AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF DENTON, A TEXAS HOME-RULE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT WITH SWIFTCOMPLY US OPCO INC., FOR COMPLIANCE TRACKING SOFTWARE FOR THE ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES AND SUSTAINABILITY, DENTON WATER UTILITIES, AND STREET OPERATIONS DEPARTMENTS; PROVIDING FOR THE EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS THEREFOR; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE (RFP 8850 – AWARDED TO SWIFTCOMPLY US OPCO INC., IN THE FIVE (5) YEAR NOT-TO-EXCEED AMOUNT OF \$92,028.00).

WHEREAS, the City has solicited, received, and evaluated competitive proposals for compliance tracking software for the Environmental Services and Sustainability, Denton Water Utilities, and Street Operations Departments; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager, or a designated employee, has received, reviewed, and recommended that the herein described proposals are the most advantageous to the City considering the relative importance of price and the other evaluation factors included in the request for proposals; and

WHEREAS, this procurement was undertaken as part of the City's governmental function [Water and sewer service]; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has provided in the City Budget for the appropriation of funds to be used for the purchase of the materials, equipment, supplies, or services approved and accepted herein; NOW, THEREFORE,

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DENTON HEREBY ORDAINS:

DED

<u>SECTION 1</u>. The items in the following numbered request for proposal for materials, equipment, supplies, or services shown in the "Request Proposals" on file in the office of the Purchasing Agent, are hereby accepted and approved as being the most advantageous to the City considering the relative importance of price and the other evaluation factors included in the request for proposals.

NUMBER	<u>CONTRACTOR</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
8850	SwiftComply US OpCo Inc.	\$92,028.00

SECTION 2. That by the acceptance and approval of the above numbered items of the submitted proposals, the City accepts the offer of the persons submitting the proposals for such items and agrees to purchase the materials, equipment, supplies, or services in accordance with the terms, specifications, standards, quantities, and for the specified sums contained in the Proposal Invitations, Proposals, and related documents.

<u>SECTION 3</u>. That should the City and person submitting approved and accepted items wish to enter into a formal written agreement as a result of the acceptance, approval, and awarding of the proposals, the City Manager, or their designated representative, is hereby authorized to execute the written contract which shall be attached hereto; provided that the written contract is in accordance with the terms, conditions, specifications, standards, quantities, and specified sums contained in the Proposal and related documents herein approved and accepted.

<u>SECTION 4</u>. The City Council of the City of Denton hereby 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.

<u>SECTION 5</u>. By the acceptance and approval of the above enumerated bids, the City Council hereby authorizes the expenditure of funds therefor in the amount and in accordance with the approved bids.

SECTION 6. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval. The motion to approve this ordinance was made by _____ seconded by _____ . This ordinance was passed and approved by the following vote [___ - ___]: Ave 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: <u>Leah Bush</u> Marcella Lunn



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RFP	8850
File Name	Compliance Tracking Software
Purchasing Contact	Christina Dormady
City Council Target Date	
Piggy Back Option	No
Contract Expiration	
Ordinance	

CONTRACT BY AND BETWEEN CITY OF DENTON, TEXAS AND SWIFTCOMPLY US OPCO INC. (Contract #8850)

THIS CONTRACT is made and entered into this date _______, by and between SwiftComply US OpCo Inc. a Delaware corporation, whose address 6701 Koll Center Parkway, Suite 250, Pleasanton, CA 94566, hereinafter referred to as "Contractor," and the CITY OF DENTON, TEXAS, a home rule municipal corporation, hereinafter referred to as "City," to be effective upon approval of the Denton City Council and subsequent execution of this Contract by the Denton City Manager or their duly authorized designee.

For and in consideration of the covenants and agreements contained herein, and for the mutual benefits to be obtained hereby, the parties agree as follows:

SCOPE OF SERVICES

Contractor shall provide services in accordance with the City's RFP# 8850 - Compliance Tracking Software, a copy of which is on file at the office of Purchasing Agent and incorporated herein for all purposes. The Contract consists of this written agreement and the following items which are attached hereto, or on file, and incorporated herein by reference:

- (a) Special Terms and Conditions (Exhibit "A");
- (b) City of Denton's RFP 8850 (the "Solicitation") (Exhibit "B" on file at the office of the Purchasing Agent);
- (c) City of Denton Standard Terms and Conditions (Exhibit "C");
- (d) Certificate of Interested Parties Electronic Filing (Exhibit "D");
- (e) Insurance Requirements (Exhibit "E");
- (f) Contractor's Proposal ("Contractor's Offer") (Exhibit "F");
- (g) Form CIQ Conflict of Interest Questionnaire (Exhibit "G")
- (h) SwiftComply Master Services Agreement (Exhibit "H")
- (i) SwiftComply Service Order Form (Exhibit "I")

These documents make up the Contract 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 Contract documents, the inconsistency or conflict shall be resolved by giving precedence first to the written agreement then to the contract documents in the order in which they are listed above. These documents shall be referred to collectively as "Contract Documents."

Prohibition on Contracts with Companies Boycotting Israel

Contractor 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 Contract, Contractor certifies that Contractor's signature provides written verification to the City that Contractor: (1) does not boycott Israel; and (2) will not boycott Israel during the term of the Contract. Failure to meet or maintain the requirements under this provision will be considered a material breach.

Prohibition on Contracts with Companies Boycotting Certain Energy Companies

Contractor acknowledges that in accordance with Chapter 2276 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, Contractor certifies that Contractor's signature provides written verification to the City that Contractor: (1) does not boycott energy companies; and (2) will not boycott energy companies during the term of the Contract. Failure to meet or maintain the requirements under this provision will be considered a material breach.

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

Contractor 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 Contract, Contractor certifies that Contractor's signature provides written verification to the City that Contractor: (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 this 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.

Prohibition On Contracts with Companies Doing Business with Iran, Sudan, or a Foreign Terrorist Organization

Section 2252 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 Contract, Contractor certifies that Contractor's signature provides written verification to the City that Contractor, pursuant to Chapter 2252, is not ineligible to enter into this Contract and will not become ineligible to receive payments under this Contract 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.

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 2275, and Contractor 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.

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.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties of these presents have executed this Contract in the year and day first above written.

CONTRACTOR Signed by:	CITY OF DENTON, TEXAS			
Bysifan Bairg MUTHORIZED SIGNATURE	BY: SARA HENSLEY CITY MANAGER			
Printed Name:Stefan Baerg	CITT MANAGER			
Title: _Chief Revenue Officer	ATTEST:			
647-298-4605 PHONE NUMBER	INGRID REX, INTERIM CITY SECRETARY			
stefan.baerg@swiftcomply.com EMAIL ADDRESS	BY:			
N/A	APPROVED AGEO LEGAL FORM			
TEXAS ETHICS COMMISSION CERTIFICATE NUMBER	APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM: MACK REINWAND, CITY ATTORNEY — Docusigned by:			
	By Marulla lunn			
THIS AGREEMENT HAS BEEN BOTH REVIEWED AND APPROVED as to financial and operational obligations and business terms.				
Signed by:				
Michael Gange Michael Gange				
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Director of Environmental Services & Sustainability TITLE				
Environmental Services & Sustainability				
DEPARTMENT				

Exhibit A Special Terms and Conditions

1. Total Contract Amount

The contract total for services shall not exceed \$92,028. Pricing shall be per Exhibit F attached.

2. The Quantities

The quantities indicated on Exhibit F are estimates based upon the best available information. The City reserves the right to increase or decrease the quantities to meet its actual needs without any adjustments in the bid price. Individual purchase orders will be issued on an as needed basis.

3. Contract Terms

The contract term will be five (5) years, effective from date of award or notice to proceed as determined by the City of Denton Purchasing Department. At the sole option of the City of Denton, the Contract may be further extended as needed, not to exceed a total of one (1) year.

4. Price Escalation and De-escalation

On Supplier's request in the form stated herein, the City will implement an escalation/deescalation price adjustment annually based on these special terms. Any request for price adjustment must be based on the, U.S Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Producer Price Index (PPI) or the manufacturer published pricing list. The maximum escalation will not exceed +/- 8% for any individual year. The escalation will be determined annually at the renewal date. The price will be increased or decreased based upon the annual percentage change in the PPI or the percentage change in the manufacturer's price list. Should the PPI or manufacturer price list change exceed a minimum threshold value of +/-1%, then the stated eligible bid prices shall be adjusted in accordance with the percent change not to exceed the 8% limit per year. The supplier should provide documentation as percentage of each cost associated with the unit prices quoted for consideration.

Request must be submitted in writing with supporting evidence for need of such increase to the Purchasing Manager at least 60 days prior to contract expiration of each year. Respondent must also provide supporting documentation as justification for the request. If no request is made, then it will be assumed that the current contract price will be in effect.

Upon receipt of such request, the City of Denton reserves the right to either: accept the escalation as competitive with the general market price at the time, and become effective upon the renewal date of the contract award or reject the increases within 30 calendar days after receipt of a properly submitted request. If a properly submitted increase is rejected, the Contractor may request cancellation of such items from the Contract by giving the City of Denton written notice. Cancellation will not go into effect for 15 calendar days after a determination has been issued.

Pre-price increase prices must be honored on orders dated up to the official date of the City of Denton approval and/or cancellation.

The request can be sent by e-mail to: purchasing@cityofdenton.com noting the solicitation number.

The City of Denton reserves the right to accept, reject, or negotiate the proposed price changes.

Notwithstanding the preceding, the Parties have agreed to price escalation terms as outlined in Exhibit F.

5. Reserved

Exhibit B City of Denton's RFP 8850 File

On File at the Office of the Purchasing Agent

Exhibit C City of Denton Standard Purchase Terms and Conditions

These standard Terms and Conditions and the Terms and Conditions, Specifications, Drawings and other requirements included in the City of Denton's contract are applicable to contracts/purchase orders issued by the City of Denton hereinafter referred to as the City or Buyer and the Seller or respondent herein after referred to as Contractor. Any deviations must be in writing and signed by a representative of the City's Procurement Department and the Contractor. No Terms and Conditions contained in the seller's proposal response, invoice, or statement shall serve to modify the terms set forth herein. If there is a conflict between the provisions on the face of the contract/purchase order these written provisions will take precedence.

The Contractor agrees that the Contract shall be governed by the following terms and conditions, unless exceptions are duly noted and fully negotiated. Unless otherwise specified in the Contract, Sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 20, and 21 shall apply only to a solicitation to purchase goods, and sections 9, 10, 11, and 22 shall apply only to a solicitation to purchase services to be performed principally at the City's premises or on public rights-of-way.

- 1. **CONTRACTOR'S OBLIGATIONS**. The Contractor shall fully and timely provide all deliverables described in the Solicitation and in the Contractor's Offer in strict accordance with the terms, covenants, and conditions of the Contract and all applicable federal, State, and local laws, rules, and regulations.
- 2. **EFFECTIVE DATE/TERM**. Unless otherwise specified in the Solicitation or Exhibit A, this Contract shall be effective as of the date this Contract is signed by the City and shall continue in effect until all obligations are performed in accordance with the Contract.
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12. **INVOICES**:

A. Reserved.

B. Proper Invoices must include a unique invoice number, invoice date, the purchase order number, and the master agreement number if applicable, the Department's Name, and the name of the point of contact for the Department. Invoices shall be itemized. The Contractor's name, remittance address and, if applicable, the tax identification number on the invoice must exactly match the information in the Vendor's registration with the City. Unless otherwise instructed in writing, the City may rely on the remittance address specified on the Contractor's invoice.

C. Reserved.

D. Reserved.

E. Federal excise taxes, State taxes, or City sales taxes must not be included in the invoiced amount. The City will furnish a tax exemption certificate upon request.

13. PAYMENT:

A. All proper invoices need to be sent to Accounts Payable – accountspayable@cityofdenton.com. Approved invoices will be paid within thirty (30) calendar days of the invoice being received in Accounts Payable.

B. If payment is not timely made, (per paragraph A); interest shall accrue on the unpaid balance at the lesser of the rate specified in Texas Government Code Section 2251.025 or the maximum lawful rate; except, if payment is not timely made for a reason for which the City may withhold payment hereunder, including, but not limited to, those in Paragraph D , below, interest shall not accrue until ten (10) calendar days after the grounds for withholding payment have been resolved.

C. Reserved.

- D. The City may withhold or set off the entire payment or part of any payment otherwise due to the Contractor to such extent as may be necessary on account of:
 - i. delivery of defective or non-conforming deliverables by the Contractor;
 - ii. third party claims, which are not covered by the insurance which the Contractor is required to provide, are filed or reasonable evidence indicating probable filing of such claims;
 - iii. failure of the Contractor to pay Subcontractors, or for labor, materials, or equipment;
 - iv. damage to the property of the City or the City's agents, employees, or contractors, which is not covered by insurance required to be provided by the Contractor;
 - v. reasonable evidence that the Contractor's obligations will not be completed within the time specified in the Contract, and that the unpaid balance would not be adequate to cover actual or liquidated damages for the anticipated delay;
 - vi. failure of the Contractor to submit proper invoices with purchase order number, all required attachments, and supporting documentation; or
 - vii. failure of the Contractor to comply with any material provision of the Contract Documents.
- E. Notice is hereby given to any awarded firm who is in arrears to the City for delinquent taxes of any kind or otherwise indebted to the City that the City shall be entitled to counterclaim and/or offset against any such debt, claim, demand, or account owed to the City through payment withholding until the debt is paid in full, and no assignment of such debt, claim, demand, or account after the said taxes or debt are due shall affect the right of the City to offset the said taxes or debt against same.
- F. Payment will be made by electronic transfer of funds. The Contractor agrees that there shall be Contract 8850

no additional charges, surcharges, or penalties to the City for payments made electronic funds transfer.

- G. The Contractor acknowledges and agrees that the awarding or continuation of this Contract is dependent upon the availability of funding. The City's payment obligations are payable only and solely from funds appropriated and available for this Contract. The absence of appropriated or other lawfully available funds shall render the Contract null and void to the extent funds are not appropriated or available. The City will not incur a debt or obligation to pay Contractor any amounts the City does not have the current funds available to pay. The City shall provide the Contractor written notice of the failure of the City to make an adequate appropriation for any fiscal year to pay the amounts due under the Contract, or the reduction of any appropriation to an amount insufficient to permit the City to pay its obligations under the Contract. In the event of none or inadequate appropriation of funds, there will be no penalty or liability to the City, nor removal fees, cancellation fees, or the like charged to the City.
- 14. **TRAVEL EXPENSES**: All travel, lodging, and per diem expenses in connection with the Contract shall be paid by the Contractor, unless otherwise stated in the Contract Documents. During the term of this Contract, the Contractor shall bill and the City shall reimburse Contractor for all reasonable and approved out of pocket expenses which are incurred in the connection with the performance of duties hereunder. Notwithstanding the foregoing, expenses for the time spent by the Contractor in traveling to and from City facilities shall not be reimbursed, unless otherwise negotiated.

15. FINAL PAYMENT AND CLOSE-OUT:

- A. If a DBE/MBE/WBE Program Plan is agreed to and the Contractor has identified Subcontractors, the Contractor is required to submit a Contract Close-Out MBE/WBE Compliance Report to the Purchasing Manager no later than the fifteenth (15th) calendar day after completion of all work under the contract. Final payment, retainage, or both may be withheld if the Contractor is not in compliance with the requirements as accepted by the City.
- B. The making and acceptance of final payment will constitute:
- i. a waiver of all claims by the City against the Contractor, except claims (1) which have been previously asserted in writing and not yet settled, (2) arising from defective work appearing after final inspection, (3) arising from failure of the Contractor to comply with the Contract or the terms of any warranty specified herein, (4) arising from the Contractor's continuing obligations under the Contract, including but not limited to indemnity and warranty obligations, or (5) arising under the City's right to audit; and
- ii. a waiver of all claims by the Contractor against the City other than those previously asserted in writing and not yet settled.

16. **Reserved**.

17. **RIGHT TO AUDIT**:

A. The Contractor agrees that the City shall, until the expiration of five (5) years after final payment under this Contract unless required to be retained for longer under applicable law, have electronic access to and the right to examine all books, records, and computations pertaining to this Contract. If necessary, the City shall have the right to audit and make copies of the books, records, and computations pertaining to the Contract. The Contractor shall retain such books, records, documents, and other evidence pertaining to the Contract period and five (5) years thereafter, except if an audit is in progress or audit findings are yet unresolved, in which case

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records shall be kept until all audit tasks are completed and resolved. These books, records, documents, and other evidence shall be available, within ten (10) business days of written request. All books and records will be made available within a fifty (50) mile radius of the City of Denton if the vendor is not able to provide electronic access. The cost of the audit will be borne by the City unless the audit reveals an overpayment of 1% or greater. If an overpayment of 1% or greater occurs, the reasonable cost of the audit, including any travel costs, must be borne by the Contractor which must be payable within five (5) business days of receipt of an invoice.

B. The Contractor further agrees to include in all its subcontracts hereunder a provision to the effect that the Subcontractor, material supplier, or other payee agrees that the City shall, until the expiration of five (5) years after final payment under the subcontract unless required to be retained for longer under applicable law, have electronic access to and the right to examine all books, records, documents, and other evidence of the Subcontractor, material supplier, or other payee involving transactions relating to the subcontract. If necessary, the City maintains the right to photocopy any physical books, documents, papers, and records of the subconsultant involving transactions relating to the subcontract. All books and records will be made available within a fifty (50) mile radius of the City of Denton. The cost of the audit will be borne by the City unless the audit reveals an overpayment of 1% or greater. If an overpayment of 1% or greater occurs, the reasonable cost of the audit, including any travel costs, must be borne by the Contractor which must be payable within five (5) business days of receipt of an invoice.

C. Failure to comply with the provisions of this section shall be a material breach of the Contract and shall constitute, in the City's sole discretion, grounds for termination thereof. Each of the terms "books", "records", "documents", and "other evidence", as used above, shall be construed to include drafts and electronic files, even if such drafts or electronic files are subsequently used to generate or prepare a final printed document.

18. SUBCONTRACTORS:

A. If the Contractor-identified subcontractors ("Subcontractor") in a DBE/MBE/WBE agreed-to plan (the "Plan"), the Contractor shall comply with all requirements approved by the City. The Contractor shall not initially employ any subcontractor except as provided in the Contractor's Plan. The Contractor shall not substitute any Subcontractor identified in the Plan, unless the substitute has been accepted by the City in writing. No acceptance by the City of any subcontractor shall constitute a waiver of any rights or remedies of the City with respect to defective deliverables provided by a Subcontractor. If a Plan has been approved, the Contractor is additionally required to submit a monthly Subcontract Awards and Expenditures Report to the Procurement Manager, no later than the tenth calendar day of each month.

- B. Work performed for the Contractor by a Subcontractor shall be pursuant to a written contract between the Contractor and Subcontractor. The terms of the subcontract may not conflict with the terms of the Contract Documents, and shall contain provisions that:
 - i. require that all deliverables to be provided by the Subcontractor be provided in strict accordance with the provisions, specifications and terms of the Contract;
 - ii. prohibit the Subcontractor from further subcontracting any portion of the Contract without the prior written consent of the City and the Contractor. The City may require, as a condition to such further subcontracting, that the Subcontractor post a payment bond in form, substance and amount acceptable to the City;
 - iii. require Subcontractors to submit all invoices and applications for payments, including any claims for additional payments, damages or otherwise, to the Contractor in sufficient

time to enable the Contractor to include same with its invoice or application for payment to the City in accordance with the terms of the Contract;

iv. require that all Subcontractors obtain and maintain, throughout the term of their contract, insurance in the type and amounts specified for the Contractor, with the City being a named insured as its interest shall appear; and

V. REQUIRE THAT THE SUBCONTRACTOR INDEMNIFY AND HOLD THE CITY HARMLESS TO THE SAME EXTENT AS THE CONTRACTOR IS REQUIRED TO INDEMNIFY THE CITY.

- C. The Contractor shall be fully responsible to the City for all acts and omissions of the Subcontractors just as the Contractor is responsible for the Contractor's own acts and omissions. Nothing in the Contract shall create for the benefit of any such Subcontractor any contractual relationship between the City and any such Subcontractor, nor shall it create any obligation on the part of the City to pay or to see to the payment of any moneys due any such Subcontractor except as may otherwise be required by law.
- D. The Contractor shall pay each Subcontractor its appropriate share of payments made to the Contractor not later than thirty (30) calendar days after receipt of payment from the City.

19. WARRANTY-PRICE:

A. Reserved.

- B. The Contractor certifies that the prices in the Contractor's Offer have been arrived at independently without consultation, communication, or agreement for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such fees with any other firm or with any competitor.
- C. In the event Contractor breaches this warranty, in addition to any other remedy available, the City may cancel this Contract without liability to Contractor for breach.
- 20. WARRANTY TITLE: THE CONTRACTOR WARRANTS THAT IT HAS GOOD AND INDEFEASIBLE TITLE TO ALL DELIVERABLES FURNISHED UNDER THE CONTRACT, AND THAT THE DELIVERABLES ARE FREE AND CLEAR OF ALL LIENS, CLAIMS, SECURITY INTERESTS, AND ENCUMBRANCES. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL INDEMNIFY AND HOLD THE CITY HARMLESS FROM AND AGAINST ALL ADVERSE TITLE CLAIMS TO THE DELIVERABLES.
- 21. WARRANTY DELIVERABLES: The Contractor warrants and represents that all deliverables sold the City under the Contract shall be free from defects in design, workmanship, or manufacture, and conform in all material respects to the specifications, drawings, and descriptions in the Contract Documents, to any samples furnished by the Contractor, to the terms, covenants, and conditions of the Contract, and to all applicable State, federal, or local laws, rules, and regulations, and industry codes and standards.

A. Reserved.

- B. The Contractor may not limit, exclude, or disclaim the foregoing warranty or any warranty implied by law; and any attempt to do so shall be without force or effect.
- C. Unless otherwise specified in the Contract or required by the Solicitation, the warranty period shall be at least one (1) year from the date of acceptance of the deliverables or from the date of acceptance of any replacement deliverables. If during the warranty period, one or more of the above warranties are breached, the Contractor shall promptly upon receipt of demand either repair the non-conforming deliverables, or replace the non-conforming deliverables with fully conforming deliverables, at the City's option and at no additional cost to the City. All costs incidental to such repair or replacement, shall be borne exclusively by the Contractor. The City shall endeavor to give the Contractor written notice of the breach of warranty within thirty (30) calendar days of discovery of the breach of warranty, but failure to give timely notice shall not

impair the City's rights under this section.

- D. If the Contractor is unable or unwilling to repair or replace defective or non-conforming deliverables as required by the City, then in addition to any other available remedy, the City may reduce the quantity of deliverables it may be required to purchase under the Contract from the Contractor, and purchase conforming deliverables from other sources.
- E. If the Contractor is not the manufacturer, and the deliverables are covered by a separate manufacturer's warranty, the Contractor shall transfer and assign such manufacturer's warranty to the City. If for any reason the manufacturer's warranty cannot be fully transferred to the City, the Contractor shall assist and cooperate with the City to the fullest extent to enforce such manufacturer's warranty for the benefit of the City.
- F. Contractor shall not limit, exclude, or disclaim any implied warranties, and any attempt to do so shall be without force or effect, or alternatively, at the City's option, render this Contract voidable.
- 22. **WARRANTY SERVICES**: The Contractor warrants and represents that all services to be provided to the City under the Contract will be fully and timely performed in a good and workmanlike manner in accordance with generally accepted industry standards and practices, the terms, conditions, and covenants of the Contract, and all applicable federal, State, and local laws, rules or regulations.
- A. The Contractor may not limit, exclude, or disclaim the foregoing warranty or any warranty implied by law, and any attempt to do so shall be without force or effect, or alternatively, at the City's option, render this Contract voidable.
- B. Unless otherwise specified in the Contract, the warranty period shall be at least one (1) year from the date of acceptance of the work. If during the warranty period, one or more of the above warranties are breached, the Contractor shall promptly upon receipt of demand perform the services again in accordance with above standard at no additional cost to the City. All costs incidental to such additional performance shall be borne by the Contractor. The City shall endeavor to give the Contractor written notice of the breach of warranty within thirty (30) calendar days of discovery of the breach warranty, but failure to give timely notice shall not impair the City's rights under this section.
- C. If the Contractor is unable or unwilling to perform its services in accordance with the above standard as required by the City, then in addition to any other available remedy, the City may reduce the amount of services it may be required to purchase under the Contract from the Contractor, and purchase conforming services from other sources.
- 23. ACCEPTANCE OF INCOMPLETE OR NON-CONFORMING DELIVERABLES: If, instead of requiring immediate correction or removal and replacement of defective or non-conforming deliverables, the City prefers to accept it, the City may do so. The Contractor shall pay all claims, costs, losses, and damages attributable to the City's evaluation of and determination to accept such defective or non-conforming deliverables. If any such acceptance occurs prior to final payment, the City may deduct such amounts as are necessary to compensate the City for the diminished value of the defective or non-conforming deliverables. If the acceptance occurs after final payment, such amount will be refunded to the City by the Contractor.
- 24. **RIGHT TO ASSURANCE**: Whenever one party to the Contract in good faith has reason to question the other party's intent to perform, demand may be made to the other party for written assurance of the intent to perform. In the event that no assurance is given within the time specified (being a minimum of 5 days) after demand is made, the demanding party may treat this failure as

an anticipatory repudiation of the Contract.

25. **STOP WORK NOTICE**: The City may issue an immediate Stop Work Notice in the event the Contractor is observed performing in a manner that is in violation of federal, State, or local guidelines, or in a manner that is determined by the City to be unsafe to either life or property. Upon notification, the Contractor will cease all work until notified by the City that the violation or unsafe condition has been corrected. The Contractor shall be liable for all costs incurred by the City as a result of the issuance of such Stop Work Notice.

26. **DEFAULT**:

A. The Contractor shall be in default under the Contract if the Contractor (a) fails to fully, timely, and faithfully perform any of its material obligations under the Contract, (b) fails to provide adequate assurance of performance under Paragraph 25, (c) becomes insolvent or seeks relief under the bankruptcy laws of the United States or (d) makes a material misrepresentation in Contractor's Offer, or in any report or deliverable required to be submitted by the Contractor to the City.

B. In the event the City terminates the awarded contract for default, the Contractor shall not be relieved of liability to the City for damages sustained by the City by reason of any default of the contract by the Contractor, and the City may withhold any payments to the Contractor for the purpose of an offset until such time as the amount of damages due the City from the Contractor can be determined.

- 27. **TERMINATION FOR CAUSE:** In the event of a default by the Contractor, the City shall have the right to terminate the Contract for cause, by written notice effective ten (10) calendar days, unless otherwise specified, after the date of such notice, unless the Contractor, within such ten (10) day period, cures such default, or provides evidence sufficient to prove to the City's reasonable satisfaction that such default does not, in fact, exist. In addition to any other remedy available under law or in equity, the City shall be entitled to recover all actual damages, costs, losses and expenses, incurred by the City as a result of the Contractor's default, including, without limitation, cost of cover, reasonable attorneys' fees, court costs, and prejudgment and post-judgment interest at the maximum lawful rate. Additionally, in the event of a default by the Contractor, the City may remove the Contractor from the City's vendor list for three (3) years and/or any offer submitted by the Contractor may be disqualified for up to three (3) years. All rights and remedies under the Contract are cumulative and are not exclusive of any other right or remedy provided by law. The requirements of Subchapter J, Chapter 552 of the Texas Government Code, may apply to this Contract and the Contractor agrees that the Contract can be terminated if the Contractor knowingly or intentionally fails to comply with a requirement of that subchapter.
- 28. **TERMINATION WITHOUT CAUSE**: The City shall have the right to terminate the Contract, in whole or in part, without cause and/or for convenience any time upon thirty (30) calendar days' prior written notice. Upon receipt of a notice of termination, the Contractor shall promptly cease all further work pursuant to the Contract, with such exceptions, if any, specified in the notice of termination. The City shall pay the Contractor, to the extent of funds appropriated or otherwise legally available for such purposes, for all goods delivered and services performed and obligations incurred prior to the date of termination in accordance with the terms hereof, provided such payment amount is not disputed by City. The City reserves all rights, causes of action, and remedies available under law or in equity with respect to any dispute under this Contract and a termination under this provision does not waive such rights, causes of action, and remedies.

29. **FRAUD**: Fraudulent statements by the Contractor in any offer, Contract Document, or in any report or deliverable required to be submitted by the Contractor to the City shall be grounds for the termination of the Contract for cause by the City and may result in legal action.

30. **DELAYS**:

A. The City may delay scheduled delivery or other due dates by written notice to the Contractor if the City deems it is in its best interest. If such delay causes an increase in the cost of the work under the Contract, the City and the Contractor shall negotiate an equitable adjustment for costs incurred by the Contractor in the Contract price and execute an amendment to the Contract. The Contractor must assert its right to an adjustment within thirty (30) calendar days from the date of receipt of the notice of delay. Failure to agree on any adjusted price shall be handled under the Dispute Resolution process specified in Paragraph 53. However, nothing in this provision shall excuse the Contractor from delaying the delivery as notified.

B. Neither party shall be liable for any default or delay in the performance of its obligations under this Contract if, while and to the extent such default or delay is caused by acts of God, fire, riots, civil commotion, labor disruptions, sabotage, sovereign conduct, or any other cause beyond the reasonable control of such party. In the event of default or delay in Contract performance due to any of the foregoing causes, then the time for completion of the services will be extended; provided, however, in such an event, a conference will be held within three (3) business days to establish a mutually agreeable period of time reasonably necessary to overcome the effect of such failure to perform.

31. TIME OF COMPLETION AND LIQUIDATED DAMAGES: Contractor agrees and acknowledges that completing the services and/or delivering the goods described in this Contract in a timely manner is very important to the City. Contractor agrees to perform all obligations within the timeframes required. As it is impracticable and extremely difficult to fix the actual damages, if any, that may proximately result from a failure by Contractor to provide the goods or perform the service, should Contractor fail to timely perform its obligations, Contractor agrees to pay to City, or have withheld and offset from monies due it, the amount stated in the Contract Documents as liquidated damages for each calendar day of delay or nonperformance. Any sums due and payable hereunder by the Contractor shall be payable, not as a penalty, but as liquidated damages representing an estimate of delay damages likely to be sustained by the City, estimated at the time of executing this Contract. Execution of the Contract shall constitute agreement by the City and Contractor that said amount is the minimum value of the costs and actual damage caused by the Contractor's failure to timely perform. Adjustments to the contract times can only be made as provided in the Contract Documents and any conditions or specifications referenced therein.

32. **INDEMNITY**:

A. Definitions:

i. "Indemnified Claims" shall include any and all claims, demands, suits, causes of action, judgments, and liability of every character, type, or description, including all reasonable costs and expenses of litigation, mediation, or other alternate dispute resolution mechanism, including attorney and other professional fees for: (1) damage to or loss of the property of any person (including, but not limited to the City, the Contractor, their respective agents, officers, employees and Subcontractors; the officers, agents, and employees of such Subcontractors; and third parties); and/or (2) death, bodily injury, illness, disease, worker's compensation, loss of services, or loss of income or wages to any

person (including but not limited to the agents, officers and employees of the City, the Contractor, the Contractor's Subcontractors, and third parties), ii. "Fault" shall include the sale of defective or non-conforming deliverables, negligence, willful misconduct or a breach of any legally imposed strict liability standard.

B. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL DEFEND (AT THE OPTION OF THE CITY), INDEMNIFY, AND HOLD THE CITY, ITS SUCCESSORS, ASSIGNS, OFFICERS, EMPLOYEES AND ELECTED OFFICIALS HARMLESS FROM AND AGAINST ALL INDEMNIFIED CLAIMS DIRECTLY ARISING OF. OUT INCIDENT CONCERNING OR RESULTING FROM THE FAULT OF THE CONTRACTOR, OR THE CONTRACTOR'S AGENTS, EMPLOYEES OR SUBCONTRACTORS, IN THE THE CONTRACTOR'S OBLIGATIONS UNDER PERFORMANCE OF CONTRACT. NOTHING HEREIN SHALL BE DEEMED TO LIMIT THE RIGHTS OF THE CITY OR THE CONTRACTOR (INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE RIGHT TO SEEK CONTRIBUTION) AGAINST ANY THIRD PARTY WHO MAY BE LIABLE FOR AN INDEMNIFIED CLAIM.

33. LIMITATION OF LIABILITY:

- a. NEITHER CONTRACTOR NOR CITY WILL BE LIABLE TO THE OTHER PARTY FOR ANY INDIRECT, SPECIAL, PUNITIVE, CONSEQUENTIAL (INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, LOST PROFITS), OR INCIDENTAL DAMAGES, WHETHER BASED ON A CLAIM OR ACTION OF CONTRACT, WARRANTY, NEGLIGENCE, STRICT LIABILITY, OR OTHER TORT, BREACH OF ANY STATUTORY DUTY, INDEMNITY OR CONTRIBUTION, OR OTHERWISE, EVEN IF THE PARTY HAS BEEN ADVISED OF THE POSSIBILITY OF SUCH DAMAGES. THE EXCLUSION CONTAINED IN THIS PARAGRAPH SHALL APPLY REGARDLESS OF THE FAILURE OF THE EXCLUSIVE REMEDY PROVIDED IN THE FOLLOWING SENTENCE.
- b. BOTH PARTIES' TOTAL CUMULATIVE LIABILITY TO THE OTHER PARTY FOR ANY LOSS OR DAMAGES RESULTING FROM ANY CLAIMS, DEMANDS OR ACTIONS ARISING OUT OF OR RELATING TO THIS AGREEMENT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE CUMULATIVE FEES PAID BY CUSTOMER TO SWIFTCOMPLY IN THE PRECEDING TWENTY FOUR (24) MONTHS.
- c. THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 11.1(A) AND 11.1(B) SHALL NOT APPLY TO THE EXTENT THAT THE CAUSE OF ACTION GIVING RISE TO THE CLAIM ARISES FROM:
 - 1. A BREACH OF A PARTY'S CONFIDENTIALITY OBLIGATIONS UNDER THIS AGREEMENT: OR
 - 2. CLAIMS FOR FEES OWED TO CONTRACTOR UNDER THIS AGREEMENT AND ANY COST, EXPENSE OR FEES INCURRED IN THEIR COLLECTION.
 - 3. A PARTY'S FRAUD OR LIABILITY FOR DEATH OR PERSONAL INJURY ARISING FROM ITS NEGLIGENCE.

FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION 12.1, "PARTY" INCLUDES EACH PARTY'S DIVISIONS, SUBSIDIARIES, AFFILIATES, SUCCESSORS, PARENT COMPANIES AND THEIR EXECUTIVES, DIRECTORS, OFFICERS, ATTORNEYS, MANAGERS, EMPLOYEES, CONSULTANTS, CONTRACTORS, AGENTS, AFFILIATES, RESELLERS, THIRD PARTY PROVIDERS, MERCHANTS, LICENSORS AND THE LIKE.

34. **INSURANCE**: The Contractor shall procure and maintain insurance of the types and in the minimum amounts acceptable to the City of Denton outlined in the Insurance Exhibit attached hereto,

- if applicable. The insurance shall be written by a company licensed to do business in the State of Texas and satisfactory to the City of Denton. The City of Denton reserves the right to add insurance during the contract term.
- B. Specific Coverage Requirements: Specific insurance requirements are contained in the Solicitation and the Insurance Exhibit.
- 35. **CLAIMS**: If any claim, demand, suit, or other action is asserted against the Contractor which arises under or concerns the Contract, or which could have a material adverse effect on the Contractor's ability to perform thereunder, the Contractor shall give written notice thereof to the City within ten (10) calendar days after receipt of notice by the Contractor. Such notice to the City shall state the date of notification of any such claim, demand, suit, or other action; the names and addresses of the claimant(s); the basis thereof; and the name of each person against whom such claim is being asserted. Such notice shall be delivered personally or by mail and shall be sent to the City and to the Denton City Attorney. Personal delivery to the City Attorney shall be to City Hall, 215 East McKinney Street, Denton, Texas 76201.
- 36. **NOTICES**: Unless otherwise specified, all notices, requests, or other communications required or appropriate to be given under the Contract shall be in writing and shall be deemed delivered three (3) business days after postmarked if sent by U.S. Postal Service Certified or Registered Mail, Return Receipt Requested. Notices delivered by other means shall be deemed delivered upon receipt by the addressee. Routine communications may be made by first class mail, telefax, or other commercially accepted means. Notices to the Contractor shall be sent to the address specified in the Contractor's Offer, or at such other address as a party may notify the other in writing. Notices to the City shall be addressed to the City at 901B Texas Street, Denton, Texas 76209 and marked to the attention of the Purchasing Manager.
- 37. **RIGHTS TO BID, PROPOSAL AND CONTRACTUAL MATERIAL**: All material submitted by the Contractor to the City shall become property of the City upon receipt. Any portions of such material claimed by the Contractor to be proprietary must be clearly marked as such. Determination of the public nature of the material is subject to the Texas Public Information Act, Chapter 552, and Texas Government Code. The requirements of Subchapter J, Chapter 552 of the Texas Government Code, may apply to this Contract and the Contractor agrees that the Contract can be terminated if the Contractor knowingly or intentionally fails to comply with a requirement of that subchapter.
- 38. INDEMNIFICATION AGAINST INFRINGEMENTS: The Contractor represents and warrants to the City that: (i) the Contractor shall provide the City good and indefeasible title to the deliverables and (ii) the deliverables supplied by the Contractor in accordance with the specifications in the Contract will not infringe, directly or contributorily, any patent, trademark, copyright, trade secret, or any other intellectual property right of any kind of any third party; that no claims have been made by any person or entity with respect to the ownership or operation of the deliverables and the Contractor does not know of any valid basis for any such claims. Moreover, Contractor does not know of any valid basis for any such claims. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL, AT ITS SOLE EXPENSE, DEFEND, INDEMNIFY, AND HOLD THE CITY HARMLESS FROM AND AGAINST ALL LIABILITY, DAMAGES, AND COSTS (INCLUDING COURT COSTS AND REASONABLE FEES OF ATTORNEYS AND OTHER PROFESSIONALS) ARISING OUT OF OR RESULTING FROM: (I) ANY CLAIM THAT THE CITY'S EXERCISE ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD OF THE RIGHTS ASSOCIATED

WITH THE CITY'S' OWNERSHIP, AND IF APPLICABLE, LICENSE RIGHTS, AND ITS USE OF THE DELIVERABLES INFRINGES THE INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS OF ANY THIRD PARTY; OR (II) THE CONTRACTOR'S BREACH OF ANY OF CONTRACTOR'S REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES STATED IN THIS CONTRACT. IN THE EVENT OF ANY SUCH CLAIM, THE CITY SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO MONITOR SUCH CLAIM OR AT ITS OPTION ENGAGE ITS OWN SEPARATE COUNSEL TO ACT AS CO-COUNSEL ON THE CITY'S BEHALF. FURTHER, CONTRACTOR AGREES THAT THE CITY'S SPECIFICATIONS REGARDING THE DELIVERABLES SHALL IN NO WAY DIMINISH CONTRACTOR'S WARRANTIES OR OBLIGATIONS UNDER THIS PARAGRAPH AND THE CITY MAKES NO WARRANTY THAT THE PRODUCTION, DEVELOPMENT, OR DELIVERY OF SUCH DELIVERABLES WILL NOT IMPACT SUCH WARRANTIES OF CONTRACTOR. THIS PARAGRAPH SHALL SURVIVE THE TERMINATION OF THIS CONTRACT.

39. CONFIDENTIALITY: In order to provide the deliverables to the City, Contractor may require access to certain of the City's and/or its licensors' confidential information (including inventions, employee information, trade secrets, confidential know-how, confidential business information, and other information which the City or its licensors consider confidential) (collectively, "Confidential Information"). Contractor acknowledges and agrees that the Confidential Information is the valuable property of the City and/or its licensors and any unauthorized use, disclosure, dissemination, or other release of the Confidential Information will substantially injure the City and/or its licensors. The Contractor (including its employees, subcontractors, agents, or representatives) agrees that it will maintain the Confidential Information in strict confidence and shall not disclose, disseminate, copy, divulge, recreate, or otherwise use the Confidential Information without the prior written consent of the City or in a manner not expressly permitted under this Contract, unless the Confidential Information is required to be disclosed by law or an order of any court or other governmental authority with proper jurisdiction, provided the Contractor promptly notifies the City before disclosing such information so as to permit the City reasonable time to seek an appropriate protective order. The Contractor agrees to use protective measures no less stringent than the Contractor uses within its own business to protect its own most valuable information, which protective measures shall under all circumstances be at least reasonable measures to ensure the continued confidentiality of the Confidential Information.

40. OWNERSHIP AND USE OF DELIVERABLES: Reserved

41. Reserved.

- 42. **ADVERTISING**: The Contractor shall not advertise or publish, without the City's prior consent, the fact that the City has entered into the Contract, except to the extent necessary to comply with proper requests for information from an authorized representative of the federal, State, or local government.
- 43. **NO CONTINGENT FEES**: The Contractor warrants that no person or selling agency has been employed or retained to solicit or secure the Contract upon any agreement or understanding for commission, percentage, brokerage, or contingent fee, excepting bona fide employees of bona fide established commercial or selling agencies maintained by the Contractor for the purpose of securing business. For breach or violation of this warranty, the City shall have the right, in addition to any other remedy available, to cancel the Contract without liability and to deduct from any amounts owed to the Contractor, or otherwise recover, the full amount of such commission, percentage, brokerage or contingent fee.

- 44. **GRATUITIES**: The City may, by written notice to the Contractor, cancel the Contract without liability if it is determined by the City that gratuities were offered or given by the Contractor or any agent or representative of the Contractor to any officer or employee of the City of Denton with a view toward securing the Contract or securing favorable treatment with respect to the awarding or amending or the making of any determinations with respect to the performing of such contract. In the event the Contract is canceled by the City pursuant to this provision, the City shall be entitled, in addition to any other rights and remedies, to recover or withhold the amount of the cost incurred by the Contractor in providing such gratuities.
- 45. PROHIBITION AGAINST PERSONAL INTEREST IN CONTRACTS: The Contractor agrees to comply with the conflict of interest provisions of the City of Denton Code of Ordinances and/or State law. 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 codified at Chapter 2, Article XI and in the City Charter Section 14.04, as amended. 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. The Contractor agrees to maintain current, updated disclosure of information on file with the Procurement Department throughout the term of this Contract.
- 46. **NO SUBCONTRACTING BID AFTER AWARD**: Following the award of the Contract, no subcontracting except that specifically identified in the response to the Solicitation will be permitted without the express prior written consent of the City.
- 47. **NO GIFT OF PUBLIC PROPERTY**: The City will not agree to any terms or conditions that cause the City to lend its credit or grant public money or anything of value to the selected Contractor.
- 48. **INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR**: The Contract shall not be construed as creating an employer/employee relationship, a partnership, or a joint venture. The Contractor's services shall be those of an independent contractor. The Contractor agrees and understands that the Contract does not grant any rights or privileges established for employees of the City of Denton, Texas for the purposes of income tax, withholding, social security taxes, vacation or sick leave benefits, worker's compensation, or any other City employee benefit. The City shall not have supervision and control of the Contractor or any employee of the Contractor, and it is expressly understood that Contractor shall perform the services hereunder according to the attached specifications at the general direction of the City Manager of the City of Denton, Texas, or their designee under this Contract. The Contractor is expressly free to advertise and perform services for other parties while performing services for the City.
- 49. **ASSIGNMENT-DELEGATION**: The Contract shall be binding upon and enure to the benefit of the City and the Contractor and their respective successors and assigns, provided however, that no right or interest in the Contract shall be assigned and no obligation shall be delegated by the Contractor without the prior written consent of the City. Any attempted assignment or delegation

by the Contractor shall be void unless made in conformity with this Paragraph. The Contract is not intended to confer rights or benefits on any person, firm or entity not a party hereto; it being the intention of the parties that there are no third party beneficiaries to the Contract.

The Vendor shall notify the City's Purchasing Manager, in writing, of a company name, ownership, or address change for the purpose of maintaining updated City records. The president of the company or authorized official must sign the letter. A letter indicating changes in a company name or ownership must be accompanied with supporting legal documentation such as an updated W-9, documents filed with the state indicating such change, copy of the board of director's resolution approving the action, or an executed merger or acquisition agreement. Failure to do so may adversely impact future invoice payments.

- 50. **WAIVER**: No claim or right arising out of a breach of the Contract can be discharged in whole or in part by a waiver or renunciation of the claim or right unless the waiver or renunciation is supported by consideration and is in writing signed by the aggrieved party. No waiver by either the Contractor or the City of any one or more events of default by the other party shall operate as, or be construed to be, a permanent waiver of any rights or obligations under the Contract, or an express or implied acceptance of any other existing or future default or defaults, whether of a similar or different character. No delay, failure, or waiver of either party's exercise or partial exercise of any right or remedy under the Contract shall operate to limit, impair, preclude, cancel, waive or otherwise affect such right or remedy.
- 51. **MODIFICATIONS**: The Contract can be modified or amended only by a writing signed by both parties. No pre-printed or similar terms on any the Contractor invoice, order or other document submitted to the City by Contractor shall have any force or effect to change the terms, covenants, and conditions of the Contract.
- 52. **INTERPRETATION**: The Contract is intended by the parties as a final, complete and exclusive statement of the terms of their agreement. No course of prior dealing between the parties or course of performance or usage of the trade shall be relevant to supplement or explain any term used in the Contract. Acceptance or acquiescence in a course of performance rendered under this Contract shall not be relevant to determine the meaning of this agreement even though the accepting or acquiescing party has knowledge of the performance and opportunity for objection. Although the Contract may have been substantially drafted by one party, it is the intent of the parties that all provisions be construed in a manner to be fair to both parties, reading no provisions more strictly against one party or the other. Whenever a term defined by the Uniform Commercial Code, as enacted by the State of Texas, is used in the Contract, the UCC definition shall control, unless otherwise defined in the Contract.

53. DISPUTE RESOLUTION:

A. If a dispute arises out of or relates to the Contract, or the breach thereof, the parties agree to negotiate prior to prosecuting a suit for damages. However, this section does not prohibit the filing of a lawsuit to toll the running of a statute of limitations or to seek injunctive relief. Either party may make a written request for a meeting between representatives of each party within fourteen (14) calendar days after receipt of the request or such later period as agreed by the parties. Each party shall include, at a minimum, one (1) senior level individual with decision-making authority regarding the dispute, however any decision requiring approval of the City Council of the City will be required to be submitted to the City Council and the senior level person shall have authority to

recommend approval of any resolution. The purpose of this and any subsequent meeting is to attempt in good faith to negotiate a resolution of the dispute. If, within thirty (30) calendar days after such meeting, the parties have not succeeded in negotiating a resolution of the dispute, they will proceed directly to mediation as described below. Negotiation may be waived by a written agreement signed by both parties, in which event the parties may proceed directly to mediation as described below.

B. If the efforts to resolve the dispute through negotiation fail, or the parties waive the negotiation process, the parties may select, within thirty (30) calendar days, a mediator trained in mediation skills to assist with resolution of the dispute. Should they choose this option; the City and the Contractor agree to act in good faith in the selection of the mediator and to give consideration to qualified individuals nominated to act as mediator. Nothing in the Contract prevents the parties from relying on the skills of a person who is trained in the subject matter of the dispute or a contract interpretation expert. If the parties fail to agree on a mediator within thirty (30) calendar days of initiation of the mediation process, the mediator shall be selected by the Denton County Alternative Dispute Resolution Program (DCAP). The parties agree to participate in mediation in good faith for up to thirty (30) calendar days from the date of the first mediation session. The City and the Contractor will share the mediator's fees equally and the parties will bear their own costs of participation such as fees for any consultants or attorneys they may utilize to represent them or otherwise assist them in the mediation.

C. The parties shall not be required to submit to binding arbitration.

54. **JURISDICTION AND VENUE**: The Contract is made under and shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas, including, when applicable, the Uniform Commercial Code as adopted in Texas, V.T.C.A., Bus. & Comm. Code, Chapter 1, excluding any rule or principle that would refer to and apply the substantive law of another state or jurisdiction. All issues arising from this Contract shall be resolved in the courts of Denton County, Texas and the parties agree to submit to the exclusive personal jurisdiction of such courts. The foregoing, however, shall not be construed or interpreted to limit or restrict the right or ability of the City to seek and secure injunctive relief from any competent authority as contemplated herein.

55. **INVALIDITY**: The invalidity, illegality, or unenforceability of any provision of the Contract shall in no way affect the validity or enforceability of any other portion or provision of the Contract. Any void provision shall be deemed severed from the Contract and the balance of the Contract shall be construed and enforced as if the Contract did not contain the particular portion or provision held to be void. The parties further agree to reform the Contract to replace any stricken provision with a valid provision that comes as close as possible to the intent of the stricken provision. The provisions of this section shall not prevent this entire Contract from being void should a provision which is the essence of the Contract be determined to be void.

56. **HOLIDAYS:** The following holidays are observed by the City:

New Year's Day (observed) Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Memorial Day Juneteenth Independence Day Labor Day Veteran's Day Thanksgiving Day
Friday After Thanksgiving
Christmas Eve (observed)
Christmas Day (observed)

If a Legal Holiday falls on Saturday, it will be observed on the preceding Friday. If a Legal Holiday falls on Sunday, it will be observed on the following Monday. Normal hours of operation shall be between 8:00 am and 4:00 pm, Monday through Friday, excluding City of Denton Holidays. Any scheduled deliveries or work performance not within the normal hours of operation **must be approved** by the City Manager of Denton, Texas or their authorized designee.

57. **SURVIVABILITY OF OBLIGATIONS:** All provisions of the Contract that impose continuing obligations on the parties, including but not limited to the warranty, indemnity, and confidentiality obligations of the parties, shall survive the expiration or termination of the Contract for fifteen (15) years.

58. NON-SUSPENSION OR DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION:

The City of Denton is prohibited from contracting with or making prime or sub-awards to parties that are suspended or debarred or whose principals are suspended or debarred from Federal, State, or City of Denton Contracts. By accepting a Contract with the City, the Vendor certifies that its firm and its principals are not currently suspended or debarred from doing business with the Federal Government, as indicated by the General Services Administration List of Parties Excluded from Federal Procurement and Non-Procurement Programs, the State of Texas, or the City of Denton.

- 59. **EQUAL OPPORTUNITY** Contractor agrees that during the performance of its contract it will:
- A. Treat all applicants and employees without discrimination as to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, marital status, age, or handicap.
- B. Identify itself as an "Equal Opportunity Employer" in all help wanted advertising or request. The Contractor shall be advised of any complaints filed with the City alleging that Contractor is not an Equal Opportunity Employer. The City reserves the right to consider its reports from its human relations administrator in response to such complaints in determining whether or not to terminate any portion of this contract for which purchase orders or authorities to deliver have not been included, however, the Contractor is specifically advised that no Equal Opportunity Employment complaint will be the basis for cancellation of this contract for which a purchase order has been issued or authority to deliver granted.
- C. Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Compliance: No Contractor, or Contractor's agent, shall engage in any discriminatory employment practice against individuals with disabilities as defined

in the ADA.

60. BUY AMERICAN ACT-SUPPLIES (Applicable to certain federally funded requirements)

The following federally funded requirements are applicable. A. Definitions. As used in this paragraph –

- i. "Component" means an article, material, or supply incorporated directly into an end product.
- ii. "Cost of components" means -

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- (1) For components purchased by the Contractor, the acquisition cost, including transportation costs to the place of incorporation into the end product (whether or not such costs are paid to a domestic firm), and any applicable duty (whether or not a duty-free entry certificate is issued); or (2) For components manufactured by the Contractor, all costs associated with the manufacture of the component, including transportation costs as described in paragraph (1) of this definition, plus allocable overhead costs, but excluding profit. Cost of components does not include any costs associated with the manufacture of the end product.
- iii. "Domestic end product" means-
- (1) An unmanufactured end product mined or produced in the United States; or
- (2) An end product manufactured in the United States, if the cost of its components mined, produced, or manufactured in the United States exceeds 50 percent of the cost of all its components. Components of foreign origin of the same class or kind as those that the agency determines are not mined, produced, or manufactured in sufficient and reasonably available commercial quantities of a satisfactory quality are treated as domestic. Scrap generated, collected, and prepared for processing in the United States is considered domestic.
- iv. "End product" means those articles, materials, and supplies to be acquired under the contract for public use.
- v. "Foreign end product" means an end product other than a domestic end product.
- vi. "United States" means the 50 States, the District of Columbia, and outlying areas.
- B. The Buy American Act (41 U.S.C. 10a 10d) provides a preference for domestic end products for supplies acquired for use in the United States.
- C. The City does not maintain a list of foreign articles that will be treated as domestic for this Contract; but will consider for approval foreign articles as domestic for this product if the articles are on a list approved by another Governmental Agency. The Contractor shall submit documentation with their offer demonstrating that the article is on an approved Governmental list. D. The Contractor shall deliver only domestic end products except to the extent that it specified delivery of foreign end products in the provision of the Solicitation entitled "Buy American Act Certificate".
- 61. **RIGHT TO INFORMATION:** The City of Denton reserves the right to use any and all information presented in any response to this Contract, whether amended or not, except as prohibited by law. Selection of rejection of the submittal does not affect this right.
- 62. LICENSE FEES OR TAXES: Provided the solicitation requires an awarded contractor or supplier to be licensed by the State of Texas, any and all fees and taxes are the responsibility of the respondent.
- 63. **PREVAILING WAGE RATES:** The Contractor shall comply with prevailing wage rates as defined by the United States Department of Labor Davis-Bacon Wage Determination at http://www.dol.gov/whd/contracts/dbra.htm and at the Wage Determinations website www.wdol.gov for Denton County, Texas (WD-2509).
- 64. **COMPLIANCE WITH ALL STATE, FEDERAL, AND LOCAL LAWS:** The Contractor or supplier shall comply with all State, federal, and local laws and requirements. The Contractor must comply with all applicable laws at all times, including, without limitation, the following: (i) §36.02 of the Texas Penal Code, which prohibits bribery; (ii) §36.09 of the Texas Penal Code, which prohibits the offering or conferring of benefits to public servants; and (iii) Chapter 552 of the Texas Government Code, which outlines policy for public information. The Contractor shall

give all notices and comply with all laws and regulations applicable to furnishing and performance of the Contract.

- 65. **FEDERAL**, **STATE**, **AND LOCAL REQUIREMENTS**: Contractor shall demonstrate onsite compliance with the provisions of federal law dealing with issuance of Form W-2's to common law employees. Contractor is responsible for both federal and State unemployment insurance coverage and standard Workers' Compensation insurance coverage. Contractor shall ensure compliance with all federal and State tax laws and withholding requirements. The City of Denton shall not be liable to Contractor or its employees for any Unemployment or Workers' Compensation coverage, or federal or State withholding requirements. Contractor shall indemnify the City of Denton and shall pay all costs, penalties, or losses resulting from Contractor's omission or breach of this Section.
- 66. **ATTORNEY'S FEES; LEGAL COSTS:** Contractor and City agree that the City will not be required to pay Contractor's attorney's fees or legal costs under any circumstances, unless expressly required by law.
- 67. **DRUG FREE WORKPLACE:** The Contractor shall comply with the applicable provisions of the Drug-Free Work Place Act of 1988 (Public Law 100-690, Title V, Subtitle D; 41 U.S.C. 701 ET SEQ.) and maintain a drug-free work environment; and the final rule, government-wide requirements for drug-free work place (grants), issued by the Office of Management and Budget and the Department of Defense (32 CFR Part 280, Subpart F) to implement the provisions of the Drug-Free Work Place Act of 1988 is incorporated by reference and the Contractor shall comply with the relevant provisions thereof, including any amendments to the final rule that may hereafter be issued.
- 68. CONTRACTOR LIABILITY FOR DAMAGE TO GOVERNMENT PROPERTY: The Contractor shall be liable for all damages to government-owned, leased, or occupied property and equipment caused by the Contractor and its employees, agents, subcontractors, and suppliers, including any delivery or cartage company, in connection with any performance pursuant to the Contract. The Contractor shall notify the City of Denton Procurement Manager in writing of any such damage within one (1) calendar day.
- 69. **FORCE MAJEURE:** The City of Denton, any Customer, and the Contractor shall not be responsible for performance under the Contract should it be prevented from performance by an act of war, order of legal authority, act of God, or other unavoidable cause not attributable to the fault or negligence of the City of Denton. In the event of an occurrence under this Section, the Contractor will be excused from any further performance or observance of the requirements so affected for as long as such circumstances prevail and the Contractor continues to use commercially reasonable efforts to recommence performance or observance whenever and to whatever extent possible without delay. The Contractor shall immediately notify the City of Denton Procurement Manager by telephone (to be confirmed in writing within five (5) calendar days of the inception of such occurrence) and describe at a reasonable level of detail the circumstances causing the non-performance or delay in performance.
- 70. **NON-WAIVER OF RIGHTS:** Failure of a Party to require performance by another Party under the Contract will not affect the right of such Party to require performance in the future. No delay, failure, or waiver of either Party's exercise or partial exercise of any right or remedy under Contract 8850

the Contract shall operate to limit, impair, preclude, cancel, waive or otherwise affect such right or remedy. A waiver by a Party of any breach of any term of the Contract will not be construed as a waiver of any continuing or succeeding breach.

- 71. **NO WAIVER OF SOVEREIGN IMMUNITY:** The Parties expressly agree that no provision of the Contract is in any way intended to constitute a waiver by the City of Denton of any immunities from suit or from liability that the City of Denton may have by operation of law.
- 72. **RECORDS RETENTION:** The Contractor shall retain all financial records, supporting documents, statistical records, and any other records or books relating to the performances called for in the Contract. The Contractor shall retain all such records for a period of four (4) years after the expiration of the Contract, or until the CPA or State Auditor's Office is satisfied that all audit and litigation matters are resolved, whichever period is longer. The Contractor shall grant access to all books, records and documents pertinent to the Contract to the CPA, the State Auditor of Texas, and any federal governmental entity that has authority to review records due to federal funds being spent under the Contract. In the event the value of this Contract is One Million (\$1,000,000) Dollars or greater: (i) all contracting information related to this contract will be preserved for the duration of the Contact; (ii) the Contractor shall provide any contracting information in its possession promptly upon request by the City; and (iii) at the expiration of this Contract, the Contractor will either provide all contracting information in its possession to the City or preserve same as required by the record retention requirements of the State of Texas.
- 73. **PROCUREMENT LAWS**: The City will not agree to any terms or conditions that cause the City to violate any federal, State, or local procurement laws, including its own Charter or Procurement Policy and any such laws included in boilerplate terms, online terms or other terms provided by the Contractor are considered null and void.
- 74. **AUTHORITY**: Contractor represents and warrants to the other that (a) it has company authority to execute and perform this Contract; (b) executing this Contract does not constitute a material conflict with, breach, or default under any applicable law, its respective organizational documents, or any documents, agreements, contracts or instruments which are binding upon it; and (c) this Contract creates valid, legal, and binding obligation enforceable against it, subject to applicable insolvency and bankruptcy laws. Contractor recognizes and agrees that a violation of this provision constitutes a material breach under this Contract.

Exhibit D 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.

<u>Contractor will be required to furnish a Certificate of Interest Parties before the Contract is awarded, in accordance with Government Code 2252.908.</u>

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 <u>purchasing@cityofdenton.com</u> 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.

Exhibit E

INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

Respondent's attention is directed to the insurance requirements below. It is highly recommended that respondents confer with their respective insurance carriers or brokers to determine in advance of Proposal/Bid submission the availability of insurance certificates and endorsements as prescribed and provided herein. If an apparent low respondent fails to comply strictly with the insurance requirements, that respondent may be disqualified from award of the contract. Upon contract award, all insurance requirements shall become contractual obligations, which the successful contractor shall have a duty to maintain throughout the course of this contract.

STANDARD PROVISIONS:

Without limiting any of the other obligations or liabilities of the Contractor, the Contractor shall provide and maintain until the contracted work has been completed and accepted by the City of Denton, Owner, the minimum insurance coverage as indicated hereinafter.

As soon as practicable after notification of contract award, Contractor shall file with the Purchasing Department satisfactory certificates of insurance including any applicable addendum or endorsements, containing the contract number and title of the project. Contractor may, upon written request to the Purchasing Department, ask for clarification of any insurance requirements at any time; however, Contractors are strongly advised to make such requests prior to proposal/bid opening, since the insurance requirements may not be modified or waived after proposal/bid opening unless a written exception has been submitted with the proposal/bid. Contractor shall not commence any work or deliver any material until he or she receives notification that the contract has been accepted, approved, and signed by the City of Denton.

All insurance policies proposed or obtained in satisfaction of these requirements shall comply with the following general specifications, and shall be maintained in compliance with these general specifications throughout the duration of the Contract, or longer, if so noted:

- Each policy shall be issued by a company authorized to do business in the State of Texas with an A.M. Best Company rating of at least <u>A- or better</u>.
- Any deductibles or self-insured retentions shall be declared in the proposal. If requested by the City, the insurer shall reduce or eliminate such deductibles or self-insured retentions with respect to the City, its officials, agents, employees and volunteers; or, the contractor shall procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigations, claim administration and defense expenses.
- Liability policies shall be endorsed to provide the following:
 - o Name as Additional Insured the City of Denton, its Officials, Agents,

Employees and volunteers.

- That such insurance is primary to any other insurance available to the Additional Insured with respect to claims covered under the policy and that this insurance applies separately to each insured against whom claim is made or suit is brought. The inclusion of more than one insured shall not operate to increase the insurer's limit of liability.
- Provide a Waiver of Subrogation in favor of the City of Denton, its officials, agents, employees, and volunteers.
- Cancellation: City requires 30 day written notice should any of the policies described on the certificate be cancelled or materially changed before the expiration date.
- Should any of the required insurance be provided under a claims made form, Contractor shall maintain such coverage continuously throughout the term of this contract and, without lapse, for a period of three years beyond the contract expiration, such that occurrences arising during the contract term which give rise to claims made after expiration of the contract shall be covered.
- Should any of the required insurance be provided under a form of coverage that
 includes a general annual aggregate limit providing for claims investigation or legal
 defense costs to be included in the general annual aggregate limit, the
 Contractor shall either double the occurrence limits or obtain Owners and
 Contractors Protective Liability Insurance.
- Should any required insurance lapse during the contract term, requests for payments originating after such lapse shall not be processed until the City receives satisfactory evidence of reinstated coverage as required by this contract, effective as of the lapse date. If insurance is not reinstated, City may, at its sole option, terminate this agreement effective on the date of the lapse.

SPECIFIC ADDITIONAL INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS:

All insurance policies proposed or obtained in satisfaction of this Contract shall additionally comply with the following specifications, and shall be maintained in compliance with these additional specifications throughout the duration of the Contract, or longer, if so noted:

A. COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY INSURANCE

Commercial General Liability Insurance including, but not limited to, Premises/Operations, Personal & Advertising Injury, Products/Completed Operations, Independent Contractors, and Contractual Liability with minimum combined bodily injury (including death) and property damage limits of \$1,000,000.00 per occurrence and \$2,000,000.00 general aggregate.

B. CYBER/TECHNOLOGY NETWORK LIABILITY AND RISK INSURANCE

Cyber/Technology Network Liability and Risk Insurance, inclusive of Information Security and Privacy (first and third party coverage) to provide coverage for any damage caused by a network risk, cyber act or breaches of data and privacy right, the rendering of, or the failure to properly perform professional services for, but not limited to, computer programming, management information systems, negligent system design, disclosure of confidential information, and copyright infringement with minimum limits with minimum limits of \$1,000,000.00 per claim.

NOTE: Professional Liability Insurance and Cyber/Technology Network Liability and Network Risk Insurance may be combined on one policy with a \$2,000,000.00 limit.

	Exhibit F			SwiftComply, Inc.
Line #	Description	QTY	UOM	BAFO (8-1-25)
1	Onboarding			
2	Data Migration			\$4,528.00
3	Upfront Product Licensing Fee			\$0.00
4	Software Customization and Set-up			\$4,966.00
5	Software Integration			\$3,506.00
6	CROMERR Set-Up (EPA Application Assistance)			\$0.00
7	General System Support			
8	System Support per Individual User*Estimated Up to 10 users*	1	User	\$0.00
9	Concurrent Software - Per User*Estimated up to 10 users*	1	User	\$0.00
10	Training Material			\$0.00
11	Program Modification, Per Hour	1	Hour	\$0.00
12	Industrial Pretreatment Module			
13	Ongoing Product Support			\$0.00
14	Ongoing Licensing Fee*Annual Licensing Fee*			\$0.00
	Ongoing Subscription Fee*Annual Subscription Fee*			
15	Year 1 Industrial Pretreatment with first year discount of \$4,594			
	(\$8,750 is base yearly amount to apply future price increase)			\$4,156.00
16	Permitted Industrial User*Estimated up to 16 Users*	1	User	\$0.00
17	CROMERR Support Fee	1	Hourly	\$0.00
18	Submitted Report	1	EA	\$0.00
19	Commercial Pretreatment Module			
20	Ongoing Product Support			\$0.00
21	Ongoing Licensing Fee*Annual Licensing Fee*			\$0.00
22				
22	Ongoing Subscription Fee*Annual Subscription Fee* FOG Subscription			\$4,988.00
23	Individual User*Estimated up to 10 Users*	1	User	\$0.00
24	Submitted Report	1	EA	\$0.00
25	Regulated Facilities*Current number of facilities 688*	1	EA	\$0.00
26	Backflow/Cross-Connection Prevention Module			
27	Ongoing Product Support			\$0.00
28	Ongoing Licensing Fee*Annual Licensing Fee*			\$0.00

Docusign En	velope ID: FBA9689C-74E6-4D9B-A407-C3F99E166A7C			
	Ongoing Subscription Fee*Annual Subscription Fee* Backfloods Subscription, Tester Funded	ow - Mailing		
No annual cost to City of Denton for backflow software. Testers charged \$12.75 per passing test submitted. SwiftComply sends custom first and second test due notices on City's behalf via mail and/or email.			\$0.00	
30	Individual User*Estimated up to 10 users*	1	User	\$0.00
31	Submitted Report	1	EA	\$0.00
32	Regulated Facility*Estimated number of Facilites 688*	1	EA	\$0.00

^{**}A yearly increase of 5% on subscription fees

CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE -

Signature of vendor doing business with the governmental entity

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. Name of vendor who has a business relationship with local governmental entity. SwiftComply US OpCo Inc. Check this box if you are filing an update to a previously filed questionnaire. (The law requires that you file an updated completed guestionnaire with the appropriate filing authority not later than the 7th business day after the date on which you became aware that the originally filed guestionnaire was incomplete or inaccurate.) 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 relations hip 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. Is the local government officer named in this section receiving or likely to receive taxable income, other than investment income, from the vendor? 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? Yes 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? Describe each employment or business and family relationship with the local government officer named in this section. LX I have no Conflict of Interest to disclose. Sefan Baerg 9/24/2025

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/LG176.htm. For easy reference, below are some of the sections cited on this form.

<u>Local Government Code § 176.001(1-a)</u>: "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

<u>Vendor</u>: 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.



Exhibit H

SWIFTCOMPLY INC. MASTER SERVICES AGREEMENT

THIS SWIFTCOMPLY SERVICE AGREEMENT (THE "AGREEMENT") IS MADE AND ENTERED INTO BY AND BETWEEN SWIFTCOMPLY, INC. ("SWIFTCOMPLY"), A DELAWARE CORPORATION WITH ITS PRINCIPAL OFFICES AT 6701 KOLL CENTER PKWY SUITE 250, PLEASANTON, CA 94566 AND THE CUSTOMER IDENTIFIED BELOW ("CUSTOMER"). THE "TERMS AND CONDITIONS" ATTACHED TO THIS COVER PAGE (THE "TERMS") SET FORTH THE GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS GOVERNING USE OF THE SUBSCRIPTION SERVICE (COLLECTIVELY, WITH THIS COVER PAGE AND ANY SERVICE ORDER FORMS AND SOWS, THE "AGREEMENT"). THE AGREEMENT IS EFFECTIVE WHEN THIS COVER PAGE IS EXECUTED BY AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVES OF BOTH PARTIES (THE "EFFECTIVE DATE").

The Parties have caused their duly authorized representatives to execute the Agreement (incorporating the Terms) as of the dates set forth below.

Customer:	SwiftComply, Inc.
By (Signature):	Signed by: By (Signature) Law Barra 4969BDC1BFD740E
Name (Printed):	Name (Printed): Sefan Baerg
Title:	Title: CRO
Date: ACCEPTING THE TERMS	9/24/2025 Date:

BY ACCEPTING THIS AGREEMENT, BY EXECUTING AN ORDER OR QUOTATION FORM THAT REFERENCES THIS AGREEMENT, THE CUSTOMER AGREES TO THE TERMS OF THIS AGREEMENT. IF THE CUSTOMER IS ENTERING INTO THIS AGREEMENT ON BEHALF OF A COMPANY OR OTHER LEGAL ENTITY, THE CUSTOMER REPRESENTS THAT IT HAS THE AUTHORITY TO BIND SUCH ENTITY AND ITS AFFILIATES TO THESE TERMS AND CONDITIONS. IF THE CUSTOMER DOES NOT HAVE SUCH AUTHORITY, OR THE CUSTOMER DOES NOT AGREE WITH THESE TERMS AND CONDITIONS, THE CUSTOMER MUST NOT ACCEPT THIS AGREEMENT AND MAY NOT USE THE SERVICES.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. Definitions

- 1.1. "Account" means an access point for the SwiftComply Service that requires registration by the Customer.
- 1.2. "Customer Data" means any data provided to SwiftComply by or on behalf of Customer or any data entered or uploaded into the SwiftComply Service by or on behalf of Customer, including Sensitive Data entered or provided by Customer. Customer Data specifically excludes SwiftComply Aggregated Data as well as any anonymized, customized, modified or derivative works related to the Customer Data.



- 1.3. "Customer State" means the state, commonwealth or territory in which the Customer is located.
- **1.4.** "Customer Web Site" means any website owned and operated by Customer.
 - **1.5.** "*Delinquent Account*" means an Account for which payment has not been received by SwiftComply within the payment period specified in the applicable Service Order or this Agreement.
 - **1.6.** "Documentation" means any accompanying proprietary documentation made available to Customer by SwiftComply for use with the SwiftComply Service, including any documentation available online or otherwise.
- **1.7.** "Downtime" means any period during which the SwiftComply Service is not available to Customer, excluding (a) scheduled maintenance of which SwiftComply has given at least 24 hours' notice and (b) unavailability due to circumstances beyond SwiftComply's reasonable control.
- **1.8.** "Sensitive Data" means any Customer Data that is considered sensitive or confidential under applicable law or internal Customer policies, including but not limited to Social Security numbers, personal financial information, protected health information under HIPAA, or any data classified as sensitive personal information under relevant data protection laws. **1.9.**
- "Software" means the object code and/or other executable code which are material elements of the SwiftComply Modules and SwiftComply Service.
- **1.10.** "Subscription Term" means the duration for which the Customer has subscribed to the SwiftComply Service as specified in the applicable Service Order, including any renewals thereof.
- **1.11.** "Support" means the technical and customer service assistance provided by SwiftComply in accordance with its standard support policies or as specified in the applicable Service Order.
- **1.12.** "SwiftComply Aggregated Data" is defined in Section 13.2.
- **1.13.** *"SwiftComply API"* means an application programming interface that provides access to specified content and functionality within certain SwiftComply Modules.
- 1.14. "SwiftComply Modules" means collectively all of the web applications hosted by SwiftComply and available via the SwiftComply Service, including but not limited to: "SwiftComply Backflow", "SwiftComply Reclaimed Water", "SwiftComply Pretreatment", "SwiftComply FOG", "SwiftComply Stormwater", "SwiftComply Forms", and "SwiftComply Multi-Modules."
- **1.15.** *"SwiftComply Service"* means the complete set of SwiftComply software and related materials including but not limited to the SwiftComply Modules, SwiftComply Aggregated Data, SwiftComply Websites, the Documentation and the Software.
- **1.16.** "SwiftComply Web Site" means the websites owned and operated by SwiftComply and made available at the following URL: http://customer.swiftcomply.com, https://customer.c3swift.com/, and/or any successor site(s).
- **1.17.** "*User*" means an individual authorized by Customer to access and use the SwiftComply Service under Customer's Account, subject to the limitations set forth in this Agreement.



2. Purchased Services

2.1. Provision of Purchased Services

SwiftComply shall provide to the Customer the Swift Comply Service that is ordered by the Customer ("Purchased Services") on SwiftComply's invoice or quotation form (each a "Service Order") during a Subscription Term (as defined below), attached hereto as Appendix A.

2.2. Subscription License

Unless otherwise stated in the applicable Service Order, the Purchased Services are purchased as a subscription license (the "Subscription") and non-transferrable to a third party.

3. SWIFTCOMPLY'S RESPONSIBILITIES

3.1. Provision of Service

So long as Customer has not breached this Agreement, SwiftComply will use commercially reasonable efforts to make the Purchased Service available to the Customer 24 hours per day, 7 days per week, except for planned downtime of which SwiftComply shall provide at least 24 hours notice via the Purchased Service and scheduled to the extent practicable during the weekend hours between 6 pm Friday and 3 am Monday Pacific Time. Any unavailability caused by circumstances beyond SwiftComply's reasonable control including but not limited to the malfunction of equipment, acts of God, act of government, flood, fire, earthquake, civil unrest, act of terror (collectively, "Force Majeure"), or the activities of third parties not under SwiftComply's control (including Internet and other service providers) is not the responsibility of SwiftComply. SwiftComply will make reasonable efforts to reduce to a minimum and mitigate the effect of any Force Majeure. SwiftComply has no liability whatsoever for any loss, damage, or inconvenience caused by Customer's inability to access or use the Purchased Services during any downtime or discontinuance of the Purchased Services. Nothing in this Agreement will be construed to obligate SwiftComply to maintain and support the Purchased Services.

SwiftComply reserves the right to enhance, update, and make changes (which changes could add or remove features or functionality) to the SwiftComply Services and to rollout such enhancements, updates, and changes to Customer at any time in connection with SwiftComply making such enhancements, updates, and changes commercially available to SwiftComply's other like customers. SwiftComply has made no promises or guarantees with respect to delivery of any future features or functionalities. Any discussions of any future features or functionalities, either prior to or following the agreement to this Agreement, are for informational purposes only, and SwiftComply has no obligation to provide any such features or functionalities.

3.2. Customer Data

Customer represents and warrants that it has obtained all data subjects' consent or otherwise has the full legal right necessary to provide the Customer Data to SwiftComply for SwiftComply's use as contemplated by this Agreement. Customer acknowledges that SwiftComply shall have no legal liability for its use and/or the display of the Customer Data as contemplated by this Agreement.

Customer Data shall remain the property of Customer, and Customer hereby grants SwiftComply a limited, perpetual, worldwide, irrevocable and royalty-free right to use, copy, modify, access, process, compile, and display the Customer Data within any SwiftComply Module(s) and for the purpose of providing the SwiftComply Service.



3.3. Software Uptime Agreement

SwiftComply endeavours to provide 99.9% uptime with respect to the Purchased Services in each calendar month during the Term, excluding:

- (a) any scheduled maintenance times;
- (b) factors outside SwiftComply's reasonable control; and
- (c) downtime related to the Customer's or third party's hardware, software or services.

If in any calendar month this uptime commitment is not met by SwiftComply and the Customer was materially impacted from a resulting disruption to the Purchased Services as determined in SwiftComply's sole discretion acting reasonably, SwiftComply shall provide, as the sole and exclusive remedy, a service credit equal to 25% of one month's fee for the use of the Purchased Service (the "Credit").

3.4. Service Level Agreement

There are several ways to get support for using SwiftComply, including online knowledge base, technical support, services support, and community support options.

The Customer Success team technical and consulting support is available during its regular business hours on weekdays that are not legal American holidays. Regular business hours are listed below:

>> 7:00 am EST until 8:00 pm EST

The following targets will be used for response to support requests during active business hours:

Seve	erity	Initial Response	Resolution	Updates
Criti	cal	1 hour	Work continuously	Every business day
High	1	2 hours	As soon as possible	Every other business day
Med	dium	4 hours	Reasonable effort	Weekly
Low		Following business day	Reasonable effort	As appropriate

Severity indicators are defined as follows:

- >> Critical SwiftComply Production Environment is down and no workaround is available.
- >> High Major functionality is impacted or significantly degraded;. No workaround is available.
- >> Medium Partial or non-critical loss of functionality; workaround available. >>
- Low General questions, documentation help, or feature requests.

Updates will continue until the issue is resolved or there is a workaround in place. SwiftComply aims to resolve all issues expeditiously, but when an issue is difficult to solve and takes longer than one business day, SwiftComply will provide updates on its progress according to the schedule listed above.

4. CUSTOMER'S USE OF THE SERVICE

4.1. Service Access

Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement and as specifically set forth in the applicable SwiftComply Service



Order(s), SwiftComply grants Customer a limited, revocable, non-exclusive, non-transferable, non-distributable, worldwide license during the Subscription Term to utilize the Purchased Service for the following functionality:

- Content Delivery: Customer may integrate, link and publish applicable public-facing content from the applicable SwiftComply Modules within one or more Customer Web Site(s);
- Application Access: Customer may access the SwiftComply Modules via Customer's Account to utilize the functionality provided within such SwiftComply Modules; and
- API Access: Customer may access the SwiftComply API to share data from the SwiftComply Modules within one or more Customer(s) database(s).

4.2. Authorized Users

The Customer agrees to maintain authorized users purchased under the Subscription as stated in the Service Order. Only the Customer or persons or entities that have access to an Account through a username and password for the Account (each a "User" and collectively, the "Users") may use the Account.

4.3. Email and Notices

At the time of ordering the Purchased Service from SwiftComply, the Customer shall identify the administrator(s) responsible for the Accounts (each an "Administrator"). The Customer agrees to provide SwiftComply with the Administrator's contact information including e-mail address. By providing the Administrator's e-mail address, the Customer agrees to receive all required notices electronically to the Administrator's e-mail address.

The Administrator shall be responsible on behalf of the Customer for managing the Accounts, maintaining all User information, and the Purchased Services used by the Customer. It is the Customer's sole responsibility to notify SwiftComply if the Customer changes or intends to change its Administrator(s).

4.4. Users: Passwords, Access, Data Usage, and Notifications

Customer shall protect its passwords and take full responsibility for Customer's own, as well as any third-party, use of the Customer Account(s). Customer is solely responsible for any and all activities that occur under such Customer's Account(s), except for any activities performed by SwiftComply as set forth herein. Customer agrees to notify SwiftComply immediately upon learning of any unauthorized use of Customer's Account(s) or any other breach of security. From time to time, SwiftComply's support staff may log in to the Customer's Account(s) in order to maintain or improve the Purchased Service, including providing Customer assistance with technical or billing issues. Customer hereby acknowledges and consents to such access.

Customer shall use commercially reasonable efforts to prevent unauthorized access to or use of the Purchased Service and shall promptly notify SwiftComply of such unauthorized access or loss/theft of any of its Users' login information.

Customer represents and warrants that Customer shall not provide or enter Sensitive Data to be displayed in any publicly available element of the SwiftComply Service. To the extent that Customer enters or uploads any Sensitive Data into the SwiftComply Service, Customer shall assume full responsibility for the disclosure of such Sensitive Data. SwiftComply is under no obligation to review and/or verify whether or not Customer Data includes Sensitive Data.

The Customer will be responsible for all electronic communications generated through the Purchased Service, including, but not limited to, Account registration and notices. The Customer is only entitled to access and use the Purchased Service and the Account for lawful purposes. Customer represents and warrants that (i) Customer will not use the Purchased Services for any illegal or unauthorized purpose and (ii) Customer's use of the Purchased Services will not violate any applicable law or regulation.



4.5. Restrictions

The Customer is responsible and liable for all activities conducted under its' Users' Accounts and ensuring their Users' compliance with this Agreement.

The Customer shall not:

- (a) permit concurrent use of a single User Account, or time-sharing of the Purchased Service;
- (b) post or transmit any Customer Data that contains viruses, worms, time bombs, Trojan horses or any othercontaminating, corrupting or destructive features, or use the Purchased Service in an irresponsible manner that interferes with the proper working and normal operation of the Purchased Service, or detrimentally interferes with personal information or property of another;
- (c) use any information obtained from the SwiftComply Services in a manner that is illegal, harassing, hateful, harmful, defamatory, obscene, bullying, abusive, discriminatory, threatening to any person or group, sexually explicit, false, inaccurate, deceitful, or misleading;
- (d) make improper use of SwiftComply's support services or submit false reports of abuse or misconduct;
- (e) engage in any automated use of the SwiftComply Services, such as using scripts to send comments or messages, or using any data mining, robots, or similar data gathering and extraction tools;
- (f) harass, annoy, intimidate, or threaten any of SwiftComply's employees or agents engaged in providing any portion of the SwiftComply Services to Customer;
- (g) copy, modify, create a derivative work of, reverse engineer, reverse assemble, disassemble, decompile or otherwiseattempt to extract the source code or modify the Purchased Service in any manner or form; or
- (h) transfer, sell, lease, rent, sublicense, resell or assign, in any way, all or a portion of, the Account and/or the Purchased Service to any third party (other than Users in accordance with Section 5.2).

For clarity, the Customer receives no right or license to any source code to the SwiftComply Service hereunder. This Section shall survive any termination or expiration of this Agreement.

5. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

5.1. General

Both Parties may only use the other Party's intellectual property as expressly set forth herein. Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed in any manner to affect or modify either Party's ownership rights in any pre-existing or future works, trademarks, copyrights or technologies developed or created by either Party, including, without limitation, their respective proprietary software used in connection with the development and provision of their respective Websites, databases, systems, products and/or services. Unless specifically agreed by the Parties in writing, all intellectual property, including without limitation information that could become the subject of a patent, copyright or trade secret, developed by a Party in the context of performing its obligations under this Agreement shall be exclusively owned by that Party and the other Party shall cooperate with any reasonable requests to execute documents confirming such ownership.



5.2. Proprietary Rights Notice

The SwiftComply Service and all intellectual property rights in the SwiftComply Service are, and shall remain, the property of SwiftComply. All rights in and to the SwiftComply Service not expressly granted to Customer in this Agreement are hereby expressly reserved and retained by SwiftComply without restriction, including, without limitation, SwiftComply's right to sole ownership of the SwiftComply API, SwiftComply Modules, SwiftComply Aggregated Data, SwiftComply Websites, Documentation and Software. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, Customer agrees not to (and to not allow any third party to): (a) sublicense, copy, distribute, rent, lease, lend or use the SwiftComply Service outside of the scope of the license granted herein or make the SwiftComply Service available to any third party or use the SwiftComply Service on a service bureau time sharing basis; (b) copy, modify, adapt, alter, translate, prepare derivative works from, reverse engineer, disassemble, or decompile the SwiftComply Service or otherwise attempt to discover or reconstruct any source code, underlying ideas, algorithms, file formats, program interfaces or other trade secrets related to the SwiftComply Service; (c) use the trademarks, trade names, service marks, logos, domain names and other distinctive brand features or any copyright or other proprietary rights associated with the SwiftComply Service for any purpose without the express written consent of SwiftComply; (d) register, attempt to register, or assist anyone else to register any trademark, trade name, service marks, logos, domain names and other distinctive brand features, copyrights or other proprietary rights associated with SwiftComply other than in the name of SwiftComply; or (e) modify, remove, obscure, or alter any notice of copyright, trademark, or other proprietary right or legend appearing in or on any item included with the SwiftComply Service; (f) build a commercial product or service using similar ideas, features, functions, or graphics of the SwiftComply Services or that is otherwise competitive with the Purchased Services; or (g) do anything prohibited under Section 4.5. If the use of the SwiftComply Service is being purchased by or on behalf of the U.S. Government or by a U.S. Government prime contractor or subcontractor (at any tier), in accordance with 48 C.F.R. 227.7202-4 (for Department of Defense (DOD) acquisitions) and 48 C.F.R. 2.101 and 12.212 (for non-DOD acquisitions), the Government's rights in the SwiftComply Service, including its rights to use, modify, reproduce, release, perform, display or disclose any elements of the SwiftComply Service, will be subject in all respects to the commercial license rights and restrictions provided in this Agreement.

This Section shall survive any termination or expiration of this Agreement.

5.3. Customer Feedback

The Customer acknowledges that any ideas, suggestions, concepts, processes or techniques that it provides to SwiftComply related to the SwiftComply Services or SwiftComply's business (the "Feedback") shall become SwiftComply's property without any compensation or other consideration payable to the Customer by SwiftComply, and the Customer does so of its own free will and volition. SwiftComply may or may not, in its sole discretion, use or incorporate the Feedback, in whatever form or derivative that SwiftComply may decide, into the SwiftComply Service, documentation, business or other products. The Customer hereby assigns all rights on a worldwide, exclusive basis in perpetuity to SwiftComply in any Feedback and, as applicable, waives any moral rights to the Feedback.

This Section shall survive any termination or expiration of this Agreement.



6. PURCHASED SERVICES AND PAYMENT

- 6.1. Term of Agreement Reserved.
- 6.2. Term of Subscriptions and Renewal Reserved.
- 6.3. Service Fees Reserved.
- 6.4. Invoicing and Payment Reserved.
- 6.5. Applicable Taxes, Duties and Tariffs Reserved.

7. TERMINATION AND SUSPENSION

7.1. SwiftComply's Right to Suspend the Account

Without limiting any other remedies, SwiftComply reserves the right to immediately suspend the Customer's Account and access to and use of the Purchased Service under the following conditions:

- The Account becomes a Delinquent Account; or
- SwiftComply reasonably concludes that the Account is being used to engage in denial service attacks, spamming, or illegal activity, and/or use of the Account is causing immediate, material and/or ongoing harm to SwiftComply and others.

In the extraordinary event that SwiftComply suspends the Customer's access to the Purchased Service, SwiftComply will use commercially reasonable efforts to limit the suspension to the offending portion of the Purchased Service and resolve the issues causing the suspension of the Purchased Service. SwiftComply shall be under no obligation to compensate Customer for any losses or adverse results that are due to the suspension of Customer's or a User's access to the Purchased Services or its Accounts in accordance with this Section 8.1.

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7.4. Handling of Customer Data Upon Termination

Effective upon cancellation of the Account, SwiftComply may deactivate the Account and be entitled to delete the Account and the Customer Data from the Purchased Service on the date the Subscription Term expires. The Customer further agrees that SwiftComply shall not be liable to the Customer nor to any third party for any termination of the Customer's access to the Purchased Service or deletion of the Customer Data, provided that SwiftComply is in compliance with the terms of this Section 7.4. It is the responsibility of the Customer to obtain a full data export, screen captures and download all necessary reports and any other Customer data, should the Customer wish to keep the data.

Customer shall cease use of the SwiftComply Service and shall remove all links from the Customer Web Site(s) to any content provided by the SwiftComply Modules.

Any outstanding fees shall become immediately due and payable, and termination of this Agreement shall not relieve Customer from its obligation to pay to SwiftComply any such fees.



8. PRICE AND SERVICE CHANGES

8.1. Professional Services Fees

SwiftComply shall provide the professional service as defined in the Scope of Work ("**SOW**"), Appendix B, in a professional manner, consistent with industry standards. Unless otherwise agreed upon by both Parties, or as the result of a delay on the part of SwiftComply, the obligation to provide professional services to the Customer expires the earlier of:

- 1) completion of the professional services described in the SOW
- 2) 12 months from the effective date of the relevant Service Order

Additional professional services required as a result of add-on feature purchases or as a result of implementation delays outside SwiftComply's control will require a subsequent Change Order which will outline fees and services required.

8.2. Travel Costs

Unless noted otherwise, this quotation does not include any travel, lodging, or on-site expenses. If such travel is required and subsequently authorized, SwiftComply's standard travel and per diem rates shall apply. SwiftComply must receive preapproval from Customer prior to incurring travel costs. Air travel, rental car (with associated fuel and parking costs), and lodging costs shall be reimbursed at cost. SwiftComply is not responsible for unpredictable (including commercial airline travel) delays which may increase travel cost.

9. Confidentiality

Subject to any applicable open public records laws in the Customer State, each Party will keep the specific terms of this Agreement confidential, including the contents of the schedules and exhibits, and not disclose any portion of them to any third party (other than to its attorneys, accountants, advisors and potential investors who are bound to keep such information confidential) without the other Party's prior written consent, except as required by law, including but not limited to open public record laws.

In addition, in connection with the negotiation and performance of this Agreement, a Party (the "Receiving Party") may receive information from the other Party (the "Disclosing Party") which is confidential or proprietary in nature, including without limitation information about a Party's products, systems and services ("Confidential Information"). The Receiving Party agrees that, during the term of this Agreement and for a period of three (3) years thereafter, it will keep the Confidential Information in strictest confidence and protect such Confidential Information by similar security measures as it takes to protect its own Confidential Information of a similar nature, but in no event shall the Receiving Party take less than reasonable care with the Confidential Information of the Disclosing Party. The Receiving Party also agrees that it will not use any Confidential Information for any purpose other than in connection with the performance of its obligations under this Agreement. The term "Confidential Information" shall not include information which A) is or becomes generally available to the public without breach of this Agreement, B) is in the possession of the Receiving Party prior to its disclosure by the Disclosing Party, C) becomes available from a third party not in breach of any obligations of confidentiality, or D) is independently developed by the Receiving Party.

In the event the Receiving Party is required by law and/or a valid court order or subpoena to disclose any portion of Confidential Information of the Disclosing Party, such disclosure shall not be a breach of this Agreement provided that the Receiving Party gives the Disclosing Party prior written notice of such disclosure requirement, cooperates fully with the Disclosing Party in seeking to obtain confidential treatment for such disclosure and to minimize the extent of such disclosure, and discloses only that portion of the Confidential Information that the Receiving Party is legally required to disclose.



The Parties recognize that the disclosure or use of a Disclosing Party's Confidential Information by the Receiving Party in violation of the provisions of this Section 10 may cause irreparable injury to the Disclosing Party; therefore, in the event either Party breaches the provisions of this Section 10, the other Party, in addition to any other remedies it may have, shall be entitled to seek preliminary and permanent injunctive relief without the necessity of posting a bond. SwiftComply acknowledges that the City of Denton must strictly comply with the Public Information Act, Chapter 552, *Texas Government Code* in responding to any request for public information related to this Agreement. This obligation supersedes any conflicting provisions of this Agreement. Any portions of such material claimed by SwiftComply to be proprietary must be clearly marked as such. Determination of the public nature of the material is subject to the Texas Public Information Act, chapter 552, and *Texas Government Code*.

10. Warranties

10.1. SwiftComply Warranties

SwiftComply represents and warrants that: (i) the Purchased Service shall be provided in accordance with, and shall not violate applicable laws, rules or regulations; and (ii) by using the Purchased Service, Customer will not violate or in any way infringe upon the personal or proprietary rights of any third party, (iii) to SwiftComply's knowledge, the Purchased Service does not contain any virus, worm, Trojan horse, time bomb or similar contaminating or destructive feature; and (iv) SwiftComply holds all necessary rights to permit the use of the Purchased Service and all components thereof provided to Customer under this Agreement.

The Customer's sole and exclusive remedy for SwiftComply's breach of this warranty shall be that SwiftComply be required to use commercially reasonable efforts to modify the Purchased Service to achieve in all material respects the functionality as described in the Help Documentation and, if SwiftComply is unable to restore such functionality, the Customer shall be entitled to terminate this Agreement and receive a pro-rata refund of the subscription fees paid under this Agreement for the Subscription for the terminated portion of the Subscription Term.

10.2. Disclaimer of Warranty

SWIFTCOMPLY WARRANTS THAT THE PURCHASED SERVICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN A PROFESSIONAL AND WORKMANLIKE MANNER SUBSTANTIALLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE STATEMENT OF WORK SET FORTH IN THE APPLICABLE PURCHASED SERVICE ORDER AND THAT THE PURCHASED SERVICE WILL OPERATE IN ALL MATERIAL RESPECTS AS DESCRIBED IN ITS PRODUCT DESCRIPTIONS AND/OR DOCUMENTATION. EXCEPT FOR THE EXPRESS WARRANTIES STATED IN THIS AGREEMENT, INCLUDING ANY APPLICABLE SWIFTCOMPLY SERVICE ORDER, SWIFTCOMPLY MAKES NO ADDITIONAL WARRANTY, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, STATUTORY OR OTHERWISE, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION ANY IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY, AVAILABILITY, FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE OR NON-INFRINGEMENT, GUARANTEES, REPRESENTATIONS, PROMISES, STATEMENTS, ESTIMATES, CONDITIONS, OR OTHER INDUCEMENTS.

FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION 11.2, "SWIFTCOMPLY" INCLUDES SWIFTCOMPLY'S DIVISIONS, SUBSIDIARIES, AFFILIATES, SUCCESSORS, PARENT COMPANIES AND THEIR (INCLUDING SWIFTCOMPLY'S) EXECUTIVES, DIRECTORS, OFFICERS, ATTORNEYS, MANAGERS, EMPLOYEES, CONSULTANTS, CONTRACTORS, AGENTS, AFFILIATES, RESELLERS, THIRD PARTY PROVIDERS, MERCHANTS, LICENSORS AND THE LIKE.

This Section shall survive any termination or expiration of this Agreement.



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14 **GENERAL**

14.1 Interpretation of this Agreement

The term "including," wherever used in any provision of this Agreement, means "including but without limiting the generality of any description preceding or succeeding such term." Any rule of construction to the effect that any ambiguity is to be resolved against the drafting party shall not be applicable in the construction or interpretation of this Agreement.

The division of this Agreement into sections/paragraphs, and the insertion of headings/captions, are for the convenience of reference only and shall not affect the construction or interpretation of this Agreement or be deemed a part of this Agreement.

Anonymized Data Usage 14.2

SwiftComply may collect, analyze, and aggregate data derived from the use of the SwiftComply Service across its customer base, provided that such data is de-identified and does not contain any information that could reasonably be used to identify Customer or any individual ("SwiftComply Aggregated Data"). Both during and after the Term, SwiftComply may use such SwiftComply Aggregated Data for any lawful purpose, including to improve the SwiftComply Service, develop new features or offerings, train internal data models, and for industry research and benchmarking purposes. SwiftComply Aggregated Data may be processed or stored outside of SwiftComply's production environment, provided that appropriate technical and organizational measures are implemented to maintain data confidentiality and integrity.

14.3 Marketing

Customer agrees that SwiftComply may utilize Customer's name solely to identify it as a SwiftComply Customer on the SwiftComply Web site, in client lists and other marketing materials. Any other uses of Customer's name and/or logo (other than as included in the content and/or other items furnished to SwiftComply by Customer) shall require Customer's prior written consent.

14.4 Inurement

The rights and liabilities of both the Customer and SwiftComply (collectively, the "Parties") under this Agreement shall bind and inure to the benefit of the Parties' respective successors, executors, and administrators, as the case may be.

14.5 Assignment

Neither Party will assign this Agreement in whole or in part to any third party without the prior written consent of the other Party; provided, however, either Party may assign this Agreement without such consent to any subsidiary or parent company of such Party or to any successor by way of any merger, consolidation or other corporate reorganization of such Party or sale of all or substantially all of the assets of such Party or to an entity that assumes, by sale, license or otherwise, the business activities that are the subject of this Agreement, provided that such subsidiary or parent company or successor assumes or is



otherwise fully bound by all of the obligations of the assigning Party under this Agreement. SwiftComply shall provide prompt written notice of assignment to Customer.

14.6 Governing Law

This Agreement shall be governed by the applicable laws in the Customer State, without regard to conflict of laws rules.

The United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods and the Uniform Computer Information Transactions Act shall not apply to this Agreement. The Software is controlled by U.S. Export Regulations, and it may not be exported to or used by embargoed countries or individuals.

14.7 Reserved.

14.8 Severability

If any provision or portion of this Agreement is found by a court of competent jurisdiction to be unenforceable, invalid, or void for any reason, the remainder of this Agreement shall continue in full force and effect.

14.9 Independent Contractors

Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed as creating a partnership or relationship of employer and employee, principal and agent, partnership or joint venture between the Parties. Each Party will be deemed an independent contractor at all times and shall have no right or authority to assume or create any obligation on behalf of the other Party, except as may be expressly provided herein.

The Customer must not, in any way, misrepresent the Customer's relationship with SwiftComply, attempt to pass itself off as SwiftComply, or claim that the Customer is SwiftComply.

14.10 Injunction

Customer and SwiftComply acknowledge and agree that money damages are not an adequate remedy for any breach or threatened breach related to SwiftComply's rights or the Customer's use of the Purchased Service beyond the rights granted to Customer in this Agreement and may not be a sufficient remedy in the event of breach by SwiftComply of its obligations hereunder. The parties therefore agree that in addition to other remedies available hereunder, by law or otherwise, either party shall be entitled to an injunction against any such breach by the otherr.

14.11 Cooperative Statement

Other government or municipal organizations may elect to participate in this Agreement (piggyback) at their discretion, provided SwiftComply also agrees to do so.

14.12 Compliance with Laws

Each Party shall comply with all applicable laws in relation to its obligations or performance under this Agreement.

Customer specifically agrees to comply with all export control, embargo, and sanctions laws and regulations of the United States and any other applicable jurisdiction (the "Export Control Laws"). Customer will not violate, and will not cause SwiftComply to violate, any Export Control Laws. Licenses or other authorizations required for the transfer of goods or services will be the responsibility of Customer unless otherwise indicated in this Agreement, in which event Customer shall provide all information as may be requested by SwiftComply to enable SwiftComply to obtain such licenses or authorizations. Each Party specifically agrees to comply with all applicable anti-corruption laws, including the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act. Neither



Party nor any of its subcontractors will, directly or indirectly, provide, or offer to provide anything of value to or for the benefit of any official or employee of a governmental authority to obtain or retain any contract, business opportunity, or other benefit, or to influence any act or decision of that person in her/his official capacity.

14.13 Notices

All notices, requests, or other communications between the Parties that are required or permitted hereunder will be in writing and will be given by: (a) delivery in person or by prepaid courier service with a nationally recognized courier company, (b) delivery by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested, (c) by confirmed fax, or (d) email to the address and/or fax number set forth in the applicable SwiftComply Service Order. A Party may change the street or email address or fax number to which notice is to be sent by giving written notice of such change. Notices will be deemed given when received as evidenced by verification from the courier company, the mail or confirmation of email receipt or fax confirmation.

Notice to Company

Any and all notices to SwiftComply from the Customer must be given by in writing, e-mail, first class postal service (postage prepaid), or by pre-paid commercial courier delivered to SwiftComply at:

SwiftComply Inc. 6701 Koll Center Pkwy, Suite 250 Pleasanton CA, 94566 email: accounts@swiftcomply.com

15 Reserved.

Exhibit I

Service Order

6701 Koll Center Pkwy Suite 250, Pleasanton, CA 94566

619.304.6022 - www.swiftcomply.com



Customer Information					
Customer	City of Denton	Contact	Jordan Wilson	Billing Contact	Accounts Payable
					Accountspayable@cityofdenton.com
Street Address	215 East McKinney Street	Title	Pretreatment Program Manager	Email	
			Jordan.wilson@cityofdenton.		940-349-8619
City, St, Zip	Denton, TX 76205	Email		Phone	
Phone	940-349-8200	Phone	940-349-8619	PO # (If any)	

Services provided by SwiftComply:

One -Time Professional Services

SKU	Description	Unit Price	Quantity	Total Price
C-3-501	SwiftComply Professional Services - Implementation	\$13,000	1	\$13,000
Total One-Time Ser	\$13,000			

Recurring Subscription Fees

SKU	Description	Unit Price	Quantity	Total Price
C-1-303	Backflow - Mailing Subscription, Tester funded	\$0	1	\$0
C-1-302	FOG Subscription	\$4,988	1	\$4,988
C-1-201	Industrial Pretreatment - Subscription	\$8,750	1	\$8,750
C-1-201	Industrial Pretreatment First Year Discount	-\$4,594	1	-\$4,594
Total Subscrip	\$9,144			

Billing Details & Terms

Invoicing Schedule

	Billing Date	Amount(s)	Notes
Invoice 1	Contract Effective Date	\$22,144	Including Professional Services and Year 1 SaaS
Invoice 2	Renewal Date	\$14,425	Year 2 SaaS
Invoice 3	Renewal Date	\$15,146	Year 3 SaaS
Invoice 4 Invoice 5	Renewal Date	\$15,903	Year 4 SaaS
	Renewal Date	\$16,699	Year 5 SaaS

Billing Terms & Conditions

	Annual Increase	Annual year-over-year cost increase of 5% to City paid SaaS fees
Annual Fee		\$14.75/Event fee to be paid by Testers
		Customer commits to requiring backflow testers to submit backflow test reports via SwiftComply portal. SwiftComply will remit to the City on a quarterly basis (at a minimum amount of \$10,000 otherwise rolled to the next quarter) any funds received in excess of the \$14.75/test.
	Acceptance and Remittance	
	Initial Term	5 Year Contract
	Payment Terms	Due 100% on Contract Effective Date (Net 30)
	Payment Method	Any discounts stated above are contingent on payment being received by ACH

Signatures Customer SwiftComply

		REILLY KITZK
		Reilly Kirk
Signature	Signature	
Name	Name	Senior Account Executive
Title	Title	8/22/25
Date	Date	

General Terms & Conditions

Taxes

The Service Fees and Billing amounts set forth above in this SwiftComply Service Order DO NOT include applicable taxes.

Agreemen

This SwiftComply Service Order shall become binding upon execution by both Parties. The signature herein affirms your commitment to pay for the Service(s) ordered in accordance with the negotiated terms set forth in this SwiftComply Service Order.



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Christa Christian Christa.christian@cityofdenton.com

Purchasing Supervisor

City of Denton

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Michael Gange

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Director of Environmental Services & Sustainability

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Procurement Administration Supervisor

City of Denton

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Gretna Jones

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Legal Secretary

City of Denton

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