VILLAGE OF INTERLAKEN SENECA COUNTY, NEW YORK

Contract # 2018-01

Tree Removal, Trimming, and Stump Removal Services
Request for Proposals

Bid Deadline: 6:00 p.m., Friday, April 6th, 2018

Proposals are due to:

Nancy Swartwood, Village Clerk Village Hall PO Box 305 Interlaken, NY 14847

Phone: 607-532-9200 Pho

E-Mail: clerk@villageofinterlaken.org E-Mail: dpw@villageofinterlaken.org

Interlaken, NY 14847

Wes Ahouse, Supervisor Department of Public Works

Phone: 607-592-8651

PO Box 305

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Section A Notice to Bidders Village of Interlaken, NY

A Request for sealed Bids is made for the following work:

Contract # 2018-01 - Tree Removal, Trimming and Stump Removal Services

Bids will be received at the Village Office, 8369 Main Street, PO Box 305, Interlaken, NY, 14847, until 6:00 p.m. E.S.T. on Friday, April 6, 2018 when bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. No proposals will be accepted after the deadline.

Work consists of the following:

Bid cost for complete removal of 9 trees - Entire tree is to be removed and carted away; including branches, wood chips and trunk, including stumps ground 12" below grade.

Holes are to be filled with clean topsoil, leveled, seeded, and covered with straw. Street locations of the trees are as follows:

1 on Clinton St., 1 on Orchard St, 2 on Mechanic St., 2 on Knight St, 1 on Seneca St, and 2 on Railroad St – trees are marked with ribbons and a map is also provided.

Additions and deletions: In the event an agreement between the village and the contractor results in additions or deletions, pricing from Part1 and Part 2 of section D will apply. All work is to be completed by 11:59pm, April 30th, 2018

Bidders are responsible for Maintenance and Protection of Traffic for each item above.

A copy of the specifications and contract documents may be obtained at the Village Office on the Village's website at http://www.interlaken-ny.us/srtstrees.html

Bid packages may be mailed or dropped off at the Village Office – 8369 Main St - Interlaken. Sealed bids shall be accepted only on the complete proposal package available from the Village. Bids shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope bearing the name and address of the Bidder, addressed to the Village of Interlaken, PO Box 350, Interlaken, New York, 14847, and endorsed, "Contract # 2018-01 - Tree Removal, Trimming and Stump Removal Services".

No bid deposit or security is required as a condition of this request.

The Village of Interlaken reserves the right to reject any and all Items bid, to waive any informality in any Bid, and to award the Contract to other than the lowest Bidder if deemed in the best interest of the Village to do so.

Dated: Tuesday, March 20, 2018 Village of Interlaken, New York Nancy Swartwood, Village Clerk

Section B Instructions to Bidders

1. Documents:

Complete sets of Bidding Documents will be issued for bidding purposes as stated in the Notice to Bidders. A complete set of documents consists of the following:

- 1. A copy of these specifications and requirements; and
- 2. Addenda (if any).

Bidder is responsible for examining the site(s) and familiarizing him/herself with the conditions of the work locations prior to the submission of a bid.

2. Proposals:

To be considered, Proposals must comply with these Instructions to Bidders. All bids must be submitted on the enclosed Bid Documents, such forms as are set forth in Section D. All blank spaces for bid prices must be completed in words and in figures either typed or written in ink.

Proposals that contain omissions, erasures, alterations, additions, or items not called for in the itemized proposal, or irregularities of any kind, may constitute adequate cause to reject the bid(s). In case of any discrepancy between words and figures in prices set forth in the Proposal, the price in words shall be paramount. All bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes addressed as follows:

Attention: Nancy Swartwood, Village Clerk

PO Box 305

Interlaken, New York, 14847

Each Bid must include Bidder's name and address, be signed with the name typed or printed below the signature, and Corporate Seal (if applicable) affixed under the Bidder's name. Bids telephoned or faxed in will not be accepted. Separate sets of proposal sheets will not be issued.

3. Qualifications of Bidders:

The Village of Interlaken may make such investigations as it deems necessary to determine the qualifications of the Bidder to perform the work, and the Bidder shall furnish information and data for this purpose as may be required. The Village reserves the right to reject any bid if the evidence submitted by a Bidder or the investigation of such Bidder fails to satisfy the Village that such Bidder is properly qualified to carry out the obligations of the Contract and to complete the work contemplated therein within the time frame designated.

Fraudulent statements shall cause rejection of Proposal(s) and forfeiture of the related bid security.

4. Conditions of Work:

Each Bidder must inform themselves fully of all conditions under which the work will be performed. Failure to do so will not relieve a successful Bidder of his obligation to furnish all material and labor necessary to carry out the provisions of the Contract and to complete the

work for the consideration set forth in his bid. Bidder's attention is directed to Paragraph 1 of Section C – Declarations of the Bid Proposal, in which the Bidder certifies that he has examined the site.

Bid shall include the complete costs of furnishing all materials, labor and equipment necessary to complete the work in accordance with the Contract Specifications and Requirements and all other expenses incidental thereto. Local and State sales taxes shall not be included in this bid, since the Village of Interlaken is a tax exempt entity.

5. Progress of Work:

As far as possible, the Contractor in the carrying out of his work must employ such methods or means as will not cause any interruption of or interference with the work of any other Contractor, or of the proper functioning of the existing facilities of adjacent or contingent properties, and shall be maintained insofar as possible.

6. Addenda and Interpretation:

Every request for information or interpretation of Bidding Documents and/or Specifications and Requirements must be addressed in writing to Wes Ahouse, Village DPW Supervisor, PO Box 305, Interlaken, New York, 14847, and to be given any consideration must be received in writing by 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 28, 2018. Any and all such interpretations, and any supplemental instructions, will be in the form of written Addenda and will be emailed or mailed to all prospective Bidders. The failure of any Bidder to receive any such Addenda will not relieve the Bidder of any obligation under his Bid as submitted. Any Addenda so issued shall become part of the Bidding Documents. Reception of Addenda shall be noted on the Bid Form.

7. Insurance Required:

The successful Bidder will be required to procure and pay for the following types of insurance, in accordance with the provisions listed in Section H.

- a. Worker's Compensation;
- b. General Liability;
- c. Automotive -- (each Vehicle insured for Public Liability and Property Damage);
- d. Owners and Contractor's Protective Liability;
- e. Property Damage; and
- f. Unemployment Insurance.

A Hold Harmless Agreement is also attached hereto and made a part of this contract.

8. Form of Agreement:

The form of the agreement is included in these documents in Section G.

9. Award:

The Contract will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder pursuant to the provisions of the New York State General Municipal Law. The Village of Interlaken reserves the right to determine responsibility based on an evaluation of the Contractor's qualifications, experience,

organization, finances, past performance, and other applicable factors. The Village further reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

10. Sales Tax Exemption:

Under Chapter 513 of 1974 of the Laws of New York State all materials and supplies sold to a Contractor for use as an integral, component part of a structure, building or real property owned by an exempt organization, such as the Village of Interlaken, are exempt from the payment of New York State Sales or Compensatory Use Taxes. The Contractor shall not include any amount in his bid price to cover sales taxes for the above items.

11. Required Submissions:

Prior to award the successful bidder will be required to meet the following requirements:

a. Incorporation Certificate:

The successful bidder, if his business is not registered in New York State, must provide the Village with a certificate issued by the New York State Secretary of State, stating that the Corporation is authorized to do business within the State and is presently in good standing. If the entity to whom the bid is awarded is not a corporation, it is required that the entity's certificate of doing business be provided (which should be on file in the County Clerk's Office).

This also holds true in the case of joint ventures, which would be required to disclose the underlying entities of the joint venture and to supply the requisite certificates of doing business for each such entity.

b. No-Conflict Statement:

A Statement by the successful bidder that no officer, director or stockholder (if less than 10 stockholders) of the successful bidder is an officer or employee of the Village, or a relative of an officer or employee of the Village. If such an officer, director or stockholder exists, full disclosure to the Village of their name(s) and relationship(s) is required.

12. Affirmative Action Requirements:

All bidders shall complete and submit the certification form contained in Section F, Affirmative Action Requirements, Equal Employment Opportunity, indicating that they will comply with the provisions of all applicable Federal, State and Local equal opportunity

12. Prevailing Wage and Certified Payrolls:

This bid is subject to prevailing wage and certified payrolls as per New York State Department of Labor. Contractor shall certify to the Village of Interlaken upon Invoice request that prevailing wages were paid to eligible workers who provided labor for work covered by the Invoice request and that the Contractor and all subcontractors complied with prevailing wage laws. Prior to the release of any retained funds under this Agreement, the Contractor shall submit to the Village of Interlaken a certificate signed by the Contractor and all subcontractors performing public works activities stating that prevailing wages were paid as required by law.

Section C Declarations

Tree Removal, Trimming and Stump Removal Services
Village of Interlaken
Seneca County, New York

Bid S	ubmitted by:
Addr	ess:
	State/Zip Code:
	e:
	The Village of Interlaken

To: The Village of Interlaken
Village Office
PO Box 305
Interlaken, New York 14847

- 1. I/We hereby declare that I/We have carefully examined the Notice to Bidders, the Specifications and Requirements for the above entitled matter and work, and have examined the site(s).
- 2. I/We do hereby offer and agree to furnish all labor and materials, to fully and faithfully construct, perform and execute all work in the above titled matter in accordance with the related requirements. I/We will furnish all labor, tools, implements, models, forms, transportations and materials necessary and proper for the purpose(s) and for the price(s) set forth on the bid forms.
- 3. I/We do hereby declare that the prices so stated cover all expenses of every kind incidental to the completion of said work, and the contract therefore, including all claims that may arise through damages or any other cause whatsoever.
- 4. I/We do hereby agree that I/We will execute a contract therefore, containing all terms, conditions, provisions and covenants necessary to complete the work according to the Specifications and Requirements therefore within two (2) weeks after the contract is awarded by the Village. If I/We fail to execute said contract within said period of time, the Village of Interlaken shall have the power to rescind the award and award the bid and contract to the next lowest responsible bidder.
- 5. I/We declare and agree to commence work within five (5) days after execution of the Contract and to complete the work fully and in every respect on or before the time specified in said Contract and do authorize the Village, in case of failure to complete the work within the specified time, to employ such men, equipment and materials as may be necessary for the proper completion of said work and to deduct the cost thereof from the amount due under the Contract.
- 6. I/We agree that the Village of Interlaken reserves the right to select any one, a combination of, or all of the Bid items in this proposal for the Contractor to complete without affecting any of the Bid prices.

Section C: Declarations (Continued)

- 7. I/We hereby affirm that by submission of this Bid, each bidder and each person signing on behalf of any Bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party certifies as to its organization, under the penalty of perjury, that to the best of knowledge and belief:
 - (a) the prices in this Bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, consultation, communication or agreement, for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such prices with any other Bidder or with any competitor; and
 - (b) unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this Bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the Bidder and will not knowingly be disclosed by the Bidder prior to opening, directly or indirectly, to any other Bidder or to any competitor; and
 - (c) no attempt has been made or will be made by the Bidder to induce any person, partnership or corporation to submit or not submit a Bid for the purpose of restricting competition.
 - (d) no member of the Village Board, or officer, or employee of the Village of Interlaken, or person whose salary is payable in whole or in part by the Village is or shall become interested as a contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety, or otherwise, in this Bid or in the performance of this Contract, or in the supplies, materials, or equipment and work or labor to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.
- 8. I/We hereby agree that this proposal is a firm Bid and shall remain in effect for a period of at least twenty five (25) calendar days from the Bid-opening deadline and that within said period of three (3) days the Village of Interlaken will accept or reject this proposal, or this period may be extended upon mutual agreement.
- 9. I/We declare that if this is a Corporate Bid I/We have been duly authorized to act as the Signatory on this proposal on behalf of this Corporation.
- 10. I/We affirm, under penalty of perjury, that all statements in this proposal are true and correct
- 11. I/We hereby agree that I/We accept the unit prices on the following pages for the various items of work.
- 12. I/We hereby agree that upon award of the bid, Contractor shall supply the Village of Interlaken with a Certificate of Insurance as outlined in the Schedule of Insurance (see Section I).
- 13. I/We hereby agree that I/We shall make no claim on account of any variation of the approximate estimate in the quantities of work to be done, whether the actual quantities are greater, smaller or completely deleted. A change in the quantity of any item shall not be regarded as sufficient grounds for a change in the price of that item.
- 14. All listed work shall be completed April 30, 2018

Signatures and Execution – next page.

Village of Interlaken, NY

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Section C: Declarations (Continued)		
Legal Name of Bidder, Partner or Corporate Officer:		
By:		
Corporate Seal (if incorporated)		
Bidder Acknowledges receipt of Addenda as follows:		
Addendum 1: Signature		
Addendum 2: Signature Addendum 3: Signature		
Addendum 4: Signature		

Section D Bid Proposal Form

Interlaken Village Office PO Box 305 Interlaken, New York 14847

Dear Sir:

We propose to provide the items of work in accordance with the specifications and requirements. The Village will have final say in determining the location of all work to be performed as follows:

Total of 9 - Entire trees - removed and carted away; including branches, wood chips and trunk, including stumps ground 12" below grade.

Holes are to be filled with clean topsoil, leveled, seeded, and covered with straw. Street locations of the trees are as follows: 1 on Clinton St., 1 on Orchard St, 2 on Mechanic St., 2 on Knight St, 1 on Seneca St, and 2 on Railroad Ave – trees are marked with ribbons and a map is also provided. All work is to be completed by 11:59pm, April 30th, 2018

Bidders are responsible for Maintenance and Protection of Traffic for each item above.

Additions and deletions: In the event an agreement between the village and the contractor results in additions or deletions, pricing from Part1 and Part 2 below will apply.

Part 1. Per-Tree Removal Unit Price: Entire tree removed and carted away; including branches, wood chips and trunk, including stumps ground 12" below grade.

Part 2. Per-Tree Stump Removal: Stump Removal, with stumps ground 12" below grade

Tree Diameter Part 1. Tree Diameter Tree Removal (D.B.H.) Unit Price	Part 2. Per-Tree Stump Removal Unit Price
1. 0" to 6" \$	\$
2. 7" to 12" \$	\$
3. 13" to 17" \$	\$
4. 18" to 24" \$	\$
5. 25" to 30" \$	\$
6. 31" to 36" \$	\$
7. 37" to 42" \$	\$
8. 43" to 48" \$	\$
9. 49" to 60" \$	\$
10. 61" to 72" \$	\$

Section D Bid Proposal Form

Base bid for this Project the Contractor is to Provide the work as shown in the Plans and Specifications, and legally dispose of all shredding's, mulch, trunks, and branches outside of the Village of Interlaken.

ALTERNATES

Indicate in the spaces provided below the amount to be added to or the amount to be deducted from (as applicable) the base bid as described in the paragraph above. Include in the amount of each Alternate all labor, materials, equipment, overhead and profit, and additional work that may be required by the acceptance of the work of these Alternates.

ALTERNATE NO. 1

Place all shreddings, mulch, and logs approximately 2'-0" in length from the tree removal at a location behind the Interlaken Fire Department as located by the Village of Interlaken DPW Representative.

ADD to the Base Bid the sum of:		
· 	(\$)
(words)		(figures)
OR DEDUCT from the Base Bid the sum of:		
(words)	(\$) (figures)

Section D: Bid Proposal Form (Continued)

BIDDERS QUALIFICATION FORM

All questions must be answered and the data given must be clear and comprehensive necessary, questions may be answered on a separate attached sheet.

Name of Bidder:
Main office address:
How many years have you been engaged in the Contracting business under your present firm or trade name?
Have you ever failed to complete any work awarded to you?
Have you ever defaulted on a Contract? If so, when and why?
List any similar Contract that you have had with other Municipalities stating the approximate cost for each, and the year that they were done?
List you experience in work similar to this Project.
List your major equipment that you have available for this Contract
Will you be using any subcontractors? If so, they will be required to have the same

insurance requirements, and will also have to pay prevailing rate.

Section E Non-Collusive Bidding Certification

In accordance with Section 103-d of the New York State General Municipal Law, effective September 1, 1966, every bid or proposal hereafter made to a political subdivision of the state or any public department, agency, or official thereof or to a fire district or any agency or official thereof where competitive bidding is required by statute, rule, regulation or local law for work or services performed or to be performed or goods sold or to be sold, shall contain the following statement subscribed to by the bidder and affirmed to by the bidder as true under the penalties of perjury:

Non-collusive bidding certification:

- A. By submission of this bid, each bidder and person signing on behalf of any bidder certifies, and in the case of a joint bid each party thereto certifies as to its own organization, under penalty of perjury, that to the best of knowledge and belief:
- (1) The prices in this bid have been arrived at independently without collusion, consultation, communication or agreement for the purpose of restricting competition, as to any matter relating to such prices with any other bidder or any competitor.
- (2) Unless otherwise required by law, the prices which have been quoted in this bid have not been knowingly disclosed by the bidder and will not knowingly be disclosed by the Bidder prior to the opening, directly or indirectly, to any Bidder or to any competitor.
- (3) No attempt has been made or will be made by the Bidder to induce any other person, partnership, or corporation to submit or not to submit a bid for the purpose of restricting competition.
- B. The person signing this bid or proposal certifies that they have fully informed themselves regarding the accuracy of the statements contained in this certification, and under the statements contained in this certification, and under the penalties of perjury, affirms the truth thereof, such penalties being applicable to the Bidder as well as the person signing in Bidder's behalf.
- C. That attached hereto (if a corporate bidder) is a certified copy of the resolution authorizing the execution of this certificate by the signer of this bid or proposal in behalf of the corporate bidder.

Note: Form of Resolution on next page.

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RESOLUTION		
BE IT RESOLVED that(Name of Corporation)		
be authorized to sign and submit the bid or proposal of this corporation for the project entitled:		
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To remove and trim trees designated for removal by the Village of Interlaken and to grind the remaining stumps to twelve inches (12") below grade. Holes will be filled with clean topsoil, leveled to surrounding grade, seeded, and covered with straw.		
It shall be Contractor's responsibility to notify any utilities to clear obstructed branches from utility lines, and supply qualified personnel for any and all traffic control.		
Contractor will include in such bid or proposal the certificate as to non-collusion required by section One Hundred and Three d (103-d) of the New York State General Municipal Law as the act and deed of the corporation, and for any inaccuracies or misstatements in such certificate this corporate bidder shall be liable under the penalties of perjury. The foregoing is a true and correct copy of the resolution adopted by:		
(Name of Corporation) at a meeting of the Board of Directors held on the(Date)		
Company Rep <u>.</u>		
Name and Title:		

Laws of New York State, 1965 Chapter 751, Section 103-d, as amended effective September 1, 1966.

Section F Equal Employment Opportunity Certification

Instructions: This certification is required pursuant to Executive Order 11245 (30 F.R. 12319-25). The implementing rules and regulations provide that any bidder or prospective contractor, or any of their proposed subcontractors, shall state as an initial part of the bid or negotiations of the contract whether it has participated in any previous contract or subcontract subject to the equal opportunity clause; and if so, whether it has filed all compliance reports due under applicable instructions. Where the certification indicates that the bidder has not filed a compliance report due under applicable instruction, such bidder shall be required to submit a compliance report within four (4) calendar days after bid opening. No contract shall be awarded unless such report is submitted.

Certification of Bidder by			
Corp. Name:			
Address: City/State/Zip Code:			
I. Bidder has participated in a previous contract or subcontract to the Equal Opportunity Clause. Yes No (if answer is yes, identify the most recent contract).			
2. Compliance reports were required to be filed in connection with such contract or subcontract.			
Yes No (if answer is yes, identify the most recent contract).			
B. Bidder has filed all compliance reports due under applicable instructions, including SF-100. Yes No			
4. If answer to item #3 is <u>NO</u> , please explain in detail on reverse side of this certification. Certification: The information above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.			
Signature:			

Section G Agreement

Contract # 2018-01—Tree Removal and Trimming, and Stump Removal Services Village of Interlaken Seneca County, New York		
THIS AGREEMENT made this day of (April), 2018, by and between:		
* Strike out the two terms that do not apply.		
Corporation organized and existing under the laws of the state of		
Partnership consisting of		
Individual trading as		
Hereinafter called "The Contractor" and the Village of Interlaken, NY, hereinafter called "The Village."		

WITNESSETH, that The Contractor and The Village for the consideration stated herein mutually agree as follows:

Article 1. Statement of Work

The Contractor shall furnish all supervision, technical personnel, labor, materials, machinery, tools, appurtenances, equipment and services, including utility and transportation services and perform and complete all work and required supplemental work for the completion of this Contract in strict accordance with the hereinafter referenced Contract Documents including all Addenda thereto, numbered and entitled,

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Article 2. The Contract Price

The Village will pay the Contractor for the performance of the Contract in current funds, for the total quantities of work performed at the stated unit prices stipulated in the Bid for the respective items of work completed subject to additions and deductions as provided in the section on changes in the work in the General Conditions.

Article 3. Contract Documents

The Contract Documents shall consist of the following (including their attachments and exhibits, not in any particular order):

- Notice to Bidders:
- Instructions to Bidders;
- Declarations;
- Bid Proposal;
- Addenda (if any);

- Non-Collusive Bidding Certification & Resolution;
- Equal Employment Opportunity Certification;
- This Agreement;
- Certificate(s) of Insurance and Hold Harmless Agreement;
- · General Conditions; and
- Signed copy of Bid, with all attachments required for bidding.

Article 4. Term

The general term of this contract is not to exceed the completion due date of April 30, 2018

This Agreement, together with the other Documents enumerated in this Article 4, which said other Documents are as fully a part of the Contract as if hereto attached or herein repeated, forms the Contract between the Contractor and the Village. In the event that any provision in any component part of this Contract conflicts with any provision of any other component the part first enumerated in this Article 4 shall govern, except as otherwise specifically stated.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed in two (2) original copies on the day and year first above written.

(Contractor's Signature)		
Print Name:		
Title:		
(Notarize on next page)		
(Administrator's Signature)	Richard Richardson, Village Mayor	
(Notarize on next page)		

Date: , 2018

Section H Insurance

- 1. The Contractor, prior to signing of the contract, shall provide to the **Village of Interlaken** and maintain throughout the life of the contract, at his own cost and expense, proof of the following insurance by insurance companies licensed in the State of New York.
 - a. Workmen's Compensation. The Contractor shall take out and maintain during the life of this contract the statutory Workmen's Compensation, Disability, and Employer's Liability insurance for all of his employees to be engaged in work on the project under this Contract, and, in case any such work is sublet, the Contractor shall require the Subcontractor similarly to provide Workmen's Compensation, Disability, and Employer's Liability Insurance for all of the latter's employees to be engaged in such Work. If the Contractor is Exempt from Workmen's Compensation status, Contractor will need proof of equivalent voluntary compensation coverage.
 - b. General Liability Insurance with a minimum combined single limit of liability per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage of one million (\$1,000,000) dollars* with a minimum annual aggregate of two million (\$2,000,000) dollars*. Village of Interlaken shall be named as "Additional Insured". The Certificate of Insurance shall indicate the following coverages:
 - (1) Operations;
 - (2) Any deductibles shall not be the liability of the Village of Interlaken, New York
 - c. Automobile Liability Insurance with a single limit of liability per occurrence for bodily injury and per occurrence for property damage at \$1,000,000. This insurance shall include coverages for:
 - (1) Owned automobiles;
 - (2) Hired automobiles;
 - (3) Non-owned automobiles.
 - d. Owners and Contractors Protective Liability Policy \$1,000,000 single limit endorsed that **Village of Interlaken** is not responsible for premium.
 - e. Property Damage Property Damage Insurance shall include the legal liability of its Contractor for loss or damage to property of the **Village of Interlaken**.
 - f. Unemployment Insurance The Contractor for the agreed consideration, promises and agrees to pay the contributions measured by the wages of his employees required by State Unemployment Insurance Laws and all amendments thereto, and to accept the account of any contribution measured by the wages as aforesaid of employees of the Contractors and his subcontractors assessed against the Owner under the authority of said law.
 - 9- Errors and Omissions/Professional Liability A minimum limit of liability of *one million* (\$1,000,000) dollars per incident and in the annual aggregate. (If pertinent to job)
 - h. Umbrella / Excess Liability Total combined with underlying General Liability a minimum of \$5M per occurrence.

- 2. All policies and certificates of the Contractor shall contain clauses as follows:
 - a. The insurance companies issuing the policy or policies shall have no recourse against the **Village of Interlaken**, **NY** for payment of any premiums or for assessments under any form of policy.
 - b. Any and all deductibles in the above described insurance policies shall be assumed by and be for the account of, and at the sole risk of the Contractor.
 - c. In case of cancellation or material change in any of the policies, thirty (30) days notice shall be given to Village Administrator, Village of Interlaken, PO Box 305, Interlaken, NY, 14847 by registered mail, return receipt requested.
- 3. All property losses shall be made payable to and adjusted with the Village of Interlaken, NY.
- 4. All policies of insurance shall be acceptable to and approved by the Village Attorney prior to the inception of any work.
- 5. Other coverages may be required by the Village of Interlaken, NY based on specific needs.
- 6. If, at any time, any of the said policies shall be or become unsatisfactory to the Village of Interlaken, NY, as to form or substance, or if a company issuing such a policy shall be or become unsatisfactory to the Village of Interlaken, the Contractor shall promptly obtain a new policy, submit the same to the Village Office for approval and submit a certificate thereof as hereinafter provided. Upon failure of the Contractor to furnish, deliver and maintain such insurance as above provided, this Contract, at the election of the Village of Interlaken, NY, may be forthwith declared suspended, discontinued or terminated. Failure of the Contractor to take out and/or to maintain or the taking out and/or maintenance of any required insurance shall not relieve the Contractor from any liability under the contract, nor shall the insurance requirements be construed to conflict with the obligations of the Contractor.
- 7. In the event that claims in excess of these amounts are filed by reason of any operations under the contract, the amounts of excess of such claims, or any portion thereof, may be withheld from payment due or to become due the Contractor until such time as the contractor shall furnish such additional security covering such claims.
- 8. General Aggregate coverage needs to apply to this project only.

8. The Contractor agrees to protect, defend, indemnify and hold the Village of Interlaken, NY, and their officers, employees and agents free and harmless from and against any and all losses, penalties, damages, settlements, costs, charges, professional fees or other expenses or liabilities of every kind and character in connection with or arising directly or indirectly out of this agreement and/or the performance hereof. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, any and all claims, etc., relating to personal injury, death, damage to property, defects in materials and workmanship, actual or alleged infringement of any patent, trademark, copyright (or application for any thereof) or of any other tangible or intangible personal or property right, or any actual or alleged violation of any applicable statute, ordinance, administrative order, rule or regulation, or decree of any court, shall be included in the indemnity hereunder.

The Contractor further agrees to investigate, handle, respond to, provide defense for and defend any such claims, etc., at his sole expense and agrees to bear all other costs and expenses related thereto, even if it (claims, etc.) is groundless, false, or fraudulent. In any case in which such indemnification would violate Section 5-322.1 of the New York General Obligations Law, or any other applicable legal prohibition, the foregoing provisions concerning indemnification shall not be construed to indemnify the Village of Interlaken, NY for damage arising out of bodily injury to persons or damage to property caused by or resulting from the sole negligence of the Village or its employees.

Section I General Conditions

1: Notification & Scheduling:

Notify the Village of Interlaken at least two (2) business days prior to commencing work. Schedule all work in a careful manner with all necessary consideration for neighbors and the public, being mindful of the provisions of the Code of the Village of Interlaken. Work shall not begin before 8 a.m. and shall cease at hours later than 6 p.m., unless otherwise authorized in writing from the Village of Interlaken.

2: Hours of Work:

Work affecting traffic flow shall be limited to between the hours 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. unless otherwise approved by the Village, such as in declared emergency situations.

3: Site(s) Inspection:

Site Inspection -- Prior to all work, carefully inspect the entire site and all objects designated to be removed. Any existing site damage will be recorded prior to commencing work.

4: Protection of Utilities:

It is the Contractor's responsibility to determine the exact location of and preserve in good operating condition all active utilities traversing the sites. In case of any damage or injury caused in performance of the work, Contractor shall, at his own expense, make good on or repair such damage or injury to the satisfaction of and without cost to the Village. Existing roads, sidewalks and curbs damaged during the project work shall be repaired or replaced to their original condition before the completion of operations.

5: Protection of Structures:

Any walls, curbs, sidewalks or adjacent structures should be given particular attention and care to prevent damage and/or destruction.

6: Quality Assurance:

Contractor shall provide at least one person who shall be present at all times during operations who shall be thoroughly familiar with the procedures involved and who shall direct and coordinate the operation.

7: Job Conditions/Maintenance and Protection of Traffic:

Use all necessary means to protect objects and structures that will remain. Provide, erect and maintain all barriers, warning signs, flag-men and other items as required for the proper protection of the workmen engaged in demolition operations, the public, and any other related work taking place. Protect all public and private property adjacent to and on the job-site.

8: Tree Removal:

All debris including, branches, trunks, stumps and shredded wood chips are to be removed from site unless alternate is awarded.

9. Holes from tree removal are to be filled with clean topsoil, leveled to surrounding grade, seeded, and covered with straw.

Section J Terms of Payment

Payment shall be made on completion of contract and on receipt by the Village of Contractor's invoice(s).

Payment(s) will be made on the basis job completion and billed, with a sign-off by the Public Works Supervisor for work completion, with authorization by the Village Board.

No payment shall be made for work not done, or for work only partially completed.

Payment will be for actual work completed, based on unit prices bid, and will be for totals agreed upon between the Village and the Contractor, based on unit prices.

Payment will be made by the village no later than sixty (60) days after the date of receipt of any invoice by the village, unless there is any dispute as to a particular item. In the case of any dispute, the Village must put the contractor on written notice to hold payment on that item, with the item(s)/unit(s) listed, and that item/unit, or those items/units, will be removed from the bill and held for review until resolved.

Invoices shall be submitted within forty five (45) days from when the work occurred. Work must have occurred by the end of the term of this contract, which is established as 11:59pm - April 30, 2018.

HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

I. Indemnification

Contractor shall indemnify, save harmless and defend the Village of Interlaken, its elected and appointed officials, its employees, agents, volunteers and others working on behalf of the Village of Interlaken, from and against any and all claims, losses, costs, attorney's fees, damages,or injury including death and/or property loss, expense claims or demands arising out of or caused or alleged to have been caused in any manner by a defect in any equipment or materials supplied under this Contract or by the performance of any work under this Contract, including all suits or actions of every kind or description brought against the Village of Interlaken, either individually or jointly with Contractor for or on account of any damage or injury to any person or persons or property, caused or occasioned or alleged to have been caused by, or on account of, the performance of any work pursuant to or in connection with this Contract, or through any negligence or alleged negligence in safeguarding the work area, or through any act, omission or fault or alleged act, omission or fault or others under the Contractor's Contract.

Signature	Date
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