



**CITY OF BOSTON
STANDARD CONTRACT DOCUMENT**

Form CM10

CONTRACT ID: 0000000000000000000050849

Parties

Contractor Legal Name: Innovative Emergency Management INC (and d/b/a):	City Department Name: Administration & Finance
Contractor Address: 2801 Slater Rd Suite 200 Morrisville, NC 27560	City Department Head: Emme Handy
Contractor Vendor ID: 0000098654	City Mailing Address: Boston City Hall, Room 608 Boston, MA 02201
	City Billing Address: Auditing Department One City Hall Room M-4 Boston, MA 02201

Contract Details

Description/Scope of Services: (Attach supporting documentation)	
The City of Boston seeks qualified consultants to assist City leadership and the Boston Public Health Commission (BPHC) in developing and disseminating COVID-19 specific technical assistance.	
Procurement Type:	Contract Version: 0.02
Begin Date: June 01, 2020	End Date: May 31, 2021
Rate: (Attach details of all rates, units, and charges)	Not To Exceed Amt: \$ 758,906.60

Contract Signatures

AUDITING	VENDOR/CONTRACTOR	AWARDING AUTHORITY/OFFICIAL
APPROVED AS TO THE AVAILABILITY OF AN APPROPRIATION OR PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 12 OF THE GENERAL CONDITIONS	AGREES TO PROVIDE THE GOODS OR SERVICES AS INDICATED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ASSOCIATED CONTRACT DOCUMENTS	IT IS MY BELIEF THAT THERE IS LITTLE OR NO RISK OF DEFAULT OR UNSATISFACTORY PERFORMANCE BY THE VENDOR/CONTRACTOR

SIGNATURE	SIGNATURE	SIGNATURE

APPROVED APPROPRIATION IN THE AMOUNT OF: \$ 758,906.60



**CITY OF BOSTON
STANDARD CONTRACT GENERAL CONDITIONS**

Form CM11

ARTICLE 1 -- DEFINITION OF TERMS:

1.1 The following terms in these Contract Documents shall be construed as follows:

1.1.1 "City" shall mean the City of Boston, Massachusetts.

1.1.2 "Contract" and "Contract Documents" shall include, in the following hierarchy of document precedence, as applicable: the City's Standard Contract Document; these Standard Contract General Conditions; the Invitations for Bids, Requests for Proposals, or other solicitations; the Contractor's responses including Contractor Certifications and Applications, excluding any language stricken by City as unacceptable and including any negotiated statements of work contemplated by the solicitation; and Performance Bonds, which documents are incorporated herein by reference.

1.1.3 "Contractor" shall mean the individual, partnership, corporation or other entity to which this Contract is awarded.

1.1.4 "Official" shall mean the awarding authority/officer acting on behalf of the City in the execution of the Contract.

ARTICLE 2 -- PERFORMANCE:

2.1 The Contractor shall conform to all determinations and directions, in accordance with provisions of this Contract, of the Official concerning all questions which may arise relating to the performance of services under this Contract.

2.2 The Contractor shall, upon written request of the Official, remove from City premises and replace all individuals in the Contractor's employ whom the Official determines to be disorderly, careless or incompetent or to be employed in violation of the terms of this Contract.

2.3 City is entitled to ownership and possession of all deliverables purchased or developed with Contract funds. All work papers, reports, questionnaires and other written materials prepared or collected by the Contractor in the course of completing the work to be performed under this Contract shall at all times be the exclusive property of the City. The Contractor shall not use such materials for any purposes other than the purpose of this Contract without the prior written consent of the Official. All Contractor proprietary rights shall be detailed in the Contract Documents.

2.4 Prior to beginning performance under this Contract, Contractor must receive a Purchase Order from City.

ARTICLE 3 -- ACCEPTANCE OF GOODS OR SERVICES:

3.1 Performance under this Contract shall include services rendered, obligations due, costs incurred, goods and deliverables provided and accepted by City. The City shall have a reasonable opportunity to inspect all goods and deliverables, services performed by, and work product of the Contractor, and accept or reject such goods, deliverables, services, or work product.

ARTICLE 4 -- TIME:

4.1 It is understood and agreed that Contractor's performance shall be timely and meet or exceed industry standards for the performance required.

ARTICLE 5 -- COMPENSATION:

5.1 The Contractor may, in the absence of a payment schedule, periodically submit to the Official invoices, itemizing goods, services, labor and expenses for which compensation is due and requesting payment for goods received or services rendered by the Contractor during the period covered by the invoice.

5.2 Thereupon the Official shall estimate the value of goods or services accepted by the City in accordance with the specific terms and conditions of a Contract, and City shall pay to the Contractor such amount less sums retained under the provisions of Article 8 of these General Conditions.

5.3 The City shall pay in full and complete compensation for goods received and accepted and services performed and accepted under this Contract in an amount not to exceed the amount shown on the face of this Contract paid in accordance with the rate indicated or in accordance with a prescribed schedule. Acceptance by the Contractor of any payment or partial payment, without any written objection by the Contractor, shall in each instance operate as a release and discharge of the City from all claims, liabilities or other obligations relating to the performance of a Contract.

5.4 In the event that this Contract provides for reimbursement by the City to the Contractor for travel or other expenses, the Contractor shall submit such proposed expenses to the Official for approval prior to the incurrence of such expenses, unless the Contract specifically provides otherwise, and all travel reimbursement shall be consistent with the City's Travel Policies and Procedures.

5.5 The Contractor shall furnish such information, estimate or vouchers relating to the goods or services or to documentation of labor or expenses as may be requested by the Official.

ARTICLE 6 -- RELATIONSHIP WITH THE CITY:

6.1 The Contractor is retained solely for the purposes of and to the extent set forth in this Contract. Contractor's relationship to the City during the term of this Contract shall be that of an independent Contractor. The Contractor shall

have no capacity to involve the City in any contract nor to incur any liability on the part of the City. The Contractor, its agents or employees shall not be considered as having the status or pension rights of an employee; provided that the Contractor shall be considered an employee for the purpose of General Laws c. 268A (the Conflict of Interest Law). The City shall not be liable for any personal injury to or death of the Contractor, its agents or employees.

6.2 Unless all the terms and conditions for the delivery or provision of goods or services by the Contractor to the City specified by this Contract are expressly set forth in a writing incorporated herein by reference, such delivery of goods or services shall require written approval of or direction by the Official prior to the incurrence of any liability by the City. The City has no legal obligation to compensate a Contractor for performance that is not requested and is intentionally delivered by a Contractor outside the scope of a Contract.

6.3 All alterations or additions, material or otherwise, to the terms and conditions of this Contract must be in writing and signed by the Official and Contractor and filed with the City Auditor. The City's Standard Contract Document and Standard Contract General Conditions shall supersede any conflicting verbal or written agreements relating to the performance of a Contract, including contract forms, purchase orders, or invoices of the Contractor.

6.4 Forbearance or indulgence in any form or manner by a party shall not be construed as a waiver, nor in any way limit the legal or equitable remedies available to that party. No waiver by either party of any default or breach shall constitute a waiver of any subsequent default or breach.

ARTICLE 7 -- ASSUMPTION OF LOSS AND LIABILITY:

7.1 The Contractor shall pay and be exclusively responsible for all debts for labor and material contracted for by Contractor for the rental of any appliance or equipment hired by Contractor and/or for any expense incurred on account of services to be performed under this Contract.

7.2 The Contractor shall bear the risk of loss for any Contractor materials used for a Contract and for all goods and deliverables, until possession, ownership and full legal title to the goods and deliverables are transferred to and accepted by the City.

7.3 To the fullest extent permitted by law, the Contractor shall indemnify, hold harmless, and assume the defense of the City, its officers, agents or employees, with counsel acceptable to City, which acceptance shall not be unreasonably withheld, from all liabilities, suits, claims, losses, and costs or any other damages against them or any of them arising from any act or omission of the Contractor, its agents, officers, employees, or subcontractors in any way connected with performance under this Contract.

ARTICLE 8 - REMEDIES OF THE CITY:

8.1 If the Contractor provides goods and/or services that do not comply with Contract specifications and requirements as reasonably determined by the Official, the Official may request that the Contractor refurnish services or provide substitute goods at no additional cost to the City until approved by the Official. If the Contractor shall fail to provide satisfactory goods or services, the Official, in the alternative, may make any reasonable purchase or Contract to purchase goods or services in substitution for those due from the Contractor. The City may deduct the cost of any substitute Contract or nonperformance of services together with incidental and consequential damages from the Contract price and shall withhold such damages from sums due or to become due to the Contractor. The City otherwise retains all rights and remedies at law or in equity.

8.2 If the damages sustained by the City as determined by the Official exceed sums due or to become due, the Contractor shall pay the difference to the City upon demand.

8.3 The Contractor shall not be liable for any damages sustained by the City due to the Contractor's failure to furnish goods or services under the terms of this Contract if such failure is in fact caused by the occurrence of a contingency the nonoccurrence of which was a basic assumption under which this Contract was made, including but not necessarily limited to a state of war, act of enemies, embargoes, expropriation or labor strike or any unanticipated federal, state, or municipal governmental regulation or order, provided that the Contractor has notified the Official in writing of such cause as soon as practicable.

8.4 The City may terminate this Contract for cause if the Contractor has breached any material term or condition and has not corrected the breach within a reasonable period of time after written notice from the City identifying the breach. This Contract may be terminated at any time for the convenience of the City at the option of the Official by delivering or mailing to the Contractor at the Contractor's business address a written notice of termination setting forth the date, not less than seven (7) days after the date of such delivery or mailing, when such termination shall be effective. In the event of such termination for convenience, the Contractor shall be compensated for services rendered to the effective date of said termination in accordance with the rates of compensation specified in this Contract. The parties agree that if City erroneously, improperly or unjustifiably terminates for cause, such termination shall be deemed a termination for convenience, which shall be effective thirty (30) days after such notice of termination for cause is provided.

ARTICLE 9 -- REMEDIES OF CONTRACTOR:

9.1 If damages, other than loss on nonconforming services or on services not performed, are actually sustained by the Contractor due to any act or material omission for which the City is legally responsible, the City may allow a sum equal to

the amount of such damages sustained by the Contractor as determined by the Official in writing, provided the Contractor shall have delivered to the Official a detailed written statement of such damages and cause thereof within thirty (30) days after the act or material omission by the City.

ARTICLE 10 - PROHIBITION AGAINST ASSIGNMENT:

10.1 The Contractor shall not assign, delegate, subcontract or in any way transfer any interest in this Contract without prior written consent of the Official.

ARTICLE 11 - COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS AND PUBLIC POLICY:

11.1 This Contract is made subject to all laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. If the Contractor is a business, the Contractor certifies that it is listed under the Secretary of State's website as licensed to do business in Massachusetts, as required by law.

11.2 The Contractor shall provide, at its sole expense, all necessary licenses, permits or other authorizations required by the City, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts or any other governmental agency with proper jurisdiction.

11.3 The Contractor shall where applicable take out and maintain during the term of this Contract such Worker's Compensation insurance as may be reasonably necessary to protect the Contractor from claims under General Laws c. 152 (the Worker's Compensation Law). The Contractor shall at all times maintain professional, liability, and other appropriate insurance as required by the solicitation or as otherwise required by City, but in no event less than the amount and type of insurance coverage sufficient to cover the performance.

11.4 The Contractor agrees and shall require any subcontractor to agree not to discriminate in connection with the performance of work under the Contract against any employee or applicant for employment because of sex, race, color, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, marital status, parental status, ex-offender status, prior psychiatric treatment, military status, religious creed, disability, national origin, ancestry, source of income, or age, unless based upon a legally permissible and bona fide occupational qualification. The Contractor agrees and shall require any subcontractor to agree to post in conspicuous places notices to be provided by the Massachusetts Commission Against Discrimination, setting forth provisions of the Fair Employment Practice Law of the Commonwealth.

11.5 The Contractor's attention is called to General Laws c. 268A (the Conflict of Interest Law). The Contractor shall not act in collusion with any City officer, agent, or employee, nor shall the Contractor make gifts regarding this Contract or any other matter in which the City has a direct and substantial interest.

11.6 The Contractor shall keep himself fully informed of all City Ordinances and Regulations, and State and Federal laws, which in any manner affect the work herein specified. The Contractor shall at all times observe and comply with said ordinances, regulations or laws, and shall defend, hold harmless, and indemnify the City, its officers, agents and employees against any claim or liability arising from or based on the violations of such ordinances, regulations or laws, caused by the negligent actions or omissions of the Contractor, its agents, or employees.

11.7 In furtherance of the Mayor's Executive Order "Minority and Women Business Enterprise Development" dated December 31, 1987 and the Ordinance entitled "Promoting Minority and Women Owned Business Enterprises in the City of Boston" (Ordinances of 1987, Chapter 14, as amended), it is understood and agreed by the Contractor, and the Contractor by the execution of this Contract so certifies, as follows: (1) That the Contractor shall actively solicit bids for the subcontracting of goods and services from certified minority and women businesses; (2) That in reviewing substantially equal proposals the Contractor shall give additional consideration to the award of subcontracts to certified minority and women bidders.

11.8 The Contractor certifies that neither it nor any of its subcontractors are currently debarred or suspended by the U.S. government, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, or any of its subdivisions.

11.9 The Contractor certifies that neither it nor any of its subcontractors have been subject to a federal or state criminal or civil judgment, administrative citation, final administrative determination, order or debarment resulting from a violation of G.L. c.149, c.151, or the Fair Labor Standards Act within three (3) years prior to the date of the Contract; or certifies that it has provided copies of any and all of the above to the Official prior to the date of the Contract and any required wage bond or insurance; and certifies that while the Contract is in effect, it will report any instance of the above to the Official within five (5) days of Contractor's receipt. The Contractor agrees and shall require any subcontractor to post in conspicuous places notices to be provided by the City, informing employees of the protections of applicable local, state, and federal law.

11.10 Contractor agrees that they shall comply fully with all state and federal laws and regulations regarding human trafficking and forced labor. Failure to do so will be considered a breach of this Contract.

11.11 If applicable, as determined by the Massachusetts Department of Labor Standards, the Contractor shall comply with the Massachusetts Prevailing Wage Law (M.G.L. c.149, s.26, -27H) for public works projects, which establishes minimum wage rates for workers on such projects. The Contractor shall comply and shall cause its subcontractors to comply with M.G.L. c.149, s.27B, which requires that a true and accurate record be kept of all persons employed on a project for which the prevailing wage rates are required. The Contractor shall, and shall cause its subcontractors to, submit weekly copies of their weekly payroll records to the City, to the extent the Prevailing Wage Law is applicable.

ARTICLE 12 -- AVAILABLE APPROPRIATION:

12.1 This Contract and payments hereunder are subject to the availability of an appropriation therefor. Any oral or written representations, commitments, or assurances made by the Official or any other City representatives are not binding. Contractors should verify funding prior to beginning performance.

12.2 If the Contract is funded under a grant with the Federal Government, it is being executed without further appropriation pursuant to General Laws c. 44, s.53A.

12.3 When the amount of the City Auditor's certification of available funds is less than the face amount of the Contract, the City shall not be liable for any claims or requests for payment by the Contractor which would cause total claims or payments under this Contract to exceed the amount so certified.

12.4 Unless otherwise expressly provided in a writing incorporated herein by reference, the amount certified by the City Auditor as available funds under this Contract may be increased or decreased by the Official with the written approval of such change by the City Auditor. In the event of any decrease in the amount certified, the Contractor shall be compensated for services rendered to the effective date of such reduction, in accordance with the rates of compensation specified in this Contract.

ARTICLE 13 -- RELEASE OF CITY ON FINAL PAYMENT:

13.1 Acceptance by the Contractor of payment from the City for final services under this Contract shall be deemed to release forever the City from all claims and liabilities, except those which the Contractor notifies the Official in writing within six (6) months after such payment.

ARTICLE 14 -- PUBLIC RECORDS AND ACCESS:

14.1 The Contractor shall provide full access to records related to performance and compliance to the City for seven (7) years beginning on the first day after the final payment under this Contract or such longer period necessary for the resolution of any litigation, claim, negotiation, audit or other inquiry involving this Contract. Access to view Contractor records related to any breach or allegation of fraud, waste and/or abuse may not be denied and Contractor can not claim confidentiality or trade secret protections solely for viewing but not retaining documents. Routine Contract performance compliance reports or documents related to any alleged breach or allegation of non-compliance, fraud, waste, abuse or collusion may be provided electronically and shall be provided at Contractor's own expense. Reasonable costs for copies of non-routine Contract related records shall not exceed the rates for public records under 950 C.M.R. 32.00.

ARTICLE 15 -- STATE TAXATION CERTIFICATION:

15.1 Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 62C, s. 49A, the Contractor certifies under penalties of perjury, that to the best of Contractor's knowledge and belief, Contractor has complied with all laws of the Commonwealth relating to taxes, reporting of employees and contractors, and withholding and remitting of child support. (NOTE: The Taxpayer Identification Number will be furnished to the Massachusetts Department of Revenue to determine compliance with the above-referenced law).

ARTICLE 16 -- MONIES OWED TO THE CITY:

16.1 Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 60, s. 93, the Contractor agrees that the Collector/Treasurer of the City of Boston may withhold from amounts owing and payable to the Contractor under this Contract any sums owed to any department or agency of the City of Boston which remain wholly or partially unpaid. This shall include but not be limited to unpaid taxes and assessments, police details, and any other fees and charges until such sums owed have been paid in full, and the Collector/Treasurer may apply any amount owing and payable to the Contractor to satisfy any monies owed to the City.

ARTICLE 17 -- BID COLLUSION:

17.1 The Contractor certifies under penalties of perjury that his/her bid or proposal has been made and submitted in good faith and without collusion, fraud, or unfair trade practice with any other person. As used in this article, the word "person" shall mean any natural person, business, partnership, corporation, union, committee, club, or other organization, entity or group of individuals. Any actions to avoid or frustrate fair and open competition are prohibited by law, and shall be grounds for rejection or disqualification of a Response or termination of this Contract.

ARTICLE 18 -- FORUM AND CHOICE OF LAW:

18.1 Any actions arising out of this Contract shall be governed by the laws of Massachusetts, and shall be brought and maintained in a State or federal court in Boston, Massachusetts which shall have exclusive jurisdiction thereof.



CITY OF BOSTON

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY¹ TERMS AND CONDITIONS TO FORM CM11

The following terms and conditions are added to the City of Boston Standard Contract General Conditions (Form CM11), to the extent permitted by law, for purposes of Contract number 0000000000000000000050849 between the City of Boston and Innovative Emergency Management INC.

A. Indemnification for Information Technology Contracts. This paragraph A is in lieu of and replaces paragraph 7.3 of Form CM11. Contractor agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the City, its officers, agents and employees from all third party liabilities, suits, claims, damages, costs (including without limitation reasonable attorneys' fees), and losses related to (i) the injury or death of any individual, or (ii) loss or damage to any real or tangible personal property, arising out of the willful misconduct or negligent acts or omissions of Contractor or any of its agents, subcontractors, employees, suppliers, laborers, or any other person, firm, or corporation furnishing or supplying work, services, materials, or supplies in connection with the performance of this Contract; or (iii) Contractor's breach of its confidentiality, data security or privacy obligations.

Further, the Contractor will, to the fullest extent permitted by law, indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the City, its officers, agents, and employees, from all third party liabilities, suits, claims, damages, costs (including without limitation reasonable attorneys' fees), and losses related to infringement or violation of any U.S. intellectual property rights, including copyright or patent, by any goods, services, software, or intangible deliverables provided hereunder, provided that the foregoing obligation shall not apply to the extent of an action or claim resulting from the City's misuse of Contractor's deliverables.

B. Limitation of Liability for Information Technology Contracts. Contractor's liability for damages to the City for any cause whatsoever, and regardless of the form of action, whether in Contract or in tort, shall be limited to the greater of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) or two times the Purchase Price. The "Purchase Price" will mean the Not to Exceed Contract amount, including amendments. The foregoing limitation of liability shall not apply (i) to liability for copyright or patent infringement, or to any other liability (including without limitation indemnification obligations) for infringement of third party intellectual property rights; (ii) to claims arising under provisions herein calling for indemnification that include third party claims against the City for bodily injury to persons or damage to real or tangible personal property caused by Contractor's negligence or willful misconduct; or (iii) to Contractor's breach of its confidentiality, data security or privacy obligations, including without limitation, indemnification obligations.

The City's liability for damages for any cause whatsoever, and regardless of the form of action, whether in Contract or in tort, shall be limited to the greater of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) or two times the Purchase Price, as that term is defined in section B. above. The City's liability for damages is subject to all privileges and immunities from liability enjoyed by Massachusetts cities and nothing herein shall be construed to waive or limit the City's sovereign immunity or any other immunity from suit provided by law.

In no event will either the Contractor or the City be liable for consequential, incidental, indirect, or special damages, including lost profits, lost revenue, or damages from lost data or records (unless the contract or Statement of Work requires the Contractor to back-up data or records), even if notification has been given as to the possibility of such damages, except (i) to the extent that Contractor's liability for such damages is specifically set forth in the Statement of Work or (ii) to the extent that Contractor's liability for such damages arises out of sub-section B(i), B(ii), or B(iii) above. Notwithstanding any other provision in this Contract, nothing herein is intended to limit the City's ability to recover, where applicable, the reasonable costs the City incurs to repair, return, replace or seek cover (purchase of comparable substitute goods or services) under a Contract. Nothing in this section shall limit the City's ability to negotiate higher limitations of liability in a particular Contract.

¹ "Information Technology" includes, but is not limited to, all electronic technology systems and services, automated information handling, system design and analysis, conversion of data, computer programming, information storage and retrieval, and telecommunications which include voice, video, and data communications.

C. Confidentiality, Data Security, and Privacy. The Contractor agrees to maintain the security and confidentiality of all City Data for which the Contractor becomes a holder, either as part of performance or inadvertently during performance, with special attention to restricting access, use and disbursement of personal data and information under M.G.L. c. 93H and c. 66A. The Contractor is required to comply with M.G.L. c. 93I for the proper disposal of all paper and electronic media, backups or systems containing personal data and information. Provided further, that any Contractor having access to credit card or banking information of City or its customers certifies that the Contractor is PCI-DSS compliant in accordance with the Payment Card Industry Council Standards and shall provide confirmation of compliance during the Contract; provided further, that the Contractor shall immediately notify the City in the event of any security breach including the unauthorized access, disbursement, use or disposal of personal data or information, and in the event of a security breach, the Contractor shall cooperate fully with the City and provide access to any information necessary for the City to respond to the security breach and Contractor shall be fully responsible for any damages associated with the Contractor's breach including but not limited to M.G.L. c. 214, s. 3B

D. Rights to Data. The City and Contractor agree that as between them, all rights, including all intellectual property rights, in and to Data shall remain the exclusive property of the City, and Contractor has a limited, non-exclusive license to access and use the Data as provided to Contractor solely for performing its obligations under the Contract. "Data" means any information, or other content that the City, the City's employees, agents and end users upload, create or modify using the software, goods or services pursuant to this Contract. Data also includes user identification information and metadata which may contain Data or from which the City's Data may be ascertainable. Nothing herein shall be construed to confer any license or right to the Data, including user tracking Data within the system, by implication, estoppel or otherwise, under copyright or other intellectual property rights, to any third party. Unauthorized use of Data by Contractor or third parties is prohibited. For the purposes of this requirement, the phrase "unauthorized use" means the data mining or processing of data, stored or transmitted by the service, for unrelated commercial purposes, advertising or advertising-related purposes, or for any other purpose other than security or service delivery analysis that is not explicitly authorized. City may access and download the Data during the Term of this Agreement.

E. Work for Hire. If Deliverables are identified as works made for hire, this paragraph applies. All rights in deliverables made by either party under this Contract, including all rights, title and interest in all intellectual property rights, are works made for hire and shall be owned by the City of Boston. To the extent, if any, that City does not own full right, title and interest in and to the deliverables pursuant to the previous sentence, Contractor hereby assigns all right, title and interest in the deliverables made or created by Contractor alone or jointly with others under this Contract, to the City. Contractor shall retain all right, title and interest and all proprietary rights in and to any methods, materials, technologies, tools (including software tools), design code, templates, applications, techniques and other know-how developed by or for Contractor prior to and/or independent of the services provided hereunder.

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CITY OF BOSTON**

Administration & Finance

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS TO PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING SERVICES AND/OR SUPPLIES:

The City of Boston seeks qualified consultants to assist City leadership and the Boston Public Health Commission (BPHC) in developing and disseminating COVID-19 specific technical assistance.

The City of Boston ("The City"), acting by its Chief of Administration and Fi ("The Official"), requests proposals for the services and/or supplies described above, as particularly set forth in the Request for Proposals, which may be obtained from the City's procurement website and Supplier Portal (<http://boston.gov/procurement>) under Event ID EV00008026 or at Boston City Hall, Room 608, Boston, MA 02201.

Note: For information specific to this RFP, please contact Meghan Aldridge at meghan.aldrige@boston.gov or 617-635-4457.

Request for Proposals shall be available on May 18, 2020 until the proposal filing deadline. All proposals shall be filed no later than May 26, 2020 at 12:00 PM.

The attention of all proposers is directed to the provisions of the Request for Proposals and contract documents, specifically to the requirements for bid deposits, insurance and performance bonds, as may be applicable.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids, or any part or parts thereof, and to award a contract as the Official deems to be in the best interests of the City. This contract shall be subject to the availability of an appropriation therefore. The maximum time for proposal acceptance by the City after the opening of proposals shall be 30 days. The award of this contract shall be subject to the approval of the Mayor of Boston.

Emme Handy
Chief of Administration and Fi