# TOWN OF YORKTOWN PUBLIC WORKS CONTRACTS BID

#### **INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS**

NOTICE IS HERE GIVEN that sealed bids will be received by the Town Clerk, Town of Yorktown, Yorktown, NY until 10:00 A.M. on Thursday, October 19, 2023 at Town Hall, 363 Underhill Avenue, Yorktown Heights, N.Y. 10598 for Turf Replacement. Copies of the Bid Documents will be available in the office of the Town of Yorktown Town Clerk located at 363 Underhill Avenue, Yorktown Heights, NY 10598, as well as the Town's website, www.yorktownny.org, or on BidNet Direct, www.bidnetdirect.com. A completed Bid Proposal Form must be returned to the Town Clerk, 363 Underhill Avenue, Yorktown Heights, NY 10598, marked: "Bid: Turf Replacement."

The Bid Documents consists of the following documents:

- 1. <u>Instructions to Bidders</u>
- 2. <u>Part One</u> Bid Proposal Form
- 3. Part Two General Terms and Conditions of Bid
- 4. <u>Part Three</u> Specifications
- 5. Executed Option to Extend the Contract
- 6. Non-Collusive Bidding Certificate

Wherever in the Bid Documents any section or paragraph is stamped "VOID", only the section(s) or paragraph(s) so stamped are void. All other sections(s) and paragraph(s) remain in full force and effect. A submitted bid will consist of

- 1. one original completed Bid Proposal Form, signed on behalf of Bidder with information for all blanks supplied, and a detailed listing of any exceptions taken by Bidder;
- 2. Signed and notarized Non-Collusive Bidding Certificate.

Diana L. Quast, Town Clerk Master Municipal Clerk Town of Yorktown

# TOWN OF YORKTOWN PUBLIC WORKS CONTRACTS BID PART ONE BID PROPOSAL FORM

The Town of Yorktown seeks bids from qualified parties:

Your	Company
Name:	
Contact	
Name:	
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Phone:	
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Email:	
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Bid Item # 1	
	COST:\$
Bid Item # 1 plus Resilient Underlayment	
2.0	
	COST:\$
Optional Semi-Annual Maintenance	COST:
Program (2 sessions a year)	Years 1- 4 (8 sessions):
	Years 5- 7 (6 Sessions):
	Years 8- 10(6 Sessions):

The price(s) set forth above shall remain valid for sixty (60) days from the date of bid award. All of bidder's costs must be factored into and incorporated in the bid price above. Prices in the bid must cover all of bidder's costs. There shall be no additional charges to the Town for delivery, training, set-up, etc. If the contractor must rent special equipment to perform the work, the contractor shall not bill additional fees for such rental costs.

Bidder represents that the rates set forth herein does not exceed its standard charge to all of its customers.

Prior to bidding, Bidder may inspect the field conditions. Appointments are to be made through James Martorano, Parks Superintendent.

Name of person authorized to submit bid for bidder:			
Signed:			
[Signature of authorized person]			
TITLE of authorized person:			
BIDDER'S CORPORATE NAME:			
BIDDER CONTACT INFORMATION: PRINT NAME:			
TITLE:			
Address:	State:	Zip:	
Phone:			
Fax:			

- END OF BID PROPOSAL FORM -

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# TOWN OF YORKTOWN SERVICES AND PUBLIC WORKS CONTRACTS BID

# **PART TWO**

# **General Terms and Conditions of Bid**

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# Section 1. <u>Bid Proposal Form</u>

- 1.1 The bidder shall complete the Bid Proposal Form by filling in the unit price and the total price in the appropriate designated spaces. Unit price and total price of each item bid shall be written legibly in ink, or typed. All bids shall be signed in ink. Any erasures or alterations shall be initialed in ink by the signer. The completed Bid Proposal Form shall be submitted, along with any documentation in support of the bid proposal if required by the Bid Documents, in a sealed envelope addressed as required in the Invitation to Bidders on or before the time and at the place so designated. Any Bid Proposal Form which has been materially altered in any way may render the bid nonresponsive and the bid rejected.
- 1.2 In the event of a discrepancy between the unit price and the total price of the Bid Proposal Form, the unit price will prevail. In the event of a discrepancy between the written bid amount and the numerical bid amount, the written amount will take precedence and be controlling as to the amount of the Bid. All items not bid shall be indicated as "not bid" in the total price space. When bids are requested on a lump sum basis, bidder must bid on each item in the lump sum group. Any bidder desiring to bid "no charge" on an item in a group must so indicate.
- **1.3** Failure to comply with the provisions of this section may be grounds for rejection of the bid proposal.
- 1.4 Correction or withdrawal of a bid because of an inadvertent, non-judgmental mistake in the Bid Proposal Form requires careful consideration to protect the integrity of the competitive bidding process, and to ensure fairness. If the mistake is attributable to an error in judgment, the Bid Proposal Form may not be corrected. Bid correction or withdrawal by reason of the non-judgmental mistake is permissible at the sole discretion of the Town Clerk, but only to the extent that it is not contrary to the interests of the Town or the fair treatment of other bidders.
- **1.5** By signing the Bid Proposal Form, the bidder certifies that:
  - i. the person whose signature appears below is legally empowered to bind the bidder;
  - ii. the bidder has read the complete Bid Documents and understands and agrees to all terms and conditions set forth in the Bid Documents:
  - **iii.** if accepted by the Town, the bid is guaranteed as written and will be implemented as stated;
  - iv. By submission of the bid, each bidder and each person signing on behalf of any bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of its knowledge and belief that each bidder is not on the list created pursuant to paragraph (b) of subdivision 3 of section 165-a of the New York State

# Finance Law.<sup>1</sup>

- 1.6 The bidder understands and agrees that quantities shown on the Bid Proposal Form opposite items of the work for which unit prices have been requested are approximate estimated quantities, and that during the progress of the work the Town may find it advisable and shall have the right to omit portions of the work, and to increase or decrease the shown approximate estimated quantities, or the scope of the whole work; and that the Town reserves the right to add to or take from the total amount of the work up to a limit of thirty (30%) percent of the total amount of the contract based upon the executed contract price for all the specified work.
- 1.7 The bidder shall make no claim for anticipated profits or loss of profits, because of any difference between the quantities of the various classes of work actually done, or of the materials actually furnished, and the original specified scope of work and the shown approximate estimated quantities.
- **1.8** All prices bid include a sum sufficient for the preparation and submission of approved final "As-builts", record drawings, guarantees, warranties, and operations and maintenance manuals.
- **1.9** All plans and other like records compiled by the contractor in completing the work under this contract shall become the property of the Town. The Contractor may retain copies of each such plan or record for its own use.
- **1.10** The contractor shall secure and pay for all necessary permits for the proper executing and completion of work.
- **1.11** The Town is exempt from all federal, state and local taxes.

# Section 2. Pre-Bid Site Inspection

- 2.1 The bidder shall satisfy itself by personal examination of the location of the proposed work and surroundings thereof, and by such other means as it may prefer, as to the scope of the work and the accuracy of the approximate estimated quantities; and shall not at any time after submission of the bid dispute such approximate estimated quantities or assert that there was any misrepresentation by the Town or any misunderstanding by the bidder in regard to the quantity or kind of materials to be furnished, or work to be done. Failure to do so will not relieve a successful bidder contractor ("contractor") of the obligation to furnish all material and labor necessary to carry out the provisions of the contract documents and to complete the contemplated work for the consideration set forth in its bid.
- **2.2** Unless otherwise stated, the bidder is free and encouraged to examine the work site during normal work hours preceding the submission of the bid. For those bidders

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> List found at http://ogs.ny.gov/about/regs/docs/ListofEntities.pdf.

- requesting further clarification of the conditions, an appointment with the Town's representative, can be requested, by contacting the, Town Clerk.
- **2.3** At the time of the opening of bids each bidder will be presumed to have inspected the sites and to have read and to be thoroughly familiar with the Bid Documents.

# Section 3. Quality and Samples

- **3.1** All equipment, material and supplies bid upon must conform to the description and specifications set forth in the in the Bid Documents, or their reasonable equivalent.
- **3.2** References in the Bid Documents to type, style, brand or trade name, and catalog are intended to be descriptive only and not restrictive.

# Section 4. Request for information or interpretation and/or clarification of the Bid Documents

- **4.1** The bidder shall have seven (7) business days prior to the bid opening date to notify the Town Clerk in writing of any errors or defects in the Bid Documents which would prevent the bidder from providing a responsive bid.
- **4.2** No interpretation of the Bid Documents will be made to any bidder orally by any representative of the Town.
- **4.3** Any request for information or interpretation and/or clarification of the Bid Documents must be addressed in writing to Diana Quast, Yorktown Town Clerk, 363 Underhill Avenue, Yorktown Height, NY 10598, and be submitted no later than five (5) business days prior to the date fixed for the opening of bids.
- **4.4** Any written response to a request for information or interpretation and/or clarification of the Bid Documents shall be issued by Town Clerk and will be incorporated into and made part of the Bid Documents and will be made available in the same manner and method as the Bid Documents. The Town Clerk's decision shall be final and binding on all parties. The failure of any bidder to receive such Addenda will not relieve the contractor of any obligation to comply with the terms and conditions of the Addenda.
- 4.5 The Bid Documents, including the drawings, Bid Documents, have been prepared with care and are intended to show as clearly as is practicable the work required to be done. The bidder must realize however, that construction details cannot always be accurately anticipated and that in executing the work, field conditions may require reasonable modifications in the details of the plans and quantities of work involved. Work under all items in the contract must be carried out to meet these field conditions to the satisfaction of the Town and in accordance with the Bid Documents. The bidder shall not take advantage of any apparent errors or omission in the Bid Documents. In the event the contractor discovers an error or omission in the Bid Documents, it shall immediately notify the Town. The Town will then make such corrections and interpretations as may be deemed necessary for fulfilling the intent of the Bid Documents.

**4.6** A bidder's failure to request a clarification, interpretation, etc. of any portion of the Bid Documents or to point out any inconsistency therein will preclude such bidder from thereafter claiming any ambiguity, inconsistency, or error which should have been discovered by a reasonably prudent bidder and from asserting any claim for damages arising directly or indirectly therefrom.

# Section 5. Non-Collusion

**5.1** The bidder shall certify that it has complied with all of the requirements stated in the non-collusive bidding certificate by signing the form included in the Bid Documents. Failure by the bidder to complete and sign the non-collusive bidding certificate will constitute grounds for rejection of the bid.

#### Section 6. Late Bids

**6.1** All bids received after the deadline date and time stated in the Instructions to Bidders will not be considered and will be returned to the bidder unopened. The bidder assumes the risk of any delay in the mail and the handling of the mail by the employees of the Town. Whether sent by mail or by means of personal delivery, the bidder assumes all responsibility for having the bid delivered on time and to the place specified above.

# Section 7. <u>Bid Opening</u>

- **7.1** Sealed bids will be publicly opened on the date and time specified in the Instructions to Bidders. Bids may be read aloud to those persons present when practicable. Any bidder may request to review any submitted Bid Proposal Forms by arranging a mutually convenient time with the Town Clerk.
- **7.2** The prices stated in the Bid Proposal Form are irrevocable until the Notice of Award is issued, unless the bid is withdrawn only after the expiration of sixty (60) days from the bid opening and only in writing received by the Town Clerk and in advance of the issuance of the Notice of Award.

# Section 8. <u>Acceptance or Rejection</u>

- **8.1** A responsive bid is one that complies with all material terms and conditions of the Bid Documents.
- **8.2** If the lowest price bid or proposal is found non-responsive, a determination setting in detail and with specificity the reasons for such finding shall be issued by the Town Clerk. A copy of such determination shall be mailed to the non-responsive bidder no later than two (2) business days after the determination is made.
- **8.3** The Town reserves the sole right to waive any informality that is a matter of form rather than substance without prejudice to other bidders and what is in the best interests of the Town. The Town's decision shall be final and binding.

- **8.4** Any corporation not incorporated under the Laws of New York State, must furnish a copy of its certificate of authority, from the New York State Secretary of State, to do business in the State of New York, in accordance with Article 13 of the New York State Business Corporation Law.
- **8.5** The Town will consider the qualifications of all bidders and may conduct such investigation as it deems necessary to assist in the evaluation of any bid. The Town reserves the right to reject any bid if the evidence submitted by, or the investigation of such bidder fails to satisfy the Town, in the Town's sole discretion, that it is properly qualified to carry out the obligations of the contract and to complete the contemplated work. In evaluating a bidder's responsibility, the Town may consider the following factors:
  - i. financial resources;
  - ii. technical qualifications;
  - iii. experience;
  - iv. organization, material, equipment, facilities, and personnel resources and expertise (or the ability to obtain them) necessary to carry out the work and to comply with required delivery or performance schedules, taking into consideration other business commitments;
  - v. a satisfactory record of performance;
  - vi. a satisfactory record of business integrity;
  - vii. where the contract includes provisions for reimbursement of contractor costs, the existence of accounting and auditing procedures adequate to control property funds, or other assets, accurately delineate costs, and attribute them to their causes; and
  - **viii.** compliance with requirements for the utilization of small, minority-owned, and women-owned businesses as subcontractors.
- **8.6** The Town reserves the right to require additional information as it deems appropriate concerning the history of any bidder's performance of prior contracts. The final determination of whether the bidder possesses the requisite experience rests in the sole discretion of the Town. Failure of a bidder to provide relevant information specifically requested by the Town may be grounds for a determination of non-responsive and/or non-responsible.

# Section 9. Appeal of Determination of Non-Responsiveness or Non-Responsible

**9.1** Any determination that a bid is non-responsive or a bidder is non-responsible may be appealed as set forth herein.

- **9.2** Time Limit; A bidder shall have five (5) business days from receipt of the determination of non-responsiveness or non-responsible to file an appeal with the Town Clerk. Receipt of notice by the bidder shall be deemed to be no later than five (5) business days from the date of mailing or upon delivery, if delivered. Filing of the appeal shall be accomplished by actual delivery of the appeal document to the Town Clerk. The bidder shall also send a copy of its appeal, for informational purposes, to the Town Attorney.
- **9.3** Form and Content: The appeal shall be in writing and shall briefly state all the facts or other basis upon which the bidder contests the finding of non-responsiveness or non-responsible. Supporting documentation, if any, shall be included.
- 9.4 Stay of Award of Contract Pending. Award of the contract shall be stayed pending the determination of the Town Clerk unless the Town Clerk makes a determination that proceeding with the award without delay is necessary to protect substantial Town's interests. Where such a determination is made, the bidder shall be advised of this action in the determination of non-responsiveness or, if the stay is removed at any time after the bidder has been notified of determination of non-responsiveness or non-responsible, notification shall be provided to the bidder no later than two (2) business days after such determination is made. The Town Clerk shall consider the appeal, and may, in his or her sole discretion, meet with the bidder to discuss the merits of the appeal. The Town Clerk shall make a prompt determination with respect to the merits of the appeal, a copy of which shall be sent to the bidder. The Town Clerk's determination shall be final.

# Section 10. Award

- **10.1** Town reserves the right to make an award within sixty (60) days after the date of the bid opening, during which period bids may not be withdrawn.
- 10.2 The Award will be made to the responsible and responsive bidder submitting the lowest bid that fully complies with all the specifications stated in the Bid documents.
- 10.3 Town reserves the right to reject all bids and to purchase any or all items on contracts awarded by agencies or departments of the State of New York or of the Town, if such items can be obtained on substantially the same terms, conditions, specifications, and at a lower price.

#### Section 11. Notice of Award

- 11.1 If the bid is awarded by Town, a written Notice of Award will be issued by the Town Clerk to the contractor. Such Notice of Award will constitute a binding enforceable contract between the contractor and the Town of Yorktown. These General Terms and Conditions shall be incorporated into the contract as material terms.
- 11.2 The Town may issue a Notice of Award based on either Lowest Responsible Bid

or Best Value, in accordance with the 2012 amendments to General Municipal Law § 103, as implemented by Yorktown Town Code Chapter 78 entitled *Procurement for Goods and Services*.

11.3 Upon receipt of the Notice of Award the contractor will be required to submit to the Town Clerk a completed W-9 form in addition to any other information or documents required by the Town. Failure to supply a completed W-9 form or such other information or documents required by the Town will invalidate the bid.

# **Section 12.** Performance and Payment Bond

**12.1** If a Performance and Payment bond is required in accordance with the Instruction to Bidders, the "Bid Bond and Consent of Surety" Form must be executed by the contractor's Surety Company and submitted to the Town.

# Section 13. <u>Assignment Prohibited</u>

13.1 The contractor shall not assign, transfer, convey or otherwise dispose of the contract or any part of it or any monies due and payable under the contract, without prior written approval of the Town. If such approvals are granted by the Town, they shall in no way relieve the contractor or from any obligations under the terms of the contract.

# Section 14. Special Requirements

**14.1** Special requirements for any bid may supersede and/or be added to any provision contained in these General Terms and Conditions.

# Section 15. Purchase of Additional Quantities of Bid Items

**15.1** The Town may purchase additional quantities of the bid items at any time during the contract period, for the same price and under the same terms and conditions as set in the Bid Proposal Form.

## Section 16. Contractor's Subcontracts and Material Lists

- 16.1 Within fifteen (15) days after execution of the Contract, the contractor shall submit to the Town for approval a list of the subcontractors, materialmen and materials that the contractor plans to use in the performance of the work and statements of the work they are to perform. The format and content of the list shall be in accordance with directives from the Town. No part of the work may be sublet until after the contractor has received the Town's approval. The contractor shall be fully responsible for all acts and omissions of its subcontractors and persons directly or indirectly employed by them, and the Town's approval to sublet parts of the work will in no way relieve the contractor of any of its obligations under the Contract. All dealings of the Town with the subcontractors shall be through the contractor.
- **16.2** The contractor shall insert appropriate clauses in all subcontracts to bind the subcontractors to the contractor by all applicable provisions of the contract documents executed between the contractor and the Town, but this shall not be

construed as creating any contractual relationships between subcontractors and the Town. Prior to approval of the subcontractors, the Town has the right to review and recommend changes in the subcontracts. The Town reserves the right to reject any subcontractor proposed by the contractor if in the reasonable opinion of the Town such subcontractor lacks the experience or capability to perform its subcontract work or is otherwise non-responsible.

**16.3** The contractor shall insert appropriate clauses in each subcontract that require that if the contractor is terminated by the Town either for default or convenience that at the sole option of the Town the subcontract shall automatically at torn to the Town and the subcontractor shall continue without delay or interruption to fully perform all of the obligations required by its subcontract.

#### Section 17. **Representative Always Present**

- 17.1 The contractor in case of its absence from the work shall have a competent representative or foreman present, who shall obey without delay, all instructions of the Town in the prosecution and completion of the work in conformity with the contract, and shall have full authority to supply labor and material immediately.
- 17.2 The contractor, or its superintendent, shall attend job meetings with the Town for the purpose of discussing expedition, execution and coordination of the work. Job meetings will be scheduled periodically (the first to be prior to commencement of construction) at a time and place designated by the Town.
- 17.3 The contractor shall not commence any work prior to the first (pre-construction) meeting between the contractor, Town, and other concerned governmental and utility company representatives.

#### Section 18. **Performance**

- **18.1** All work performed and all materials furnished shall be in reasonably close conformity with the lines, grades, cross sections, dimensions and materials requirements, including tolerances, shown in the Bid Documents.
- **18.2** Plan dimensions and contract specification values are to be considered as the target value to be strived for and complied with as the design value from which any deviations are allowed. It is the intent of the specifications that the materials and workmanship shall be uniform in character and shall conform as nearly as realistically possible to the prescribed target value or to the middle portion of the tolerance range. The purpose of the tolerance range is to accommodate occasional minor variations from the median zone that are unavoidable for practical reasons. When a maximum or minimum value is specified, the production and processing of the material and the performance of the work shall be so controlled that material or work shall not be preponderantly of borderline
  - quality or dimension.
- **18.3** Figured dimensions on the plans shall be given preference over scaled dimensions, but shall be checked by the contractor before starting construction.

Information and data on the contract documents shall take precedence in the following order (1) Drawing; Details, Sections, Plans, Notes, General Notes, (2) Technical Specifications, (3) General Specifications. Any errors, omissions or discrepancies shall be brought to the attention of the Town whose decision thereon shall be final.

- 18.4 In the event that the Town determines that the materials or the finished product in which the materials used are not within reasonably close conformity with the Bid Documents but that reasonably acceptable work had been produced, the Town shall then make a determination if the work shall be accepted and remain in place. In this event, the Town will document the basis of acceptance by contract modification, subject to the approval of the Town Board, which will provide for an appropriate adjustment in the contract price for such work or materials as deems necessary.
- 18.5 In the event that the Town determines that the materials or the finished product in which the materials used are not within reasonably close conformity with the Bid Documents and have resulted in an inferior or unsatisfactory product, the work or materials shall be removed and replaced or otherwise corrected by and at the expense of the contractor.
- **18.6** All traffic control devices (signs, signals, markings, and devices placed by the authority of a public body or official having jurisdiction for the purpose of regulating, warning or guiding traffic) shall be in conformity with the latest edition of the New York State Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices or other such standard as directed by the Town.
- 18.7 Time being of the essence, the contractor shall take notice that the timely completion of the work called for under the contract is of the greatest importance. The contractor shall commence its work within ten (10) days after "Notice of Award" has been given it by the Town (unless a definite starting date is otherwise stated). Prior to commencing its work, the contractor shall notify the Town, at least forty-eight (48) hours prior to the planned date of its "start".

## **Section 19. Insurance Requirements**

- **19.1** The contractor, upon award of the contract, shall provide at its own cost and expense the following insurance to the Town from insurance companies licensed in the State of New York, carrying a Best's financial rating of "A" or better, which insurance shall be evidenced by certificates and/or policies as determined by the Town.
- 19.2 Each certificate or policy shall require that, thirty (30) days prior to cancellation or material change in the policies, notice thereof shall be given to the Town Clerk by registered mail, return receipt requested, for all of the following stated insurance policies. All such notices shall name the contractor and identify the contract number or description.
- **19.3** All policies and certificates of insurance shall be approved by the Town prior to the inception of any work.

- i. Workmen's Compensation: The contractor shall evidence compliance with Workers' Compensation Law, or as otherwise directed by the Town.
- **ii.** Commercial General Liability Insurance with minimum limits of liability per occurrence of \$1,000,000 with the Town named as an additional insured.
- **iii.** Automobile Liability Insurance with minimum limits of liability per occurrence of \$1,000,000 with the Town named as an additional insured.
- iv. Additional insurance may be required on an individual basis for extra hazardous contracts and specific service agreements. If such additional insurance is required for a specific contract, that requirement will be described in the Special Requirements of the contract specifications.
- v. If any of the insurance requirements are not complied with at their renewal dates, payments to the contractor will be withheld until those requirements have been met, or at the option of the Town, the Town may pay the Renewal Premium and withhold such payments from any monies due the contractor.
- vi. If at any time any of the foregoing policies shall be or become unsatisfactory to the Town, as to form or substance, or if a company issuing any such policy shall be or become unsatisfactory to the Town, the contractor shall upon notice to that effect from the Town, promptly obtain a new policy, submit the same to the Town for approval and submit a certificate thereof as herein above provided. Upon failure of the contractor to furnish, deliver and maintain such insurance as above provided, the contract, at the election of the Town, may be forthwith declared suspended, discontinued or terminated. Failure of the contractor to secure and/or maintain or the taking out and/or maintenance of any required insurance, shall not relieve the contractor from any liability under the contract, nor shall the insurance requirements be construed to conflict with or otherwise limit the obligations of the contractor concerning indemnification.
- vii. In the event that claims in excess of the insured amounts provided herein, are filed by reason of any operations under the contract, the amount of excess of such claims or any portion thereof, may be withheld from payment due or to become due the contractor until such time as the contractor shall furnish such additional security covering such claims as may be determined by the Town.

# **Section 20.** Indemnification

20.1 The contractor hereby agrees to indemnify and save harmless the Town, its officers, employees, elected officials, and agents from and against all liability, loss or damage the Town may suffer, arising directly or indirectly out of the contract between the contractor and the Town. The Contractor further agrees to provide defense for and defend any claims or causes of action of any kind or character directly or indirectly arising out of this Agreement at its sole expense and agrees to bear all other costs and expenses relating thereto. The foregoing provisions shall

not be construed to cause the contractor to indemnify the Town, its officers, elected officials, agents or employees from its or their sole negligence.

**20.2** Neither the acceptance of the completed work nor payment therefore shall release the Contractor from its obligation under this section.

# **Section 21.** Delivery Point

- 21.1 Shipping of any products shall be FOB Destination. Delivery shall be at the location set forth in the Specifications except on national, state or local holidays when Town buildings are closed. Bidder shall be responsible to verify that the appropriate Town building for delivery is open prior to delivering items. All bid items shall be unloaded and placed within the particular Town building, at points of delivery, and in quantities, as directed by the Town. Any costs incurred by the Town or bidder due to the failure of bidder to comply with this requirement will be the responsibility of bidder. Bidder should be prepared to furnish proof of delivery, if requested by Town. Deliveries shall be made in accordance with the specifications, and shall be made Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. unless otherwise stated in the Specific Specifications.
- **21.2** If bidder is shipping bid items to Town using a third-party carrier (US Postal Service, UPS, FedEx), there shall be no additional shipping charge to the Town.
- **21.3** Delivery will not be complete until the good are inspected and accepted by the Town.

# Section 22. <u>Date of Delivery</u>

**22.1** Delivery of all materials included under this bid shall be made not later than the date specified in the Bid Documents or Project Schedule. If contractor cannot meet the delivery date specified in Bid Documents or Project Schedule, contractor shall state on the bid form the proposed date of delivery and such date will be considered when determining responsiveness in awarding the bid.

# Section 23. <u>Damages</u>

23.1 The contractor shall be fully responsible for shipping and delivery of materials specified in the Bid Documents or Project Schedule in an undamaged condition. Town will not consider the carrier responsible for damaged or delayed deliveries. Any bid item damaged or broken when delivered to Town shall be replaced immediately by contractor at no cost to the Town.

#### Section 24. Warranty/Guarantee

**24.1** It is the intent of the Bid Documents to require first-class work and materials and any work not fully covered herein Bid Documents shall be interpreted to require first-class work and materials, and such interpretations shall be binding upon the Contractor. The contractor shall be fully responsible for performance of work in a

satisfactory manner with satisfactory results in the discretion of the Town quality materials.

- **24.2** Contractor is deemed to warrant and guarantee all work performed under this agreement.
- 24.3 Unless otherwise stated in other parts of the specifications, all work performed or goods supplied under the contract shall be guaranteed by the contractor against all defects resulting from the use of inferior materials, equipment or workmanship, for a period of ten (10) years from the date of final completion and acceptance of the work, which shall be defined as the date of the Town's approval of the final Certificate for Payment or from the date the Town takes possession and makes full use of the constructed facility.
- **24.4** Any goods furnished must be standard, new, latest model of the regular stock product, as required by the specifications, with parts regularly used for the type of equipment offered.
- 24.5 No attachment or part will be substituted or applied contrary to manufacturer's recommended and standard practice. All regularly manufactured stock electrical items must bear the label of the Underwriters Laboratories, Inc. Any equipment, part or constructed item which is or becomes defective during the guarantee period shall be replaced or redone by the contractor, including all labor at no additional charge to the Town. All replacements shall carry the same guarantee as the original equipment. The contractor shall make any such replacement promptly upon receiving written notice from Town.

# Section 25. Breach of Contract/Termination

**25.1** If contractor fails to deliver as ordered, or within the time specified, or within reasonable time as interpreted by Town, or fails to make replacement of rejected or defective goods, whether so requested immediately or as directed by Town, that shall constitute a breach of the contract, and Town may arrange to have the work performed from other sources to take the place of the work product found defective or not delivered. Without limiting the foregoing, Town reserves the right to terminate the contract upon breach within ten (10) days written notice provided to the contractor.

# Section 26. Prevailing Wage Rates and Supplements

- **26.1** Wages to be Paid and Supplements to be Provided
  - i. The contractor shall, at its own cost and expense, comply with all provisions of the Labor Law (i.e. prevailing rate of wages and supplements), Lien Law, Workmen's Compensation Law and all other laws and ordinances affecting the contract or order, either Federal, State or local.

#### **26.2** Records to be kept on Site

The contractor, subcontractors at any tier shall certify their payrolls and keep them on site and available, in addition to the following informative records:

- i. Record of hours worked by each workman, laborer and mechanic on each day;
- **ii.** Record of days worked each week by each workman, laborer and mechanic:
- **iii.** Schedule of occupation or occupations at which each workman, laborer and mechanic on the project is employed during each work day and week:
- **iv.** Schedule of hourly wage rates paid to each workman, laborer and mechanic for each occupation.
- **v.** A statement or declaration signed by each workman, laborer and mechanic attesting that they have been provided with a written notice, informing them of the prevailing wage rates and supplements requirement for the contract.

# Section 27. <u>Estimates and Payments</u>

- 27.1 As the work progresses but not more often than once a month and then on such days as the Town shall direct, the contractor will submit a requisition in writing of the amount and value of the work performed and the materials and equipment provided to the date of the requisition, less any amount previously paid to the contractor.
- 27.2 From each requisition, the Town will retain five percent (5%) plus one hundred fifty percent (150%) of the amount necessary to satisfy any claims, liens or judgments against the contractor that have not been suitably discharged. The Town will thereupon cause the balance of the requisition therein to be paid to the contractor.
- 27.3 As a condition to the making of any progress payment as set forth in this paragraph, the Town, in its sole discretion may require the contractor to submit such document as may be reasonably required to establish that the contractor and its subcontractors have timely and properly paid their respective subcontractors and materialmen at any tier.
- 27.4 When the work or major portion thereof, as contemplated by the terms of the contract are substantially completed in the judgment of the Town, the contractor shall submit a requisition for the remainder of the contract balance. An amount equal to two (2) times the value of the remaining items to be completed plus one hundred fifty percent (150%) of the amount that the Town deems necessary to satisfy any claims, liens or judgments against the contractor which have not been suitably discharged shall be deducted from the requisition. As the remaining items of work are satisfactorily completed or corrected, the Town will, upon receipt of a requisition, pay for these items less one hundred fifty percent (150%) of the amount necessary to satisfy any claims, liens or judgments.
- 27.5 All estimates will be made for actual quantities for work performed and materials and equipment incorporated in the work as determined by the measurements of the Town, and this determination shall be accepted as final, conclusive and binding upon the contractor. All estimates will be subject to correction in any succeeding

estimate.

- 27.6 Payment will be made only upon the written request of the contractor. Payment requests shall be processed by the Town no more than one (1) time per month. Payment will be made for materials pertinent to the project which have been delivered to the site or off-site by the contractor suitably stored and secured in first-class condition as required by the Town. The contractor must submit certified copies of the manufacturer's or Contractor's invoices or statements establishing the true purchase value of the material or equipment; freight bills, release of liens and certificate of insurance covering all equipment and materials.
- 27.7 The Contractor shall be responsible for safeguarding stored equipment and materials against loss or damage of any nature whatsoever, shall retain title until incorporated into the work and acceptance by the Town and in case of loss or damage, the contractor shall replace such lost or damaged equipment and materials at no cost to the Town. After receipt of payment, the contractor shall not remove from the site equipment and materials for which such payment was made without written authorization from the Town.
- 27.8 Within thirty (30) days after receiving written notice from the Contractor of substantial completion of the work under this Agreement, the Town will cause an inspection to be made of the work done under the contract. If, upon such inspection, the Town determines that the work is substantially complete, a Substantial Completion Payment to the contractor for the work done under the contract, less any and all deductions authorized to be made by the Town under the contract or by law, will be issued.
- **27.9** As a condition precedent to receiving payment therefore, the Contractor must have received Town approval of all Shop Drawing submittals, the Operation and Maintenance Manuals, and As-Built Drawing(s).
- 27.10 Together with its application for substantial completion payment the Contractor shall also deliver to the Town a verified statement certifying that all claims or liabilities arising from the completed work, including all charges for Extra Work, Change Orders, additional time, damages or credits (collectively referred to as "claims") have been presented to the Town. All such claims shall be described in sufficient detail so as to be easily identified. The contractor's failure to submit the verified statement shall constitute a full and final waiver of all claims against the Town from the beginning of the project through the date of substantial completion as established by the Town. The presentation of the verified statement to the Town shall not constitute an acknowledgement by the Town that any such claim is valid. The Town expressly reserves its right to assert that any such claim(s) is waived or precluded by reason of other provisions of the contract documents. Only claims particularly identified on the contractor's verified statement shall be preserved; all other claims whatever nature shall be deemed waived and released. It shall also submit proof of title of the materials and equipment covered by the contract. The contractor shall also, prior to the issuance of said Substantial Completion Payment,

supply to the Town affidavits and certificates for labor, material and equipment (where applicable).

**27.11** Within ten (10) days after receiving written notice from the contractor of completion of all the work, the Town will make a final inspection. If upon inspection the Town determines that no further work is needed, the Town will request that the Town approve the completion of the project and authorize payment of the Final Estimate.

# Section 28. Payments to Subcontractors and Materialmen By Contractor

- 28.1 Within fifteen (15) calendar days of the receipt of any payment from the Town, the contractor shall pay each of its subcontractors and materialmen the proceeds from the payment representing the value of the work performed and/or materials furnished by the subcontractor and/or materialmen as reflected in the payment from the Town less an amount necessary to satisfy any claims, liens or judgment against the subcontractor or materialman which have not been suitably discharged and less any retained amount as hereafter described.
- 28.2 Nothing provided herein shall create any obligation on the part of the Town to pay or to see the payment of any moneys to any subcontractor or materialman from any contractor nor shall anything provided herein serve to create any relationship in contract or otherwise, implied or expressed between the subcontractor or materialman and the Town. Notwithstanding anything to the foregoing, the Town may tender payments to the Contractor in the form of joint or dual payee checks.

# Section 29. Change in the Contract Price

**29.1** The Contract Price constitutes the total compensation (subject to authorized adjustments) payable to the contractor for performing the work pursuant to the contract. All duties, responsibilities and obligations assigned to or undertaken by the contractor shall be at its expense without change in the Contract Price.

# Section 30. Proper Method of Work and Proper Materials

- **30.1** The Town shall have the power in general to direct the order and sequence of the work, which will be such as to permit the entire work under the contract to be begun and to proceed as rapidly as possible, and such as to bring the several parts of the work to a successful completion at about the same time.
- 30.2 If at any time before the commencement or during the progress of the work the materials and appliances used or to be used appear to the Town as insufficient or improper for securing the quality of work required, or the required rate of progress, he may order the contractor to increase its efficiency or to improve their character, and the contractor shall promptly conform to such order; but the failure of the Town to demand any increase of such efficiency or improvement shall not release the Contractor from its obligation to secure the quality of work or the rate of progress specified.
- **30.3** The Contractor will establish the lines, grades and measurements necessary in his

opinion to properly locate the work, by setting suitably marked offset or reference stakes. These stakes are referenced to the control points, coordinates and similar data that may be shown on the contract drawings, but the Town reserves the right to modify that information.

**30.4** The Contractor shall carefully and properly preserve all stakes, pins and markers required at no additional costs to the Town. All existing property lines and survey monuments which may, of necessity have to be disturbed during the construction work, will be properly tied to fixed points and reset by the Contractor at no cost to the Town.

# Section 31. <u>Utilities and Service Lines</u>

**31.1** The Contractor is hereby warned that a reasonable opportunity is to be given the municipalities and public service corporations to alter and install pipes, conduits or other structures prior to placing to pavement. No guarantee is given that public utility structures and service lines herein shown are correctly located. Locations given are from the best available information.

# Section 32. Protection, Existing Structures

- 32.1 The Contractor, at his expense, shall protect adjacent and other property or premises from damage of any kind during the progress of the work and shall erect and maintain guards around his work in such a way as to afford protection to the public. The Contractor shall be held responsible for improper, illegal, or negligent conduct of himself, his subcontractors, employees and agents in and about said work or in the execution of the work covered by this Contract.
- 32.2 The Contractor shall, at his expense, sustain in their places and permanently protect from direct or indirect injury any and all pipelines, subways, pavements, sidewalks, curbs, railways, buildings, trees, poles, wells, and other property in the vicinity of his work, whether over-or underground, or which appear within the trench or excavations, and he shall assume all costs and expenses for direct or indirect damage which may be occasioned by injury to any of them.
- 32.3 The Contractor's liability shall also include the damage or injury sustained by any structure whatsoever due to settlement of trenches or excavations or to settlement or lateral movement of the sides of such trenches or excavations, whether such movement occurs during or after excavation or backfilling of such trenches or excavations. His liability to so support and protect all such structures from damage or injury shall continue without limitation, throughout the Contract period and during the period of guarantee.
- **32.4** The Contractor shall at all times have on the ground suitable and sufficient material and shall use the same as may be necessary or required for sustaining and supporting any and all such structures which are uncovered, undermined, weakened, endangered, threatened, or otherwise materially affected.
- 32.5 In case injury occurs to any portion of a pipeline or structure, or to the material

surrounding or supporting the same, through blasting or similar operations, the Contractor shall immediately notify the Engineer, and, at his expense, shall remove such injured work and shall rebuild the pipeline or structure and shall replace the material surrounding the supporting the same, or shall furnish such material and perform such work of repairs or replacement as the Town may order. Any damage whatsoever shall be promptly, completely and satisfactorily repaired by the Contractor at his expense.

# Section 33. Acceleration of the Work

- **33.1** The Town may, at its sole discretion and as circumstances reasonably require, require the contractor to accelerate the schedule of performance by providing overtime, extended day, extra crews, Saturday, Sunday and/or holiday work and/or by having all or any subcontractors designated by the Town provide overtime, extended day, extra crews, Saturday, Sunday or holiday work by the contractor's or his subcontractor's own forces.
- 33.2 The Town, pursuant to a validly issued written change order, may reimburse the contractor for the direct cost to the contractor of the premium time for the labor utilized by the contractor in such overtime, extended day, extra crews, Saturday, Sunday or holiday work (but not for the straight time costs of such labor) together with any social security and state or federal unemployment insurance taxes in connection with such premium time. However, no overhead, supervision costs, commissions, profit or other costs and expenses of any nature whatsoever, including impact costs or costs associated with lost efficiency or productivity, shall be payable in connection therewith.
- **33.3** Anything to the foregoing notwithstanding, in the event that the contractor has fallen behind schedule or in the Town's judgment appears likely to fall behind schedule, Town shall have the absolute right to direct the contractor to accelerate the performance of its work, including that of its subcontractors, and the full costs for such acceleration shall be borne solely by the contractor.

#### Section 34. Stopping Work

- **34.1** Town May Suspend Work:
  - i. The Town may, at any time and without cause, suspend the work or any portion thereof for a period of not more than ninety (90) days by notice in writing to the contractor which shall fix the date on which work shall be resumed. The contractor shall resume the Work on the date so fixed. Subject to the approval of the Town Board, the contractor may be allowed an increase in the Contract Price or an extension of the Contract Time, or both, directly attributable to any suspension.

#### **34.2** The Town May Terminate:

- **A.** Upon the occurrence of any one or more of the following events:
  - 1. If the contractor is adjudged bankrupt or insolvent,

- 2. If the contractor makes a general assignment for the benefit of creditors,
- 3. If a trustee or receiver is appointed for the contractor or for any of the contractor 's property,
- 4. If the contractor files a petition to take advantage of any debtor's act, or to reorganize under the bankruptcy or similar laws,
- 5. If the contractor repeatedly fails to supply sufficient skilled workers or suitable materials or equipment,
- 6. If the contractor repeatedly fails to make prompt payments to Subcontractors or for labor, materials or equipment,
- 7. If the contractor disregards laws, ordinances, rules, regulations or orders of any public body having jurisdiction,
- 8. If the contractor disregards the authority of the Town, or
- 9. If the contractor otherwise violates in any substantial way any provisions of the Bid Documents or the Contract. The Town may after giving the contractor and its Surety seven (7) days written notice, terminate the services of the contractor, exclude the contractor from the site, incorporate in the Work all materials and equipment stored at the site or for which Town has paid the contractor but which are stored elsewhere, and finish the Work as Town may deem expedient. In such case the contractor shall not be entitled to receive any further payment until the work is finished. If the unpaid balance of the Contract Price exceeds the direct and indirect costs of completing the work, including compensation for additional professional services, such excess shall be paid to the contractor. If such costs exceed such unpaid balance, the contractor shall pay the difference to the Town.
- **B.** Where the contractor's services have been so terminated by the Town, the termination shall not affect any rights of Town against the contractor then existing or which may thereafter accrue. Any retention or payment of moneys due the contractor by Town will not release the contractor from liability.
- **C.** Upon seven (7) days written notice to the contractor, Town may, without cause and without prejudice to any other right or remedy, elect to abandon the work and terminate the Agreement. In such case, the contractor shall be paid (without duplication of any items):
  - 1. For completed and acceptable Work executed in accordance with the Contract Documents prior to the effective date or termination, including fair and reasonable sum of overhead and profit on such work;
  - 2. For expenses sustained prior to effective date of termination in performing services and furnishing labor, materials or equipment as required by the Contract Documents in connection with uncompleted

- Work, plus fair and reasonable sums for overhead and profit on such expenses;
- 3. For amounts paid in settlement of terminated contracts with Subcontractors, manufacturers, fabricators, suppliers or distributors and others; and
- 4. For reasonable expenses directly attributable to termination, contractor shall not be paid on account of loss of anticipated profits or revenue or other economic loss or any consequential damages arising out of such termination.

# Section 35. Change in the Contract Time

- **35.1** The contractor agrees that it will make no claim against the Town or any of its representatives for damages for delay, interference or disruption in the performance of its Contract occasioned by any act or omission to act by the Town or any of its representatives, or occasioned by any act or omission of any other contractor and further agrees that any such claim shall be fully compensated for by an extension of time to complete the performance of the work as provided herein.
- 35.2 The Contract Time may only be changed by a Change Order. Any claim for an extension in the Contract Time shall be based on written notice delivered to Town within fifteen (15) days of the occurrence of the event giving rise to the claim. Notice of the extent of the claim with supporting data shall be delivered within twenty (20) days of such occurrence unless the Town allows an additional period of time to ascertain more accurate data. Any change in the Contract Time resulting from any such claim shall be incorporated in a Change Order.
- 35.3 The Contract Time will be extended in an amount equal to time lost due to delays beyond the control of the contractor. Such delays shall include, but not be limited to, acts or neglect by Town, or to fires, floods, labor disputes, epidemics, abnormal weather conditions, or acts of God. No extension of the Contract Time will be granted where the delay is attributable to a subcontractor, manufacturer, fabricator, supplier or distributor or any other party performing services or furnishing material or equipment on behalf of the contractor unless such party's delay is attributable to one of the above enumerated causes.
- 35.4 The time limits concerning Substantial Completion and final completion as stated in the Contract Documents are of the essence. The provisions of this section shall not exclude recovery for damages (including compensation for additional professional services) for delay by either party, provided, however that the contractor shall not be entitled to damages for any delay occurring as a consequence of a delay if the performance of said additional work was noted in the Contract Documents and the delay (by others) was not directly caused by the fault of the Town.

# Section 36 <u>Disputed Work - Notice of Claims for Damages</u>

**36.1** If the contractor is of the opinion that any work required, necessitated, or ordered

violates or conflicts with or is not required by the terms and provisions of the contract, he must promptly, within five (5) calendar days after being directed to perform such work, notify the Town, in writing, of its contentions with respect thereto and request a final determination thereon. If the Town determines that the work in question is contract and not extra work, or that the order complained of is proper, he will direct the Contractor in writing to proceed and the Contractor shall promptly comply. In order, however, to preserve its right to claim compensation for such work or damages resulting from such compliance, the Contractor must, within seven (7) calendar days after receiving notice of the Town's determination and direction, notify the Town, in writing that the work is being performed or that the determination and direction is being complied with, under protest. Failure of the Contractor to so notify shall be deemed as a waiver of claim for extra compensation or damages therefore.

- **36.2** The contractor is bound by the provisions of all applicable laws, including but not limited to the General Municipal Law and the Town Law, as related to the presentation of claims.
- **36.3** While the contractor is performing disputed work or complying with a determination or order under protest in accordance with this Article, in each such case the contractor shall furnish the Town daily with three copies of written statements signed by the Contractor's representatives at the site showing:
  - i. the name of each workman employed on such work or engaged in complying with such determination or order, the number of hours employed thereon, and the character of the work each is doing; and
  - **ii.** the nature and quantity of any materials, plant and equipment furnished or used in connection with the performance of such work or compliance with such order, and from whom purchased or rented.
- **36.4** The contractor shall carry on the work and maintain the progress schedule during all disputes or disagreements with the Town. No work shall be delayed or postponed pending resolution of any disputes or disagreements, except as the contractor and Town may otherwise agree in writing.
- **36.5** Before final acceptance of the work by the Town, all matters of dispute must be adjusted to the mutual satisfaction of the parties thereto. Determinations and decisions in case any question shall arise, shall constitute a condition precedent to the right of the Contractor to receive the money therefore, until the matter in question has been adjusted.

#### **PART THREE**

# **GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS**

# LEGACY FIELD TURF REPLACEMENT 3100 STRANG BOULEVARD YORKTOWN, NY 10598

# **BID ITEM #1: Multipurpose Turf Replacement.**

# Scope of Work:

- Turf vendor is fully responsible to visit the site and take all necessary
  measurements before submitting their proposal. By submitting a response to this
  Bid the turf vendor acknowledges that they have visited the site and are
  responsible for any quantity discrepancies.
- 2. A suitable designated asphalt staging area near the field will be provided. .
- 3. Carefully remove and legally dispose of exiting rubber and sand filled artificial turf. Extreme care must be used during the removal process to minimize damage to the existing base.
- 4. Once the existing turf is removed, inspection of the existing drainage base shall take place with the owner's representatives and turf field contractor before proceeding with the fine grading.
- 5. The entire existing base shall be laser graded to within a ¼" tolerance 10' in all directions when checked with a string line or straight edge. It is understood that some additional finish stone may be needed to achieve proper planarity and it will be the responsibility of the successful contractor to furnish and install as needed.
- 6. The existing concrete anchor curb shall remain.
- 7. Existing goal posts to remain.
- 8. Once all of the work described above is completed and approved by the owner installation of the new turf system shall commence.

#### Method

# 3.01 **Description**

The Contractor shall thoroughly prepare the site for reconstruction. Contractor can utilize Legacy Woodlands facility through the duration of this project.

Any remaining Turf Materials, debris, refuse, solid waste, soil, junk of any nature, etc. shall be removed from the site and disposed of legally in a manner that meets all

applicable Federal, State and local codes and ordinances.

#### 3.02 CLEARING AND REMOVALS

The contractor must remove all existing turf at the Legacy Park Multipurpose field at their expense.

#### 3.03 STOCKPILING

Stockpiling of debris will be allowed on site but must be removed when project is completed.

# 3.04 Disposal

All material resulting not scheduled for reuse shall become the property of the Contractor and shall be suitably disposed of offsite in accordance with all applicable laws, ordinances, rules and regulations, unless otherwise directed by the Superintendent of Parks and Recreation.

Any debris remaining from site from the project must be disposed of off-site.

Such disposal shall be performed as promptly as possible after removal of the material and shall not be left until the final period of cleaning up. It is the Contractors responsibility to properly dispose of any materials to be removed off-site as per all sections of these specifications. The Contractor is responsible to find a legitimate disposal site and must obtain any permits or licenses required for proper disposal. The Contractor is responsible for any fees or fines associated with the proper disposal of any materials outline in all sections of these specifications.

# **Artificial Turf System Material and Quality Assurance Specifications**

#### **GENERAL**

#### 1.01 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

- A. Artificial turf work includes, but is not limited to, the following:
  - 1. A complete synthetic turf system, consisting of a vertical draining gravel blanket and nominal two and one quarter inch (2.25") long polyethylene parallel-ling slit and monofilament blended fibers, tufted through the same stitch into a primary backing with a secondary backing consisting of a minimum of 22 ounces of urethane per square yard.
  - 2. A resilient infill system, consisting of mixture of rubber granules and silica sand.

- 3. Tufted-in game lines and perimeter lines per drawings. Remaining required game marking shall be permanently inlaid per drawings; direction of Owner or Owner's Representative.
- 4. Maintenance manual.
- 5. Written company warranty minimum: 10-year warranty, may be supported by a 3rd party insured warranty policy from an A-Rated domestic insurance carrier. Letters of credit are not permissible. Actual and current policy must be submitted for verification.
- 6. Striping and seaming plan: Striping plan; layouts for the sports as shown on attached diagram showing any field lines, logos, markings and boundaries.
- 7. Train field maintenance personnel in proper care maintenance procedures.
- B. Provide all materials, labor, equipment, and services required to accomplish related work in accordance with the drawings and specifications.
- C. The artificial turf shall be specifically designed, manufactured and installed for the intended sports and events. Typically sports include, but are not limited to, football, soccer, boy's lacrosse and girl's lacrosse. At the time of substantial completion, the system's shock attenuation shall have an average G-max value less than 125, based on ASTM-F355A. At no time shall the G-max value exceed 175 throughout the life of the warranty.
- D. Copies of independent laboratory test reports on system or components:
  - 1. ASTM D 792 Specific Gravity
  - 2. ASTM D 1335 Tuft Bind
  - 3. ASTM D 5034 Grab Breaking Strength
  - 4. ASTM D 418 Pile Height, Tuft Spacing, Face Weight and Total Weight
  - 5. ASTM D 2859 Flammability (Pill test)
  - 6. ASTM F 1551 Water Permeability
- E. Prior to Final Acceptance, the Field Builder shall submit to the owner electronic copies of their maintenance manuals. These manuals will include all necessary instructions for the proper care and maintenance of the newly installed synthetic turf system.

#### 1.02 SUBMITTALS

# Submit the following with your bid proposal:

A. A copy of most recent installation/reference list for all projects of similar scope to this project completed in the last three years located within 100 miles of the project site.

B. One (1) 12" x 12" sample of proposed synthetic turf carpet and one (1) 12" x 12" boxed turf sample including infill representative of finished synthetic turf system. Also submit copies of product data and testing documents demonstrating that proposed system meets or exceeds all specified requirements.

Note: If these submittal items are requested and deemed to be insufficient, the Field Builder will not be approved.

# Submit the following prior to the ordering of materials:

- A. Material Certificates and Samples: Provide electronic copies for each material from material producer that will be used for this project. Each material certificate must be stamped and checked as approved by the Field Builder before submittal to the Architect.
- B. Provide to the owner materials samples of the following: Two (2) 12" x 12" samples of synthetic turf carpet and color yarn samples, two (2) bagged samples two (2) bagged samples each of rubber and sand infill material.
- C. Submittals: Prior to order of materials, the Field Builder shall submit a sample warranty, seam layout plan, striping plan and any details of construction that deviate from the plans and specifications.
- D. Submit the resume of proposed installation foreman. Installation crew must meet or exceed all requirements outlined in bid documents and have a track record of at least 15 full size field in NYS with the sewing, seaming and inlay methods specified.
- E. Copies of Field Builder's recommended maintenance equipment cut sheets..
- F. Awarded Contractor shall provide shop drawing for approval from the superintendent of Parks and Recreation with but not limited to all sports lines

#### 1.03 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Provide a qualified installation foreman to coordinate and review the component parts of the artificial turf system. Submit a resume of experience for Parks & Recreation Superintendent's approval prior to starting work.
- B. Runner and Sand Filled Artificial Turf:
  - 1. Factory-trained technicians skilled in the installation of athletic-caliber infilled synthetic turf systems will undertake the placement of the turf. Special brushing equipment and techniques will be used in the installation.
  - 2. The designated installation crew shall have installed a minimum of 25 high quality, stadium grade rubber/sand filled synthetic turf systems of 65,000 square feet or greater in the past three years. 15 of these fields must be in NYS

- and have been done with the specified installation methods for sewing and true inlaid game markings.
- 3. A notarized letter from the Field Builder that the installation crew and foreman are factory certified must be submitted prior to the start of turf installation.
- C. Provide a colored striping plan detailing lines, numbers and letters. Coordinate with Parks & Recreation Superintendent's & town representatives associated with the project to get final approval of all designated colors, dimensions and logo/lettering designs.
- D. The Field Builder shall meet the following criteria:

# 1. Manufacturer/Field Builder's Experience:

- a. The Turf Manufacturer and the Field Builder must be experienced in the manufacturing and installation of this type of artificial turf system and provide project references of the synthetic grass system being installed at 100 similar exterior sites in the United States over the last 5 years, a minimum of 65,000 square feet each.
- b. The Field Builder must have actively been in business under its current name and ownership for at least the past five years; and must have a minimum of 25 athletic fields still in use in NYS for a minimum of the past 10 years.
- c. The Field Builder must provide competent workmen skilled in this type of artificial turf installation. The designated Supervisory personnel on the project must be certified, in writing, by the Field Builder as competent in the installation of this material, including gluing or sewing seams and proper installation of the infill mixture. The Field Builder shall have a qualified job foreman on site to certify the installation and warranty compliance.
- d. Additional quality assurance and reference information required with your bid response as outlined in bid document must be submitted for review by the owner.

#### E. Warranty:

- The warranty coverage shall not be prorated nor place limits on the amount of the field's usage.
- 2. The Field Builder shall submit its written company warranty: no less than a 10-year warranty, which warrants the usability and playability of the artificial turf system for its intended uses. A 3rd party insured 10-year warranty from an A-Rated domestic insurance carrier is required in addition to the Field Builder's warranty. Letters of credit in lieu of an insurance policy are not acceptable.

- 3. The Field Builder's warranty must have the following characteristics:
  - a. Provide full coverage for a minimum of Ten (10) years (or greater) from the date of Accepted Completion by the Superintendent of Recreation.
  - b. Warrant materials and workmanship.
  - c. Warrant that the materials installed meet or exceed the system specifications.
  - d. Repair or replace such portions of the installed materials that are no longer serviceable to maintain a serviceable and playable surface.
  - e. Be from a single source covering workmanship and all materials.
  - f. Assure the availability of exact or substantially the same replacement materials for the artificial turf system installed for the full warranty period.
  - g. Include general wear and damage caused from UV degradation. The warranty shall specifically exclude vandalism and acts of God beyond the control of the Turf Manufacturer or Field Builder.
  - h. Cover defects in the installation and workmanship. Assure the installation was done in accordance with both the Field Builder's recommendations and any written directives of the Field Builder's on-site representative.
  - i. Shall be limited to repair or replacement of the affected areas at the option of the Field Builder, and shall include all necessary materials, labor, transportation costs, etc. to complete said repairs.
  - j. The Field Builder may be required, upon the request of the Owner, to provide a list of ten (10) clients for which they have completed after-thesale warranty work located within 100 miles of Yorktown Heights, NY.
  - k. All designs, game markings and layouts shall conform to all currently applicable National Federation State High School Association or NCAA rules and regulations, or league specific requirements, depending on what applies.
  - All components and Field Builder's installation method shall be designed and manufactured for use on outdoor athletic fields. The materials as hereinafter specified, shall withstand full climatic exposure in the location of the field, be resistant to insect infestation, rot, fungus and mildew; it shall also withstand ultra-violet rays and extreme heat, it shall allow the free flow of water horizontally to perimeter areas and vertically to the gravel blanket and into the field drainage system below the surface.

- m. The adhesive bonded or sewn seams of all system components shall provide a permanent, tight, secure and hazard-free athletic playing surface. All inlaid markings (game lines, logos, etc.) shall remain in place throughout the duration of the warranty period.
- n. The installed artificial turf system's drainage capability shall allow water flow through the system (turf & infill) at a rate of not less than 10 inches +/- per hour.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.01 SYNTHETIC GRASS SYSTEM

A. Synthetic Grass – Dual Fiber Construction

Pile Weight: 50 oz/sy

Face Yarn Type: 100% polyethylene parallel-long slit fiber and monofilament blended in

dual yarn types and dual yarn thicknesses

Yarn Size: 12,200 (4 – 6 ends/1,800 denier per end for Mono, 5,000 -8,000 denier per

end for slit film)

Yarn Thickness: Minimum 100 microns for parallel slit film, 310 microns for

Monofilament fiber

Pile Height (Finished): 2.25"

Color: Field Green /Field Lime in custom blend primary color alternating with standard

field green for alternating shade panel look.

Construction: Broadloom tufted

Stitch Rate: 9/3"
Tufting Gauge: 1/2"

Primary Backing: ArmourLoc3L

Secondary Backing: 22 oz/sy urethane Total Product Weight: 80 oz/sy (+/- 2 oz)

Finished Roll Width: 15'

Finished Roll Length: Up to 220'

Perforation (Outdoors): 3/16" holes on staggered 4" (approximate) centers

Turf Permeability: > 20" +/- per hour

Infill Composition: Ambiently ground SBR crumb rubber mixture and uniformly sized

silica sand. The ratio shall be 3 lbs of rubber and 3 lbs of sand per square foot.

\*The basis of design is A-Turf Titan DiamondBlade

The carpet shall be delivered in 15-foot wide rolls with the four (4") inch white, football 5-yard lines tufted into each roll, when applicable. The perimeter white line shall also be tufted

into the individual sideline rolls, when applicable. The rolls shall be of sufficient length to go from sideline to sideline. Head seams, between the sidelines, will not be acceptable. All primary panel seams must be sewn in the "butt seam" method.

As applicable, provide game markings as follows: Hash marks, numbers, individual yard marks, soccer lines, boys lacrosse lines, girls lacrosse lines, per attached striping diagram and related markings shall be cut in and glued in accordance with Field Builder's recommendations. All markings per drawings and approved striping and seaming plan. Colors will be selected from turf vendor's standard color pallet.

- B. Resilient Infill: A resilient infill system, consisting of a specially formulated mixture of approximately 3 lbs. per square foot of rubber and 3 lbs. per square foot of sand engineered to provide the look, feel, footing, and shock absorption of a natural grass field in ideal conditions.
  - Ambiently ground SBR Crumb Rubber. Granules shall contain minimal dust or contaminants and shall be derived from the ambient processing form of recycled tires. Color shall be substantially black and shall meet the 10 20 or 8 16 mesh size designation or as recommended by artificial turf provider to meet performance requirements.
    - A. The clean, uniformly sized particles shall be consistent in shape and particle size distribution.
    - B. The particles shall resist abrasion in high traffic and excessive wear applications and provide stability to artificial sports turf applications.
    - C. The particles shall be processed and sized under rigid specifications and Manufacturers' statistical and quality control assurance program.
    - D. Particles shall be structurally pure and consistently uniform in size distribution for predictable performance.
  - 2. Sand Particulate. The sand provided as a component of the infill mixture shall be uniform in size.

# C. Dual Fiber Turf System per specifications with 10 year warranty

- A. Adhesives for bonding tufted synthetic turf shall be one-part moisture-cured polyurethane obtained from a single manufacturer and be equivalent to 34-G or PU2k as manufactured by Synthetic Surfaces, Inc., Scotch Plains, NJ (908) 233-6803, or Mapei respectively or approved equal as designated by the Field Builder. Hot melt inlay and seaming methods <u>are not</u> acceptable.
  - 1. Seaming Tape: Tape for securing seams in the tufted synthetic turf and inlaid lines shall be high quality tape made with a minimum roll width of 12 inches.

- B. Sewn seams: If seams are to be sewn, they must be sewn with high quality cord/thread as recommended by Field Builder.
- A. Concrete Header Curb and Pressure Treated Wood Turf Nailer: The synthetic turf perimeter fastening structure shall be inspected after turf system is removed and fine grading of existing base is approved. Any required repairs shall be brought to the attention of the owner before proceeding.
- B. Synthetic Turf and Infill Materials
  - a. All visible wrinkles shall be stretched out before seaming.
  - b. Seams shall be flat, tight and permanent with no separation or fraying.
  - c. Synthetic turf yarn fabric that is trapped or glued between seams shall be freed from the seams by hand or other approved method to an upright position prior to the commencement of brushing and top dressing procedures.
  - d. All synthetic turf seams shall be assembled as follows: The full width rolls shall be laid out across the field. Utilizing standard state of the art adhering or sewing procedures, each roll shall be attached to the next.
  - e. When all of the rolls of the playing surface have been installed, the sideline areas shall be installed perpendicular to the playing field. The yard lines, game markings, sidelines, etc. of all applicable sports shall be tufted into carpet by the manufacturer wherever possible.
  - 2. After all seaming is completed and inlaid lines, logos and lettering have been installed; the infill materials shall be spread evenly, using a drop spreader or top dresser.
    - a. Crumb rubber and sand shall be applied in a uniform rate of multiple applications until the specified infill depth is achieved.
    - Infill material shall be brushed between infill applications with a motorized rotary broom and pull-type groomer brush simultaneously.
    - c. A minimum infill rate of 3 lbs. of rubber and 3 lbs. of sand per square foot is required.

#### C. Tufted and Inlaid Lines

- Layout and descriptions of tufted, inlaid lines shall be as indicated on shop drawing provided with proposal. Shop drawing must include the following lines.
  - a. Football Markings are 4" White NFHS Standards
  - b. Soccer Markings 4" Yellow NFHS Standards

- c. Boys Lacrosse Markings 4" Blue NFHS Standards
- d. Girls Lacrosse Markings 4" Red NFHS Standards
- e. U-12 Soccer Markings 4" Black U-12 Standards
- f. Field Hockey Tick-Mark Markings 4" NFHS Standards

# D. Synthetic Turf Perimeter Attachment:

1. After final trimming of the turf, the turf shall be screwed, nailed, stapled or glued to the turf nailer system per the Field Builder's recommendations.

# 3.03 FIELD LAYOUT

1. Successful contractor responsible for all field layouts required for construction and installation of the turf system.

#### 3.04 CLOSEOUT

- A. The Field Builder must verify that a qualified representative has inspected the installation and that the finished field surface conforms to the Field Builder's requirements.
- B. The owner currently has a standard GreensGroomer maintenance brush in good working condition. If the turf vendors proposed system requires additional or different piece/pieces of maintenance equipment the cost of this equipment must be included in the field builders bid price and delivered upon completion of the turf installation.
- C. The Field Builder shall provide a warranty to the Owner that covers defects in materials and workmanship of the turf for a period of 10 years from the date of Substantial Completion as described in 1.04 F. Submit electronic copies of the warranty.
- D. The company's 10-year warranty must also be supported by a 3rd party insured 10-year warranty from an A-rated domestic insurance carrier. The value of the policy shall be \$1,000,000 for each insured warranty and \$5,000,000 annual aggregate. Only true 3rd party policies will be accepted. Companies submitting policies that are letters of credit or not truly a 3<sup>rd</sup> party insurance policy will not be accepted.
- E. The Field Builder must submit electronic copies of its standard maintenance manual to the owner.
- F. Field Builder must train Owner's designated field personnel in proper grooming and care procedures. This includes training field personnel how to properly use grooming equipment as well as make minor repairs.
- G. Extra materials: Field Builder must leave 2000 lbs. of rubber granules and the equivalent of 20' x 10' (all pieces combined) of turf with Owner before leaving job site.

All salvageable pieces of colored turf used during the installation should be left with the Owner as well.

#### 3.05 CLEAN UP

- A. Field Builder shall provide the labor, supplies and equipment as necessary for final cleaning of surface and installed items.
- B. All usable remnants of new material shall be neatly rolled up and turned over to the Owner at a place and area designated by the Owner.
- C. During the contract and at intervals as directed by the Superintendent of Parks and Recreation and as synthetic turf installation is completed, clear the site of all extraneous materials, rubbish, or debris and leave the site in a clean, safe, and neat condition.
- D. Surface, recesses, enclosures, etc. shall be cleaned as necessary to leave the work area in a clean, immaculate condition ready for immediate occupancy and use by the Owner.

#### 3.06 G-MAX TESTING

- A. At substantial completion, the Field Builder is required to hire an independent testing laboratory to perform a G-max test (ASTM 355, 1936 method) to verify that the shock attenuation properties of the field meet the requirements set forth in this specification. Submit electronic copies of the G-max test to the Owner along with fully executed warranties and field maintenance manuals at completion of the project.
- B. At the time of substantial completion, the average G-max rating must not exceed 125. The average G-max must not exceed 175 at any time during the life of the warranty. The Owner reserves the right to have the field tested for shock attenuation at its own cost at any time it deems necessary. If at any time the G-max ranges reach unacceptable levels, it is the responsibility of the Field Builder to bring the field back into the required ranges at no cost to the Owner. The owner is responsible to maintain the field in accordance with the turf vendor's field maintenance guide.

# ADD ALT #1: Bid Item # 1 plus Resilient Underlayment.

# Bid Item #1 plus RESILIENT UNDERLAYMENT (PRE-MANUFACTURED RESLIENT SHOCKPAD) – (Alternate Bid Item)

The ShockPad shall be a porous composite (100% SBR particles bound with polyurethane) rubber pad (6010SP) in typical thickness of 10mm and shall have an infiltration rate of not less than 12 inches (12") per hour, a minimum recovery rate of 94% at 100 psi per ASTM F36 and a tensile strength of 44 psi per ASTM D412, Die C. Material shall be delivered in four foot (4')

wide rolls with protective wrapping, and be of such continuous length to cover the width of the field allowing only one head seam per roll. Standard of quality shall be 6010SP resilient ShockPad as manufactured by ECORE International or Architect approved equal. Contact ECORE: 800-322-1923. Foam pads shall not be acceptable for this project.

Bidders must also guarantee a minimum of 12 year warranty on the synthetic turf surface, if this option is chosen by the Town.

#### **ADD ALT #2: Maintenance**

Scope of services under this proposal shall consist of the following on each visit offered herein & done twice each calendar year:

# 3-Step Process

Step 1: De-compaction

Step 2: Brushing with vacuum process

Step 3: Fine groom with surface brush

One (1) grooming session includes the following:

- A general sweeping to remove foreign objects such as dirt, leaves, bird droppings, gum, and any other surface debris/garbage.
- A magnetic sweep of the surface to remove harmful metal objects.
- A power groom vacuum to remove fine debris and straighten fibers.
- A deep groom, sweep, and de-compact of infill in an effort to maintain appropriate G-Max levels.
- *Up to 15 minor seam or inlay repairs included (up to 25 linear feet)*. Any repairs deemed not minor will be reported to field owner and no work will be conducted on them without permission from the field owner.
- Addition of on-site infill to any high use areas to prevent premature wear.

  One (1) field inspection and maintenance summary report which includes:
- Overall analysis and inspection of the field and its applicable systems, including fiber wear analysis, ultraviolet degradation, infill depth and consistency, infill migration, sewn and glued seams, and field inserts (inlays).
- A maintenance summary report will be provided via email or mail that includes a summary of the work performed and any conclusions or recommendations.

#### NON-COLLUSIVE BIDDING CERTIFICATION

This Non-Collusive Bidding Certificate is made pursuant to Section 103-d of the General Municipal Law of the State of New York.

By submission of this bid, Bidder and each person signing on behalf of Bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of his or her knowledge and belief:

The prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, consultation, communication, or agreement for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such prices with any other Bidder or with any competitor;

Unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by Bidder and will not knowingly be disclosed by Bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other bidder or to any competitor; and

No attempt has been made or will be made by the bidder to induce any other person, partnership or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition.

A bid shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made where (1) (2) and (3) above, have not been complied with; provided, however, that if in any case Bidder cannot make the foregoing certification, Bidder shall so state and shall furnish with the bid a signed statement which sets forth in detail the reasons therefore. Where (1) (2) and (3) above have not been complied with, the bid shall not be considered for award nor shall any award be made unless the head of the purchasing unit of the political subdivision, public department, agency or official thereof to which the bid is made, or his designee, determines that such disclosure was not made for the purpose of restricting competition.

Dated:	-	Bidder:
		(Legal name of person, firm or corporation)
		By:
		(Signature)
		(Please Print Name)
		(Title)
State of New York	)	
Town of	)ss.:	
On the day of		in the year 2023 before me, the undersigned, personally, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of
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individual(s) acted, execu-	ted the instrui	ment.
		(Notary Public)