## Qualifications

For City of Ann Arbor Request for Proposal RFP# 25-29

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### References

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Lynn Crum dlcrum@a2gov.org 734-323-4158

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#### The Contractor agrees:

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The undersigned states that he/she has the requisite authority to act on behalf of his/her employer in these matters and has offered to provide the services in accordance with the terms of the wage and employment provisions of the Chapter 14 of the Ann Arbor City Code. The undersigned certifies that he/she has read and is familiar with the terms of Section 1:320 of Chapter 14 of the Ann Arbor City Code and by executing this Declaration of Compliance obligates his/her employer and any subcontractor employed by it to perform work on the contract to the wage and employment requirements stated herein. The undersigned further acknowledges and agrees that if it is found to be in violation of the wage and employment requirements of Section 1:320 of the Chapter 14 of the Ann Arbor City Code it shall has be deemed a material breach of the terms of the contract and grounds for termination of same by the City.

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#### ATTACHMENT B LEGAL STATUS OF OFFEROR

(The Respondent shall fill out the provision and strike out the remaining ones.)

The Respondent is:  X   A corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the state of Michigan  , for whom Jeffrey M Darr   bearing the office title of President , whose signature is affixed to this proposal, is authorized to execute contracts on behalf of respondent.*
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<ul> <li>A partnership organized under the laws of the State of and filed with the County of, whose members are (attach list including street and mailing address for each.)</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>An individual, whose signature with address, is affixed to this RFP.</li> </ul>
Respondent has examined the basic requirements of this RFP and its scope of services, including all Addendum (if applicable) and hereby agrees to offer the services as specified in the RFP.  Date: 6/9/2025,
Signature Bate: are stored as a series of the series of th
(Print) Name Jeffrey M Darr Title President
Firm: Boone & Darr, Inc.
Address: P.O. Box 1718, Ann Arbor, MI 48106
Contact Phone 734-665-0648 Fax 734-665-9731
Email_jeff@boone-darr.com

# ATTACHMENT C CITY OF ANN ARBOR DECLARATION OF COMPLIANCE

#### **Non-Discrimination Ordinance**

The "non discrimination by city contractors" provision of the City of Ann Arbor Non-Discrimination Ordinance (Ann Arbor City Code Chapter 112, Section 9:158) requires all contractors proposing to do business with the City to treat employees in a manner which provides equal employment opportunity and does not discriminate against any of their employees, any City employee working with them, or any applicant for employment on the basis of actual or perceived age, arrest record, color, disability, educational association, familial status, family responsibilities, gender expression, gender identity, genetic information, height, HIV status, marital status, national origin, political beliefs, race, religion, sex, sexual orientation, source of income, veteran status, victim of domestic violence or stalking, or weight. It also requires that the contractors include a similar provision in all subcontracts that they execute for City work or programs.

In addition the City Non-Discrimination Ordinance requires that all contractors proposing to do business with the City of Ann Arbor must satisfy the contract compliance administrative policy adopted by the City Administrator. A copy of that policy may be obtained from the Purchasing Manager

#### The Contractor agrees:

- (a) To comply with the terms of the City of Ann Arbor's Non-Discrimination Ordinance and contract compliance administrative policy.
- (b) To post the City of Ann Arbor's Non-Discrimination Ordinance Notice in every work place or other location in which employees or other persons are contracted to provide services under a contract with the City.
- (c) To provide documentation within the specified time frame in connection with any workforce verification, compliance review or complaint investigation.
- (d) To permit access to employees and work sites to City representatives for the purposes of monitoring compliance, or investigating complaints of non-compliance.

The undersigned states that he/she has the requisite authority to act on behalf of his/her employer in these matters and has offered to provide the services in accordance with the terms of the Ann Arbor Non-Discrimination Ordinance. The undersigned certifies that he/she has read and is familiar with the terms of the Non-Discrimination Ordinance, obligates the Contractor to those terms and acknowledges that if his/her employer is found to be in violation of Ordinance it may be subject to civil penalties and termination of the awarded contract.

Boone & Darr, I	nc.	
Company Name	2	6/9/2025
Signature of Authorized F	Representative	Date
Jeffrey M Darr		President
Print Name and Title		
P.O. Box 1718,	Ann Arbor, MI	48106
Address, City, State, Zip		
734-665-0648	jeff@bc	one-darr.com

**Questions about the Notice or the City Administrative Policy, Please contact:** 

Procurement Office of the City of Ann Arbor (734) 794-6500

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Phone/Email address

# ATTACHMENT D CITY OF ANN ARBOR LIVING WAGE ORDINANCE DECLARATION OF COMPLIANCE

The Ann Arbor Living Wage Ordinance (Section 1:811-1:821 of Chapter 23 of Title I of the Code) requires that an employer who is (a) a contractor providing services to or for the City for a value greater than \$10,000 for any twelvemonth contract term, or (b) a recipient of federal, state, or local grant funding administered by the City for a value greater than \$10,000, or (c) a recipient of financial assistance awarded by the City for a value greater than \$10,000, shall pay its employees a prescribed minimum level of compensation (i.e., Living Wage) for the time those employees perform work on the contract or in connection with the grant or financial assistance. The Living Wage must be paid to these employees for the length of the contract/program.

Companies employing fewer than 5 persons and non-profits employing fewer than 10 persons are exempt from compliance with the Living Wage Ordinance. If this exemption applies to your company/non-profit agency please check here [\_\_\_] No. of employees\_\_\_

The Contractor or	· Grantee	agrees:
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(e)	To pay each of its employees whose wage level is not required to comply with federal, state or local prevailing wage law, for work covered or funded by a contract with or grant from the City, no less than the Living Wage. The current Living Wage is defined as \$17.08/hour for those employers that provide employee health care (as defined in the Ordinance at Section 1:815 Sec. 1 (a)), or no less than \$19.04/hour for those employers that do not provide health care. The Contractor or Grantor understands that the Living Wage is adjusted and established annually on April 30 in accordance with the Ordinance and covered employers shall be required to pay the adjusted amount thereafter to be in compliance with Section 1:815(3).
	Section 1:815(3).

Check the applicable box below which applies to your workforce			
ш	Employees who are assigned to any covered City contract/grant will be paid at or above the applicable living wage without health benefits		
[ <b>X</b> _]	Employees who are assigned to any covered City contract/grant will be paid at or above the applicable living wage with health benefits		

- (f) To post a notice approved by the City regarding the applicability of the Living Wage Ordinance in every work place or other location in which employees or other persons contracting for employment are working.
- (g) To provide to the City payroll records or other documentation within ten (10) business days from the receipt of a request by the City.
- (h) To permit access to work sites to City representatives for the purposes of monitoring compliance, and investigating complaints or non-compliance.
- (i) To take no action that would reduce the compensation, wages, fringe benefits, or leave available to any employee covered by the Living Wage Ordinance or any person contracted for employment and covered by the Living Wage Ordinance in order to pay the living wage required by the Living Wage Ordinance.

The undersigned states that he/she has the requisite authority to act on behalf of his/her employer in these matters and has offered to provide the services or agrees to accept financial assistance in accordance with the terms of the Living Wage Ordinance. The undersigned certifies that he/she has read and is familiar with the terms of the Living Wage Ordinance, obligates the Employer/Grantee to those terms and acknowledges that if his/her employer is found to be in violation of Ordinance it may be subject to civil penalties and termination of the awarded contract or grant of financial assistance.

Boone & Darr, Inc.		P.O. Box 1718	
Company Name		Street Address	
AND L	6/9/2025	Ann Arbor, MI	48106
Signature of Authorized Representative	Date	City, State, Zip	
Jeffrey M Darr	President	734-665-0648	jeff@boone-darr.com
Print Name and Title		Phone/Email address	

City of Ann Arbor Procurement Office, 734/794-6500, procurement@a2gov.org

#### ATTACHMENT E



#### **VENDOR CONFLICT OF INTEREST DISCLOSURE FORM**

All vendors interested in conducting business with the City of Ann Arbor must complete and return the Vendor Conflict of Interest Disclosure Form in order to be eligible to be awarded a contract. Please note that all vendors are subject to comply with the City of Ann Arbor's conflict of interest policies as stated within the certification section below.

If a vendor has a relationship with a City of Ann Arbor official or employee, an immediate family member of a City of Ann Arbor official or employee, the vendor shall disclose the information required below.

- No City official or employee or City employee's immediate family member has an ownership interest in vendor's company or is deriving personal financial gain from this contract.
- 2. No retired or separated City official or employee who has been retired or separated from the City for less than one (1) year has an ownership interest in vendor's Company.
- 3. No City employee is contemporaneously employed or prospectively to be employed with the vendor.
- 4. Vendor hereby declares it has not and will not provide gifts or hospitality of any dollar value or any other gratuities to any City employee or elected official to obtain or maintain a contract.
- 5. Please note any exceptions below:

Conflict of Interest Disclosure*			
Name of City of Ann Arbor employees, elected	( ) Relationship to employee		
officials or immediate family members with whom there may be a potential conflict of interest.	( ) Interest in vendor's company     ( ) Other (please describe in box below)		

I certify that this Conflict of Interest Disclosure has been examined by me and that its contents are true and correct to my knowledge and belief and I have the authority to so certify on behalf of the Vendor by my signature below:				
Boone & Darr, Inc.		734-665-0648		
Vendor Name			Vendor Phone Number	
Jam 2	6/9/2	2025	Jeffrey M Darr	
Signature of Vendor Authorized Representative	Date		Printed Name of Vendor Authorized Representative	

<sup>\*</sup>Disclosing a potential conflict of interest does not disqualify vendors. In the event vendors do not disclose potential conflicts of interest and they are detected by the City, vendor will be exempt from doing business with the City.

# **Authorized Negotiator**

for

Boone & Darr, Inc.

Jeffrey M Darr, President of Boone & Darr, Inc. is authorized to negotiate this agreement with the City of Ann Arbor.

Jeffrey M Darr 734-665-0648 jeff@boone-darr.com

# FEE PROPOSAL FORM RFP #25-29 – WTP As-needed Mechanical Services

R	Respondent's Name:	Boone & Darr, I	nc.					
Pa	rovide Rates for items nd rates may be inclu	s included in the ta ded in blank rows o	ble below, as ap or attached to pro	oplicable. Additior oposal.	nal categories			
	In	Initial Contract Term: July 1, 2025 - June 30, 2028						
	Rate Classification	Regular Hourly Rate Monday-Friday (7a-5p)	Overtime Hourly Rate	Sunday/Holiday Overtime Hourly Rate	Travel/Show Up Charge			
	Project Manager							
•	Foreman / Superintendent							
	Master Plumber/ Pipefitter	apply. See bel	et of our rates	does not really ur rates based				
	Journeyman Plumber/Pipefitter	upon out Contract dates per our collective Bargainng Agreement.						
	General Laborer							
Ì	Apprentice							
	Welder							

The regular hourly rate shall be applicable during normal business hours Monday through Friday (7am – 5 pm). The overtime rate shall apply outside of normal work hours Monday through Friday, and all day on Saturday. The Sunday and Holiday hourly rate shall be applicable all day on Sunday and City observed Holidays. Please identify any exceptions to proposed hourly rates and associated time periods below:

Boone & Darr, Inc. proposed Labor Rates are detailed in the spreadsheet below:

### City of Ann Arbor Boone & Darr, Inc. Labor Rates

7-01-25 to 5-31-26			
Item	Rate		
Labor - ST	\$139 / hr		
Labor 1-1/2T	\$ 208.50 / hr		
Labor DT	\$ 278 / hr		

6-01-26 to 5-31-27			
Item	Rate		
Labor - ST	\$142/hr		
Labor 1-1/2T	\$213/hr		
Labor DT	\$ 284 / hr		

6-01-27 to 6-30-28			
Item	Rate		
Labor - ST	\$145/hr		
Labor 1-1/2T	\$ 217.50/ hr		
Labor DT	\$ 290 / hr		

If work is performed by a subcontractor to the proposing firm, an additional markup of five percent (5%) shall be added to the fees of the subcontractor.

If repair parts, materials, permits or rental equipment are required, an additional markup of fifteen percent (15%) shall be added to those costs.

Provide the maximum anticipated response times for both standard and emergency tasks:

Standard Response Time (Hours):_	24
Emergency Response Time (Hours)	:_3

The initial term of the contract starts upon the contract approval date and ending on June 30, 2028 with a City optional extension for an additional two (2) years. It is understood that the submitted hourly rate proposals are to be honored over the initial 3-year term of the contract.

The undersigned hereby declares that he/she has carefully examined the conditions of this request for proposal and will provide the services as specified for the prices set for in this proposal.

Representative's Name:_	Jeffrey M Darr	
Signature: Jan	17	Date: 6/13/2025