#### AGREEMENT BETWEEN OWNER AND CONTRACTOR

The Parties to this agreement are:

#### Owner:

FORT BEND COUNTY TOLL ROAD AUTHORITY, AND FORT BEND GRAND PARKWAY TOLL ROAD AUTHORITY, political subdivisions of the State of Texas.

245 Commerce Green Boulevard Suite 165

Sugar Land, Texas 77478

#### Contractor:

ISI CONTRACTING, INC. 5215 Fidelity Street Houston, TX 77029

THIS AGREEMENT ("Agreement") is made and entered into this 11<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2025, between the Parties, for and in consideration of the mutual covenants hereinafter set forth, and under the conditions expressed in the Bonds bearing even date herewith, the Contractor and Owner hereby agree as follows:

## Scope of Work:

Contractor shall commence and complete the Work generally described as follows:

Pavement Replacement and Miscellaneous Repairs
Fort Bend County Toll Road Authority Project No. FR1-1071
Fort Bend Grand Parkway Toll Road Authority Project No. GR1-1071
for Fort Bend County Toll Road Authority and Fort Bend Grand Parkway Toll Road Authority,
Fort Bend County, Texas,
according to those particular Plans and Technical Specifications
prepared by Quiddity Engineering, Inc. ("Engineer")

and all Extra Work in connection therewith, under the terms as stated in the General and Special Conditions of the Agreement, and, at Contractor's own proper cost and expense, to furnish all the materials, supplies, machinery, equipment, tools, superintendence, labor, insurance, and other accessories and services necessary to complete the said Work, in accordance with the conditions and prices stated in the Bid attached hereto and in accordance with the Contract Documents, including, but not limited to, Invitation to Bidders, Instructions to Bidders, General and Special Conditions of the Agreement, Plans, and other drawings and printed or written explanatory matter thereof, and the Technical Specifications, on file with Engineer.

Contractor represents and warrants to the Owner that it has carefully examined this Agreement and all other Contract Documents, which are made a part of the Contract, and is thoroughly familiar therewith.

Under this Agreement and the Contract Documents, Contractor shall furnish all materials, appliances, tools, equipment, transportation, services, and all labor and superintendence necessary for the construction of the Work as described in the Technical Specifications and as shown on the Plans. The completed installation shall not lack any part that can be reasonably implied as necessary to its proper functioning or any subsidiary item that is customarily furnished, and Contractor shall deliver the installation to Owner in operating condition.

The Work, in general, under the Contract includes:

1. Pavement Replacement and Miscellaneous Repairs

## Time for Completion:

The Contractor hereby agrees to begin work within 10 calendar days after Engineer has given written Notice to Proceed. Contractor hereby also agrees to achieve Final Completion of the Work within 300 calendar days after the date of the written Notice to Proceed.

## Surety Bonds Required:

It is further agreed by the parties to this Contract that Contractor will execute:

• a Payment Bond in the sum of 100% of the initial Contract Price, if the initial Contract Price is \$25,000 or more

#### **AND**

• a Performance Bond in the sum of 100% of the initial Contract Price, if the initial Contract Price is \$100,000 or more,

for the satisfactory performance of the Work, the fulfillment of any guarantees required, and the prompt payment to all persons supplying labor and materials in the prosecution of the Work, in accordance with this Contract on the forms provided for this purpose; and it is agreed that this Contract shall not be in effect until such Bonds are furnished and approved by Owner. Upon increase of the Contract Price authorized by Change Order, Contractor shall immediately provide revised Bonds for such increased Contract Price. Contractor's failure to provide compliant Bonds may be grounds for immediate termination regardless of whether the Contractor has started work on the Project.

All Bonds shall be in the form prescribed by the Contract Documents except as required otherwise by Laws or Regulations, and shall be executed by such sureties as are named in the current list of "Companies Holding Certificates of Authority as Acceptable Sureties on Federal Bonds and as Acceptable Reinsuring Companies" as published in Circular 370 (amended) by the Financial Management Service, Surety Bond Branch, U.S. Department of the Treasury. A certified copy of the agent's authority to act must accompany all Bonds signed by an agent. Surety must

have a minimum Best's Key Rating of "B+". If the surety company does not have such a rating due to the length of time it has existed, the surety company must be eligible to participate in the surety bond guarantee program of the Small Business Administration and must be an approved surety listed in the current U.S. Department of Treasury Circular 570, and must meet all of the rules and regulations of the Treasury Department with respect to performance and payment bonds for federal jobs, including specifically the rules related to the underwriting limitation.

For bonds over \$100,000, the surety must also hold a certificate of authority from the United States Secretary of Treasury to qualify as a surety on obligations permitted or required under federal law, or have obtained reinsurance for any liability in excess of \$1,000,000 from a reinsurer that is authorized and admitted as a reinsurer in the State of Texas and is the holder of a certificate of authority from the United States Secretary of Treasury to qualify as a surety or reinsurer on obligations permitted or required under federal law. The person executing the Bonds must be a licensed Texas local recording agent and such licensing must be recorded in the files of the Texas Department of Insurance.

The person executing the Bonds must be authorized by the surety company to execute the Bonds on behalf of the company in the amount required for the contract and such authorization must be recorded in the files of the Texas Department of Insurance. The Contract shall not be in effect until such bonds have been provided by the Contractor and accepted by the Owner.

If the surety on any Bond furnished by Contractor is declared bankrupt, becomes insolvent, its right to do business is terminated in any state where any part of the Project is located, or it ceases to meet the requirements herein Contractor shall promptly notify Contractor, Owner and Engineer and shall, within 10 calendar days after the event giving rise to such notification, provide another Bond and surety to fulfill the required obligations.

### **Contract Price:**

The Contract Price for this Work is <u>seven million</u>, <u>nine hundred fifty-eight thousand</u>, <u>three hundred eleven dollars and six cents</u> (\$7,958,311.06). The initial Contract Price may increase or decrease due to Change Orders and the Contract Price Adjustment as provided by the Contract Documents.

Owner agrees to pay Contractor's invoices for work performed, in accordance with the terms of the Contract Documents, in an aggregate amount not to exceed the Contract Price, plus Change Orders and Extra Work approved by the Board of Directors of the Owner. Failure by Owner to make such payments to the Contractor shall constitute a default by Owner and shall entitle the Contractor to all rights and remedies arising under the Contract Documents for a default in payment of sums due.

Contractor and Owner agree that time is of the essence of this Contract. Therefore, Contractor and Owner agree that for each and every calendar day the Work or any portion thereof shall remain incomplete after the expiration of the time limits set in the Contract, or as extended under the provisions of the Contract Documents the Contract Price will decrease by \$2,500.00 for Final Completion ("Contract Price Adjustment"). The Owner shall have the option to deduct and

withhold said amount from any monies that the Owner owes the Contractor or its sureties or to recover such amount from the Contractor or the sureties on the Contractor's performance bond.

## Statutory Terms Applicable To State Political Subdivisions

- Contractor certifies and agrees that it (i) does not, nor will not, so long as the Agreement a. remains in effect, boycott Israel, as such term is defined in Chapter 808, Texas Government Code, (ii) does not engage in business with Iran, Sudan, or any foreign terrorist organization pursuant to Subchapter F of Chapter 2252 of the Texas Government Code; (iii) is not identified on a list prepared and maintained under Sections 806.051, 807.051, or 2252.153, Texas Government Code; (iv) does not, nor will not, so long as the Agreement remains in effect, boycott energy companies, as such term is defined in Chapter 809, Texas Government Code; (v) does not, nor will not, so long as the Agreement remains in effect, have a practice, policy, guidance, or directive that discriminates against a firearm entity or firearm trade association, as such term is defined in 2274.001(3), Texas Government Code; and (vi) is not (a) owned or controlled by (1) individuals who are citizens of China, Iran, North Korea, Russia or any designated country (as such term is defined in 113.003, Texas Business & Commerce Code); or (2) a company or other entity, including a governmental entity, that is owned or controlled by citizens of or is directly controlled by the government of China, Iran, North Korea, Russia, of any designated country; or (b) headquartered in China, Iran, North Korea, Russia or a designated country.
- b. Prior to execution of this Agreement by FBCTRA and FBGPTRA, the Engineer will be required to submit a Texas Ethics Commission Form 1295. Please see this website for details related to this disclosure:

  https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/whatsnew/elf\_info\_form1295.htm
- c. In accordance with Section 176.0065, Texas Local Government Code, a list of local government officers of FBCTRA and FBGPTRA may be obtained by contacting FBCTRA's or FBGPTRA's records administrator at (281) 500-6050.

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

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	& FORT BEND GRAND PARKWAY TOLL
	ROAD AUTHORITY
	Owner
	By: Author Rice
	Title: Chairman
	ISI CONTRACTING, INC.
	Contractor
	By:
	Name:
	Title:
The following to be executed if Contractor is a	Corporation)
[, certify that I am the	secretary of the Corporation named as Contractor
nerein; that, who signed	this Contract on behalf of Contractor, was then poration; that said Contract was duly signed for
	of its governing body and is within the scope of
1 1	Signed:
	2.8
Corporate Seal	
EFFECTIVE DATE	
	ON THE DATE IT IS APPROVED BY THE COURT, AND IF NOT SO APPROVED SHALL
DATE OF COMMISSIONERS COURT APPR AGENDA ITEM NO.:	UVAL:

# **CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PARTIES**

FORM **1295** 

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	Complete Nos. 1 - 4 and 6 if there are interested parties. Complete Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6 if there are no interested parties.			OFFICE USE ONLY CERTIFICATION OF FILING				
1	Name of business entity filing form, and the city, state and country of the business entity's place of business.			Certificate Number: 2024-1250815				
	ISI Contracting, Inc.		202	4-1230013				
	Houston, TX United States			e Filed:				
2				12/18/2024				
	being filed. Fort Bend County Toll Road Authority			Date Acknowledged: 01/30/2025				
3	Provide the identification number used by the governmental entit description of the services, goods, or other property to be provided.	ber used by the governmental entity or state agency to track or identify the contract, and provide a						
	FR1-1071; GR1-1071							
	For Construction consisting of Pavement Replacement and Miscellaneous Repairs Fort Bend County Toll Road Authority Project FR1-1071 Fort Bend Grand Parkway Toll Road Authority Project GR1-1071							
4	Name of Intersected Party		inocol	Nature of interest (check applicable)				
	Name of Interested Party	City, State, Country (place of busine		Controlling	Intermediary			
5	Check only if there is NO Interested Party.							
6	UNSWORN DECLARATION							
	My name is	, and my date of birth is						
	My address is		,	ı	.,			
	(street)	(city)	(state)	(zip code)	(country)			
	I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.							
	Executed inCounty	y, State of, on the	ne					
				(month)	(year)			
	Signature of authorized agent of contracting business entity (Declarant)							