

SMALL PACKAGE DELIVERY SERVICES

Led by the **State of Utah**

Master Agreement #: MA454

Contractor: **FEDEX CORPORATE SERVICES INC. AS AGENT FOR FEDERAL EXPRESS CORPORATION AND FEDEX GROUND PACKAGE SYSTEM, INC.**

Participating Entity: **STATE OF ILLINOIS**

Scope and Participation:

1. Scope:

- This Participating Addendum includes the entire scope of the products and services available through the Master Agreement.
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Any scope exclusions specified herein apply only to this Participating Addendum and shall not amend or affect other participating addendums or the Master Agreement itself.

2. Participation: This Participating Addendum covers participation of Participating Entity in the above-referenced Master Agreement between the State of Utah and Contractor for Small Package Delivery Services. This Participating Addendum may be used by all state agencies, institutions of higher education, cities, counties, districts, and other political subdivisions of the state, and nonprofit organizations within the state if authorized herein and by law. Issues of interpretation and eligibility for participation are solely within the authority of the State Chief Procurement Official.

3. Term:

- This Participating Addendum shall become effective as of the date of the last signature below and shall terminate upon the expiration or termination of the Master Agreement, as amended, unless the Participating Addendum is terminated sooner in accordance with the terms set forth herein.
- This Participating Addendum shall become effective as of the date of the last signature below and shall terminate on November 27, 2026, unless terminated sooner or otherwise amended in accordance with the terms set forth herein. Notwithstanding the previous, in no event shall the term of the Participating Addendum exceed the term of the Master Agreement, as amended.

4. Primary Contacts: The following (or their named successors) are the primary contact individuals for this Participating Addendum:

5. Pricing:

- a. Contract date November 28, 2021, through November 27, 2026.
- b. The Pricing Option: "The State chooses to participate via the "Single" pricing option. When choosing single pricing, it is understood the contractor will be the sole authorized provider for small parcel services by users and no alternate providers will be contracted or legally approved for usage for the services covered under this agreement



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CONTRACTOR:

Name:	Joselyn Henderson
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website	www.fedex.com
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PARTICIPATING ENTITY:

Name:	Kassandra Wilkin
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Participating Entity Modifications and Additions to the Master Agreement

This Participating Addendum incorporates all terms and conditions of the Master Agreement as applied to the Participating Entity and Contractor.

This Participating Addendum incorporates all terms and conditions of the Master Agreement as applied to the Participating Entity and Contractor, **subject to the following limitations, modifications, and additions:**

The modifications or additions in Attachment A apply only to actions and relationships within the State of Illinois.

Any limitations, modifications, or additions specified herein apply only to the agreement and relationship between Participating Entity and Contractor and shall not amend or affect other participating addendums or the Master Agreement itself.

- Subcontractors: All contractors, dealers, and resellers authorized to provide sales and service support in Participating Entity's state, as shown on Contractor's NASPO ValuePoint-specific webpage, may provide sales and service support to users of this Participating Addendum. Participation of Contractor's contractors, dealers, and resellers will be in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in the Master Agreement.
- Orders: Any order placed by Participating Entity or a Purchasing Entity for a product or service offered through this Participating Addendum shall be deemed to be a sale under, and subject to the pricing and other terms and conditions of, the Master Agreement unless the parties to the order agree in writing that another contract or agreement applies to the order.



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8. Quarterly Usage Report:

Usage Reports are due (30) days following the end of the quarter close.

All reporting entries are based on Net Revenue Sale

FedEx will provide a standard Sales report that can be uploaded to the customer's web portal or via electronic email as outlined in the Contract/Participating Addendum



Schedule

Usage Report Processing Month	Usage Reports Due by
January 1 – March 31	April 30
April 1 – June 30	July 31
July 1 – September 30	October 31
October 1 – December 31	January 31

IN WITNESS, WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Participating Addendum as of the date of execution by both parties below.

PARTICIPATING ENTITY

CONTRACTOR

Signature: 	Signature: 
Name: Ellen H. Daley	Name: Joselyn Henderson
Title: Chief Procurement Officer for General Services	Title: Worldwide Account Manager
Date: 10/4/2022	Date: October 4, 2022

For questions regarding NASPO ValuePoint Participating Addendums, please contact the Cooperative Contract Coordinator team at ccc@naspovlauepoint.org.

Fully executed NASPO ValuePoint Participating Addendums must be submitted via email in PDF format to pa@naspovaluepoint.org.

STATE OF ILLINOIS
PIGGYBACK JOINT PURCHASE MASTER CONTRACT

Chief Procurement Office for General Services
NASPO - Small Package Delivery Services
Attachment A

The Parties to this contract are the State of Illinois acting through the undersigned Chief Procurement Office for General Services (collectively the State) and the Vendor. This contract, consisting of the signature page and numbered sections listed below and any attachments referenced in this contract, constitute the entire contract between the Parties concerning the subject matter of the contract, and in signing the contract, the Contractor affirms that the Certifications and if applicable the Financial Disclosures and Conflicts of Interest attached hereto are true and accurate as of the date of the Contractor's execution of the contract. This contract supersedes all prior proposals, contracts and understandings between the Parties concerning the subject matter of the contract. This contract can be signed in multiple counterparts upon agreement of the Parties.

This piggyback joint purchase master contract enables governmental units and qualified not-for-profit agencies to purchase supplies or services on an as needed basis during the contract period. "Governmental unit" means any public authority in Illinois which has the power to tax or any other public entity created by Illinois statute. "Qualified not-for-profit agency" means not-for-profit agency that qualifies under Section 45-35 of the Illinois Procurement code and that either (1) acts pursuant to a board established by or controlled by a unit of local government or (2) receives grant funds from the State or from a unit of local government.

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In consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements contained in this contract, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties agree to the terms and conditions set forth herein and have caused this contract to be executed by their duly authorized representatives on the dates shown on the following CONTRACT SIGNATURES page.

STATE OF ILLINOIS
PIGGYBACK JOINT PURCHASE MASTER CONTRACT

Chief Procurement Office for General Services
 NASPO - Small Package Delivery Services
 Attachment A

VENDOR

Vendor Name: FedEx Corporate Services, Inc. as agent for Federal Express Corporation and FedEx Ground Package System, Inc.	Address: 900 NW 7 th Street, Washington DC 20001
Signature: <i>Joselyn Henderson</i>	Phone: 816-309-1546
Printed Name: Joselyn Henderson	Phone: 800-463-3339
Title: Worldwide Account Manager	Email: jchenderson1@fedex.com
Date: October 4, 2022	Website: www.fedex.com

STATE OF ILLINOIS

Procuring Agency or University: Chief Procurement Office General Services	Phone: 217-558-2231 .
Street Address: 401 S Spring Room 520	Fax: 217-558-1399 .
City, State ZIP: Springfield, IL 62704	
Official Signature: <i>E. Daley</i>	Date: October 4, 2022
Printed Name: Ellen Daley	
Official's Title: Chief Procurement Officer – General Services	
Legal Signature:	Date:
Legal Printed Name: Click here to enter text.	
Legal's Title: Click here to enter text.	
Fiscal Signature:	Date:
Fiscal's Printed Name: Click here to enter text.	
Fiscal's Title: Click here to enter text.	

AGENCY USE ONLY

NOT PART OF CONTRACTUAL PROVISIONS

- Agency Reference #:
- Project Title:
- Contract #:
- Procurement Method (IFB, RFP, Small Purchase, etc.):
- IPB Reference #:
- IPB Publication Date:
- Award Code:
- Subcontractor Utilization? Yes No Subcontractor Disclosure? Yes No
- Funding Source:
- Obligation #:
- Small Business Set-Aside? Yes No Percentage:
- Minority Owned Business? Yes No Percentage:
- Women Owned Business? Yes No Percentage:
- Persons with Disabilities Owned Business? Yes No Percentage:
- Veteran Owned Small Business? Yes No Percentage:
- Other Preferences?

1. DESCRIPTION OF SUPPLIES AND SERVICES

- 1.1. **SUPPLIES AND/OR SERVICES REQUIRED:** This piggyback joint purchase master contract enables governmental units and qualified not-for-profit agencies small package delivery and express delivery services defined in NASPO Value Point Master Agreement MA454.
- 1.2. **MILESTONES AND DELIVERABLES:** Vendor will report annually on its energy and greenhouse gas emissions in accordance with 30 ILCS 530/10 (b) and 30 ILCS 530/10 (c).
- 1.3. **VENDOR / STAFF SPECIFICATIONS:** Vendor shall have uniformed personnel who will adhere to all security procedures required by each Agency.
- 1.4. **TRANSPORTATION AND DELIVERY:** Transportation Sustainability Procurement Program Act, 30 ILCS 530. Vendor must maintain its enrollment in the USEPA Smartway Program (<https://www.epa.gov/smartway>) and continue in “good standing”, by submitting required data annually for the duration of any awarded contract without backsliding.
- 1.5. **SUBCONTRACTING: N/A**
- 1.6. **WHERE SERVICES ARE TO BE PERFORMED:** Unless otherwise disclosed in this section all services shall be performed in the United States. If the Vendor performs the services purchased hereunder in another country in violation of this provision, such action may be deemed by the State as a breach of the contract by Vendor.

Due to the type of services provided under this contract some services may be performed worldwide depending on the need of an agency to ship packages to other destinations outside the US. The State anticipates that the majority of work under this contract will be performed in the US with the exception of the occasional need to ship packages outside of the US to meet the business needs of any given agency approved to utilize this contract.

2. PRICING

2.1 TYPE OF PRICING: The Illinois Office of the Comptroller requires the State to indicate whether the contract value is firm or estimated at the time it is submitted for obligation. The total value of this contract is estimated.

2.2 EXPENSES ALLOWED: Expenses are not allowed.

2.3 DISCOUNT: N/A

2.4 VENDOR'S PRICING: Attach additional pages if necessary.

2.4.1. Vendor's Price for the Initial Term is listed in the cooperative master contract. Vendor's pricing for Small Package Delivery Services, as provided in the NASPO Value Point Master Agreement MA454.

2.4.2. Renewal Compensation: If the contract is renewed, the price shall be at the same rate as for the initial term unless a different compensation or formula for determining the renewal compensation is stated in this section.

2.4.2.1 Agency Formula for Determining Renewal Compensation: N/A

2.4.2.2 Vendor's Price for Renewal(s): N/A

2.5 MAXIMUM AMOUNT: The total payments under this contract shall not exceed \$NA without a formal amendment.

3. TERM AND TERMINATION

3.1 TERM OF THIS CONTRACT: This contract has an initial term date of execution to November 27, 2026.

3.1.1 In no event will the total term of the contract, including the initial term, any renewal terms and any extensions, exceed 10 years.

3.1.2 Vendor shall not commence billable work in furtherance of the contract prior to final execution of the contract except when permitted pursuant to 30 ILCS 500/20-80.

3.2 RENEWAL:

3.2.1. There are no renewal options available for this contract. The contract may neither renew automatically nor renewal solely at the Vendor's option.

3.2.2. RESERVED

3.3 TERMINATION FOR CAUSE: The State may terminate this contract, in whole or in part, immediately upon notice to the Vendor if: (a) the State determines that the actions or inactions of the Vendor, its agents, employees or subcontractors have caused, or reasonably could cause, jeopardy to health, safety, or property, or (b) the Vendor has notified the State that it is unable or unwilling to perform the contract.

If Vendor fails to perform to the State's satisfaction any material requirement of this contract, is in violation of a material provision of this contract, or the State determines that the Vendor lacks the financial resources to perform the contract, the State shall provide written notice to the Vendor to cure the problem identified within the period of time specified in the State's written notice. If not cured by that date the State may either: (a) immediately terminate the contract without additional written notice or (b) enforce the terms and conditions of the contract.

For termination due to any of the causes contained in this Section, the State retains its rights to seek any available legal or equitable remedies and damages.

3.4 TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE: The State may, for its convenience and with thirty (30) days prior written notice to Vendor, terminate this contract in whole or in part and without payment of any penalty or incurring any further obligation to the Vendor.

3.4.1. Upon submission of invoices and proof of claim, the Vendor shall be entitled to compensation for supplies and services provided in compliance with this contract up to and including the date of termination.

3.5 AVAILABILITY OF APPROPRIATION: This contract is contingent upon and subject to the availability of funds. The State, at its sole option, may terminate or suspend this contract, in whole or in part, without penalty or further payment being required, if (1) the Illinois General Assembly or the federal funding source fails to make an appropriation sufficient to pay such obligation, or if funds needed are insufficient for any reason (30 ILCS 500/20-60), (2) the Governor decreases the Department's funding by reserving some or all of the Department's appropriation(s) pursuant to power delegated to the Governor by the Illinois General Assembly, or (3) the Department determines, in its sole discretion or as directed by the

Office of the Governor, that a reduction is necessary or advisable based upon actual or projected budgetary considerations. Contractor will be notified in writing of the failure of appropriation or of a reduction or decrease.

4. STANDARD BUSINESS TERMS AND CONDITIONS

4.1 PAYMENT TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

- 4.1.1 Late Payment: Payments, including late payment charges, will be paid in accordance with the State Prompt Payment Act and rules when applicable. 30 ILCS 540; 74 Ill. Adm. Code 900. This shall be Vendor's sole remedy for late payments by the State. Payment terms contained on Vendor's invoices shall have no force and effect.
- 4.1.2 Minority Contractor Initiative: Any Vendor awarded a contract under Section 20-10, 20-15, 20-25 or 20-30 of the Illinois Procurement Code (30 ILCS 500) of \$1,000 or more is required to pay a fee of \$15. The Comptroller shall deduct the fee from the first check issued to the Vendor under the contract and deposit the fee in the Comptroller's Administrative Fund. 15 ILCS 405/23.9.
- 4.1.3 Expenses: The State will not pay for supplies provided or services rendered, including related expenses, incurred prior to the execution of this contract by the Parties even if the effective date of the contract is prior to execution.
- 4.1.4 Prevailing Wage: As a condition of receiving payment Vendor must (i) be in compliance with the contract, (ii) pay its employees prevailing wages when required by law, (iii) pay its suppliers and subcontractors according to the terms of their respective contracts, and (iv) provide lien waivers to the State upon request. Examples of prevailing wage categories include public works, printing, janitorial, window washing, building and grounds services, site technician services, natural resource services, security guard and food services. The prevailing wages are revised by the Illinois Department of Labor (DOL) and are available on DOL's official website, which shall be deemed proper notification of any rate changes under this subsection. Vendor is responsible for contacting DOL at 217-782-6206 or (<http://www.state.il.us/agency/idol/index.htm>) to ensure understanding of prevailing wage requirements.
- 4.1.5 Federal Funding: This contract may be partially or totally funded with Federal funds. If Federal funds are expected to be used, then the percentage of the good/service paid using Federal funds and the total Federal funds expected to be used will be provided to the awarded Vendor in the notice of intent to award.
- 4.1.6 Invoicing: By submitting an invoice, Vendor certifies that the supplies or services provided meet all requirements of the contract, and the amount billed and expenses incurred are as allowed in the contract. Invoices for supplies purchased, services performed and expenses incurred through June 30 of any year must be submitted to the State no later than July 31 of that year; otherwise Vendor may have to seek payment through the Illinois Court of Claims. 30 ILCS 105/25. All invoices are subject to statutory offset. 30 ILCS 210.
 - 4.1.6.1 Vendor shall not bill for any taxes unless accompanied by proof that the State is subject to the tax. If necessary, Vendor may request the applicable Agency's state tax exemption number and federal tax exemption information.

4.1.6.2 Vendor shall invoice at the completion of this contract unless invoicing is tied in this contract to milestones, deliverables, or other invoicing requirements agreed to in the contract.

4.2 ASSIGNMENT: This contract may not be assigned, transferred in whole or in part by Vendor without the prior written consent of the State.

~~**4.3 SUBCONTRACTING:** For purposes of this section, subcontractors are those specifically hired to perform all or part of the work covered by the contract. Vendor must receive prior written approval before use of any subcontractors in the performance of this contract. Vendor shall describe, in an attachment if not already provided, the names and addresses of all authorized subcontractors to be utilized by Vendor in the performance of this contract, together with a description of the work to be performed by the subcontractor and the anticipated amount of money that each subcontractor is expected to receive pursuant to this contract. If required, Vendor shall provide a copy of any subcontracts within fifteen (15) days after execution of this contract. All subcontracts must include the same certifications that Vendor must make as a condition of this contract. Vendor shall include in each subcontract the subcontractor certifications as shown on the Standard Certification form available from the State. If at any time during the term of the Contract, Vendor adds or changes any subcontractors, then Vendor must promptly notify, by written amendment to the Contract, the State Purchasing Officer or the Chief Procurement Officer of the names and addresses and the expected amount of money that each new or replaced subcontractor will receive pursuant to the Contract. 30 ILCS 500/20-120.~~

4.4 AUDIT/RETENTION OF RECORDS: Vendor and its subcontractors shall maintain books and records relating to the performance of the contract or subcontract and necessary to support amounts charged to the State pursuant the contract or subcontract. Books and records, including information stored in databases or other computer systems, shall be maintained by the Vendor for a period of three (3) years from the later of the date of final payment under the contract or completion of the contract, and by the subcontractor for a period of three (3) years from the later of final payment under the term or completion of the subcontract. If Federal funds are used to pay contract costs, the Vendor and its subcontractors must retain their respective records for five (5) years. Books and records required to be maintained under this section shall be available for review or audit by representatives of: the procuring Agency, the Auditor General, the Executive Inspector General, the Chief Procurement Officer, State of Illinois internal auditors or other governmental entities with monitoring authority, upon reasonable notice and during normal business hours. Vendor and its subcontractors shall cooperate fully with any such audit and with any investigation conducted by any of these entities. Failure to maintain books and records required by this section shall establish a presumption in favor of the State for the recovery of any funds paid by the State under this contract or any subcontract for which adequate books and records are not available to support the purported disbursement. The Vendor or subcontractors shall not impose a charge for audit or examination of the Vendor's or subcontractor's books and records. 30 ILCS 500/20-65.

4.5 TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE: Time is of the essence with respect to Vendor's performance of this contract. Vendor shall continue to perform its obligations while any dispute concerning the contract is being resolved unless otherwise directed by the State.

4.6 NO WAIVER OF RIGHTS: Except as specifically waived in writing, failure by a Party to exercise or enforce a right does not waive that Party's right to exercise or enforce that or other rights in the future.

- 4.7 FORCE MAJEURE:** Failure by either Party to perform its duties and obligations will be excused by unforeseeable circumstances beyond its reasonable control and not due to its negligence, including acts of nature, acts of terrorism, riots, labor disputes, fire, flood, explosion, and governmental prohibition. The non-declaring Party may cancel the contract without penalty if performance does not resume within thirty (30) days of the declaration.
- 4.8 CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION:** Each Party to this contract, including its agents and subcontractors, may have or gain access to confidential data or information owned or maintained by the other Party in the course of carrying out its responsibilities under this contract. Vendor shall presume all information received from the State or to which it gains access pursuant to this contract is confidential. Vendor information, unless clearly marked as confidential and exempt from disclosure under the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, shall be considered public. No confidential data collected, maintained, or used in the course of performance of the contract shall be disseminated except as authorized by law and with the written consent of the disclosing Party, either during the period of the contract or thereafter. The receiving Party must return any and all data collected, maintained, created or used in the course of the performance of the contract, in whatever form it is maintained, promptly at the end of the contract, or earlier at the request of the disclosing Party, or notify the disclosing Party in writing of its destruction. The foregoing obligations shall not apply to confidential data or information lawfully in the receiving Party's possession prior to its acquisition from the disclosing Party; received in good faith from a third Party not subject to any confidentiality obligation to the disclosing Party; now is or later becomes publicly known through no breach of confidentiality obligation by the receiving Party; or is independently developed by the receiving Party without the use or benefit of the disclosing Party's confidential information.
- 4.9 USE AND OWNERSHIP:** Vendor does not contemplate creating any intellectual property for the State of Illinois under this contract. In the event any intellectual property is created, Vendor and the State of Illinois shall jointly agree upon ownership and right to usage of such intellectual property. Intellectual property rights to Vendor's proprietary formats for_all written documents, data or other information supplied to the State of Illinois shall remain solely with Vendor. Confidential data or information contained in any and all intellectual property shall be subject to the confidentiality provisions of this contract.
- 4.10 INDEMNIFICATION AND LIABILITY:** The Vendor shall indemnify and hold harmless the State of Illinois, its agencies, officers, employees, agents and volunteers from any and all costs, demands, expenses, losses, claims, damages, liabilities, settlements and judgments, including in-house and contracted attorneys' fees and expenses, arising out of: (a) any breach or violation by Vendor of any of its certifications, representations, warranties, covenants or agreements; (b) any actual or alleged death or injury to any person, damage to any real or personal property, or any other damage or loss claimed to result in whole or in part from Vendor's negligent performance; (c) any act, activity or omission of Vendor or any of its employees, representatives, subcontractors or agents; or (d) any actual or alleged claim that the services or goods provided under this contract infringe, misappropriate, or otherwise violate any intellectual property (patent, copyright, trade secret, or trademark) rights of a third party. In accordance with Article VIII, Section 1(a),(b) of the Constitution of the State of Illinois and 1973 Illinois Attorney General Opinion

78, the State may not indemnify private parties absent express statutory authority permitting the indemnification. Neither Party shall be liable for incidental, special, consequential, or punitive damages.

- 4.11 INSURANCE:** Vendor shall, at all times during the term of this contract and any renewals or extensions, maintain and provide a Certificate of Insurance naming the State as an additionally insured for all required insurance. Certificates may not be modified or canceled until at least thirty (30) days' notice has been provided to the State. Vendor shall provide: (a) General Commercial Liability insurance in the amount of \$2,000,000 per occurrence (Combined Single Limit Bodily Injury and Property Damage); (b) Auto Liability, including Hired Auto and Non-owned Auto (Combined Single Limit Bodily Injury and Property Damage), in amount of \$1,000,000 per occurrence; and (c) Worker's Compensation Insurance in the amount required by law. Insurance shall not limit Vendor's obligation to indemnify, defend, or settle any claims.
- 4.12 INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR:** Vendor shall act as an independent contractor and not an agent or employee of, or joint venture with the State. All payments by the State shall be made on that basis.
- 4.13 SOLICITATION AND EMPLOYMENT:** Vendor shall not employ any person employed by the State during the term of this contract to perform any work under this contract. Vendor shall give notice immediately to the Agency's director if Vendor solicits or intends to solicit State employees to perform any work under this contract.
- 4.14 COMPLIANCE WITH THE LAW:** The Vendor, its employees, agents, and subcontractors shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, rules, ordinances, regulations, orders, federal circulars and all license and permit requirements in the performance of this contract. Vendor shall be in compliance with applicable tax requirements and shall be current in payment of such taxes. Vendor shall obtain at its own expense, all licenses and permissions necessary for the performance of this contract.
- 4.15 BACKGROUND CHECK:** Whenever the State deems it reasonably necessary for security reasons, the State may conduct, at its expense, criminal and driver history background checks of Vendor's and subcontractor's officers, employees or agents. Vendor or subcontractor shall immediately reassign any individual who, in the opinion of the State, does not pass the background check.
- 4.16 APPLICABLE LAW:**
- 4.16.1 **PREVAILING LAW:** This contract shall be construed in accordance with and is subject to the laws and rules of the State of Illinois.
- 4.16.2 **EQUAL OPPORTUNITY:** The Department of Human Rights' Equal Opportunity requirements are incorporated by reference. 44 ILL. ADM. CODE 750.
- 4.16.3 **COURT OF CLAIMS; ARBITRATION; SOVEREIGN IMMUNITY:** Any claim against the State arising out of this contract must be filed exclusively with the Illinois Court of Claims. 705 ILCS 505/1. The State shall not enter into binding arbitration to resolve any dispute arising out of this contract. The State of Illinois does not waive sovereign immunity by entering into this contract.

4.16.4 **OFFICIAL TEXT:** The official text of the statutes cited herein is incorporated by reference. An unofficial version can be viewed at (www.ilga.gov/legislation/ilcs/ilcs.asp).

- 4.17 ANTI-TRUST ASSIGNMENT:** If Vendor does not pursue any claim or cause of action it has arising under Federal or State antitrust laws relating to the subject matter of this contract, then upon request of the Illinois Attorney General, Vendor shall assign to the State all of Vendor's rights, title and interest in and to the claim or cause of action.
- 4.18 CONTRACTUAL AUTHORITY:** The Agency that signs this contract on behalf of the State of Illinois shall be the only State entity responsible for performance and payment under this contract. When the Chief Procurement Officer or authorized designee or State Purchasing Officer signs in addition to an Agency, he/she does so as approving officer and shall have no liability to Vendor. When the Chief Procurement Officer or authorized designee or State Purchasing Officer signs a master contract on behalf of State agencies, only the Agency that places an order or orders with the Vendor shall have any liability to the Vendor for that order or orders.
- 4.19 EXPATRIATED ENTITIES:** Except in limited circumstances, no business or member of a unitary business group, as defined in the Illinois Income Tax Act, shall submit a bid for or enter into a contract with a State agency if that business or any member of the unitary business group is an expatriated entity
- 4.20 NOTICES:** Notices and other communications provided for herein shall be given in writing via electronic mail whenever possible. If transmission via electronic mail is not possible, then notices and other communications shall be given in writing via registered or certified mail with return receipt requested, via receipted hand delivery, via courier (UPS, Federal Express or other similar and reliable carrier), or via facsimile showing the date and time of successful receipt. Notices shall be sent to the individuals who signed this contract using the contact information following the signatures. Each such notice shall be deemed to have been provided at the time it is actually received. By giving notice, either Party may change its contact information.
- 4.21 MODIFICATIONS AND SURVIVAL:** Amendments, modifications and waivers must be in writing and signed by authorized representatives of the Parties. Any provision of this contract officially declared void, unenforceable, or against public policy, shall be ignored and the remaining provisions shall be interpreted, as far as possible, to give effect to the Parties' intent. All provisions that by their nature would be expected to survive, shall survive termination. In the event of a conflict between the State's and the Vendor's terms, conditions and attachments, the State's terms, conditions and attachments shall prevail.
- 4.22 PERFORMANCE RECORD / SUSPENSION:** Upon request of the State, Vendor shall meet to discuss performance or provide contract performance updates to help ensure proper performance of the contract. The State may consider Vendor's performance under this contract and compliance with law and rule to determine whether to continue the contract, suspend Vendor from doing future business with the State for a specified period of time, or whether Vendor can be considered responsible on specific future contract opportunities.

4.23 FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT: This contract and all related public records maintained by, provided to or required to be provided to the State are subject to the Illinois Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) (50 ILCS 140) notwithstanding any provision to the contrary that may be found in this contract.

4.24 SCHEDULE OF WORK: Any work performed on State premises shall be done during the hours designated by the State and performed in a manner that does not interfere with the State and its personnel.

4.25 WARRANTIES FOR SUPPLIES AND SERVICES:

4.25.1. Vendor warrants that the supplies furnished under this contract will: (a) conform to the standards, specifications, drawing, samples or descriptions furnished by the State or furnished by the Vendor and agreed to by the State, including but not limited to all specifications attached as exhibits hereto; (b) be merchantable, of good quality and workmanship, and free from defects for a period of twelve months or longer if so specified in writing, and fit and sufficient for the intended use; (c) comply with all federal and state laws, regulations and ordinances pertaining to the manufacturing, packing, labeling, sale and delivery of the supplies; (d) be of good title and be free and clear of all liens and encumbrances and; (e) not infringe any patent, copyright or other intellectual property rights of any third party. Vendor agrees to reimburse the State for any losses, costs, damages or expenses, including without limitations, reasonable attorney's fees and expenses, arising from failure of the supplies to meet such warranties.

4.25.2. Vendor shall ensure that all manufacturers' warranties are transferred to the State and shall provide to the State copies of such warranties. These warranties shall be in addition to all other warranties, express, implied or statutory, and shall survive the State's payment, acceptance, inspection or failure to inspect the supplies.

4.25.3. Vendor warrants that all services will be performed to meet the requirements of this contract in an efficient and effective manner by trained and competent personnel. Vendor shall monitor performances of each individual and shall immediately reassign any individual who does not perform in accordance with this contract, who is disruptive or not respectful of others in the workplace, or who in any way violates the contract or State policies.

4.26 REPORTING, STATUS AND MONITORING SPECIFICATIONS: Vendor shall immediately notify the State of any event that may have a material impact on Vendor's ability to perform this contract.

EMPLOYMENT TAX CREDIT: Vendors who hire qualified veterans and certain ex-offenders may be eligible for tax credits. 35 ILCS 5/216, 5/217. Please contact the Illinois Department of Revenue (telephone #: 217-524-4772) for information about tax credits.

5. SUPPLEMENTAL PROVISIONS

5.1. STATE SUPPLEMENTAL PROVISIONS

Agency Definitions

5.1.1 “Chief Procurement Officer” means the chief procurement officer appointed pursuant to 30 ILCS 500/10-20(a)(4).

5.1.2 “Governmental unit” means State of Illinois, any State agency as defined in Section 1-15.100 of the Illinois Procurement Code, officers of the State of Illinois, any public authority in Illinois which has the power to tax or any other public entity created by Illinois statute.

5.1.3 “Qualified not-for-profit agency” means any not-for-profit agency that qualifies under Section 45-35 of the Illinois Procurement Code and that either (1) acts pursuant to a board established by or controlled by a unit of local government or (2) receives grant funds from the State or from a unit of local government.

Required Federal Clauses, Certifications and Assurances

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Public Works Requirements (construction and maintenance of a public work) 820 ILCS 130/4.

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Prevailing Wage (janitorial cleaning, window cleaning, building and grounds, site technician, natural resources, food services, and security services, if valued at more than \$200 per month or \$2,000 per year or printing) 30 ILCS 500/25-60.

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Agency Specific Terms and Conditions

5.1.4 The Chief Procurement Officer for General Services makes this contract available to all governmental units and qualified not-for-profit agencies.

5.1.5 Vendor agrees to extend all terms and conditions, specifications, and pricing or discounts specified in this contract for the items in this contract to all governmental units and qualified not-for-profit agencies.

5.1.6 The supplies or services subject to this Contract shall be distributed or rendered directly to each governmental unit or qualified not-for-profit agency.

5.1.7 Vendor shall bill each governmental unit or qualified not-for-profit agency separately for its actual share of the costs of the supplies or services purchased.

5.1.8 The credit or liability of each governmental unit or qualified not-for-profit agency shall remain separate and distinct.

- 5.1.9 Disputes between vendors and governmental units or qualified not-for-profit agencies shall be resolved between the affected parties.
- 5.1.10 All terms and conditions in this Contract apply with full force and effect to all purchase orders.
- 5.1.1 In the event of any inconsistency or conflict between the articles, attachments, or provisions which constitute this agreement, the following descending order of precedence shall apply:
 - 5.1.1.1 This State of Illinois Contract
 - 5.1.1.2 NASPO Master Agreement Number MA454 FedEx
 - 5.1.1.3 NASPO RFP Solicitation No. CH21-26
 - 5.1.1.4 Contractor's response to the NASPO RFP Solicitation No. CH21-26
 - 5.1.1.5 Contractor's terms and conditions

Other (describe)

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5.2. **VENDOR SUPPLEMENTAL PROVISIONS**

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