#### CONSULTANT REGISTRATION FORM

If you plan on submitting a Proposal for this project, please complete this registration form and e-mail it to *Greg Antoine*, *Sr. Contracts Administrator at* <u>*Gregory.Antoine@seattlehousing.org*</u> so that you can be contacted directly if necessary.

### **REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS**

#### (SOLICITATION NO. 4982)

for

### **NewHolly Youth Education and Enrichment**

Name of Firm:	 	 
Business Address:	 	 
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- Vendor Fact Sheet
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- For-Profit Subgrantee and Contractor Certifications and Assurances Form
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RFP Issued On:	Proposal Due:
Friday, June 23, 2017	1:00 PM PT Thursday, July 20, 2017

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#### A. INTRODUCTION

- 1) General: SHA is seeking to contract with a Service Provider who can offer academic and enrichment programming for SHA youth living in and near the community of NewHolly. Programming should target school age youth (elementary, middle and high school students) of varied backgrounds and should offer diverse programming tailored to each age group and the cultural/ethnic/racial makeup of the NewHolly community. The estimated range of funding for services for the contract to result from this Request for Proposals (RFP) is between \$90,000 and \$96,046 annually. We anticipate the programming will start in summer or early fall 2017; the available funding for this year (2017) is \$45,000 to \$49,100. SHA may extend the contract for up to four additional one-year periods depending on program performance and available funding. Additional communities may be added in the future based on funding and organizational capacity. SHA may be willing to split funding between multiple agencies depending on the applications received. An example of how funding could be split would be to fund elementary programming at approximately 40%, middle school programming at 30%, and high school programming at 30% of the total funding available. Although SHA would prefer to contract with a single Service Provider for this contract, we will review proposals that seek to only support one or two of the three age groups described.
- 2) <u>Seattle Housing Authority Background:</u> SHA is a public body corporate and politic that provides affordable housing to about 34,000 low-income people in Seattle. SHA operates according to the following Mission and Values:

#### **Our Mission**

Our mission is to enhance the Seattle community by creating and sustaining decent, safe and affordable living environments that foster stability and increase self-sufficiency for people with low-income.

#### **Our Values**

As stewards of the public trust, we pursue our mission and responsibilities in a spirit of service, teamwork, and respect. We embrace the values of excellence, collaboration, innovation, and appreciation.

SHA owns and operates approximately 6,153 conventional public housing units subsidized by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), including over 1,029 units for seniors and people with disabilities as part of the Seattle Senior Housing Program, and about 1,850 low- and mixed-income units developed and acquired primarily through the use of debt financing. SHA also administers about 10,147 Housing Choice Vouchers and 759 Moderate Rehab units.

Approximately 9,286 SHA residents are children and approximately 8,415 SHA residents are elderly or disabled.

SHA owns and operates housing in neighborhoods throughout Seattle. These include the four large family communities of NewHolly and Rainier Vista in Southeast Seattle, High Point in West Seattle, and Yesler Terrace in Central Seattle.

SHA was established by the City of Seattle under State of Washington enabling legislation in 1939. SHA is governed by a seven-member Board of Commissioners appointed by the Mayor of Seattle and confirmed by the Seattle City Council. The Executive Director is appointed by, and reports to, the Board and is responsible for staff hiring and direction.

SHA has approximately 530 employees and a total budget of \$223 million for Calendar Year 2016. In addition to the housing SHA owns, it serves as General and Managing Partner for several Low Income Housing Tax Credit limited partnerships.

- 3) <u>Women and Minority Business Enterprise (WMBE) Inclusion</u>: SHA requires proposers to make good-faith efforts to meet SHA's 14% aspirational WMBE goal and provide meaningful opportunities to WMBE firms to participate in the direct performance of commercially useful work as part of the proposed Project Team.
- 4) <u>Cooperative Purchasing</u>: RCW 39.34 allows cooperative purchasing between public agencies (political subdivisions) in the State of Washington. Public agencies that file an Interlocal Joint Purchasing Agreement with SHA may also wish to procure the services herein offered by the successful party. The successful party shall have the option of extending its offer to SHA to other agencies for the same cost, terms and conditions.

SHA does not accept any responsibility for agreements, contracts or purchase orders issued by other public agencies to the successful party. Each public agency accepts responsibility for compliance with any additional or varying laws and regulations governing purchase by or on behalf of the public agency. SHA accepts no responsibility for the performance of the successful party in providing services to other public agencies, nor any responsibility for the payment price to the successful party for other public-agency purchases.

### **B. SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS**

### Schedule:

Activity	Location	Day	Date	Time
Pre-Submittal Meeting	Seattle Housing Authority 190 Queen Anne Ave N Seattle WA 98109	Thursday	ay July 6, 2:00 PM 2017 3:30 PM	
Deadline for Questions	By email	Monday	July 10, 2017	4:00 PM PT
SUBMITTA	L DEADLINE AND DELIV	<b>ERY INFOR</b>	MATION	
Mail To: Seattle Housing Authority Attn: Greg Antoine P.O. Box 19028 Seattle, WA 98109-1028	OR Hand Deliver To: Seattle Housing Authority Attn: Greg Antoine 190 Queen Anne Ave N Seattle, WA 98109	Thursday	July 20, 2017	1:00 PM PT
Interviews	Phone or in-person	Monday Tuesday Thursday	July 31, August 1 August 3 2017	, 1:00pm-

<u>Questions:</u> Questions must be in writing and sent prior to the Deadline for Questions date and time shown above. Submit your questions to Greg Antoine at Gregory.Antoine@seattlehousing.org.

<u>Addenda:</u> In the event there are changes or clarifications to this RFP, SHA will issue an addendum. Addenda will be published on SHA's website at:

<u>http://www.seattlehousing.org/business/consulting/requests/</u>. It is the responsibility of proposers to check this website before submitting and downloading any addenda issued. If you are unable to download the addenda, you may call the Sr. Contract Administrator, Greg Antoine at (206) 615-3394 to have a copy of the addenda mailed or e-mailed to you.

<u>**Pre-Submittal Meeting:**</u> Proposers are strongly encouraged to attend a Pre-Submittal Meeting at the date and time indicated above.

**Submittal:** The deadlines given above are firm as to place, date, and time. SHA will not consider any proposal received after the deadline and will return all such proposals unopened.

All proposals should be clearly marked when delivered or mailed to avoid any confusion about recording arrival dates and times. Proposers should take this practice into account and submit their materials early to avoid any risk of ineligibility caused by unanticipated delays or other delivery problems. *NOTE: A faxed or e-mailed proposal is not acceptable.* 

Upon receipt of each proposal, SHA's Purchasing Division will date-stamp it to show the exact time and date of receipt. Upon request, Purchasing will provide the Proposer with an acknowledgment of receipt. All proposals received will become the property of the Seattle Housing Authority and will not be returned to the Proposer. **Interviews:** Service Providers submitting proposals should identify individuals who will be available on all of the days and times listed for phone and/or in-person interviews or follow up questions regarding this project. Interviews may include up to three (3) representatives from the organization. SHA's Sr. Contract Administrator will contract the Service Provider if we require an interview. Interviews will be scheduled very close to the interview date and time of the interview. Organizations will not necessarily have their first choice of days/times for interviews. Please ensure representatives are available for all times listed.

**Proposals** should be limited to a maximum of 14 pages single sided, or 7 pages double sided in no smaller than 11 point font on 8½" by 11" sheets. The following are NOT INCLUDED in the page limit mentioned above: your cover letter, resumes, budget, Vendor Fact Sheet, Section 3, Business Certification and Resident Employment Plan Form, Suspension and Debarment Certificate for Consultant and Sub-Consultants, Certifications and Representations of Offerors (form HUD-5369-C), For-Profit Subgrantee and Contractor Certifications and Assurances Form and For Non-Profit Subgrantee Certifications and Assurances Form. Your **cover letter** should express your interest in performing the work. A principal or officer of the firm authorized to execute contracts or other similar documents on the firm's behalf must sign the letter.

- <u>Required number of copies:</u> Proposers responding to this RFP shall submit one original and 8 copies of their proposal to the address indicated above. <u>The following items/forms are to be submitted with the one original</u> proposal only. Do not include these items/forms with the proposal copies:
  - Vendor Fact Sheet
  - Section 3, Business Certification and Resident Employment Plan Form
  - Suspension and Debarment Compliance Certificate for Consultant
  - Suspension and Debarment Compliance Certificate for Sub-Consultants
  - Certifications and Representations of Offerors (form HUD-5369-C)
  - One of the following:
    - For-Profit Subgrantee and Contractor Certifications and Assurances Form
    - For Non-Profit Subgrantee Certifications and Assurances Form

### 2) <u>Proprietary Proposal Material:</u>

Any records or materials submitted to SHA in response to this RFP become public records under Washington State law (see RCW Chapter 42.56, the Public Disclosure Act, at <u>http://www1.leg.wa.gov/LawsAndAgencyRules</u>). Public records must be promptly disclosed upon request unless a statute exempts disclosure. Exemptions from disclosure include trade secrets and valuable formulas (see RCW 42.56 and RCW Ch. 19.108); however, public disclosure exemptions are narrow and specific. Proposers are expected to be familiar with any potentially-applicable exemptions, and the limits of those exemptions.

Proposers are obligated to separately bind and clearly mark as "proprietary" information any proposal records they believe are exempted from disclosure. The body of the proposal may refer to these separately-bound records. Proposers should mark as "proprietary" only that information they believe

legitimately fits within a public-disclosure exemption. SHA may reject solicitation responses that are marked proprietary in their entirety.

If SHA receives a public disclosure request for records that a Proposer has marked as "proprietary information," SHA may notify the Proposer of this request and postpone disclosure briefly to allow the Proposer to file a lawsuit under RCW 42.17.330 to enjoin disclosure; however, this is a courtesy of SHA and not an obligation.

SHA has no obligation to assert an exemption from disclosure. If the Proposer believes that its records are exempt from disclosure, the Proposer is obligated to seek an injunction under RCW 42.56. By submitting a proposal, the Proposer acknowledges this obligation; the Proposer also acknowledges that SHA will have no obligation or liability to the Proposer if the records are disclosed.

- 3) <u>Cost of Preparing Proposals</u>: SHA will not be liable for any costs incurred by the Proposer in the preparation and presentation of proposals submitted in response to this RFP including, but not limited to, costs incurred in connection with the Proposer's participation in demonstrations and the pre-proposal conference.
- 4) <u>Rights Reserved by SHA:</u> SHA reserves the right to waive as an informality any irregularities in submittals and/or to reject any or all proposals. SHA requests that companies refrain from requesting public disclosure of selection information until a contract has been executed as a measure to best protect the solicitation process, particularly in the event of a cancellation or re-solicitation. With this preference stated, SHA shall continue to properly fulfill all public disclosure requests for such information as required by State Law.

### C. SCOPE OF WORK

The purpose of Youth Education and Enrichment programming, which the Service Provider(s) shall be expected to fulfill, is to provide on-going academic activities that support student success. Programming should include time for youth to work on their homework with support, tutoring, engaging academic enrichment, and college and career readiness opportunities for at least 80-100 multi-ethnic elementary (approximately 35-50), middle (approximately 20-35) and high-school (approximately 25-35) youth living in or near the NewHolly community. It is expected that the program will include regularly scheduled, on-going programming and activities throughout the year, including summer and school year programming. There may also be shorter, one day, or multi-day workshops or events. Successful Service Providers will have the ability to recruit SHA youth to fulfill their contract commitments. It is anticipated that strong proposals may include multiple organizations partnering to provide services with each bringing their particular expertise. SHA encourages new and varied agencies and organizations to submit proposals. Although SHA would prefer to contract with a single Service Provider (and their partners) for this project, we will review proposals that seek to only support one or two of the three age groups described.

Successful Service Providers will need to support SHA's strategic goals around youth and SHA's Education Initiative. This will include collaborative meetings with SHA and

other service partners, adapting outcomes and services to meet SHA priorities, and prioritizing youth who are identified by SHA as needing specific supports. The program should specifically address chronic absenteeism as part of their focus. Currently SHA students are nearly twice as likely as the general Seattle Public School student body to be chronically absent. Students are considered chronically absent if they miss 18 or more days of school in a school year.

SHA funding is limited, it is anticipated that Service Providers will need to provide a match to complete the full scope of work. Proposals should indicate the level of match offered and whether the match is secured.

- <u>Activities and Objectives</u>: SHA is seeking proposals that show evidence of the Service Provider(s)' ability to meet the following tasks and objectives. The selected Service Provider(s) will be asked to perform, but will not necessarily be limited to these activities and objectives:
  - a. The selected Service Provider(s) shall assist SHA in providing year-round academic and enrichment programming for culturally, ethnically, and economically diverse families of elementary-, middle-, and high-school youth living in or near the NewHolly community, located on South Beacon Hill. This project is specifically designed to respond to the needs of youth living in housing subsidized by SHA in or near the NewHolly community. All target data is based on numbers of youth living in SHA subsidized housing. Youth not living in SHA housing may be served, but will not count towards the total number of youth served for this contract. Funding provided through a contract resulting from this RFP shall only pay for services for youth receiving subsidy from SHA;
  - b. The program should be designed so that an average of at least 30 SHA youth are able to participate daily (on program days), with an average of 65 SHA youth participating weekly. The ideal project will likely serve over 100 SHA youth annually. It is expected that some youth will participate in on-going activities, while others will only take part in specific class(es) or workshop(s). The number of youth served in each age group should roughly correspond to the percentage of youth in NewHolly in each age group. Please note that numbers of youth indicated are only for youth living in housing subsidized by SHA; if the organization chooses to serve youth who do not live in SHA housing, those youth do not count towards the number of SHA youth served.;
  - c. Provide youth programming for SHA residents in the after school hours a minimum of four days weekly. Weekend programming is also encouraged. Programming shall be offered at no cost to residents;
  - d. Provide programming that supports students' academic success. Service provider(s) shall be expected to access SPS academic data through FERPA agreements with participants. Proposals should include

information on how the program(s) will support academic success and how providers will track and report this information;

- Although the program is responsible for recruitment of youth to meet targets, program must indicate willingness to enroll specific students if identified by SHA as needing support. Youth must be able to enroll within 3 months of referral;
- f. Successful proposals will need to indicate a willingness to adapt programming to meet SHA academic goals for students, including a current goal to address attendance issues among SHA youth. Please note that this will include regular meetings with SHA staff members as well as other organizations supporting SHA youth to develop strategies to address SHA academic needs holistically;
- g. Provide plans and theory around how the program will help address chronic absenteeism for students attending Seattle Public Schools.
   Currently, students in SHA, and in NewHolly in particular, are nearly twice as likely to be chronically absent as the general student body;
- h. Successful proposals will need to indicate willingness to be an active partner on the NewHolly campus, actively participating and taking on leadership roles in campus collaborative work. This will include monthly service provider meetings and supporting collaborative events and activities.
- i. Programming should serve each target age group differently. Younger youth need academic support, academic enrichment, and a way to make learning fun and accessible. Middle school youth need academic support as well as social/emotional support and ways to begin to take ownership of their learning while identifying skills and interests. High school youth need academic support, leadership opportunities, career readiness and exploration opportunities. High school youth also need support in graduating from high school, applying for colleges and FAFSA, and need support in developing plans/goals for post-high school. High school programming may be more episodic than programming for younger youth;
- j. Strong proposals will also include youth internships opportunities that connect to activities in which the youth have interest and/or skills as well as those that help youth identify future career paths. Internships can be paid and/or unpaid, and should include real-world experience for a variety of interests, skills sets and abilities. Please note that SHA offers some funding for paid internships each summer. Organizations are also encouraged to partner with the City of Seattle and other programs that offer internships;
- K. Track and report on mutually agreed upon measurable youth academic outcomes that are in line with the Road Map Project (http://www.roadmapproject.org/), YDEKC Outcomes

(http://ydekc.org/what-we-do/common-outcomes/) and SHA youth priorities. Final outcomes will be agreed upon once a Service Provider(s) is selected. SHA would like proposals to include details about what each proposing Service Provider(s) intends to track, monitor, and how they will use the data. Examples of potential outcomes include percent of youth who demonstrate grit and perseverance, youth future orientation, youth ability to demonstrate creative and critical thinking, percent of youth graduating high school, percent of youth with a demonstrated growth mindset, percent of youth failing (E or F) in one or more classes, and percent of youth with more than 18 absences in a school year (an indicator of chronic absenteeism). Specific outcome metrics should be identified by the Service Provider(s) in their proposal. Final outcomes will be negotiated with the successful proposer in a contract to result from this RFP. It is expected that outcome goals will include specific improvement in indicators related to overall youth success. Service Providers may be required to use the Youth Program Registry (youthprogramregistry.org);

- Provide all programming in a youth-centric environment that is accessible and appealing to target youth. The majority of services should be offered on the NewHolly campus or immediately adjacent. If some programming is to be offered further off-site, please indicate how students will get to the service. Program space must be identified and negotiated by the Service Provider(s). Please note that while there are no spaces currently available for dedicated programming on the NewHolly campus, there may be opportunities for sharing space with current service providers on campus. Please indicate where services will take place;
- Recognize and respect the knowledge, experience, and skills that young people have now while challenging them to enhance these skills and develop new interests and skills;
- n. Outreach to parents to encourage their knowledge of, support of, and involvement in the overall success for the youth;
- o. Develop meaningful and appropriate ways to involve parents to increase youth success; and
- p. Participate in SHA-specified program evaluation and/or program assessment and improvement activities. This may be through an outside evaluation team and/or a cohort model of program support, and may include using tools recently developed through YDEKC and Schools Out Washington (https://www.schoolsoutwashington.org/pages/qualitytraining) for consistent program evaluation.
- q. Successful Service Provider(s) shall be responsible for obtaining a waiver of liability signed by a legal guardian for each minor who participates.
   These waivers need to include hold harmless language for SHA and the

Service Provider. Details of these waivers will be discussed during negotiation with the successful Service Provider(s).

- 2) Project Target Population: SHA's target population for this RFP is elementary through high-school aged youth living in SHA's NewHolly community as well as SHA youth living in the surrounding communities. Additional communities may be added if new funding becomes available. A large part of the population is composed of immigrants and refugees and the youth in these communities speak over a dozen languages. As of spring 2017 there are 838 SHA youth residents ages 5-18 living in NewHolly. Three hundred and ninety-nine youth ages 9-14 live in the NewHolly community. The community identifies as 76% black, 19% Asian, and 3% white. The most common language in the community is Somali, followed by Vietnamese, English, Tigrinya and Amharic. SHA is seeking Service Provider(s) and project(s) that are appealing and utilized by youth representative of this diverse population. We expect the selected service provider to offer services to a representative cross section of the population of each community. Please note that all target numbers of youth are for youth identified as living in SHA-subsidized housing.
- 3) **Program Space:** Service Provider(s) must have a plan to access space to serve youth from this community. The bulk of the programming should be offered in the community or directly neighboring the community served. Some programming may be offered in a location that is readily accessible to the target youth. If transportation is required, the service provider must offer transportation. If Service Provider(s) plan to access space in SHA communities, proposal should include information on how they will do so. Shared space may be necessary in this community.

### D. INFORMATION TO BE PROVIDED IN YOUR PROPOSAL

**<u>Response / Proposal Content:</u>** To facilitate evaluation, proposals should address and be organized in the order of the outline given below and include the following information:

- <u>Cover Letter</u>
- Address each of the evaluation criteria below:
  - Relating to Criterion 1: Women and Minority Business (WMBE) Inclusion Plan. Provide a detailed Inclusion Plan describing your good-faith efforts to meet the aspirational WMBE goal and provide meaningful opportunities to WMBE firms to participate in the direct performance of commercially useful work as part of the proposed Project Team. Your Plan must also include, if applicable, pre-award commitments or agreements with your named WMBE and/or Project Team members' firm(s).
  - Relating to Criterion 2: Past Experience. Describe organization and provide evidence of the proposer's ability to perform the work as described in the scope of work and working with the described populations. Include past experience doing similar work and the professional and technical experience of the staff to be assigned to this project.
  - <u>Relating to Criterion 3:</u> Administrative Capacity. Provide evidence of administrative capacity to conduct the services proposed as part of this project.

Briefly describe supervision and oversight of the organization/project, system for managing and tracking data, and financial oversight plans.

- <u>Relating to Criterion 4:</u> Project Plan. Describe project plan. Refer to the Scope of Work in describing programming activities. The project plan must include specific plans for each grade group that will be targeted as well as for the target demographics. Specifically note if the plan will or will not include each group:
  - Elementary
  - Middle school
  - High school
- <u>Relating to Criterion 5</u>: Outcomes and Objectives. Describe how the Service Provider will track and monitor activities and the expected outcomes and objectives. Provide a theory of change and/or logic model.
- <u>Relating to Criterion 6</u>: School Attendance. Describe your plan or theory regarding addressing attendance at school.
- <u>Relating to Criterion 7</u>: Outreach Strategy. Describe how will you determine if youth are eligible and live in SHA property. Describe how you will reach out t o and appeal to residents of the demographics described in Scope of Work. Describe your process for obtaining school-level data. How will you incorporate youth that SHA identifies into your program?
- <u>Relating to Criterion 8</u>: Serving All Ages. Proposers who will serve all three age groups rather than only one will receive 4 points. Please note that this can mean multiple providers coming together to provide these services with one lead agency.
- <u>Relating to Criterion 9</u>: Collaboration. Proposers who plan to work collaboratively and can offer letters of support from programs planning to collaborate will receive 2 points per letter of support up to 4 points.
- <u>Relating to Criterion 10</u>: Location. Describe location of services. Services offered in the community with pre-identified space will receive higher points.
- <u>Relating to Criterion 11</u>: Evaluation. Describe evaluation plan; include how data will be collected, analyzed, reported and how the program will make changes based on the outcomes.
- **<u>Relating to Criterion 12</u>**: Budget. Provide a budget that includes the total cost of the project, details of how the SHA funds will be used, any match funds available and whether the match is committed or pending.
- <u>Provide resumes for the key personnel</u> named in your response. Please provide job descriptions for any positions connected to the project.
- Include a list of at least three references for whom the Service Provider or team members have performed similar work in the last five years (including agency or business name of client, contact person, address, telephone number and e-mail address if available.)

## E. CONSULTANT EVALUATION CRITERIA

Service Providers' submittals will be evaluated based on the criteria listed in this section and further described in Section D above. In preparing the submittal to SHA, it is important for proposers to clearly demonstrate their expertise in the areas described in this document. Because multiple areas of expertise are required for successfully performing this project, the Consultant, either through in-house staff or sub-consultants, must demonstrate expertise and have available adequate numbers of experienced personnel in all of the areas described. Service providers are encouraged to identify and clearly label in their submittal how each criterion is being fully addressed. Evaluation of responses to this RFP will be based only on the information provided in the submittal package, and if applicable, interviews, and reference responses. SHA reserves the right to request additional information or documentation from the firm regarding its submittal documents, personnel, financial viability, or other items in order to complete the selection process. In submitting a proposal, the Consultant and any sub-consultants agree that any costs, prices, hourly rates proposed shall be valid for a minimum of 90 days from the proposal due date.

The following criteria with a point system of relative importance with an aggregate total of one hundred points will be utilized to evaluate the qualifications of each proposer:

(S	Weighting (Max. Points)	
1	Relating to Criterion 1: Women and Minority Business Enterprise (WMBE) Inclusion Plan.	10
2	Relating to Criterion 2: Past Experience.	10
3	Relating to Criterion 3: Administrative Capacity.	5
4	Relating to Criterion 4: Project Plan.	27
5	Relating to Criterion 5: Outcomes and Objectives.	10
6	Relating to Criterion 6: School Attendance.	4
7	Relating to Criterion 7: Outreach Strategy.	5
8	Relating to Criterion 8: Serving All Ages.	4
9	Relating to Criterion 9: Collaboration.	4
10	Relating to Criterion 10: Location.	3
11	Relating to Criterion 11: Evaluation.	8
12	Relating to Criterion 12: Budget.	10
	MAXIMUM TOTAL POINTS FOR QUALIFICATIONS	100

### F. <u>SELECTION PROCESS</u>

An evaluation panel will rate all responses to this RFP that are received on or before the stated deadline, according to the criteria listed above. Based on its initial evaluation, the panel may:

- 1. Make a recommendation to SHA's Executive Director and request authority to negotiate a Contract with one or more proposers; or
- 2. Request additional information from the proposer or proposers whose responses appear to have the greatest likelihood of success; and/or

3. Invite one or more proposer whose responses appear to have the greatest likelihood of success to attend an interview/presentation to discuss their proposal; and then make a recommendation to SHA's Executive Director and request authority to negotiate a contract with one or more proposers.

SHA reserves the right to conduct reference checks, at either or at both of the following two points of the evaluation process:

- 1. After proposals are evaluated, for the proposer or proposers with the highest-scoring proposal(s);
- 2. In the event that interviews are held, for the proposer or proposers with the highest-scoring proposal(s) and interview(s).

In the event that information obtained from the reference checks reveals concerns about any proposer's past performance and their ability to successfully perform the contract to be executed based on this RFP, SHA may, at its sole discretion, determine that the Proposer is not a responsible proposer and may select the next highest-ranked Proposer whose reference checks validate the ability of the Proposer to successfully perform the contract to be executed based on this RFP. In conducting reference checks, SHA may include itself as a reference if the Proposer has performed work for SHA, even if the Proposer did not identify SHA as a reference.

By submitting its proposal in response to this RFP, the consultant accepts the procurement method used and acknowledges and accepts that the evaluation process will require subjective judgments by SHA and the evaluation panel.

Any protest of the selection process shall be resolved in accordance with SHA's Procurement Policies, which may be reviewed at the following web site address:

http://seattlehousing.org/business/guidelines/pdf/Procurement\_Policies.pdf

### G. CONTRACT NEGOTIATIONS

SHA shall negotiate with the most qualified Proposer or Proposers, as determined by evaluation of the responses and, if applicable, interviews. If SHA is unable to reach agreement with any of the highest ranked firms, it may negotiate with the next highest ranked firm or firms, proceeding in turn to each firm that SHA has determined to be qualified, in order of rank. If agreement cannot be reached with any qualified firm, SHA reserves the right to cancel the solicitation.

SHA expects to execute one or more Contracts for services for one year. At SHA's option, a Change Order may be executed extending the Contract(s) for up to four additional one-year periods, along with appropriate adjustments in the scope of work and compensation.

### H. ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

1) <u>Small and/or Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Requirements:</u> SHA strongly encourages minority-owned and women-owned businesses, socially and

economically disadvantaged business enterprises, HUD Section 3 businesses, small businesses and veteran-owned businesses to submit proposals, to participate as partners, or to participate in other business activity in response to this RFP. As outlined in more detail in Section D, SHA has also included a 14% Women and/or Minority Business Enterprise (WMBE) aspirational participation goal. Consequently, in responding to the solicitation, submitters must include an Inclusion Plan demonstrating good faith efforts in seeking meaningful opportunities for WMBEs in the work of the Contract.

- 2) <u>Section 3 Requirements</u>: Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 (hereinafter "Section 3") requires SHA to the greatest extent feasible to provide employment opportunities to Section 3 residents. Section 3 residents include residents of SHA communities and other low-income residents of Seattle. Each Proposer is required to submit with their one original proposal, the Section 3 Business Certification and Resident Employment Plan form.
  - A. <u>Section 3 Contract Language:</u> The following language regarding Section 3 will be included as part of the contract to be executed based on this RFP.
    - 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, I 2 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.
    - 2. The parties to this contract agree to comply with HUD's regulations in 24 CFR 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.
    - 3. 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 contractors 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, availability of apprenticeship and training positions, the qualifications for each; and the name and location of the person(s) taking applications for each of the positions; and the anticipated date the work shall begin.
    - 4. The contractor agrees to include this Section 3 clause in every subcontract subject to compliance with regulations in 24 CFR part 135, and agrees to take appropriate action, as provided in an applicable provision of the subcontractor in this Section 3 clause, upon a finding that the subcontractor is in violation of the regulations in 24 CFR 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 CFR part 135.

- 5. 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 CFR part 135 require employment opportunities to be directed, were not filled to circumvent the contractors obligations under 24 CFR part 135.
- 6. Noncompliance with HUD's regulations in 24 CFR part 135 may result in sanctions, termination of this contract for default, and debarment or suspension from future HUD assisted contracts.

### 3) **<u>Basic Eligibility</u>**: By submitting for this Solicitation:

- A. Proposer represents that it is licensed to do business in the State of Washington and it has a state Unified Business Identifier (UBI) number.
- B. Proposer represents by its submission of the SUSPENSION AND DEBARMENT COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATE FOR CONSULTANT form, attached hereto, that neither it nor it principals/officers are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency. Proposer further represents that by submitting a Proposal and being selected for this work, that it will comply with the requirements regarding sub-contracting and the purchase of supplies or materials for this work and the sub-contractors and/or firms, and their principals/officers are not debarred or otherwise disqualified from doing business with SHA. The Proposer understands that if selected, it shall provide evidence with the SUSPENSION AND DEBARMENT COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATE FOR SUB-CONSULTANTS form attached to this RFP of Proposer's sub-contractors' (if applicable) eligibility.
- C. Certification and Representations of Offerors Form: The Consultant shall submit to SHA a completed and signed Certifications and Representations of Offerors form (HUD-5369-C) (attached hereto) for itself.
- 4) <u>Payment Requirements:</u> Proposers should be aware that SHA will only make payments on the contract issued under this RFP after the work being billed has been completed, and within 30 calendar days of receipt of a properly prepared and SHA approved invoice from the Consultant. Supporting documentation is required for payment of reimbursable expenses. No advance payments will be made to the Consultant, who must have the capacity to meet all project expenses in advance of payments by SHA.
- 5) <u>Approval of Sub-Consultants:</u> SHA retains the right of final approval of any subconsultant of the selected Proposer who must inform all sub-consultants of this provision.
- 6) <u>Documents Produced:</u> All construction drawings, reports, specifications, and other documents produced under contract to SHA must be submitted to SHA in both hard copy and a digital format that meets SHA's requirements, using Microsoft Office or

AutoCad products in an IBM-compatible format. All documents and products created by the Consultant and their sub-consultants shall become the exclusive property of SHA.

- 7) <u>Other Contracts:</u> During the original term and all subsequent renewal terms of the contract resulting from this RFP, SHA expressly reserves the right, through any other sources available, to pursue and implement alternative means of soliciting and awarding similar or related services as described in this RFP.
- 8) <u>Funding Availability:</u> By responding to this RFP, the Proposer acknowledges that for any contract signed as a result of this RFP, the authority to proceed with the work is contingent upon the availability of funding.
- 9) For-Profit Subgrantee and Contractor Certifications and Assurances Form: In the event that the Contract for these services includes any Federal Grant Funds, the Consultant must submit a completed and signed Certifications and Assurances Form (copy attached to this RFP) for itself and each sub-consultant, if known will be utilized on the Contract. Such form shall be submitted to SHA with the one original submittal for this RFP.
- **10)** <u>Contract Requirements</u>: Proposers may review a sample of SHA's standard contract language that will form the basis for any contract executed based on this solicitation by visiting the following web site:

http://www.seattlehousing.org/business/guidelines/pdf/Consultant\_Professional\_Servic es\_Contract.pdf

SHA's standard contract document is intended to guide you in developing your proposal. The actual contract that the successful Proposer and SHA will sign will be based on this sample contract. Please be advised that SHA will only negotiate some aspects of the contract. Much of the contents of the sample contract are based on non-flexible requirements and cannot be modified in any form.

**11)** <u>Insurance:</u> The following are the insurance requirements that will be included in the contract executed based on this RFP:

Within seven (7) days from the date of the Notice of Award, and prior to commencement of the Work, Consultant shall obtain all the insurance required by the Contract Documents and provide evidence satisfactory to Owner that such insurance has been procured. Review of the Consultant's insurance by Owner shall not relieve or decrease the liability of Consultant.

Failure of the Consultant to fully comply with the insurance requirements of this Contract will be considered a material breach of contract and, at the option of Owner, will be cause for such action as may be available to Owner under other provisions of this Contract or otherwise in law, including immediate termination of the Contract.

### A. <u>General Insurance Requirements:</u>

- 1. Prior to undertaking any work under this Contract, the Consultant shall procure and maintain continuously for the duration of this Contract, at no expense to Owner, insurance coverage as specified below, in connection with the performance of the work of this Contract by the Consultant, its agents, representatives, employees and/or subcontractors (the term subcontractors as used in this Contract shall include sub-consultants). Review of the Consultant 's insurance by Owner shall not relieve or decrease the liability of Consultant.
- 2. The Consultant's insurance shall be primary as respects Owner, and any other insurance maintained by Owner shall be excess and not contributing insurance with the Consultant's insurance.
- 3. Except with respect to the limits of insurance, and any rights or duties specifically assigned to the first named insured, the Consultant's Commercial General Liability and Commercial Automobile Liability insurance coverage shall apply as if each named insured were the only named insured, and separately to each insured against whom claim is made or suit is brought.
- 4. Insurance policies, deductibles, self-insured retentions, and insurance carriers will be subject to review and approval by Owner. Except for Professional Liability Insurance coverage, if applicable, each insurer must either be 1) authorized to do business in the State of Washington and maintain A.M. Best's ratings of "A VII" or higher, or 2) procured as surplus lines under the provisions of RCW Chapter 48.15 ("Unauthorized Insurers"), except as may be otherwise approved by the Owner. Insurers or reinsurers of Professional Liability (Errors and Omissions) Insurance must have a rating of "B+VII or higher.
- B. <u>Insurance Coverage and Terms:</u> The following are the types and amounts of insurance coverage that must be maintained by the Consultant during the term of this Contract. The Consultant must provide acceptable evidence of such coverage prior to beginning work under this Contract. Consultant shall maintain the following insurance coverage for the duration of the contract and for one (1) year after final completion.
  - 1. <u>Commercial General Liability Insurance.</u> Commercial General Liability (CGL) insurance including bodily injury, property damage, and products/completed operations, written on an occurrence form, with the following minimum coverage:

\$1,000,000 each occurrence, and

\$2,000,000 aggregate

Coverage shall extend to cover the use of all equipment on the site or sites of the work of this Contract. In the event that the services to be provided under this Contract involve the Consultant's contact with minor children, and/or elderly, disabled or vulnerable adults as defined in RCW 74.34.020, the Consultant shall provide evidence that sexual misconduct coverage has not been excluded from the policy and is covered under the policy. Acceptable

evidence of sexual misconduct coverage must include an endorsement and policy excerpt(s) and is subject to approval by Owner's Risk Manager.

2. <u>Employers Liability or Washington Stop Gap Liability</u>. A policy of Employers Liability or a Washington Stop Gap Liability insurance endorsement with the following minimum coverage:

### \$1,000,000 each accident/disease

3. <u>Commercial Automobile Liability Insurance.</u> A policy of Commercial Automobile Liability Insurance, including coverage for owned, non-owned, leased or hired vehicles written on an insurance industry standard form (CA 00 01) or equivalent, with the following minimum coverage:

### \$1,000,000 combined single limit (CSL) coverage

- 4. <u>Workers Compensation</u>. A policy of Workers Compensation. As respects Workers Compensation insurance in the State of Washington, the Consultant shall secure its liability for industrial injury to its employees in accordance with the provisions of Title 51 of the Revised Code of Washington (RCW). If the Consultant is qualified as a self-insurer in accordance with Chapter 51.14 RCW, the Consultant shall so certify by a letter signed by a corporate officer, indicating that it is a qualified self-insured, and setting forth the limits of any policy of excess insurance covering its employees, or any similar coverage required.
- 5. <u>Professional Liability Insurance:</u> Not Required
- 6. <u>Cyber Liability:</u> Not Required
- 7. <u>Commercial Crime Insurance/Employee Theft Insurance.</u> When applicable, a policy of Commercial Crime Insurance/Employee Theft Insurance including third party coverage in favor of OWNER with the following minimum coverage:

### \$1,000,000 per claim / aggregate

- C. <u>Owner As Additional Insured</u>: All liability policies except Professional Liability and Workers Compensation shall be endorsed to include Owner as additional insured on a primary and non contributory basis for Work performed in accordance with the Contract documents, and all insurance certificates shall evidence the Owner as additional insured.
- D. <u>Waiver of Subrogation</u>: Consultant's policy shall provide waiver of subrogation by endorsement or otherwise.
- E. <u>Deductibles or Self-Insured Retention</u>: Any deductibles or self-insured retentions \$25,000 or higher must be declared to, and approved by the Owner. The

deductible and/or self-insured retention of the policies shall not limit or apply to the Consultant's liability to the Owner. Payment of deductibles shall be the responsibility of the Consultant.

F. <u>No Limitation of Liability -</u> The limits of liability specified herein are minimum limits only. Such minimum limits of liability requirements shall not be construed to limit the liability of the Consultant or of any of their respective insurers. The Consultant shall include the Owner as an additional insured for primary and non-contributory limits of liability for the full valid and collectible limits of liability maintained by the Consultant whether such limits are primary, excess, contingent or otherwise. This provision shall apply regardless of whether limits maintained by the Consultant are greater than the minimum limits required by this Contract, and regardless of whether the certification of insurance by the Consultant specifies lower minimum limits than those specified for or maintained by the Consultant.

#### G. Proof of Insurance and Insurance Expiration:

- 1. The Consultant shall furnish certificates of insurance and policy endorsements as evidence of compliance with the insurance requirements of the Contract. Such certificates and endorsements must be signed by a person authorized by that insurance company to bind coverage on its behalf.
- 2. The Owner must be included as an Additional Insured on a primary and noncontributory basis on all Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies of the Consultant. As respects the CGL insurance such additional insured status shall be evidenced by an ISO endorsement form CG2010 or equivalent.
- 3. As respects CGL insurance such Additional Insured status shall contain a "separation of insureds" provision.
- 4. The Consultant shall include all subconsultants at any tier as insureds under its policies (except for Professional Liability insurance) and ensure that the Consultant's coverage of subconsultants under the Consultant's policies is not excluded by any policy provision or endorsement. Alternatively, the Consultant shall:
  - a.) Obtain from each subconsultant not insured under the Consultant's policy or policies of insurance, evidence of insurance meeting all the requirements of this Contract, and
  - b.) Maintain such evidence on file for a period of one (1) year after the completion of this Contract and, upon request, submit such evidence to SHA for examination.
- 5. The Consultant's insurance shall not be reduced or canceled without fortyfive (45) days prior written notice to Owner, except for cancellation for nonpayment of premium, which notice shall not be less than ten (10) days prior to such date, unless a longer period of written notice is required under

the provisions of Revised Code of Washington (RCW 48.18.290). The Consultant shall not permit any required insurance coverage to expire during the term of this Contract.

- 6. Owner reserves the right to require complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies at any time during the term of this Contract, or to waive any of the insurance requirements of this Contract at its sole discretion.
- H. <u>Criminal Background Investigation</u>: The Consultant shall conduct a criminal background investigation of all employees, volunteers, subcontractors and subconsultants performing any work who may reasonably be expected to have direct or incidental contact with SHA residents, SHA staff members, or vulnerable population. In addition, a criminal background investigation shall be performed for any person performing work under this Contract who is given use of an SHA building-access card or who collects payments of any kind. The criminal background investigation shall include, but not necessarily be limited to, a Washington State Patrol background report or if the employee, volunteer. subcontractor or subconsultant resides in a state other than Washington, the background report should be obtained from the state patrol office where the employee, subcontractor or subconsultant has resided for the last 3 years. In the event a background check provides evidence of a felony conviction that information shall be provided to the SHA Project Manager. If any person performing work under this Contract is charged with a felony, the Consultant agrees to remove that person from performing any further work on the project unless and until SHA agrees in writing to allow the person to continue.

## ATTACHMENTS

The Following Forms to be Completed and Returned with Submitted Original Proposal

- Vendor Fact Sheet
- Section 3, Business Certification and Resident Employment Plan Form
- Suspension and Debarment Compliance Certificate for Consultant
- Suspension and Debarment Compliance Certificate for Sub-Consultants
- Certifications and Representations of Offerors (form HUD-5369-C)
- One of the following: For-Profit Subgrantee and Contractor Certifications and Assurances Form For Non-Profit Subgrantee Certifications and Assurances Form



## **VENDOR FACT SHEET**

Return this Form TO: Seattle Housing Authority, Purchasing Division, ATTN: <u>Greg Antoine</u> 190 Queen Anne Ave N, P.O Box 19028, Seattle WA 98109-1028

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Thank you for your interest in doing business with the Seattle Housing Authority (SHA). We look forward to doing business with you. If you have any questions about completion of the Vendor Fact Sheet, please call us at (206) 615-3379.

In order for SHA to make payments to you or to procure goods or services from you, we need the information requested on the Vendor Fact Sheet, which also serves as a substitute IRS W-9 Form. The information about you will be entered into our computerized payment system and will allow us to make required reports to the Federal government about our business and payment transactions.

**Substitute IRS Form W-9 Certification:** In completing the Vendor Fact Sheet, you must sign the "Substitute IRS Form W-9 Certification" or backup withholding will apply. If you are subject to backup withholding and you are merely providing your correct taxpayer identification number to SHA, you must cross out the portion of the certification after the word "<u>and</u>" in line two, through the end of line five, before signing the form. Detailed instructions about IRS Form W-9 are included on the form, which may be obtained by calling our office at (206) 615-3379 or visiting the IRS web site at <u>www.irs.gov</u>.

Certification of Eligibility: In order to do business with SHA, the Vendor must be eligible to:

- 1) Be awarded contracts by any agency of the U.S. Government, HUD, or the State in which this Contract work is to be performed; or,
- 2) Participate in HUD programs pursuant to 24 CFR Part 24.

The websites to verify eligibility of the firm and its principals are: <u>https://www.sam.gov/portal/public/SAM/</u> and <u>http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/topics/limited denials of participation</u>. By signing the Vendor Fact Sheet, the Vendor understands that the certification of eligibility is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when SHA agreed to enter into the transaction with the Vendor. SHA may require the Vendor to submit such certification on an annual basis depending on the terms of its contract or the frequency of its business transactions with SHA. If the Vendor subcontracts any portion of the work, the Vendor will be required to submit a similar certification of eligibility to SHA for any Vendor subcontracts. Any written contract executed between SHA and the Vendor shall include these provisions, which may also be referred to as Suspension/Debarment provisions.

**Contract Payments:** Unless SHA grants a waiver, its method of contract payment for contracts of one million or more is through its Bank of America epayables program. Payments will be made electronically through a virtual Visa credit card. Benefits for using this method include reduced labor costs associated with the processing of checks and enhancing cash flow by eliminating float time associated with the mailing of checks. To learn more about the program, please click here or copy and paste the following URL into your browser: www.bankofamerica.com/epayablesvendors. For new vendors, SHA will automatically send an enrollment form upon contract award. If you have questions about the program, please contact Brenda Mix, SHA's Accounts Payable Manager, at 206-615-3421 or bmix@seattlehousing.org.

**Small Businesses:** The Vendor Fact Sheet also requests information about whether your business is owned and controlled by women or minorities, and/or is a small business. The following are definitions of these terms for your use. This information provides valuable information to SHA in its efforts to ensure its contracting program meets its diversity objectives and requirements.

- <u>WMBE:</u> Minority and women-owned business enterprises must either be self-identified or certified by, the Washington State Office of Women's and Minority Business Enterprises (OMWBE) to be at least fifty-one percent owned by women and/or minority group members.
- <u>Small Business</u>: A small business means a business concern, including its affiliates, that is independently owned and operated, not an affiliate or subsidiary of a business dominant in its field of operation, and qualified as a small business under the criteria and size standards in 13 CFR 121. Furthermore, a business is considered small according to the Small Business Administration's established guidelines provided to such businesses.

**HUD Section 3 Business:** A business that is owned 51% or more by a Section 3 qualified person, or where 30% or more of the permanent, full-time employees of the business are Section 3 qualified persons, or where the business can provide evidence of a commitment to subcontract in excess of 25% of the amount of all subcontracts to other Section 3 certified businesses. A Section 3 qualified person must live in the metropolitan statistical areas identified on SHA's Section 3 form and whose income level meets or falls below the stated income limits.

# Seattle Housing Authority Section 3 Business Certification

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 low-and very low-income persons, particularly persons who are recipients of HUD assistance for housing.

For more information regarding the Section 3 requirements for Consulting Contracts and to view the full contract provisions, see Section 7 of the standard contact at: http://seattlehousing.org/business/guidelines/pdf/Consultant\_professional\_services\_contract.pdf

<u>Section 3 Business Criteria:</u> Your business is eligible for Section 3 Certification if it meets any one of the following criteria. If your business meets one or more of these criteria, please circle the applicable criteria.

- Fifty-one percent or more of your business is owned and managed by a Section 3 qualified person or persons. (See qualification guidelines below) A completed and signed Individual Certification form for each Section 3 qualified person or persons is required to be submitted.
- 2. Thirty percent or more of your permanent, full time employees are Section 3 qualified persons. (When seeking certification under this criteria, please submit a listing of all current, permanent, full-time employees, as well as a completed and signed Individual Certification form for each Section 3 qualified employee.)
- 3. You can provide evidence of a commitment to subcontract in excess of 25 percent of the amount of all subcontracts to Section 3 certified businesses. (When seeking certification under these criteria, please consult with the Section 3 Coordinator regarding the documentation to be submitted.)

Section 3 Person Criteria: A Section 3 qualified person must:

- 1) Be a City of Seattle Housing Authority public housing resident; or
- 2) Live in the metropolitan statistical area (MSA) covering King, Snohomish, and Pierce counties, and,
- 3) Earn no more than the following amounts for the respective MSA area:

Region/Area	1 Person	2 Persons	3 Persons	4 Persons	5 Persons	6 Persons	7 Persons	8 Persons
King and Snohomish Counties	\$ 48,550	\$55,450	\$ 62,400	\$ 69,300	\$ 74,850	\$ 80,400	\$ 85,950	\$ 91,500
Pierce County	\$ 40,500	\$ 46,300	\$ 52,100	\$ 57,850	\$ 62,500	\$ 67,150	\$71,750	\$ 76,400

**Section 3 Statement:** Please check the appropriate box below.

My business is eligible to be certified as a Section 3 business in accordance with the criteria circled above under Section 3 Business Criteria.

My business is not a Section 3 business.

Signature:		Date Signed:
	I <b>→</b>	
Name:	Title:	
Company Name:		
Address:		
Telephone Number:		

<u>Note:</u> If you certify above that your business is a Section 3 business, SHA will request documentation and additional information as may be reasonably required to certify whether your business qualifies as a Section 3 business.

## Section 3 Resident Employment Plan

Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 (hereinafter "Section 3") requires SHA, to the greatest extent feasible, to provide employment opportunities to "Section 3 residents." Section 3 residents include residents of SHA communities and other low income residents of the metropolitan statistical area (hereinafter "MSA") covering King, Snohomish, and Pierce counties. SHA residents, preferably residents of the SHA community in which the work is to be done, are favored over other low-income residents of the MSA.

#### For construction contracts only:

- Each bidder is required to submit with their bid package a plan which will result in the hiring of Section 3 residents to perform the work contemplated by the bid. SHA has established a goal that 100% of all new hires be Section 3 Residents to the greatest extent feasible.
- At a minimum, the Contractor and its subcontractors shall advertise new positions created in order to perform the work called for herein and will post notices to the Contractor's commitments under Section 3 in conspicuous places at the work site. In addition, the Contractor must notify each labor organization with whom it or its subcontractors have a collective bargaining agreement or other understanding of these Section 3 commitments.

For consulting contracts only:

• Firms are required to include this Section 3 Resident Employment Plan (hereinafter "Plan") in their submittal showing, if applicable, the hiring of Section 3 residents to perform the work contemplated by the submittal.

In order to fulfill its Section 3 obligations, the Contractor/ Consultant may work with service providers on site at various SHA communities including, but not limited to, Neighborhood House and the Employment Opportunities Center. The plan should specify the number of positions the

Contractor/ Consultant expects will be created and what minimum qualifications and skills will be required in order to perform the positions. The plan, if applicable, should also address the Contractor/ Consultant's strategy for recruiting SHA residents for the available positions, which should include consultation with SHA's Section 3 Coordinator.

1. How many new positions do you expect this contract will require you to create?

2. Describe each position and provide the name and provide the location of the person(s) taking applications for each such position.

3. What minimum skills will be required for each position?

4. Please describe any training opportunities which the contract may create and any agreements concerning training you have.

5. How will you advertise these positions to SHA residents?

If you have any questions about this form, please call Samuel Pierce, SHA's Section 3 Coordinator, at (206) 913-9227.

#### SEATTLE HOUSING AUTHORITY

#### SUSPENSION AND DEBARMENT COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATE FOR CONSULTANT

By signing below, the Consultant certifies that to the best of its knowledge and belief neither its firm nor any of its principals as named below are presently debarred, suspended, or have been declared ineligible or are excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal, state or local government.

#### Consultant's Firm Name:

#### Address:

City, State, Zip:

	PRINCIPAL(S) Name(s)	Title(s)
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Consultant's Signature	Printed Name	Title	Date

<u>NOTE</u>: This requirement applies to the Consultant's firm as well as its principals. Principal is defined in the regulation (2 CFR 180.995) as follows:

- 1) An officer, director, owner, partner, principal investigator, or other person within a participant with management or supervisory responsibilities related to a covered transaction; or
- 2) A consultant or other person, whether or not employed by the participant or paid with Federal funds, who
  - a) Is in a position to handle Federal funds;
  - b) Is in a position to influence or control the use of those funds; or,
  - c) Occupies a technical or professional position capable of substantially influencing the development or outcome of an activity require to perform the covered transaction.

The federal websites to verify eligibility include: <u>https://www.sam.gov/portal/public/SAM/</u> and <u>http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/topics/limited\_denials\_of\_participation</u>.

### SEATTLE HOUSING AUTHORITY

### SUSPENSION AND DEBARMENT COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATE FOR SUB-CONSULTANTS

The Prime Consultant may use this form if the Prime can verify that their Sub-Consultants named below, nor any of their principals are debarred, suspended or ineligible from involvement by Federal, State or Local Government. If the Prime is unable to verify this information, the Prime must send the previous SUSPENSION AND DEBARMENT COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATE FOR CONSULTANT form to each sub- consultant to be completed and returned.

Prime Consultant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_ certifies that neither any of the sub- consulting firms named below, nor any of its principals are debarred, suspended or ineligible from involvement by Federal, State or Local Government. I understand that the Seattle Housing Authority (SHA) relies on this certification and I understand that I am obligated to submit the following to SHA:

- A certification for any new sub- consultant hired after submission of this certification.
- A renewal certification for every sub- consultant on the anniversary of the Contract execution date if the Contract Time extends beyond one year.

(**Note:** In lieu of this certification, the Prime Consultant may elect to submit a separate certification signed by each sub- consulting firm to SHA as evidence of sub- consultant eligibility. It is the Prime Consultant's responsibility to initiate, obtain, and provide all such individual sub-consultant certifications to SHA.)

Prime Consultant's Signature	Printed Name	Title	Date

**Sub- Consultant Firm Listing: (**If sub- consultants are not involved in the project, please enter NONE.)

If additional pages are necessary, copy this form to ensure signed statement precedes any listing of sub- consultants. Please contact Greg Antoine at 206-615-3394 or by e-mail at <u>Gregory.Antoine@seattlehousing.org</u> if you have any questions regarding compliance with this requirement.

Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 5 minutes per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information.

This form includes clauses required by OMB's common rule on bidding / offering procedures, implemented by HUD in 24 CFR 85.36, and those requirements set forth in Executive Order 11625 for small, minority, women-owned businesses, and certifications for independent price determination, and conflict of interest. The form is required for nonconstruction contracts awarded by Housing Agencies (HAs). The form is used by bidders/Offerors to certify to the Has Contracting Officer for contract compliance. If the form were not used, HAs would be unable to enforce their contracts. Responses to the collection of information are required to obtain a benefit. The information requested does not lend itself to confidentiality.

#### 1. Contingent Fee Representation and Agreement

(a) The bidder/offeror represents and certifies as part of its bid/ offer that, except for full-time bona fide employees working solely for the bidder/offeror, the bidder/offeror:

- (1) [] has, [] has not employed or retained any person or company to solicit or obtain this contract; and
- (2) [] has, [] has not paid or agreed to pay to any person or company employed or retained to solicit or obtain this contract any commission, percentage, brokerage or other fee contingent upon or resulting from the award of this contract.

(b) If the answer to either (a)(1) or (a) (2) above is affirmative, the bidder/offeror shall make an immediate and full written disclosure to the PHA Contracting Officer.

(c) Any misrepresentation by the bidder/offeror shall give the PHA the right to (1) terminate the resultant contract; (2) at its discretion, to deduct from contract payments the amount of any commission, percentage, brokerage, or other contingent fee; or (3) take other remedy pursuant to the contract.

#### 2. Small, Minority, Women-Owned Business Concern Representation

The bidder/offeror represents and certifies as part of its bid/offer that it:

- (a) [] is, [] is not a small business concern. "Small business concern," as used in this provision, means a concern, including its affiliates, that is independently owned and operated, not dominant in the field of operation in which it is bidding, and gualified as a small business under the criteria and size standards in 13 CFR 121.
- (b) [ ] is, [ ] is not a women-owned small business concern. "Women-owned," as used in this provision, means a small business that is at least 51 percent owned by a woman or women who are U.S. citizens and who also control and operate the business.
- (c) [ ] is, [ ] is not a minority enterprise which, pursuant to Executive Order 11625, is defined as a business which is at least 51 percent owned by one or more minority group members or, in the case of a publicly owned business, at least 51 percent of its voting stock is owned by one or more minority group members, and whose management and daily operations are controlled by one or more such individuals.

For the purpose of this definition, minority group members are: (Check the block applicable to you)

- [] Black Americans
- [] Hispanic Americans
- [ ] Asian Pacific Americans [] Asian Indian Americans
- [ ] Native Americans
  - [] Hasidic Jewish Americans
- 3. Certificate of Independent Price Determination
- (a) The bidder/offeror certifies that—
  - (1) The prices in this bid/offer have been arrived at independently, without, for the purpose of restricting competition any consultation, communication, or agreement with any other bidder/offeror or competitor relating to (i) those prices. (ii) the intention to submit a bid/offer, or (iii0 the methods or factors used to calculate the prices offered;
  - (2) The prices in this bid/offer have not been and will not be knowingly disclosed by the bidder/offeror, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder/offeror or competitor before bid opening (in the case of a sealed bid solicitation) or contract award (in the case of a negotiated solicitation) unless otherwise required by law; and
  - (3) No attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder/offeror to induce any other concern to submit or not to submit a bid/offer for the purpose of restricting competition.
- (b) Each signature on the bid/offer is considered to be a certification by the signatory that the signatory:
  - (1) Is the person in the bidder/offeror's organization responsible for determining the prices being offered in this bid or proposal, and that the signatory has not participated and will not participate in any action contrary to subparagraphs (a)(1) through (a)(3) above; or
  - (2) (i) Has been authorized, in writing, to act as agent for the following principals in certifying that those principals have not participated, and will not participate in any action contrary to subparagraphs (a)(1) through (a)(3)(insert full name of person(s) in the above bidder/offeror's organization responsible for determining the prices offered in this bid or proposal, and the title of his or her position in the bidder/offeror's organization);

(ii) As an authorized agent, does certify that the principals named in subdivision (b)(2)(i) above have not participated, and will not participate, in any action contrary to subparagraphs (a)(1) through (a)(3) above; and

(iii) As an agent, has not personally participated, and will not participate in any action contrary to subparagraphs (a)(1) through (a)(3) above.

(c) If the bidder/offeror deletes or modifies subparagraph (a)2 above, the bidder/offeror must furnish with its bid/offer a signed statement setting forth in detail the circumstances of the disclosure.

#### 4. Organizational Conflicts of Interest Certification

(a) The Contractor warrants that to the best of its knowledge and belief and except as otherwise disclosed, it does not have any organizational conflict of interest which is defined as a situation in which the nature of work under a proposed contract and a prospective contractor's organizational, financial, contractual or other interest are such that:

> (i) Award of the contract may result in an unfair competetive advantage;

> (ii) The Contractor's objectivity in performing the contract work may be impaired; or

(iii) That the Contractor has disclosed all relevant information and requested the HA to make a determination with respect to this Contract.

- (b) The Contractor agrees that if after award he or she discovers an organizational conflict of interest with respect to this contract, he or she shall make an immediate and full disclosure in writing to the HA which shall include a description of the action which the Contractor has taken or intends to eliminate or neutralize the conflict. The HA may, however, terminate the Contract for the convenience of HA if it would be in the best interest of HA.
- (c) In the event the Contractor was aware of an organizational conflict of interest before the award of this Contract and intentionally did not disclose the conflict to the HA, the HA may terminate the Contract for default.
- (d) The Contractor shall require a disclosure or representation from subcontractors and consultants who may be in a position to influence the advice or assistance rendered to the HA and shall include any necessary provisions to eliminate or neutralize conflicts of interest in consultant agreements or subcontracts involving performance or work under this Contract.

#### 5. Authorized Negotiators (RFPs only)

The offeror represents that the following persons are authorized to negotiate on its behalf with the PHA in connection with this request for proposals: (list names, titles, and telephone numbers of the authorized negotiators):

#### 6. Conflict of Interest

In the absence of any actual or apparent conflict, the offeror, by submission of a proposal, hereby warrants that to the best of its knowledge and belief, no actual or apparent conflict of interest exists with regard to my possible performance of this procurement, as described in the clause in this solicitation titled "Organizational Conflict of Interest."

#### 7. Offeror's Signature

The offeror hereby certifies that the information contained in these certifications and representations is accurate, complete, and current.

#### Signature & Date:

#### Typed or Printed Name:

Title:

#### For-Profit Subgrantee and Contractor Certifications and Assurances

The Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) requires that all for-profit Subgrantees and Contractors on HOPE VI projects sign this "Certifications and Assurances" form certifying that they will comply with the specific federal requirements described below. The parties who must sign a "Certifications and Assurances" form are defined below:

• <u>Subgrantees</u>: These are for-profit organizations to which the Housing Authority (Housing Authority or Grantee) has awarded a grant from the HOPE VI grant that the Housing Authority received from HUD. The subgrantee is accountable to the Housing Authority for the use of the funds provided, but the Housing Authority is ultimately accountable to HUD.

• <u>Contractors</u>: This includes any for-profit contractor, consultant, service provider, or supplier that the Housing Authority contracts with for goods or services on any HOPE VI project.

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<u>Certification and Assurance</u>: The subgrantee or contractor executing this certification hereby assures and certifies that it will comply with all of the applicable requirements of the following, as the same may be amended from time to time, including adding appropriate provisions to all contracts between Grantee and for-profit Subgrantees or Contractors:

- Administrative, contractual, or legal remedies in instances where contractors violate or breach contract terms, and provide for such sanctions and penalties as may be appropriate. (Contracts more than the simplified acquisition threshold)
- (2) Termination for cause and for convenience by the grantee or subgrantee including the manner by which it will be effected and the basis for settlement. (All contracts in excess of \$10,000)
- (3) Compliance with Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, entitled "Equal Employment Opportunity," as amended by Executive Order 11375 of October 13, 1967, and as supplemented in Department of Labor regulations (41 CFR chapter 60). (All construction contracts awarded in excess of \$10,000 by grantees and their contractors or subgrantees)
- Compliance with the Copeland "Anti-Kickback" Act (18 U.S.C. 874) as supplemented in Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR part 3). (All contracts and subgrants for construction or repair)
- (5) Compliance with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. 276a to 276a-7) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR part 5). (Construction contracts in excess of \$2000 awarded by grantees and subgrantees when required by Federal grant program legislation)
- (6) Compliance 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 CFR part 5). (Construction contracts awarded by grantees and subgrantees in excess of \$2000, and in excess of \$2500 for other contracts which involve the employment of mechanics or laborers)

- (7) Notice of awarding agency requirements and regulations pertaining to reporting.
- (8) Notice of awarding agency requirements and regulations pertaining to patent rights with respect to any discovery or invention which arises or is developed in the course of or under such contract.
- (9) Awarding agency requirements and regulations pertaining to copyrights and rights in data.
- (10) Access by the grantee, the subgrantee, the Federal grantor agency, the Comptroller General of the United States, or any of their duly authorized representatives to any books, documents, papers, and records of the contractor which are directly pertinent to that specific contract for the purpose of making audit, examination, excerpts, and transcriptions.
- (11) Retention of all required records for three years after grantees or subgrantees make final payments and all other pending matters are closed.
- (12) Compliance with all applicable standards, orders, or requirements issued under section 306 of the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 1857(h)), section 508 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. 1368), Executive Order 11738, and Environmental Protection Agency regulations (40 CFR part 15). (Contracts, subcontracts, and subgrants of amounts in excess of \$100,000).
- (13) Mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (Pub. L. 94-163, 89 Stat. 871).

The information contained in this certification is true and accurate, to the best of my knowledge.

Name of Subgrantee or Contractor	Name and Contract Number:	
Signature of Authorized Certifying Official:	Title:	Date:

<u>WARNING:</u> Section 1001 of the Title 18 of the United States Code (Criminal Code and Criminal Procedure, 72 Stat.967) applies to this certification. 18 U.S.C. 1001, among other things, provides that whoever knowingly and willfully makes or uses a document or writing knowing the same to contain any false, fictitious or fraudulent statement or entry, in any matter within jurisdiction of any department or agency of the United States, shall be fined no more than \$10,000 or imprisoned for not more than five years, or both.

Return this form to: Seattle Housing Authority Attn: Greg Antoine, Purchasing P.O. Box 19028 Seattle, WA 98109-1028

## Non-Profit Subgrantee Certifications and Assurances

The Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) requires that all non-profit Subgrantees on HOPE VI projects sign this "Certifications and Assurances" form certifying that they will comply with the specific federal requirements described below. The parties who must sign a "Certifications and Assurances" form are defined below:

• <u>Subgrantees:</u> These are non-profit organizations to which the Housing Authority (Housing Authority or Grantee) has awarded a grant from the HOPE VI grant that the Housing Authority received from HUD. The subgrantee is accountable to the Housing Authority for the use of the funds provided, but the Housing Authority is ultimately accountable to HUD.

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<u>Certification and Assurance</u>: The subgrantee executing this certification hereby assures and certifies that it will comply with all of the applicable requirements of the following, as the same may be amended from time to time, including adding appropriate provisions to all contracts between Grantee and Subgrantees in accordance with 24CFR Part 84 and Appendix A to Part 84.

- 1) Contracts in excess of the small purchase threshold shall contain contractual provisions or conditions that allow for administrative, contractual, or legal remedies in instances in which a contractor violates or breaches the contract terms, and provide for such remedial actions as may be appropriate.
- 2) All contracts in excess of the small purchase threshold shall contain suitable provisions for termination by the recipient, including the manner by which termination shall be effected and the basis for settlement. In addition, such contracts shall describe conditions under which the contract may be terminated for default as well as conditions where the contract may be terminated because of circumstances beyond the control of the contractor.
- 3) Except as otherwise required by statute, an award that requires the contracting (or subcontracting) for construction or facility improvements shall provide for the recipient to follow its own requirements relating to bid guarantees, performance bonds, and payment bonds unless the construction contract or subcontract exceeds \$100,000. For those contracts or subcontracts exceeding \$100,000, HUD may accept the bonding policy and requirements of the recipient, provided HUD has made a determination that the Federal Government's interest is adequately protected. If such a determination has not been made, the minimum requirements shall be as follows:
  - i) A bid guarantee from each bidder equivalent to five percent of the bid price. The "bid guarantee" shall consist of a firm commitment such as a bid bond, certified check, or other negotiable instrument accompanying a bid as assurance that the bidder shall, upon acceptance of his bid, execute such contractual documents as may be required within the time specified.

- ii) A performance bond on the part of the contractor for 100 percent of the contract price. A "performance bond" is one executed in connection with a contract to secure fulfillment of all the contractor's obligations under such contract.
- iii) A payment bond on the part of the contractor for 100 percent of the contract price. A "payment bond" is one executed in connection with a contract to assure payment as required by statute of all persons supplying labor and material in the execution of the work provided for in the contract.
- iv) Where bonds are required in the situations described herein, the bonds shall be obtained from companies holding certificates of authority as acceptable sureties pursuant to 31 CFR part 223, "Surety Companies Doing Business with the United States."
- 4) All negotiated contracts (except those for less than the small purchase threshold) awarded by recipients shall include a provision to the effect that the recipient, HUD, the Comptroller General of the United States, or any of their duly authorized representatives, shall have access to any books, documents, papers and records of the contractor which are directly pertinent to a specific program for the purpose of making audits, examinations, excerpts and transcriptions.
- 5) All contracts, including small purchases, awarded by recipients and their contractors shall contain the procurement provisions of Appendix A, as follows:
- 6) Equal Employment Opportunity-All contracts shall contain a provision requiring compliance with E.O. 11246, "Equal Employment Opportunity," as amended by E.O. 11375, "Amending Executive Order 11246 Relating to Equal Employment Opportunity," and as supplemented by regulations at 41 CFR part 60, "Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Equal Employment Opportunity, Department of Labor."
- 7) Copeland "Anti-Kickback" Act (18 U.S.C. 874 and 40 U.S.C. 276c)-All contracts and subgrants in excess of \$2000 for construction or repair awarded by recipients and subrecipients shall include a provision for compliance with the Copeland "Anti-Kickback" Act (18 U.S.C. 874), as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR part 3, "Contractors and Subcontractors on Public Building or Public Work Financed in Whole or in Part by Loans or Grants from the United States"). The Act provides that each contractor or subrecipient shall be prohibited from inducing, by any means, any person employed in the construction, completion, or repair of public work, to give up any part of the compensation to which he is otherwise entitled. The recipient shall report all suspected or reported violations to HUD.
- 8) Davis-Bacon Act, as amended (40 U.S.C. 276a to a-7)-When required by Federal program legislation, all construction contracts awarded by the recipients and subrecipients of more than \$2000 shall include a provision for compliance with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. 276a to a-7) and as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR part 5, "Labor Standards Provisions Applicable to Contracts Governing Federally Financed and Assisted Construction"). Under this Act, contractors shall be required to pay wages to

laborers and mechanics at a rate not less than the minimum wages specified in a wage determination made by the Secretary of Labor. In addition, contractors shall be required to pay wages not less than once a week. The recipient shall place a copy of the current prevailing wage determination issued by the Department of Labor in each solicitation and the award of a contract shall be conditioned upon the acceptance of the wage determination. The recipient shall report all suspected or reported violations to HUD.

- 9) Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. 327 through 333)-Where applicable, all contracts awarded by recipients in excess of \$2000 for construction contracts and in excess of \$2500 for other contracts that involve the employment of mechanics or laborers shall include a provision for compliance with Sections 102 and 107 of the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. 327-333), as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR part 5). Under Section 102 of the Act, each contractor shall be required to compute the wages of every mechanic and laborer on the basis of a standard workweek of 40 hours. Work in excess of the standard workweek is permissible provided that the worker is compensated at a rate of not less than 1 1/2 times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in the workweek. Section 107 of the Act is applicable to construction work and provides that no laborer or mechanic shall be required to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous. These requirements do not apply to the purchases of supplies or materials or articles ordinarily available on the open market, or contracts for transportation or transmission of intelligence.
- 10) 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 theFederal Government and the recipient in any resulting invention in accordance with 37 CFR 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.
- 11) Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7401 et seq.) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33
  U.S.C. 1251 et seq.), as amended-Contracts and subgrants of amounts in excess of \$100,000 shall contain a provision that requires the recipient to agree to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7401 et seq.) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 U.S.C. 1251 et seq.). Violations shall be reported to HUD and the Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).
- 12) Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. 1352)- Contractors who apply or bid for an award of \$100,000 or more shall file the required certification. Each tier certifies to the tier above that it will not and has not used Federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any Federal contract, grant or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. 1352. Each tier shall also disclose any lobbying with non-Federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any Federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the recipient.

- 13) Debarment and Suspension (E.O.s 12549 and 12689)-No contract shall be made to parties listed on the General Services Administration's List of Parties Excluded from Federal Procurement or Nonprocurement Programs in accordance with E.O.s 12549 and 12689, "Debarment and Suspension," as set forth at 24 CFR part 24. This list contains the names of parties debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded by agencies, and contractors declared ineligible under statutory or regulatory authority other than E.O. 12549. Contractors with awards that exceed the small purchase threshold shall provide the required certification regarding its exclusion status and that of its principal employees.
- 14) Drug-Free Workplace Requirements-The Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988 (42 U.S.C. 701) requires grantees (including individuals) of federal agencies, as a prior condition of being awarded a grant, to certify that they will provide drug-free workplaces. Each potential recipient must certify that it will comply with drug-free workplace requirements in accordance with the Act and with HUD's rules at 24 CFR part 24, subpart F.

The information contained in this certification is true and accurate, to the best of my knowledge.

Name of Subgrantee	Name and Contract Number:	
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