000,000
12	DASNY Fee	Included in the above	Included in the above
13	Contingency	Included in the above	Included in the above
14	Total HTFC/DASNY Subrecipient Agreement No. 3 Value		\$200,000,000

- A. In a manner consistent with HUD Docket No. FR-5696-N-01 and HUD Docket No. FR-5696-N-06, each as amended, Grantee and Subrecipient acknowledge and agree that disaster recovery needs will evolve over time as the full impact of a disaster is realized and costs of damages transition from estimated to actual. Remaining recovery needs may also evolve over time as they are met by the dedicated resources provided by Subrecipient (either directly or through its authorized contractors or subrecipients) to Grantee pursuant to this Agreement. Accordingly, the budget described in this Exhibit B3 is subject to change, and may be modified by written amendment to the Agreement signed by Grantee and Subrecipient.

EXHIBIT E2

Supplementary Conditions for Contracts

[See attached]

DEFINITIONS

“GOSR”: Governor’s Office of Storm Recovery and its successors and assigns, as well as the Housing Trust Fund Corporation and its successors and assigns, and its parent entities and their successors and assigns.

“Subrecipient”: _____

“Contractor”: _____

When these Supplementary Conditions are attached to any lower tier contract (e.g., a contract between Contractor (as defined above) and any subcontractor, or between Contractor’s direct or indirect subcontractors), references herein to “Subrecipient” shall be deemed to refer to the party seeking products and/or services, and references to “Contractor” shall be deemed to refer to the party providing products and/or services, and references to the “Agreement” or “Contract” or “contract” shall be deemed to refer to the agreement between such subcontracting parties.

ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

In the event of a conflict between the terms of these Supplementary Conditions and the terms of the remainder of the contract (including any other attachments thereto and amendments thereof), the terms of these Supplementary Conditions shall control.

In the event of a conflict among the requirements found in these Supplementary Conditions, which conflict would make it impossible to comply with all of the requirements set forth herein, the terms of the Required Federal Provisions shall control. The remaining requirements shall be interpreted in a manner so as to allow for the terms contained therein to remain valid and consistent with such superseding provisions. If any provision of these Supplementary Conditions relates to a matter embraced by another provision(s) of these Supplementary Conditions, but is not in conflict therewith, all such provisions shall apply. Any question as to which requirements control in a particular instance which cannot be resolved by Contractor and Subrecipient shall be submitted in writing (indicating the issue and the applicable provisions) by Subrecipient to GOSR, which shall decide the applicable question.

PART I: REQUIRED FEDERAL PROVISIONS

The following terms and conditions apply to any contract for which any portion of the funding is derived from a grant made by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (“HUD”) to the New York State Housing Trust Fund Corporation (“HTFC”), as grantee, in connection with the NY Rising Community Reconstruction and Infrastructure and Local Government Programs.

GENERAL CONDITIONS

1. **PROVISIONS REQUIRED BY LAW DEEMED INSERTED.** Each and every provision of law and clause required by law to be inserted in this contract shall be deemed to be inserted herein and the contract shall be read and enforced as though it were included herein, and if through mistake or otherwise any such provision is not inserted, or is not correctly inserted, then upon the application of either party the contract shall forthwith be physically amended to make such insertion or correction.
2. **STATUTORY AND REGULATORY COMPLIANCE.** Contractor shall comply with all laws and regulations applicable to the Community Development Block Grant-Disaster Recovery funds appropriated by the Disaster Relief Appropriations Act, 2013 (Pub. L. 113-2), including but not limited to the applicable Office of Management and Budget Circulars or their Uniform Guidance counterparts, which may impact the administration of funds and/or set forth certain cost principles, including the allowability of certain expenses.
3. **BREACH OF CONTRACT TERMS.** The Subrecipient reserves its rights to all administrative, contractual, or legal remedies, including but not limited to suspension or termination of this contract, in instances where the Contractor or any of its subcontractors violate or breach any contract term. The duties and obligations imposed by the contract documents and the rights and remedies available thereunder shall be in addition to and not a limitation of any duties, obligations, rights and remedies otherwise imposed or available by law.
4. **REPORTING REQUIREMENTS.** The Contractor shall complete and submit all reports, in such form and according to such schedule, as may be required by the Subrecipient and GOSR. The Contractor shall cooperate with all Subrecipient and GOSR efforts to comply with HUD requirements and regulations pertaining to reporting, including but not limited to 2 CFR Part 200 and 24 C.F.R. § 570.507.
5. **RIGHTS TO INVENTIONS MADE UNDER A CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT.** Contracts or agreements for the performance of experimental, developmental, or research work shall provide for the rights of the federal government, GOSR, and the Subrecipient in any resulting invention in accordance with 37 C.F.R. Part 401, “Rights to Inventions Made by Nonprofit Organizations and Small Business Firms Under Government Grants, Contracts and Cooperative Agreements,” and any implementing regulations issued by HUD.

6. **DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, AND INELIGIBILITY.** The Contractor represents and warrants that it and its subcontractors are not debarred or suspended or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in federal assistance programs subject to 2 C.F.R. Part 2424. The Contractor shall notify the Subrecipient and GOSR should it or any of its subcontractors become debarred or suspended or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in federal assistance programs subject to 2 C.F.R. Part 2424.

7. **CONFLICTS OF INTEREST.** The Contractor shall notify the Subrecipient as soon as possible if this contract or any aspect related to the anticipated work under this contract raises an actual or potential conflict of interest (as described in 2 CFR Parts 200 and 215). The Contractor shall explain the actual or potential conflict in writing in sufficient detail so that the Subrecipient is able to assess such actual or potential conflict. The Contractor shall provide the Subrecipient any additional information necessary for the Subrecipient to fully assess and address such actual or potential conflict of interest. The Contractor shall accept any reasonable conflict mitigation strategy approved by the Subrecipient, in its sole discretion. If requested by the Subrecipient and/or GOSR, Contractor shall sign a certification affirming that it has no conflict of interest arising from performance of work on a specific task.

8. **SUBCONTRACTING.** The Contractor represents to the Subrecipient that all work shall be performed by personnel experienced in the appropriate and applicable profession and areas of expertise, taking into account the nature of the work to be performed under this contract.

The Contractor will include these Required Federal Provisions in every subcontract issued by it so that such provisions will be binding upon each of its subcontractors as well as the requirement to flow down such terms to all lower-tiered subcontractors.

9. **ASSIGNABILITY.** The Contractor shall not assign any interest in this contract, and shall not transfer any interest in the same (whether by assignment or novation) without prior written approval of the Subrecipient.

10. **INDEMNIFICATION.** The Contractor shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the Subrecipient, GOSR, HTFC and each of their agents and employees from and against any and all claims, actions, suits, charges, and judgments arising from or related to the negligence or willful misconduct of the Contractor in the performance of the services called for in this contract.

11. **LOBBYING (Applicable to contracts exceeding \$100,000).** The Contractor certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

- A. No federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the Contractor, 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.

- B. 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 Contractor shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions.
- C. The Contractor 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.

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 31 U.S.C. § 1352. 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.

12. ACCESS TO RECORDS. The Subrecipient, GOSR, HTFC, HUD, the Comptroller General of the United States, or any of their duly authorized representatives, shall have, at any time and from time to time during normal business hours, access to any work product, books, documents, papers, and records of the Contractor which are related to this contract, for the purpose of inspection, audits, examinations, and making excerpts, copies and transcriptions.

13. MAINTENANCE/RETENTION OF RECORDS. All records connected with this contract will be maintained in a central location and will be maintained for a period of at least four (4) years following the date of final payment and close-out of all pending matters related to this contract.

CIVIL RIGHTS AND DIVERSITY PROVISIONS

14. SMALL AND MINORITY FIRMS, WOMEN'S BUSINESS ENTERPRISES, AND LABOR SURPLUS AREA FIRMS. The Contractor will comply with the small and minority firms, women's business enterprise, and labor surplus area requirements as set forth at 2 CFR Part 200. Contractor will use its best efforts to afford small businesses, minority business enterprises, and women's business enterprises the maximum practicable opportunity to participate in the performance of the contract. As used in these Required Federal Provisions, the terms "small business" means a business that meets the criteria set forth in Section 3(a) of the Small Business Act, as amended (15 U.S.C. § 632), and "minority and women's business enterprise" means a business at least fifty-one (51) percent owned and controlled by minority group members or women. For the purpose of this definition, "minority group members" are Afro-Americans, Spanish-speaking, Spanish surnamed, or Spanish-heritage Americans, Asian-Americans, and American Indians. Subrecipient may rely on written representations by

businesses regarding their status as minority and female business enterprises in lieu of an independent investigation.

The Contractor will take necessary affirmative steps to assure that minority firms, women's business enterprises, and labor surplus area firms are used in subcontracting when possible. Steps include:

- A. Placing qualified small and minority businesses and women's business enterprises on solicitation lists;
- B. Assuring that small and minority businesses, and women's business enterprises are solicited whenever they are potential sources;
- C. Dividing total requirements, when economically feasible, into smaller tasks or quantities to permit maximum participation by small and minority business, and women's business enterprises;
- D. Establishing delivery schedules, where the requirement permits, which encourage participation by small and minority business, and women's business enterprises; and
- E. Using the services and assistance of the Small Business Administration, and the Minority Business Development Agency of the Department of Commerce.

15. TITLES VI AND VIII OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS ACT OF 1964 AND EXECUTIVE ORDER 11063. The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of Titles VI and VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and with Executive Order 11063. No person shall, on the grounds of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity receiving Federal financial assistance. No person shall, on the grounds of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin, be discriminated against in the sale, rental, or financing of dwellings. To the extent that any such sale, lease or other transfer of land shall occur, Contractor, in undertaking its obligation to carry out the Program assisted hereunder, will not itself so discriminate.

16. SECTION 109 OF THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 1974. The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of Section 109 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974. No person in the United States shall on the grounds of race, color, national origin, or sex be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity funded in whole or in part with funds made available under this title. Section 109 further provides that discrimination on the basis of age under the Age Discrimination Act of 1975 or with respect to an otherwise qualified handicapped individual as provided in Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, is prohibited.

17. SECTION 504 OF THE REHABILITATION ACT OF 1973 AND THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT OF 1990. The Contractor shall comply with section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. § 794), as amended, and any applicable

regulations, and with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. § 126), as amended, and any applicable regulations

The Contractor agrees that no qualified individual with handicaps shall, solely on the basis of handicap, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or otherwise be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity that receives federal financial assistance from HUD.

18. AGE DISCRIMINATION ACT OF 1975. The Contractor shall comply with the Age Discrimination Act of 1975 (42 U.S.C. § 6101 et seq.), as amended, and any applicable regulations. No person in the United States shall, on the basis of age, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under, any program or activity receiving federal financial assistance.

19. NONDISCRIMINATION.

The Contractor shall comply with the non-discrimination in employment and contracting opportunities laws, regulations, and executive orders referenced in 24 C.F.R. § 570.607, as revised by Executive Order 13279 of December 12, 2002. The applicable non-discrimination provisions in Section 109 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 are still applicable. The Contractor shall comply with all other federal statutory and constitutional non-discrimination provisions. During the performance of this contract, the Contractor agrees as follows:

- A. The Contractor shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin. The Contractor shall take affirmative action to ensure that applicants for employment 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: 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 shall post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided setting forth the provisions of this non-discrimination clause.
- B. The Contractor shall, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the Contractor, state that it is an Equal Opportunity or Affirmative Action employer and that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin.
- C. 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.

- D. 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' representative 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.
- E. 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.
- F. The Contractor will furnish all information and reports required by Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and by the rules, regulations, and orders of the Secretary of Labor, or pursuant thereto, and will permit access to books, records, and accounts by the contracting agency and the Secretary of Labor for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with such rules, regulations, and orders.
- G. In the event of the Contractor's non-compliance with the non-discrimination clauses of this contract or with any of such rules, regulations or orders, this contract may be cancelled, 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 as 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.
- H. The Contractor shall incorporate the portion of the sentence immediately preceding paragraph (A) and the provisions of paragraphs (A) through (G) above 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 shall be binding on such 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 non-compliance, 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.

With respect to construction contracts and subcontracts exceeding \$10,000, The Contractor shall comply with Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, entitled "Equal Employment

Opportunity,” as amended by Executive Order 11375 of October 13, 1967; Executive Order 11478 of August 8, 1969; Executive Order 12107 of December 28, 1978; Executive Order 12086 of October 5, 1978; and as supplemented in Department of Labor regulations (41 C.F.R. Part 60). Subrecipient shall include the following Specifications, which are required pursuant to 41 CFR 60-4.3 in all federally assisted contracts and subcontracts. For the purposes of the Equal Opportunity Construction Contract Specifications and Clause below, the term “Construction Work” means the construction, rehabilitation, alteration, conversion, extension, demolition or repair of buildings, highways, or other changes or improvements to real property, including facilities providing utility services. The term also includes the supervision, inspection, and other onsite functions incidental to the actual construction.

Standard Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Construction Contract Specifications for Contracts and Subcontracts in Excess of \$10,000. (Federal Notice Required by 41 CFR 60-4.3)

1. As used in these specifications:
 - a. “Covered area” means the geographical area described in the solicitation from which this contract resulted;
 - b. “Director” means Director, Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, United States Department of Labor, or any person to whom the Director delegates authority;
 - c. “Employer identification number” means the Federal Social Security number used on the Employer’s Quarterly Federal Tax Return, U.S. Treasury Department Form 941.
 - d. “Minority” includes:
 - (i) Black (all persons having origins in any of the Black African racial groups not of Hispanic origin);
 - (ii) Hispanic (all persons of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Central or South American or other Spanish Culture or origin, regardless of race);
 - (iii) Asian and Pacific Islander (all persons having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, the Indian Subcontinent, or the Pacific Islands); and
 - (iv) American Indian or Alaskan Native (all persons having origins in any of the original peoples of North America and maintaining identifiable tribal affiliations through membership and participation or community identification).
2. Whenever the contractor or any subcontractor at any tier, subcontracts a portion of the work involving any Construction trade, it shall physically include in each subcontract in excess of \$10,000 the provisions of these specifications and the Notice which contains the applicable goals for minority and female participation and which is set forth in the solicitations from which this Agreement resulted.

3. If the contractor is participating (pursuant to 41 CFR 60-4.5) in a Hometown Plan approved by the U.S. Department of Labor in the covered area either individually or through an association, its affirmative action obligations on all work in the Plan area (including goals and timetables) shall be in accordance with that Plan for those trades which have unions participating in the Plan. Contractors must be able to demonstrate their participation in and compliance with the provisions of any such Hometown Plan. Each contractor or subcontractor participating in an approved Plan is individually required to comply with its obligations under the EEO clause, and to make a good faith effort to achieve each goal under the Plan in each trade in which it has employees. The overall good faith performance by other contractors or subcontractors toward a goal in an approved Plan does not excuse any covered contractor's or subcontractor's failure to take good faith efforts to achieve the Plan goals and timetables.

4. The contractor shall implement the specific affirmative action standards provided in paragraphs 7 a through p of these specifications. The goals set forth in the solicitation from which this Agreement resulted are expressed as percentages of the total hours of employment and training of minority and female utilization the contractor should reasonably be able to achieve in each Construction trade in which it has employees in the covered area. Covered Construction contractors performing Construction Work in geographical areas where they do not have a Federal or federally assisted Construction contract shall apply the minority and female goals established for the geographical areas where the work is being performed. Goals are published periodically in the Federal Register in notice form, and such notices may be obtained from any Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs office or from Federal procurement contracting officers. The contractor is expected to make substantially uniform progress in meeting its goals in each craft during the period specified.

5. Neither the provisions of any collective bargaining agreement, nor the failure by a union with whom the contractor has a collective bargaining agreement, to refer either minorities or women shall excuse the contractor's obligations under these specifications, Executive Order 11246, or the regulations promulgated pursuant thereto.

6. In order for the nonworking training hours of apprentices and trainees to be counted in meeting the goals, such apprentices and trainees must be employed by the contractor during the training period, and the contractor must have made a commitment to employ the apprentices and trainees at the completion of their training, subject to the availability of employment opportunities. Trainees must be trained pursuant to training programs approved by the U.S. Department of Labor.

7. The Contractor shall take specific affirmative actions to ensure equal employment opportunity. The evaluation of the contractor's compliance with these specifications shall be based upon its effort to achieve maximum results from its actions. The contractor shall document these efforts fully, and shall implement affirmative action steps at least as extensive as the following:

- a. Ensure and maintain a working environment free of harassment, intimidation, and coercion at all sites, and in all facilities at which the contractor's employees are assigned to work. The contractor, where possible, will assign two or more women to each Construction project. The contractor shall specifically ensure that all foremen, superintendents, and other on-site supervisory personnel are aware of and carry out the contractor's obligation to maintain such a working environment, with specific attention to minority or female individuals working at such sites or in such facilities.
- b. Establish and maintain a current list of minority and female recruitment sources, provide written notification to minority and female recruitment sources and to community organizations when the contractor or its unions have employment opportunities available, and maintain a record of the organization's responses.
- c. Maintain a current file of the names, addresses and telephone numbers of each minority and female off-the-street applicant and minority or female referral from a union, a recruitment source or community organization and of what action was taken with respect to each such individual. If such individual was sent to the union hiring hall for referral and was not referred back to the contractor by the union or, if referred, not employed by the contractor, this shall be documented in the file with the reason therefor, along with whatever additional actions the contractor may have taken.
- d. Provide immediate written notification to the Director when the union or unions with which the contractor has a collective bargaining agreement has not referred to the contractor a minority person or woman sent by the contractor, or when the contractor has other information that the union referral process has impeded the contractor's efforts to meet its obligations.
- e. Develop on-the-job training opportunities and/or participate in training programs for the area which expressly include minorities and women, including upgrading programs and apprenticeship and trainee programs relevant to the contractor's employment needs, especially those programs funded or approved by the Department of Labor. The contractor shall provide notice of these programs to the sources compiled under 7b above.
- f. Disseminate the contractor's EEO policy by providing notice of the policy to unions and training programs and requesting their cooperation in assisting the contractor in meeting its EEO obligations; by including it in any policy manual and collective bargaining agreement; by publicizing it in the company newspaper, annual report, etc.; by specific review of the policy with all management personnel and with all minority and female employees at least once a year; and by posting the company EEO policy on bulletin boards accessible to all employees at each location where Construction Work is performed.
- g. Review, at least annually, the company's EEO policy and affirmative action obligations under these specifications with all employees having any responsibility for hiring, assignment, layoff, termination or other employment decisions including specific review of these items with on-site supervisory personnel such as Superintendents, General Foremen, etc., prior to the initiation of Construction Work at any job site. A written record shall be made and maintained identifying the time and place of these meetings, persons attending, subject matter discussed, and disposition of the subject matter.

h. Disseminate the contractor's EEO policy externally by including it in any advertising in the news media, specifically including minority and female news media, and providing written notification to and discussing the contractor's EEO policy with other contractors and subcontractors with whom the contractor does or anticipates doing business.

i. Direct its recruitment efforts, both oral and written, to minority, female and community organizations, to schools with minority and female students and to minority and female recruitment and training organizations serving the contractor's recruitment area and employment needs. Not later than one month prior to the date for the acceptance of applications for apprenticeship or other training by any recruitment source, the contractor shall send written notification to organizations such as the above, describing the openings, screening procedures, and tests to be used in the selection process.

j. Encourage present minority and female employees to recruit other minority persons and women and, where reasonable, provide after school, summer and vacation employment to minority and female youth both on the site and in other areas of a contractor's work force.

k. Validate all tests and other selection requirements where there is an obligation to do so under 41 CFR Part 60-3.

l. Conduct, at least annually, an inventory and evaluation at least of all minority and female personnel for promotional opportunities and encourage these employees to seek or to prepare for, through appropriate training, etc., such opportunities.

m. Ensure that seniority practices, job classifications, work assignments and other personnel practices, do not have a discriminatory effect by continually monitoring all personnel and employment related activities to ensure that the EEO policy and the contractor's obligations under these specifications are being carried out.

n. Ensure that all facilities and company activities are non-segregated except that separate or single-user toilet and necessary changing facilities shall be provided to assure privacy between the sexes.

o. Document and maintain a record of all solicitations of offers for subcontracts from minority and female Construction contractors and suppliers, including circulation of solicitations to minority and female contractor associations and other business associations.

p. Conduct a review, at least annually, of all supervisor's adherence to and performance under the Contractor's EEO policies and affirmative action obligations.

8. Contractors are encouraged to participate in voluntary associations which assist in fulfilling one or more of their affirmative action obligations (7a through p). The efforts of a contractor association, joint contractor-union, contractor-community, or other similar group of which the contractor is a member and participant, may be asserted as fulfilling any one or more of its obligations under 7a through p of these specifications provided that the contractor actively participates in the group, makes every effort to assure that the group has a positive impact on the employment of minorities and women in the industry, ensures that the concrete benefits of the Program are reflected in the contractor's minority and female work force participation, makes a good faith effort to meet its individual goals and timetables, and can provide access to documentation which demonstrates the effectiveness of actions taken on behalf of the contractor. The obligation to comply,

however, is the contractor's and failure of such a group to fulfill an obligation shall not be a defense for the contractor's noncompliance.

9. A single goal for minorities and a separate single goal for women have been established. The contractor, however, is required to provide equal employment opportunity and to take affirmative action for all minority groups, both male and female, and all women, both minority and non-minority. Consequently, the contractor may be in violation of the Executive Order if a particular group is employed in a substantially disparate manner (for example, even though the contractor has achieved its goals for women generally, the contractor may be in violation of the Executive Order if a specific minority group of women is underutilized).

10. The contractor shall not use the goals and timetables or affirmative action standards to discriminate against any person because of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin.

11. The contractor shall not enter into any Subcontract with any person or firm debarred from Government contracts pursuant to Executive Order 11246 or suspended or is otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation in federal assistance programs.

12. The contractor shall carry out such sanctions and penalties for violation of these specifications and of the Equal Opportunity Clause, including suspension, termination and cancellation of existing subcontracts as may be imposed or ordered pursuant to Executive Order 11246, as amended, and its implementing regulations, by the Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs. Any contractor who fails to carry out such sanctions and penalties shall be in violation of these specifications and Executive Order 11246, as amended.

13. The contractor, in fulfilling its obligations under these specifications, shall implement specific affirmative action steps, at least as extensive as those standards prescribed in paragraph 7 of these specifications, so as to achieve maximum results from its efforts to ensure equal employment opportunity. If the contractor fails to comply with the requirements of the Executive Order, the implementing regulations, or these specifications, the Director shall proceed in accordance with 41 CFR 60-4.8.

14. The contractor shall designate a responsible official to monitor all employment related activity to ensure that the company EEO policy is being carried out, to submit reports relating to the provisions hereof as may be required by the Government and to keep records. Records shall at least include for each employee the name, address, telephone numbers, Construction trade, union affiliation if any, employee identification number when assigned, social security number, race, sex, status (e.g., mechanic, apprentice trainee, helper, or laborer), dates of changes in status, hours worked per week in the indicated trade, rate of pay, and locations at which the work was performed. Records shall be maintained in an easily understandable and retrievable form; however, to the degree that existing records satisfy this requirement, contractors shall not be required to maintain separate records.

15. Nothing herein provided shall be construed as a limitation upon the application of other laws which establish different standards of compliance or upon the application of requirements for hiring of local or other areas residents (e.g., those under the Public Works Employment Act of 1977 and the Community Development Block Grant Program).

20. CERTIFICATION OF NONSEGREGATED FACILITIES (Applicable to construction contracts exceeding \$10,000). The Contractor certifies that it does not maintain or provide for its establishments, and that it does not permit employees to perform their services at any location, under its control, where segregated facilities are maintained. It certifies further that it will not maintain or provide for employees any segregated facilities at any of its establishments, and it will not permit employees to perform their services at any location under its control where segregated facilities are maintained. The Contractor agrees that a breach of this certification is a violation of the nondiscrimination clause of this contract.

As used in this certification, the term “segregated facilities” means any waiting rooms, work areas, rest rooms and wash rooms, restaurants and other eating areas, time clocks, locker rooms, and other storage or dressing areas, parking lots, drinking fountains, recreation or entertainment areas, transportation and housing facilities provided for employees which are segregated by explicit directive or are, in fact, segregated on the basis of race, color, religion, or national origin because of habit, local custom, or any other reason.

The Contractor further agrees that (except where it has obtained for specific time periods) it will obtain identical certification from proposed subcontractors prior to the award of subcontracts exceeding \$10,000 which are not exempt from the provisions of the nondiscrimination clause; that it will retain such certifications in its files; and that it will forward the preceding notice to such proposed subcontractors (except where proposed subcontractors have submitted identical certifications for specific time periods).

21. SECTION 503 OF THE REHABILITATION ACT OF 1973 (Applicable to contracts exceeding \$10,000). The Contractor shall comply with section 503 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. § 793), as amended, and any applicable regulations.

- A. The Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of physical or mental disability in regard to any position for which the employee or applicant for employment is qualified. The Contractor agrees to take affirmative action to employ, advance in employment and otherwise treat qualified individuals with disabilities without discrimination based on their physical or mental disability in all employment practices, including the following:
1. Recruitment, advertising, and job application procedures;
 2. Hiring, upgrading, promotion, award of tenure, demotion, transfer, layoff, termination, right of return from layoff and rehiring;
 3. Rates of pay or any other form of compensation and changes in compensation;

4. Job assignments, job classifications, organizational structures, position descriptions, lines of progression, and seniority lists;
 5. Leaves of absence, sick leave, or any other leave;
 6. Fringe benefits available by virtue of employment, whether or not administered by the Contractor;
 7. Selection and financial support for training, including apprenticeship, professional meetings, conferences, and other related activities, and selection for leaves of absence to pursue training;
 8. Activities sponsored by the Contractor including social or recreational programs; and
 9. Any other term, condition, or privilege of employment.
- B. The Contractor agrees to comply with the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the Secretary of Labor issued pursuant to the act.
- C. In the event of the Contractor's noncompliance with the requirements of this clause, actions for noncompliance may be taken in accordance with the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the Secretary of Labor issued pursuant to the act.
- D. The Contractor agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices in a form to be prescribed by the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Federal Contract Compliance Programs, provided by or through the contracting officer. Such notices shall state the rights of applicants and employees as well as the Contractor's obligation under the law to take affirmative action to employ and advance in employment qualified employees and applicants with disabilities. The Contractor must ensure that applicants and employees with disabilities are informed of the contents of the notice (e.g., the Contractor may have the notice read to a visually disabled individual, or may lower the posted notice so that it might be read by a person in a wheelchair).
- E. The Contractor will notify each labor organization or representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract understanding, that the Contractor is bound by the terms of section 503 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, and is committed to take affirmative action to employ and advance in employment individuals with physical or mental disabilities.
- F. The Contractor will include the provisions of this clause in every subcontract or purchase order in excess of \$10,000, unless exempted by the rules, regulations, or orders of the Secretary issued pursuant to section 503 of the act, as amended, 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 Deputy Assistant Secretary for Federal Contract Compliance Programs may direct to enforce such provisions, including action for noncompliance.

22. SECTION 3 OF THE HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 1968 (Applicable to contracts exceeding \$100,000 in value for housing construction, rehabilitation, or other public construction).

- A. The work to be performed under this contract is subject to the requirements of Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, as amended, 12 U.S.C. § 1701u (Section 3). The purpose of Section 3 is to ensure that employment and other economic opportunities generated by HUD assistance or HUD-assisted projects covered by Section 3, shall, to the greatest extent feasible, be directed to low- and very low-income persons, particularly persons who are recipients of HUD assistance for housing.
- B. The parties to this contract agree to comply with HUD's regulations in 24 C.F.R. Part 135, which implement Section 3. As evidenced by their execution of this contract, the parties to this contract certify that they are under no contractual or other impediment that would prevent them from complying with the part 135 regulations.
- C. The Contractor agrees to send to each labor organization or representative of workers with which the Contractor has a collective bargaining agreement or other understanding, if any, a notice advising the labor organization or workers' representative of the Contractor's commitments under this Section 3 clause, and will post copies of the notice in conspicuous places at the work site where both employees and applicants for training and employment positions can see the notice. The notice shall describe the Section 3 preference, shall set forth minimum number and job titles subject to hire, the availability of apprenticeship and training positions, the qualifications for each, the name and location of the person(s) taking applications for each of the positions, and the anticipated date the work shall begin.
- D. The Contractor agrees to include this Section 3 clause in every subcontract subject to compliance with regulations in 24 C.F.R. Part 135, and agrees to take appropriate action, as provided in an applicable provision of the subcontract or in this Section 3 clause, upon a finding that the subcontractor is in violation of the regulations in 24 C.F.R. Part 135. The Contractor will not subcontract with any subcontractor where the Contractor has notice or knowledge that the subcontractor has been found in violation of the regulations in 24 C.F.R. Part 135.
- E. The Contractor will certify that any vacant employment positions, including training positions, that are filled: (1) after the Contractor is selected but before the contract is executed, and (2) with persons other than those to whom the regulations of 24 C.F.R. Part 135 require employment opportunities to be directed, were not filled to circumvent the Contractor's obligations under 24 C.F.R. Part 135.
- F. Noncompliance with HUD's regulations in 24 C.F.R. Part 135 may result in sanctions, termination of this contract for default, and debarment or suspension from future HUD assisted contracts.

- G. With respect to work performed in connection with Section 3 covered Indian housing assistance, section 7(b) of the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act (25 U.S.C. § 450e) also applies to the work to be performed under this contract. Section 7(b) requires that to the greatest extent feasible: (i) preference and opportunities for training and employment shall be given to Indians, and (ii) preference in the award of contracts and subcontracts shall be given to Indian organizations and Indian-owned Economic Enterprises. Parties to this contract that are subject to the provisions of Section 3 and section 7(b) agree to comply with Section 3 to the maximum extent feasible, but not in derogation of compliance with section 7(b).
- H. Irrespective of any applicable federal reporting requirements as noted in the statutory language above or otherwise, Contractor shall submit quarterly reports along with any supporting documentation, in a form acceptable to Subrecipient, of its Section 3 compliance efforts to Subrecipient. Contractor may be required to consolidate all reports received from subcontractors and lower-tiered subcontractors into a single report or several reports as reasonably requested by Subrecipient. Notwithstanding the provision of such reports and supporting documentation, Contractor shall maintain copies of all reports and supporting documents as set forth in these Supplementary Conditions.

23. FAIR HOUSING ACT. Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the Fair Housing Act of 1968 as amended. The act prohibits discrimination in the sale or rental of housing, the financing of housing or the provision of brokerage services against any person on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, handicap or familial status. Contractor shall comply with the provisions of the Equal Opportunity in Housing Act, which prohibits discrimination against individuals on the basis of race, color, religion, sex or national origin in the sale, rental, leasing or other disposition of residential property, or in the use or occupancy of housing assisted with federal funds.

LABOR PROVISIONS

24. COPELAND "ANTI-KICKBACK" ACT (Applicable to all construction or repair contracts). Salaries of personnel performing work under this contract shall be paid unconditionally and not less often than once a month without payroll deduction or rebate on any account except only such payroll deductions as are mandatory by law or permitted by the applicable regulations issued by the Secretary of Labor pursuant to the Copeland "Anti-Kickback Act" of June 13, 1934 (48 Stat. 948; 62 Stat. 740; 63 Stat. 108; 18 U.S.C. § 874; and 40 U.S.C. § 276c). The Contractor shall comply with all applicable "Anti-Kickback" regulations and shall insert appropriate provisions in all subcontracts covering work under this contract to ensure compliance by subcontractors with such regulations, and shall be responsible for the submission of affidavits required of subcontractors thereunder except as the Secretary of Labor may specifically provide for variations of or exemptions from the requirements thereof.

25. CONTRACT WORK HOURS AND SAFETY STANDARDS ACT (Applicable to construction contracts exceeding \$2,000 and contracts exceeding \$2,500 that involve the employment of mechanics or laborers). The Contractor shall comply with Sections 103 and 107 of the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. §§ 327-330) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. Part 5).

All laborers and mechanics employed by contractors or subcontractors shall receive overtime compensation in accordance with and subject to the provisions of the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act, and the contractors and subcontractors shall comply with all regulations issued pursuant to that act and with other applicable federal laws and regulations pertaining to labor standards.

26. DAVIS-BACON ACT AND OTHER LABOR COMPLIANCE (Applicable to construction contracts exceeding \$2,000 when required by federal program legislation). The Contractor shall comply with the Davis Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. §§ 276a to 276a-7) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. Part 5), and all other applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations pertaining to labor standards insofar as they apply to the performance of this agreement. In addition, Contractor shall comply with the Federal Labor Standards Provisions set forth in Form HUD-4010, available at http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/documents/huddoc?id=DOC_12586.pdf.

All laborers and mechanics employed by contractors or subcontractors, including employees of other governments, on construction work assisted under this contract, and subject to the provisions of the Federal acts and regulations listed in this paragraph, shall be paid wages at rates not less than those prevailing on similar construction in the locality as determined by the Secretary of Labor in accordance with the Davis Bacon Act. The Contractor shall maintain documentation that demonstrates compliance with hour and wage requirements of this part. Such documentation shall be made available to Subrecipient and GOSR for review upon request.

If Contractor is engaged under a contract in excess of \$2,000 for construction, renovation, or repair work financed in whole or in part with assistance provided by GOSR, Contractor agrees, except with respect to the rehabilitation or construction of residential property containing less than eight (8) units, to comply and to cause all subcontractors engaged under such contracts to comply with federal requirements adopted by GOSR pertaining to such contracts and with the applicable requirements of the Department of Labor under 29 C.F.R. Parts 1, 3, 5, and 7 governing the payment of wages and ratio of apprentices and trainees to journey workers; provided that, if wage rates higher than those required under the regulations are imposed by state or local law, nothing hereunder is to relieve Contractor of its obligation, if any, to require payment of the higher wage. Contractor shall cause or require to be inserted in full, in all such contracts subject to such regulations, provisions meeting the requirements of this paragraph.

ENVIRONMENTAL PROVISIONS

27. **ENERGY EFFICIENCY.** The Contractor shall comply with mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the New York State energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (Public Law 94-163).

28. **SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL.** Pursuant to 2 CFR § 200.322, Contractor must comply with section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (codified at 42 USC § 6962). The requirements of Section 6002 include procuring only items designated in guidelines of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) at 40 CFR Part 247 that contain the highest percentage of recovered materials practicable, consistent with maintaining a satisfactory level of competition, where the purchase price of the item exceeds \$10,000 or the value of the quantity acquired during the preceding fiscal year exceeded \$10,000; procuring solid waste management services in a manner that maximizes energy and resource recovery; and establishing an affirmative procurement program for procurement of recovered materials identified in the EPA guidelines.

29. **CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH ENVIRONMENTAL LAWS.**

The Contractor and all subcontractors agree to comply with the following requirements (and their state and/or local counterparts or analogues, if any) insofar as they apply to the performance of this Agreement as any of the following may hereinafter be amended, superseded, replaced, or modified:

- A. Executive Order 11988, Floodplain Management, May 24, 1977 (42 FR 26951, 3 C.F.R., 1977 Comp., p. 117, as interpreted at 24 C.F.R. Part 55), and Executive Order 11990, Protection of Wetlands, May 24, 1977 (42 FR 26961, 3 C.F.R., 1977 Comp., p. 121);
- B. Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972, as amended (16 U.S.C. § 1451 *et seq.*);
- C. Safe Drinking Water Act of 1974 (42 U.S.C. 201, 300(f) *et seq.*, and 21 U.S.C. § 349, as amended), and EPA regulations for Sole Source Aquifers (40 C.F.R. Part 149);
- D. Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. § 1531 *et seq.*);
- E. Wild and Scenic Rivers Act of 1968, as amended (16 U.S.C. § 1271 *et seq.*);
- F. Clean Air Act, as amended (42 U.S.C. § 7401 *et seq.*);
- G. EPA regulations for Determining Conformity of Federal Actions to State or Federal Implementation Plans (40 C.F.R. Parts 6, 51, and 93);
- H. Farmland Protection Policy Act of 1981 (7 U.S.C. § 4201 *et seq.*), and USDA regulations at 7 C.F.R. Part 658;
- I. HUD criteria and standards at 24 C.F.R. Part 51;

- J. Executive Order 12898, Federal Actions to Address Environmental Justice in Minority Populations and Low-Income Populations, Feb. 11, 1994 (59 FR 7629, 3 C.F.R., 1994 Comp. p. 859);
- K. Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973, as amended (42 U.S.C. § 4001-4128);
- L. National Flood Insurance Reform Act of 1994 (42 U.S.C. § 5154a);
- M. Coastal Barrier Resources Act, as amended by the Coastal Barrier Improvement Act of 1990 (16 U.S.C. § 3501);
- N. Runway Clear Zone regulations (24 C.F.R. Part 51);
- O. Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended (33 U.S.C. § 1251, *et seq.*), commonly known as the Clean Water Act, and all regulations and guidelines issued thereunder;
- P. Environmental Protection Agency (“EPA”) regulations at 40 C.F.R. Part 50, as amended;
- Q. HUD regulations at 24 C.F.R. Part 51, Subpart B, and New York State and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related to noise abatement and control, as applicable;
- R. HUD regulations at 24 C.F.R. Part 51 Subpart C regarding siting of projects near hazardous operations handling conventional fuels or chemicals of an explosive or flammable nature;
- S. HUD and EPA regulations related to asbestos-containing material and lead-based paint, including but not limited to Part 56 of Title 12 of the Official Compilation of Codes, Rules and Regulations of the State of New York Department of Labor (12 NYCRR 56), the National Emission Standard for Asbestos (40 C.F.R. § 61.145), the National Emission Standard for Asbestos (40 C.F.R. § 61.150), and 24 C.F.R. Part 35 Subparts B, H, and J; and
- T. All other applicable environmental laws that may exist now or in the future.

Further, Contractor shall abide by any conditions or requirements set forth in any environmental review performed pursuant to 24 C.F.R. Part 58, which are HUD’s regulations for Responsible Entities implementing the National Environmental Policy Act.

In addition to the foregoing requirements, all nonexempt contractors and subcontractors shall furnish to the Subrecipient, the following:

- A. A stipulation by the Contractor or subcontractors, that any facility to be utilized in the performance of any nonexempt contract or subcontract, is not listed on the Excluded Party Listing System pursuant to 40 C.F.R. Part 32 or on the List of Violating Facilities issued by the EPA pursuant to 40 C.F.R. Part 15, as amended.

- B. Agreement by the Contractor to comply with all the requirements of Section 114 of the Clean Air Act, as amended, (42 U.S.C. § 1857 c-8) and Section 308 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended, (33 U.S.C. § 1318) relating to inspection, monitoring, entry, reports and information, as well as all other requirements specified in said Section 114 and Section 308, and all regulations and guidelines issued thereunder.
- C. A stipulation that as a condition for the award of the contract, prompt notice will be given of any notification received from the Director, Office of Federal Activities, EPA, indicating that a facility utilized, or to be utilized for the contract, is under consideration to be listed on the Excluded Party Listing System or the EPA List of Violating Facilities.
- D. Agreement by the Contractor that he will include, or cause to be included, the criteria and requirements in paragraphs A through D of this section in every nonexempt subcontract and requiring that the Contractor will take such action as the government may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions.

PART II: INSURANCE

A. Unless otherwise directed by GOSR, Contractor shall procure and maintain without interruption, at its sole cost and expense, during the term of this Agreement (or any extensions thereof) and for a period of two years thereafter, insurance of the type, and with limits and deductibles, as follows:

- a. Commercial General Liability Insurance and Excess Liability Insurance. Providing both bodily injury (including death) and property damage insurance with limits in the aggregate and per occurrence in accordance with the following table:

Contract Value	Commercial General Liability in combination with Excess (Umbrella) Liability	
	Each Occurrence	General Aggregate
< \$10M	\$2,000,000	\$2,000,000
>\$10M - \$50M	\$5,000,000	\$5,000,000
>\$50M	\$10,000,000	\$10,000,000

Such insurance is to be written on an occurrence basis with defense outside of limits. New York State, the New York State Housing Trust Fund Corporation, and the Subrecipient shall each be named as an additional insured. The minimum required level of insurance may be provided through a combination of commercial general liability and umbrella and/or excess liability policies.

- b. Automobile Liability and Property Damage Insurance. In an amount not less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) combined single limit for both Bodily Injury and Property Damage.
- c. Professional Liability. If the Contractor is engaged in providing professional services under this Agreement, professional errors and omissions coverage with a limit not less than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) in the aggregate and One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per occurrence. If the Contractor is not engaged in providing professional services under this Agreement, this professional errors and omissions coverage is not required.
- d. Worker's Compensation. Covering workers' compensation and employers' liability and disability benefits as required by the State of New York.
- B. In addition to the foregoing, Contractor and any subcontractors shall procure and maintain any and all insurance which is required by any applicable current or future law, rule, regulation, ordinance, permit, license, order or other legal requirement.
- C. All insurance shall be primary and non-contributory and shall waive subrogation against GOSR and the Subrecipient and all of either of their former, current, or future officers, directors, and employees. No deductible of more than \$50,000 shall be permitted without

advance written approval by GOSR, which GOSR may withhold, condition or deny in its sole and exclusive discretion.

- D. The Contractor shall provide Certificates of Insurance to GOSR and the Subrecipient prior to the commencement of work and shall provide full and complete copies of the actual policies and all endorsements upon request. Subcontractors under this Agreement shall be required to maintain insurance meeting all of the requirements set forth in Section A above for items a-d; however Contractor shall require subcontractors to maintain greater limits and/or other or additional insurance coverages if greater limits and/or other or additional insurance coverages are (a) generally imposed by the Contractor given its normal course of business for subcontracts for similar work or services to those being provided by the subcontractor at issue; or (b) reasonable and customary in the industry for similar work or services to those anticipated hereunder.
- E. If the above insurance requirements are potentially excessive because they exceed the type and/or amount of insurance which is reasonable and customary for similar work or services in the same general geographic area, Contractor shall, within fifteen (15) calendar days of the execution of this Agreement, provide written notice of the same to GOSR, along with a written summary of the type and amount of insurance Contractor believes is reasonable and customary for similar work or services in the same general geographic area. GOSR may, in GOSR's sole and exclusive discretion, but is under no obligation to, waive, decrease, or otherwise alter or amend the insurance requirements in light of this notice. However, notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, nothing in this paragraph requires or shall be deemed to require GOSR to waive, decrease, alter or amend, in whole or in part, any insurance requirements as a result of the foregoing notice from Contractor or for any other reason, and no waiver, decrease, alteration or amendment shall be made except as approved in advance and in writing by GOSR.
- F. If the above insurance requirements are potentially inadequate because they do not meet or exceed the type and/or amount of insurance which is reasonable and customary for similar work or services in the same general geographic area, Contractor shall, within fifteen (15) calendar days of the execution of this Agreement, provide written notice of the same to GOSR, along with a written summary of the type and amount of insurance Contractor believes is reasonable and customary for similar work or services in the same general geographic area. GOSR may, in GOSR's sole and exclusive discretion, but is under no obligation to increase, supplement, expand, or otherwise alter or amend the insurance requirements in light of this notice. However, notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, nothing in this paragraph requires or shall be deemed to require GOSR to increase, supplement, expand, or otherwise alter or amend, in whole or in part, any insurance requirements as a result of the foregoing notice from Contractor or for any other reason, and no increase, supplement, expansion or other alteration or amendment shall be made except in an amendment to this Agreement, as approved in advance and in writing by GOSR.

PART III: REPORTING

Elation Systems, Inc. is a provider of cloud-based diversity and labor compliance reporting and management services. The Governor's Office of Storm Recovery (GOSR) has adopted this web-based compliance management system to help all of its Contractors, Subrecipients, and Subrecipient's Contractors receiving federal funds to adhere to Labor Compliance (Davis-Bacon), Minority and Women Owned Business (MWBE) and Section 3 reporting requirements.

Contractors, Subrecipients, and Subrecipient's Contractors must comply with instructions from GOSR on how and when to meet all reporting requirements, and how to utilize Elation to satisfy those requirements.

To this end, all Contractors, Subrecipients, and Subrecipient's Contractors must register with Elation Systems and attend an online training on the use of this tool. GOSR offers a series of virtual training events. GOSR requires all parties receiving federal funds through GOSR programs to use the Elation Systems application to make reporting requirements easier, faster and simpler to complete.

Prior to participating in training, it is necessary to create an Elation account. An account may be created at <https://www.elationsys.com/app/Registration/>.

Questions related to reporting requirements should be directed to GOSR's Monitoring and Compliance team at stormrecovery.dl.gosr-monitoring&compliance@stormrecovery.ny.gov.