#### FOLLOW ALL PROCEDURES ON BACK OF THIS FORM

Contract # 210113

Number Assigned by Purchasing Dept.



# **CONTRACT REVIEW**

BOARD MEETING DATE:

WHEN BOARD APPROVAL IS REQUIRED DO NOT PLACE ITEM ON AGENDA UNTIL REVIEW IS COMPLETED

☐ Must Have Board Approval over \$100,000.00 Date Submitted: 4/1/2021 Name of Contract Initiator: Philip Hans Telephone #: 66827 School/Dept Submitting Contract: Maintenance Cost Center # 9021 Vendor Name: Trane Contract Title: Trane Select Service Agreement for 6 Schools: MRE, KHE, KHH, WES, WJH, Contract Type: New ₺ Renewal □ Amendment □ Extension □ Previous Year Contract # 170139 Renewal Option(s): Auto Renew for periods of 1 year Contract Term: 11/16/2021 - 11/15/2024 Contract Cost: Total Cost: \$746,424.00 (Year 1: \$248,808.00, Year 2: \$248,808.00, Year 3: \$248,808.00) □ BUDGETED FUNDS – SEND CONTRACT PACKAGE DIRECTLY TO PURCHASING DEPT Funding Source: Budget Line #\_ Funding Source: Budget Line #\_ □ NO COST MASTER (COUNTY WIDE) CONTRACT - SEND CONTRACT PACKAGE DIRECTLY TO PURCHASING DEPT □ INTERNAL ACCOUNT - IF FUNDED FROM SCHOOL IA FUNDS – SEND CONTRACT PACKAGE DIRECTLY TO SBAO REQUIRED DOCUMENTS FOR CONTRACT REVIEW PACKAGE (when applicable): HITCHNETY Completed Contract Review Form SBAO Template Contract or other Contract (NOT SIGNED by District / School) APR 26 ANT X SIGNED Addendum A (if not an SBAO Template Contract)\* \*This Statement MUST BE included in the body of the Contract: "The terms and conditions of Addendum A are hereby incorporated into this Agreement and the same shall PERCHASING govern and prevail over any conflicting terms and/or conditions herein stated." Certificate of Insurance (COI) for General Liability & Workers' Compensation that meet these requirements: COI must list the School Board of Clay County, Florida as an Additional Insured and Certificate Holder. Insurer must be rated as A- or better. General Liability = \$1,000,000 Each Occurrence & \$2,000,000 General Aggregate. Auto Liability = \$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit (\$5,000,000 for Charter Buses). Workers' Compensation = \$100,000 Minimum [If exempt from Workers' Compensation Insurance, vendor/contractor must sign a Release and Hold Harmless Form. If not exempt, vendor/contractor must provide Workers' Compensation coverage]. State of Florida Workers Comp Exemption (https://apps.fldfs.com/bocexempt/) (If Applicable) COVID-19 Waiver (If Applicable) Release and Hold Harmless (If Applicable) \*\*AREA BELOW FOR DISTRICT PERSONNEL ONLY \*\* **CONTRACT REVIEWED BY:** COMMENTS BELOW BY REVIEWING DEPARTMENT **Purchasing Department** Piggyback US Communities Contract / RFP # 15-JLP-023 (Auto Renewal may not be available if Piggyback is expired) Trane has agreed to sign SBCC Addendum A Review Date School Board Attor **Review Date** Other Dept. as Necessary Review Date PENDING STATUS: □YES □NO IF YES, HIGHLIGHTED COMMENTS ABOVE MUST BE CORRECTED BY INITIATOR DATE: 5/2/21 **FINAL STATUS** 

# CONTRACT REVIEW PROCESS FOR "ALL" CONTRACTS

A contract is defined as an agreement between two or more parties that is intended to have legal effect. This may include MOUs, Interlocal Agreements, Service Agreements and Contracts. Contracts document the mutual understanding between the parties as to the terms and conditions of their agreement, contain mutual obligations, and clearly state the agreement's consideration. The term consideration includes the cost of the services and/or products to be provided by second party (vendor or service provider) and any non-monetary performance. No school, department, or other organizational unit has authority to contract in its own name. All Board contracts must be made in the legal name of the Board, "The School Board of Clay County, Florida". The School or Department may extend this name to include the school or department as follows, "The School Board of Clay County, Florida o/b/o (insert the school or department name)" where o/b/o means "on behalf of".

All contracts shall be reviewed and approved by the School Board Attorney and/or the Supervisor of Purchasing to ensure legality, compliance with Board policy, and to ensure the Board interests are protected before the authorized signatory may execute the contract.

All contracts having a value of \$100,000 or more shall be authorized by the Board at a regular or special meeting and signed by the Board Chairman. All approved contracts having a value of less than \$100,000 may be executed by the Superintendent or appropriate District administrator based on the value of the contract.

- 1. All approved contracts having a value of \$50,000 or more, but less than \$100,000 shall be signed by the Superintendent, or the person who has been designated, in writing by the Superintendent, as the Superintendent's Designee at the time of the contract signing. All contracts executed pursuant to this subparagraph shall be reported to the School Board in a separate entry as part of the monthly financial report.
- 2. All approved contracts having a value of \$25,000 or more, but less than \$50,000, shall be signed by the Superintendent, or the Assistant Superintendent for Business Affairs.
- 3. All approved contracts having a value of less than \$25,000 and contracts of any value described in Board Authorized Contracts above that are exempt from the requirement for Board approval, may be signed by the Superintendent, or the Assistant Superintendent for their Division, or Chief Officers, or Directors, or Principals.
- 4. The Superintendent is authorized to approve contract amendments or change orders for the purchase of commodities and services up to the amount of ten (10) percent or \$50,000, whichever is less, of the original contract amount that was previously approved by the Board.

Employees who enter into agreements without authority may be personally liable for such agreements, whether oral or written.

Step 1: Contract Initiator and Vendor prepare draft contract (School Board Attorney Office (SBAO) Template Contracts available on SBAO webpage are strongly encouraged)

Step 2: Complete Contract Review Form, attach Required Documents to include the UNSIGNED Contract by the District / School.

For Contracts using Budgeted Funds or For No Cost / Master (County Wide) Contracts:
Initiator submits Contract Review Package to Purchasing Department - See Step 3

For Contracts using Internal Funds Individual to each School:
Initiator submits Contract Review Package direct to SBAO - See Step 4



<u>Step 3</u>: If Funded by Budgeted Funds, submit the Contract Review Package to the Purchasing Department.

Purchasing will begin the contract review process and submit the contract to the SBAO for review. SBAO may reach out to Initiator and/or other Departments (Risk, IT,) with questions or concerns and will assist with contract revisions. SBAO will send the Contract Review Package back to the Purchasing Department for final processing and the return to Initiator.

Purchasing will log "District" Contracts (Cost/No Cost) on Contract Review Log and save copy of the Contract Review Package PLUS the Final Signed Contract you've return to Purchasing in the Contract Review Team Drive.

Step 4: If Funded by Internal Account (IA), submit the Contract Review Package directly to SBAO.
Email: <a href="mailto:contractreview@myoneclay.net">contractreview@myoneclay.net</a>
The SBAO will begin the contract review process and return it directly to Initiator

Step 5: The Initiator is responsible for finalizing the Contract which includes: Addressing Comments/Revisions, Obtaining Required Signatures, Send District Final Signed Contract to Purchasing OR Retain Internal Accounts Final Signed Contract at School per School Board Record Policy.

If there is a Cost associated with Contract, the Initiator must work with their Bookkeeper to finalize the Purchasing Process.

Budgeted Funds require a District Purchase Order. Internal Accounts require an IA Purchase Order.

For assistance with legal-related matters, please visit the <u>School Board Attorney's Office ("SBAO") webpage</u> or call 904-336-6507 For assistance with insurance-related matters, please visit the <u>Business Affairs - Risk Management webpage</u> or call 904-336-6745 For assistance with District Purchasing, please visit the <u>Business Affairs - Purchasing webpage</u> or call 904-336-6736



Clay Count



**Trane Office** 

Trane U.S. Inc. 8929 Western Way Jacksonville, FL 32256-8391

**Trane Representative** 

Allan Bond Cell: (386) 233-4665 Office: (904) 363-6088

Proposal **US Communities** 

41-183146-21-001

**Contact Telephone Number for** Service

904-363-6088

**Quote Number / Co-op Contract** 

Number

41-183146-21-001/USC 15-JLP-023

Company Name
Clay County School District School Board of 905 Center Street Green Cove Springs, FL 32043 U.S.A. Phil Hans

Site Address:

SCHOOLS INCLUDED IN PROPOSAL INCLUDE

| Mccrae    | ES |  |
|-----------|----|--|
| Keystone  | ES |  |
| Keystone  | HS |  |
| Wilkinson | ES |  |
| Wilkinson | MS |  |
| Clay HIII | ES |  |

March 31st, 2021









#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

This **Select Service Agreement** includes parts and labor coverage for HVAC equipment repairs under the umbrella of an annual planned maintenance contract. It is the easiest, most affordable and most reassuring way to ensure your HVAC equipment is continuously operating at peak performance levels.

Under this service agreement, you will hand off the responsibilities for planning, scheduling and managing routine maintenance to Trane. Plus, the added repair coverage helps you minimize unplanned downtime and avoid unexpected expenses.

As an HVAC service provider, Trane offers many advantages:

- Confidence that your HVAC equipment is being cared for according to OEM best practices for both frequency and procedures
- Priority service, available 24-hours a day, giving your facility precedence during urgent situations
- Advanced diagnostic technologies, allowing our technicians to analyze system performance more comprehensively, so they can identify and correct a broader set of conditions

**Protect your bottom line.** Proper maintenance can save an estimated 12 to 18 percent of your budget compared to a run-to-fail approach. This service agreement will help you capture those savings. (*FEMP*) *O&M Guide 2010* 

# FOCUSED ON BETTER BUILDINGS

When it comes to service effectiveness, experience matters. No other provider has more experience than Trane.

- 100+ years of system and equipment experience
- 35+ years in building automation systems (BAS)
- 20+ years in energy services

#### **ADDITIONAL SUPPORT**

Trane offers a wide range of maintenance and repair services beyond the scope of this service agreement. Ask your Trane representative for details.

# ENVIRONMENTAL PRACTICES

Trane procedures for handling refrigerant are compliant with federal and state regulations.

# CONSISTENT PROCESSES

All Trane technicians follow documented processes ensuring uniform service delivery.

#### SAFETY

Trane incident rates (OSHA) are consistently 50 to 70 percent below industry averages.

#### ASSIGNED TEAM

You will have a consistent group of Trane employees dedicated to your account.





# Scope of Services

## SCOPE OF SERVICES — STANDARD INCLUSIONS

# ANY HVAC SYSTEM IS ONLY AS STRONG AS ITS INDIVIDUAL MECHANICAL COMPONENTS

This service agreement with Trane protects and enhances full system functionality by ensuring that components are well maintained and functioning to OEM standards. And it is tailored to four needs. The following are the standard inclusions of your service agreement:

This quotation is Per US Communities Quote 41-183146-21-001 and Contract Number 15-JLP-02

#### SCHOOLS INCLUDED IN PROPOSAL INCLUDE

| Mccrae    | ËS |  |
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| Keystone  | ËS |  |
| Keystone  | HS |  |
| Wilkinson | ES |  |
| Wilkinson | MS |  |
| Clay Hill | ES |  |

Thank you for continuing to choose Trane Building Services as your premier HVAC support partner. We are committed to working with you on your additional schools, further strengthening our relationship, and assisting you in meeting your key indicators to make your facilities among the best the state.

Trane has had a long working relationship with Clay County Schools. We have grown together and worked on projects ranging in size from hundreds of dollars to hundreds of thousands of dollars. As one of the largest school customers/partners in the Southeast, Clay County Schools is critical to our success. This is why you have a team of people from Trane who will support the district and our mutual success:

#### **Current Local School Team Members**

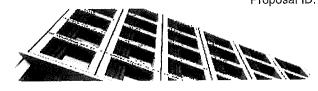
- Mark Pelchat Service Operation Leader North Florida
- Alan Fridley Area Service Manager
- Allan Bond Team Services Account Manager
- Bert Bost Team Equipment Account Manager
- Boone Lewis Controls Services Leader
- Eddie Davis Service Technician Lead for Clay Schools
- Tera Hagar Trane School Recourse Coordinator
- School Technician Pool (45 Trane techs in the area)

With our current team in place, expanding to meet the needs of the district will be simple for us. Our school team understands the needs of the district so we supplement labor as we grow together. This local foundation does not change for Trane. Because we have dedicated technicians, the district does not have to worry about lack of familiarity, protocol, and equipment location. Along with the team we have in place, Trane continues to meet the expectations and deliverables on other fronts by offering the following as well:

#### **School Dude Use**

At the beginning of the new contract Trane will use the School Dude application to manage the work orders and track the repairs and PMs. The District will provide Trane with access to the systems and allow for needed administrative levels to effectively and efficiently use the system.





#### **Regular Status Meetings**

For larger contract customers like Clay Schools, Trane has regularly scheduled status meetings with the customer. We started this best practice at other districts and customers years ago. Since its inception, we have adopted it as best practice. This keeps us all connected and ensures open communication between teams.

#### Trane Factory Training for Clay County School technicians

Another addition of the contract we can offer is scheduled training. Examples of training may include :Controls Training, VFD training (CCPS Personnel who complete the training would be able to purchase Trane VFDs and perform start-up on their own and get industry leading 3 year parts and labor warranty standard), Screw Compressors, Scroll Compressors, and Unitary to name a few. With the award of all six schools, we would offer four seats per year of factory lead training. This may be subject to limitations on COVID-19 restrictions

#### **Dedicated Response for Opening Day of School**

Another "best practice" Trane has coined is to have on standby a set number of technicians to be dispatched to CCSB the opening day of school. This has minimized downtime and ensure rapid response that first day of school. With other customers who have this program in place the first day of school has gone virtually flawless.

#### TRANE SCHEDULED MAINTENANCE

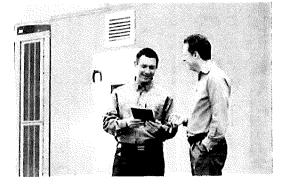
Factory authorized Trane service technicians perform all periodic maintenance, following OEM standards, to keep HVAC and BAS equipment running optimally and prevent unplanned downtime. Trane assumes all responsibilities for planning, scheduling and managing routine maintenance on Trane HVAC equipment and other brands.

#### Advantages:

- Trust one assigned maintenance team for all HVAC equipment brands
- Receive consistent service outcomes through proprietary Six Sigma maintenance procedures
- Save money compared to ad-hoc service calls

#### Implementation:

- Technician visits are scheduled in advance
- Service is completed during normal business hours
- Basic supplies, such as grease, cleaning solvents and wiping cloths, are included in the annual fee







#### REPAIR COVERAGE FOR SELECTED COMPONENTS

Repair Coverage pre-authorizes Trane to repair selected system components. Costs for parts and labor (performed during normal Trane business hours) are included within the coverage of the annual maintenance contract. The scope of this coverage is specified later in this agreement.

#### Advantages:

- Minimize unplanned downtime by giving Trane the authority to take care of repairs proactively
- Make repairs a budget item, not an unexpected expense
- Maintain optimal system performance

#### Implementation:

- Collaborative selection of covered systems and components (See equipment list Addendum)
- Repair or replacement of failed or worn components \*
- All labor included during normal hours Separate invoicing for overtime and after-hours labor if needed



DX HVAC equipment 20 years old or older is eligible for planned maintenance and repairs with the exception of coil replacement and compressors. Equipment this age is beyond the average life expectancy of this type of equipment and is recommended to replace equipment if a coil or compressor fails. Trane will provide the labor to replace the compressor or coll on these 20 years and older equipment if the school supplies them. Additionally, if the school decides to supply replace the failed equipment, in emergency situations Trane will provide labor assistance with that effort. This agreement assumes that the customer will continue its current practice to replace aging equipment in normal capital improvement planning and keep equipment age within recommended limits.



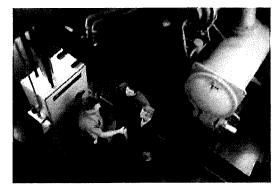






#### REFRIGERANT MANAGEMENT

US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has placed in effect more stringent regulations on refrigerant management and reporting in 2017. Section 608 of the Clean Air Act prohibits the knowing release of refrigerant during the maintenance, service, repair, or disposal of air-conditioning and refrigeration equipment. The EPA requires proper refrigerant management practices by owners and operators of refrigeration and air-conditioning systems, all servicing technicians and others. The Clean Air Act requires owners to maintain records of refrigerant usage and leak rates for each air-conditioning or refrigeration appliance with refrigerant charge greater than 50 lbs. and for disposal of units between 5 and 50 lbs. of refrigerant. These records



must be maintained for 3 years and be directly accessible if audited by the EPA. This brief summary of Section 608 of the Clean Air Act is provided for informational purposes only and is not for the purpose of providing legal advice. You should contact your attorney to obtain advice with respect to the application of Section 608 of the Clean Air Act to your business.

Trane Technicians are Universally certified (the highest level possible) to service, manage, and document your refrigerant and are knowledgeable of applicable law and time constrains to repair leaks. Trane Technicians track all refrigerant in all equipment serviced regardless of appliance size.

When a customer has *all* their refrigerant work performed by a Trane technician - Trane Refrigerant Management software maintains complete record of refrigerant transactions and appliance leak rates. Refrigerant reports provided by Trane will contain the information to satisfy EPA record keeping requirements.

#### Advantages:

- Real time reporting of refrigerant leak rate informs proactive decisions
- Stay in compliance with state and federal regulations
- Provide acceptable documentation to authorities during audits
- Maintain company environmental standards
- Detect potential refrigerant leaks before equipment damage occurs

#### Implementation:

- Technicians collect refrigerant information for covered equipment during onsite visits
- Refrigerant data and technician activity are entered into the Trane Refrigerant Management System
- Refrigerant Usage Reports are generated according to your needs





#### TRANE LABORATORY ANALYSIS

Trane Laboratory Analysis tests system fluids for contaminants and other physical characteristics and trends. Conditions indicating sub-optimal HVAC system performance are identified before issues become critical.

#### Advantages:

- Head off equipment failures and unplanned downtime
- Identify long-term equipment performance trends
- Gain definitive insights through Trane experience and expertise

#### Implementation:

- Samples collected by Trane technicians during maintenance as stated in this agreement
- · Laboratory analysis of oil, absorption solutions and refrigerants
- · Consistent testing according to Trane best-practice protocols year after year

#### **COOLING CONTINGENCY PLANNING**

Cooling Contingency Planning anticipates high-risk or unusual situations, and develops strategies for responding to emergencies. With multiple equipment rental depots and numerous warehouse sites strategically located across North America, Trane response time is among the fastest (and most comprehensive) in the industry.

#### Advantages:

- Mitigate risks with thorough advance planning
- Shorten the duration of downtime with immediate access to temporary equipment
- Alleviate negative consequences: productivity losses, fines, inventory spoilage, lost business

#### Implementation:

- Trane account managers and/or technicians assist in the development of the customized contingency plan:
  - Equipment planning for temporary air conditioning and portable auxiliary power units
  - Recommendations for facility modifications to prepare for temporary cooling
- Contingency plan kept on file at your facility and at Trane









See Attached List of equipment: Appendix A - HVAC Equipment Coverage List



### SITE COVERAGE

#### SCHOOLS INCLUDED IN PROPOSAL INCLUDE

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#### PRICING AND ACCEPTANCE

Phil Hans

Clay County School District 905 Center Street Green Cove Springs, FL 32043 U.S.A.

**Trane Service Agreement** 

This Service Agreement consists of the pages beginning with the title page entitled "Select Service Agreement," to consecutively numbered pages by following such title page, and includes and ends with the Trane Terms and Conditions (Service) (collections (Service) (collections) (collections) (service) (service) (collections) (service) (collections) (service) (collections) (service) (collections) (service) (collections) (service) (collections) (service) (service)

#### Service Fee

As the fee(s) (the "Service Fee(s)") for the inspection and maintenance services described in the Scope of Service section with respect to the Covered Equipment, Customer agrees to pay to Trane the following amounts, plus applicable tax, as and when due. Appendix B - Service Fees per School (Pages 1 through 6)

| Term   | Annual       | Monthly      |
|--------|--------------|--------------|
| Year 1 | \$248,808.00 | \$ 20,734.00 |
| Year 2 | \$248,808.00 | \$ 20,734.00 |
| Year 3 | \$248,808.00 | \$ 20,734.00 |

#### Term

The Initial Term of this Service Agreement is November 16, 2021 and ending November 15, 2024. However, Trane's obligation under this Agreement will not begin until authorized representatives of Trane and Customer have both signed this Agreement in the spaces provided below.

Following expiration of the initial term on November 15, 2024, this Agreement shall renew automatically for successive periods of 1 year (the "Renewal Term") until terminated as provided herein. If you do not want to renew this Agreement for the Renewal Term, please notify Trane by telephone or by U.S. mail prior to the expiration date set forth in the preceding sentence. If any questions arise regarding this Service Agreement or how to cancel this Agreement, Trane can be reached either by telephone at 904-363-6088 or by direct mail addressed to: 8929 Western Way Jacksonville, FL 32256-8391.

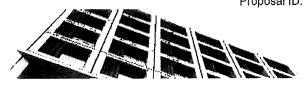
**Renewal Pricing Adjustment** 

The Service Fees for an impending Renewal Term shall be the current Service Fees (defined as the Service Fees for the initial Term or Renewal Term immediately preceding the impending Renewal Term) annually adjusted based on changes to the cost of service. The Service Fees for an impending Renewal Term shall be set forth in the service renewal letter furnished to Customer.

#### Cancellation by Customer Prior to Services; Refund

If Customer cancels this Agreement within (a) thirty (30) days of the date this Agreement was mailed to Customer or (b) twenty (20) days of the date this Agreement was delivered to Customer, if it was delivered at the time of sale, and







if no Services have been provided by Company under this Agreement, the Agreement will be void and Company will refund to Customer, or credit Customer's account, the full Service Fee of this Agreement that Customer paid to Company, if any. A ten percent (10%) penalty per month will be added to a refund that is due but is not paid or credited within forty-five (45) days after return of this Agreement to Company. Customer's right to cancel this Agreement only applies to the original owner of this Agreement and only if no Services have been provided by Company under this Agreement prior to its return to Company.

#### Cancellation by Company

This Agreement may be cancelled during the Initial Term or, if applicable, a Renewal Term for any reason or no reason, upon written notice from Company to Customer no later than 30 days prior to the scheduled expiration date and Company will refund to Customer, or credit Customer's account, that part of the Service Fee attributable to Services not performed by Company. Customer shall remain liable for and shall pay to Company all amounts due for Services provided by Company and not yet paid.

#### **COVID-19 National Emergency Clause**

The parties agree that they are entering into this Agreement while the nation is in the midst of a national emergency due to the Covid-19 pandemic ("Covid-19 Pandemic"). With the continued existence of Covid-19 Pandemic and the evolving guidelines and executive orders, it is difficult to determine the impact of the Covid-19 Pandemic on Trane's performance under this Agreement. Consequently, the parties agree as follows:

- 1. Each party shall use commercially reasonable efforts to perform its obligations under the Agreement and to meet the schedule and completion dates, subject to provisions below;
- 2. Each party will abide by any federal, state (US), provincial (Canada) or local orders, directives, or advisories regarding the Covid-19 Pandemic with respect to its performance of its obligations under this Agreement and each shall have the sole discretion in determining the appropriate and responsible actions such party shall undertake to so abide or to safeguard its employees, subcontractors, agents and suppliers;
- 3. Each party shall use commercially reasonable efforts to keep the other party informed of pertinent updates or developments regarding its obligations as the Covid-19 Pandemic situation evolves; and
- If Trane's performance is delayed or suspended as a result of the Covid-19 Pandemic, Trane shall be entitled to an equitable adjustment to the project schedule and/or the contract price.

The terms and conditions of Addendum A are hereby incorporated into this Agreement and the same shall govern and prevail over any conflicting terms and/or conditions herein stated

| CUSTOMER ACCEPTANCE       | TRANE ACCEPTANCE Trane U.S. Inc.     |  |
|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| Authorized Representative | Submitted By: Allan Bond / Bert Bost |  |
| Authorized Representative | ·                                    |  |
|                           | Proposal Date: March 31st, 2021      |  |
| Printed Name              | Cell: (386) 233- 4665                |  |
|                           | Office: (904) 363-6088               |  |
| Title                     |                                      |  |
|                           | Authorized Representative            |  |
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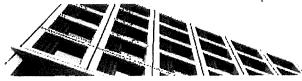




The Initial Term of this Service Agreement beginning November 16, 2021 . Total Contract Amount: \$746,424.00

Proposal ID: Quote 41-183146-21-001







## TERMS AND CONDITIONS

"Company" shall mean Trane U.S. Inc..

- 1. Agreement. These terms and conditions ("Terms") are an integral part of Company's offer and form the basis of any agreement (the "Agreement") resulting from Company's proposal (the "Proposal") for the following commercial services as stated in the Proposal (collectively, the "Services"): inspection, maintenance and repair (the "Maintenance Services") on equipment (the "Covered Equipment"), specified Additional Work (if any), and, if included in the Proposal, Intelligent Services, Energy Assessment, Energy Performance Solutions, and any other services using remote connectivity (collectively and individually referred to in these Terms as "Energy and Building Performance Services"). COMPANY'S TERMS ARE SUBJECT TO PERIODIC CHANGE OR AMENDMENT.
- Connected Services, In addition to these terms and conditions, the Connected Services Terms of Service ("Connected Services Terms"), available at https://www.trane.com/TraneConnectedServicesTerms, as updated from time to time, are incorporated herein by reference and shall apply to the extent that Company provides Customer with Connected Services, as defined in the Connected Services Terms.

  3. Acceptance. The Proposal is subject to acceptance in writing by the party to whom this offer is made or an authorized agent ("Customer") delivered to Company
- within 30 days from the date of the Proposal. If Customer accepts the Proposal by placing an order, without the addition of any other terms and conditions of sale or any other modification, Customer's order shall be deemed acceptance of the Proposal subject to these Terms and Conditions. If Customer's order is expressly conditioned upon Company's acceptance or assent to terms and/or conditions other than those expressed herein, return of such order by Company with Company's Terms and Conditions attached or referenced serves as Company's notice of objection to Customer's terms and as Company's counter-offer to perform in accordance with the Proposal and Company Terms and Conditions. If Customer does not reject or object in writing to Company within 10 days, Company's counter-offer will be deemed accepted. Customer's acceptance of performance by Company will in any event constitute an acceptance by Customer of Company's Terms and Conditions. This Agreement is subject to credit approval by Company. Upon disapproval of credit, Company may delay or suspend performance or, at its option, renegotiate prices and/or Terms and Conditions with Customer. If Company and Customer are unable to agree on such revisions, this Agreement shall be cancelled without any liability, other than Customer's obligation to pay for Services provided by Company to the date of cancellation.
- 4. Fees and Taxes. Fees for the Services (the "Service Fees") are as set forth in the Proposal. Except as otherwise stated in the Proposal, Service Fees are based on performance during regular business hours. Charges for performance outside Company's normal business hours shall be billed separately according to the then prevailing overtime or emergency labor/labour rates. In addition to the stated Service Fees, Customer shall pay all taxes not legally required to be paid by Company or, alternatively, shall provide Company with an acceptable tax exemption certificate.
- 5. Payment. Payment is due upon receipt of Company's invoice. Service Fees shall be paid no less frequently than quarterly and in advance of performance of the Services. Company reserves the right to add to any account outstanding for more than 30 days a service charge equal to the lesser of the maximum allowable legal interest rate or 1.5% of the principal amount due at the end of each month. Without liability to Customer, Company may discontinue performance whenever payment is overdue. Customer shall pay all costs (including attorneys' fees) incurred by Company in attempting to collect amounts due or otherwise enforcing this Agreement.
- 6. Customer Breach. Each of the following constitutes a breach by Customer and shall give Company the right, without an election of remedies, to suspend performance or terminate this Agreement by delivery of written notice declaring termination. Upon termination, Customer shall be liable to the Company for all Services furnished to date and all damages sustained by Company (including lost profit and overhead); (a) Any failure by Customer to pay amounts when due; (b) any general assignment by Customer for the benefit of its creditors, Customer's bankruptcy, insolvency, or receivership; (c) Any representation or warranty furnished by Customer in connection with this Agreement is false or misleading in any material respect when made; or (d) Any failure by Customer to perform or comply with any material provision of this Agreement.
- 7. Performance. Company shall perform the Services in accordance with industry standards generally applicable in the state or province where the Services are performed under similar circumstances when Company performs the Services. Company may refuse to perform where working conditions could endanger properly or put people at risk. Unless otherwise agreed by Customer and Company, at Customer's expense and before the Services begin, Customer will provide any necessary access platforms, catwalks to safely perform the Services in compliance with OSHA, state, or provincial industrial safety regulations or any other applicable industrial safety standards or guidelines. This Agreement presupposes that all major pieces of Covered Equipment are in proper operating condition as of the date hereof. Services furnished are premised on the Covered Equipment being in a maintainable condition. In no event shall Company have any obligation to replace Covered Equipment that is no longer maintainable. During the first 30 days of this Agreement, or upon initial inspection, and/or upon seasonal start-up (if included in the Services), if an inspection by Company of Covered Equipment indicates repairs or replacement is required, Company will provide a written quotation for such repairs or replacement. If Customer does not authorize such repairs or replacement, Company may remove the unacceptable equipment from the Covered Equipment and adjust the Service Fees accordingly. Customer authorizes Company to utilize Customer's telephone line or network infrastructure to connect to controls, systems and/or equipment provided or serviced by Company and to provide Services contracted for or otherwise requested by Customer, including remote diagnostic and repair service. Customer acknowledges that Company is not responsible for any adverse impact to Customer's communications and network infrastructure. Company may elect to install/attach to Customer equipment or provide portable devices (hardware and/or software) for execution of control or diagnostic procedures. Such devices shall remain the personal proprietary property of Company and in no event shall become a fixture of Customer locations. Customer shall not acquire any interest, title or equity in any hardware, software, processes, and other intellectual or proprietary rights to devices used in connection with the Services on Customer equipment. Company may remove such devices at its discretion. Parts used for any repairs made will be those selected by Company as suitable for the repair and may be parts not manufactured by Company,
- 8. Customer Obligations. Customer shall: (a) Provide Company reasonable and safe access to the Covered Equipment and areas where Company is to work; (b) Follow manufacturer recommendations concerning teardown and internal inspection, major overhaul, restoration or refurbishing of the Covered Equipment; unless expressly stated in the Scope of Services statement, Company is not performing any manufacturer recommended teardown and internal inspection, major overhaul, restoration or refurbishing of the Covered Equipment; and (c) Where applicable, unless water treatment is expressly included in the Services, provide professional cooling tower water treatment in accordance with any reasonable recommendations provided by Company.
- 9. Exclusions. Unless expressly included in the Covered Equipment or the Services, the Services do not include, and Company shall not be responsible for or liable to the Customer for any claims, losses, damages or expenses suffered by the Customer in any way connected with, relating to or arising from, any of the following: (a) Any guarantee of room conditions or system performance; (b) Inspection, maintenance, repair, replacement of or services for: chilled water and condenser water pumps and piping; electrical disconnect switches or circuit breakers; motor starting equipment that is not factory mounted and interconnecting power wiring; recording or portable instruments, gauges or thermometers; non-moving parts or non-maintainable parts of the system, including, but not limited to, storage tanks; pressure vessels, shells, colls, tubes, housings, castings, casings, drain pans, panels, duct work; piping: hydraulic, hydronic, pneumatic, gas, or refrigerant; insulation; pipe covering; refractory material; fuses, unit cabinets; electrical wiring; ductwork or conduit; electrical distribution system; hydronic structural supports and similar items; the appearance of decorative casing or cabinets; damage sustained by other equipment or systems; and/or any failure, misadjustment or design deficiencies in other equipment or systems; (c) Damage, repairs or replacement of parts made necessary as a result of electrical power failure, low voltage, burned out main or branch fuses, low water pressure, vandalism, misuse or abuse, wear and tear, end of life failure, water damage, improper operation, unauthorized alteration of equipment, accident, acts or omissions of Customer or others, damage due to freezing weather, calamity, malicious act, or any Event of Force Majeure; (d) Any damage or malfunction resulting from vibration, electrolytic action, freezing, contamination, corrosion, erosion, or caused by scale or sludge on internal tubes except where water treatment protection services are provided by Company as part of this Agreement; (e) Furnishing any Items of equipment, material, or labor/labour, or performing special tests recommended or required by insurance companies or federal, state, or local governments; (f) Failure or inadequacy of any structure or foundation supporting or surrounding the equipment to be worked on or any portion thereof; (g) Building access or alterations that might be necessary to repair or replace Customer's existing equipment; (h) The normal function of starting and stopping equipment or the opening and closing of valves, dampers or regulators normally installed to protect equipment against damage; (i) Valves that are not factory mounted: balance, stop, control, and other valves external to the device unless specifically

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included in the Agreement; (j) Any responsibility for design or redesign of the system or the Covered Equipment, obsolescence, safety tests, or removal or reinstallation of valve bodies and dampers; (k) Any services, claims, or damages arising out of Customer's failure to comply with its obligations under this Agreement; (I) Failure of Customer to follow manufacturer recommendations concerning teardown and internal inspection, overhaul and refurbishing of equipment; (m) Any claims, damages, losses, or expenses, arising from or related to conditions that existed in, on, or upon the premises before the effective date of this Agreement ("Pre-Existing Conditions"), including, without limitation, damages, losses, or expenses involving pre-existing building envelope issues, mechanical issues, plumbing issues, and/or indoor air quality issues involving mold/mould and/or fungl; (n) Replacement of refrigerant is expressly stated as included within the Services, in which case replacement shall in no event exceed the stated percentage of rated system charge per year expressly stated in the Services; (o) crane or rigging costs; (p) Any Services, claims, or damages arising out of refrigerant not supplied by Trane. Customer shall be responsible for: (i) The cost of any additional replacement refrigerant; (ii) Operation of any equipment; and (iii) Any claims, damages, losses, or expenses, arising from or related to work done by or services provided by individuals or entities that are not employed by or hired by Company.

10. Limited Warranty. Company warrants that: (a) the material manufactured by Company and provided to Customer in performance of the Services is free from defects in material and manufacture for a period of 12 months from the earlier of the date of equipment start-up or replacement; and (b) the labor/labour portion of the Maintenance Services and Additional Work has been properly performed for a period of 90 days from date of completion (the "Limited Warranty"). Company obligations of equipment start-up, if any are stated in the Proposal, are coterminous with the Limited Warranty period. Defects must be reported to Company within the Limited Warranty period. Company's obligation under the Limited Warranty is limited to repairing or replacing the defective part at its option and to correcting any labor/labour improperly performed by Company. No liability whatsoever shall attach to Company until the Maintenance Services and Additional Work have been paid for in full. Exclusions from this Warranty include claims, losses, damages and expenses in any way connected with, related to or arising from failure or malfunction of equipment due to the following: wear and tear; end of life failure; corrosion; erosion; deterioration; Customer's failure to follow the Company-provided maintenance plan; unauthorized or improper maintenance; unauthorized or improper paris or material; refrigerant not supplied by Trane; and modifications made by others to equipment. Company shall not be obligated to pay for the cost of lost refrigerant or lost product. Some components of equipment manufactured by Company may be warranted directly from the component supplier, in which case this Limited Warranty shall not apply to those components and any warranty of such components shall be the warranty given by such component supplier. Notwithstanding the foregoing, all warranties provided herein terminate upon termination or cancellation of this Agreement. Equipment, material and/or parts that are not manufactured by Company are not warranted by Company and have such warranties as may be extended by the respective manufacturer. THE REMEDIES SET FORTH IN THIS LIMITED WARRANTY ARE THE SOLE AND EXCLUSIVE REMEDIES FOR WARRANTY CLAIMS PROVIDED BY COMPANY TO CUSTOMER UNDER THIS AGREEMENT AND ARE IN LIEU OF ALL OTHER WARRANTIES AND LIABILITIES, LIABILITIES, CONDITIONS AND REMEDIES, WHETHER IN CONTRACT, WARRANTY, STATUTE OR TORT (INCLUDING NEGLIGENCE), EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, IN LAW OR IN FACT, INCLUDING ANY IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY AND FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE AND/OR OTHERS ARISING FROM COURSE OF DEALING OR TRADE. COMPANY EXPRESSLY DISCLAIMS ANY REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES, ENDORSEMENTS OR CONDITIONS OF ANY KIND, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING ANY IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF QUALITY, FITNESS, MERCHANTABILITY, DURABILITY AND/OR OTHERS ARISING FROM COURSE OF DEALING OR TRADE OR REGARDING PREVENTION BY THE SCOPE OF SERVICES, OR ANY COMPONENT THEREOF. NO REPRESENTATION OR WARRANTY OF ANY KIND, INCLUDING WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR PARTICULAR THEREOF. NO REPRESENTATION OR WARRANTY OF ANY KIND, INCLUDING WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR PARTICULAR PURPOSE, IS MADE REGARDING PREVENTING, ELIMINATING, REDUCING OR INHIBITING ANY MOLD, FUNGUS, BACTERIA, VIRUS, MICROBIAL GROWTH, OR ANY OTHER CONTAMINANTS (INCLUDING COVID-19 OR ANY SIMILAR VIRUS) (COLLECTIVELY, "CONTAMINANTS"), WHETHER INVOLVING OR IN CONNECTION WITH EQUIPMENT, ANY COMPONENT THEREOF, SERVICES OR OTHERWISE. IN NO EVENT SHALL TRANE HAVE ANY LIABILITY FOR THE PREVENTION, ELIMINATION, REDUCTION OR INHIBITION OF THE GROWTH OR SPREAD OF SUCH CONTAMINANTS INVOLVING OR IN CONNECTION WITH ANY EQUIPMENT, ANY COMPONENT THEREOF, SERVICES OR OTHERWISE AND CUSTOMER HEREBY SPECIFICALLY ACKNOWLINGS AND AGREES THEREOF. ACKNOWLDGES AND AGREES THERETO.

11. Indemnity. To the maximum extent permitted by law, Company and Customer shall indemnify and hold harmless each other from any and all claims, actions, costs, expenses, damages and liabilities, including reasonable attorneys' fees, resulting from death or bodily injury or damage to real or personal property, to the extent caused by the negligence or misconduct of the Indemnifying party, and/or its respective employees or other authorized agents in connection with their activities within the scope of this Agreement. Neither party shall indemnify the other against claims, damages, expenses, or liabilities to the extent attributable to the acts or omissions of the other party or third parties are both at fault, the obligation to indemnify shall be proportional to their relative fault. The duty to indemnify and hold harmless will continue in full force and effect, notwithstanding the expiration or early termination of this Agreement, with respect to any claims based on facts or conditions that occurred prior to expiration or termination of this Agreement.

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12. Limitation of Liability. NOTWITHSTANDING ANYTHING TO THE CONTRARY, NEITHER PARTY SHALL BE LIABLE FOR SPECIAL, INCIDENTAL, INDIRECT, OR CONSEQUENTIAL LOSSES OR DAMAGES OF ANY KIND (INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION REFRIGERANT LOSS, PRODUCT LOSS, LOST REVENUE OR PROFITS, OR LIABILITY TO THIRD PARTIES), OR PUNITIVE DAMAGES WHETHER BASED IN CONTRACT, WARRANTY, STATUTE, TORT (INCLUDING NEGLIGENCE), STRICT LIABILITY, INDEMNITY OR ANY OTHER LEGAL THEORY OR FACTS. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF THIS AGREEMENT, THE TOTAL AND AGGREGATE LIABILITY OF THE COMPANY TO THE CUSTOMER WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL CLAIMS CONNECTED WITH, RELATED TO OR ARISING FROM THE PERFORMANCE OR NON-PERFORMANCE OF THIS AGREEMENT, WHETHER BASED IN CONTRACT WARRANTY STATUTE TORT (INCLUDING NEGLIGENCE) STRICT LIABILITY INDEMNITY OR ANY OTHER LEGAL THEORY OR FACTS. CONTRACT, WARRANTY, STATUTE, TORT (INCLUDING NEGLIGENCE), STRICT LIABILITY, INDEMNITY OR ANY OTHER LEGAL THEORY OR FACTS, SHALL NOT EXCEED THE COMPENSATION RECEIVED BY COMPANY OVER THE 12 MONTH PERIOD PRECEDING THE DATE OF OCCURRENCE FOR THE SERVICES AND ADDITIONAL WORK FOR THE LOCATION WHERE THE LOSS OCCURRED. IN NO EVENT SHALL COMPANY BE LIABLE FOR ANY DAMAGES (WHETHER DIRECT OR INDIRECT) RESULTING FROM MOLD/MOULD, FUNGUS, BACTERIA, MICROBIAL GROWTH, OR OTHER CONTAMINATES OR AIRBORNE BIOLOGICAL AGENTS. TO THE MAXIMUM EXTENT ALLOWED BY LAW, COMPANY SHALL NOT BE LIABLE FOR ANY OF THE FOLLOWING IN CONNECTION WITH PROVIDING THE ENERGY AND BUILDING PERFORMANCE SERVICES: INTERRUPTION, DELETION, DEFECT, DELAY IN OPERATION OR TRANSMISSION; CUSTOMER'S NETWORK SECURITY; COMPUTER VIRUS; COMMUNICATION FAILURE; THEFT OR DESTRUCTION OF DATA; GAPS IN DATA COLLECTED; AND UNAUTHORIZED ACCESS TO CUSTOMER'S DATA OR COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK.

13. COVID-19 LIMITATION ON LIABILITY. The transmission of COVID-19 may occur in a variety of ways and circumstances, many of the aspects of which are currently not known. HVAC systems, products, services and other offerings have not been tested for their effectiveness in reducing the spread of COVID-19, including through the air in closed environments. IN NO EVENT WILL TRANE BE LIABLE UNDER THIS AGREEMENT OR OTHERWISE FOR ANY ACTION OR CLAIM, WHETHER BASED ON WARRANTY, CONTRACT, TORT OR OTHERWISE, FOR ANY BODILY INJURY (INCLUDING DEATH) OR ANY OTHER LIABILITIES, DAMAGES OR COSTS RELATED TO COVID-19 (INCLUCING THE SPREAD, TRANSMISSION OR CONTAMINATION THEREOF) (COLLECTIVELY, "COVID-19") LIABILITIES") AND CUSTOMER HEREBY EXPRESSLY RELEASES TRANE FROM ANY SUCH COVID-19 LIABILITIES.

14. Asbestos and Hazardous Materials. The Services expressly exclude any identification, abatement, cleanup, control, disposal, removal or other work connected with asbestos polychlorinated biphenyl ("PCB"), or other hazardous materials (collectively, "Hazardous Materials"). Customer warrants and represents that there are no Hazardous Materials on the premises that will in any way affect Company's performance, except as set forth in a writing signed by Company disclosing the existence and location of any Hazardous Materials in all areas within which Company will be performing. Should Company become aware of or suspect the presence of Hazardous Materials, Company may immediately stop work in the affected area and notify Customer. Customer will be responsible for correcting the condition in accordance with all applicable laws and regulations. Customer shall be exclusively responsible for and shall indemnify and hold harmless Company (including its employees, agents and subcontractors) from and against any loss, claim, liability, fees, penalties, injury (including death) or liability of any nature, and the payment thereof, arising out of or relating to any Hazardous Materials on or about the premises, not brought onto the premises by Company. Company shall be required to resume performance only in the absence of Hazardous Materials or when the affected area has been rendered harmless. In no event shall Company be obligated to transport or handle Hazardous Materials, provide any notices to any governmental agency, or examine the premises site for the presence of Hazardous Materials.

15. Insurance. Company agrees to maintain the following insurance during the term of this Agreement with limits not less than shown below and will, upon request

from Customer, provide a Certificate of evidencing the following coverage:

Commercial General Liability \$2,000,000 per occurrence Automobile Liability \$2,000,000 CSL Workers Compensation Statutory Limits

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If Customer has requested to be named as an additional insured under Company's insurance policy, Company will do so but only subject to Company's manuscript additional insured endorsement under its primary Commercial General Liability policies. In no event does Company or its insurer waive rights of subrogation.

16. Force Majeure. Company's duty to perform under this Agreement is contingent upon the non-occurrence of an Event of Force Majeure. If Company is unable to carry out any material obligation under this Agreement due to an Event of Force Majeure, this Agreement shall at Company's election (i) remain in effect but Company's obligations shall be suspended until the uncontrollable event terminates or (ii) be terminated upon 10 days' notice to Customer, in which event Customer shall pay Company for all parts of the Services furnished to the date of termination. An "Event of Force Majeure" shall mean any cause or event beyond the control of Company. Without limiting the foregoing, "Event of Force Majeure" includes: acts of God; acts of terrorism, war or the public enemy; flood; earthquake; lightning; tornado; storm; fire; civil disobedience; pandemic; insurrections; riots; labor/labour disputes; labor/labour or material shortages from the usual sources of supply; sabotage; restraint by court order or public authority (whether valid or invalid), and action or non-action by or inability to obtain or keep in force the necessary governmental authorizations, permits, licenses, certificates or approvals if not caused by Company; and the requirements of any applicable government in any manner that diverts either the material or the finished product to the direct or indirect benefit of the government.

17. Maintenance Services Other Than Solely Scheduled Service. If Company's Maintenance Services hereunder are not limited solely to Scheduled Service, the following provisions shall also apply: (a) Required restoration shall be performed by Customer at its cost prior to Company being obligated to perform hereunder; (b) any changes, adjustments, service or repairs made to the Equipment by any party other than Company, unless approved by Company in writing, may, at Company's option, terminate Company's obligation to render further service to the Equipment so affected; in such case no refund of any portion of the Service Fees shall be made; and (c) Customer shall (i) promptly notify Company of any unusual performance of Equipment; (ii) permit only Company personnel to repair or adjust Equipment and/or controls during the Term or a Renewal Term; and (iii) utilize qualified personnel to properly operate the Equipment in accordance with the applicable operating manuals and recommended procedures.

18. General. Except as provided below, to the maximum extent provided by law, this Agreement is made and shall be interpreted and enforced in accordance with the laws of the state or province in which Company performs the Services. Any dispute arising under or relating to this Agreement shall be decided by litigation in a court of competent jurisdiction located in the state or province in which the Services are performed. To the extent the premises are owned and/or operated by any agency of the United States Federal Government, determination of any substantive issue of law shall be according to the United States Federal common law of Government contracts as enunciated and applied by United States Federal judicial bodies and boards of contract appeals of the United States Federal Government. This Agreement contains all of the agreements, representations and understandings of the parties and supersedes all previous understandings, commitments or agreements, oral or If any term or condition of this Agreement is invalid, illegal or incapable of being enforced by any rule of law, all other Terms of this written, related to the Services. Agreement will nevertheless remain in full force and effect as long as the economic or legal substance of the transaction contemplated hereby is not affected in a manner adverse to any party hereto. Customer may not assign, transfer, or convey this Agreement, or any part hereof, without the written consent of Company. Subject to the foregoing, this Agreement shall bind and inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their permitted successors and assigns. This Agreement may be executed in several counterparts, each of which when executed shall be deemed to be an original, but all together shall constitute but one and the same Agreement. A fully executed facsimile copy hereof or the several counterparts shall suffice as an original. Customer may not assign, transfer, or convey this Agreement, or any part hereof, or its right, title or interest herein, without the written consent of Company. Subject to the foregoing, this Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties' respective successors and assigns. No failure or delay by the Company in enforcing any right or exercising any remedy under this Agreement shall be deemed to be a waiver by the Company of any right or remedy,

19. Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action Clause. Company is a federal contractor that complies fully with Executive Order 11246, as amended, and the applicable regulations contained in 41 C.F.R. Parts 60-1 through 60-60, 29 U.S.C. Section 793 and the applicable regulations contained in 41 C.F.R. Parts 60-741; and 38 U.S.C. Section 4212 and the applicable regulations contained in 41 C.F.R. Parts 60-250 Executive Order 13496 and Section 29 CFR 471, appendix A to subpart A, regarding the notice of employee rights in the United States and with Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms Schedule B to the Canada Act 1982 (U.K.) 1982, c. 11 and applicable Provincial Human Rights Codes and employment law in Canada.

20. U.S. Government Services. The following provision applies only to direct sales by Company to the US Government. The Parties acknowledge that all items or services ordered and delivered under this Agreement are Commercial Items as defined under Part 12 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR). In particular, Company agrees to be bound only by those Federal contracting clauses that apply to "commercial" suppliers and that are contained in FAR 52.212-5(e)(1). Company complies with 52.219-8 or 52.219-9 in its service and installation contracting business. The following provision applies only to Indirect sales by Company to the US Government. As a Commercial Item Subcontractor, Company accepts only the following mandatory flow down provisions: 52.219-8; 52.222-36; 52.222-36; 52.222-36; 52.222-39; 52.222-39; 52.247-64. If the Services are in connection with a U.S. Government contract, Customer certifies that it has provided and will provide current, accurate, and complete information, representations and certifications to all government officials, including but not limited to the contracting officer and officials of the Small Business Administration, on all matters related to the prime contract, including but not limited to all aspects of its ownership, eligibility, and performance. Anything herein notwithstanding, Company will have no obligations to Customer unless and until Customer provides Company with a true, correct and complete executed copy of the prime contract. Upon request, Customer will provide copies to Company of all requested written communications with any government official related to the prime contract. Customer will provide copies to Company of all requested written communications related to Customer's ownership, eligibility or performance of the prime contract. Customer will obtain written authorization and approval from Company prior to providing any government official any information about Company's performance of the Services that are the subject of the Proposal or this Agreement, othe

21. Limited Waiver of Sovereign Immunity. If Customer is an Indian tribe (in the U.S.) or a First Nation or Band Council (in Canada), Customer, whether acting in its capacity as a government, governmental entity, a duly organized corporate entity or otherwise, for itself and for its agents, successors, and assigns: (1) hereby provides this limited waiver or its sovereign immunity as to any damages, claims, lawsuit, or cause of action (herein "Action") brought against Customer by Company and arising or alleged to arise out of the furnishing by Company of any product or service under this Agreement, whether such Action is based in contract, tort, strict liability, civil liability or any other legal theory; (2) agrees that jurisdiction and venue for any such Action shall be proper and valid (a) if Customer is in the U.S., in any state or United States court located in the state in which Company is performing this Agreement or (b) if Customer is in Canada, in the superior court of the province or territory in which the work was performed; (3) expressly consents to such Action, and waives any objection to jurisdiction or venue: (4) waives any requirement of exhaustion of tribal court or administrative remedies for any Action arising out of or related to this Agreement; and (5) expressly acknowledges and agrees that Company is not subject to the jurisdiction of Customer's tribal court or any similar tribal forum, that Customer will not bring any action against Company in tribal court, and that Customer will not avail itself of any ruling or direction of the tribal court permitting or directing it to suspend its payment or other obligations under this Agreement. The individual signing on behalf of Customer warrants and represents that such individual is duly authorized to provide this waiver and enter into this Agreement constitutes the valid and legally binding obligation of Customer, enforceable in accordance with its terms.

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#### **APPENDIX**

#### SERVICE BEST PRACTICES

Trane is completely dedicated to making buildings better. The ongoing pursuit of better buildings, using our long-term domain expertise to push new technologies into everyday use, keeps us at the forefront of the industry.

In addition to the services details in the agreement above, we take practical steps every day to ensure our approach is safe and efficient.

#### SAFETY

Since 2003, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics records have consistently shown the Total Recordable Incident Rate (TRIR) and Days Away From Work (DAFW) for Trane have been significantly lower than those for HVAC repair and maintenance contractors and specialty trade contractors (construction). The company's safety culture in America is unparalleled in the building service industry, with proven results in the continuous reduction of injury rates. Trane incident rates (OSHA) are consistently 50 to 70 percent below the industry average.

A wide range of safety training and resources are available to Trane technicians, including:

- Safety training—20 hours per year
- Electrical safety—NFPA 70E compliant, electrical PPE
- Fall protection
- Ergonomics
- Smith System Safe Driving Program
- USDOT compliance
- Refrigerant management training



#### **ENVIRONMENTAL PRACTICES**

Trane policies and procedures are compliant with all federal and state regulations. Refrigerant (and substitutes) handling, storage and leak repair processes are compliant with Environmental Protection Agency regulation 40 CFR Part 82. Service technicians are Universal-certified and use only certified recovery equipment

Refrigerant Management Software (RMS) captures, manages and reports all refrigerant activity at your site. Annually, Trane will send you a report documenting all refrigerant activity that we performed for each piece of equipment during the past 12 months

Trane adheres to all environmental regulations when removing used oil from refrigeration units. We have a national contract with a qualified supplier to recycle or dispose of used oil appropriately.







#### CONSISTENCY

Nationwide, Trane technicians follow documented, formal processes that ensure uniform service delivery. As an OEM, Trane has developed exclusive service procedures which provide the most reliable outcomes, and extended equipment longevity, at the most cost-effective price.

- Exclusive service work flow processes provide detailed steps and information encompassing parts, materials, tools and sequence of execution
- Additional steps addressing safety, quality control, work validation and environmental compliance
- Technicians must consistently reference documented processes to ensure no critical steps are skipped or omitted
- Applicable service processes meet or exceed ASHRAE 180-2008 Standard Practice for Inspection and Maintenance of Commercial Building HVAC Systems



# "ADDENDUM A" TO CONTRACT WITH THE SCHOOL BOARD OF CLAY COUNTY, FLORIDA

Notwithstanding any contractual language to the contrary, the terms and conditions of this "Addendum A" shall govern and prevail over any conflicting or inconsistent terms and conditions in the underlying contract to which this "Addendum A" is attached and/or otherwise incorporated. All references herein made to the School Board of Clay County, Florida ("SBCC") shall be interpreted to include the School Board of Clay County, Florida, Clay County District Schools ("District"), and all Board officers and employees.

- 1. The Company, Vendor, Agency, or Consultant, of Contract with the School Board of Clay County, hereafter collectively and individually referred to as the "Contractor".
- 2. CONTRACTOR represents that it is an independent contractor and that it requires that the SBCC treat it as such. CONTRACTOR agrees:
  - a. That it has no rights to any benefits extended by the SBCC to its employees [including without limitation, sick leave, vacation time, insurance coverage, etc.];
  - b. That it will not take a position contrary to their status as an independent contractor, and agrees to accept the responsibilities placed on independent contractors by federal and state law accordingly, the SBCC will not make the deductions or contributions that an employer may be required to make with respect to its employees, and the undersigned will be responsible for all federal and state tax and fund obligations, including without limitation, income tax, Social Security, unemployment compensation, etc.];
  - c. CONTRACTOR agrees, as an independent contractor and not an employee of the SBCC, it is responsible for providing their own Worker's Compensation Insurance and social security/self-employment contributions.
- 3. CONTRACTOR acknowledges and accepts responsibility for all risks of injury and loss associated with the performance of this Agreement. In addition to any other statutory or common law obligation to indemnify and defend the SBCC, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the SBCC, its officers, and employees from any claim, loss, damage, penalty, or liability arising from the negligent acts, omissions, misfeasance, malfeasance, or intentionally wrongful conduct of CONTRACTOR, its employees, or agents relating to the performance of duties imposed upon CONTRACTOR by this Agreement. Such indemnity shall not be limited by benefits payable by or for CONTRACTOR under worker's compensation, disability, or any other employee benefits or insurance programs or policies. Contractor shall timely provide to the SBCC written notice of any claim, complaint, or demand asserted against CONTRACTOR related to the performance of this Agreement. CONTRACTOR's obligations under this section shall survive the termination of this Agreement.
- 4. CONTRACTOR agrees to be bound by, and at its own expense comply with, all federal, state, and local laws, ordinances, and regulations applicable to the services. CONTRACTOR shall review and comply with the confidentiality requirements of federal and state law and the SBCC policy regarding access to and use of records.
- 5. Reservation of Sovereign Immunity: No provision or language in the underlying contract shall be construed or interpreted to increase the scope or dollar limit of the SBCC's liability beyond that which is set forth in Section 768.28 of the Florida Statutes. Nor shall any such language be construed or interpreted to waive the SBCC's sovereign immunity from suit, or to require the SBCC to indemnify CONTRACTOR or any other person, corporation or legal entity of any kind or nature whatsoever for injury or loss resulting from any acts or omissions other than those which arise from the actionable negligence of the SBCC. The SBCC expressly reserves all other protections and privileges related to its sovereign immunity.
- 6. CONTRACTOR will perform the services in a thorough, efficient, and professional manner, promptly and with due diligence and care, and in accordance with the best practices of the profession, utilizing qualified and suitable personnel, equipment and materials. CONTRACTOR warrants and represents to the SBCC that it possesses the expertise, capability, equipment and personnel to properly perform the services and that it is properly and legally licensed to perform the services. CONTRACTOR acknowledges that the SBCC is relying on the warranties and representations made by CONTRACTOR.

- 7. <u>Method of Payment (if applicable):</u> Services and/or Products satisfactorily received shall be compensated in accordance with Attachment A and the following terms:
  - a. Procurement is performed in accordance with applicable law, State Board of Education Rules, Clay County School Board Policy and other applicable rules and regulations which govern. CONTRACTOR shall be paid in accordance with the Local Government Prompt Payment Act (218.70, et seq., Florida Statutes) upon submission of detailed invoices to the appropriate location listed on the District Purchase Order and/or the School Internal Account Purchase Order, and only after delivery and acceptance of the services and/or products provided.
  - b. Services and/or Products, as authorized and approved by SBCC, shall be compensated by Hour Rate (cost per hour) / Fixed Fee (includes direct and indirect costs) / Flat Rate (cost for scope of work) / etc.
  - c. Direct reimbursement for travel expenses, as authorized by and listed in Attachment A, shall be made in accordance with the requirements and rates found at F.S. 112.061 and any applicable the SBCC policies.
  - d. Incurrence of other direct expenses, if any, must be pre-approved in writing by the SBCC.
  - e. Unless otherwise required by law, the SBCC's payment obligations (if any) arising from the underlying Agreement are contingent upon an annual appropriation by the School Board and the availability of funds to pay for the contracted services and/or products provided. If such funds are not appropriated for the underlying Agreement and results in its termination, such conditions/events shall not constitute a default by the SBCC.
- 8. The SBCC and CONTRACTOR have mutual rights to terminate this Agreement with or without cause and without penalty or further payment, at any time upon thirty (30) days written notice to the other party. However, if it is determined by the SBCC that the work is not being performed as agreed herein, CONTRACTOR shall be deemed to be in default, and the SBCC reserves the right to cancel this Agreement immediately.
- 9. Force Majeure: Neither party to this Agreement shall be liable for delays or failures in performance under this Agreement (other than obligations relating to payment, confidentiality, and protection of ownership and intellectual property rights) resulting from acts or events beyond the reasonable control of such party (a "Force Majeure Event"), including acts of war, terrorism, acts of God, earthquake, flood, embargo, riot, sabotage, labor dispute, wide spread outbreak of disease or pandemic, governmental act, failure of the internet, power failure, or energy, utility, or telecommunications interruptions, provided that the delayed party: (i) gives the other party prompt notice of such cause; and (ii) uses its reasonable commercial efforts to promptly correct such failure or delay in performance. In the event that a Force Majeure Event lasts for more than 90 days, and the party experiencing the initial delay cannot correct its failure or delay in performance during that period of time, despite using its reasonable commercial efforts to do so, the other party may terminate the affected portions of this Agreement.
- 10. This Agreement shall not be modified or amended except in writing, duly agreed to and executed by the parties.
- 11. CONTRACTOR shall not assign this Agreement in whole or in part, without the express written consent of the SBCC Purchasing Department.
- 12. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida and venue shall be in Clay County, Florida.
- 13. No other representations or promises shall be binding on the parties hereto except those representations or promises contained herein.
- 14. In the event that any part, term, or provision of this Agreement is, in a court of competent jurisdiction, found to be illegal or unenforceable, the validity of the remaining portions and provisions will not be affected, and the rights and obligations of the parties shall be construed and enforced as if this Agreement did not contain the particular part, term, or provision held to be so invalid.
- 15. Should any litigation be commenced in connection with this Agreement, the prevailing party shall be entitled to reasonable attorney fees and court costs.
- 16. The parties hereto represent that they have reviewed this Agreement and have sought legal advice concerning the legal significance and ramifications of this Agreement.
- 17. CONTRACTOR shall retain records associated with the services and/or products provided herein for a period of three years following final payment. CONTRACTOR shall, with reasonable notice, provide the SBCC access to these records during the above retention period.

- 18. <u>Jessica Lunsford Act:</u> SBCC is required to conduct background screening of CONTRACTOR (including its employees, agents, and sub-contractors) (go to Clay County District Schools website for fingerprinting procedures). CONTRACTOR represents and warrants to the SBCC that CONTRACTOR is familiar with Sections 1012.32, 1012.321, 1012.465, 1012.467, and 1012.468 of the Florida Statutes regarding background investigations. CONTRACTOR covenants to comply with all requirements of the above-cited statutes at CONTRACTOR's sole expense and shall provide the SBCC proof of such compliance upon request.
  - Certification: By executing this Agreement, CONTRACTOR swears and affirms under penalty of perjury that all of its employees, agents, and subcontractors will comply with these procedures, the requirements of the Jessica Lunsford Act, SBCC's finger printing procedures, and the laws of the State of Florida. Failure to comply with these procedures, the Act, SBCC's finger printing procedures, and the law of the State of Florida shall constitute a material breach of the Agreement, and SBCC may avail itself of all remedies pursuant to law. CONTRACTOR agrees to indemnify and hold harmless SBCC, its officers, employees, and agents, from and against any and all claims or causes of action, including without limitation those for personal injury, death, property damages, and attorney fees, arising out of or relating to CONTRACTOR's failure to comply with any of the above.
- 19. <u>E-Verify:</u> CONTRACTOR named herein, and its subcontractors, are required to register with and use the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's (DHS) E-Verify system to verify the work authorization status of all newly hired employees. By executing this Agreement, the CONTRACTOR certifies that it, and any sub-contractors with which it contracts, are registered with, and use, the E-Verify system for all newly hired employees, and acknowledges that it must obtain an affidavit from its subcontractors in accordance with Section 448.095(2)(b) Fla. Stat. that the subcontractor does not employ, contract with or subcontract with any unauthorized alien. The CONTRACTOR must maintain a copy of such affidavit for the duration of the Agreement. This section serves as notice to the CONTRACTOR that, pursuant to the terms of Section 448.095(2)(c) 1 and 2, Florida Statutes, the SBCC shall terminate this Agreement if it has a good faith belief that the CONTRACTOR has knowingly violated Section 448.09(1), F.S.. If the SBCC has a good faith belief that the subcontractor, without the knowledge of the CONTRACTOR, has knowingly violated Section 448.09(1) or 448.095(2), F.S., the SBCC shall notify the CONTRACTOR and order the CONTRACTOR to immediately terminate the contract with the subcontractor. If the SBCC terminates an Agreement with a CONTRACTOR pursuant to sec. 448.095(2)(c), F.S., the CONTRACTOR will not be awarded a public contract for at least one year after the date of such termination.
- 20. The CONTRACTOR certifies that CONTRACTOR is in compliance with the requirements of law regarding equal employment opportunity for all persons without regard to age, race, color, religion, sex, national origin, or disability and is not on the Discriminatory Vendor List pursuant to Florida Statute 287.134.
- 21. CONTRACTOR shall, at CONTRACTOR's sole expense, procure and maintain during the term of this Agreement, at least the following minimum insurance coverage, which shall not limit the liability of CONTRACTOR:

| General Liability Policy:     | Auto Liability Policy:                        | Worker's Compensation Policy: |
|-------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|
| \$1,000,000.00 per occurrence | \$1,000,000.00 combined single limit          | \$100,000                     |
| \$2,000,000.00 aggregate      | \$5,000,000.00 (if charter or common carrier) | *Exempt, need signed WCAF     |

\*If the CONTRACTOR is exempt from Worker's Compensation insurance obligations, the CONTRACTOR must sign the Worker's Compensation Acknowledgment Form (WCAF) attached hereto as Exhibit # 1.

All policies of insurance shall be rated "A-" or better by the most recently published A.M. Best Rating Guide and shall be subject to the SBCC approval as to form and issuing company. The SBCC shall be named as certificate holder and as an *additional insured* in the comprehensive general (including property damage) liability policy within five (5) days after execution of this Agreement. CONTRACTOR shall furnish the SBCC's Representative copies of insurance certificates evidencing that it maintains at least the insurance coverage required hereunder, and which contain the following or equivalent clause: "Before any reduction, cancellation, modification or expiration of the insurance policy, thirty (30) days prior written notice thereof shall be given to the SBCC." CONTRACTOR is NOT authorized to proceed with the services until all the insurance certificates have been received and accepted.

Receipt of certificates or other documentation of insurance or policies or copies of policies by the SBCC, or by any of its representatives, which indicate less coverage than required does not constitute a waiver of CONTRACTOR's obligation to fulfill the insurance requirements herein.

- 22. CONTRACTOR shall not solicit or accept brokerage or any other fees or remuneration from any provider of the SBCC insurance program.
- 23. CONTRACTOR recognizes and acknowledges that by virtue of entering into this Agreement and providing services hereunder, CONTRACTOR, its agents, employees, officers, and subcontractors may have access to certain confidential information and processes, including confidential student information, personal health information, financial records, and access to the SBCC networks (hereinafter "Confidential Information"). CONTRACTOR agrees that neither it nor any CONTRACTOR agent, employee officer, or subcontractor will at any time, either during or subsequent to the term of this Agreement, disclose to any third party, except where permitted or required by law or where such disclosure is expressly approved by the SBCC in writing, any Confidential Information. In addition, following expiration of said Agreement, CONTRACTOR, its agents, employees, officers, and subcontractors shall either destroy or return to the SBCC all Confidential Information. With 72-hours written notification, the SBCC reserves the right to determine whether or not Confidential Information has been destroyed and such confirmation may include inspecting the CONTRACTOR's facilities and equipment. CONTRACTOR understands and agrees that it is subject to all federal and state laws and SBCC rules relating to the confidentiality of student information. Contractor further agrees to comply with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act ("FERPA") 34 C.F.R. § 99. Contractor shall regard all student information as confidential and will not disclose personally-identifiable student records or information to any third party without appropriate legal authorization. Access to SBCC data or networks shall require a SBCC Data-Sharing and Usage Agreement and shall only be authorized by the SBCC IT Department.
- 24. CONTRACTOR is required to comply with the Florida Public Records Law, Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, in the performance of CONTRACTOR's duties under this Agreement, and will specifically:
  - a. Keep, maintain, and produce upon request and within a reasonable period of time all data created or collected in the performance of its duties under this Agreement ("Agreement Data") which come within the definition of a "public record" under Chapter 119.
  - b. Provide to the SBCC, upon its request and free of charge, a copy of each record which CONTRACTOR seeks to produce in response to a public records request.
  - c. Ensure that all Agreement Data considered exempt under Chapter 119 are not disclosed except as authorized by law.
  - d. Upon completion of its obligations under the Agreement, transfer to the SBCC, at no cost, all Agreement Data in CONTRACTOR's possession or otherwise keep and maintain such data/records as required by law. All records transmitted to the SBCC must be provided in a format that is compatible the SBCC's information technology systems.
  - e. The SBCC is authorized to collect, use or release social security numbers (SSN) of CONTRACTOR and their employees for the following purposes, which are noted as either required or authorized by law to be collected. The collection of social security numbers is either specifically authorized by law or imperative for the performance of the District's duties and responsibilities as prescribed by law (Sections 119.07(5)(a)2 and 3, Florida Statutes):
    - a) Criminal history and criminal background checks/Identifiers for processing fingerprints by Department of Law Enforcement, if SSN is available [Required by Fla. Admin. Code 11 C-6.003 and Fla. Stat. § 119.07(5)(a)6]
    - b) CONTRACTOR that District reasonably believes would receive a 1099 form if a tax identification number is not provided including for IRS form W-9 [Required by 26 C.F.R. § 31.3406-0, 26 C.F.R. § 301.61091, and Fla. Stat. § 119.07(5)(a)2 and 6]

CONTRACTOR's failure to comply with the provisions set forth in this section shall constitute a default and material breach of this Agreement, which may result in termination by the SBCC without penalty.

IF CONTRACTOR HAS QUESTIONS REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 119, FLORIDA STATUTES, OR CONTRACTOR'S DUTY TO PROVIDE PUBLIC RECORDS RELATING TO THIS CONTRACT, CONTRACTOR SHALL CONTACT THE SBCC'S CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS AT 900 WALNUT STREET, GREEN COVE SPRINGS, FLORIDA 32043, OR AT 904-336-6500, OR AT: <a href="mailto:precaption-perchapter">PRR@myoneclay.net</a>

25. Government Funding (if Applicable): Funding for this Agreement may be provided in whole or in part by one or more Government funding agencies (Federal, State, Local). As a result, CONTRACTOR shall comply with applicable Laws, Regulations, Executive Orders, and Governmental Agency Rules and Policies included but not

limited to Titles: 2 – Grants and Agreements (2 C.F.R. §200), Title 7 – Agriculture (NSLP), Title 34 – Education (EDGAR, FERPA), Title 44 – Emergency Management and Assistance (FEMA); U.S. Code Titles: 20,31,40,41.

To the extent that the SBCC is using Government Funds as a source of payment for this Agreement, CONTRACTOR shall execute and deliver to the SBCC the following forms, attached hereto as Exhibit #2:
(a) EDGAR Certification; (b) Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion; (c) Drug-Free Workplace Certification; (d) Non-Collusion Affidavit; and (e) Disclosure of Potential Conflict of Interest.

| SBCC'S Representative with CONTRACTOR is: |             |  |
|---|-------------|--|
| School/Department Name:                   |             |  |
| Mailing Address:                          |             |  |
| Phone #: Email Address:                   |             |  |
| Accepted and Agreed to:                   |             |  |
| SCHOOL BOARD OF CLAY COUNTY               | CONTRACTOR  |  |
| By:                                       | By:         |  |
| Print Name:                               | Print Name: |  |
| Title:                                    | Title:      |  |
| To 1                                      | District    |  |

#### NOTIFICATION DOCUMENT

Waiver Requires Signature At Time Of Entrance On SBCC Property

Masks are Mandatory and a signed COVID-19 Waiver will be required by all Vendors, Visitors, Volunteers, Non-Employees, ETC. conducting business on our property.

#### **COVID-19 WAIVER**

# SCHOOL BOARD OF CLAY COUNTY, FLORIDA RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK RE: COVID 19 INFECTION

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in any activity which takes place on Clay County School District ("CCSD") property (facilities or grounds) I, the undersigned vendor, volunteer, parent, or legal guardian, acknowledge. understand, and agree that by participating in events and activities at Clay County School District facilities/property: (1) there are certain risks to me and my child(ren) arising from or related to possible exposure to communicable diseases including, but not limited to, COVID-19, the virus "severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2)", which is responsible for the Coronavirus Disease (also known as COVID-19) and/or any mutation or variation thereof (collectively referred to as "Communicable Diseases"); (2) I am fully aware of the hazards associated with such Communicable Diseases and; (3) I knowingly and voluntarily assume full responsibility for any and all risk of personal injury or other loss that I may sustain in connection with such Communicable Diseases, and: (4) I, for myself or for my minor child(ren) or ward(s), and on behalf of my/our heirs, assigns, beneficiaries, executors, administrators, personal representatives, and next of kin, HEREBY EXPRESSLY RELEASE, HOLD HARMLESS, AND FOREVER DISCHARGE CLAY COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD ("The District") and its officers, officials, agents, representatives, employees, other participants, sponsors, advertisers, and, if applicable, owners and lessors of premises upon which CCSD related events and activities take place (the "Released Parties"), from any and all claims, demands, suits, causes of action, losses, and liability of any kind whatsoever, whether in law or equity, arising out of or related to any ILLNESS, INJURY, DISABILITY, DEATH, OR OTHER DAMAGES incurred due to or in connection with any Communicable Diseases, WHETHER ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASED PARTIES OR OTHERWISE, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

I agree that this Agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the laws of the State of Florida, and if any portion hereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the remainder shall continue in full legal force and effect.

I certify that I am the legal parent/guardian of the MINOR CHILDREN listed below, and that I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING RELEASE and affirm that I, on behalf of myself and my minor child(ren), do consent and agree to the complete, total and unequivocal release of all the Released Parties as provided above.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT.

#### Exhibit # 1

#### WORKERS COMPENSATION ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM (WCAF)

The undersigned Contractor/Vendor ("Contractor") represents and acknowledges that it is an independent contractor and is not provided coverage under any self-insured workers compensation program of the School Board of Clay County, Florida (the "Board" or "District"), any primary workers compensation insurance policy purchased by or on behalf of the District, any excess workers compensation insurance purchased by or on behalf of the District, any risk sharing arrangement, risk sharing pool, or any state reimbursement fund for workers compensation payments made by the District, based on the following understandings and representations by the Contractor:

- 1. Contractor is not an "Employee" as defined under Chapter 440 of the Florida Statutes. The Parties agree that Chapter 440 describes remedies for employers and employees in place of Florida common law and limits the rights of independent contractors like the undersigned.
- 2. Contractor maintains a separate business with its own work equipment, material, and accommodations.
- 3. Contractor has a different federal employer identification number than the District or is a sole proprietor who is not required to obtain a federal employer identification number under state or federal regulations.
- 4. Contractor receives compensation for services rendered or work performed, and such compensation is paid to a business rather than to an individual.
- 5. Contractor maintains at least one bank account in the name of the Contractor or associated persons or entities for the purposes of paying business expenses related to the services rendered or work performed for the District.
- 6. Contractor performs work or is able to perform work for entities other than the District at the Contractor's election without the necessity of completing an employment application or process.
- 7. Contractor either provides its own workers compensation coverage or has elected to be exempt from workers compensation coverage.
- 8. Contractor has provided proof of other insurance, including liability insurance, to the District in the amounts required by the District.
- 9. Contactor had an opportunity to review and consult with legal counsel regarding this document.
- 10. Contactor understands that the District is relying upon the truthfulness and accuracy of representations in this acknowledgement as a material basis for the District entering into the underlying agreement(s) with Contractor.

| Name of Contractor/Vendor:                 |
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| Signature of Authorized Representative:    |
| Printed Name of Authorized Representative: |
| Title of Authorized Representative:        |
| Date:                                      |

#### Exhibit # 2 (a)

#### **EDGAR CERTIFICATIONS**

All purchases involving the expenditure of federal funds must be compliant with the Education Department General Administrative Regulations ("EDGAR"). The following certifications and provisions are required and apply when the School Board of Clay County, Florida ("SBCC" "School Board") expends federal funds for any purchase resulting from this procurement process. Pursuant to 2 C.F.R. § 200.326, all contracts, including small purchases, awarded by the District shall contain the procurement provisions of Appendix II to Part 200, as applicable.

# REQUIRED CONTRACT PROVISIONS FOR NON-FEDERAL ENTITY CONTRACTS UNDER FEDERAL AWARDS APPENDIX II to C.F.R. PART 200

(A) Contracts for more than the simplified acquisition threshold currently set at \$150,000, which is the inflation adjusted amount determined by the Civilian Agency Acquisition Council and the Defense Acquisition Regulations Council (Councils) as authorized by 41 U.S.C. 1908, must address administrative, contractual, or legal remedies in instances where contractors violate or breach contract terms, and provide for such sanctions and penalties as appropriate.

Pursuant to Federal Rule (A) above, when School Board expends federal funds, School Board reserves all rights and privileges under the applicable laws and regulations with respect to this procurement in the event of breach of contract by either party.

(B) All contracts in excess of \$10,000 must address termination for cause and for convenience by the non-Federal entity including the manner by which it will be effected and the basis for settlement.

Pursuant to Federal Rule (B) above, for all contracts involving Federal funds in excess of \$10,000, School Board reserves the right to terminate the contract (i) for convenience, and/or (ii) for cause by issuing a certified notice to the vendor.

(C) Equal Employment Opportunity. Except as otherwise provided under 41 CFR Part 60, all contracts that meet the definition of "federally assisted construction contract" in 41 CFR Part 60-1.3 must include the equal opportunity clause provided under 41 CFR 60-1.4(b), in accordance with Executive Order 11246, "Equal Employment Opportunity" (30 FR 12319, 12935, 3 CFR Part, 1964-1965 Comp., p. 339), as amended by Executive Order 11375, "Amending Executive Order 11246 Relating to Equal Employment Opportunity," and implementing regulations at 41 CFR part 60, "Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Equal Employment Opportunity, Department of Labor."

Pursuant to Federal Rule (C) above, when School Board expends federal funds on any federally assisted construction contract, the equal opportunity clause is incorporated by reference herein.

(D) Davis-Bacon Act, as amended (40 U.S.C. 3141-3148). When required by Federal program legislation, all prime construction contracts in excess of \$2,000 awarded by non-Federal entities must include a provision for compliance with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. 3141-3144, and 3146-3148) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR Part 5, "Labor Standards Provisions Applicable to Contracts Covering Federally Financed and Assisted Construction"). In accordance with the statute, contractors must be required to pay wages to laborers and mechanics at a rate not less than the prevailing wages specified in a wage determination made by the Secretary of Labor. In addition, contractors must be required to pay wages not less than once a week. The non-Federal entity must place a copy of the current prevailing wage determination issued by the Department of Labor in each solicitation. The decision to award a contract or subcontract must be conditioned upon the acceptance of the wage determination. The non-Federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the Federal awarding agency. The contracts must also include a provision for compliance with the Copeland "Anti-Kickback" Act (40 U.S.C. 3145), 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 must 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 or she is otherwise entitled. The non-Federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the Federal awarding agency.

Pursuant to Federal Rule (D) above, when School Board expends federal funds during the term of an award for all contracts and subgrants for construction or repair, Vendor will be in compliance with all applicable Davis-Bacon Act provisions.

(E) Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. 3701-3708). Where applicable, all contracts awarded by the non-Federal entity in excess of \$100,000 that involve the employment of mechanics or laborers must include a provision for compliance with 40 U.S.C. 3702 and 3704, as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29

#### **EDGAR CERTIFICATIONS (continued)**

CFR Part 5). Under 40 U.S.C. 3702 of the Act, each contractor must be required to compute the wages of every mechanic and laborer on the basis of a standard work week of 40 hours. Work in excess of the standard work week is permissible provided that the worker is compensated at a rate of not less than one and a half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in the work week. The requirements of 40 U.S.C. 3704 are applicable to construction work and provide that no laborer or mechanic must 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.

Pursuant to Federal Rule (E) above, when federal funds are expended by School Board, Vendor certifies that Vendor will be in compliance with all applicable provisions of the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act during the term of an award resulting from this procurement process.

(F) Rights to Inventions Made Under a Contract or Agreement. If the Federal award meets the definition of "funding agreement" under 37 CFR §401.2 (a) and the recipient or subrecipient wishes to enter into a contract with a small business firm or nonprofit organization regarding the substitution of parties, assignment or performance of experimental, developmental, or research work under that "funding agreement," the recipient or subrecipient must comply with the requirements of 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 the awarding agency.

Pursuant to Federal Rule (F) above, when federal funds are expended by School Board, Vendor certifies that Vendor will be in compliance with all applicable provisions of Federal Rule (F) during the term of an award resulting from this procurement process.

(G) Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7401-7671q.) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C. 1251-1387), as amended Contracts and subgrants of amounts in excess of \$150,000 must contain a provision that requires the non-Federal award to agree to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7401 7671q) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 U.S.C. 1251-1387). Violations must be reported to the Federal awarding agency and the Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

Pursuant to Federal Rule (G) above, when federal funds are expended by School Board, Vendor certifies that Vendor will be in compliance with all applicable provisions of Federal Rule (G) during the term of an award resulting from this procurement process.

(H) Energy Policy and Conservation Act (2 CFR §910.120, 10 CFR §600.236). Vendor agrees to comply with the mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act.

Pursuant to Federal Rule (H) above, when federal funds are expended by School Board, Vendor certifies that Vendor will be in compliance with all applicable provisions of Federal Rule (H) during the term of an award resulting from this procurement process.

(I) Debarment and Suspension (Executive Orders 12549 and 12689)—A contract award (see 2 CFR 180.220) must not be made to parties listed on the government wide exclusions in the System for Award Management (SAM), in accordance with the OMB guidelines at 2 CFR 180 that implement Executive Orders 12549 (3 CFR part 1986 Comp., p. 189) and 12689 (3 CFR part 1989 Comp., p. 235), "Debarment and Suspension." SAM Exclusions contains the names of parties debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded by agencies, as well as parties declared ineligible under statutory or regulatory authority other than Executive Order 12549.

Pursuant to Federal Rule (I) above, when federal funds are expended by School Board, Vendor certifies that during the term of an award resulting from this procurement process, that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, ort voluntarily excluded from participation by any federal department or agency.

(J) Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. 1352)—Contractors that apply or bid for an award exceeding \$100,000 must 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 must 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 non-Federal award.

Pursuant to Federal Rule (J) above, Vendor certifies that it is in compliance with all applicable provisions of the Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. 1352). The Vendor further certifies that: (1) No Federal appropriated funds have been

#### **EDGAR CERTIFICATIONS (continued)**

paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of an agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement. (2) If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions. (3) The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all covered subawards in Federal funds at all appropriate tiers and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

#### **RECORDS ACCESS AND RETENTION**

Records Access (34 CFR 80.36 (i)(10): All vendors, contracts and subcontractors shall give access to the SBCC, the appropriate Federal agency, the Comptroller General of the United States, or any of their duly authorized representative to any books, documents, papers, and records of the vendor which are directly pertinent to this specific bid/contract for the purpose of making audit, examination, excerpts and transcriptions.

Records Retention (2 C.F.R. § 200.333): Financial records, supporting documents, statistical records and all other non-Federal entity records pertinent to a Federal award must be retained for a period of three (3) years from the date of submission of the final expenditure report or, for Federal awards that are renewed quarterly or annually, from the date of the submission of the quarterly or annual financial report, respectively, as reported to the Federal awarding agency or passthrough entity in the case of a subrecipient.

#### RECOVERED MATERIALS

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

Vendor agrees to comply with all federal, state, and local laws, rules, regulations and ordinances, as applicable. It is further acknowledged that vendor certifies compliance with all provisions, laws, acts, regulations, etc. as specifically noted above.

| Vendor's Name:                           |  |
|--|--|
| Signature of Authorized Representative:  |  |
| Print Name of Authorized Representative: |  |