# SECTION THREE: PART A – VENDOR CONTRACT AND GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

#### VENDOR CONTRACT AND SIGNATURE FORM

This Vendor Contract and Signature Form ("Contract") is made as of <u>September 1, 2023</u>, by and between <u>Ewing Irrigation Products, Inc.</u> ("Vendor") and Region 10 Education Service Center ("Region 10 ESC") for the purchase of Landscape and Irrigation Supplies, Tools, and Equipment ("the products and services").

#### **RECITALS**

WHEREAS, both parties agree and understand that the following pages will constitute the contract between the successful vendor(s) and Region 10 ESC, having its principal place of business at *Education Service Center*, *Region 10, 400 E Spring Valley Rd, Richardson, TX 75081* 

WHEREAS, Vendor agrees to include, in writing, any required exceptions or deviations from these terms, conditions, and specifications; and it is further understood that if agreed to by Region 10 ESC, said exceptions or deviations will be incorporated into the final contract "Vendor Contract."

WHEREAS, this contract consists of the provisions set forth below, including provisions of all attachments referenced herein. In the event of a conflict between the provisions set forth below and those contained in any attachment, the provisions set forth below shall control.

WHEREAS, the Vendor Contract will provide that any state, county, special district, local government, school district, private K-12 school, technical or vocational school, higher education institution (including community colleges, colleges and universities, both public and private), other government agencies or non-profit organization may purchase products and services at prices indicated in the Vendor Contract upon registering and becoming a Member with Region 10 ESC; and it being further understood that Region 10 ESC shall act as the Lead Public Agency with respect to all such purchase agreements.

WHEREAS, Equalis Group has the administrative and legal capacity to administer purchases on behalf of Region 10 ESC under the Vendor Contract with participating public agencies and entities, as permitted by applicable law.

#### 1. ARTICLE 1 – GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- 1.1 Equalis Group shall be afforded all of the rights, privileges and indemnifications afforded to Region 10 ESC under the Vendor Contract, and such rights, privileges and indemnifications shall accrue and apply with equal effect to Equalis Group, including, without limitation, Vendor's obligation to provide insurance and other indemnifications to Lead Public Agency.
- 1.2 Awarded vendor shall perform all duties, responsibilities and obligations, set forth in this agreement, and required under the Vendor Contract.
- 1.3 Equalis Group shall perform its duties, responsibilities and obligations as administrator of purchases, set forth in this agreement, and required under the Vendor Contract.

1.4 <u>Customer Support</u>: The vendor shall provide timely and accurate technical advice and sales support to Region 10 ESC staff, Equalis Group staff and participating agencies. The vendor shall respond to such requests within one (1) working day after receipt of the request.

#### 2. ARTICLE 2 – ANTICIPATED TERM OF AGREEMENT

- 2.1 Term: The term of the Contract shall commence upon award and shall remain in effect for a period of three (3) years, unless terminated, canceled or extended as otherwise provided herein. The Contractor agrees that Region 10 ESC shall have the right, at its sole option, to renew the Contract for two (2) additional one-year periods or portions thereof. In the event that Region 10 ESC exercises such rights, all terms, conditions and provisions of the original Contract shall remain the same and apply during the renewal period with the possible exception of price and minor scope additions and/or deletions.
- 2.2 **Automatic Renewal:** Renewal will take place automatically for one (1) year unless Region 10 ESC gives written notice to the awarded supplier at least ninety (90) days prior to the expiration.

#### 3. ARTICLE 3 – REPRESENTATIONS AND COVENANTS

- 3.1 <u>Scope</u>: This contract is based on the need to provide the economic benefits of volume purchasing and reduction in administrative costs through cooperative purchasing to schools and other Members.
- 3.2 <u>Compliance</u>: Cooperative Purchasing Agreements between Equalis Group and its Members have been established under state procurement law.
- 3.3 <u>Respondent's promise</u>: Respondent agrees all prices, terms, warranties, and benefits granted by Respondent to Members through this contract are comparable to or better than the equivalent terms offered by Respondent to any present customer meeting the same qualifications or requirements.

#### 4. ARTICLE 4 – FORMATION OF CONTRACT

- 4.1 <u>Respondent contract documents</u>: Region 10 ESC will review proposed Respondent contract documents. Vendor's contract document shall not become part of Region 10 ESC's contract with vendor unless and until an authorized representative of Region 10 ESC reviews and approves it.
- 4.2 <u>Form of contract</u>: The form of contract for this solicitation shall be the Request for Proposal, the awarded proposal(s) to the lowest responsible Respondent(s), and properly issued and reviewed purchase orders referencing the requirements of the Request for Proposal. If a firm submitting a proposal requires Region 10 ESC and/or Member to sign an additional agreement, a copy of the proposed agreement must be included with the proposal.
- 4.3 <u>Entire Agreement (Parol evidence)</u>: The contract, as specified above, represents the final written expression of agreement. All agreements are contained herein and no other agreements or representations that materially alter it are acceptable.
- 4.4 <u>Assignment of Contract</u>: No assignment of contract may be made without the prior written approval of Region 10 ESC. Purchase orders and payment can only be made to awarded vendor unless otherwise approved by Region 10 ESC. Awarded vendor is required to notify Region 10 ESC when any material change in operations is made that may adversely affect Members (i.e. awarded vendor bankruptcy, change of ownership, merger, etc.).
- 4.5 <u>Contract Alterations</u>: No alterations to the terms of this contract shall be valid or binding unless authorized and signed with a "wet signature" by a Region 10 ESC staff member.
- 4.6 **Order of precedence**: In the event of a conflict in the provisions of the contract as accepted by Region 10 ESC, the following order of precedence shall prevail:

- General terms and conditions
- Specifications and scope of work
- Attachments and exhibits
- Documents referenced or included in the solicitation
- 4.7 <u>Supplemental Agreements</u>: The entity participating in the Region 10 ESC contract and awarded vendor may enter into a separate supplemental agreement to further define the level of service requirements over and above the minimum defined in this contract i.e. invoice requirements, ordering requirements, specialized delivery, etc. Any supplemental agreement developed as a result of this contract is exclusively between the participating entity and awarded vendor. Neither Region 10 ESC, Equalis Group, its agents, Members and employees shall be made party to any claim for breach of such agreement.

#### 5. ARTICLE 5 – TERMINATION OF CONTRACT

- 5.2 <u>Cancellation for cause</u>: If, for any reason, the Vendor fails to fulfill its obligation in a timely manner, or if the vendor violates any of the covenants, agreements, or stipulations of this contract, Region 10 ESC reserves the right to terminate the contract immediately and pursue all other applicable remedies afforded by law. Such termination shall be effective by delivery of notice, to the vendor, specifying the effective date of termination. In such event, all documents, data, studies, surveys, drawings, maps, models and reports prepared by vendor for this solicitation may become the property of the participating agency or entity. If such event does occur then vendor will be entitled to receive just and equitable compensation for the satisfactory work completed on such documents.
- 5.3 <u>Delivery/Service failures</u>: Region 10 ESC may issue a written deficiency notice to contractor for acting or failing to act in any of the following:
  - i. Providing material that does not meet the specifications of the contract;
  - ii. Providing work and/or material that was not awarded under the contract;
  - iii. Failing to adequately perform the services set forth in the scope of work and specifications;
  - iv. Failing to complete required work or furnish required materials within a reasonable amount of time;
  - **v.** Failing to make progress in performance of the contract and/or giving Region 10 ESC reason to believe that contractor will not or cannot perform the requirements of the contract; and/or
  - **vi.** Performing work or providing services under the contract prior to receiving a Region 10 ESC reviewed purchase order for such work.

Upon receipt of a written deficiency notice, contractor shall have ten (10) days to provide a satisfactory response to Region 10 ESC. Failure to adequately address all issues of concern may result in contract cancellation. Failure to deliver goods or services within the time specified or within a reasonable time period as interpreted by the purchasing agent, or failure to make replacements or corrections of rejected articles/services when so requested shall constitute grounds for the contract to be terminated. In the event that the participating agency or entity must purchase in an open market, contractor agrees to reimburse the participating agency or entity, within a reasonable time period, for all expenses incurred.

5.4 <u>Force Majeure</u>: If by reason of Force Majeure, either party hereto shall be rendered unable wholly or in part to carry out its obligations under this Agreement then such party shall give notice and full

particulars of Force Majeure in writing to the other party within a reasonable time after occurrence of the event or cause relied upon, and the obligation of the party giving such notice, so far as it is affected by such Force Majeure, shall be suspended during the continuance of the inability then claimed, except as hereinafter provided, but for no longer period, and such party shall endeavor to remove or overcome such inability with all reasonable dispatch.

The term Force Majeure as employed herein, shall mean acts of God, strikes, lockouts, or other industrial disturbances, act of public enemy, orders of any kind of government of the United States or the State of Texas or any civil or military authority; insurrections; riots; epidemics; landslides; lighting; earthquake; fires; hurricanes; storms; floods; washouts; droughts; arrests; restraint of government and people; civil disturbances; explosions, breakage or accidents to machinery, pipelines or canals, or other causes not reasonably within the control of the party claiming such inability. It is understood and agreed that the settlement of strikes and lockouts shall be entirely within the discretion of the party having the difficulty, and that the above requirement that any Force Majeure shall be remedied with all reasonable dispatch shall not require the settlement of strikes and lockouts by acceding to the demands of the opposing party or parties when such settlement is unfavorable in the judgment of the party having the difficulty

5.5 <u>Cancellation for convenience</u>: Either party may cancel this contract in whole or in part by providing written notice. The cancellation will take effect 90 business days after the other party receives the notice of cancellation. After the 90th business day all work will cease following completion of final purchase order. Region 10 ESC reserves the right to request additional items not already on contract at any time.

#### 6. ARTICLE 6 – LICENSES

- 6.1 <u>Duty to keep current license</u>: Vendor shall maintain in current status all federal, state and local licenses, bonds and permits required for the operation of the business conducted by vendor. Vendor shall remain fully informed of and in compliance with all ordinances and regulations pertaining to the lawful provision of services under the contract. Region 10 ESC reserves the right to stop work and/or cancel the contract of any vendor whose license(s) expire, lapse, are suspended or terminated.
- 6.2 <u>Suspension or Debarment</u>: Respondent shall provide a letter in the proposal notifying Region 10 ESC of any debarment, suspension or other lawful action taken against them by any federal, state, or local government within the last five (5) years that precludes Respondent or its employees from participating in any public procurement activity. The letter shall state the duration of the suspension or action taken, the relevant circumstances and the name of the agency imposing the suspension. Failure to supply or disclose this information may be grounds for cancellation of contract.
- 6.3 <u>Survival Clause</u>: All applicable software license agreements, warranties or service agreements that were entered into between Vendor and Customer/participating Member under the terms and conditions of the Contract shall survive the expiration or termination of the Contract. All Purchase Orders issued and accepted by Order Fulfiller shall survive expiration or termination of the Contract.

#### 7. ARTICLE 7 – DELIVERY PROVISIONS

7.1 <u>Delivery</u>: Vendor shall deliver said materials purchased on this contract to the participating Member issuing a Purchase Order. Conforming product shall be shipped within 7 days of receipt of Purchase Order. If delivery is not or cannot be made within the time specified by the Purchase Order the vendor must receive authorization from the purchasing agency for the delayed delivery. At this point the participating entity may cancel the order if estimated shipping time is not acceptable.

- 7.2 <u>Inspection & Acceptance:</u> If defective or incorrect material is delivered, purchasing agency may make the determination to return the material to the vendor at no cost to the purchasing agency. The vendor agrees to pay all shipping costs for the return shipment. Vendor shall be responsible for arranging the return of the defective or incorrect material.
- 7.3 <u>Responsibility for supplies tendered:</u> Vendor shall be responsible for the materials or supplies covered by this contract until they are delivered to the designated delivery point.
- 7.4 Shipping Instructions: Unless otherwise specified, each case, crate, barrel, package, etc, delivered under this contract must be plainly labeled, securely tagged, stating Vendor's name, purchase order number, quantity contained therein, and delivery address as indicated in the order. Deliveries must be made within the hours of 8:00 am 4:00 pm. Deliveries at any other time (including Saturdays, Sundays and holidays) will not be accepted unless arrangements have been made in advance with the receiver at the delivery point. Vendor understands that it is their responsibility to ensure compliance with the delivery instructions outlined in this agreement.
- 7.5 <u>Additional charges:</u> Unless bought on F.O.B. "shipping point" and Vendor prepays transportation, no delivery charges shall be added to invoices except when express delivery is authorized and substituted on orders for the method specified in the contract. In such cases, the difference between freight or mail and express charges may be added to the invoice.
- 7.6 <u>Buyer's delays:</u> Region 10 ESC will not be responsible for any late fees due the prime contractor by the participating Member. The prime contractor will negotiate with the participating agency for the recovery of damages related to expenses incurred by the vendor for a delay for which the Member is responsible, which is unreasonable, and which was not within the contemplation of the parties to the contract between the two parties.

#### 8. ARTICLE 8 – BILLING AND REPORTING

- 8.1 <u>Payments</u>: The participating entity using the contract will make payments directly to the awarded vendor. Payment shall be made after satisfactory performance, in accordance with all provisions thereof, and upon receipt of a properly completed invoice.
- 8.2 <u>Tax Exempt Status</u>: Since this is a national contract, knowing the tax laws in each state is the sole responsibility of the Vendor.

#### 9. ARTICLE 9 - PRICING

- 9.1 <u>Market competitive guarantee</u>: Vendor agrees to provide market competitive pricing, based on the value offered upon award, to Region 10 ESC and its participating public agencies throughout the duration of the contract.
- 9.2 <u>Price increase</u>: Should it become necessary or proper during the term of this contract to make any change in design or any alterations that will increase expense, Region 10 ESC must be notified immediately. Price increases must be approved by Lead Agency and no payment for additional materials or services, beyond the amount stipulated in the contract, shall be paid without prior approval. All price increases must be supported by manufacture documentation, or a formal cost justification letter.
  - Vendor must honor previous prices for thirty (30) days after approval and written notification from Region 10 ESC if requested.

It is Vendor's responsibility to keep all pricing up to date and on file with Region 10 ESC. All price changes must be provided to Region 10 ESC, using the same format as was accepted in the original contract.

- 9.3 <u>Additional Charges</u>: All deliveries shall be freight prepaid, F.O.B. destination and shall be included in all pricing offered unless otherwise clearly stated in writing.
- 9.4 <u>Price reduction and adjustment</u>: Price reduction may be offered at any time during contract and shall become effective upon notice of acceptance from Region 10 ESC. Special, time-limited reductions are permissible under the following conditions: 1) reduction is available to all Members equally; 2) reduction is for a specific time period, normally not less than thirty (30) days; 3) original price is not exceeded after the time-limit; and 4) Region 10 ESC has approved the new prices prior to any offer of the prices to a Member. Vendor shall offer Region 10 ESC any published price reduction during the contract period.
- 9.5 <u>Prevailing Wage</u>: It shall be the responsibility of the Vendor to comply, when applicable, with the prevailing wage legislation in effect in the jurisdiction of the purchaser (Region 10 ESC or its Participating Members). It shall further be the responsibility of the Vendor to monitor the prevailing wage rates as established by the appropriate Department of Labor for any increase in rates during the term of this contract and adjust wage rates accordingly.
- 9.6 <u>Administrative Fees</u>: The Vendor agrees to pay administrative fees to Equalis Group based on the terms set in the Equalis Group Administration Agreement. All pricing submitted to Region 10 shall include the administrative fee to be remitted to Equalis Group by the awarded vendor.
- 9.7 <u>Price Calculation</u>: Cost plus a percentage as a primary mechanism to calculate pricing is not allowed. Pricing may either be in the form of line item pricing, defined as a specific individual price on a product or service, or a percentage discount from a verifiable catalog or price list. Other discounts or incentives may be offered.

#### 10. ARTICLE 10 – PRICING AUDIT

10.1 Audit rights: Vendor shall, at Vendor's sole expense, maintain appropriate due diligence of all purchases made by Region 10 ESC and any participating entity that accesses this Agreement. Equalis Group and Region 10 ESC each reserve the right to audit the accounting for a period of three (3) years from the time such purchases are made. This audit right shall survive termination of this Agreement for a period of one (1) year from the effective date of termination. In the State of New Jersey, this audit right shall survive termination of this Agreement for a period of five (5) years from the date of final payment. Such records shall be made available to the New Jersey Office of the State Comptroller upon request. Region 10 ESC shall have the authority to conduct random audits of Vendor's pricing that is offered to eligible entities at Region 10 ESC's sole cost and expense. Notwithstanding the foregoing, in the event that Region 10 ESC is made aware of any pricing being offered to eligible agencies that is materially inconsistent with the pricing under this agreement, Region 10 ESC shall have the ability to conduct an extensive audit of Vendor's pricing at Vendor's sole cost and expense. Region 10 ESC may conduct the audit internally or may engage a third-party auditing firm. In the event of an audit, the requested materials shall be provided in the format and at the location designated by Region 10 ESC or Equalis Group.

#### 11. ARTICLE 11 – PROPOSER PRODUCT LINE REQUIREMENTS

- 11.1 <u>Current products</u>: Proposals shall be for materials and equipment in current production and marketed to the general public and education/government agencies at the time the proposal is submitted.
- 11.2 <u>Discontinued products</u>: If a product or model is discontinued by the manufacturer, Vendor may substitute a new product or model if the replacement product meets or exceeds the specifications

- and performance of the discontinued model and if the discount is the same or greater than the discontinued model.
- 11.3 New products/Services: New products and/or services that meet the scope of work may be added to the contract. Pricing shall be equivalent to the percentage discount for other products. Vendor may replace or add product lines to an existing contract if the line is replacing or supplementing products on contract, is equal or superior to the original products offered, is discounted in a similar or to a greater degree, and if the products meet the requirements of the solicitation. No products and/or services may be added to avoid competitive procurement requirements. Region 10 ESC may require additions to be submitted with documentation from Participating Members demonstrating an interest in, or a potential requirement for, the new product or service. Region 10 ESC may reject any additions without cause.
- 11.4 **Options**: Optional equipment for products under contract may be added to the contract at the time they become available under the following conditions: 1) the option is priced at a discount similar to other options; 2) the option is an enhancement to the unit that improves performance or reliability.
- 11.5 <u>Product line</u>: Vendors with a published catalog may submit the entire catalog. Region 10 ESC reserves the right to select products within the catalog for award without having to award all contents. Region 10 ESC may reject any addition of equipment options without cause.
- 11.6 <u>Warranty conditions:</u> All supplies, equipment and services shall include manufacturer's minimum standard warranty and one (1) year labor warranty unless otherwise agreed to in writing.
- 11.7 <u>Buy American requirement</u>: Vendors may only use unmanufactured construction material mined or produced in the United States, as required by the Buy American Act. Where trade agreements apply, to the extent permitted by applicable law, then unmanufactured construction material mined or produced in a designated country may also be used. Vendors are required to check state specific requirements to ensure compliance with this requirement.
- 11.8 <u>Domestic preference:</u> Region 10 ESC prefers the purchase, acquisition, or use of goods, products, or materials produced in the United States.

#### 12. ARTICLE 12 - SITE REQUIREMENTS

- 12.1 <u>Cleanup</u>: Vendor shall clean up and remove all debris and rubbish resulting from their work as required or directed by Member. Upon completion of the work, the premises shall be left in good repair and an orderly, neat, clean and unobstructed condition conducive to the Member's business purpose.
- 12.2 <u>Site Preparation</u>: Vendor shall not begin a project for which Participating Member has not prepared the site, unless Vendor does the preparation work at no cost, or until Participating Member includes the cost of site preparation in a purchase order to the contractor. Site preparation includes, but is not limited to moving furniture, moving equipment or obstructions to the work area, installation of wiring for networks or any other necessary pre-installation requirements.
- 12.3 Registered sex offender restrictions: For work to be performed at schools, Vendor agrees that no employee or employee of a subcontractor who has been adjudicated to be a registered sex offender will perform work at any time when students are or are reasonably expected to be present. Vendor agrees that a violation of this condition shall be considered a material breach and may result in the cancellation of the purchase order at the Participating Member's discretion. Vendor must identify any additional costs associated with compliance of this term. If no costs are specified, compliance with this term will be provided at no additional charge. Vendor is also responsible for ensuring that their employees or contractors who have direct contact with students are properly fingerprinted and background checked in accordance with local state law, if applicable.

- 12.4 <u>Safety measures</u>: Vendor shall take all reasonable precautions for the safety of employees on the worksite and shall erect and properly maintain all necessary safeguards for protection of workers and the public. Vendor shall post warning signs against all hazards created by its operation and work in progress. Proper precautions shall be taken pursuant to state law and standard practices to protect workers, general public and existing structures from injury or damage.
- 12.5 <u>Smoking/Tobacco</u>: Persons working under the contract shall adhere to local tobacco and smoking (including e-cigarettes/vaping) policies. Smoking will only be permitted in posted areas or off premises.
- 12.6 Stored materials: Upon prior written agreement between the vendor and Member, payment may be made for materials not incorporated in the work but delivered and suitably stored at the site or some other location, for installation at a later date. An inventory of the stored materials must be provided to Participating Member with the application for payment seeking compensation for stored materials. Such materials must be stored and protected in a secure location and be insured for their full value by the vendor against loss and damage. Vendor agrees to provide proof of coverage and/or addition of Participating Member as an additional insured upon Participating Member's request. Additionally, if stored offsite, the materials must also be clearly identified as property of buying Participating Member and be separated from other materials. Participating Member must be allowed reasonable opportunity to inspect and take inventory of stored materials, on or offsite, as necessary.
  - Until final acceptance by the Participating Member, it shall be the Vendor's responsibility to protect all materials and equipment. Vendor warrants and guarantees that title for all work, materials and equipment shall pass to the Member upon final acceptance.
- 12.7 <u>Maintenance Facilities and Support</u>: It is preferred that each contractor should have maintenance facilities and a support system available for servicing and repair of product and/or equipment. If a third party is to be used to provide maintenance and support to the participating Member, Respondent must notify Region 10 ESC of that third party information. All technicians, applicators, installers shall be fully certified, trained and licensed to perform said duties.

#### 13. ARTICLE 13 – MISCELLANEOUS

- 13.1 <u>Funding Out Clause</u>: Any/all contracts exceeding one (1) year shall include a standard "funding out" clause. A contract for the acquisition, including lease, of real or personal property is a commitment of the entity's current revenue only, provided the contract contains either or both of the following provisions:
  - "Retains to the entity the continuing right to terminate the contract at the expiration of each budget period during the term of the contract and is conditioned on a best efforts attempt by the entity to obtain appropriate funds for payment of the contract in the subsequent fiscal year."
- 13.2 <u>Disclosures</u>: Vendor affirms that he/she has not given, offered to give, nor intends to give at any time hereafter any economic opportunity, future employment, gift, loan, gratuity, special discount, trip, favor or service to a public servant in connection with this contract.
  - 13.2.1 Vendor has a continuing duty to disclose a complete description of any and all relationships that might be considered a conflict of interest in doing business with Members in Equalis Group.
  - 13.2.2 Vendor affirms that, to the best of his/her knowledge, the offer was arrived at independently, and was submitted without collusion with anyone to obtain information or gain any favoritism that would in any way limit competition or give an unfair advantage over other vendors in the award of this contract.

- 13.3 <u>Indemnity</u>: Vendor shall protect, indemnify, and hold harmless both Region 10 ESC and Equalis Group and its Members, administrators, employees and agents against all claims, damages, losses and expenses arising out of or resulting from the actions of Vendor, Vendor employees or Vendor subcontractors in the preparation of the solicitation and the later execution of the contract, including any supplemental agreements with Members. Any litigation involving either Region 10 ESC or Equalis Group, its administrators and employees and agents shall be in a court of competent jurisdiction in Dallas County, Texas. Texas law shall apply to any such suit, without giving effect to its choice of laws provisions. Any litigation involving Equalis Group participating Members shall be in the jurisdiction of the participating agency.
- 13.4 <u>Franchise Tax</u>: Vendor hereby certifies that he/she is not currently delinquent in the payment of any required franchise taxes, and shall remain current on any such franchise taxes throughout the term of this contract.
- 13.5 <u>Marketing</u>: Vendor agrees to allow Region 10 ESC and Equalis Group to use their name and logo within website, marketing materials and advertisement. Any use of the Region 10 ESC or Equalis Group name and logo or any form of publicity, inclusive of press releases, regarding this contract by Vendor must have prior approval from Region 10 ESC.
- 13.6 <u>Insurance</u>: Unless otherwise modified elsewhere in this document, prior to commencing services under this contract for a participating Member, contractor shall procure, provide and maintain during the life of this agreement comprehensive public liability insurance to include course of construction insurance and automobile liability, providing limits of not less than \$1,000,000.00 per occurrence. The insurance form will be an "all risk" type of policy with standard exclusions. Coverage will include temporary structures, scaffolding, temporary office trailers, materials, and equipment. Contractor shall pay for the deductibles required by the insurance provided under this agreement.
  - 13.6.1 Certificates of insurance shall be delivered to the Member prior to commencement of work. The insurance company shall be licensed to do business and write the appropriate lines of insurance in the applicable state in which work is being conducted. Vendor shall give the participating entity a minimum of ten (10) days' notice prior to any modifications or cancellation of policies. Vendor shall require all subcontractors performing any work to maintain coverage as specified.
  - 13.6.2 Prior to commencing any work under this contract, any subcontractor shall also procure, provide, and maintain, at its own expense until final acceptance of the work performed, insurance coverage in a form acceptable to the prime contractor. All subcontractors shall provide worker's compensation insurance which waives all subrogation rights against the prime contractor and Member.
- 13.7 <u>Subcontracts/Sub Contractors</u>: If Vendor serves as prime contractor, it shall not enter into any subcontract subject to this solicitation without prior approval from Region 10 ESC. Any/all subcontractors shall abide by the terms and conditions of this contract and the solicitation.
  - 13.7.1 No subcontract relationships shall be entered into with a party not licensed to do business in the jurisdiction in which the work will be performed. Contractor must use subcontractors openly, include such arrangements in the proposal, and certify upon request that such use complies with the rules associated with the procurement codes and statutes in the state in which the contractor is conducting business.
  - 13.7.2 Contractor agrees to pay subcontractors in a timely manner. Failure to pay subcontractors for work faithfully performed and properly invoiced may result in suspension or termination of this contract. Prior to participating Member's release of final retained amounts,

- Contractor shall produce verified statements from all subcontractors and material suppliers that those entities have been paid in full amounts due and owing to them.
- 13.8 <u>Legal Obligations</u>: It is the Respondent's responsibility to be aware of and comply with all local, state, and federal laws governing the sale of products/services identified in this RFP and any awarded contract and shall comply with all while fulfilling the RFP. Applicable laws and regulation must be followed even if not specifically identified herein.
- 13.9 <u>Boycott Certification</u>: Respondents hereby certify that during the term of any Agreement, it does not boycott Israel and will not boycott Israel. "Boycott" means refusing to deal with, terminating business activities with, or otherwise taking any action that is intended to penalize, inflict economic harm on, or limit commercial relations specifically with Israel, or with a person or entity doing business in Israel or in an Israeli-controlled territory, but does not include an action made for ordinary business purposes.

[Signatures follow on Signature Form]

#### PROPOSAL FORM 19: GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS ACCEPTANCE FORM

Signature on the Vendor Contract Signature form certifies complete acceptance of the General Terms and Conditions in this solicitation, except as noted below (additional pages may be attached, if necessary).

	ne of the following responses to the General Terms and Conditions: ake no exceptions/deviations to the general terms and conditions
☐ We mus exce	none are listed below, it is understood that no exceptions/deviations are taken.) take the following exceptions/deviations to the general terms and conditions. All exceptions/deviations at be clearly explained. Reference the corresponding general terms and conditions that you are taking eptions/deviations to. Clearly state if you are adding additions terms and conditions to the general and conditions. Provide details on your exceptions/deviations below:

(Note: Unacceptable exceptions shall remove your proposal from consideration for award. Region 10 ESC shall be the sole judge on the acceptance of exceptions/deviations and the decision shall be final.)

#### PROPOSAL FORM 22: VENDOR CONTRACT AND SIGNATURE FORM

The undersigned hereby proposes and agrees to furnish goods and/or services in strict compliance with the terms, specifications and conditions at the prices proposed within response unless noted in writing. The undersigned further certifies that he/she is an officer of the company and has authority to negotiate and bind the company named below and has not prepared this proposal in collusion with any other Respondent and that the contents of this proposal as to prices, terms or conditions of said proposal have not been communicated by the undersigned nor by any employee or agent to any person engaged in this type of business prior to the official opening of this proposal.

#### VENDORS MUST SUBMIT THIS FORM COMPLETED AND SIGNED WITH THEIR RESPONSE TO BE CONSIDERED

Company name	Ewing Irrigation Products, Inc.	
Address	3441 E. Harbour Dr.	
City/State/Zip	Phoenix AZ 85034	
Telephone No.	480-213-3663	
Fax No.		
Email address	govsales@ewingirrigation.com	
Printed name	Jake Ray	
Position with company	Director of Government Business	
Authorized signature	SM 4	
Term of contract <u>Septemb</u>	per 1, 2023 to August 31, 2026	
Unless otherwise stated, all cont	racts are for a period of three (3) years with an option to renew annually for	ar
additional two (2) years if agreed	I to by Region 10 ESC. Vendor shall honor all administrative fees for any sale	s:
made based on the contract whe	ther renewed or not.	
Ref Ciller	Aug 16, 2023	
Region 10 ESC Authorized Agent	Date	
Dr. Rickey Williams		
Print Name		
Equalis Group Contract Number	R10-1154A	





# REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL #R10-1154 FOR: LANDSCAPE AND IRRIGATION SUPPLIES, TOOLS, AND EQUIPMENT

May 22, 2023

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### **Proposal Form Checklist**

### The following documents must be submitted with the Proposal

The below documents can be found in Section 2; Proposal Submission and Required Bid Forms and must be submitted with the proposal. Please note Proposal Form 1 is a separate attachment (attachment B).

PROPOSAL PRICING: Attachment B is provided separately in a Microsoft Excel file and is required to complete your price proposal. PROPOSAL FORM 1: ATTACHMENT B - PRICING **OUESTIONNAIRE & EVALUATION CRITERIA:** PROPOSAL FORM 2: QUESTIONNAIRE & EVALUATION CRITERIA OTHER REQUIRED PROPOSAL FORMS: PROPOSAL FORM 3: CERTIFICATIONS AND LICENSES PROPOSAL FORM 4: CLEAN AIR AND WATER ACT **PROPOSAL FORM 5: DEBARMENT NOTICE** PROPOSAL FORM 6: LOBBYING CERTIFICATION PROPOSAL FORM 7: CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS PROPOSAL FORM 8: ANTITRUST CERTIFICATION STATEMENTS PROPOSAL FROM 9: IMPLEMENTATION OF HOUSE BILL 1295 PROPOSAL FROM 10: BOYCOTT CERTIFICATION AND TERRORIST STATE CERTIFICATION PROPOSAL FORM 11: RESIDENT CERTIFICATION PROPOSAL FORM 12: FEDERAL FUNDS CERIFICATION FORM PROPOSAL FORM 13: ADDITIONAL ARIZONA CONTRACTOR REQUIREMENTS PROPOSAL FORM 14: OWNERSHIP DISCLOSURE FORM (N.J.S. 52:25-24.2) PROPOSAL FORM 15: NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT PROPOSAL FORM 16: AFFIRMATIVE ACTION AFFIDAVIT (P.L. 1975, C.127) PROPOSAL FORM 17: C. 271 POLITICAL CONTRIBUTION DISCLOSURE FORM PROPOSAL FORM 18: STOCKHOLDER DISCLOSURE CERTIFICATION PROPOSAL FORM 19: GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS ACCEPTANCE FORM PROPOSAL FORM 20: EQUALIS GROUP ADMINISTRATION AGREEMENT PROPOSAL FORM 21: OPEN RECORDS POLICY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND ACCEPTANCE

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PROPOSAL FORM 22: VENDOR CONTRACT AND SIGNATURE FORM

#### PROPOSAL FORM 1: ATTACHMENT B - PRICING

Pricing should be entered in the attachment B Excel form provided in this RFP packet. Please reference Section 1, Part B, Instructions to Proposers, for more information on how to complete pricing.

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#### PROPOSAL FORM 2: QUESTIONNAIRE & EVALUATION CRITERIA

#### Instructions:

Respondents should incorporate their questionnaire responses directly into the green cells below. Failure to provide responses in this format may result in the proposal being deemed as non-responsive at the sole discretion of Region 10.

Respondents may incorporate additional documents as part of their response which <u>may</u> be utilized by Region 10 as part of the evaluation. Additional documents must be consolidated as part of this Section 2 at the end of your response.

Region 10 has associated the evaluation criteria with the question that most closely aligns with that respective evaluation criteria. Region 10 reserves the right at its sole discretion to base its evaluation and specific evaluation criteria on any part of the respondent's proposal.

Evaluation	Question	Answer
Criteria		
<b>Basic Information</b>		
Required information for notification of RFP	What is your company's official registered name?	Ewing Irrigation Products, Inc.
results	What is the mailing address of your company's headquarters?	3441 E. Harbour Dr. Phoenix AZ 85034
	Who is the main contact for any questions and notifications concerning this RFP response, including notification of award? Provide name, title, email address,	Jake Ray, Director of Government Business, govsales@ewingirrigation.com, 480-213-3663
Products/Pricing (30 I	and phone number.	
Coverage of products and services	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	l utilize your overall response and the products/services provided in Attachment B to make this determination
Ability of offered products and services to meet the needs requested in the scope	No answer is required. Region 10 wil	l utilize your overall response and the products/services provided in Attachment B to make this determination
Pricing for all available products and services, including warranties if applicable	Does the respondent agree to offer all future product and services at prices that are proportionate to contract pricing offered herein?	Yes

	Does pricing submitted include the	Yes
	required administrative fee?	
	Do you offer any other promotions	No
	or incentives for customers? If yes,	
	please describe.	
Ability of Customers to	Were all products/lines/services	Yes
verify that they received	and pricing being made available	
contract pricing	under this contract provided in the	
	attachment B and/or Appendix B,	
	pricing sections?	
	Outline your pricing strategy	I have a Master Spreadsheet for Co-Ops that has a discount off List price. You can verify the list price on our website
	provided in Attachment B. If	<u>www.ewingoutdoorsupply.com</u> it's next to every part number in grey.
	utilizing a list price, please indicate	
	where agencies can find the list	
	and your methodology for	
	determining that list price.	
Payment methods	Define your invoicing process and	We have an internal credit department. They can fill out a simple Public Agency form we will open them up and they can
	methods of payments you will	purchase with PO's. We mail invoices and payments are due Net 30. We accept ACH, Check and Credit Card Payments.
	accept. Please include the overall	<u>credit@ewingirrigation.com</u> Our remittance Address is PO Box 208728 Dallas TX
	process for agencies to make	
	payments	
Other factors relevant to	No answer is required. Region 10 wil	I utilize your overall response and the products/services provided in Attachment B to make this determination
this section as submitted		
by the Respondent		
Performance Capabil		
Functional Capabilities	Please provide a high-level	Ewing Irrigation Products Inc. is a wholesale distributor of Outdoor products such as Irrigation, Fertilizer, Herbicides, Sports
	overview of the products and	Field ground supplies, Marking Paint, Spreaders, Sprayers, Stihl equipment where we are licensed to sell and battery operated
	services being offered and how	Ego (Chevron) everywhere else. With over 250 locations nationwide we are an ideal partner to work with to get the Public
	they address the scope being	Agency what they need when they need it at a fair market relevant price.
	requested herein.	
	Describe your product	We have all major brands and can assist with Technical needs out in the field to make sure the Public Agency is getting the
	compatibility with other systems	correct product that matches with their current system.
	and/or devices.	
	Describe any measures taken to	On our website www.ewingoutdoorsupply.com at the bottom of the home page there is a link
	minimize the environmental	https://www.ewingoutdoorsupply.com/csr-report that outlines Ewing's attempts for Corporate Social and Environmental
	impact of your products and	Responsibility
	operations.	
	Describe any resources available to	www.ewingirrigation.com , Also provides links to our numerous Youtube training videos. Any one of our 250+ locations has
	assist with product selection and	experienced employees who you can call. We have Account Managers in the field, and I'm a 20 year employee that you can call
	application.	at any time for question. 480-213-3663 or toll free 1-888-881-4117
	Outline measures in place to	Ewing prides itself on our Locations and robust inventory. We have a centralized highly professional purchasing team that
	ensure product availability.	works daily to make sure we have the right product for our customers at the right time for the right price.
	States Covered - Respondent must	AL, AR, AZ, CA, CO, FL, GA, IL, IN, KS, LA, MD. MI, MO, MS, NC, NJ, NM, NV, NY, OK, OR, SC, TN, TX, UT, VA, WA,
	indicate any and all states or	

	geographies where products and	
	services are being offered. If your	
	services are limited to a certain	
	area, please be specific on the area	
	your services are provided.	
	List the number and location of	243 locations Please see <u>www.ewingoutdoorsupply.com</u> for a complete list
	offices, or service centers for all	
	states being proposed in	
	solicitation	
	Outline any other capabilities not	We have our own fleet of vehicles, so product delivery is handled internally. We have Some Bulk material yards across the
	already addressed.	country so we can also provide things such as Mulch, dirt, decorative granite.
Customer	Describe your company's Customer	243 location 7-4 business hours, some are 6-5 depending on time of year. 4 hour Saturday morning shifts for last minute
service/problem	Service Department (hours of	weekend needs (seasonal) Field Support Center in Phoenix Arizona with a large staff for IT, HR, Marketing, Customer Service
resolution	operation, how you resolve issues,	and more
	number of service centers, etc.).	
Financial condition of	Demonstrate your financial	Proposer is a private company that has recorded profits in every year for the last 25 years, with a robust balance
vendor	strength and stability with	sheet. Proposer has adequate cash and credit lines in place to perform the Contract. Proposer also has adequate insurance
	meaningful data. This could	coverage limits with A+ insurance companies.
	include, but is not limited to, such	
	items as financial statements, SEC	No past or present owners, shareholders, or officers have been party to a bankruptcy, receivership, or insolvency proceeding in
	filings, credit & bond ratings,	the last 7 years.
	letters of credit, and detailed	the last 7 years.
	refence letters	
	rejence letters	
		Mark Finstad
		Vice President of Finance   Ewing Irrigation and Landscape Supply 3441 E Harbour Drive Phoenix, AZ 85034
		P: 602.437.9530   M: 602.421.3178   F: 602.437.0446
	14th set commenced and and a	mfinstad@ewingirrigation.com   ewingirrigation.com
	What was your annual sales	2.25 Billion
	volume over last three (3) years?	
Contract implementation	Describe training or support you	https://www.ewingoutdoorsupply.com/education
/	provide to help agencies	
Customer training	understand how to utilize the	
	spaces and technology equipment	
	being installed.	
History of meeting	Outline the process for timeline for	2-4 hours for will call if in stock, 24 hour delivery notice, 7-10 days if not in stock to order
product and services	product pickup, delivery, and any	product in.
timeline	other applicable capabilities not	
	already addressed.	
Other factors relevant to	Describe the capacity of your	We have that capability, that would go through me at <a href="mailto:govsale@ewingirrigation.com">govsale@ewingirrigation.com</a> I have a program called DOMO that allows
this section as submitted	company to provide management	me to pull all invoices, locations usage etc.
by the Respondent	reports, i.e. consolidated billing by	
	location, time and attendance	

	reports, etc. for each eligible	
	agency	
	Provide your safety record, safety	https://www.ewingoutdoorsupply.com/csr-report
	rating, EMR and worker's	
	compensation rate where	
	available.	
Qualification and Exp	erience (25 Points)	
Respondent reputation	Provide a link to your company's	https://www.ewingoutdoorsupply.com/
in the marketplace	website	
·	Please provide a brief history of	Established in 1922 we trace our heritage back to Atlas Sprinkler out of San Francisco. Celebrating our 100 year Anniversary
	your company, including the year	Ewing is still owned by the same Family. We are now on our 4 <sup>th</sup> Generation of Ewing / York leadership.
	it was established.	zima, so stan o mineral ay ane same rammy. The are not on our in occite at one of zima, by room is caused in pr
Past relationship with	Have you worked with Region 10	We have the Region 7 purchasing agreement, we do sell to Public Agencies within Region 10 but nothing specific with Region
Region 10 ESC and/or	in the past? If so, what was the	10 proper.
Region 10 ESC members	timeframe for that work?	10 proper.
Experience and	Please provide contact information	Executive Support, Contract Manager, Marketing, : Jake Ray Director of Government Business govsales@ewingirrigation.com,
qualification of key	and resumes for the person(s) who	480-213-3663
employees	will be responsible for the	480-213-3003
employees	following areas. Region 10	Account Manager Ronnie Wright <a href="mailto:rwright@ewingirrigation.com">rwright@ewingirrigation.com</a> 214-912-5545
	requests contacts to cover the	Billing Reporting and Accounts Payable, <a href="mailto:credit@ewingirrigation.com">credit@ewingirrigation.com</a> 1-800-343-9464
	following:	
	* Executive Support	
	* Account Manager	
	* Contract Manager	
	* Marketing	
	* Billing, reporting & Accounts	
	Payable	
Past experience working	What are your overall public sector	\$120M
with the public sector	sales, excluding Federal	
	Government, for last three (3)	
	years?	
	What is your strategy to increase	We do active call campaigns, in store marketing with Co-Op logo's, Centralized Bidding and Government Sales Department.
	market share in the public sector?	
Past litigation,	Provide information regarding	N/A
bankruptcy,	whether your firm, either presently	
reorganization, state	or in the past, has been involved in	
investigations of entity	any litigation, bankruptcy, or	
or current officers and	reorganization.	
directors		
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Minimum of 5 public	Provide a minimum of five (5)	Public Agency:	State	Contact Name:	<b>▼ Phone Number:</b>	▼ Email Address: ▼
sector customer	customer references for product	City Of Dana Point	CA	Al Jacobo	949-337-0231	ajacobo@danapoint.org
references relating to	and/or services of similar scope	City Of Dana Point	CA	Juan Ruano	949-337-0324	jruano@danapoint.org
the products and	dating within the past 3 years.	Garden Grove Public Works	CA	Neal Manalansan	714-741-5563	nealm@ggcity.org
services within this RFP	Please try to provide references for	City of Westminster	CA	Dan Kaminski	714-895-2876	dkaminski@westminster-ca.gov
	K12, Higher Education, City/County	Cherokee Parks and Rec	GA	Tony Stargel	404-469-8200	twstargel@cherokeega.com
	and State entities. Provide the	Mecklenburg County Park and red	NC NC	Alex Rholeder	704-336-3854	Michael.Rohleder@mecklenburgcountync.gov
	entity; contact name & title; city &	La Joya ISD	TX	Robert Torrez	956-458-66370	<u> </u>
	state; phone number; years	Mcallen ISD	TX	Lazaro Elizondo	956-460-1289	lazaro.elizondo@mcallenisd.net
	serviced; description of services; and annual volume	Pharr San Juan Alamo ISD	TX	Victor Hernandez	956-345-2141	
	ana annuai voiume	Cameron County Auditors	TX	Bob Lucio	956-459-3930	
		City of San Benito	TX	Sal Mendoza	956-577-3706	
		Harlingen CISD	TX	Pablo Bejearan	956-893-3542	
		San Marcos Consolidated ISD	TX	Kristal Arredondo	512-393-6500	kristal.arredondo@smcisd.net
		San Marcos Consolidated ISD	TX	Richard Duvall	512-757-8052	richard.duvall@smcisd.net
		The Chickasaw Nation	OK	Russell Welch	580-282-2403	russell.welch@chickasaw.net
Certifications in the Industry	Provide a copy of all current licenses, registrations and certifications issued by federal, state and local agencies, and any other licenses, registrations or certifications from any other governmental entity with jurisdiction, allowing Respondent to perform the covered services including, but not limited to licenses, registrations or certifications. M/WBE, HUB, DVBE, small and disadvantaged business certifications and other diverse business certifications, as well as manufacturer certifications for sales and service must be included if applicable	N/A				
Company profile and capabilities	What best describes your position in the distribution channel? (Manufacturer, Authorized Distributor, Value-Add Reseller, Other	Distributor				
Other factors relevant to this section as submitted by the Respondent	If your company is a privately held organization, please indicate if the company is owned or operated by anyone who has been convicted of	No				

	a felony. If yes, a detailed	
	explanation of the names and	
	conviction is required.	
		, registrations and certifications issued by federal, state and local agencies, and any other licenses, registrations or certifications
		with jurisdiction, allowing Respondent to perform the covered services. These will be provided in the space provided in Form 6.
	No answer is required here.	
MWBE Status and/or	Program Capabilities (10 Point	ts)
MWBE status,	Please indicate whether you hold	N/A
subcontractor plan,	any diversity certifications,	
and/or joint venture	including, but not limited to	
program	MWBE, SBE, DBE, DVBE, HUB, or	
	HUBZone	
	Do you currently have a diversity	https://www.ewingoutdoorsupply.com/csr-report
	program in place, such as a	
	Mentor Protégé Program or	
	subcontractor program? If you	
	have a diversity program, please	
	describe it and indicate whether	
	you plan to offer your program or	
	partnership through Equalis	
	Group?	
	· .	have as part of your response to Form 6.
Good faith efforts to	Did your company contact MWBEs	No
involve MWBE	or minority chambers of commerce	
subcontractors in	by telephone, written	
response	correspondence, or trade	
	associations at least one week	
	before the due date of this RFP to	
	provide information relevant to	
	this opportunity and to determine	
	whether any MWBEs were	
	interested in subcontracting	
	and/or joint ventures?	
Demonstrated ongoing	Outline your subcontractor	N/A
MWBE program	strategy and efforts your	
	organization takes to include	
	MWBE subcontractors in future	
	work, including but not limited to	
	efforts to reach out to individual	
	MWBE businesses, minority	
	chambers of commerce, and other	
	minority business and trade	
	associations.	
Commitment to Servi	ice Equalis Group Members (10	Points)

NA-ulationales	B-t-ill	We dearly all and in the second of the secon
Marketing plan,	Detail how your organization plans	We do active call campaigns, in store marketing with Co-Op logo's, Centralized Bidding and Government Sales Department.
capability, and	to market and promote this	
commitment	contract upon award, including	
	how this contract will fit into your	
	organization's current go-to-	
	market strategy in the public	
	sector.	
	Detail how your organization will	I do monthly conference calls with each Region to explain what a Co-Op is and how to properly use it. This will be our 3 <sup>rd</sup> Co-Op
	train your sales force and	so the concept is familiar with the field.
	customer service representatives	
	on this contract to ensure that	
	they can competently and	
	consistently present the contract	
	to public agency customers and	
	answer any questions they might	
	have concerning it.	
	Acknowledge that your	Acknowledged
	organization agrees to provide its	
	company logo(s) to Region 10 ESC	
	and Equalis Group and agrees to	
	provide permission for	
	reproduction of such logo in	
	marketing communications and	
	promotions	
Ability to manage a	Describe the capacity of your	We have that capacity
cooperative contract	company to report monthly sales	The nate and capacity
cooperative contract	through this agreement to Equalis	
	Group.	
	Identify any contracts with other	Buyboard 705-23 and 706-23, 1GPA, Region 7, Colorado MAPO, Lousiana Division of Admin.
	cooperative or government group	Bayboard 703 23 and 700 23, 101 A, Region 7, Colorado MAI O, Edusiana División of Admini.
	purchasing organizations of which	
	your company is currently a part	
Commitment to	of:  If awarded a contract, how would	We do active call campaigns, in store marketing with Co-Op logo's, Centralized Bidding and Government Sales Department.
	you approach agencies in regards	we do active can campaigns, in store marketing with co-op logo's, centralized bluding and dovernment sales bepartment.
supporting agencies to utilize the contract	to this contract? Please indicate	
dunze the contract		
	how this would work for both new	
	customers to your organization, as	
Othersteam	well as existing.	4 for a service Dellas Torras Area (fits shortes to be offered will add
Other factors relevant to	Provide the number of sales	1 for now in Dallas Texas Area. If it starts to take off we will add more in other areas.
this section as submitted	representatives which will work on	
by the Respondent	this contract and where the sales	
	representatives are located.	

#### PROPOSAL FORM 3: CERTIFICATIONS AND LICENSES

Provide a copy of all current licenses, registrations and certifications issued by federal, state and local agencies, and any other licenses, registrations or certifications from any other governmental entity with jurisdiction, allowing Respondent to perform the covered services including, but not limited to licenses, registrations or certifications. M/WBE, HUB, DVBE, small and disadvantaged business certifications and other diverse business certifications, as well as manufacturer certifications for sales and service must be included if applicable.

#### PROPOSAL FORM 4: CLEAN AIR WATER ACT

I, the Vendor, am in compliance with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act of 1970, as Amended (42 U.S. C. 1857 (h), Section 508 of the Clean Water Act, as amended (33 U.S.C. 1368), Executive Order 117389 and Environmental Protection Agency Regulation, 40 CFR Part 15 as required under OMB Circular A-102, Attachment O, Paragraph 14 (1) regarding reporting violations to the grantor agency and to the United States Environment Protection Agency Assistant Administrator for the Enforcement.

Potential Vendor: _Ewing Irrigation Products, Inc
Title of Authorized Representative:Director of Government Business
Mailing Address: _3441 E. Harbour Dr. Phoenix AZ 85034
Signature:

#### PROPOSAL FORM 5: DEBARMENT NOTICE

I, the Vendor, certify that my company has not been debarred, suspended or otherwise ineligible for participation in Federal Assistance programs under Executive Order 12549, "Debarment and Suspension", as described in the Federal Register and Rules and Regulations.

Potential Vendor: _Ewing Irrigation Products, Inc
Title of Authorized Representative: _Director of Government Business
Mailing Address: 3441 E. Harbour Dr. Phoenix AZ 85034
Signature:

#### PROPOSAL FORM 6: LOBBYING CERTIFICATION

Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction and is imposed by Section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

The undersigned certifies, to the best of his/her knowledge and belief, that:

- 1. No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of a Federal contract, the making of a Federal grant, the making of a Federal loan, the entering into a cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of a Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
- 2. If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form LLL, "Disclosure of Lobbying Activities," 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 sub-awards exceeding \$100,000 in Federal funds at all appropriate tiers and that all sub-recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

Signature of Respondent

\_\_\_\_06/30/23\_\_\_\_\_

Date

#### PROPOSAL FORM 7: CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

#### **Contractor's Employment Eligibility**

By entering the contract, Contractor warrants compliance with the Federal Immigration and Nationality Act (FINA), and all other federal and state immigration laws and regulations. The Contractor further warrants that it is in compliance with the various state statutes of the states it will operate this contract in.

Participating Government Entities including School Districts may request verification of compliance from any Contractor or subcontractor performing work under this Contract. These Entities reserve the right to confirm compliance in accordance with applicable laws.

Should the Participating Entities suspect or find that the Contractor or any of its subcontractors are not in compliance, they may pursue any and all remedies allowed by law, including, but not limited to: suspension of work, termination of the Contract for default, and suspension and/or debarment of the Contractor. All costs necessary to verify compliance are the responsibility of the Contractor.

The Respondent complies and maintains compliance with the appropriate statutes which requires compliance with federal immigration laws by State employers, State contractors and State subcontractors in accordance with the E-Verify Employee Eligibility Verification Program.

Contractor shall comply with governing board policy of the Region 10 ESC Participating entities in which work is being performed.

#### **Fingerprint & Criminal Background Checks**

If required to provide services on school district property at least five (5) times during a month, contractor shall submit a full set of fingerprints to the school district if requested of each person or employee who may provide such service. Alternately, the school district may fingerprint those persons or employees. An exception to this requirement may be made as authorized in Governing Board policy. The district shall conduct a fingerprint check in accordance with the appropriate state and federal laws of all contractors, subcontractors or vendors and their employees for which fingerprints are submitted to the district. Contractor, subcontractors, vendors and their employees shall not provide services on school district properties until authorized by the District.

The Respondent shall comply with fingerprinting requirements in accordance with appropriate statutes in the state in which the work is being performed unless otherwise exempted.

Contractor shall comply with governing board policy in the school district or Participating Entity in which work is being performed.

Signature of Respondent

Date

# PROPOSAL FORM 8: ANTITRUST CERTIFICATION STATEMENTS (Tex. Government Code § 2155.005)

I affirm under penalty of perjury of the laws of the State of Texas that:

- (1) I am duly authorized to execute this contract on my own behalf or on behalf of the company, corporation, firm, partnership or individual (Company) listed below;
- (2) In connection with this proposal, neither I nor any representative of the Company has violated any provision of the Texas Free Enterprise and Antitrust Act, Tex. Bus. & Comm. Code Chapter 15;
- (3) In connection with this proposal, neither I nor any representative of the Company has violated any federal antitrust law; and
- (4) Neither I nor any representative of the Company has directly or indirectly communicated any of the contents of this proposal to a competitor of the Company or any other company, corporation, firm, partnership or individual engaged in the same line of business as the Company.

VENDOR _Ewing Irrigation Products, Inc	
ADDRESS3441 E. Harbour Dr Phoenix AZ 85034	RESPONDANT
PHONE480-213-3663	Signature
	Jake Ray
	Printed Name
FAX _govsales@ewingirrigation.com	Director of Government Business
	Position with Company
	AUTHORIZING OFFICIAL
	Signature
	Printed Name
	Position with Company

#### PROPOSAL FORM 9: IMPLEMENTATION OF HOUSE BILL 1295

#### Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295):

In 2015, the Texas Legislature adopted House Bill 1295, which added section 2252.908 of the Government Code. The law states that a governmental entity or state agency may not enter into certain contracts with a business entity unless the business entity submits a disclosure of interested parties to the governmental entity or state agency at the time the business entity submits the signed contract to the governmental entity or state agency. The law applies only to a contract of a governmental entity or state agency that either (1) requires an action or vote by the governing body of the entity or agency before the contract may be signed or (2) has a value of at least \$1 million. The disclosure requirement applies to a contract entered into on or after January 1, 2016.

The Texas Ethics Commission was required to adopt rules necessary to implement that law, prescribe the disclosure of interested parties form, and post a copy of the form on the commission's website. The commission adopted the Certificate of Interested Parties form (Form 1295) on October 5, 2015. The commission also adopted new rules (Chapter 46) on November 30, 2015, to implement the law. The commission does not have any additional authority to enforce or interpret House Bill 1295.

#### **Filing Process:**

Staring on January 1, 2016, the commission will make available on its website a new filing application that must be used to file Form 1295. A business entity must use the application to enter the required information on Form 1295 and print a copy of the completed form, which will include a certification of filing that will contain a unique certification number. An authorized agent of the business entity must sign the printed copy of the form and have the form notarized. The completed Form 1295 with the certification of filing must be filed with the governmental body or state agency with which the business entity is entering into the contract.

The governmental entity or state agency must notify the commission, using the commission's filing application, of the receipt of the filed Form 1295 with the certification of filing not later than the 30th day after the date the contract binds all parties to the contract. The commission will post the completed Form 1295 to its website within seven business days after receiving notice from the governmental entity or state agency.

Information regarding how to use the filing application will be available on this site starting on January 1, 2016. <a href="https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/whatsnew/elf\_info\_form1295.htm">https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/whatsnew/elf\_info\_form1295.htm</a>

#### PROPOSAL FORM 10: BOYCOTT CERTIFICATION AND TERRORIST STATE CERTIFICATION

#### **BOYCOTT CERTIFICATION**

Respondents must certify that during the term of any Agreement, it does not boycott Israel and will not boycott Israel. "Boycott" means refusing to deal with, terminating business activities with, or otherwise taking any action that is intended to penalize, inflict economic harm on, or limit commercial relations specifically with Israel, or with a person or entity doing business in Israel or in an Israeli-controlled territory, but does not include an action made for ordinary business purposes.

Does vendor agree? (Initials of Authorized Representative)

#### TERRORIST STATE CERTIFICATION

In accordance with Texas Government Code, Chapter 2252, Subchapter F, REGION 10 ESC is prohibited from entering into a contract with a company that is identified on a list prepared and maintained by the Texas Comptroller or the State Pension Review Board under Texas Government Code Sections 806.051, 807.051, or 2252.153. By execution of any agreement, the respondent certifies to REGION 10 ESC that it is not a listed company under any of those Texas Government Code provisions. Responders must voluntarily and knowingly acknowledge and agree that any agreement shall be null and void should facts arise leading the REGION 10 ESC to believe that the respondent was a listed company at the time of this procurement.

Does vendor agree? (Initials of Authorized Representative)

#### PROPOSAL FORM 11: RESIDENT CERTIFICATION

This Certification Section must be completed and submitted before a proposal can be awarded to your company. This information may be placed in an envelope labeled "Proprietary" and is not subject to public view. In order for a proposal to be considered, the following information must be provided. Failure to complete may result in rejection of the proposal:

As defined by Texas House Bill 602, a "nonresident Bidder" means a Bidder whose principal place of business is not in Texas, but excludes a contractor whose ultimate parent company or majority owner has its principal place of business in Texas.

of business in Texas. Texas or Non-Texas Resident		,	
<ul><li>I certify that my company is a "</li><li>I certify that my company quali</li></ul>			
If you qualify as a "nonresident Bidder,	" you must furnish the following informa	tion:	
What is your resident state? (The state your principal place of business is located.)			
Ewing Irrigation Products, Inc.	3441 E. Harbour Dr.	Address	
Phoenix AZ 85034		City	
State	Zip		

#### PROPOSAL FORM 12: FEDERAL FUNDS CERTIFICATION FORM

When a participating agency seeks to procure goods and services using funds under a federal grant or contract, specific federal laws, regulations, and requirements may apply in addition to those under state law. This includes, but is not limited to, the procurement standards of the Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, 2 CFR 200 (sometimes referred to as the "Uniform Guidance" or "EDGAR" requirements). All Vendors submitting proposals must complete this Federal Funds Certification Form regarding Vendor's willingness and ability to comply with certain requirements which may be applicable to specific participating agency purchases using federal grant funds. This completed form will be made available to participating agencies for their use while considering their purchasing options when using federal grant funds. Participating agencies may also require Vendors to enter into ancillary agreements, in addition to the contract's general terms and conditions, to address the member's specific contractual needs, including contract requirements for a procurement using federal grants or contracts.

For each of the items below, Vendor should certify Vendor's agreement and ability to comply, where applicable, by having Vendor's authorized representative complete and initial the applicable lines after each section and sign the acknowledgment at the end of this form. If a vendor fails to complete any item in this form, Region 10 ESC will consider the Vendor's response to be that they are unable or unwilling to comply. A negative response to any of the items may, if applicable, impact the ability of a participating agency to purchase from the Vendor using federal funds.

#### 1. Vendor Violation or Breach of Contract Terms:

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 USC 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.

Any Contract award will be subject to Region 10 ESC General Terms and Conditions, as well as any additional terms and conditions in any Purchase Order, participating agency ancillary contract, or Member Construction Contract agreed upon by Vendor and the participating agency which must be consistent with and protect the participating agency at least to the same extent as the Region 10 ESC Terms and Conditions.

The remedies under the Contract are in addition to any other remedies that may be available under law or in equity. By submitting a Proposal, you agree to these Vendor violation and breach of contract terms.

Does vendor agree? (Initials of Authorized Representative)

#### 2. Termination for Cause or Convenience:

When a participating agency expends federal funds, the participating agency reserves the right to immediately terminate any agreement in excess of \$10,000 resulting from this procurement process in the event of a breach or default of the agreement by Offeror in the event Offeror fails to: (1) meet schedules, deadlines, and/or delivery dates within the time specified in the procurement solicitation, contract, and/or a purchase order; (2) make any payments owed; or (3) otherwise perform in accordance with the contract and/or the procurement solicitation. participating agency also reserves the right to terminate the contract immediately, with written notice to offeror, for convenience, if participating agency believes, in its sole discretion that it is in the best

interest of participating agency to do so. Offeror will be compensated for work performed and accepted and goods accepted by participating agency as of the termination date if the contract is terminated for convenience of participating agency. Any award under this procurement process is not exclusive and participating agency reserves the right to purchase goods and services from other offerors when it is in participating agency's best interest.

Does vendor agree? \_\_\_\_\_\_(Initials of Authorized Representative)

#### 3. Equal Employment Opportunity:

Except as otherwise provided under 41 CFR Part 60, all participating agency purchases or contracts that meet the definition of "federally assisted construction contract" in 41 CFR Part 60-1.3 shall be deemed to 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."

The equal opportunity clause provided under 41 CFR 60-1.4(b) is hereby incorporated by reference. Vendor agrees that such provision applies to any participating agency purchase or contract that meets the definition of "federally assisted construction contract" in 41 CFR Part 60-1.3 and Vendor agrees that it shall comply with such provision.

Does vendor agree?

(Initials of Authorized Representative)

#### 4. Davis-Bacon Act:

When required by Federal program legislation, Vendor agrees that, for all participating agency prime construction contracts/purchases in excess of \$2,000, Vendor shall comply with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 USC 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, Vendor is required to pay wages to laborers and mechanics at a rate not less than the prevailing wages specified in a wage determinate made by the Secretary of Labor. In addition, Vendor shall pay wages not less than once a week.

Current prevailing wage determinations issued by the Department of Labor are available at <a href="www.wdol.gov">www.wdol.gov</a>. Vendor agrees that, for any purchase to which this requirement applies, the award of the purchase to the Vendor is conditioned upon Vendor's acceptance of the wage determination.

Vendor further agrees that it shall also comply with the Copeland "Anti-Kickback" Act (40 USC 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.



#### 5. Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act:

Where applicable, for all participating agency contracts or purchases in excess of \$100,000 that involve the employment of mechanics or laborers, Vendor agrees to comply with 40 USC 3702 and 3704, as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR Part 5). Under 40 USC 3702 of the Act, Vendor is 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 USC 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.

Does vendor agree?

(Initials of Authorized Representative)

#### 6. Right to Inventions Made Under a Contract or Agreement:

If the participating agency's 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 or 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.

Vendor agrees to comply with the above requirements when applicable.

Does vendor agree?

(Initials of Authorized Representative)

#### 7. Clean Air Act and Federal Water Pollution Control Act:

Clean Air Act (42 USC 7401-7671q.) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 USC 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 USC 7401-7671q.) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended (33 USC 1251-1387). Violations must be reported to the Federal awarding agency and the Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

When required, Vendor agrees to comply with all applicable standards, orders, or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act.

Does vendor agree?

#### 8. Debarment and Suspension:

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 1966 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.

Vendor certifies that Vendor is not currently listed on the government-wide exclusions in SAM, is not debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded by agencies or declared ineligible under statutory or regulatory authority other than Executive Order 12549. Vendor further agrees to immediately notify the Cooperative and all participating agencies with pending purchases or seeking to purchase from Vendor if Vendor is later listed on the government-wide exclusions in SAM, or is debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded by agencies or declared ineligible under statutory or regulatory authority other than Executive Order 12549.

Does vendor agree? (Initials of Authorized Representative)

#### 9. Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment:

Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 USC 1352) -- Vendors 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 USC 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. As applicable, Vendor agrees to file all certifications and disclosures required by, and otherwise comply with, the Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 USC 1352).

Does vendor agree? (Initials of Authorized Representative)

#### 10. Procurement of Recovered Materials:

For participating agency purchases utilizing Federal funds, Vendor agrees to comply with Section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act where applicable and provide such information and certifications as a participating agency may require to confirm estimates and otherwise comply. 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,

EPA guidelines.
Does vendor agree?
(Initials of Authorized Representative)
11. Profit as a Separate Element of Price:
For purchases using federal funds in excess of \$150,000, a participating agency may be required to negotiate profit as a separate element of the price. See, 2 CFR 200.323(b). When required by a participating agency, Vendor agrees to provide information and negotiate with the participating agency regarding profit as a separate element of the price for a particular purchase. However, Vendor agrees that the total price, including profit, charged by Vendor to the participating agency shall not exceed the awarded pricing, including any applicable discount, under Vendor's Cooperative Contract.
Does vendor agree?
(Initials of Authorized Representative)
12. Domestic Preference
Vendor must be prepared to provide a comprehensive list of the number of goods, products, and/or materials (including but not limited to iron, aluminum, steel, cement, and other manufactured products) being used for specific purchase orders under the contract award which were produced in the United States upon request to Region 10 ESC or any Equalis member who intends to use this contract with federal funds.
Does vendor agree?
(Initials of Authorized Representative)
13. Prohibition on Certain Telecommunications and Video Surveillance Services or Equipment
Vendor agrees that recipients and subrecipients are prohibited from obligating or expending loan or grant funds to procure or obtain, extend or renew a contract to procure or obtain, or enter into a contract (or extend or renew a contract) to procure or obtain equipment, services, or systems that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services as a substantial or essential component of any system, or as critical technology as part of any system from companies described in Public Law 115-232, section 889. Telecommunications or video surveillance equipment or services produced or provided by an entity that the Secretary of Defense, in consultation with the Director of the National Intelligence or the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, reasonably believes to be an entity owned or controlled by, or otherwise connected to, the government of a

Does vendor agree?

covered foreign country are also prohibited.

(Initials of Authorized Representative)

#### 14. General Compliance and Cooperation with Participating Agencies:

In addition to the foregoing specific requirements, Vendor agrees, in accepting any Purchase Order from a participating agency, it shall make a good faith effort to work with participating agencies to provide such information and to satisfy such requirements as may apply to a particular participating agency purchase or purchases including, but not limited to, applicable recordkeeping and record retention requirements.

Does vendor agree?	JR
	(Initials of Authorized Representative)
15. Applicability to Sub	contractors
Offeror agrees that all conditions.	contracts it awards pursuant to the Contract shall be bound by the foregoing terms and
Does vendor agree?	
	(Initials of Authorized Representative)
•	ertify that the information in this form is true, complete, and accurate and that I am pany to make this certification and all consents and agreements contained herein.
Ewing Irrigation Produc	ts, Inc
Company Name	
Signature of Authorized	Company Official
_Jake Ray	<del></del>
Printed Name	
Director of Government	t Rusiness

Title

Date

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#### PROPOSAL FORM 13: ADDITIONAL ARIZONA CONTRACTOR REQUIREMENTS

**AZ Compliance with Federal and state requirements:** Contractor agrees when working on any federally assisted projects with more than \$2,000.00 in labor costs, to comply with all federal and state requirements, as well as Equal Opportunity Employment requirements and all other federal and state laws, statutes, etc. Contractor agrees to post wage rates at the work site and submit a copy of their payroll to the member for their files. Contractor must retain records for three years to allow the federal grantor agency access to these records, upon demand. Contractor also agrees to comply with the Arizona Executive Order 75-5, as amended by Executive Order 99-4.

When working on contracts funded with Federal Grant monies, contractor additionally agrees to comply with the administrative requirements for grants, and cooperative agreements to state, local and federally recognized Indian Tribal Governments.

AZ Compliance with workforce requirements: Pursuant to ARS 41-4401, Contractor and subcontractor(s) warrant their compliance with all federal and state immigration laws and regulations that relate to their employees, and compliance with ARS 23-214 subsection A, which states, ..."every employer, after hiring an employee, shall verify the employment eligibility of the employee through the E-Verify program" Region 10 ESC reserves the right to cancel or suspend the use of any contract for violations of immigration laws and regulations. Region 10 ESC and its members reserve the right to inspect the papers of any contractor or subcontract employee who works under this contract to ensure compliance with the warranty above.

**AZ Contractor Employee Work Eligibility:** By entering into this contract, contractor agrees and warrants compliance with A.R.S. 41-4401, A.R.S. 23-214, the Federal Immigration and Nationality Act (FINA), and all other Federal immigration laws and regulations. Region 10 ESC and/or Region 10 ESC members may request verification of compliance from any contractor or sub contractor performing work under this contract. Region 10 ESC and Region 10 ESC members reserve the right to confirm compliance. In the event that Region 10 ESC or Region 10 ESC members suspect or find that any contractor or subcontractor is not in compliance, Region 10 ESC may pursue any and all remedies allowed by law, including but not limited to suspension of work, termination of contract, suspension and/or debarment of the contractor. All cost associated with any legal action will be the responsibility of the contractor.

**AZ Non-Compliance:** All federally assisted contracts to members that exceed \$10,000.00 may be terminated by the federal grantee for noncompliance by contractor. In projects that are not federally funded, Respondent must agree to meet any federal, state or local requirements as necessary. In addition, if compliance with the federal regulations increases the contract costs beyond the agreed on costs in this solicitation, the additional costs may only apply to the portion of the work paid by the federal grantee.

Registered Sex Offender Restrictions (Arizona): For work to be performed at an Arizona school, contractor agrees that no employee or employee of a subcontractor who has been adjudicated to be a registered sex offender will perform work at any time when students are present, or reasonably expected to be present. Contractor agrees that a violation of this condition shall be considered a material breach and may result in the cancellation of the purchase order at the Region 10 ESC member's discretion. Contractor must identify any additional costs associated with compliance to this term. If no costs are specified, compliance with this term will be provided at no additional charge.

**Offshore Performance of Work Prohibited:** Due to security and identity protection concerns, direct services under this contract shall be performed within the borders of the United States.

**Terrorism Country Divestments:** In accordance with A.R.S. 35-392, Region 10 ESC and Region 10 ESC members are prohibited from purchasing from a company that is in violation of the Export Administration Act. By entering into the contract, contractor warrants compliance with the Export Administration Act.

The undersigned hereby accepts and agrees to comply with all statutory compliance and notice requirements listed in this document.

06/30/23

Signature of Respondent

Date

#### PROPOSAL FORM 14: OWNERSHIP DISCLOSURE FORM (N.J.S. 52:25-24.2)

Pursuant to the requirements of P.L. 1999, Chapter 440 effective April 17, 2000 (Local Public Contracts Law), the Respondent shall complete the form attached to these specifications listing the persons owning 10 percent (10%) or more of the firm presenting the proposal.

Company Name:	Ewing Irrigation Products, Ir	nc.
Street:	3441E. Harbour Dr.	
City, State, Zip Code:	Phoenix AZ 85034	
Complete as appropriat	<u>te:</u>	
	, certify that I am the so	
	, that there are no partners a	nd the business is not incorporated,
and the provisions of N <b>OR:</b>	J.S. 52:25-24.2 do not apply.	
1	, a partner in	, do hereby
Inc, a corpo stockholders in the corp more of such stockholde	, an authorized representative of _E ration, do hereby certify that the following is a list oration who own 10% or more of its stock of any cers is itself a corporation or partnership, that there olders holding 10% or more of the corporation's sto in that partnership.	of the names and addresses of all lass. I further certify that if one (1) or is also set forth the names and
(Note: If there are no p	partners or stockholders owning 10% or more inte	erest, indicate none.)
Name	Address	Interest
Doug York	3441 E. Harbour Dr.Phoenix AZ 85034	50
Richard York	34441 E. Harbour Dr., Phoenix AZ 85034	50
my knowledge and belie	e statements and information contained herein, are ef.  ke Ray Director of Government Business	e complete and correct to the best of 06/30/23

## **Company Name: Ewing Irrigation Products, Inc.** Street: 3441 E. Harbour Dr. City, State, Zip Code: Phoenix AZ 85034 State of New Jersey County of Gwinnett I, \_\_\_\_\_Jake Ray\_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_Buford\_\_\_\_\_ Name in the County of \_\_\_Gwinnett\_\_\_\_\_, State of \_\_\_\_\_Georgia\_\_\_\_\_ of full age, being duly sworn according to law on my oath depose and say that: I am the \_\_\_\_\_ Director of Government Business\_\_\_ of the firm of \_\_Ewing Irrigation Products, Inc. \_\_\_\_\_ Title Company Name the Respondent making the Proposal for the goods, services or public work specified under the Harrison Township Board of Education attached proposal, and that I executed the said proposal with full authority to do so; that said Respondent has not directly or indirectly entered into any agreement, participated in any collusion, or otherwise taken any action in restraint of free, competitive bidding in connection with the above proposal, and that all statements contained in said bid proposal and in this affidavit are true and correct, and made with full knowledge that the Harrison Township Board of Education relies upon the truth of the statements contained in said bid proposal and in the statements contained in this affidavit in awarding the contract for the said goods, services or public work. I further warrant that no person or selling agency has been employed or retained to solicit or secure such contract upon an agreement or understanding for a commission, percentage, brokerage or contingent fee, except bona fide employees or bona fide established commercial or selling agencies maintained by **Director of Government Business** Ewing Irrigation Products, Inc. Company Name **Authorized Signature & Title** Subscribed and sworn before me this \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_ Notary Public of New Jersey

PROPOSAL FORM 15: NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT

My commission expires

**SEAL** 

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PROPOSAL FORM 16: AFFIRMATIVE ACTION AFFIDAVIT (P.L. 1975, C.127)	
Company Name: Ewing Irrigation Products, Inc	
City, State, Zip Code: Phoenix AZ 85034	
Bid Proposal Certification:	
Indicate below your compliance with New Jersey Affirmative Action regulations. Your proposal w	
even if you are not in compliance at this time. No contract and/or purchase order may be issued,	however, until
all Affirmative Action requirements are met.	
Required Affirmative Action Evidence:	
Procurement, Professional & Service Contracts (Exhibit A)	
Vendors must submit with proposal:	
1. A photo copy of their <u>Federal Letter of Affirmative Action Plan Approval</u>	
OR	
2. A photo copy of their <u>Certificate of Employee Information Report</u>	
OR	
3. A complete <u>Affirmative Action Employee Information Report (AA302)</u>	
Public Work – Over \$50,000 Total Project Cost:	
A. No approved Federal or New Jersey Affirmative Action Plan. We will complete Report Form	X
AA201-A upon receipt from the Harrison Township Board of Education	
B. Approved Federal or New Jersey Plan – certificate enclosed	
I further certify that the statements and information contained herein, are complete and correct	to the best of
my knowledge and belief.	
Authorized Signature and Title Date	

P.L. 1995, c. 127 (N.J.A.C. 17:27)

MANDATORY AFFIRMATIVE ACTION LANGUAGE

#### PROCUREMENT, PROFESSIONAL AND SERVICE CONTRACTS

During the performance of this contract, the contractor agrees as follows:

The contractor or subcontractor, where applicable, will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of age, race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, marital status, sex, affectional or sexual orientation. The contractor will take affirmative action to ensure that such applicants are recruited and employed, and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their age, race, creed, color,

national origin, ancestry, marital status, sex, affectional or sexual orientation. Such action shall include, but not be limited to the following: employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship. The contractor agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided by the Public Agency Compliance Officer setting forth provisions of this non-discrimination clause.

The contractor or subcontractor, where applicable will, in all solicitations or advertisement for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractor, state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to age, race, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, marital status, sex, affectional or sexual orientation.

The contractor or subcontractor, where applicable, will send to each labor union or representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding, a notice, to be provided by the agency contracting officer advising the labor union or workers' representative of the contractor's commitments under this act and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment.

The contractor or subcontractor, where applicable, agrees to comply with any regulations promulgated by the Treasurer pursuant to P.L. 1975, c. 127, as amended and supplemented from time to time and the Americans with Disabilities Act.

The contractor or subcontractor agrees to attempt in good faith to employ minority and female workers trade consistent with the applicable county employment goal prescribed by N.J.A.C. 17:27-5.2 promulgated by the Treasurer pursuant to P.L. 1975, C.127, as amended and supplemented from time to time or in accordance with a binding determination of the applicable county employment goals determined by the Affirmative Action Office pursuant to N.J.A.C. 17:27-5.2 promulgated by the Treasurer pursuant to P.L. 1975, C.127, as amended and supplemented from time to time.

The contractor or subcontractor agrees to inform in writing appropriate recruitment agencies in the area, including employment agencies, placement bureaus, colleges, universities, labor unions, that it does not discriminate on the basis of age, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, marital status, sex, affectional or sexual orientation, and that it will discontinue the use of any recruitment agency which engages in direct or indirect discriminatory practices.

The contractor or subcontractor agrees to revise any of it testing procedures, if necessary, to assure that all personnel testing conforms with the principles of job-related testing, as established by the statutes and court decisions of the state of New Jersey and as established by applicable Federal law and applicable Federal court decisions.

The contractor or subcontractor agrees to review all procedures relating to transfer, upgrading, downgrading and lay-off to ensure that all such actions are taken without regard to age, creed, color, national origin, ancestry, marital status, sex, affectional or sexual orientation, and conform with the applicable employment goals, consistent with the statutes and court decisions of the State of New Jersey, and applicable Federal law and applicable Federal court decisions.

The contractor and its subcontractors shall furnish such reports or other documents to the Affirmative Action
Office as may be requested by the office from time to time in order to carry out the purposes of these
regulations, and public agencies shall furnish such information as may be requested by the Affirmative Action
Office for conducting a compliance investigation pursuant to Subchapter 10 of the Administrative Code (NJAC
<u>17:27)</u> .
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Signature of Procurement Agent

# PROPOSAL FORM 17: C. 271 POLITICAL CONTRIBUTION DISCLOSURE FORM Public Agency Instructions

This page provides guidance to public agencies entering into contracts with business entities that are required to file Political Contribution Disclosure forms with the agency. **It is not intended to be provided to contractors.** What follows are instructions on the use of form local units can provide to contractors that are required to disclose political contributions pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.26 (P.L. 2005, c. 271, s.2). Additional information is available in Local Finance Notice 2006-1 (https://www.nj.gov/dca/divisions/dlgs/resources/lfns 2006.html).

- 1. The disclosure is required for all contracts in excess of \$17,500 that are **not awarded** pursuant to a "fair and open" process (N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.7).
- 2. Due to the potential length of some contractor submissions, the public agency should consider allowing data to be submitted in electronic form (i.e., spreadsheet, pdf file, etc.). Submissions must be kept with the contract documents or in an appropriate computer file and be available for public access. The form is worded to accept this alternate submission. The text should be amended if electronic submission will not be allowed.
- 3. The submission must be **received from the contractor and** on file at least 10 days prior to award of the contract. Resolutions of award should reflect that the disclosure has been received and is on file.
- 4. The contractor must disclose contributions made to candidate and party committees covering a wide range of public agencies, including all public agencies that have elected officials in the county of the public agency, state legislative positions, and various state entities. The Division of Local Government Services recommends that contractors be provided a list of the affected agencies. This will assist contractors in determining the campaign and political committees of the officials and candidates affected by the disclosure.
  - a) The Division has prepared model disclosure forms for each county. They can be downloaded from the "County PCD Forms" link on the Pay-to-Play web site at <a href="https://www.state.nj.us/dca/divisions/dlgs/programs/pay">https://www.state.nj.us/dca/divisions/dlgs/programs/pay</a> 2 play.html They will be updated from time-to-time as necessary.
  - b) A public agency using these forms should edit them to properly reflect the correct legislative district(s). As the forms are county-based, they list all legislative districts in each county. Districts that do not represent the public agency should be removed from the lists.
  - c) Some contractors may find it easier to provide a single list that covers all contributions, regardless of the county. These submissions are appropriate and should be accepted.
  - d) The form may be used "as-is", subject to edits as described herein.
  - e) The "Contractor Instructions" sheet is intended to be provided with the form. It is recommended that the Instructions and the form be printed on the same piece of paper. The form notes that the Instructions are printed on the back of the form; where that is not the case, the text should be edited accordingly.
  - f) The form is a Word document and can be edited to meet local needs, and posted for download on web sites, used as an e-mail attachment, or provided as a printed document.
- 5. It is recommended that the contractor also complete a "Stockholder Disclosure Certification." This will assist the local unit in its obligation to ensure that contractor did not make any prohibited contributions to the committees listed on the Business Entity Disclosure Certification in the 12 months prior to the contract. (See Local Finance Notice 2006-7 for additional information on this obligation) A sample Certification form is part of this package and the instruction to complete it is included in the Contractor Instructions. NOTE: This section is not applicable to Boards of Education.

#### C. 271 POLITICAL CONTRIBUTION DISCLOSURE FORM

#### **Contractor Instructions**

Business entities (contractors) receiving contracts from a public agency that are NOT awarded pursuant to a "fair and open" process (defined at N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.7) are subject to the provisions of P.L. 2005, c. 271, s.2 (N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.26). This law provides that 10 days prior to the award of such a contract, the contractor shall disclose contributions to:

- 1. any State, county, or municipal committee of a political party
- 2. any legislative leadership committee\*
- 3. any continuing political committee (a.k.a., political action committee)
- 4. any candidate committee of a candidate for, or holder of, an elective office:
- 1. of the public entity awarding the contract
- 2. of that county in which that public entity is located
- 3. of another public entity within that county
- 4. or of a legislative district in which that public entity is located or, when the public entity is a county, of any legislative district which includes all or part of the county. The disclosure must list reportable contributions to any of the committees that exceed \$300 per election cycle that were made during the 12 months prior to award of the contract. See N.J.S.A. 19:44A-8 and 19:44A-16 for more details on reportable contributions.

N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.26 itemizes the parties from whom contributions must be disclosed when a business entity is not a natural person. This includes the following:

- 5. individuals with an "interest" ownership or control of more than 10% of the profits or assets of a business entity or 10% of the stock in the case of a business entity that is a corporation for profit
- 6. all principals, partners, officers, or directors of the business entity or their spouses
- 7. any subsidiaries directly or indirectly controlled by the business entity
- 8. IRS Code Section 527 New Jersey based organizations, directly or indirectly controlled by the business entity and filing as continuing political committees, (PACs). When the business entity is a natural person, "a contribution by that person's spouse or child, residing therewith, shall be deemed to be a contribution by the business entity." [N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.26(b)] The contributor must be listed on the disclosure. Any business entity that fails to comply with the disclosure provisions shall be subject to a fine imposed by ELEC in an amount to be determined by the Commission which may be based upon the amount that the business entity failed to report. The enclosed list of agencies is provided to assist the contractor in identifying those public agencies whose elected official and/or candidate campaign committees are affected by the disclosure requirement. It is the contractor's responsibility to identify the specific committees to which contributions may have been made and need to be disclosed. The disclosed information may exceed the minimum requirement. The enclosed form, a content-consistent facsimile, or an electronic data file containing the required details (along with a signed cover sheet) may be used as the contractor's submission and is disclosable to the public under the Open Public Records Act. The contractor must also complete the attached Stockholder Disclosure Certification. This will assist the agency in meeting its obligations under the law.

#### NOTE: This section does not apply to Board of Education contracts.

\* N.J.S.A. 19:44A-3(s): "The term "legislative leadership committee" means a committee established, authorized to be established, or designated by the President of the Senate, the Minority Leader of the Senate, the Speaker

of the General Assembly or the Minority Leader of the General Assembly pursuant to section 16 of P.L.1993, c.65 (C.19:44A-10.1) for the purpose of receiving contributions and making expenditures."

#### C. 271 POLITICAL CONTRIBUTION DISCLOSURE FORM

Required Pursuant To N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.26

This form or its permitted facsimile must be submitted to the local unit no later than 10 days prior to the award of the contract.

Part I – Vendor Information			
	tion Products, Inc.		
Address: 3441 E. Harbour D	r.		
City: Phoenix	State:AZ	Zip:85034	
he undersigned being authoriz	ed to certify, hereby certif	fies that the submission provided h	erein represents
ompliance with the provisions	of N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.26 a	nd as represented by the Instruction	ons accompanying
his form.			
SME	Jake Ray	Director of Governme	ent Business_
Signature	Printed Name	Title	
Part II – Contribution Disclosur	e		
Disclosure requirement: Pursua	nt to N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.26	6 this disclosure must include all re	portable political
contributions (more than \$300	per election cycle) over the	e 12 months prior to submission to	the committees of
he government entities listed o	• • •	•	
Check here if disclosure is p	rovided in electronic form		
Contributor Name	Recipient Na	me Date	Dollar Amoun
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Vendor	Name:
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Contributor Name	Recipient Name	Date	Dollar Amount
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# List of Agencies with Elected Officials Required for Political Contribution Disclosure N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.26

**County Name:** 

State: Governor, and Legislative Leadership Committees

Legislative District #s:

State Senator and two members of the General Assembly per district.

County:

Freeholders County Clerk Sheriff

{County Executive} Surrogate

Municipalities (Mayor and members of governing body, regardless of title):

USERS SHOULD CREATE THEIR OWN FORM, OR DOWNLOAD FROM <u>WWW.NJ.GOV/DCA/LGS/P2P</u> A COUNTY-BASED, CUSTOMIZABLE FORM.

#### PROPOSAL FORM 18: STOCKHOLDER DISCLOSURE CERTIFICATION

Name of Business:			
I certify that the list below co	ontains the names a	and home addresses	of all stockholders holding 10% or
more of the issued and outst	tanding stock of the	e undersigned.	
	OR		
I certify that no one stockhol	lder owns 10% or n	nore of the issued ar	nd outstanding stock of the
undersigned.			
Check the box that represents the ty			
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		d Partnership	Partnership
Corporation		Liability	Subchapter S
	Corpor	ation	Corporation
Sign and notarize the form below, a	nd if necessary co	mnlete the stockho	older list helow
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Stockholders:			
Name: Doug York		Name: Richard Yo	rk
Home Address: 3441 E. Harbour Dr	. Phoenix AZ	Home Address: 34	141 E. Harbour Dr. Phoenix AZ 85034
85034			
Name:		Name:	
Home Address:		Home Address:	
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		(corporate seal)	

#### PROPOSAL FORM 19: GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS ACCEPTANCE FORM

Signature on the Vendor Contract Signature form certifies complete acceptance of the General Terms and Conditions in this solicitation, except as noted below (additional pages may be attached, if necessary).

	one of the following responses to the General Terms and Conditions: take no exceptions/deviations to the general terms and conditions
☐ We	f none are listed below, it is understood that no exceptions/deviations are taken.)  e take the following exceptions/deviations to the general terms and conditions. All exceptions/deviations ust be clearly explained. Reference the corresponding general terms and conditions that you are taking ceptions/deviations to. Clearly state if you are adding additions terms and conditions to the general erms and conditions. Provide details on your exceptions/deviations below:

(Note: Unacceptable exceptions shall remove your proposal from consideration for award. Region 10 ESC shall be the sole judge on the acceptance of exceptions/deviations and the decision shall be final.)

#### PROPOSAL FORM 20: EQUALIS GROUP ADMINISTRATION AGREEMENT

### Requirements for Master Agreement To be administered by Equalis Group

Attachment A, Equalis Group Administrative Agreement is used in administering Master Agreements with Region 10 and is preferred by Equalis Group. Redlined copies of this agreement should not be submitted with the response. Should a respondent be recommended for award, this agreement will be negotiated and executed between Equalis Group and the respondent. Respondents must select one of the following options for submitting their response.

Respondent agrees to all terms and conditions outlined in each of the Administration Agreement.
Respondent wishes to negotiate directly with Equalis Group on terms and conditions outlined in the Administration Agreement. Negotiations will commence after sealed Proposals are opened and Region 10 has determined the respondent met all requirements in their response and may be eligible for award.

## PROPOSAL FORM 21: OPEN RECORDS POLICY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND ACCEPTANCE OPEN RECORDS POLICY ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND ACCEPTANCE

Be advised that all information and documents submitted will be subject to the Public Information Act requirements governed by Chapter 552 of the Texas Government Code.

Because contracts are awarded by a Texas governmental entity, all responses submitted are subject to release as public information after contracts are executed. If a Respondent believes that its response, or parts of its response, may be exempted from disclosure to the public, the Respondent must specify page-by-page and line-by-line the parts of the response, which it believes, are exempted from disclosure. In addition, the Respondent must specify which exception(s) are applicable and provide detailed reasons to substantiate the exception(s). Respondent must provide this information on the "Acknowledgement and Acceptance to Region 10 ESC's Public Information Act Policy" form found on the next page of this solicitation. Any information that is unmarked will be considered public information and released, if requested under the Public Information Act.

The determination of whether information is confidential and not subject to disclosure is the duty of the Office of Attorney General (OAG). Region 10 ESC must provide the OAG with the information requested in order for the OAG to render an opinion. In such circumstances, Respondent will be notified in writing that the material has been requested and delivered to the OAG. Respondent will have an opportunity to make arguments to the OAG in writing regarding the exception(s) to the TPIA that permit the information to be withheld from public disclosure. Respondents are advised that such arguments to the OAG must be specific and well-reasoned--vague and general claims to confidentiality by the Respondent are generally not acceptable to the OAG. Once the OAG opinion is received by Region 10 ESC, Region 10 ESC must comply with the opinions of the OAG. Region 10 ESC assumes no responsibility for asserting legal arguments on behalf of any Respondent. Respondents are advised to consult with their legal counsel concerning disclosure issues resulting from this procurement process and to take precautions to safeguard trade secrets and other proprietary information.

After completion of award, these documents will be available for public inspection.

(additional p	ages may be attached, if necessary). Check one of	the following responses to the Acknowledgment and
Acceptance of	of Region 10 ESC's Open Records Policy below:	
with this (Note: All infor such information	s proposal, or any part of our proposal, is exer rmation believed to be a trade secret or proprietary must	act policy and declare that no information submitted npt from disclosure under the Public Information Act. be listed below. It is further understood that failure to identify result in that information being considered public information and
<del></del>	lare the following information to be a trade se lic Information Act.	cret or proprietary and exempt from disclosure under
(Note: Respond	dent must specify page-by-page and line-by-line the part	s of the response, which it believes, are exempt. In addition,
Respondent m	ust specify which exception(s) are applicable and provide	detailed reasons to substantiate the exception(s).
06/30/23	Director of Government Business	July &
Date		Authorized Signature & Title

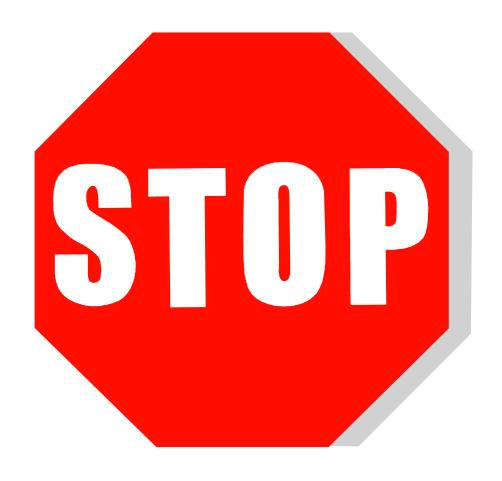
Signature below certifies complete acceptance of Region 10 ESC's Open Records Policy, except as noted below

#### PROPOSAL FORM 22: VENDOR CONTRACT AND SIGNATURE FORM

The undersigned hereby proposes and agrees to furnish goods and/or services in strict compliance with the terms, specifications and conditions at the prices proposed within response unless noted in writing. The undersigned further certifies that he/she is an officer of the company and has authority to negotiate and bind the company named below and has not prepared this proposal in collusion with any other Respondent and that the contents of this proposal as to prices, terms or conditions of said proposal have not been communicated by the undersigned nor by any employee or agent to any person engaged in this type of business prior to the official opening of this proposal.

#### VENDORS MUST SUBMIT THIS FORM COMPLETED AND SIGNED WITH THEIR RESPONSE TO BE CONSIDERED

Company name	Ewing Irrigation Products, Inc.
Address	3441 E. Harbour Dr.
City/State/Zip	Phoenix AZ 85034
Telephone No.	480-213-3663
Fax No.	
Email address	govsales@ewingirrigation.com
Printed name	Jake Ray
Position with company	Director of Government Business
Authorized signature	SM 4
Term of contract <u>Septemb</u>	per 1, 2023 to August 31, 2026
Unless otherwise stated, all cont	racts are for a period of three (3) years with an option to renew annually for
additional two (2) years if agreed	I to by Region 10 ESC. Vendor shall honor all administrative fees for any sale
made based on the contract whe	ther renewed or not.
Ref Ciller	Aug 16, 2023
Region 10 ESC Authorized Agent	Date
Dr. Rickey Williams	
Print Name	
Equalis Group Contract Number	R10-1154A



Did you sign the vendor contract and signature form? If not, your Proposal will be rejected.

Region 10 will negotiate any exceptions and both parties will agree upon which exceptions will be accepted or altered before the Region 10 board votes to accept or reject the proposals.