

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF DENTON, A TEXAS HOME-RULE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH CEI ENGINEERING ASSOCIATES, INC., FOR THE PLANNING AND DESIGN OF A BOATING/KAYAK DOCK FOR THE PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT AS SET FORTH IN THE CONTRACT; PROVIDING FOR THE EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS THEREFOR; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE (RFQ 8630 – PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT FOR PLANNING AND DESIGN SERVICES AWARDED TO CEI ENGINEERING ASSOCIATES, INC., IN THE NOT-TO-EXCEED AMOUNT OF \$90,000.00).

WHEREAS, CEI Engineering Associates, Inc., the professional services provider (the “Provider”) set forth in this ordinance, is being selected as the most highly qualified on the basis of its demonstrated competence and qualifications to perform the proposed professional services; and

WHEREAS, this procurement was undertaken as part of the City’s governmental function; and

WHEREAS, the fees under the proposed contract are fair and reasonable and are consistent with, and not higher than, the recommended practices and fees published by the professional associations applicable to the Provider’s profession, and such fees do not exceed the maximum provided by law; NOW, THEREFORE,

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DENTON HEREBY ORDAINS:

SECTION 1. The City Manager, or their designee, is authorized to enter into the service contract attached hereto with CEI Engineering Associates, Inc., for the planning and design of a boating/kayak dock for the Parks and Recreation Department.

SECTION 2. The City Manager, or their designee, is authorized to expend funds as required by the attached contract.

SECTION 3. The City Council of the City of Denton, Texas expressly delegates the authority to take any actions that may be required or permitted to be performed by the City of Denton under this ordinance to the City Manager of the City of Denton, or their designee.

SECTION 4. The findings in the preamble of this ordinance are incorporated herein by reference.

SECTION 5. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval.

The motion to approve this ordinance was made by _____ and seconded by _____. This ordinance was passed and approved by the following vote [____ - ____]:

	Aye	Nay	Abstain	Absent
Mayor Gerard Hudspeth:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Vicki Byrd, District 1:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Brian Beck, District 2:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Suzi Rumohr, District 3:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Joe Holland, District 4:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Brandon Chase McGee, At Large Place 5:	_____	_____	_____	_____
Jill Jester, At Large Place 6:	_____	_____	_____	_____

PASSED AND APPROVED this the _____ day of _____, 2025.

GERARD HUDSPETH, MAYOR

ATTEST:
INGRID REX, INTERIM CITY SECRETARY

BY: _____

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:
MACK REINWAND, CITY ATTORNEY

BY: Leah Bush
Marcella Lunn



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RFQ	8630
File Name	Boating Access Grant Boat Dock-Kayak Launch
Purchasing Contact	Erica Garcia
City Council Target Date	
Piggy Back Option	Not Applicable
Contract Expiration	
Ordinance	

CITY OF DENTON, TEXAS

STANDARD AGREEMENT FOR ENGINEERING RELATED PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

This AGREEMENT is between the City of Denton, a Texas home-rule municipality ("CITY"), and CEI Engineering Associates, Inc. with its corporate office at 3030 LBJ Freeway, Suite 920, Dallas, TX 75234 and authorized to do business in Texas, ("ENGINEER"), for a PROJECT generally described as: Kayak Launch & Courtesy Dock Design (the "PROJECT").

SECTION 1 **Scope of Services**

- A.** The CITY hereby agrees to retain the ENGINEER, and the ENGINEER hereby agrees to perform, professional engineering services set forth in the Scope of Services attached hereto as Attachment A. These services shall be performed in connection with the PROJECT.
- B.** Additional services, if any, will be requested in writing by the CITY. CITY shall not pay for any work performed by ENGINEER or its consultants, subcontractors and/or suppliers that has not been ordered in advance and in writing. It is specifically agreed that ENGINEER shall not be compensated for any additional work resulting from oral orders of any person.

SECTION 2 **Compensation and Term of Agreement**

- A.** The ENGINEER shall be compensated for all services provided pursuant to this AGREEMENT in an amount not to exceed \$90,000 in the manner and in accordance with the fee schedule as set forth in Attachment A. Payment shall be considered full compensation for all labor, materials, supplies, and equipment necessary to complete the services described in Attachment A.
- B.** Unless otherwise terminated pursuant to Section 6. D. herein, this AGREEMENT shall be for a term beginning upon the effective date, as described below, and shall continue for a period which may reasonably be required for the completion of the PROJECT, until the expiration of the funds, or completion of the PROJECT and acceptance by the CITY, whichever occurs first. ENGINEER shall proceed diligently with the PROJECT to completion as described in the PROJECT schedule as set forth in Attachment A.

SECTION 3 **Terms of Payment**

Payments to the ENGINEER will be made as follows:

A. Invoice and Payment

- (1) The Engineer shall provide the City sufficient documentation, including but not limited to meeting the requirements set forth in the PROJECT schedule as set forth in Attachment A to reasonably substantiate the invoices.
- (2) The ENGINEER will issue monthly invoices for all work performed under this AGREEMENT. Invoices for the uncontested performance of the particular services are due and payable within 30 days of receipt by City.
- (3) Upon completion of services enumerated in Section 1, the final payment of any balance for the uncontested performance of the services will be due within 30 days of receipt of the final invoice.
- (4) In the event of a disputed or contested billing, only that portion so contested will be withheld from payment, and the undisputed portion will be paid. The CITY will exercise reasonableness in contesting any bill or portion thereof. No interest will accrue on any contested portion of the billing until mutually resolved.
- (5) If the CITY fails to make payment in full to ENGINEER for billings contested in good faith within 60 days of the amount due, the ENGINEER may, after giving 7 days' written notice to CITY, suspend services under this AGREEMENT until paid in full. In the event of suspension of services, the ENGINEER shall have no liability to CITY for delays or damages caused the CITY because of such suspension of services.

SECTION 4 Obligations of the Engineer

A. General

The ENGINEER will serve as the CITY's professional engineering representative under this AGREEMENT, providing professional engineering consultation and advice and furnishing customary services incidental thereto.

B. Standard of Care

The ENGINEER shall perform its services:

- (1) with the professional skill and care ordinarily provided by competent engineers practicing in the same or similar locality and under the same or similar circumstances and professional license; and
- (2) as expeditiously as is prudent considering the ordinary professional skill and care of a competent engineer.

C. Subsurface Investigations

- (1) The ENGINEER shall advise the CITY with regard to the necessity for subcontract work such as special surveys, tests, test borings, or other subsurface investigations in connection with design and engineering work to be performed hereunder. The ENGINEER shall also advise the CITY concerning the results of same. Such surveys, tests, and investigations shall be furnished by the CITY, unless otherwise specified in Attachment A.
- (2) In soils, foundation, groundwater, and other subsurface investigations, the actual characteristics may vary significantly between successive test points and sample intervals and at locations other than where observations, exploration, and investigations have been made. Because of the inherent uncertainties in subsurface evaluations, changed or unanticipated underground conditions may occur that could affect the total PROJECT cost and/or execution. These conditions and cost/execution effects are not the responsibility of the ENGINEER.

D. Preparation of Engineering Drawings

The ENGINEER will provide to the CITY the original drawings of all plans in ink on reproducible mylar sheets and electronic files in .pdf format, or as otherwise approved by CITY, which shall become the property of the CITY. CITY may use such drawings in any manner it desires; provided, however, that the ENGINEER shall not be liable for the use of such drawings for any project other than the PROJECT described herein.

E. Engineer's Personnel at Construction Site

- (1) The presence or duties of the ENGINEER's personnel at a construction site, whether as on-site representatives or otherwise, do not make the ENGINEER or its personnel in any way responsible for those duties that belong to the CITY and/or the CITY's construction contractors or other entities, and do not relieve the construction contractors or any other entity of their obligations, duties, and responsibilities, including, but not limited to, all construction methods, means, techniques, sequences, and procedures necessary for coordinating and completing all portions of the construction work in accordance with the AGREEMENT Documents and any health or safety precautions required by such construction work. The ENGINEER and its personnel have no authority to exercise any control over any construction contractor or other entity or their employees in connection with their work or any health or safety precautions.
- (2) Except to the extent of specific site visits expressly detailed and set forth in Attachment A, the ENGINEER or its personnel shall have no obligation or responsibility to visit the construction site to become familiar with the progress or quality of the completed work on the PROJECT or to determine, in general, if the work on the PROJECT is being performed in a manner indicating that the

PROJECT, when completed, will be in accordance with the AGREEMENT Documents, nor shall anything in the AGREEMENT Documents or this AGREEMENT between CITY and ENGINEER be construed as requiring ENGINEER to make exhaustive or continuous on-site inspections to discover latent defects in the work or otherwise check the quality or quantity of the work on the PROJECT. If the ENGINEER makes on-site observation(s) of a deviation from the AGREEMENT Documents, the ENGINEER shall inform the CITY.

- (3) When professional certification of performance or characteristics of materials, systems or equipment is reasonably required to perform the services set forth in the Scope of Services, the ENGINEER shall be entitled to rely upon such certification to establish materials, systems or equipment and performance criteria to be required in the AGREEMENT Documents.

F. Opinions of Probable Cost, Financial Considerations, and Schedules

- (1) The ENGINEER shall provide opinions of probable costs based on the current available information at the time of preparation, in accordance with Attachment A.
- (2) In providing opinions of cost, financial analyses, economic feasibility projections, and schedules for the PROJECT, the ENGINEER has no control over cost or price of labor and materials; unknown or latent conditions of existing equipment or structures that may affect operation or maintenance costs; competitive bidding procedures and market conditions; time or quality of performance by third parties; quality, type, management, or direction of operating personnel; and other economic and operational factors that may materially affect the ultimate PROJECT cost or schedule. Therefore, the ENGINEER makes no warranty that the CITY's actual PROJECT costs, financial aspects, economic feasibility, or schedules will not vary from the ENGINEER's opinions, analyses, projections, or estimates.

G. Construction Progress Payments

Recommendations by the ENGINEER to the CITY for periodic construction progress payments to the construction contractor will be based on the ENGINEER's knowledge, information, and belief from selective sampling and observation that the work has progressed to the point indicated. Such recommendations do not represent that continuous or detailed examinations have been made by the ENGINEER to ascertain that the construction contractor has completed the work in exact accordance with the AGREEMENT Documents; that the final work will be acceptable in all respects; that the ENGINEER has made an examination to ascertain how or for what purpose the construction contractor has used the moneys paid; that title to any of the work, materials, or equipment has passed to the CITY free and clear of liens, claims, security interests, or encumbrances; or that there are not other matters at issue between the CITY and the construction contractor that affect the amount that should be paid.

H. Record Drawings

Record drawings, if required, will be prepared, in part, on the basis of information compiled and furnished by others, and may not always represent the exact location, type of various components, or exact manner in which the PROJECT was finally constructed. The ENGINEER is not responsible for any errors or omissions in the information from others that is incorporated into the record drawings.

I. Right to Audit

- (1) ENGINEER agrees that the CITY shall, until the expiration of five (5) years after final payment under this AGREEMENT, have access to and the right to examine and photocopy any directly pertinent books, documents, papers and records of the ENGINEER involving transactions relating to this AGREEMENT. ENGINEER agrees that the CITY shall have access during normal working hours to all necessary ENGINEER facilities and shall be provided adequate and appropriate work space in order to conduct audits in compliance with the provisions of this section. The CITY shall give ENGINEER reasonable advance notice of intended audits.
- (2) ENGINEER further agrees to include in all its subconsultant agreements hereunder a provision to the effect that the subconsultant agrees that the CITY shall, until the expiration of five (5) years after final payment under the subcontract, have access to and the right to examine and photocopy any directly pertinent books, documents, papers and records of such subconsultant, involving transactions to the subcontract, and further, that the CITY shall have access during normal working hours to all subconsultant facilities, and shall be provided adequate and appropriate work space, in order to conduct audits in compliance with the provisions of this section together with subsection (3) hereof. CITY shall give subconsultant reasonable advance notice of intended audits.
- (3) ENGINEER and subconsultant agree to photocopy such documents as may be requested by the CITY. The CITY agrees to reimburse ENGINEER for the cost of copies at the rate published in the Texas Administrative Code in effect as of the time copying is performed.

J. INSURANCE

(1) ENGINEER'S INSURANCE

- a. Commercial General Liability – the ENGINEER shall maintain commercial general liability (CGL) and, if necessary, commercial umbrella insurance with a limit of not less than \$1,000,000.00 per each occurrence with a \$2,000,000.00 aggregate. If such Commercial General Liability insurance contains a general aggregate limit, it shall apply separately to this PROJECT or location.
 - i. The CITY shall be included as an additional insured with all rights of defense under the CGL, using ISO additional insured endorsement or a substitute providing equivalent coverage, and under the commercial umbrella, if any. This insurance shall apply as primary insurance with respect to any other insurance or self-insurance programs afforded to the CITY. The Commercial General Liability insurance policy shall have no exclusions or endorsements that would alter or nullify: premises/operations, products/completed operations, contractual, personal injury, or advertising injury, which are normally contained within the policy, unless the CITY specifically approves such exclusions in writing.
 - ii. ENGINEER waives all rights against the CITY and its agents, officers, directors and employees for recovery of damages to the extent these damages are covered by the commercial general liability or commercial umbrella liability insurance maintained in accordance with this AGREEMENT.
- b. Business Auto – the ENGINEER shall maintain business auto liability and, if necessary, commercial umbrella liability insurance with a limit of not less than \$1,000,000 each accident. Such insurance shall cover liability arising out of “any auto”, including owned, hired, and non-owned autos, when said vehicle is used in the course of the PROJECT. If the engineer owns no vehicles, coverage for hired or non-owned is acceptable.
 - i. ENGINEER waives all rights against the CITY and its agents, officers, directors and employees for recovery of damages to the extent these damages are covered by the business auto liability or commercial umbrella liability insurance obtained by ENGINEER pursuant to this AGREEMENT or under any applicable auto physical damage coverage.
- c. Workers' Compensation – ENGINEER shall maintain workers compensation and employers liability insurance and, if necessary,

commercial umbrella liability insurance with a limit of not less than \$100,000.00 each accident for bodily injury by accident or \$100,000.00 each employee for bodily injury by disease, with \$500,000.00 policy limit.

- i. ENGINEER waives all rights against the CITY and its agents, officers, directors and employees for recovery of damages to the extent these damages are covered by workers compensation and employer's liability or commercial umbrella insurance obtained by ENGINEER pursuant to this AGREEMENT.
- d. Professional Liability – ENGINEER shall maintain professional liability, a claims-made policy, with a minimum of \$1,000,000.00 per claim and aggregate. The policy shall contain a retroactive date prior to the date of the AGREEMENT or the first date of services to be performed, whichever is earlier. Coverage shall be maintained for a period of 5 years following the completion of the AGREEMENT. An annual certificate of insurance specifically referencing this PROJECT shall be submitted to the CITY for each year following completion of the AGREEMENT.

(2) GENERAL INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

- a. Certificates of insurance evidencing that the ENGINEER has obtained all required insurance shall be attached to this AGREEMENT prior to its execution.
- b. Applicable policies shall be endorsed to name the CITY an Additional Insured thereon, subject to any defense provided by the policy, as its interests may appear. The term CITY shall include its employees, officers, officials, agents, and volunteers as respects the contracted services.
- c. Certificate(s) of insurance shall document that insurance coverage specified in this AGREEMENT are provided under applicable policies documented thereon.
- d. Any failure on part of the CITY to attach the required insurance documentation hereto shall not constitute a waiver of the insurance requirements.
- e. A minimum of thirty (30) days notice of cancellation or material change in coverage shall be provided to the CITY. A ten (10) days notice shall be acceptable in the event of non-payment of premium. Notice shall be sent to the respective Department Director (by name), City of Denton, 901 Texas Street, Denton, Texas 76209.
- f. Insurers for all policies must be authorized to do business in the State of

Texas and have a minimum rating of A:V or greater, in the current A.M. Best Key Rating Guide or have reasonably equivalent financial strength and solvency to the satisfaction of Risk Management.

- g. Any deductible or self insured retention in excess of \$25,000.00 that would change or alter the requirements herein is subject to approval by the CITY in writing, if coverage is not provided on a first-dollar basis. The CITY, at its sole discretion, may consent to alternative coverage maintained through insurance pools or risk retention groups. Dedicated financial resources or letters of credit may also be acceptable to the CITY.
- h. Applicable policies shall each be endorsed with a waiver of subrogation in favor of the CITY as respects the PROJECT.
- i. The CITY shall be entitled, upon its request and without incurring expense, to review the ENGINEER's insurance policies including endorsements thereto and, at the CITY's discretion; the ENGINEER may be required to provide proof of insurance premium payments.
- j. Lines of coverage, other than Professional Liability, underwritten on a claims-made basis, shall contain a retroactive date coincident with or prior to the date of the AGREEMENT. The certificate of insurance shall state both the retroactive date and that the coverage is claims-made.
- k. Coverages, whether written on an occurrence or claims-made basis, shall be maintained without interruption nor restrictive modification or changes from date of commencement of the PROJECT until final payment and termination of any coverage required to be maintained after final payments.
- l. The CITY shall not be responsible for the direct payment of any insurance premiums required by this AGREEMENT.
- m. Sub consultants and subcontractors to/of the ENGINEER shall be required by the ENGINEER to maintain the same or reasonably equivalent insurance coverage as required for the ENGINEER. When sub consultants/subcontractors maintain insurance coverage, ENGINEER shall provide CITY with documentation thereof on a certificate of insurance.

K. Independent Consultant

The ENGINEER agrees to perform all services as an independent consultant and not as a subcontractor, agent, or employee of the CITY. The doctrine of *respondeat superior* shall not apply.

L. Disclosure

The ENGINEER acknowledges to the CITY that it has made full disclosure in writing of any existing conflicts of interest or potential conflicts of interest, including personal financial interest, direct or indirect, in property abutting the proposed PROJECT and business relationships with abutting property cities. The ENGINEER further acknowledges that it will make disclosure in writing of any conflicts of interest that develop subsequent to the signing of this AGREEMENT and prior to final payment under the AGREEMENT.

M. Asbestos or Hazardous Substances

- (1) If asbestos or hazardous substances in any form are encountered or suspected, the ENGINEER will stop its own work in the affected portions of the PROJECT to permit testing and evaluation.
- (2) If asbestos or other hazardous substances are suspected, the CITY may request the ENGINEER to assist in obtaining the services of a qualified subcontractor to manage the remediation activities of the PROJECT.

N. Permitting Authorities - Design Changes

If permitting authorities require design changes so as to comply with published design criteria and/or current engineering practice standards which the ENGINEER should have been aware of at the time this AGREEMENT was executed, the ENGINEER shall revise plans and specifications, as required, at its own cost and expense. However, if design changes are required due to the changes in the permitting authorities' published design criteria and/or practice standards criteria which are published after the date of this AGREEMENT which the ENGINEER could not have been reasonably aware of, the ENGINEER shall notify the CITY of such changes and an adjustment in compensation will be made through an amendment to this AGREEMENT.

O. Schedule

ENGINEER shall manage the PROJECT in accordance with the schedule developed per Attachment A to this AGREEMENT.

P. Equal Opportunity

- (1) **Equal Employment Opportunity:** ENGINEER and ENGINEER's agents shall engage in any discriminatory employment practice. No person shall, on the grounds of race, sex, sexual orientation, age, disability, creed, color, genetic testing, or national origin, be refused the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any activities resulting from this AGREEMENT.
- (2) **Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Compliance:** ENGINEER and

ENGINEER's agents shall not engage in any discriminatory employment practice against individuals with disabilities as defined in the ADA.

SECTION 5

Obligations of the City

A. City-Furnished Data

ENGINEER may rely upon the accuracy, timeliness, and completeness of the information provided by the CITY.

B. Access to Facilities and Property

The CITY will make its facilities accessible to the ENGINEER as required for the ENGINEER's performance of its services. The CITY will perform, at no cost to the ENGINEER, such tests of equipment, machinery, pipelines, and other components of the CITY's facilities as may be required in connection with the ENGINEER's services. The CITY will be responsible for all acts of the CITY's personnel.

C. Advertisements, Permits, and Access

Unless otherwise agreed to in the Scope of Services, the CITY will obtain, arrange, and pay for all advertisements for bids; permits and licenses required by local, state, or federal authorities; and land, easements, rights-of-way, and access necessary for the ENGINEER's services or PROJECT construction.

D. Timely Review

The CITY will examine the ENGINEER's studies, reports, sketches, drawings, specifications, proposals, and other documents; obtain advice of an attorney, insurance counselor, accountant, auditor, bond and financial advisors, and other consultants as the CITY deems appropriate; and render in writing decisions required by the CITY in a timely manner in accordance with the PROJECT schedule prepared in accordance with Attachment A.

E. Prompt Notice

The CITY will give prompt written notice to the ENGINEER whenever CITY observes or becomes aware of any development that affects the scope or timing of the ENGINEER's services or of any defect in the work of the ENGINEER or construction contractors.

F. Asbestos or Hazardous Substances Release.

(1) CITY acknowledges ENGINEER will perform part of the work at CITY's

facilities that may contain hazardous materials, including asbestos containing materials, or conditions, and that ENGINEER had no prior role in the generation, treatment, storage, or disposition of such materials. In consideration of the associated risks that may give rise to claims by third parties or employees of City, City hereby releases ENGINEER from any damage or liability related to the presence of such materials.

- (2) The release required above shall not apply in the event the discharge, release or escape of hazardous substances, contaminants, or asbestos is a result of ENGINEER's negligence or if ENGINEER brings such hazardous substance, contaminant or asbestos onto the PROJECT.

G. Contractor Indemnification and Claims

The CITY agrees to include in all construction contracts the provisions of Article IV.E. regarding the ENGINEER's Personnel at Construction Site, and provisions providing for contractor indemnification of the CITY and the ENGINEER for contractor's negligence.

H. Contractor Claims and Third-Party Beneficiaries

- (1) The CITY agrees to include the following clause in all contracts with construction contractors and equipment or materials suppliers:

"Contractors, subcontractors and equipment and materials suppliers on the PROJECT, or their sureties, shall maintain no direct action against the ENGINEER, its officers, employees, and subcontractors, for any claim arising out of, in connection with, or resulting from the engineering services performed. Only the CITY will be the beneficiary of any undertaking by the ENGINEER."

- (2) This AGREEMENT gives no rights or benefits to anyone other than the CITY and the ENGINEER and there are no third-party beneficiaries.
- (3) The CITY will include in each agreement it enters into with any other entity or person regarding the PROJECT a provision that such entity or person shall have no third-party beneficiary rights under this AGREEMENT.
- (4) Nothing contained in this Section H. shall be construed as a waiver of any right the CITY has to bring a claim against ENGINEER.

I. CITY's Insurance

- (1) The CITY may maintain property insurance on certain pre-existing structures associated with the PROJECT.
- (2) The CITY may secure Builders Risk/Installation insurance at the replacement

cost value of the PROJECT. The CITY may provide ENGINEER a copy of the policy or documentation of such on a certificate of insurance.

J. Litigation Assistance

The Scope of Services does not include costs of the ENGINEER for required or requested assistance to support, prepare, document, bring, defend, or assist in litigation undertaken or defended by the CITY. In the event CITY requests such services of the ENGINEER, this AGREEMENT shall be amended or a separate agreement will be negotiated between the parties.

K. Changes

The CITY may make or approve changes within the general Scope of Services in this AGREEMENT. If such changes affect the ENGINEER's cost of or time required for performance of the services, an equitable adjustment will be made through an amendment to this AGREEMENT with appropriate CITY approval.

SECTION 6 **General Legal Provisions**

A. Authorization to Proceed

ENGINEER shall be authorized to proceed with this AGREEMENT upon receipt of a written Notice to Proceed from the CITY.

B. Reuse of Project Documents

All designs, drawings, specifications, documents, and other work products of the ENGINEER, whether in hard copy or in electronic form, are instruments of service for this PROJECT, whether the PROJECT is completed or not. Reuse, change, or alteration by the CITY or by others acting through or on behalf of the CITY of any such instruments of service without the written permission of the ENGINEER will be at the CITY's sole risk. The CITY shall own the final designs, drawings, specifications and documents.

C. Force Majeure

The ENGINEER is not responsible for damages or delay in performance caused by acts of God, strikes, lockouts, accidents, or other events beyond the control of the ENGINEER that prevent ENGINEER's performance of its obligations hereunder.

D. Termination

(1) This AGREEMENT may be terminated:

- a. by the City for its convenience upon 30 days' written notice to ENGINEER.
 - b. by either the CITY or the ENGINEER for cause if either party fails substantially to perform through no fault of the other and the nonperforming party does not commence correction of such nonperformance within 5 days' written notice or thereafter fails to diligently complete the correction.
- (2) If this AGREEMENT is terminated for the convenience of the City, the ENGINEER will be paid for termination expenses as follows:
- a. Cost of reproduction of partial or complete studies, plans, specifications or other forms of ENGINEER'S work product;
 - b. Out-of-pocket expenses for purchasing electronic data files and other data storage supplies or services;
 - c. The time requirements for the ENGINEER'S personnel to document the work underway at the time of the CITY'S termination for convenience so that the work effort is suitable for long time storage.
- (3) Prior to proceeding with termination services, the ENGINEER will submit to the CITY an itemized statement of all termination expenses. The CITY'S approval will be obtained in writing prior to proceeding with termination services.

E. Suspension, Delay, or Interruption to Work

The CITY may suspend, delay, or interrupt the services of the ENGINEER for the convenience of the CITY. In the event of such suspension, delay, or interruption, an equitable adjustment in the PROJECT's schedule, commitment and cost of the ENGINEER's personnel and subcontractors, and ENGINEER's compensation will be made.

F. Indemnification

IN ACCORDANCE WITH TEXAS LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 271.904, THE ENGINEER SHALL INDEMNIFY OR HOLD HARMLESS THE CITY AGAINST LIABILITY FOR ANY DAMAGE COMMITTED BY THE ENGINEER OR ENGINEER'S AGENT, CONSULTANT UNDER CONTRACT, OR ANOTHER ENTITY OVER WHICH THE ENGINEER EXERCISES CONTROL TO THE EXTENT THAT THE DAMAGE IS CAUSED BY OR RESULTING FROM AN ACT OF NEGLIGENCE, INTENTIONAL TORT, INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY INFRINGEMENT, OR FAILURE TO PAY A SUBCONTRACTOR OR SUPPLIER. CITY IS ENTITLED TO RECOVER ITS REASONABLE ATTORNEY'S FEES IN PROPORTION TO THE ENGINEER'S LIABILITY.

G. Assignment

Neither party shall assign all or any part of this AGREEMENT without the prior written consent of the other party.

H. Jurisdiction

The law of the State of Texas shall govern the validity of this AGREEMENT, its interpretation and performance, and any other claims related to it. The venue for any litigation related to this AGREEMENT shall be Denton County, Texas.

I. Severability and Survival

If any of the provisions contained in this AGREEMENT are held for any reason to be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable in any respect, such invalidity, illegality, or unenforceability will not affect any other provision, and this AGREEMENT shall be construed as if such invalid, illegal, or unenforceable provision had never been contained herein. Sections 5.F., 6.B., 6.D., 6.F., 6.H., and 6.I. shall survive termination of this AGREEMENT for any cause.

J. Observe and Comply

ENGINEER shall at all times observe and comply with all federal and State laws and regulations and with all City ordinances and regulations which in any way affect this AGREEMENT and the work hereunder, and shall observe and comply with all orders, laws ordinances and regulations which may exist or may be enacted later by governing bodies having jurisdiction or authority for such enactment. No plea of misunderstanding or ignorance thereof shall be considered. **ENGINEER AGREES TO DEFEND, INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS CITY AND ALL OF ITS OFFICERS, AGENTS AND EMPLOYEES FROM AND AGAINST ALL CLAIMS OR LIABILITY ARISING OUT OF THE VIOLATION OF ANY SUCH ORDER, LAW, ORDINANCE, OR REGULATION, WHETHER IT BE BY ITSELF OR ITS EMPLOYEES.**

K. Immigration Nationality Act

ENGINEER shall verify the identity and employment eligibility of its employees who perform work under this AGREEMENT, including completing the Employment Eligibility Verification Form (I-9). Upon request by CITY, ENGINEER shall provide CITY with copies of all I-9 forms and supporting eligibility documentation for each employee who performs work under this AGREEMENT. ENGINEER shall adhere to all Federal and State laws as well as establish appropriate procedures and controls so that no services will be performed by any ENGINEER employee who is not legally eligible to perform such services. **ENGINEER SHALL INDEMNIFY CITY AND HOLD CITY HARMLESS FROM ANY PENALTIES, LIABILITIES, OR LOSSES DUE TO VIOLATIONS OF THIS PARAGRAPH BY ENGINEER, ENGINEER'S EMPLOYEES, SUBCONTRACTORS, AGENTS, OR LICENSEES.** CITY, upon written notice to ENGINEER, shall have the

right to immediately terminate this AGREEMENT for violations of this provision by ENGINEER.

L. Prohibition on Contracts with Companies Boycotting Israel

Engineer acknowledges that in accordance with Chapter 2271 of the Texas Government Code, City is prohibited from entering into a contract with a company for goods or services unless the contract contains a written verification from the company that it: (1) does not boycott Israel; and (2) will not boycott Israel during the term of the contract. The terms “boycott Israel” and “company” shall have the meanings ascribed to those terms in Section 808.001 of the Texas Government Code. ***By signing this agreement, Engineer certifies that Engineer’s signature provides written verification to the City that Engineer: (1) does not boycott Israel; and (2) will not boycott Israel during the term of the agreement.*** Failure to meet or maintain the requirements under this provision will be considered a material breach.

M. Prohibition on Contracts with Companies Doing Business with Iran, Sudan, or a Foreign Terrorist Organization

Sections 2252 and 2270 of the Texas Government Code restricts CITY from contracting with companies that do business with Iran, Sudan, or a foreign terrorist organization. ***By signing this agreement, Engineer certifies that Engineer’s signature provides written verification to the City that Engineer, pursuant to Chapters 2252 and 2270, is not ineligible to enter into this agreement and will not become ineligible to receive payments under this agreement by doing business with Iran, Sudan, or a foreign terrorist organization.*** Failure to meet or maintain the requirements under this provision will be considered a material breach.

N. Prohibition on Contracts with Companies Boycotting Certain Energy Companies

Engineer acknowledges that in accordance with Chapter 2274 of the Texas Government Code, City is prohibited from entering into a contract with a company for goods or services unless the contract contains written verification from the company that it (1) does not boycott energy companies; and (2) will not boycott energy companies during the term of the contract. The terms “boycott energy company” and “company” shall have the meanings ascribed to those terms in Section 809.001 of the Texas Government Code. ***By signing this agreement, Engineer certifies that Engineer’s signature provides written verification to the City that Engineer: (1) does not boycott energy companies; and (2) will not boycott energy companies during the term of the agreement.*** Failure to meet or maintain the requirements under this provision will be considered a material breach.

O. Prohibition on Contracts with Companies Boycotting Certain Firearm Entities and Firearm Trade Associations

Engineer acknowledges that in accordance with Chapter 2274 of the Texas Government Code, City is prohibited from entering into a contract with a company for goods or services unless the contract contains written verification from the company that it (1) does not have a practice, policy, guidance, or directive that discriminates against a firearm entity or firearm trade association; and (2) will not discriminate during the term of the contract against a firearm entity or firearm trade association. The terms “discriminate against a firearm entity or firearm trade association,” “firearm entity” and “firearm trade association” shall have the meanings ascribed to those terms in Chapter 2274 of the Texas Government Code. ***By signing this agreement, Engineer certifies that Engineer’s signature provides written verification to the City that Engineer: (1) does not have a practice, policy, guidance, or directive that discriminates against a firearm entity or firearm trade association; and (2) will not discriminate during the term of the contract against a firearm entity or firearm trade association.*** Failure to meet or maintain the requirements under this provision will be considered a material breach.

P. Termination Right for Contracts with Companies Doing Business with Certain Foreign-Owned Companies

The City of Denton may terminate this Contract immediately without any further liability if the City of Denton determines, in its sole judgment, that this Contract meets the requirements under Chapter 2274, and Engineer is, or will be in the future, (i) owned by or the majority of stock or other ownership interest of the company is held or controlled by individuals who are citizens of China, Iran, North Korea, Russia, or other designated country (ii) directly controlled by the Government of China, Iran, North Korea, Russia, or other designated country, or (iii) is headquartered in China, Iran, North Korea, Russia, or other designated country.

Q. Prohibition Against Personal Interest in Contracts

No officer, employee, independent consultant, or elected official of the City who is involved in the development, evaluation, or decision-making process of the performance of any solicitation shall have a financial interest, direct or indirect, in the Contract resulting from that solicitation as defined in the City’s Ethic Ordinance 23-1165 and in the City Charter chapter 2 article XI(Ethics). Any willful violation of this section shall constitute impropriety in office, and any officer or employee guilty thereof shall be subject to disciplinary action up to and including dismissal. Any violation of this provision, with the knowledge, expressed or implied, of the Contractor shall render the Contract voidable by the City. The Contractor shall complete and submit the City’s Conflict of Interest Questionnaire.

R. Certificate of Interested Parties Electronic Filing

In 2015, the Texas Legislature adopted House Bill 1295, which added section 2252.908 of the Government Code. The law states that the City may not enter into this contract

unless the Contractor submits a disclosure of interested parties (Form 1295) to the City at the time the Contractor submits the signed contract. The Texas Ethics Commission has adopted rules requiring the business entity to file Form 1295 electronically with the Commission.

Contractor will be required to furnish a Certificate of Interest Parties before the contract is awarded, in accordance with Government Code 2252.908.

The contractor shall:

1. Log onto the State Ethics Commission Website at :
<https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/filinginfo/1295/>
2. Register utilizing the tutorial provided by the State
3. Print a copy of the completed Form 1295
4. Enter the Certificate Number on page 2 of this contract.
5. Complete and sign the Form 1295
6. Email the form to purchasing@cityofdenton.com with the contract number in the subject line. (EX: Contract 1234 – Form 1295)

The City must acknowledge the receipt of the filed Form 1295 not later than the 30th day after Council award. Once a Form 1295 is acknowledged, it will be posted to the Texas Ethics Commission's website within seven business days.

S. Agreement Documents

This AGREEMENT, including its attachments and schedules, constitutes the entire AGREEMENT, which supersedes all prior written or oral understandings, and may only be changed by a written amendment executed by both parties. This AGREEMENT may be executed in one or more counterparts and each counterpart shall, for all purposes, be deemed an original, but all such counterparts shall together constitute but one and the same instrument. The following attachments and schedules are hereby made a part of this AGREEMENT:

Attachment A - Scope of Services, Compensation, Project Schedule & Location Map

These documents make up the AGREEMENT documents and what is called for by one shall be as binding as if called for by all. In the event of an inconsistency or conflict in any of the provisions of the AGREEMENT documents, the inconsistency or conflict shall be resolved by giving precedence first to the written AGREEMENT then to the AGREEMENT documents in the order in which they are listed above.

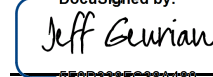
The parties agree to transact business electronically. Any statutory requirements that certain terms be in writing will be satisfied using electronic documents and signing. Electronic signing of this document will be deemed an original for all legal purposes.

Duly executed by each party's designated representative to be effective on _____.

BY:
CITY OF DENTON, TEXAS

Sara Hensley, City Manager

BY:
ENGINEER
CEI Engineering Associates, Inc.

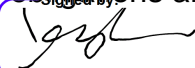
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President/CEO
Authorized Agent, Title

Full Name: Jeff Geurian

TEXAS ETHICS COMMISSION
CERTIFICATE NUMBER

THIS AGREEMENT HAS BEEN
BOTH REVIEWED AND APPROVED
as to financial and operational
obligations and business terms.



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Signature

Director of Parks and Recreation

Title

Parks and recreation

Department

Date Signed: _____

ATTEST:
LAUREN THODEN, CITY SECRETARY

BY: _____

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:
MACK REINWAND, CITY ATTORNEY

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CEI Contact: Ryan Evitts, Dept. Manager (revitts@ceieng.com)

City of Denton
North / South Lakes Kayak Facilities
Proposal for Professional Consulting Services
May 7, 2025
CEI # 93000 - 10103

I. PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Thank you for the opportunity to present this professional services agreement for Landscape Architecture and Engineering services for the City of Denton (Client) kayak launch at the South Lakes and North Lakes Parks respective.

The scope of work and project locations as indicated in the 8630 RFQ Scope of Work and discussed with the Client on March 5th are to include:

- **South Lakes Park:** 556 Hobson Lane, Denton, TX 76205
 - Survey, regulatory and environmental permitting, and design documents for ADA sidewalk connection (to navigate pond dam) and kayak launch.
- **North Lakes Park:** 2001 W Windsor Drive, Denton, TX 76201
 - Survey, regulatory and environmental permitting, and design documents for new ADA parking stall(s), sidewalk connection to proposed kayak launch.

The following assumptions have been made during the development of this proposal.

- Existing survey is not available and CEI will survey proposed improvement areas.
- Existing site base information is available in compatible CAD format, if unavailable CEI will develop using aerial imagery.
- Connections to or extension of existing utility infrastructure are not required.

This proposal is structured to include *Scope of Basic Services* and *Scope of Additional Services*. Basic Services are believed to be the primary Client need under the Phase I Planning and Design Allowable Costs of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Boating Access Grant Program supplemental information. Information developed in the basic services phase are understood to be used by the Client to request Phase II funding authorization for construction related activities.

All fees for consulting services are provided as a lump sum and exclude reimbursable expenses unless specifically indicated otherwise. Reimbursable expenses have been projected based on similar projects.

II. SCOPE OF BASIC SERVICES

A. Topographic Survey

CEI to perform a Topographical Survey of proposed site improvement areas as shown in Exhibits A-B, consisting of 1' contours derived from a digital terrain model and shown in accordance with the National Mapping Standards. Topographic survey will include above-ground physicals and underground utilities. Location of underground utilities will be based on evidence found during the survey, markings by One Call service, and utility plans provided by Client.

North Lakes	\$ 6,000.00
South Lakes	\$ 6,000.00

B. Environmental / Cultural Resource Permitting Compliance
CEI will retain Integrated Environmental Solutions, LLC to fulfill environmental permitting requirements as outlined by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Boat Access Grant Program including obtaining all necessary permits to ensure compliance with federal, state, and local regulations per *Attachment A: Scope of Services*. The attachment provides a full list of services provided by IES.

North Lakes	\$ 7,300.00
South Lakes	\$ 7,300.00

C. Construction Plans/OPCC/ Specifications/Stormwater PPP (SWPPP)

30% Schematic Design
Preparation of schematic design based on Client provided site programming, survey, and other publicly available data and resources. Schematic design will be coordinated with various agencies for initial comment regarding permitting requirements and workflow process. CEI will provide a project narrative and summary of environmental and regulatory permitting requirements and 30% plans to include cover sheet, site plan, limited grading, and preliminary manufacture details. A 30% Opinion of Probable Construction Cost (OPCC) will be developed and provided for Client Review.

Construction Plans & OPCC Updates
Upon review and approval of 30% schematic design CEI will prepare construction plans and associated details. Plans and opinion of probable construction cost will be submitted for Client review at 60% and 90% completion milestones. *(If an alternate design is requested after 60% plan approval, revisions will incur additional fees, subject to negotiation with the Client prior to commencing work.)*

Upon client approval of 90% document review, plans will be submitted for internal City review. All final design review comments will be addressed in this phase, leading to the approval of the 100% plans.

Specifications & Stormwater PPP (SWPPP)
Scope to include development of construction specifications and required documentation for a Small Site Notice for construction projects that disturb less than 5 acres of land as required by Texas Commission of Environmental Quality. We anticipate the primary construction activity to be less than 1-acre; however, site access routes and material staging will likely require expanded limits of disturbance requiring a Small Site Notice.

Permitting / Coordination / Project Administration
CEI will provide comprehensive project management and coordination services throughout the project, including regular meetings with the Client and relevant stakeholders to ensure the project is progressing according to schedule and meeting all design and budgetary expectations. These meetings may occur in person, via video conference, or through other agreed-upon communication methods. Additionally, CEI will provide all necessary administrative support, including document management, project scheduling, and coordination with sub-consultants and regulatory agencies.

Plans, and applicable permitting information will be submitted to Authorities Having Jurisdiction for review and approval including but not limited to: City of Denton, USACE, TCEQ, and TDLR/RAS.

North Lakes	\$ 20,400.00
South Lakes	\$ 24,400.00

D. Reimbursable Expenses
The scope of services listed above is intended as fee only and does not include reimbursable expenses such as application fees, reprographics, postage, mileage, etc. See Section VI of this agreement for an explanation of reimbursable expenses that may be incurred during production of project documents and permitting approval.

North Lakes	\$2,800
South Lakes	\$2,800
North Lakes Total Basic Service Fees	\$ 36,500.00
South Lakes Total Basic Service Fees	\$ 40,500.00

III. SCOPE OF ADDITIONAL SERVICES (AS REQUIRED)

CEI is available to provide the below listed services based on award of Phase II grant funding or as directed by Client. These services are not interpreted to be completed as part of Phase I; below scope segments and descriptions are provided as a courtesy. Final scope definition and fee will be negotiated with the Client at a later date.

A. Bidding and Contract Negotiations
CEI will provide required bidding support as requested by Client. Services to include *bidding, coordination and administration, review of contractor qualifications, and recommendation of award.* We assume bidding with be done by/for Client. If bidding is to be done through an outside entity, additional cost will be required.

Fees \$ TBD

B. Construction Observation and Administration
CEI is available as needed by Client to provide limited construction observation and administration during the construction phase of this project. Said services, which may also include Client-directed plan changes or other revision, shall commence upon final approval by the jurisdictional authorities. Required site observation for this project is anticipated to be minimal; the scope of services estimated below may be adjusted for more frequent site visits as requested by Client. Such services may include but are not limited to *pre-construction meetings with governmental entities or project team, reviewing contractor submittals, responding to contractor requests for information, construction observation as requested or required by the municipality, project record drawings, and final project site closeout* as may be required.

Construction staking and as-built surveys are not included in this proposal, but those services are available to the Owner or Contractor upon request as an additional service.

Fees \$ TBD
Construction Administration fees are charged only for services related to contractor support, such as responses to Requests for Information (RFIs) or coordination of services such as testing or municipal inspections, services or revisions as requested by Client, or as required for jurisdictional acceptance. Fees are based on the established construction duration and miscellaneous administration expenses.

IV. RESPONSIBILITY OF CLIENT

Client shall provide to CEI, the following items:

A. Retainer

No retainer is required for this project. A credit limit has been established for Client on this specific project and timely payments are required in order to avoid a cessation of work. This retainer shall be held and then applied to the final bill of this project. Payment for services shall not be dependent on receipt of reimbursement from other parties.

B. Project Documents

Client shall provide the following:

1. Any prior topographic survey in compatible AutoCAD format.
2. Existing base maps in compatible AutoCAD format if available.
3. Environmental Site Assessment (ESA) Report(s) associated with prior work.
4. Geotechnical Investigation Report with site grading and pavement recommendations.

C. Lien Releases

If the Client requests lien releases, the Client shall be responsible for the administrative costs, associated with processing lien releases at a rate of \$100.00 per release.

D. Engineer's Consent to Assign Documents

If the Client or the Client's financial institution requests an Engineer's Consent to Assign Document (or similar), the Client shall be responsible for the administrative costs associated with the processing and the added risk to CEI or the inability to control such risk imposed by non-contractual financial entity's consignment documentation, at a cost of \$1,000.00 per consent document. Execution of this agreement does not limit CEI's right to negotiate an assignment that is fair and reasonable for itself and the Client, nor does it guarantee agreement to all assignment terms.

V. SERVICES NOT INCLUDED / ADDITIONAL SERVICES

In addition to the services described above, CEI is capable and available to provide the following services on an "as requested" basis. An Extra Work Authorization (EWA) form or contract amendment will be issued for any services outside the scope of this proposal. All EWA's or contract amendments will be approved and signed by the Client identified herein prior to beginning work. All additional services will be performed on an hourly basis per the current Schedule of Charges.

- Preparation of perspectives, and models
- Preparation/presentation of conditional or special use permit applications
- Obtaining new or updated title policies
- Platting/replatting
- Preparation of easement and right of way documents, including new and vacations/abandonments
- Preparation of covenant and development agreements
- Design and plan preparation for major stormwater drainage improvements or relocations (e.g. box culverts, large ditches, and storm sewers greater than 4-foot in diameter)
- Preparations of flood studies, elevation certificates, FEMA applications or permits
- Design and plan preparation for offsite utility extensions other than those immediately adjacent to the project site
- Design and plan preparation for offsite street improvements, such as road widenings, acceleration/deceleration lanes, and medians (*design/plans for both curb cuts and municipal sidewalks along the site frontage will be included in the basic services for design projects*)
- Preparation of retaining wall design/plans
- Photometric design/preparation of site lighting plans
- Construction staking
- As-built survey/preparation of final record drawings

Boundary Issues

Boundary determinations often disclose unseen or unknown conflicts between record documents and/or the location of physical improvements. Thus, in the process of conducting the research, field

work, and/or analysis, if the surveyor identifies a possible boundary or title conflict, a sketch showing the revealed conditions will be prepared and a meeting with the client and affected neighbors (if desired) will be scheduled. Following the meeting, if the client wishes to engage the surveyor to assist in pursuing resolution of the problem as a consultant, expert and/or formal or informal mediator, the contract will be modified accordingly. Otherwise the client will be invoiced only for the time expended to that point, and work on the survey will be suspended until or unless the client is able to resolve the issue by agreement or litigation, at which time a subsequent contract may be executed to complete the survey pursuant to that agreement or litigation.

VI. SCHEDULE OF CHARGES

Charges for our services are divided into three categories: Labor, Consultants, and Reimbursable Expenses.

LABOR: For fees billed on an hourly basis, labor charges are billed by category as follows:

CEI (02-01-25)

Officer / Branch Manager	\$ 245.00
Department Manager	\$ 225.00
Client Sector Leader	\$ 215.00
Senior Project Manager	\$ 215.00
Program Manager	\$ 205.00
Project Manager	\$ 190.00
Assistant Project Manager	\$ 150.00
Senior Project Engineer	\$ 210.00
Project Engineer	\$ 180.00
Assistant Project Engineer	\$ 145.00
Civil Designer	\$ 135.00
Registered Landscape Architect	\$ 165.00
Lead Landscape Designer	\$ 135.00
Landscape Designer	\$ 130.00
Project Surveyor	\$ 175.00
Assistant Project Surveyor	\$ 140.00
Survey Project Manager	\$ 170.00
Assistant Survey Project Manager	\$ 135.00
Sr. Survey Party Chief	\$ 125.00
Survey Party Chief	\$ 100.00
Survey Technician	\$ 110.00
Field Specialist	\$ 90.00
Senior Project Designer	\$ 165.00
Project Designer	\$ 135.00
CAD Designer	\$ 115.00
CAD Technician	\$ 100.00
Construction Manager	\$ 150.00
Construction Observer	\$ 115.00
Land Acquisition Manager	\$ 165.00
Land Acquisition Agent	\$ 140.00
Project Coordinator	\$ 130.00
Program Assistant	\$ 95.00
Administrative Assistant	\$ 80.00

SUB-CONSULTANT SERVICES: In cases where CEI retains another consultant to provide services outside of our area of practice, cost of such services will be charged at 110% of actual invoice cost.

REIMBURSABLE EXPENSES: Outside services, and related materials, will be charged at the actual invoice cost. In addition, direct out-of-pocket costs such as postage, delivery services, travel (other than vehicle mileage), and subsistence expenses will be charged at actual costs. Vehicle mileage is billed at the applicable I.R.S. rate allowed per mile.

All impact, permitting, expediting, and review fees will be charged at 15% over the cost of the fee unless the client is willing to pay those fees directly to the service provider.

REVENUE RECOGNITION

The intellectual services and resulting instruments of service (Scope of Basic Services and any subsequently agreed amendments or additions) provided by this Agreement whether in various stages of completeness or in whole are considered earned by CEI in its performance obligation to Client as prescribed by said Agreement and deemed usable by Client at the time they are earned, cost incurred, and progressively billed. Further, at time of received payment from Client, Client acknowledges its possession of, acceptance, and confirms its legal right to use said intellectual services and resulting instruments of service, in part or in whole, for the specific intent they were provided.

VII. CREDIT POLICY

Invoices will be rendered monthly, either as final or progress billing. CEI payment terms are net 30 days. Invoices past 30 days due will be subject to a monthly service charge, which will be assessed in compliance with state usury laws. Should the account be placed for collection with an outside collector, the cost of such collections will be added to the principal amount owed. CEI may stop work on any account that is 60 days delinquent. In the event that CEI elects to stop work as provided herein, Client will be assessed a resumption of work charge equal to 20% of the total contract amount. Said resumption of work charge and all outstanding invoices must be paid in full by Client prior to the resumption of work on the project. Client agrees that the balance as stated on the invoice from CEI to Client is correct, conclusive, and binding on the Client unless Client within thirty (30) days from the date of the receipt of the invoice notifies CEI in writing of the particular item that is alleged to be incorrect.

VIII. APPROVAL SIGNATURE AND AUTHORIZATION TO PROCEED

Execution of this document in all required locations shall form the entire Professional Services Agreement between the Client and CEI. This Proposal and Agreement shall be executed by both parties, with both parties receiving a fully executed copy thereof. A copy of the executed Agreement shall be equally binding as the original.

In the event that the Client issues a notice to proceed to CEI prior to the execution of this contract, the Client acknowledges that the services rendered by CEI will be in accordance with the terms and conditions contained in this proposal.

In the event that the Client instructs services on the contract/agreement to be on hold for a period greater than forty-five days, Client acknowledges that CEI will not proceed until a new contract between CEI and the client can be executed.

This proposal shall become null and void if signatures have not been obtained within forty-five days of proposal date. If authorization to proceed is not given after the proposal has been executed said agreement will become null and void within forty-five days of the date of the Client's signature.

The following is the complete Contracting Entity (Client) name and address that is responsible for this contract, its terms and conditions, and for payment of CEI invoices:

Contracting Entity Name (Client) include its business structure of INC, LLC, LP, etc.
Responsible for contract terms, conditions, obligations and payment

Complete mailing address for invoicing and/or receiving notification (Street / PO Box/ Suite number, if required)

City / State / Zip

Complete Phone Number

Signature - legally authorized to bind
Contracting Entity

Print Name

Title

Date

Ryan Y. Evitts

Department Manager

05/07/2025

Signature, CEI Engineering Associates, Inc.

Print Name

Title

Date

EXHIBIT A

North Lake Kayak Park-approximately 5.8 acres



Exhibit "B"

South Lake Kayak Park-approximately 5.0 acres



Location

The proposed project is associated with proposed park improvements within North Lakes Park and South Lakes Park in the City of Denton. The proposed projects are associated with installing ADA accessible kayak launches and associated parking and sidewalks. North Lakes Park is located at 2001 West Windsor Drive and South Lakes Park is located at 556 Hobson Lane. Integrated Environmental Solutions, LLC (IES) was the project limits on 20 March 2025, which are illustrated in yellow on the below graphic.



North Lakes Park – Yellow Depicts Project Area



South Lakes Park – Yellow Depicts Project Area

Introduction

Cultural Resources

As the City of Denton and Texas Parks and Wildlife Department are political entities of the State of Texas, it is required to comply with the Antiquities Code of Texas (ACT). The ACT was passed in 1969 and requires that the Texas Historical Commission (THC) staff review an action that has the potential to disturb historic and archeological sites on public land. Actions that need review under the ACT include any project that will have cumulative ground-disturbing activities greater than 5 acres or 5,000 cubic yards on land owned or controlled by a state political subdivision and include easements on private property. For example, projects that could require review include reservoirs constructed by river authorities and water districts; construction of recreational parks or the expansion of existing facilities by city governments; energy exploration by private companies on public land; and construction by a city or county government. However, if the activity occurs inside a designated historic district, affects a recorded archeological site, or requires onsite investigations the project will need to be reviewed by the THC regardless of project size.

Clean Water Act

Jurisdictional waters of the United States are protected under guidelines outlined in Sections 401 and 404 of the Clean Water Act (CWA), and in Executive Order 11990 (Protection of Wetlands). The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) has the primary regulatory authority for enforcing Section 404 requirements for waters of the United States, including wetlands. According to the 2023 Supreme Court of the United States Sackett Decision waters of the United States include:

- All relatively permanent waters connected to a traditional interstate navigable waters, and
- All wetlands that have a continuous surface connection with that water, making it difficult to determine where the 'water' ends and the 'wetland' begins.

The 2007 USACE and EPA guidance defined a "relatively permanent water" will be used. According to this guidance relatively permanent waters are non-navigable tributaries of traditional navigable waters that flow year-round or have continuous flow at least seasonally (e.g., typically three months).

Activities requiring construction (i.e., earthwork, placing fill, excavating, constructing dams, diverting creeks, channelizing creeks, etc.) within waters of the United States generally require a permit from the USACE. The type of permit depends upon the activity and the water resources affected. Typical permits include Nationwide Permits, Regional General Permits, Letters of Permission, and Individual Permits, ranked from simple to complex, respectively.

Description of Services

Task 1 – Cultural Resources Desktop Analysis and THC Coordination

Per the requirements of the Antiquities Code of Texas, projects with more than 5,000 cubic yards of ground disturbance require review by the THC. Coordination with the THC will be through the submittal of a desktop analysis, which will provide analysis and information pertaining to:

- Project location and design,
- Soils;
- Topography and geology;
- Known archeological sites, National Register properties and districts, historic-aged buildings and structures, cemeteries, and historical markers within the project area;
- Previously conducted archeological surveys within one-mile of the project area;
- Cultural resources probability assessment; and
- Recommendations

As a result of the coordination established through Task 1, the THC will state whether: 1) a historically significant site is likely to be present at the project location, 2) additional action, if any, is needed to protect the site, and 3) an archeological survey is necessary. It is anticipated that the proposed projects will receive a Concurrence that No Historic Properties will be Affected.

Task 1 - Waters of the United States Delineation and USACE Coordination

IES will provide professional services to delineate all waters of the United States, including wetlands, within the project site. IES wetland ecologist will delineate the jurisdictional limits of the streams based on 33 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 328.3[e] and delineate the jurisdictional limits of any wetlands based on the 1987 USACE Wetland Delineation Manual and the Regional Supplement to the Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation Manual: Great Plains Region (Version 2.0), and any current Regulatory Guidance Letters. The boundaries of all of these water features identified in the field will be recorded with a Global

Positioning System (GPS) that is capable of sub-meter accuracy. After the delineation is completed, IES will digitize these waters of the United States for use by the client for planning, impact calculation, and illustration purposes. This delineation will be provided to the engineer/client for inclusion in their engineering plans to avoid and minimize impacts to waters of the United States (if any are present on the site). The deliverable for this task is a delineation report that includes methods, results, and conclusions, along with the necessary data forms, photographs, maps, and a delineation map. The conclusion of this report will detail why any water features on the site are or are not considered waters of the United States.

It is anticipated that the proposed project will not have a regulated activity (i.e., there is no anticipated dredged or fill material to be discharged into waters of the United States. As such, IES will draft a letter to the USACE that summarizes the delineation of waters of the United States, proposed activities, and request the USACE review the project and conclude "No Permit Required" determination.

Information Furnished by Client

The client (or its representative) will provide a site plan; parking and sidewalk layouts, profile and cross-section; digital boundaries; and rights of entry to the project.

Special Conditions

This cost proposal is valid if it is executed within 60 days of proposal date.

This scope of services only covers the project area and scope described herein and does not provide for extensions, or expansions. If any changes are made to the project area and scope of services, IES reserves the right to change and resubmit a revised cost proposal.

This scope of services assumes that the THC will concur that no survey is required; therefore, conducting a pedestrian survey for cultural resources is specifically excluded. Similarly, this scope of services assumes that there will not be a regulated activity and as such IES will not prepare a Preconstruction Notification to the USACE. Finally, IES assumes that the City of Denton will not require the project to map the Environmentally Sensitive Areas (ESA) or prepare an Alternate ESA plan for the project; these are specifically excluded from this scope.

This scope of services assumes that there are no federal nexus (i.e., Section 404 of the Clean Water Act permitting) will be required for the project. Also, this scope of work assumes that there will not be any excavations for deeply buried sites required (i.e., backhoe trenching).

The client is responsible for securing ROE for the pedestrian survey for all portions of the project area prior to IES being given notice-to-proceed (NTP) with fieldwork.

CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE -**FORM CIQ****For vendor or other person doing business with local governmental entity****This questionnaire reflects changes made to the law by H.B. 23, 84th Leg., Regular Session.**

This questionnaire is being filed in accordance with Chapter 176, Local Government Code, by a vendor who has a business relationship as defined by Section 176.001(1-a) with a local governmental entity and the vendor meets requirements under Section 176.006(a) and by City of Denton Ethics Code, Ordinance 18-757.

By law this questionnaire must be filed with the records administrator of the local government entity not later than the 7th business day after the date the vendor becomes aware of facts that require the statement to be filed. See Section 176.006(a-1), Local Government Code.

A vendor commits an offense if the vendor knowingly violates Section 176.006, Local Government Code. An offense under this section is a misdemeanor.

1 Name of vendor who has a business relationship with local governmental entity.

CEI Engineering Associates, Inc.

2 ☐ **Check this box if you are filing an update to a previously filed questionnaire.**

(The law requires that you file an updated completed questionnaire with the appropriate filing authority not later than the 7th business day after the date on which you became aware that the originally filed questionnaire was incomplete or inaccurate.)

3 Name of local government officer about whom the information in this section is being disclosed._____
Name of Officer

Describe each employment or other business relationship with the local government officer, or a family member of the officer, as described by Section 176.003(a)(2)(A). Also describe any family relationship with the local government officer. This section, (item 3 including subparts A, B, C & D), must be completed for each officer with whom the vendor has an employment or other business relationship as defined by Section 176.001(1-a), Local Government Code. Attach additional pages to this Form CIQ as necessary.

A. Is the local government officer named in this section receiving or likely to receive taxable income, other than investment income, from the vendor?

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Yes

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No

B. Is the vendor receiving or likely to receive taxable income, other than investment income, from or at the direction of the local government officer named in this section AND the taxable income is not received from the local governmental entity?

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Yes

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No

C. Is the filer of this questionnaire employed by a corporation or other business entity with respect to which the local government officer serves as an officer or director, or holds an ownership of one percent or more?

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Yes

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No

D. Describe each employment or business and family relationship with the local government officer named in this section.

not applicable

4 ☒ **I have no Conflict of Interest to disclose.****5**

DocuSigned by:

Jeff Gurian

8/11/2025

Signature of Vendor doing business with the governmental entity_____
Date

CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE

For vendor doing business with local governmental entity

A complete copy of Chapter 176 of the Local Government Code may be found at [http://www.statutes.legis.state.tx.us/ Docs/LG/htm/LG.176.htm](http://www.statutes.legis.state.tx.us/Docs/LG/htm/LG.176.htm). For easy reference, below are some of the sections cited on this form.

Local Government Code § 176.001(1-a): "Business relationship" means a connection between two or more parties based on commercial activity of one of the parties. The term does not include a connection based on:

- (A) a transaction that is subject to rate or fee regulation by a federal, state, or local governmental entity or an agency of a federal, state, or local governmental entity;
- (B) a transaction conducted at a price and subject to terms available to the public; or
- (C) a purchase or lease of goods or services from a person that is chartered by a state or federal agency and that is subject to regular examination by, and reporting to, that agency.

Local Government Code § 176.003(a)(2)(A) and (B):

- (A) A local government officer shall file a conflicts disclosure statement with respect to a vendor if:
 - (2) the vendor:
 - (A) has an employment or other business relationship with the local government officer or a family member of the officer that results in the officer or family member receiving taxable income, other than investment income, that exceeds \$2,500 during the 12-month period preceding the date that the officer becomes aware that
 - (i) a contract between the local governmental entity and vendor has been executed; or
 - (ii) the local governmental entity is considering entering into a contract with the vendor;
 - (B) has given to the local government officer or a family member of the officer one or more gifts that have an aggregate value of more than \$100 in the 12-month period preceding the date the officer becomes aware that:
 - (i) a contract between the local governmental entity and vendor has been executed; or
 - (ii) the local governmental entity is considering entering into a contract with the vendor.

Local Government Code § 176.006(a) and (a-1)

- (a) A vendor shall file a completed conflict of interest questionnaire if the vendor has a business relationship with a local governmental entity and:
 - (1) has an employment or other business relationship with a local government officer of that local governmental entity, or a family member of the officer, described by Section 176.003(a)(2)(A);
 - (2) has given a local government officer of that local governmental entity, or a family member of the officer, one or more gifts with the aggregate value specified by Section 176.003(a)(2)(B), excluding any gift described by Section 176.003(a-1); or
 - (3) has a family relationship with a local government officer of that local governmental entity.
- (a-1) The completed conflict of interest questionnaire must be filed with the appropriate records administrator not later than the seventh business day after the later of:
 - (1) the date that the vendor:
 - (A) begins discussions or negotiations to enter into a contract with the local governmental entity; or
 - (B) submits to the local governmental entity an application, response to a request for proposals or bids, correspondence, or another writing related to a potential contract with the local governmental entity; or
 - (2) the date the vendor becomes aware:
 - (A) of an employment or other business relationship with a local government officer, or a family member of the officer, described by Subsection (a);
 - (B) that the vendor has given one or more gifts described by Subsection (a); or
 - (C) of a family relationship with a local government officer.

City of Denton Ethics Code Ordinance Number 18-757

Definitions:

Relative: a family member related to a City Official within the third 3rd degree of affinity (marriage) or consanguinity (blood or adoption)

City Official: for purpose of this article, the term consists of the Council Members, Department Heads, or member of the Board of Ethics, Planning and zoning Commission Members, Board of Adjustment, Historic Landmark Commission, or Public Utilities Board

Vendor: a person who provides or seeks to provide goods, services, and/or real property to the City in exchange for compensation. This definition does not include those property owners from whom the City acquires public right-of-way or other real property interests for public use.

Per the City of Denton Ethics Code, Section 2-273. – Prohibitions

- (3) It shall be a violation of this Article for a Vendor to offer or give a Gift to City Official exceeding fifty dollars (\$50.00) per gift, or multiple gifts cumulatively valued at more than two hundred dollars (\$200.00) per a single fiscal year.

Per the City of Denton Ethics Code, Section 2-282. – Disposition (b), (5) Ineligibility

If the Board of Ethics finds that a Vendor has violated this Article, the Board may recommend to the City Manager that the Vendor be deemed ineligible to enter into a City contract or other arrangement for goods, services, or real property, for a period of one (1) year.

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