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#### **BID NUMBER ITB FS 14-017**

CITY OF LONG BEACH **PURCHASING DIVISION** 

ATTN: CITY CLERK

333 West Ocean Boulevard, Plaza Level

Long Beach, California 90802



#### **INVITATION TO BID**

STREET SWEEPER BROOMS

33395CONTRACT NO.

COMPLETE CONTRACT:

This Invitation to Bid, together with THE NOTICE INVITING BIDS, the entire Bid (including Specifications), or any items(s) thereof, the signature page, Instructions to Bidders, General Conditions, Special Conditions, Bid Section, Addendums, and when required, CONTRACTOR'S BOND shall become the Contract upon its acceptance by the City Manager or designee on behalf of the City of Long Beach, Contractor will be provided with a copy of the executed Contract. All materials or services provided by the Contractor shall comply with the City Charter, and all applicable Federal, State and City Laws.

SERVICES TO BE PROVIDED BY THE CONTRACTOR:

Contractor shall upon acceptance of this Bid by the City, furnish the goods and services herein specified according to the terms and conditions set forth herein.

AMOUNT TO BE PAID:

The City shall pay Contractor for the goods or services as described in the section entitled "PAYMENT" in the Instructions to Bidders.

CHOICE OF ALTERNATE PROVISIONS; OPTIONS; NOTIFICATION:

When alternative provisions are requested, or options are offered. Contractor will be notified as to which provision, or option, is being accepted at the same time that he is notified that he is the successful Bidder.

**DECLARATION OF NON-COLLUSION:** 

The undersigned certifies or declares under penalty of perjury that this Bid is genuine and not sham or collusive, or made in the interest or on behalf of any person or entity not herein named; that the Bidder has not directly or indirectly induced or solicited any other Bidder to submit a sham bid, or any other person or entity to refrain from bidding, and that the Bidder has not in any manner sought by collusion to secure to himself any advantage over other Bidders.

BIDDER MUST COMPLETE AND SIGN BELOW:

(Signature of Corporate Officers or persons authorized to sign bids and contracts on behalf of the Contractor - refer to page 2 Instructions Concerning Signatures.)

EXECUTED AT: Levera VS OI	NTHE 16 DAY OF December, 20 13.
COMPANY NAME: United Rotary Brush (	Corporation Number)
STREET ADDRESS: 15607 W 100th Ten	Lenera STATE: ZIP: LOLOJA
PHONE: 0 400-851-5108	FAX: 913-541-8310
si My 2	CEO
Rodney CISCN (PRINT NAME)	CISON@united-Totary.com (EMAIL ADDRESS)
S/ Carol Weber	Secretary
Carol Weber (PRINT NAME)	Carolu Qunited-rotar, com (EMAIL ADDRESS)
NO OUT-OF-STATE BID WILL BE CONSIDERED UN	MPANIES LOCATED OUTSIDE THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA. LESS A NOTARIAL ACKNOWLEDGMENT IS ATTACHED. RED FOR CALIFORNIA BIDDERS.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF the City of Long Beach has caused this contract to be executed of the date stated below.	CHARLES PARKING 20 1.
THE CITY OF LONG BEACH BY  Director of Financial Management	Date: Deputy

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The City of Long Beach is committed to provide maximum opportunities for Disadvantaged, Minority, Women and Long Beach Business Enterprises (DBEs, MBEs, WBEs and Local) to compete successfully in supplying our needs for products and services.

The following information is submitted regarding the Bidder:
Legal Form of Bidder:  Corporation  State of  Partnership  State of  General Limited  Joint Venture  Individual DBA Limited Liability Company State of
Composition of Ownership (more than 51% of ownership of the organization):  OPTIONAL
Ethnic (Check one):  □ Black □ Asian □ Other Non-white □ Hispanic □ American Indian □ Caucasian  Non-ethnic Factors of Ownership (check all that apply): □ Male □ Yes - Physically Challenged □ Under 65 □ Female □ No – Physically Challenged □ Over 65  Is the firm certified as a Disadvantaged Business: □ Yes ※ No  Has firm previously been certified as a minority-owned and/or woman-owned business enterprise by any other agency?
Has firm previously been certified as a minority-owned and/or woman-owned business enterprise by any other agency?  ☐ Yes  ☑ You
Name of certifying agency:
INSTRUCTIONS CONCERNING SIGNATURES
Please use the proper notary form, which applies to your type of organization on all Bid documents, attachments and bonds requiring a signature by officers of your company.
NOTE: FAILURE TO COMPLY MAY RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION OF YOUR BID.
INDIVIDUAL (Doing Business As)
<ul> <li>a. The only acceptable signature is the owner of the company. (Only one signature is required.)</li> <li>b. The owner's signature must be notarized if the company is located outside of the state of California.</li> </ul>
PARTNERSHIP
<ul> <li>a. The only acceptable signature(s) is/are that of the general partner or partners.</li> <li>b. Signature(s) must be notarized if the partnership is located outside of the state of California.</li> </ul>
CORPORATION
<ul> <li>a. Two (2) officers of the corporation must sign.</li> <li>b. Each signature must be notarized if the corporation is located outside of the state of California.</li> </ul>
OR
a. The signature of one officer or the signature of person other than an officer is acceptable if the Bid is accompanied by a
certified corporate resolution granting authority to said person to execute <u>contracts</u> on behalf of the corporation.  b. Signature(s) must be notarized if the corporation is located outside of the state of California.
LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY
<ul> <li>a. The signature on the Bid must be a member or, if the Articles provide for a manager, must be the manager. (Only one signature is required.)</li> <li>b. Signature must be notarized if the company is located outside of the state of California.</li> </ul>

# THIS INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE IN AN ALTERNATIVE FORMAT BY CONTACTING 562-570-6020.

# BID NUMBER ITB FS 14-017 CALIFORNIA ALL-PURPOSE ACKNOWLEDGMENT

State	of <u>Kansas</u>				
Cour	nty of Johnson				
On	Dec 16, 2613 Before me,	Carol Weber Secretary Notary NAME, TITLE OF OFFICER - E.G. "JANE DOE, NOTARY PUBLIC"			
Pers	Personally appeared Rodney Clson Carol Weber NAME(S) OF SIGNER(S)				
personally known to me - OR - proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.					
Canada and the second	NOTARY PUBLIC - State of Kansas  CAROL R. WEBER  My Appt. Exp. 9/28/2014	NESS my hand and official seal.  SIGNATURE OF NOTARY			
-		OPTIONAL			
Though this for		le to persons relying on the document and could prevent fraudulent reattachment of			
	CAPACITY CLAIMED BY SIGNER	DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT			
	INDIVIDUAL CORPORATE OFFICER				
	TITLE(S) PARTNER(S)	TITLE OR TYPE OF DOCUMENT			
	ATTORNEY-IN-FACT TRUSTEE(S) GUARDIAN/CONSERVATOR OTHER:	NUMBER OF PAGES			
		DATE OF DOCUMENT			
	SIGNER IS REPRESENTING: NAME OF PERSON(S) OR ENTITY(IES):	OLONED ON OTHER THAN MAKER A DOME			
-		SIGNER(S) OTHER THAN NAMED ABOVE			

#### **INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS**

#### 1. PREPARATION OF BID:

The preparation of the Bid, including visits to the Site prior to submittal of the Bid, shall be at the expense of Bidder. All prices and notations must be typewritten or written in ink. Any markings in pencil shall not form part of the Bid and shall be disregarded by the City. Any changes or corrections in the Bid must be initialed in ink by the person signing the Bid. Bidder shall state brand name or make of each item bid. If not bidding on item as described, the manufacturer's name and catalog number of the substitute must be given. Bidder shall also attach specifications and furnish other data to establish the suitability of the substitute. Bidder shall quote separately on each item. Bidder shall quote his lowest price and best delivery date as no changes are permitted after the bid opening. Cash discounts offered for payment within fourteen (14) days or less will not be considered when evaluating bids. No telephonic, telegraphic or fax Bids are acceptable.

# NOTE: ALL PAGES OF THE INVITATION TO BID MUST BE RETURNED.

#### 2. EXAMINATION OF BID:

Bidder is responsible for examining the Invitation to Bid and submitting its Bid complete and in conformance with these instructions.

#### 3. CONDITIONS OF WORK:

Bidder shall carefully examine the Site to become fully informed regarding all existing and expected conditions and matters, which could affect performance, cost or time of the Work.

#### 4. DISCREPANCIES IN BID DOCUMENTS:

If Bidder finds discrepancies in or omissions from the Invitation to Bid, if the Intent of the Invitation is not clear, or if provisions of the Specifications restrict Bidder from bidding, he may request in writing that the deficiency(s) be modified. Such request must be received by the City Purchasing Agent at least five (5) working days before bid opening date. Bidders will be notified by Addendum of any approved changes in the Invitation to Bid.

#### 5. ORAL STATEMENTS:

The City of Long Beach shall not be bound by oral statements made by any employee or agent concerning this Invitation to Bid. If Bidder requires specific information, Bidder must request it in writing and obtain a reply in writing from the City.

#### 6. BRAND NAMES AND SPECIFICATIONS:

The detailed specifications and/or brand names stated are descriptive only and indicate quality, design and construction of items required. Offers will be considered to supply articles substantially the same as those described herein but with minor variations. Bidders must describe variations in the Bid. Substitute items must be equal in quality, utility and performance. The phrase "or approved equal" throughout the specifications means that the City in its sole and absolute discretion shall make the final determination whether or not the substitute items are equal.

#### 7. AWARD:

Bid shall be subject to acceptance by the City for a period of three (3) months unless a lesser period is prescribed in the quotation by Bidder. The City reserves the right to award all items to one Bidder, or to award separate items or groups of items to various Bidders, or to increase or decrease the quantities of any item. Bidder may submit alternate prices or name a lump sum or discount conditional on two or more items being awarded to him.

The City's purchases of goods and services are based on the City's actual needs and requirements. The City is obligated under this contract/purchase order to purchase and pay for only those goods and services that the City needs and requires, and that the City actually orders and receives. Any dollar amount identified as a "not to exceed:" amount in any City document is not a guaranteed payment amount to any contractor or service provider. Furthermore, the City may determine that its needs and requirements may be met by City labor or by a second contractor or service provider, even after an award is made to one contractor or service provider. An award is not a promise or guarantee of exclusivity.

Bidders are cautioned that comments and statements, whether oral or written, made by City employees regarding the validity of Bids, the waiver of deviations from Specifications, the possibility or probability of an award being made to a particular Bidder, and other similar matters are NOT binding on the City. Bidders should not order materials, obtain financing or take other actions based on such comments and statements. Only authorization of a Contract by the City Council or Issuance of a Purchase Order is conclusive and binding on the City with respect to this Bid and its However, prior to resulting Contract or Purchase Order. authorization by the City Council or issuance of the Purchase Order, Bidders may rely on: (1) approval of an "equal" or "substitute" item which will be issued in writing, and (2) written notice of intent to award by the City Council, which is often issued prior to the authorization by the City Council so that a Bidder can order materials that have a long lead time.

#### 8. PAYMENT:

Payment terms are NET/30 unless Bidder otherwise quotes. All Cash Discounts shall be taken and computed from the date of delivery or completion and acceptance of the material, or from date of receipt of invoice, whichever occurs last. Invoices must be submitted as specified at the time of shipping authorization. Partial payments may be made by the City on delivery & acceptance of goods and on receipt of Contractor's invoice.

In the event the Contract to be awarded hereunder, including specifications and other documents incorporated therein by reference, provides for the withholding of moneys by the City to ensure performance of such Contract, Contractor may deposit with the City, as a substitute for said withheld moneys, securities listed in Section 16430 of the California Government Code or bank or savings and loan certificates of deposit, or both, equivalent to the amount withheld, provided Contractor requests permission to make such substitution and bears all expenses in connection therewith.

#### 9. SAFETY APPROVAL:

Where required by City Regulations, any items delivered must carry Underwriters Laboratories Approval or City of Long Beach City Safety Officer approval. Failure to so comply will be cause to reject Bid. Also, any equipment must conform with the Safety Orders of the California Division of Industrial Safety and OSHA regulations.

#### 10. BUSINESS LICENSE:

The Long Beach Municipal Code (LBMC) requires all businesses operating in the City of Long Beach to pay a business license tax. In some cases the City may require a regulatory permit and/or evidence of a State or Federal license. Prior to issuing a business license, certain business types will require the business license application and/or business location to be reviewed by the Development Services, Fire, Health, and/or Police Departments. For more information, go to www.longbeach.gov/finance/business\_license.

#### **INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS**

#### 11. PUBLIC WORK AND PREVAILING WAGES:

The Contractor to whom the contract is awarded, along with its subcontractors, shall pay not less than the general prevailing rate of per diem, holiday and overtime wages established by the Department of Industrial Relations (DIR) of the State of California for the locality in which the public work is to be performed for each craft, classification or type of worker needed to execute the contract. Refer to the California DIR's website, <a href="http://www.dir.ca.gov/dlsr">http://www.dir.ca.gov/dlsr</a> for such prevailing wages and additional information.

The Director of Public Works of the City by and on behalf of the City Council has obtained from the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations of the State of California the general prevailing rate of per diem wages and the general prevailing rate of holiday and overtime work in the locality in which the public work is to be performed for each craft, classifications or type of workers needed to execute the Contract, and the same is on file with the City Engineer, 9<sup>th</sup> floor, City Hall, 333 W. Ocean Boulevard, Long Beach, California 90802. It shall be mandatory upon the Contractor to whom the Contract is awarded, and his Subcontractors to pay not less than the said prevailing rate of wages to all workers employed by Contractor or said Subcontractors in the execution of the Contract.

#### 12. RIGHT TO REJECT:

The City reserves the right to reject at any time any or all Bids, or parts thereof, and to waive any variances, technicalities and informalities which do not impair the quality, utility, durability or performance of the items.

#### 13. SAMPLES:

Samples of items when requested or required must be furnished to the City free of expense to the City and, if not destroyed by tests, will upon request be returned at Bidder's expense.

#### 14. PRICES:

Prices shall be in accordance with those extended to other governmental agencies. In case of error in extension of prices, unit price will govern. All prices must be firm for the Contract term unless the City specifically provides for adjustment.

## 15. CITY'S POLICY FOR MINORITY AND WOMEN-OWNED BUSINESSES:

The City of Long Beach is committed to providing maximum opportunities for Disadvantaged, Minority, Women and Long Beach Business Enterprises (DBEs, MBEs, WBEs and Local) to compete successfully in supplying our needs for products and services.

Please visit <a href="http://www.longbeach.gov/purchasing/diversity.asp">http://www.longbeach.gov/purchasing/diversity.asp</a> for more information on the City's Diversity Outreach Program.

#### **SUBCONTRACTORS**

To assist the City in maintaining records of its Minority and Women Outreach Program, Bidder is requested to provide the following information. Answers are optional, and failure to answer will not disqualify Bid. If additional space is required, Bidder shall attach a separate sheet.

The following Minority- or Woman-owned subcontractors are to be utilized to provide equipment, material, supplies and/or services for this Contract requirement:

Company Name:	NIA	
Address:		

Composition	of Owners	hip (more than 51%)			
Black	( )	American Indian	(	)	
Hispanic	( )	Other Non-white	(	)	
Asian	( )	Caucasian	(	)	

#### 16. BID SUBMITTAL AND WITHDRAWAL OF BIDS:

Each Bid must be delivered to the location and received on or before the due date and time stated herein. Bids will not be accepted after the date and time stated herein. Bids may be withdrawn without prejudice providing the written request is received by the City Clerk no later than the time set for opening Bids. Withdrawals will be returned to Bidder unopened.

SUBMIT TO:
CITY OF LONG BEACH
CITY CLERK
333 W OCEAN BLVD/PLAZA LEVEL
LONG BEACH CA 90802

BID DUE DATE:	December 17, 2013
	44.00

TIME: <u>11:00 a.m.</u>

IF BIDDER HAS ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS INVITATION TO BID PLEASE CONTACT THE FOLLOWING CITY PERSONNEL.

A. COMMERCIAL (TERMS AND CONDITIONS, ETC)

DARLENE BROWN	(562) 570-6164		
PURCHASING	TELEPHONE NUMBER		

#### 17. BID OPENING PROCEDURES:

All bids are publicly opened and read in the Purchasing offices at the date and time noted on the Invitation to Bid.

Bid results are posted on the City's online system as soon as they have been reviewed for responsiveness. Bids are awarded to the lowest responsible and responsive bidder meeting the City's specifications. Bid results will <u>not</u> be given out via telephone, City email,

or

facsimile.

CAUTION: Only the City Council has authority to make an award, and a contract is not in effect until the City Council makes an award and contract documents (including insurance and bonds) are signed, submitted and approved.

Bid protest procedures may be obtained from the Buyer. Protests must be submitted within five (5) business days after the date on which the bids were opened.

#### 18. INTER-AGENCY PARTICIPATION:

IF OTHER AGENCIES EXPRESS AN INTEREST IN PARTICIPATING IN THIS BID, WOULD YOU SUPPLY THE SAME ITEMS.

YES	NO	X

(If yes, any agency electing to participate in this Bid will order its own requirements without regard to the City of Long Beach. The City of Long Beach assumes no liability or payment guarantee on any units sold to participating agencies.)

#### **INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS**

#### 19. AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT:

Contractor shall have and be allocated the sole responsibility to comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 ("ADA") with respect to performance hereunder and contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold the City, its officials and employees harmless from and against any and all claims of failure to comply with or violation of the ADA as said claim relates to this Contract.

#### 20. EQUAL BENEFITS ORDINANCE:

Bidders/Proposers are advised that any contract awarded pursuant to this procurement process shall be subject to the applicable provisions of Long Beach Municipal Code section 2.73 et seq., the Equal Benefits Ordinance. Bidders/Proposers shall refer to Attachment/Appendix for further information regarding the requirements of the Ordinance.

All Bidders/Proposers shall complete and return, with their bid/proposal, the Equal Benefits Ordinance Compliance form contained in the Attachment/Appendix. Unless otherwise specified in this procurement package, Bidders/Proposers do not need to submit supporting documentation verifying with their bids/proposals. However, supporting documentation verifying that the benefits are provided equally shall be required if the Bidder/Proposer that is selected for award of a contract.

- 1. Acceptance of the offer contained in this Contract is expressly limited to the terms and conditions of such offer as herein stated.
- No charges for taxes, transportation, boxing, packaging, crating or returnable containers will be allowed and paid by the City unless separately stated hereon. All sales, use, excise or similar taxes to be paid by the City must be itemized separately hereon and on invoices. The City is exempt from payment of Federal Excise Tax under Certificate No. 95-73 0502K and none shall be charged to the City.
- 3. The City's obligation to pay the sum herein stated for any one fiscal year shall be contingent upon the City Council of the City appropriating the necessary funds for such payment by the City in each fiscal year during the term of this Contract. For the purposes of this section a fiscal year commences on October 1 of the year and continues through September 30 of the following year. In the event that the City Council of the City fails to appropriate the necessary funds for any fiscal year, then, and in that event, the Contract will terminate at no additional cost or obligation to the City.
- 4. Contractor shall deliver the materials, equipment, supplies or services, or cause the work to be performed, within the time and in the manner specified in the Contract. Times and dates stated herein are of the essence. If at any time Contractor has reason to believe that deliveries will not be made as scheduled, written notice setting forth the cause of the anticipated delay shall be given immediately to the City. Deliveries must be prepaid. C.O.D. shipments will not be accepted.
- 5. The City reserves the right at any time to make changes in drawings and specifications, in methods of shipment and packaging and in place of delivery as to any articles covered by this Contract. In such event there will be made an equitable adjustment in price and time of performance mutually satisfactory to Contractor and the City; but any claim by Contractor for such an adjustment must be made within thirty (30) days of such change.
- 6. Contractor warrants that the goods, machinery or equipment delivered or the work performed hereunder shall conform to the specifications, drawings, samples or other description specified by the City and shall be fit and sufficient for the purpose intended, merchantable, of good material and workmanship, in good working order and free from defect or faulty workmanship for a period of ninety (90) days. When defective goods, machinery, or equipment or faulty workmanship is discovered which requires repair or replacement pursuant to this warranty, Contractor shall provide all labor, materials, parts and equipment to correct such defect at no expense to the City.
- 7. Contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold the City, its officials and employees harmless from any and all loss, damage, liability, demands, claims, causes of action, costs and expenses (including reasonable attorney fees) for injuries to persons (including death) or damage or destruction of property connected with or arising from the negligent acts or omissions of Contractor, its officers, agents and employees in the performance of this Contract.
- 8. The City reserves the right to terminate this Contract at any time in whole or in part even though Contractor is not in default hereunder. In such event there will be made an equitable adjustment of the terms that is mutually satisfactory to the City and Contractor. Upon receipt of any notice of such termination, Contractor shall, unless such notice otherwise directs, immediately discontinue all work on the Contract and deliver, if and as directed, to the City all completed and partially completed articles, work in process and materials purchased or acquired for performance of the Contract. The provisions of this section shall not limit or affect the right of the City to terminate this Contract immediately upon written notice of breach.
- 9. The City reserves the right to cancel this Contract or any part thereof and reject delivery of goods if delivery is not undertaken and completed when specified and in accordance with specifications. Contractor shall be charged for any direct losses, but not any consequential damages, sustained by the City by reason of such delay or failure, excepting losses caused by a delay for reasons beyond Contractor's reasonable control. Direct losses shall include any costs to the city in excess of the Contract price of obtaining goods from other sources similar to those cancelled or rejected hereunder.
- 10. The City shall pay to Contractor the price(s) specified in the Contract on delivery of the materials, equipment, supplies or services and acceptance thereof by the City Manager or his designee, or upon completion of the work to be performed and accepted thereof, as specified in the Contract. Defective articles or articles not in accordance with the City's specifications shall be held for Contractor's instructions at Contractor's risk, and if Contractor so directs will be returned at Contractor's expense.
- 11. No return or exchange of material, equipment or supplies shall be permitted without written approval of the City Purchasing Agent.
- 12. All royalties for patents, or changes for the use of patents, which may be involved in any article to be furnished under this Contract shall be included in the Contract price.
- 13. In cases where a price subject to escalation has been agreed upon, the price escalation shall be shown as a separate item on the invoice. Unless an escalator clause has been shown as a specific part of this Contract Contractor shall not be entitled to reimbursement for costs incurred due to escalation.

- 14. All materials, supplies and equipment provided under this Contract shall be in full compliance with the Safety Orders and Regulations of the Division of Industrial Safety of the State of California, Title 8, California Code of Regulations (CAL/OSHA) and all applicable OSHA regulations as well as all other applicable California Code of Regulations. Contractor shall indemnify and hold the City, its officials, and employees harmless for, of and from any and all loss, including but not limited to fines, penalties and corrective measures, the City may sustain by reason of Contractor's failure to comply with said laws, rules and regulations in connection with the performance of this Contract.
- 15. Contractor shall keep confidential and not disclose to others or use in any way to the detriment of the City confidential business or technical information that the City may disclose in conjunction with this Contract or Contractor may learn as a result of performing this Contract.
- 16. This Contract shall not be assigned in whole or in part, nor any duties delegated without the City's prior written approval.
- 17. The remedies herein reserved shall be cumulative and additional to any other remedies at law or in equity. The waiver of any breach of this Contract shall not be held to be a waiver of any other or subsequent breach. The City's failure to object to provisions contained in any communication from Contractor shall not be deemed an acceptance of such provisions or a waiver of the provisions of this Contract.
- 18. This Contract shall not be amended or modified, except by written agreement signed by the parties and expressly referring to this Contract.
- 19. Contractor shall indemnify, hold harmless and defend the City, its officials and employees from any damage, claim, loss, cost, liability, cause of action or expense, including reasonable attorney's fees, whether or not reduced to judgment, arising from any infringement or claimed infringement of any patent, trademark or copyright, or misappropriation of confidential information or trade secrets of any third party and based on the manufacture, sale or use of goods, machinery or equipment supplied hereunder.
- 20. Contractor shall furnish further itemization and breakdown of the Contract price when requested by the City.
- 21. Contractor, in the performance of any work or the furnishing of any labor under this Contract, shall be considered as an independent contractor. Contractor, his agents and employees shall not be considered as employees of the City.
- 22. Contractor and subcontractor(s) shall not discriminate against any person in the performance of this Contract and shall comply with applicable federal, state and city equal employment opportunity laws, ordinances, rules and regulations. Contractor and subcontractor(s) shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment or against any subcontractor on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, AIDS, HIV status, age, disability, or handicap, subject to federal and state laws, rules and regulations.
- 23. Contractor shall comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws pertaining to the subject matter hereof.
- 24. Contractor shall submit samples of all documents that Contractor may require the City to execute to complete this transaction. By accepting these samples as part of the bid or by awarding the Contract to a Contractor who has submitted said samples, the City does not agree to the terms stated in said samples. This Invitation to Bid and Contractor's bid shall take priority over said samples and this Invitation and Contractor's bid shall become the Contract between the City and the Contractor.
- 25. All quantities stated herein are only ESTIMATES. The City reserves the right to increase or decrease these estimated quantities based on its actual needs and funds available.
- 26. The City reserves the right to exercise, at its option, an increase in expenditures by ten (10) percent annually, but the City does not guarantee such an increase.
- 27. Contractor shall cooperate with the City in all matters relating to taxation and the collection of taxes, particularly with respect to the self-accrual of use tax. Contractor shall cooperate as follows: (i) for all leases and purchases of materials, equipment, supplies or other tangible personal property totaling over \$100,000 shipped from outside California, a qualified Contractor shall complete and submit to the appropriate governmental entity the form in Appendix "A" attached hereto; and (ii) for construction contracts and subcontracts totaling \$5,000,000 or more, Contractor shall obtain a sub-permit from the California Board of Equalization for the Work site. "Qualified" means that the Contractor purchased at least \$500,000 in tangible personal property that was subject to sales or use tax in the previous calendar year.

In completing the form and obtaining the permit(s), Contractor shall use the address of the Work site as its business address and may use any address for its mailing address. Copies of the form and permit(s) shall also be delivered to the Purchasing Agent. The form must be submitted and the permit(s) obtained as soon as Contractor receives a notice of award. Contractor shall not order any materials or equipment over \$100,000 from vendors outside California until the form is submitted and the permit(s) obtained and, if Contractor does so, it shall be a material breach of the Agreement. In addition, Contractor shall make all purchases from its Long Beach sales office and the Long Beach sales office of its vendors if those vendors have a Long Beach office and all purchases made by Contractor under this Agreement which are subject to use tax of \$500,000 or more shall be allocated to the City of Long Beach. Contractor shall require the same form and permit(s) from its subcontractors.

Contractor shall not be entitled to and by signing this Contract waives any claim or damages for delay against City if Contractor does not timely submit these forms to the appropriate governmental entity. Contractor may contact Julissa Jose-Murray at 562-570-6869 for assistance with the form.

- 28. The California Integrated Waste Management Act (Public Resources Code, Sec. 40000 et seq.) requires governmental entities to achieve fifty (50) percent diversion of waste. In conjunction with the City's Integrated Resources Bureau, the City is currently developing an Environmentally Preferable Product (EPP) procurement plan. These guidelines enable the City Purchasing Agent to greatly expand procurement programs by moving beyond a singular consideration of "recycled-content". EPP procurement facilitates the purchase of products that qualify within a broad range of "environmentally preferable" criteria, such as: minimal packaging; energy savings; non-toxic; manufactured from sustainably-harvested materials. Contractor shall monitor products that fall within the EPP guidelines and document all criteria that qualifies the product as an EPP. Documentation from the manufacturer will be acceptable and may be required during the term of the Contract.
- 29. NOTICE TO BIDDERS REGARDING THE PUBLIC RECORDS ACT:

Responses to this Invitation to Bid become the exclusive property of the City of Long Beach. All Bids submitted in response to this Invitation to Bid are a matter of public record and shall be regarded as public records. Exceptions will be only those elements in each Bid that are defined by the Bidder as business or trade secrets and are marked as "Trade Secrets", "Confidential" or "Proprietary".

The City shall not be liable or responsible in any way for disclosure of any records not marked as "Trade Secrets", "Confidential" or "Proprietary". The City shall not be liable or responsible in any way for disclosure of any records so marked if disclosure is deemed to be required by law or by a court order.

- 30. THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL CONDITIONS APPLY ONLY IN CASES WHERE CONTRACTOR IS TO PERFORM WORK ON CITY PROPERTY:
  - A. If at any time during the progress of the Work, Contractor shall allow any indebtedness to accrue for labor, equipment or materials, or which may become a claim against the City, Contractor shall immediately upon request from the City pay such claim or indebtedness or cause such lien to be dissolved and discharged by giving a bond or otherwise and, in case of his failure so to do, the City may withhold any money due Contractor until such claim or indebtedness is paid or may apply such money toward the discharge thereof; or in such event the City may, at its option, declare this Contract to be terminated, take possession and control of the Work, and complete the same or cause the same to be completed according to the specifications. Contractor shall pay to the City the difference between the Contract price and the actual cost to the City in completing or causing the Work to be completed.
  - B. Contractor shall carry on the Work at its own risk until the same is fully completed and accepted and shall, in case of any accident, destruction or injury to the Work or materials before its final completion and acceptance, repair or replace the Work or materials so injured, damaged and destroyed, at his own expense and to the satisfaction of the City. When materials and equipment are furnished by others for installation or erection by Contractor, Contractor shall receive, unload, store and handle same at the Site and become responsible therefore as though such materials and equipment were being furnished by Contractor under the Contract.
  - C. Contractor shall procure and maintain at Contractor's expense for the duration of the Contract the following insurance against claims for injuries to persons or damage to property which may arise from or in connection with the performance of the Contract by Contractor, its agents, representatives, employees or subcontractors:
    - (1) Comprehensive General Liability: \$1,000,000 combined single limit for each occurrence or \$2,000,000 General Aggregate for bodily injury, personal injury and property damage, including products and completed operations coverage.
      - The City, its officials, employees and agents shall be named as additional insureds as respects: liability arising out of activities performed by or on behalf of Contractor; products and completed operations of Contractor; and premises owned, leased or used by Contractor.
    - (2) Automobile Liability: \$500,000 combined single limit per accident for bodily injury and property damage covering owned, non-owned and hired vehicles.
    - (3) Workers' Compensation as required by the California Labor Code and Employers Liability limits of \$1,000,000 per accident.

Any self-insurance program and self-insured retention must be separately approved in writing by the City.

Each insurance policy shall be endorsed to state that coverage shall not be cancelled by either party or reduced in coverage except after thirty (30) days prior written notice to the City.

Contractor shall maintain at its expense, until completion of performance and acceptance by City, from an insurer:

- a. Admitted (licensed) in the State of California with a current financial responsibility rating of A (Excellent) or better and a current financial size category (FSC) of V (capital surplus and conditional surplus funds of greater than \$10 million) or greater rating as reported by A.M. Best Company or equivalent, unless waived in writing by City's Risk Manager, or
- b. Non-admitted in the State of California with a current financial responsibility rating of A (Excellent) or better and a current financial size category (FSC) of VIII (capital surplus and conditional surplus funds of greater than \$100 million) or greater rating as reported by A.M. Best Company or equivalent, unless waived in writing by City's Risk Manager.

All coverages for Subcontractors shall be subject to the requirements stated herein and shall be maintained at no expense to the City.

Contractor shall furnish the City with certificates of insurance and original endorsements providing coverage as required above. The certificates and endorsements for each insurance policy are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf.

Before any of Contractor's or Subcontractor's employees shall do any Work on the City's property, Contractor shall furnish the City with the required certificates evidencing that such insurance is being maintained. Such certificates shall specify the date when such insurance expires. Such insurance shall be maintained until after the Work under the Contract has been completed and accepted.

Such insurance as required herein or in any other documents to be considered a part hereof shall not be deemed to limit Contractor's liability under this Contract.

#### D. INDEMNITY

- (1) Contractor shall indemnify, protect and hold harmless City, its Boards, Commissions, and their officials, employees and agents ("Indemnified Parties") from and against any and all liability, claims, demands, damage, loss, obligations, causes of action, proceedings, awards, fines, judgments, penalties, costs and expenses, including attorneys' fees, court costs, expert and witness fees, and other costs and fees of litigation, arising or alleged to have arisen, in whole or in part, out of or in connection with (a) Contractor's breach or failure to comply with any of its obligations contained in this contract, or (b) negligent or willful acts, errors, omissions or misrepresentations committed by Contractor, its officers, employees, agents, subcontractors, or anyone under Contractor's control, in the performance of work or services under this contract (collectively "Claims" or individually "Claim").
- (2) In addition to Contractor's duty to indemnify, Contractor shall have a separate and wholly independent duty to defend Indemnified Parties at Contractor's expense by legal counsel approved by City, from and against all Claims, and shall continue this defense until the Claims are resolved, whether by settlement, judgment or otherwise. No finding or judgment of negligence, fault, breach, or the like on the part of Contractor shall be required for the duty to defend to arise. City shall notify Contractor of any Claim, shall tender the defense of the Claim to Contractor, and shall assist Contractor, as may be reasonably requested, in the defense.
- (3) If a court competent jurisdiction determines that a Claim was caused by the sole negligence or willful misconduct of Indemnified Parties, Contractor's costs of defense and indemnity shall be (a) reimbursed in full if the court determines sole negligence by the Indemnified Parties, or (b) reduced by the percentage of willful misconduct attributed by the court to the Indemnified Parties.
- (4) The provisions of this Section shall survive the expiration or termination of this contract.
- E. Contractor shall list the name and location of the place of business of each Subcontractor who will perform work, labor or services for Contractor, or who specially fabricates and installs a portion of the Work or improvement in an amount in excess of one-half of one percent of Contractor's total contract cost. The Subcontractor list shall be submitted with Contractor's Bid.

#### PROJECT OVERVIEW

The City of Long Beach is requesting bids for the furnishing and delivering of street sweeper brooms.

#### **BID TIMELINE**

Bid release date:

November 27, 2013

"Approved Equals" Request due to City:

December 06, 2013 by 11:00 AM PST

Response from City to Bidder:

December 13, 2103 by 04:00 PM PST

Bid due date:

December 17, 2013 by 11:00 AM PST

#### **BID SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS**

It is recommended that bidders visit the City's website <a href="www.longbeach.gov/purchasing">www.longbeach.gov/purchasing</a> on a regular basis for any addenda to the bid.

Additional Document Submittals: Bidders that do not include the items listed below with their bids will be deemed non-responsive and their bids will be rejected.

Reference List
Local Preference
W-9 Form
Printout from Secretary of State website of business entity
Small Business Enterprise Form (SBE)

Bidders shall submit one (1) original of the bid marked "ORIGINAL" and one (1) copy marked "COPY". All of these items shall be included in a sealed envelope and addressed to:

City of Long Beach C/O City Clerk Attn: Darlene Brown 333 W. Ocean Blvd., Plaza Level Long Beach, CA 90802

Bids shall be clearly labeled in a sealed envelope or box as follows:

#### ITB FS 14-017 Street Sweeper Brooms

Bids must be received by 11:00 AM PDT, December 17, 2013. Bids that do not arrive by the specified date and time WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. Bidders may submit their bid any time prior to the above stated deadline.

#### **REFERENCES**

Bidder shall furnish a list of five (5) current customers, including company name, street address, telephone number and contact person, for whom Bidder has provided similar items and quantities. The City intends to contact these customers to determine product reliability, performance and other information. Failure to include customer's references will result in rejection of bids. See Reference Information form attachment.

#### **AWARD**

The City prefers to award to a single contractor but reserves the right to award contract to multiple vendors. The City reserves the right in its sole discretion to award all items to one bidder, or to award separate items or groups of items to various bidders, or to increase or decrease the quantities of any item. The City reserves the right to reject at any time any or all bids.

#### RIGHT TO REJECT BID

The City reserves the right, in its discretion, to reject any and all Bids and, to the extent not prohibited by law, to waive any minor irregularity or informality in any Bid that does not affect the validity of the Bid or does not give the bidder a competitive advantage over other bidders.

#### **BID PROTEST PROCEDURES**

#### Who May Protest

Only a bidder who has actually submitted a bid proposal is eligible to protest a bid. The City will not accept or entertain bid protests from manufacturers, vendors, suppliers, subcontractors or the like. A bidder may not rely on the bid protest submitted by another bidder, but must timely pursue its own protest.

#### **Time for Protest**

A bidder desiring to protest a bid shall file the protest within five (5) business days following the date on which bids were opened. The Business Relations Bureau Manager must receive the protest by the close of the business on the fifth  $(5^{th})$  business day following the bid opening.

#### Form of Protest

The protest must be in writing and signed by the individual who signed the bid or, if the bidder is a corporation, by an officer of the corporation, and addressed to the Business Relations Bureau Manager. A protest shall not be made by e-mail of fax and the City will not accept such. A protest must set forth a complete and detailed statement of the rounds for the protest and include all relevant information to support the grounds stated, must refer to the specific portion(s) of the contract documents upon which the protest is based, and shall include a valid e-mail address, street address, and phone number sufficient to ensure the City's response will be received.

Once the protest is received by the Business Relations Bureau Manager, the City will not accept additional information on the protest unless the City itself requests it. In that case, the additional information must be submitted within three (3) business days after the request is made and must be received by the Business Relations Bureau Manager by the close of the business on the third (3<sup>rd</sup>) business day.

The Business Relations Bureau Manager or designee will respond, by e-mail or regular mail to the addresses provided in the protest, with a decision regarding the protest within ten (10) business days following receipt of the protest or, if applicable, the receipt of requested additional information.

The decision of the Business Relations Manager shall be final and conclusive.

The procedure and time limits set forth herein are mandatory and are the bidder's sole and exclusive remedy in the event of bid protest. The bidder's failure to comply with these procedures shall constitute a waiver of any right to further pursue a bid protest, including filling a Government Code Claim or initiation of legal proceedings.

#### **CONTRACT PERIOD**

Contract period is twenty-four (24) months after date of award or after the expiration of the current contract, or whichever is the earlier, unless the City determines in its sole discretion, that a later commencement date is necessary; in which case, the City shall notify the Contractor of such date upon award of the proposed Contract. This Contract may be extended by mutual agreement of the parties for up to two additional one-year periods and not to exceed more than four (4) years in accordance with the terms and conditions stated herein.

No increases in price shall be made by the Contractor during the first one (1) year of the Contract, after which time, prices quoted may be subject to adjustments in accordance with corresponding changes in the manufacturer's published prices. Bidder guarantees that prices quoted herein shall not increase more than \_\_\_\_\_ \$\infty\$ (Bidder insert maximum percentage increase) during the remainder of the first two (2) years of the Contract. Maximum increase shown by bidder shall be a factor in analyzing the bids.

It is agreed that, if the City intends to renew this Contract, the City shall so notify the Contractor 90 days prior to the expiration date. The Contractor shall be required to submit any proposed price increases to the City Purchasing Agent for approval at least 60 days prior to expiration of the Contract. Said notice shall show the item number, price, Contract number, and purchase order number. The City reserves the right to accept or reject any price increase, and to cancel the renewal notice if price increases are not acceptable.

Price increase shall not exceed  $\[ \bigcirc \]$  % during first renewal period.

Price increase shall not exceed 10 % during second renewal period.

#### **BASIS OF AWARD**

Quantities shall not be considered in making this award. The award shall be based on the quantities of the product and unit prices given.

#### **DELIVERY SCHEDULE**

Deliveries shall be made weekly as scheduled with the City's end using department/bureau.

#### **EMERGENCY DELIVERIES**

Emergency main broom deliveries shall be made within forty-eight (48) hours after receipt of order via phone call, fax or e-mail.

#### SHIPPING INSTRUCTIONS

Prices quoted shall include all delivery, unloading and pick-up charges to specified locations within the City of Long Beach.

#### **PAYMENT REQUIREMENTS**

The Contractor shall submit upon delivery of each order a uniquely numbered invoice describing the brooms ordered and unit cost of each, an order reference number/name of City employee making the order and the clearly printed name of the City employee accepting the delivery.

THE CITY SHALL NOT PAY BASED ON THESE INVOICES, BUT INSTEAD SHALL PAY BASED ON A MONTHLY SUMMARY STATEMENT.

The Contractor shall submit by the seventh calendar day of each month a summary statement for orders delivered during the previous month, which is to be original on the Contractor's business stationery, describing the brooms ordered, unit cost and extended price. Along with the summary statement, the Contractor shall submit copies of invoices identified on the summary statement.

The City will inspect invoice statement costs, after which, if the City determines the statement costs are accurate, the City shall process the monthly summary statement for payment in due course of payments.

#### **CARE AND CUSTODY**

The Contractor shall be liable for all loss or damage to the equipment while in its possession or the possession of any of its agents. The Contractor shall reimburse the City for any loss or damage to said equipment in its or its agent's care or custody.

#### **QUALIFICATION**

The Contractor shall maintain a regularly established place of business complete with necessary shop equipment and tools, testing facilities, replacement parts and accessories, and experienced shop personnel. The approximate dollar value of inventory stocked at the location that will service the City is \$\loc\_1000.00(Bidder insert value). The Contractor may be required to demonstrate that the Contractor has successfully performed as a vendor of these items in the last 12 months.

#### **MISCELLANIOUS**

Miscellaneous items not listed herein may be purchased by the City from the Contractor provided that no purchase exceeds \$1,500.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS**

The Contractor shall conduct all aspects of its operation, including the manufacture, storage, transportation and delivery of bid items, components of bid items, raw materials used to manufacture bid items and related supplies, in compliance with all state ad federal laws and regulations.

The Contractor shall maintain in good standing all applicable licenses and permits related to the manufacture, delivery and pickup of bid items and related supplies.

The Contractor shall immediately inform the City of any investigations, citations or legal action by any state or federal agency related to the Contractor's obligations under the two immediately preceding paragraphs, and shall defend, indemnify and hold the City, its officials and employees harmless from any loss, including but not limited to fines, penalties and corrective measures, the City may sustain by reason of the Contractor's failure to comply with any state or federal law or regulation.

The City of Long Beach makes every effort to reduce the environmental impact of purchases made by the City. Please respond to the following questions:

1.	If awarded the sweeper broom contract. Would you pick up the used broom brushes and plates from the City?  Yes No
2.	If you answered yes to Question 1, Would you pick up at no additional expense to the City?  Yes NoX

3.	Does your company strip down and reuse broom plates that are not damaged?  Yes No
4.	If you answered yes to Question 3, Would you provide rebuilt brooms at same expense as machine assembled? Yes_X No
5.	Does your company dismantle the broom plate plastic backs from the steel brushes and recycle these products? Yes <u>X</u> No
6.	Are your steel broom brushes treated with any petroleum residues or oils that may transfer onto City streets?  Yes No
	e there any environmental procedures or information you would like to offer regarding your mpany's efforts to reduce or eliminate waste streams?

#### **BLANKET PURCHASE ORDER (BPO)/AUTHORIZED PERSONNEL:**

A Blanket Purchase Order (BPO) will be sent to the Contractor by the City Purchasing Agent. City personnel authorized to make releases against the BPO will be indicated on the BPO. Shipment shall be made against the BPO release number. Releases shall be allowed only if the appropriate BPO number is indicated on the BPO release (Purchase Order) issued by the using Department. The Contractor must reference the BPO release number on all invoices. The BPO number is not required on the invoice. The City reserves the right to split award if in the City's best interest.

#### **BRAND NAMES**

Whenever in the specifications any material or process is indicated or specified by patent or proprietary name and/or by name of manufacturer, such specifications shall be used for the purpose of facilitating descriptions of the material and/or process desired and shall be deemed to be followed by the words "or approved equal".

The contractor may offer any material or process which shall be equal in every respect to that so indicated or specified, provided however, that if the material, process or article offered by the contractor is not, in the opinion of the City of Long Beach, equal in every respect to that specified, then the contractor must furnish the material, process or article specified or one that in the opinion of the City of Long Beach is the equal thereof in every respect.

If bidder desires to bid an "approved equal" item, the bidder shall submit a request to do so to the City in writing no later than seven (7) working days before bid opening. The request shall include all data necessary to substantiate that the item is equal. The City will notify the bidder, in writing, of approval or disapproval of the equivalent item no later than three (3) working days before bid opening.

#### "APPROVED EQUALS"

"Approved Equal" means material or equipment which is "equal" in form, function, performance, reliability, quality, and features as the brand name or product from a particular supplier. The City of Long Beach shall make the determination in advance, in its sole opinion and discretion, whether or not material or equipment offered as an equal is approved. The determination by the City of Long Beach shall be final.

If bidder desires to bid an "Approved Equal" item, the bidder shall submit a request to do so to the City in writing no later than seven (7) working days before bid opening. The request shall include all data necessary to substantiate that the item is equal. The City will notify the bidder, in writing, of approval or disapproval of the equivalent item no later than three (3) working days before bid opening.

#### PLASTIC QUICK CHANGE BASE GUTTER BROOMS

In order to bid, it is mandatory for each bidder to supply one sample gutter broom consisting of a four-piece segment(s) equivalent to model #400 Elgin Pelican gutter broom complete with brushes. All samples must be tagged with bidder's company name and phone number. Segments must clamp into existing manufacturers drilled holes or contractor will drill necessary holes at no expense to the City. Some samples may be worn or destroyed from testing. Prospective bidders will be responsible for delivery and pick up of samples. Gutter broom change time is an important factor in bid award since overall labor costs will be reduced by change time. Samples will be evaluated by Department of Financial Management, Fleet Services Division to determine durability and speed of segment changing. Test results will be routed to Purchasing Division to incorporate into overall bid analysis. Samples must be delivered to City of Long Beach Fleet Services Division, 2600 Temple Ave. Long Beach, CA 90806 by December 10, 2013. Bidders may pick up samples after December 13, 2013.



#### ELGIN STYLE QUICK CHANGE POLYPROPYLENE GUTTER BROOMS

Upon award, the Contractor shall supply a four-piece quick change polypropylene gutter broom (four segments per set) as per winning award specifications. Contractor shall also initially supply quick change gutter broom plates or speed plates and clamps for 20 Elgin street sweepers, to be provided to the City at no additional expense. Existing gutter broom plates currently on the sweepers can be exchanged two plates at a time if vendor can modify to bid award design. Contractor must have the City supplied with complete change over plates within 2 weeks of bid award.

#### **ELGIN STYLE FILLED SEGMENTS**

Each gutter broom segment shall be or like quality to an Elgin Part # 7873221, which will be used as a baseline of comparison for brush and backing.

#### **GUTTER BROOM SEGMENT GUARANTEE**

Segments shall be guaranteed against all breakage during normal operating conditions. Any segments broken during normal operating procedures shall be replaced free of charge by the Contractor.

#### MAIN BROOMS

Polypropylene Plastic Broom Fiber, Heavy Duty

Color: Natural (colors not acceptable)

Length: 26 inches

Size: .075" plus or minus .002" in diameter or oval

Shape of .075" x .105"

Extrusion Style: Crimped or wavy

Specific Gravity: .90

Water Absorption: 3% or less

Melt point: 330 to 340 degrees Fahrenheit

Cold Weather Break Resistance: 70 degrees Fahrenheit

Tensile Strength: 32,000 PSI or higher Elongation Factor: 23.1% or better Curvature: Maximum in 26" length – 2% Bend Recovery: at 15 sec. – 27 degrees at 30 sec. – 23 degrees

at 30 sec. – 23 degrees at 60 sec. – 19 degrees

Brooms shall be resistant to mildew, oils, greases, acids and other common chemicals. Filaments shall be free from voids, bubbles, cracks, dead spots or crimp distortion.

Center section of each stand shall be formed to allow filaments to bend easily, accurately and uniformly under the core cable to assure denser fabrication, more secure anchoring, more even packing and to prevent slippage during sweeping. Performance characteristics, which prevent bunching and slipping on broom cores when winding brooms will be a factor in product acceptability.

The City's main broom cores shall be utilized until they are not re-buildable and the Contractor shall then supply cores. At the expiration of the Contract, all of the main broom cores will be returned to the Contractor.

Main brooms shall be manufactured consistently uniform and free of voids and frayed ends using a minimum of 160 lbs. of polypropylene plastic broom fiber for Elgin brooms. Brooms with any discrepancies will not be accepted.

Main broom and plate, if part of broom, shall be a minimum of 17 inches OD.

#### **BID SECTION**

WE ARE PLEASED TO SUBMIT THIS BID IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CITY OF LONG BEACH INVITATION TO BID, SPECIFICATIONS AND TERMS AND CONDITIONS TO FURNISH AND DELIVER THE FOLLOWING EQUIPMENT, MATERIAL, SUPPLIES OR SERVICES FOB DESTINATION CITY OF LONG BEACH.

#### **SALES TAX**

UNIT EXTENSION PRICES STATED HEREIN SHALL NOT INCLUDE SALES TAX.

#### **SUMMARY OF BID ITEMS**

	<u>UNIT</u> PRICE	EXTENTION PRICE
RECONDITIONED		
MAIN BROOM – metal core		
POLY WRAP KIT	\$170.00	\$ 170.00
POLY WRAP RECONDITIONING	\$ 115,00	\$ 115.00
NEW		
GUTTER BROOM		
Elgin #7873221 steel brush equivalent	\$ 69.90	\$ 69.90
Elgin #0710020 poly brush equivalent	\$ 54.90	\$ 54.90
STREET SWEEPERS MODELS IN CITY'S FLEET		
20 Elgin Pelican Sweepers LNG	\$ N/A	\$_N/A
Miscellaneous smaller Tennant and Tymco sweepers	\$ W/A	\$ N/A

# REFERENCES [REMOVED]

#### ATTENTION LONG BEACH BUSINESS OWNERS:

In order to help support the success of businesses in Long Beach such as yours along with local jobs, the City of Long Beach has implemented a local preference provision in this Invitation to Bid.

In bids for materials, equipment, supplies and nonprofessional services not exceeding \$100,000, Long Beach-based businesses meeting the criteria set forth below may have their bid price reduced by ten percent solely for the purpose of determining the lowest responsible bid (if selected as the winning bid, you would be paid based upon your actual bid price, not the reduced price).

The City Purchasing Agent has determined that the local preference is applicable to this Invitation to Bid. (The local preference does not apply to bids for all purchases funded in full or a fraction thereof by any tidelands fund, by any grant funds, nor by any funds received from the State of California. This section shall not apply to purchases made pursuant to Section 1801 and 1807 of the City Charter and to bids for public works, as that term is defined in Section 1720(a) of the California Labor Code.)

If your business qualifies for the local preference, please certify your eligibility by signing on the space provided below and attaching copies of the following documents to your bid package:

- 1. A current, valid business license from the City of Long Beach showing a place of business within the city limits; and
- 2. A current, valid seller's permit (also known as a sales tax permit) showing a place of business within the city limits.

#### **CERTIFICATION**

I certify that I posses a current valid City of Long Beach business license and a current valid seller's permit, both showing a place of businesses in the City of Long Beach, and that I am eligible for the City of Long Beach local preference.

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Signature	,
Printed Name	Date
Title	

### Form (Rev. October 2007

#### Request for Taxpayer **Identification Number and Certification**

Give form to the requester. Do not

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-	Name (as shown on your income tax return)				
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Business name, if different from above					
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Par	Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)	•	•		
Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on Line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident allen, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see How to get a TIN on page 3.					
	. If the account is in more than one name, see the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose per to enter.	Employer iden	tification number		
Par	t II Certification	•	•		
Under	r penalties of perjury, I certify that:		,		
1. Th	he number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting	for a number to be issue	ed to me), and		
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding, and					
3. la	am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below).	•			
withho	fication instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IR olding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For report gate interest paid, acquisition of abandonment of secured property, cancellation of deb	eal estate transactions, it	em 2 does not apply.		

arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the Certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 4.

Here

Signature of U.S. person ▶

Date > 12-16-1

#### General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

#### Purpose of Form

A person who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) to report, for example, income paid to you, real estate transactions, mortgage interest you paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, or contributions you made to an IRA

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident allen), to provide your correct TIN to the person requesting it (the requester) and, when applicable, to:

- 1. Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),
  - 2. Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
- 3. Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income.

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

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

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

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

The person who gives Form W-9 to the partnership for purposes of establishing its U.S. status and avoiding withholding on its allocable share of net income from the partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States is in the

. The U.S. owner of a disregarded entity and not the entity,

## **SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROGRAM**

There will be a combined SBE/VSBE/LSBE goal of 0% on this contract.

# SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISES (SBE)/VERY SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISES (VSBE), LOCAL SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISES (LSBE)

#### PROGRAM PROCEDURES AND GOALS

The City has established a Small Business Enterprises (SBE), Very Small Business Enterprises (VSBE), Local Small Business Enterprise (LSBE) Program to encourage small business participation on City-wide contracts and procurements. The goal of the Program is to award a portion of the City's annual contracting and procurement dollars to SBEs and VSBEs. The City meets this goal by establishing SBE/VSBE/LSBE subcontracting goals on applicable contracts, and by encouraging SBEs, VSBEs, LSBEs to bid and submit guotes as primes. SBE participation instructions can be downloaded on our website at www.longbeach.gov/purchasing/sbe.asp.

The City's online bidding database, facilitates the City's effort to meet the annual SBE/VSBE/LSBE goal. All bidders/vendors (large and small) are strongly encouraged to register in the City's online bidder's database. Small businesses must apply for SBE certification via the database in order to receive SBE, VSBE or LSBE status for this or any future procurement. To register, log on to www.longbeach.gov/purchasing and click on "Bidder Registration." To apply for SBE certification, answer "Yes" to the following question on the online vendor registration site: "Would you like to be SBE certified by the City of Long Beach as a Small Business Enterprise?"

SBE eligibility is determined utilizing federal U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) size standards based on North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS) codes. VSBE eligibility is determined utilizing criteria consistent with the State of California's Department of General Services' "micro-business" designation: contractors, consultants, and vendors with gross annual receipts, averaged over the past three tax years, of \$3.50 million or less, or small business manufacturers with 25 or fewer employees. LSBE eligibility is determined by having a current, valid business license from the City and a seller's permit showing a place of business within City limits and meet the SBE requirements.

Registration and certification are free to all businesses. As a registrant, you will receive e-notifications of contracting and procurement opportunities that match the product and service codes you selected at the time of registration. As a certified SBE, you will also be included in the online SBE/VSBE/LSBE directory.

To learn more about the City's SBE Program, please visit http://www.longbeach.gov/purchasing/sbe.asp.



# COLB FORM SBE-2PD: SBE/VSBE/LSBE COMMITMENT PLAN FOR PRODUCTS/SUPPLIES CONTRACTS

#### **SECTION 1**

Project Name:		Date:	
VENDOR:		Prime Contract \$ Amount:	
Estimated \$ Value of	Vendor's Participation:	Estimated % of Vendor's Participation:	
Estimated \$ Value of	SBE Participation:	Estimated SBE % of Vendor's Contract \$ Amount:	
Estimated \$ Value of VSBE Participation:		Estimated VSBE % of Prime Contract \$ Amount:	
Estimated \$ Value of LSBE Participation:		Estimated LSBE % of Prime Contract \$ Amount:	

#### SECTION 2 (please refer to instructions on page 2)

Business Name, City, State, Contact Person, Phone #	Indicate "SBE", "VSBE" or LSBE	Indicate if 1 <sup>st</sup> Tier Sub, Lower Tier Sub, Vendor or Supplier	Contract With	Brief Description of Work	\$ Value of Subcontract, Materials or Services	% of Total <u>Prime</u> Contract Value
Ex #1: ABC Land Surveyors Long Beach, CA Mr. Joe Smith, (562) 555-1212	LSBE	1st tier sub	XYZ Prime Consultant	Land surveying	\$100,000	20%
Ex #2: Tom's Survey Supplies Long Beach, CA Mr. Tom Jones, (562) 555-1313	VSBE	Supplier	ABC Land Surveyors	Surveying supplies	\$5,000	1%
Ex #3: Banana Blueprints Irvine, CA Mrs. Diane Tomas, (562) 555-1313	SBE	Supplier	XYZ Prime Consultant	Blueprint Supplies	\$10,000	2%

NIA		
Completed by: Prime Consultant Contact (please print or type)	Phone #	
Signature	 Date	Email

# INSTRUCTIONS FOR COLB FORM SBE-2PD: SBE/VSBE/LSBE COMMITMENT PLAN FOR PRODUCTS/SUPPLIES CONTRACTS

#### SECTIONS 1 AND 2 ARE TO BE COMPLETED BY THE PRIME CONTRACTOR.

#### **INSTRUCTIONS FOR SECTION 2:**

- 1. List all SBE/VSBE/LSBE, vendors, suppliers, and other businesses that will render materials or services under this contract amendment. Only list SBEs/VSBEs/LSBEs.
- 2. If the prime vendor is an SBE/VSBE/LSBE, list the prime vendor first.
- 3. For a firm to be counted toward meeting the SBE/VSBE/LSBE goals, the firm must be SBE certified on the City's online vendor database (*BidsOnLine*) accessible from the SBE/VSBE/LSBE Program page of the City's website (www.longbeach.gov/purchasing/sbe.asp).
- 4. The City does NOT issue VSBE certifications; VSBE eligibility will be reviewed and determined upon submittal of the Commitment Plan.
- 5. The vendor must verify the current eligibility status of each SBE/VSBE/LSBE, prior to listing the firm(s) on the Commitment Plan, by:
  - a. locating the SBE/VSBE/LSBE on the City's website at (www.longbeach.gov/purchasing/sbe.asp).
  - b. contacting the City's SBE Program staff to verify SBE/VSBE/LSBE status.
- 6. Lower tier SBE/VSBE/LSBE subcontractors and SBE/VSBE/LSBE vendors/suppliers rendering materials or services to lower tier subcontractors must also be listed to receive participation credit. See examples listed in the table in Section 2.
- 7. The City reserves the right to request proof of payment from the prime contractor/subcontractor to the lower tier sub/vendor/supplier prior to contract close-out.
- 8. All SBEs/VSBEs/LSBEs, regardless of tier, MUST be SBE certified for the materials/services that they will be rendering for the contract.
- 9. All SBEs/VSBEs/LSBEs, regardless of tier, MUST provide materials/services directly applicable to the contract.
- 10. When listing the total dollar value of each SBE/VSBE/LSBE subcontract, materials or services provided, the prime contractor shall subtract payments made for any indirect or non-applicable materials/ services.
- 11. Use multiple copies of this form if necessary.

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**Entity Name:** 

UNITED ROTARY BRUSH CORPORATION

**Entity Number:** 

C3562362

Date Filed:

04/24/2013

Status:

**ACTIVE** 

Jurisdiction: **Entity Address:**  CALIFORNIA

Entity City, State, Zip:

LENEXA KS 66219

Agent for Service of Process: C T CORPORATION SYSTEM

15607 W 100TH TERRACE

Agent Address:

818 W SEVENTH ST

Agent City, State, Zip:

LOS ANGELES CA 90017

- \* Indicates the information is not contained in the California Secretary of State's database.
  - If the status of the corporation is "Surrender," the agent for service of process is automatically revoked. Please refer to California Corporations Code section 2114 for information relating to service upon corporations that have surrendered.
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