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Resolution authorizing the Mayor to enter into an Agreement between the City of Huntsville and BARGE Design Solutions, Inc., for Old Big Cove Road Improvements, Phase II, Project No. 71-26-RD04.

Resolution No.

Finance Information:

Account Number: 3080-71-00000-524008-00000000-

City Cost Amount: \$236,396.40

Total Cost: \$1,181,982.00

Special Circumstances:

Grant Funded: N/A

Grant Title - CFDA or granting Agency: N/A

Resolution #: N/A

Location: (list below)

Address: N/A

District: District 1 ☐ District 2 ☐ District 3 ☐ District 4 ☐ District 5 ☐

Additional Comments:

Engineering design contract with Barge Design Solutions for Old Big Cove Road Phase 2 consisting of 1.6 miles of roadway improvements between Taylor Road and Claudia Drive in accordance with MPO funding requirements. Lump Sum Contract Amount \$1,181,982.00 (80% Federal funds and 20% Local funds).

RESOLUTION NO. 26-

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Huntsville, Alabama, that the Mayor be, and is hereby authorized, to enter into an Agreement between the City of Huntsville and Barge Design Solutions, Inc., in the amount of ONE MILLION ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY-ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED EIGHTY-TWO AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$1,181,982.00) for Engineering Design Services for Old Big Cove Road from Taylor Road to Claudia Drive, Phase II, Project No. 71-26-RD04 & ALDOT Project No. STPHV-4524(), in Huntsville, Alabama, on behalf of the City of Huntsville, a municipal corporation in the State of Alabama, which said Agreement is substantially in words and figures similar to that document attached hereto and identified as "Agreement between the City of Huntsville and Barge Design Solutions, Inc., for Engineering Design Services for Old Big Cove Road from Taylor Road to Claudia Drive, Phase II, Project No 71-26-RD04 & ALDOT Project No. STPHV-4524()." consisting of a total of nineteen (19) pages, plus ninety-three (93) additional pages consisting of Attachments 1-16, and the date of July 9, 2026, appearing on the margin of the first page, together with the signature of the President or President Pro Tem of the City Council, and an executed copy of said document being permanently kept on file in the Office of the City Clerk of the City of Huntsville, Alabama.

ADOPTED this the 9th day of July, 2026.

President of the City Council of
the City of Huntsville, Alabama

APPROVED this the 9th day of July, 2026.

Mayor of the City of Huntsville,
Alabama

AGREEMENT BETWEEN
CITY OF HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA
AND
BARGE DESIGN SOLUTIONS, INC.
FOR
ENGINEERING DESIGN SERVICES
FOR
OLD BIG COVE ROAD FROM TAYLOR ROAD TO CLAUDIA
DRIVE, PHASE II

Project ID Number 71-26-RD04 & ALDOT PROJECT NO. STPHV-
4524()
July 9, 2026

President of the City Council of the City of
Huntsville, Alabama
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THIS AGREEMENT made as of the 9th day of July, in the year 2026, by and between the CITY OF HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA (hereinafter called OWNER), and BARGE DESIGN SOLUTIONS, INC., (hereinafter called ENGINEER).

WITNESSETH, for the considerations hereinafter set forth, the parties hereto agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1 - ENGAGEMENT OF THE ENGINEER

The OWNER hereby engages the ENGINEER, and the ENGINEER hereby accepts the engagement to provide general engineering and consultation as a representative of the OWNER to include the following:

- 1.1** Professional Engineering Services for design of Old Big Cove Road from Taylor Road to Claudia Drive, Phase II, as further described in ARTICLE 2, and hereinafter called PROJECT.
- 1.2** By executing this Agreement, the ENGINEER represents to the OWNER that the ENGINEER is a professional qualified to act as the ENGINEER for the PROJECT and is licensed and certified to practice engineering by all public entities having jurisdiction over the ENGINEER and the PROJECT. The ENGINEER further represents to the OWNER that the ENGINEER will maintain all necessary licenses, certifications, permits or other authorizations necessary to act as ENGINEER for the PROJECT until the ENGINEER's remaining duties hereunder have been satisfied. The ENGINEER shall assign only qualified personnel to perform any service concerning the PROJECT. All services rendered by the ENGINEER for the PROJECT shall be performed by or under the immediate supervision of experienced and qualified professionals licensed, certified, and registered as appropriate in the State of Alabama possessing the expertise in the discipline of the service being rendered. The ENGINEER assumes full responsibility to the OWNER for the negligent acts, errors and omissions of its consultants or others employed or retained by the ENGINEER in connection with the PROJECT.
- 1.3** Execution of this Agreement by the ENGINEER constitutes a representation that the ENGINEER has become familiar with the PROJECT site and the local conditions under which the PROJECT is to be implemented. The ENGINEER agrees to provide all necessary

engineering services required to professionally accomplish the ENGINEER's defined scope of services.

- 1.4** The engineering professionals performing work on this contract shall perform the services with the professional skill and care ordinarily provided by a competent engineering professional practicing under the same or similar circumstances and professional licenses as expeditiously as is prudent considering the ordinary professional skill and care of a competent engineering professional.

ARTICLE 2 – DESIGN SERVICES OF THE ENGINEER

- 2.1** ENGINEER shall provide for OWNER Professional Engineering Services for design of Old Big Cove Road from Taylor Road to Claudia Drive, Phase II.
- 2.2** These services shall include consultation and advice; customary civil, structural, mechanical and electrical engineering design services; and Architectural services incidental thereto, as outlined herein and further described in the SCOPE OF SERVICES, ATTACHMENT 1.
- 2.3** Upon the OWNERS authorization, the ENGINEER shall prepare construction documents consisting of drawings and specifications setting forth in detail the requirements for construction of the PROJECT. The ENGINEER warrants that such construction documents are accurate, coordinated and adequate for the construction and in conformity and comply with applicable laws, codes and regulations. Products specified for use shall be readily available unless written authorization to the contrary is given by the OWNER. Products or materials specified by the ENGINEER that are available from only one source shall be justified in writing by the ENGINEER in order to meet applicable federal, state, or local procurement or bid requirements.
- 2.4** The ENGINEER shall prepare appropriate bid alternates as necessary in order to assure that the PROJECT can be awarded within the PROJECT budget limitations.
- 2.5** The ENGINEER shall serve as the OWNER's professional representative in those portions of the PROJECT to which this Agreement applies and shall consult with and advise the OWNER during the performance of these services.
- 2.6** The ENGINEER shall incorporate into its design, and into its final work products, the requirements contained within the OWNER's engineering standards, standard specifications, and design manuals referenced in ATTACHMENT 3. The ENGINEER shall also incorporate into its design, where applicable, Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) grades, elevations and layout for each handicap ramp within the project. The requirements of the State of Alabama Department of Transportation design standards shall be reviewed for applicability and incorporated into portions of the work where joint participation between the OWNER and the State is applicable. When conflicts are noted between the OWNERS requirements and standards of others, the OWNERS standards shall take precedent. Discrepancies shall be brought to the attention of the OWNER. Deviations from OWNER's requirements shall be identified to the OWNER by the ENGINEER in writing prior to incorporating the changes.
- 2.7** A contract for the professional services of a design professional shall require the design professional to perform the services with the professional skill and care ordinarily provided by a competent design professional practicing under the same or similar circumstances and professional licenses as expeditiously as is prudent considering the ordinary professional skill and care of a competent design professional.
- 2.8** The ENGINEER shall obtain all Planning Commission approvals with regard to location, character and extent, as required.

- 2.9** The ENGINEER shall obtain a Utility Project Notification Form (Attachment 10) from all affected utilities on the project by the 60% design review stage. Acceptance shall be provided as a signed original by all affected parties at the 90% design review stage.
- 2.10** The ENGINEER shall promptly correct, or have corrected, any errors, omissions, deficiencies or conflicts in the ENGINEER's work product or that of his sub-contractors/sub-consultants, without additional compensation for time, reproduction or distribution.
- 2.11** During the process of design and preparation of the construction documents, the ENGINEER shall review with the OWNER the construction documents, the estimate of probable construction cost, schedule, and other design services issues. Such review shall be, at a minimum, as outlined in ATTACHMENT 4 as 0%, 30%, 60%, and 90% completion stage. Following such reviews, the ENGINEER shall make any appropriate revisions thereto to assure compliance with the OWNER's requirements.
- 2.12** Field surveying work is required and shall be performed in accordance with "Standards of Practice for Surveying in the State of Alabama" as required by the Alabama Board of Registration for Engineering and Land Surveyors. Surveying shall include P.K. Nails or other permanent stationing markings as well as staking of right-of-way, easements and parcels of land acquired by the City of Huntsville. Property corners shall be set at the new right-of-way. Easements shall be staked as requested by the City of Huntsville. The above field work shall be performed as a minimum as needed at the time of right-of-way acquisition and one additional time near the 100% submittal stage as determined by the OWNER. The cost for these services is included in the fees for Basic Services.

Survey data shall be based on a US Public Land Survey System corner or quarter corner. Said corner or quarter corner shall be field verified by the surveyor and a state plane coordinate provided in deliverables submitted to the City of Huntsville. All survey work shall be based on the following datum's:

Coordinate System:	US State Plane
Zone:	Alabama East 0101
Vertical Datum:	The North American Vertical Datum of 1988 (NAVD 88)
Horizontal Datum:	The North American Datum of 1983 (NAD 83) National Adjustment 2011 (NA2011)
Geoid Model:	Geoid18
Units:	US Survey Feet

- 2.13** The ENGINEER shall comply with the City of Huntsville Tree Ordinance and carry the requirements referenced therein with deliverables (drawings, specifications, etc.) in accordance with Section 27-57 of the City of Huntsville Code of Ordinances (Ord. No. 04-45, §13, 2-12-2004).
- 2.14** The ENGINEER shall prepare the pre-bid agenda after obtaining comments from stakeholders such as affected utilities, City of Huntsville Construction Project Engineer and Inspector(s), and other City of Huntsville departments as applicable. The ENGINEER shall moderate the pre-bid meeting, prepare meeting minutes, make clarifications, prepare addendums, and distribute to bidders.
- 2.15** A valid City of Huntsville license shall be maintained throughout the term of this contract. Additionally, the engineering firm shall be required to obtain and pay for all other federal, state or local permits, licenses, and fees which may be necessary or required in order to perform the work detailed herein.

ARTICLE 3 - CONSTRUCTION ADMINISTRATION SERVICES

OMITTED

ARTICLE 4 - ADDITIONAL SERVICES

The following services of the ENGINEER are not included in Article 2. Nevertheless, the ENGINEER shall provide such services if authorized in writing by the OWNER, and they shall be paid for by the OWNER as provided in Article 7, unless otherwise noted.

- 4.1** Making revision in drawings, specifications or other documents when such revisions are inconsistent with written direction by the OWNER previously given, are required by the enactment of revision of codes, laws or regulations subsequent to the preparation of such documents and not reasonably anticipated or are due to other causes not within the control or responsibility of the ENGINEER, either in whole or in part.
- 4.2** Preparing drawings, specifications and supporting data in connection with change orders, provided that such change orders are issued by the OWNER due to causes not within the control or responsibility of the ENGINEER, either in whole or in part.
- 4.3** Providing additional services for repair or replacement of work damaged by acts of God or other cause during construction provided that such services are required by causes not the responsibility of the ENGINEER, either in whole or in part.
- 4.4** Providing services not otherwise required herein which are made necessary solely by the default of the ENGINEER or major defects or deficiencies in the work of the ENGINEER. These services shall be provided with no increase in the contract amount and will not be compensable on an hourly basis.
- 4.5** Providing expert witness services and other services arising out of claims.
- 4.6** Provide services to stake site during construction.

ARTICLE 5 - RESPONSIBILITIES OF OWNER

The OWNER, without cost to the ENGINEER, will perform the following in a timely manner so as not to delay the services of the ENGINEER:

- 5.1** Assist ENGINEER by placing at ENGINEER's disposal all available information pertinent to the PROJECT including previous reports and any other data relative to design or construction of the PROJECT.
- 5.2** Provide all criteria and full information as to OWNER's requirements for the PROJECT, including design objectives and constraints, space, capacity and performance requirements, flexibility and expendability, and any budgetary limitations. The OWNER shall also furnish copies of all design and construction standards, which OWNER will require to be included in the drawings and specifications.
- 5.3** Assist the ENGINEER as necessary in acquiring access to and making all provisions for the ENGINEER to enter upon public and private lands as required for the ENGINEER to perform the work under this agreement.

- 5.4** Designate in writing a person to act as the OWNER's representative with respect to the work to be performed under this Agreement, such person to have complete authority to transmit instructions, receive information, interpret and define the OWNER's policies and decision with respect to materials, equipment elements and systems pertinent to the work covered by this Agreement. Examine all studies, reports, sketches, drawings, specifications, proposals and other documents presented by ENGINEER, obtain advice of an attorney, insurance counselor and other consultants as OWNER determines appropriate for such examination and render in writing decisions pertaining thereto within a reasonable time so as not to delay the services of ENGINEER.
- 5.5** When requested by the ENGINEER, the OWNER will intercede on the ENGINEER's behalf when data from, or reviewed by third parties is not on schedule through no fault of the ENGINEER
- 5.6** The OWNER's review of any documents prepared by the ENGINEER or its consultants shall be solely for the purpose of determining whether such documents are generally consistent with the OWNER's intent. No review of such documents shall relieve the ENGINEER of its responsibility for the accuracy, adequacy, fitness, suitability and coordination of its work product.

ARTICLE 6 - PERIOD OF SERVICES

- 6.1** The ENGINEER shall commence services pursuant to this agreement as of July 10, 2026. The final completion date for the completion of design services as outlined in Article 2 shall be July 10, 2028. The Director of Engineering has the right to grant a time extension of up to 6 months at his/her discretion.

The ENGINEER shall perform these services with reasonable diligence and expediency consistent with sound professional practices. The ENGINEER shall include in his schedule an allowance for time required for OWNER's review of submissions and for approvals of authorities having jurisdiction over the PROJECT. When approved by the OWNER, the schedule shall not be exceeded by the ENGINEER, except for cause.

If the ENGINEER becomes aware of delays due to time allowances for review and approval being exceeded, delay by the OWNER, the OWNER's consultants, or any other reason beyond the ENGINEER's control, which may result in the schedule of performance of the ENGINEER's services not being met, the ENGINEER shall promptly notify the OWNER. If the OWNER becomes aware of any delays or other causes that will affect the ENGINEER's schedule, the OWNER shall promptly notify the ENGINEER. In either event, the ENGINEER's schedule for performance of its services shall be equitably adjusted.

ARTICLE 7 - PAYMENT TO THE ENGINEER

7.1 BASIC SERVICES

The OWNER shall compensate the ENGINEER for services rendered pursuant to this Agreement, excepting those services described as Additional Services in Article 4 of this Agreement, by payment of the LUMP SUM AMOUNT OF ONE MILLION ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY-ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED EIGHTY-TWO AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$1,181,982.00) for design services as described in Article 2. Additional services of the ENGINEER as described in Article 4, if any, shall be compensated on an hourly basis in accordance with Attachment 5.

7.2 REIMBURSABLE EXPENSES

The scope of work for sub-contracted services is defined in the ENGINEER's scope of services, Attachment 1. The scope includes provisions for administration expenses for subcontracted services and reimbursable direct expenses including but not limited to laboratory tests and analyses; computer services; word processing services; permit fees, bonds, telephone, printing, binding and reproduction charges; and other similar costs. Indirect costs will have administrative fee reimbursements limited to no more than 5%. Direct costs are also limited to no more than 5% reimbursement.

Reimbursable expenses shall be limited during the term of this agreement as stated in Art. 7.1 Basic Services.

7.3 EFFECTIVE DATE

This contract shall have no force or effect unless and until it is executed by the OWNER and the ENGINEER and a properly executed copy is mailed to the ENGINEER with a notice to proceed (NTP). If a NTP is not issued within sixty (60) days commencing from the last date of execution of this CONTRACT by the OWNER and the ENGINEER, then this CONTRACT shall be NULL AND VOID, the OWNER will not be obligated to any payment to the ENGINEER and the ENGINEER will not be obligated to perform any work under said CONTRACT.

PAYMENT SUMMARY

Engineering Design Services – LUMP SUM AMOUNT OF	\$1,181,982.00
TOTAL CONTRACT AMOUNT:	<u>\$1,181,982.00</u>

ARTICLE 8 - GENERAL PAYMENT PROCEDURE

8.1 INVOICES

8.1.1 The ENGINEER shall submit monthly invoices to the Administrative Officer in the Engineering Department for the basic services described under Articles 2 and 4 for the design of the PROJECT. Invoices must include the City of Huntsville project name and number, dates of services, contract amount, previous billings and current billing. Additionally, invoices for services that are not contracted for as "lump sum" in Article 4 must also be itemized and include, as a minimum, a description of each task performed, the amount of time utilized performing each task, the name(s) of personnel who performed the task and the cost for each specific task. Along with each invoice, the ENGINEER must submit a consultant progress report in the format shown in Attachment 6 hereto. No payment will be made without the consultant progress report completed and attached. Monthly progress reports shall be submitted monthly even if no request for payment is made. If services under Article 4 are included in the invoice for additional services not included under the lump sum provisions, or services billed as time and material, the classification and hours of such persons rendering the services shall be attached to the invoice.

8.1.2 The signature of the ENGINEER on the invoice shall constitute the ENGINEER's representation to the OWNER that the services indicated in the invoice have progressed to the level indicated, have been properly and timely performed as required herein, that the reimbursable expenses included in the invoice have been reasonably incurred, that all obligations of the ENGINEER covered by prior invoices

have been paid in full, and that, to the best of the ENGINEER's knowledge, information and informed belief, the amount requested is currently due and owing, there being no reason known to the ENGINEER the payment of any portion thereof should be withheld. Submission of the ENGINEER's invoice for final payment and reimbursement shall further constitute the ENGINEER's representation to the OWNER that, upon receipt from the OWNER of the amount invoiced, all obligations of the ENGINEER to others, including its consultants, incurred in connection with the PROJECT, have been paid in full. ENGINEER must designate on Attachment 6 – Progress Report in the appropriate space provided that such action has been completed.

8.2 TIME FOR PAYMENT

The OWNER shall make payment for services in Articles 2 and 4 within 60 days of receipt of valid invoice.

8.3 OWNER'S RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

In the event the OWNER becomes credibly informed that any representations of the ENGINEER, provided pursuant to Article 8.1.2, are wholly or partially inaccurate, the OWNER may withhold payment of sums then or in the future otherwise due to the ENGINEER until the inaccuracy, and the cause thereof, is corrected to the OWNER's reasonable satisfaction. Additionally, failure by the ENGINEER to supply substantiating records shall be reason to exclude related costs from the amounts which might otherwise be payable by the OWNER to the ENGINEER.

8.4 REIMBURSABLE EXPENSES

8.4.1 In addition to the requirements set forth in 8.1 above, invoices for reimbursable expenses shall include such documentation as the OWNER may require. Reasonable expenses are limited to the following expenses:

- (a) Transportation outside the immediate Huntsville area (50 mile radius) approved in advance by the OWNER in writing and incurred in connection with the PROJECT; (Per Department of Treasury, Internal Revenue Service Publication 1542, Per Diem Rates, for travel within the continental United States). Refer to website: www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/p1542.pdf for more information.
- (b) Charges for long-distance communications;
- (c) Fees paid for securing approval of authorities having jurisdiction over the PROJECT,
- (d) Actual costs of reproduction for items in excess of those included in the required services;
- (e) Postage and handling charges incurred for drawings, specifications and other documents.

8.4.2 The ENGINEER shall set forth with particularity on its invoice the nature and cost of the expense item being billed, and attach to its invoice the written authorization, if any, required for such item; and shall bill expenses at actual cost or prevailing rate and without the addition of administrative charge, any multiple or surcharge.

8.5 W-9 TAXPAYER FORM

All ENGINEERING FIRMS are required to submit a Federal Tax Form W-9 to City of Huntsville at the time a contract is awarded. No payments of invoices can be made until this W-9 Tax Form has been properly submitted. A copy of the W-9 Tax Form can be requested from the OWNER or at the following website: www.irs.ustreas.gov/pub/irs-pdf/fw9.pdf

ARTICLE 9 - GENERAL CONSIDERATIONS

9.1 GENERAL

OWNER and ENGINEER agree that the following sections and provisions shall apply to the work to be performed under this Agreement and that such provisions shall supersede any conflicting provisions of this Agreement.

9.2 SUB-CONTRACTED SPECIALIZED SERVICES

The ENGINEER may sub-contract specialized services required of the PROJECT to competent and experienced sub-consultants approved by the OWNER in writing. As a prime professional, the ENGINEER shall act as OWNER's representative for contracting, directing, and managing the services of sub-consultants. The OWNER shall have the right to reject any consultant provided that the OWNER raises a timely objection. At the time of the execution of this Agreement, the parties anticipate that the consultants listed in Attachment "7" hereto will be retained by the ENGINEER to provide services with respect to the PROJECT. Expenses payable to the ENGINEER for subcontracted services are limited to no more than 5% of the cost of the subcontracted services.

9.3 PEER REVIEW

The OWNER reserves the right to conduct, at the OWNER's expense, peer review of designs and drawings prepared by the ENGINEER and/or sub-consultant(s) for the PROJECT. The ENGINEER and sub-consultant(s) agree that knowledge and consent to review of their work by other engineers of the OWNER's choosing is hereby given in accordance with the ADMINISTRATIVE CODE (RULES AND REGULATIONS) of the Alabama State Board of Licensure for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors, Chapter 330-X-14-.06(a) (13) effective January 2008 and as may be amended now or in the future pertaining to the Code of Ethics for review of the work of another engineer.

9.4 CLARIFICATION OF WORK

If reviewing agencies raise questions regarding the work of ENGINEER, OWNER will participate in such meetings as deemed necessary to explain and clarify this work.

9.5 IRRIGATION AND IRRIGATION CONTROLLERS

9.5.1 All designs shall coordinate with the City of Huntsville Landscape Management Department. The basis of design shall be Rainbird Two-Wire System. BaseLine Irrigation Solutions may be considered where existing infrastructure exists but is subject to the approval of Landscape Management.

9.5.2 Contractor is to locate/flag irrigation system valves and moisture sensors at project completion to facilitate Owner's ability to gather GPS coordinates for maintenance purposes.

9.5.3 Bubbler style irrigation systems shall be used for tree installations with two bubblers at each tree ring. Drip Irrigation systems shall not be used. 1804 Spray Heads with SAM/PRS bodies are preferred.

9.6 CHANGES

9.6.1 The OWNER may, at any time by written order, make changes within the general scope of the Agreement in the services to be provided. If such changes cause an increase or decrease in ENGINEER's cost of, or time required for performance of

any services, whether or not changed by any order, an equitable adjustment shall be made and the Agreement shall be modified in writing accordingly. Upon notification of change, ENGINEER must assert any claim of ENGINEER for adjustment in writing within 30 days from the date of receipt unless OWNER grants a further period of time.

- 9.6.2** If findings in any phase of this PROJECT significantly alter the scope of work for subsequent phases, or if regulations are changed resulting in a scope of work change for any phase, engineering fees set forth in Article 7 may be renegotiated by the OWNER and ENGINEER.

9.7 ENGINEER'S RECORDS

Documentation accurately reflecting services performed and the time expended by the ENGINEER and his personnel and records of reimbursable expenses shall be prepared concurrently with the performance of the services and shall be maintained by the ENGINEER. The ENGINEER shall maintain record copies of all written communications, and any memoranda of verbal communications related to the PROJECT. All such records and documentation shall be maintained for a minimum of five (5) years after the PROJECT date of final completion or for any longer period of time as may be required by law or good practice. If the ENGINEER receives notification of a dispute or of pending or commencement of litigation during this five-year period, the ENGINEER shall continue to maintain all PROJECT records until final resolution of the dispute or litigation. The ENGINEER shall make such records and documentation available to the OWNER upon notice and shall allow the authorized representative(s) of the OWNER to inspect, examine, review and copy the ENGINEER's records at the OWNER's reasonable expense.

9.8 SEAL ON DOCUMENTS

- 9.8.1** Final plans and drawings shall be marked "ISSUED FOR CONSTRUCTION". When a firm, partnership, or corporation performs the work, each drawing shall be sealed and signed by the licensed engineer or engineers who were in responsible charge of the work.
- 9.8.2** When plans and drawings issued for construction were not performed by a firm, partnership, or corporation, the first sheet or title page shall be sealed, dated, and signed by the engineer who was in responsible charge. Two or more licensed professional engineers may affix their signatures and seals provided it is designated by a note under the seal the specific subject matter for which each is responsible. In addition, each drawing shall be sealed and signed by the licensee or licensees responsible for each sheet.
- 9.8.3** When plans or drawings are a site adaptation of a standard design or plan or make use of a standard drawing of others, the ENGINEER shall take measures to assure that the site adaptation, standard drawing, or plan is appropriate and suitable for the use proposed by the ENGINEER including meeting the specific site conditions, functionality, design criteria, safety considerations, etc. After taking such measures, the ENGINEER shall seal the standard drawing or plan as shown above in sections 9.8.1 and 9.8.2. The ENGINEER shall not utilize standards of others without their written consent where written consent is required or implied.
- 9.8.4** Each sheet of documents, specifications, and reports for engineering practice and of maps, plats, charts, and reports for land surveying practice, shall be signed, sealed, and dated by the licensed engineer or land surveyor who prepared the documents or under whose responsible charge the documents were prepared. Where more

than one sheet is bound together in one volume, including but not limited to reports and specifications, the licensee who prepared the volume, or under whose responsible charge the volume was prepared, may sign, seal, and date only the title or index sheet, provided that this sheet clearly identifies all of the other sheets comprising the bound volume, and provided that any of the other sheets which were prepared by, or under the responsible charge of, another licensee, be signed, sealed, and dated by the other licensee.

9.9 USE AND OWNERSHIP OF DOCUMENTS

All rights of ownership, copyrights, construction documents, including all drawings, specifications and other documents, electronic media, computer source code, or things prepared by or on behalf of the ENGINEER for the PROJECT are hereby transferred to the OWNER and shall be the sole property of the OWNER and are free of any retention rights of the ENGINEER. The ENGINEER hereby grants to the OWNER an unconditional right to use or to refer to, for any purpose whatsoever, the construction documents and any other documents or electronic media, computer source code prepared by or on behalf of the ENGINEER for the PROJECT, free of any copyright claims, trade secrets or other proprietary rights with respect to such documents. The ENGINEER shall be permitted to retain copies thereof for its records. The ENGINEER's documents and other work products are not intended or represented to be suitable for re-use by OWNER or others on extensions of the PROJECT or on any other PROJECT. Any re-use without specific written verification or adaptation by ENGINEER will be at OWNER's sole risk and without liability or legal exposure to ENGINEER, and OWNER shall indemnify and hold harmless ENGINEER from all claims, damages, losses and expenses including attorneys' fees arising out of, or resulting from, such reuse by the OWNER; provided however, that this agreement to indemnify and save harmless shall not apply to any reuse of documents retained by, or through, the ENGINEER.

9.10 ESTIMATE OF CONSTRUCTION COST

Since ENGINEER has no control over the construction cost of labor, materials, or equipment, or over the construction contractor(s) methods of determining prices, or over competitive bidding or market conditions, his opinion of probable PROJECT cost or construction cost provided for herein are to be made on the basis of his experience and qualifications and represent his best judgment as a design professional familiar with the construction industry; but, ENGINEER cannot and does not guarantee that proposals, bids or construction costs will not vary from opinions of probable cost prepared by him. If OWNER wishes greater assurance as to the construction cost, he will employ an independent cost estimator.

9.11 TERMINATION FOR CAUSE

This Agreement may be terminated by either party upon seven (7) days written notice to the other should such other party fail substantially to perform in accordance with its material terms through no fault of the party initiating the termination.

9.12 TERMINATION BY THE OWNER WITHOUT CAUSE

The OWNER may terminate this Agreement without cause upon seven (7) days written notice to the ENGINEER. In the event of such a termination without cause, the ENGINEER shall be compensated for all services performed prior to termination, together with Reimbursable Expenses incurred. In such event, the ENGINEER shall promptly submit to the OWNER its invoice for final payment and reimbursement which invoice shall comply with the provisions of Paragraph 8.1.

ARTICLE 10 - INDEMNITY AND INSURANCE

10.1 INSURANCE

The ENGINEER shall carry insurance of the following kinds and amounts in addition to any other forms of insurance or bonds required under the terms of the contract specifications. The ENGINEER shall procure and maintain for the duration of the job until final acceptance by the OWNER, or as later indicated, insurance against claims for injuries to persons or damages to property which may arise from or in connection with the performance of the work hereunder by the ENGINEER, his agents, representatives, employees or subcontractor.

10.2 MINIMUM SCOPE OF INSURANCE:

A. General Liability:

Insurance shall be written on an "occurrence" basis. Claims-made coverage will be accepted only on an exception basis after the OWNER's approval.

B. Commercial General Liability

Products and Completed Operations
Contractual
Personal Injury
Explosion, Collapse and Underground
Broad Form Property Damage

C. Professional Liability:

Insurance may be written on a "claims-made" basis, providing coverage for negligent acts, errors or omissions in the performance of professional services. Coverage shall be maintained for a discovery and reporting period of no less than five (5) years after completion of the professional services and Certificates of Insurance shall be submitted to the OWNER on a yearly basis during this time frame. Such coverage for the purpose of covering the project that is the subject of this Agreement, shall be carried on a continuous basis, including full prior acts coverage.

D. Automobile Liability:

Business Automobile Liability providing coverage for all owned, hired and non-owned autos. Coverage for loading and unloading shall be provided under either automobile liability or general liability policy forms.

E. Workers' Compensation Insurance:

Statutory protection against bodily injury, sickness or disease or death sustained by employee in the scope of employment. Protection shall be provided by a commercial insurance company or a recognized self-insurance fund authorized before the State of Alabama Industrial Board of Relations. Coverage shall include waivers of subrogation in favor of the Owner.

F. Employers Liability Insurance:

Covering common law claims of injured employees made in lieu of or in addition to a worker's compensation claim.

10.3 MINIMUM LIMITS OF INSURANCE:

A. General Liability:

Commercial General Liability on an "occurrence form" for bodily injury and property damage. Minimum Amounts of coverage shall be as set forth below or 150% of the full Professional Services amount of this agreement, whichever is greater.

\$ 2,000,000 General Aggregate Limit
\$ 2,000,000 Products - Completed Operations Aggregate
\$ 1,000,000 Personal & Advertising Injury
\$ 1,000,000 Each Occurrence

B. Professional Liability:

Insurance may be made on a "claims-made" basis. Minimum Amounts of coverage shall be as set forth below or 150% of the full Professional Services amount of this agreement, whichever is greater.

\$ 1,000,000 Per Claim - Land Surveyors
\$ 1,000,000 Per Claim - Other Professionals

C. Automobile Liability:

\$ 1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per accident for bodily injury and property damage.

D. Workers' Compensation:

As required by the State of Alabama Statute. Coverage shall include waivers of subrogation in favor of the Owner.

E. Employers Liability:

\$ 1,000,000 Bodily Injury by Accident or Disease
\$ 1,000,000 Policy Limit by Disease

F. Umbrella (Excess) Liability Insurance:

- a. For projects or contract values in excess of \$5,000,000, Umbrella or Excess Liability Insurance is required in an amount of \$5,000,000 per occurrence and \$5,000,000 aggregate.
- b. For projects with contract value in excess of \$10,000,000 Umbrella or Excess Liability Insurance is required in an amount of \$10,000,000 per occurrence and \$10,000,000 aggregate.

10.4 OTHER INSURANCE PROVISIONS:

The OWNER is hereby authorized to adjust the requirements set forth in this document in the event it is determined that such adjustment is in the OWNER's best interest. If the insurance requirements are not adjusted by the OWNER prior to the OWNER's release of specifications with regard to the PROJECT in question, then the minimum limits shall apply. The policies are to contain, or be endorsed to contain, the following provisions.

1. General Liability and Automobile Liability Coverage's Only

- a. The City of Huntsville/OWNER, its elected and appointment officials, employees, agents and specified volunteers are to be covered as Additional Insureds, as their interests may appear, as respects: liability arising out of activities performed by or on behalf of Engineer for products used by and completed operations of Engineer; or automobiles owned, leased, hired or borrowed by Engineer. Additional insured status shall be through ISO Additional Endorsement CG 20 10 11 85 or equivalent that is sufficient to provide the coverage required by this Agreement.
- b. Engineer's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects the City, its elected and appointed officials, employees, agents and specified volunteers, as their interests may appear. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the City, its officers, officials, employees, agents or specified volunteers shall be excess of Engineer's insurance and shall not contribute to it.
- c. Engineer's insurance shall apply separately to each insured against whom claim is made or suit is brought, except with respect to the limits of the insurer's liability.

2. All Coverages:

- a. Engineer is responsible to pay all deductibles. Each insurance policy required by this clause shall be endorsed to state that coverage shall not be suspended, voided, canceled by either party, reduced in coverage or in limits except after thirty (30) days' prior written notice has been given to the OWNER. Cancellation of coverage for non-payment of premium will require ten (10) days' written notice to the OWNER.
- b. Any failure to comply with reporting provisions of the policies shall not affect coverage provided to the Owner, its officers, employees, agents or specified volunteers.

10.5 ACCEPTABILITY OF INSURERS:

Insurance is to be placed with insurers authorized by the State of Alabama with an A. M. Best's rating of no less than A-V.

10.6 VERIFICATION OF COVERAGE:

The OWNER shall be indicated as a Certificate Holder and the ENGINEER shall furnish the OWNER with Certificates of Insurance reflecting the coverage required by this document. The A. M. Best rating and deductibles, if applicable, shall be indicated on the Certificate of Insurance for each insurance policy. The certificates for each insurance policy are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. All certificates are to be received and approved by the Owner before work commences. The Owner reserves the right to require complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies at any time.

10.7 CONSULTANTS AND/OR SUBCONTRACTORS WORKING FOR THE ENGINEER:

The ENGINEER shall furnish separate certificates and/or endorsements for each subcontractor and/or consultant showing insurance of the same type or types and to the extent of the coverage set forth in this Article 10.

10.8 HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT:

A: Other Than Professional Liability Exposures:

The ENGINEER, to the fullest extent permitted by law, shall indemnify and hold harmless the OWNER, its elected and appointed officials, employees, agents, and representatives against all claims, damages, losses and expenses, including, but not limited to, attorney's fees, arising out of or resulting from the performance of the work, provided that any such claim, damage, loss or expense (1) is attributable to personal injury, including bodily injury, sickness, disease or death, or to injury to or destruction of tangible property, including loss of use resulting therefrom, and (2) is caused by any negligent act, error or omission of the ENGINEER or any of their consultants, or anyone directly or indirectly employed by them or anyone for whose acts they are legally liable. Such obligation should not be construed to negate, abridge, or otherwise reduce any other right or obligation of indemnity, which would otherwise exist as to any party or person, described in this paragraph.

B: Professional Liability

The Engineer agrees, to the fullest extent permitted by law, to defend, protect, indemnify, and hold harmless the OWNER, its elected and appointed officials, officers, directors, employees, agents, and representatives from and against any and all liability, claims, demands, damages, loss, costs, fees and expenses (including actual fees and expenses of attorneys, expert witnesses, and other consultants) actually or allegedly arising out of, or resulting from, the professional services of the Engineer or the Engineer's consultants, subcontractors, or suppliers, including, without limitation, any breach of contract or any negligent acts, errors, or omissions in the performance of the professional services provided pursuant to or as a result of this Agreement. Neither, the Owner nor the Engineer shall be obligated to indemnify the other party in any manner whatsoever for the other parties own negligence.

To the fullest extent permitted by law, the Engineer shall defend, protect, indemnify, and hold harmless the Owner, its elected and appointment officials, officers, directors, employees, agents, and representatives from and against any and all liability, claims, demands, damages, loss, costs, fees and expenses (including actual fees and expenses of attorneys, expert witnesses, and other consultants) for infringement of patent rights, copyrights, or other intellectual property rights, except with respect to designs, processes or products of a particular manufacturer expressly required by the OWNER in writing. If the ENGINEER has reason to believe the use of a required design, process or product is an infringement of a patent, the ENGINEER shall be responsible for such loss unless such information is promptly given to the OWNER.

ARTICLE 11- MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

11.1 GOVERNING LAW

This Agreement shall be governed by the law of the State of Alabama.

11.2 INTENT AND INTERPRETATION

11.2.1 The intent of this contract is to require complete, correct and timely execution of the work. Any work that may be required, implied or inferred by the contract documents, or any one or more of them, as necessary to produce the intended result shall be provided by the ENGINEER.

11.2.2 This contract is intended to be an integral whole and shall be interpreted as internally consistent. What is required by any one contract document shall be

considered as required by the contract.

11.2.3 When a word, term or phrase is used in this contract, it shall be interpreted or construed, first, as defined herein; second, if not defined, according to its generally accepted meaning in the engineering industry; and third, if there is no generally accepted meaning in the engineering industry, according to its common and customary usage.

11.2.4 The words "include", "includes", or "including", as used in this contract, shall be deemed to be followed by the phrase, "without limitation".

11.2.5 The specification herein of any act, failure, refusal, omission, event, occurrence or condition as constituting a material breach of this contract shall not imply that any other, non-specified act, failure, refusal, omission, event, occurrence or condition shall be deemed not to constitute a material breach of this contract.

11.2.6 Words or terms used as nouns in this contract shall be inclusive of their singular and plural forms, unless the context of their usage clearly requires a contrary meaning.

11.3 TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE

Time limitations contained herein, or provided for hereby, are of the essence of this Agreement. The ENGINEER understands and acknowledges that time is of the essence in completion of the PROJECT and that the OWNER will incur damages if the PROJECT is not completed on time.

11.4 SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS

The ENGINEER shall not assign its rights hereunder, excepting its right to payment, nor shall it delegate any of its duties hereunder without the written consent of the OWNER. Subject to the provisions of the immediately preceding sentence, the OWNER and the ENGINEER, respectively, bind themselves, their successors, assigns and legal representatives to the other party to this Agreement and to the successors, assigns and legal representatives of such other party with respect to all covenants of this Agreement. Nothing herein shall be construed as creating any personal liability on the part of any officer or agent of any public body that may be party hereof, nor shall it be construed as giving any rights or benefits hereunder to anyone other than OWNER and ENGINEER.

11.5 NO THIRD-PARTY BENEFICIARIES

This Agreement shall inure solely to the benefit of the parties hereto and their successors and assigns. Nothing contained herein is intended to or shall create a contractual relationship with, or any rights in favor of, or any cause of action in favor of, any third party, against the OWNER or the ENGINEER.

11.6 INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY/ CONFIDENTIALITY

All information, documents, and electronic media, computer source code furnished by the OWNER to the ENGINEER belong to the OWNER, are considered proprietary and confidential, unless otherwise indicated by the OWNER, and are furnished solely for use on the OWNER's PROJECT. Such information, documents, and electronic media, computer source code shall be kept confidential by the ENGINEER, shall only be released as necessary to meet official regulatory requirements in connection with the PROJECT, and shall not be used by the ENGINEER on any other PROJECT or in connection with any other person or entity, unless disclosure or use thereof in connection with any matter other than services rendered to the OWNER hereunder is specifically authorized in writing by the

OWNER in advance. This Section 11.6 shall survive the expiration of this Agreement.

11.7 SUBCONTRACT REQUIREMENTS

The ENGINEER shall include the terms and conditions of this Agreement in every subcontract or agreement with a consultant for this PROJECT so that these terms and conditions shall be binding upon each subcontractor or consultant. The subcontractor(s)/consultant(s) will maintain all licenses and certifications to practice its profession or trade by all public entities having jurisdiction over the PROJECT. The subcontractor(s)/consultant(s) further represent to the OWNER that the subcontractor(s)/consultant(s) will maintain all necessary licenses, certifications, permits or other authorizations necessary for the PROJECT until the remaining duties hereunder have been satisfied.

11.8 NOTICES

Unless otherwise provided, all notices shall be in writing and considered duly given if the original is hand delivered, or is sent by U.S. Mail, postage prepaid to City of Huntsville Engineering, P. O. Box 308 (35804), 305 Fountain Circle (35801), Huntsville, AL. All notices shall be given to the addresses set forth above. Notices, hand delivered shall be deemed given the next business day following the date of delivery. Notices given by U.S. Mail shall be deemed given as of the second business day following the date of posting.

11.9 FEDERAL IMMIGRATION LAW

By signing this Agreement, the contracting parties affirm, for the duration of the agreement, that they will not violate federal immigration law or knowingly employ, hire for employment or continue to employ an unauthorized alien within the State of Alabama. Furthermore, a contracting party found to be in violation of this provision shall be deemed in breach of the agreement and shall be responsible for all damages resulting therefrom.

11.10 STRICT COMPLIANCE

No failure of the OWNER to insist upon strict compliance by the ENGINEER with any provision of this Contract for Professional Services shall operate to release, waive, discharge, modify, change or affect any of the ENGINEER's obligations.

11.11 WAIVER

No provision of this Agreement may be waived except by written agreement of the parties. A waiver of any provision on one occasion shall not be deemed a waiver of that provision on any subsequent occasion, unless specifically stated in writing. A waiver of any provision shall not affect or alter the remaining provisions of this Agreement.

11.12 SEVERABILITY

If any provision of this Agreement, or the application thereof, is determined to be invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of that provision and all other provisions of this Agreement shall remain valid and enforceable.

11.13 ETHICS

The ENGINEER shall not offer or accept any bribes or kickbacks from or to any manufacturer, consultant, trade contractor, subcontractor, supplier or any other individual or entity in connection with the PROJECT. The ENGINEER shall not confer on any governmental, public or quasi-public official having any authority or influence over the

PROJECT any payment, loan, subscription, advance, deposit of money, services or anything of more than nominal value, present or promised. The ENGINEER shall not, without the express written permission of the OWNER, engage or recommend to the OWNER engagement of any consultant, trade contractor, subcontractor, or supplier to provide services on behalf of the ENGINEER, OWNER or PROJECT in which the ENGINEER has a direct or indirect proprietary or other pecuniary interest; or call for the use of or by exclusion require or recommend the use of products, materials, equipment, systems, processes or procedures in which the ENGINEER or in which any consultant, trade contractor, subcontractor, or supplier of the ENGINEER has a direct or indirect proprietary or other pecuniary interest. Without prior notification and written approval of the OWNER, the ENGINEER and the ENGINEER'S sub-consultants shall not offer services to the OWNER'S contractor.

11.14 ENTIRE AGREEMENT

This Agreement represents the entire agreement between the OWNER and the ENGINEER and supersedes all prior communications, negotiations, representations or agreements, either written or oral. This agreement may be amended only by written instrument signed by both OWNER and ENGINEER.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement the day and year first above written.

ENGINEER:
BARGE DESIGN SOLUTIONS, INC.

OWNER:
CITY OF HUNTSVILLE

BY: _____
Gregg Bissot

BY: _____
Tommy Battle

TITLE: _____
Vice President

TITLE: _____
Mayor

ATTEST: _____

ATTEST: _____

Given under my hand this _____ day

Given under my hand this _____ day

Of _____, 2026.

Of _____, 2026.

Notary Public

Notary Public

My commission expires _____

My commission expires _____

ATTACHMENT 1-SCOPE OF SERVICES

(Refer to letter dated May 14, 2026, from Gregg Bissot to Kathy Martin and attachments).



Old Big Cove Road from
Taylor Road to Claudia Drive
City of Huntsville
05/14/2026

The scope of work is presented in the following elements.

- I. Project Description
- II. Scope of Services
- III. Additional Services
- IV. Project Understanding, Assumptions, and Exclusions
- V. Time of Performance
- VI. Client's Responsibilities
- VII. Deliverables
- VIII. Compensation

I. Project Description

Old Big Cove Road from Taylor Rd to Claudia Drive

The proposed project corridor is along Old Big Cove Road, which is a two-lane collector road providing access to residential developments, individual residential properties and undeveloped land, between Taylor Road near Highland Park and Claudia Drive in an area southeast of downtown Huntsville (see attached map). The proposed project is approximately 1.6 miles. Many residential developments along Old Big Cove Road have existing sidewalks, but there is a lack of connectivity between residential developments and surrounding parks and trails. Old Big Cove Road will be widened to a 3-lane roadway with bike lanes between Taylor Road and Terry Drake Road and to a 5-lane roadway with bike lanes between Terry Drake Road and Claudia Drive. A sidewalk will be added on both sides of Old Big Cove Road for the length of the corridor where needed for connectivity. These improvements aim to reduce traffic delays, increase safety, prepare for continued residential and/or commercial development, and provide alternative modes of transportation along the project corridor.

II. Scope of Services

Barge Design Solutions (Barge) proposes the following Scope of Services for the City of Huntsville (City) related to the above-noted project description.

This project is expected to be funded with a mix of potentially local, state, and federal funds along Old Big Cove Rd from Taylor Road to Claudia Drive. The typical section is expected to be the following:

- 5-lane curb and gutter from Terry Drake Rd to Claudia Dr.
- 3-lane curb and gutter from Taylor Rd to Terry Drake Rd
- Bike lanes on both sides of the roadway
- 5' sidewalks on both sides

The following items are included in the scope of work:

A. Corridor Study

Barge anticipates that the funding type for this project will require environmental studies be performed and prepared in accordance with state and federal requirements as

applicable for the project. At this time, Barge anticipates the level of environmental documentation required by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) will be, at most, an Categorical Exclusion (CE). A CE is expected to be required for the anticipated multiple design alternatives, acquisition of right-of-way, and the possibility of relocations. The environmental study limits will be expanded to include Old Big Cove Road from Taylor Road to Claudia Drive, where the 5-lane project from Segment 1 is terminated, to provide logical termini in the environmental study. An onsite Public Involvement Meeting is anticipated. Barge will provide project information including public involvement exhibits, a project information fact sheet, frequently asked questions (FAQ), and public comment forms for the City's use for posting on the City website.

1. Technical Studies

As a part of the CE phase, the need for certain technical studies will be determined. The potential need for any technical field studies have been identified and are included in this scope of work, as follows:

a. Ecological Review

Prior to beginning fieldwork, available literature will be reviewed to gain an understanding for the areas of interest. We will also review pertinent data from previous City projects near the corridor. National Wetlands Inventory (NWI) maps, U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) topographic maps, infrared aerial photographs, the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) soils maps, and aerial imagery will be reviewed to determine the potential presence and likelihood of waters of the U.S., including wetlands. Additionally, review of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) Information for Planning and Consultation (IPaC) database will be conducted to determine if there are any potential federally listed threatened or endangered species or critical habitat that may exist within or near the project area.

During field work, ecologists certified in wetland delineation methodologies will perform a Natural Resources Technical Review of the project study area. A knowledgeable scientist will identify and delineate all waters of the US (i.e., wetlands and streams). In addition to potentially jurisdictional waters, Barge will review the project study area corridor for potential rare, threatened, and endangered species habitat. A summary report will be prepared for the City's review prior to submittal to Local Programs.

Barge biologists experienced in wetland delineation methodologies will perform a preliminary desktop assessment review of online resources to identify potential aquatic resources. These resources, as well as other features not identified in the desktop review, will be confirmed during field visits. If wetlands and/or streams do exist within the projects proposed study area, Barge will delineate the boundaries of the wetlands following the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) Routine On-site Determination method as described in the Regional Supplement to the Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation Manual: Eastern Mountains and Piedmont Region (Version 2.0, April 2012). Soils, plants, and hydrology will be documented and used to determine the extent of wetlands, if they exist, within the study area. In addition to wetlands, any other potential jurisdictional features such as intermittent and perennial streams, springs, and/or seeps will be identified, and the extent of these features will be determined. Streams will be delineated by Ordinary High Water Mark. All features will be located with a handheld GPS unit and used to produce an "Existing Conditions" map. All feature boundaries will be flagged in the field

For the threatened and endangered species survey, data available from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) will be reviewed to determine if there are any species of concern that may exist within the project area. Following desktop review, Barge ecologists will traverse the site for potential protected species of concern and/or their habitat. Because some forested areas occur within the project area, it is expected that there could be concerns for the potential species; therefore, ecologists will need to evaluate the site for the presence of potential habitat for listed species. Land features indicative of suitable habitat will first be identified during a preliminary desktop analysis using GIS land coverage and property data. Specialized presence and/or absence surveys will be conducted by permitted specialists.

The conclusions of the studies listed above for ecological review will be included in the Natural Resources Report for the project.

b. Presence/Absence Surveys (Bats) Review

The survey will document the presence/probable absence of the federally endangered northern long-eared bat (*Myotis septentrionalis*) and Indiana bat (*Myotis sodalis*) as well as the tricolored bat (*Perimyotis subflavus*), a species proposed for listing as endangered under the Endangered Species Act. The surveys will be implemented in accordance with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) 2024 (or most recent) *Range-wide Indiana Bat and Northern Long-Eared Bat Survey Guidelines* (Guidelines). The Project falls outside of the year-round active portion of the northern long-eared bat range, therefore, presence/probable absence mist-net surveys may be conducted between 15 May and 15 August.

A report including all data collected, maps of survey sites, locations of roosts (if northern long-eared bats or tricolored bats are captured), and a summary and interpretation of data meeting regulatory expectations will be provided after completion of field work.

c. Cultural Review

Task 1 – Historic Resources Survey

The historic resources survey would include an intensive-level architectural survey resources that may be visually impacted by the proposed undertaking within the Area of Potential Effects (APE). The analysis, conducted by a Secretary of the Interior-qualified architectural historian, will consider potential impacts to historic properties (including National Register listed or eligible historic districts, structures, buildings, and landscape features, as well as archaeological sites) located within approximately ½-mile of the project boundaries, that may be visually impacted by the project. If it is determined that there will be no substantial above-ground changes to the existing corridor, a revised proposal may be provided to accurately reflect the resulting reduction of historic resources included in the proposed historic resources survey.

This task also includes architectural history background research, including a review of NRHP data, state, and county parcel data, to review relevant data related to any identified architectural resources within the study area. In addition, records such as historic aerial photographs, historic maps, plat and deed records, or any other pertinent information from available state and local archives may also be reviewed. An intensive level architectural survey report will be completed according to the Alabama Historical Commission Section 106 Architectural Resources Guidelines (October 2020). The survey report will also include preliminary NRHP recommendations for those resources that have the potential to be impacted by the

proposed undertaking, and a description of potential impacts to historic properties resulting from the proposed undertaking.

Task 2 – Phase I Archaeological Resource Survey

The archaeological considerations would include a Phase I archaeological survey of the entire APE for direct effects. Prior to fieldwork, records at the Alabama Historical Commission (AHC) will be evaluated in order to review relevant data related to previously identified archaeological sites within and surrounding the APE. In addition, records such as historic aerial photographs, historic maps, plat and deed records, or any other pertinent information identified at local or state archives may also be reviewed. The Phase I archaeological survey will include a thorough subsurface and pedestrian survey and will identify the presence or absence of cultural resources within the APE for direct effects. The survey methodology will follow the Alabama Historical Commission Administrative Code Chapter 46-X-9 Archaeological Investigations (June 2003).

Task 3 – Report Writing

Preparation of technical documents will begin immediately following the conclusion of fieldwork. The full technical report containing the results of all investigations conducted will subsequently be written pursuant to the Alabama Historical Commission Administrative Code Chapter 46-X-9 Archaeological Investigations. (June 2003)). An Alabama Archaeological Site Survey Record form or Alabama Historical Structure Form for each site or structure identified during the project will be prepared.

- Draft and Final Phase 1B Archaeological and Historic Standing Structures CRAS
- Alabama Historical Structure Forms
- Alabama Archaeological Site Forms
- Alabama Survey Log Sheet
- Draft and Final Phase 1B Archaeological CRAS

d. Phase I ESA Review

A Phase I Environmental Site Assessment (ESA) for a linear property encompassing right-of-way along Old Big Cove Road that spans from the intersection of Taylor Road to Claudia Drive in Huntsville, Alabama. Barge will complete this Phase I ESA in accordance with the Alabama Department of Transportation Standard Practice for Phase I Environmental Site Assessments. The scope of services will include a site visit conducted by a qualified environmental professional to review and document the condition of the site, review of records from environmental databases and governmental agencies, identification of Recognized Environmental Concerns (RECs), if present, electronic delivery of a Phase I ESA report. If recognized environmental conditions are encountered at the site, Barge will submit a proposal for additional assessment activities with the Phase I ESA report.

2. Environmental Permitting

Barge anticipates that the construction of the proposed project will result in unavoidable impacts along jurisdictional streams and wetlands. Based on anticipated impacts, §401/§404 authorizations are assumed to be required. Barge will prepare General Permit applications requesting authorization from the USACE for the proposed activities for the section of Old Big Cove Road from Taylor Road to Claudia Drive. Barge assumes the proposed activities will require a USACE Nationwide Permit 14 (Linear Transportation Projects). The City will be responsible for compensatory mitigation if required.

Once the USACE Nationwide Permit 14 application is submitted, Barge will contact the respective agency project managers and track the permitting progress. Barge will respond to additional information requests as needed to obtain authorization. If the proposed scope does not meet USACE Nationwide Permit 14 thresholds and associated conditions, Individual Permit(s) may be needed. A USACE Individual Permit is not currently included in this proposal.

B. Field Surveys

As a subconsultant to Barge, Sain Associates will provide a full topographic survey, along Big Cove Road from Taylor Rd to Claudia Drive. For a more detailed scope, see the attached proposal.

C. Preliminary Roadway Plans

1. Traffic Study

Barge proposes to conduct an operational analysis to evaluate the impact of geometric improvements on Old Big Cove Road from Taylor Road to Claudia Drive. This analysis includes the following:

- a. Traffic Data Research
 - i. Review Alabama Department of Transportation (ALDOT) historical count data.
 - ii. Conduct Site visit to identify existing layout and traffic control; and identify any issues with the transportation network.
 - iii. Due diligence:
 - a. Review previously completed studies in the area.
 - b. Review committed future transportation projects in the area.
- b. Traffic Data
 - i. Turning Movement Counts (TMC) will be collected at the following locations:
 - a. Old Big Cove Road at Taylor Road
 - b. Old Big Cove Road at Flint Drive SE/Byrd Dr
 - c. Old Big Cove Road at Terry Drake Road
 - d. Old Big Cove Road at Hidden Lake Drive
 - ii. Traffic Signal Timings will be provided by the City for the following intersections:
 - a. Old Big Cove Road at Terry Drake Road
 - b. Old Big Cove Road at Taylor Road
 - iii. Traffic Calculations
 - a. Calculate historical background growth rate using ALDOT historic traffic counts in the area.
 - b. Calculate projected traffic volumes for a 20-year horizon (2045) – AM & PM peak hour.
- c. Traffic Signal Warrant Analysis
 - i. Traffic signal warrant analysis will be performed at the following locations:
 - a. Old Big Cove Road at Terry Drake Road
 - b. Old Big Cove Road at Taylor Road
- d. Traffic Analysis (Synchro 12 will be used for intersection modeling and HCM analysis.)
 - i. Analyze existing traffic volumes for AM & PM peak hour
 - ii. Analyze Future (2045) No Build conditions for AM & PM peak hour
 - iii. Analyze Future (2045) Build conditions with recommendations for AM peak hour and PM peak hour (up to 3 Alternatives).

- e. Traffic Reporting
 - i. Submit Draft and Final Study.

2. Preliminary Roadway Design Services

Barge will develop design criteria and typical sections for the City's review and approval on Old Big Cove Road from Taylor Road to Claudia Drive. Barge will identify up to 3 concepts of the proposed intersection configurations at Old Big Cove Road at Taylor Road, Old Big Cove Road at Terry Drake Road, and up to 3 conceptual designs for the additional lanes along Old Big Cove Road from Taylor Road to Claudia Drive. Barge will also develop up to 3 preliminary opinion of probable construction costs (OPCC) for the design alternatives proposed. Barge will then meet with the City and ALDOT to determine the alternate to carry forward to Public Involvement and then to final design.

D. Right-of-Way Map, Tract Sketches and Deeds

Barge will provide the following right-of-way services for up to 45 properties for the section of Old Big Cove Road from Taylor Road to Claudia Drive. Barge will provide tract sketches detailing the present and acquired right-of-way lines, adjoiner information, point of beginning, alignment data, apparent property lines, north arrow, size of parcel, amount of acquired right-of-way to be taken, total of remainder, date, county, state, and other such data as detailed in the right-of-way mapping manual for ALDOT. Further, Barge will prepare property descriptions for up to 45 right-of-way acquisitions. Property descriptions will be metes and bounds having a caption, body, qualifying statement, and conclusion, ultimately, describing a closed geometric figure in which right-of-way will be acquired for each parcel.

E. Roadway Plans

The Roadway Plans task includes the following:

1. Roadway Design Services

Barge will prepare Roadway Construction Plans for the selected concept for the section of Old Big Cove Road from Taylor Road to Claudia Drive based on the attached man-day estimate in accordance with AASHTO's A Policy on Geometric Design of Highways and Streets (Green book) and ALDOT Specifications (current edition as of 07/18/2023) and Standard and Special Drawings. BARGE will make the submittals as outlined in the ALDOT Guide for Developing Construction Plans (GDGP) for all requested plan reviews.

2. Traffic Design Services

Barge will prepare traffic signal design services for two locations along Old Big Cove Road in Huntsville, Alabama. The scope includes full signal design plans at Old Big Cove Road and Taylor Road, as well as Old Big Cove Road and Terry Drake Road. Work will include data collection, utility coordination, preparation of signal layouts, pole and equipment placement, wiring and conduit design, basic signal timings, and integration with the City of Huntsville's signal system to ensure safe, efficient, and reliable traffic operations.

If intersection improvements selected during the Preliminary Roadway Design task include improvements other than traffic signal installation, a supplement will be prepared for the additional scope.

3. Lighting Design Services

Barge will prepare roadway lighting plans for Old Big Cove Road from Taylor Road to Claudia Drive. The scope of work will include coordination with the City and electrical utility providers throughout the design process to obtain necessary information and manage submittals for the lighting design. As part of this effort, electrical service control points will be identified through coordination with utilities and ALDOT.

The lighting design will address luminaire and pole selection to ensure compatibility with existing streetlight standards or/and the City's lighting specifications. Photometric layouts, pole placement, and mounting heights will be developed using AGI32 software for one fixture type. These layouts will be designed to achieve illumination levels consistent with ANSI/IES RP-8-22. Conduit routing will be designed to optimize fixture connections, and voltage drop calculations will be performed to determine cable sizing and routing. Power service points, including individual service drops and/or control center cabinets, will be designed with corresponding electrical circuits. Supporting documentation will include single-line diagrams, schematics, electrical schedules, and light standard tables outlining pole heights, wire runs, lighting circuits, and service connections. Detailed lighting and electrical plan sheets will also be prepared.

In addition, project-specific specifications and construction notes will be developed and incorporated into the plans. The scope will also include preparation of lighting quantities and an opinion of probable construction cost (OPCC) to support the overall project documentation.

4. Utility Coordination

Barge will provide utility coordination services for the section of Old Big Cove Road from Taylor Road to Claudia Drive. The project segment is federally funded and therefore it is assumed that utility coordination efforts must align with the Alabama Department of Transportation (ALDOT) requirements as described in the ALDOT Guide for Developing Construction Plans (GDCP), including SAHD utility agreements and utility certificates. Barge will assist the City by facilitating communication and coordination with utility owners, requesting executed utility agreements, and compiling documentation in accordance with ALDOT requirements. Barge's role is limited to facilitating communication and documentation. Barge will not be responsible for analyzing utility conflicts, preparation of utility relocation plans, or executing utility relocations as these tasks remain the responsibility of the individual utility owners. Utility coordination tasks shall include the following:

a. Project Initiation

- i. Attend kickoff meeting with the City and design team.
- ii. Develop a list of potential utility owners within the Segment 2 footprint.
- iii. Establish a Segment 2 utility coordination log and utility conflict matrix.

b. Utility Identification and Data Gathering

- i. Update utility owner points of contact if required.
- ii. Notify each utility owner of the project scope, schedule, and responsibilities.
- iii. Identify which utility owners have utility infrastructure within the project footprint.
- iv. Request record drawings and as-built information from utility owners.
- v. Compile records and compare against the completed topographic survey.
- vi. Note discrepancies and request confirmation from utility owners.
- vii. Coordinate with design team to establish a consolidated utility base map.

c. Plan Distribution and Coordination

- i. Distribute roadway design plans to utility owners at 30%, PIH, PS&E, and final design submittals.
 - ii. Log responses, collect comments and markups, and distribute back to the City and design team.
 - iii. Follow up with non-responding utilities when required.
 - iv. Maintain a communications log of all utility correspondence.
 - v. Record conflicts reported by utility owners in a utility conflict matrix.
 - vi. Distribute updates to the City and design team for awareness and design coordination.
 - vii. Follow up with utility owners to confirm relocation needs.
- d. Utility Coordination Meetings
- i. Attend up to one on-site meeting with utility owners as needed to verify facilities and discuss relocations. On-site meetings are anticipated to require a full day of effort.
 - ii. Attend a 0.5-hr virtual meeting with each utility owner at 30%, PIH, PS&E, and final design submittals. Up to 16 meetings are anticipated (8 utility owners x 2 design submittals = 16 meetings).
 - iii. Attend 1-hr virtual meetings with the City, design team, and utilities to review conflicts and relocation schedules. Up to 4 meetings are anticipated.
- e. Utility Agreement Facilitation
- i. Assist the City in preparing and transmitting utility agreement templates to utility owners.
 - ii. Request executed agreements from each utility owner.
 - iii. Track agreement status and provide updates to the City.
 - iv. Collect executed utility agreements and transmit to the City.
- f. Documentation and Deliverables
- i. Maintain a utility coordination log for the duration of the project.
 - ii. Maintain a utility conflict matrix throughout design.
 - iii. Provide interim utility coordination updates to the City as requested.

5. Geotechnical Investigations

As a subconsultant to Barge, GTEC will provide geotechnical investigations including pavement recommendations, slope study and recommendations for retaining wall foundations, if required, along Big Cove Road from Taylor Road to Claudia Drive. See attached proposal.

III. Additional Services

If services beyond the tasks outlined in Section II are required, this work can be completed through a supplemental agreement. This also includes any changes to the study area reference in Exhibit A.

Any updates and/or changes requested by the City, after ALDOT scoping coordination efforts outlined in Section II have been completed will be considered additional services.

IV. Project Understandings, Assumptions, and Exclusions

Barge will provide the above-noted services based upon a given set of assumptions. These assumptions are as follows.

1. The design and submittal process will follow the ALDOT Guidelines for Developing Construction Plans (GDCP).
2. Barge will have access to the site and adjoining areas, as required.

3. Project will use a combination of local, state and/or federal funds and will require NEPA and technical studies. Barge anticipates a Categorical Exclusion (CE) to Local Programs will be needed for this project.
4. General permitting with the USACE for a Nationwide Permit #14 is anticipated to be required. Individual Permits with the USACE and ADEM are not included in this scope.
5. Barge will study/analyze the following number of scenarios for the traffic study. Any additional scenarios will be considered additional services, see Section III.
 - a. Existing Conditions (one)
 - b. No-Build Future (2045) Conditions (one)
 - c. Build Future (2045) Conditions (three)
6. Barge is assuming that up to 3 intersection conceptual designs will be developed at Old Big Cove Road at Terry Drake Road.
7. Barge is assuming that up to 3 alternative designs will be developed for the additional lanes along the Old Big Cove Road between Taylor Road and Claudia Drive.
8. Barge is assuming 1 preferred alternative will be taken to Public Involvement.
9. Barge is assuming that the city will work with Barge to provide ROW and Utility Relocation costs for any alternatives needing these costs.
10. Anticipated utility owners include the following: natural gas, water, sanitary sewer, power (2), and telecommunications (5).
11. Design duration is expected to be a maximum of 2 years.
12. Utility owners are responsible for performing their own conflict analysis, preparing relocation designs, and relocating their facilities.
13. Roadway landscaping is not included in this scope.
14. Retaining wall design is not included in this scope.
15. Utility design or utility relocation design is not included in this scope.
16. Right-of-Way (ROW) plan sheets are not included in this scope.
17. Right-of-Way (ROW) appraisals, negotiations and acquisitions are not included in this scope.
18. Bid Phases Services are not included in this scope.
19. Construction Phase Services are not included in this scope.
20. This design will follow the current version of the ALDOT Specifications, Standard Drawings, Special Provisions, and any updates to the aforementioned standards will be shown on the plans.
21. The roadway plans will be designed using OpenRoads designer software.
22. This Scope of Services and Fee does not include any work other than what is specified above in Section II of this document under "Scope of Services." Additional services may be added to the scope based on mutual agreement and equitable adjustment in fee.

In providing opinions of probable construction cost (OPCC) and construction cost estimates, the Client understands that Barge has no control over the cost or availability of labor, equipment materials, over-market conditions, or the Contractor's method of pricing, and that Barge's construction cost estimates are made on the basis of Barge's professional judgment and experience. Barge makes no warranty, express or implied, that the bids or the negotiated cost of the work will not vary from Barge's estimate.

V. Time of Performance

Barge is prepared to begin work within one (1) week upon receipt of written authorization to proceed. Barge will work with the City to develop an acceptable schedule for design, reviews, and letting for construction. Design duration is expected to be a maximum of 2 years.

VI. Client's Responsibilities

Barge strives to work closely with our clients. For the project team to function efficiently, certain information is needed to be provided by the Client and other interested stakeholders in a timely manner. These items and responsibilities are noted below.

- A. Provide information as required to support development of Barge's scope, as required in the project agreement for services.
- B. Provide review comments in a timely manner.
- C. Provide single point of contact for project coordination purposes.

VII. Deliverables

Several deliverables will be produced as part of the basic professional services. The following is a list of documents that will be produced as a part of this effort.

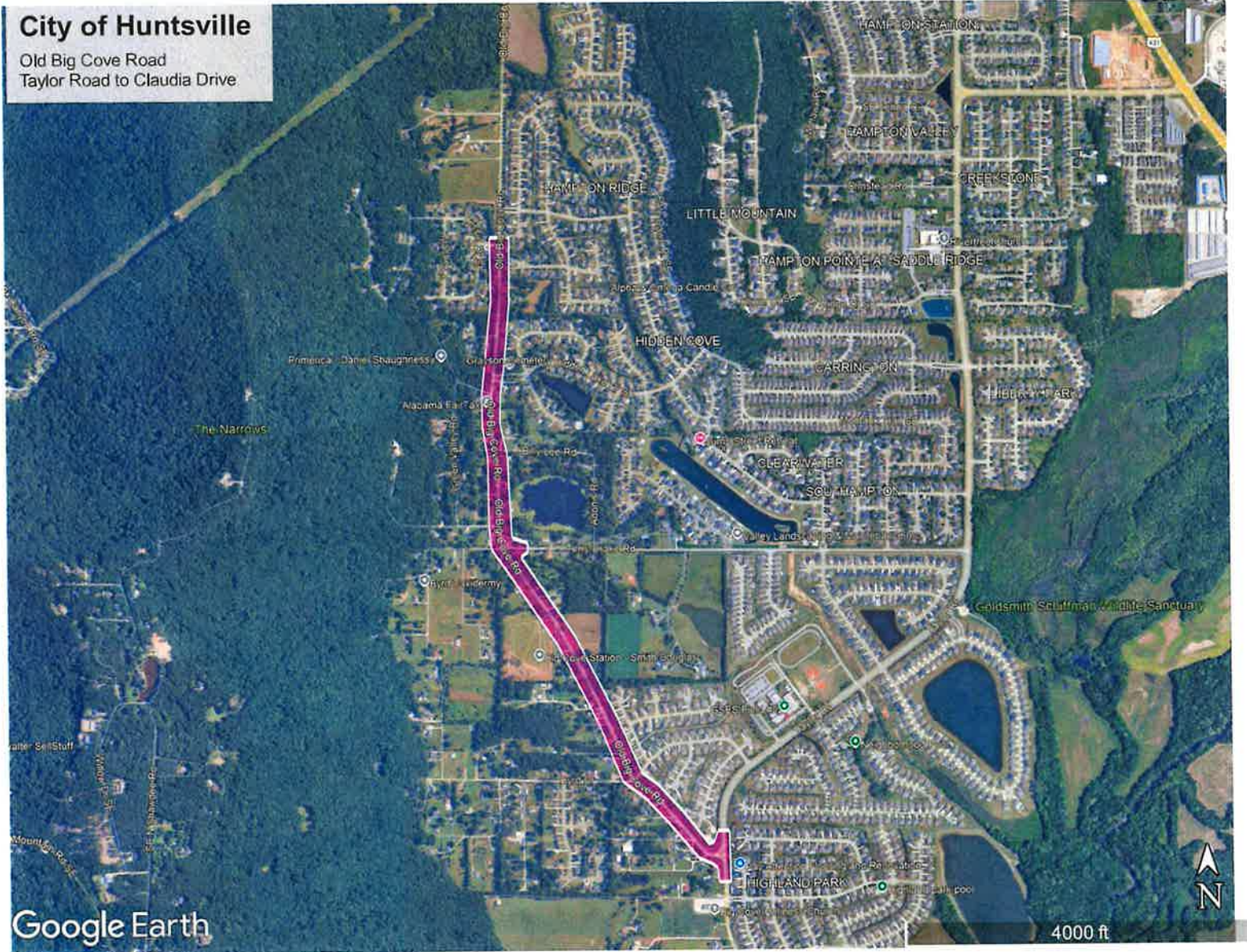
- A. OpenRoads CADD file of Topographic Survey
- B. PDF of Wetland and Other Waters Delineation Report
- C. PDF USACE Nationwide Permit #14 Application Package
- D. PDF of NEPA Categorical Exclusions Document (Draft and Final)
- E. PDF roll map of 1 preferred alternative for PI Meeting
- F. PDF of Traffic Analysis Memo (Draft and Final)
- G. PDF of design criteria and conceptual typical sections, concept intersections and corridors
- H. Opinion of Probable Costs (OPCC) for up to 3 alternative designs
- I. PDF of Geotechnical Investigations report
- J. Roadway Plans and disposition of comments received at previous submittal including
 - a. 30% Plans
 - b. Plan-in-Hand plans
 - c. PS&E plans
 - d. Final Backcheck plans
 - e. Construction Bureau plans
 - f. Office Engineer plans
- K. Utility coordination documentation
- L. Right-of-Way (ROW) deeds and tract sketches (up to 45 right-of-way acquisitions)

VIII. Compensation

The compensation to be paid to Barge as a cost plus contract for providing requested services is provided in the attached man-day estimate.

City of Huntsville

Old Big Cove Road
Taylor Road to Claudia Drive



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Project No. _____ County _____ Description Old Big Cove Road from Taylor Road to Claudia Drive Scope of Work _____ Project Length 0.00 Miles Consultant Barge Design Solutions						
CORRIDOR STUDY		Engineer	Engineer. Tech.	Environment	Environ. Tech.	Clerical
Task A: Preliminary Corridor Investigation						
Field Prep and Project Kick off				0.50	1.00	
Environmental Site Assessment				2.00	6.50	
Onsite Inspection					4.50	
JWRP				1.00	5.50	0.25
NWP				1.00	6.50	0.25
Response and Site Visit				0.50	4.00	
NEPA Categorical Exclusion				2.00	18.00	1.00
Public Hearing					3.50	
Sub-Consultant Report Reviews				1.00	2.00	
Task A Totals		0.00	0.00	8.00	51.50	1.50
TOTALS		0.00	0.00	8.00	51.50	1.50

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County _____			
Description Old Big Cove Road from Taylor Road to Claudia Drive			
Scope of Work _____			
Project Length 0.00 Miles			
Consultant Barge Design Solutions			
Fee Proposal (Corridor Study)			
PERSONNEL COST			
	Man-days	x	Daily Rate
Project Manager (10% of Eng. & Env.)	0.80	\$	660.40 \$ 528.32
Engineer	0.00	\$	536.12 \$ -
Engineering Technician/CADD	0.00	\$	327.08 \$ -
Environmental	8.00	\$	448.00 \$ 3,584.00
Environmental Technician	51.50	\$	320.00 \$ 16,480.00
Clerical	1.50	\$	309.67 \$ 464.51
Total Direct Labor			\$ 21,056.83
Combined Overhead (%)	204.78		\$ 43,120.18
Out-of-Pocket Expenses**			\$ 2,214.00
Sub-Total			\$ 66,391.01
Operating Margin (10%)			\$ 6,639.10
Sub-Total			\$ 73,030.11
SUB-CONSULTANTS (attach man-day & fee FROM each sub-consultant; show total fee for each here)			
Copperhead (Bat Survey)		\$	23,000.00
TerraXplorations (Phase 1 Cultural Resources Survey)		\$	17,609.60
		\$	-
		\$	-
		\$	-
		\$	-
Subconsultant Administration Expense (5%)		\$	2,030.48
Sub-Total			\$ 115,670.19
Facilities Capital Cost of Money (% of Direct Labor)	1.41		\$ 296.90
TOTAL FEE			\$ 115,967.09

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Scope of Work				
Project Length	0.00 Miles			
Consultant	Barge Design Solutions			
Out-of-pocket Expenses (Corridor Study)				
TRAVEL COST				
Mileage Cost	Trips	Miles/Trip	\$/Mile	Total
Site visit	1	520	\$0.700	\$ 364.00
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -
Total Mileage Cost				\$ 364.00
Subsistence Cost	Days	# People	\$/Day	Total
Travel allowance (6 hour trips)	0	0	\$11.25	\$ -
Travel allowance (12 hour trips - meal provided by others)	0	0	\$20.00	\$ -
Travel allowance (12 hour trips)	0	0	\$30.00	\$ -
Travel allowance (overnight)***	2	2	\$75.00	\$ 300.00
				\$ -
Total Subsistence Cost				\$ 300.00
Total Travel Cost				\$ 664.00
PRINTING / REPRODUCTION COST				
Type of printing/reproduction	# of Sets	Sheets/Set	Total Sheets	Cost/Sheet
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Total Printing/Reproduction Cost				\$ -
Communication Cost (telephone, fax, etc.)				Total
				\$ -
Postage Cost (overnight, stamps, etc.)				Total
				\$ -
Other (provide description on next line)				Total
Flagging, Equipment, GPS iPad, ERIS data				\$ 1,550.00
Total Out-of-pocket Expenses				\$ 2,214.00
Comments:				

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FIELD SURVEY	PLS	Crew	Tech/CADD	Clerical
Based on a <u>0</u> Man Crew				
Task A: Mobilization and Basic Control Survey				
A-1 Mobilize/Demobilize	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
A-2 Contact Property Owners	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
A-3 Perform Basic Control Survey	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
A-4 Conduct On-site Inspection	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Task A Totals	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Task B: Project Alignment and Profile				
B-1 Run Closure of Basic Control Survey/Prepare Closure Diagram	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
B-2 Establish Centerline/Obtain Ground Profile	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
B-3 Obtain Topographic Data	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Task B Totals	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Task C: Supplemental Control Surveys and Data Gathering				
C-1 Traverse Cross-Roads and Railroads	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
C-2 Stream Topography & Cross Sections/Complete HYD-100 & 101 Forms	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
C-3 Define Drainage Areas/Prepare Schematic Drainage Map	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
C-4 Obtain Cross-Sections at 20 Meter Intervals and Ground Break Points	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Task C Totals	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Task D: Utility Surveys, Drainage Sections and Compilation of Data				
D-1 Identify/Locate Utilities	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
D-2 Obtain Hydrological Location Survey	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
D-3 Tie All Available Section Corners & All Available Front Corners of Affected Properties to Project Centerline	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
D-4 Obtain Copies of Latest Deeds	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
D-5 Set & Reference Pls, PCs, POTs, POCs, & other critical points	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
D-6 Reduce Survey Field Notes	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
D-7 Submit Work for Review/Sealed Mylar Plot of Accepted Field Map	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Task D Totals	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
TOTALS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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Scope of Work _____			
Project Length 0.00 Miles			
Consultant Barge Design Solutions			
Fee Proposal (Field Survey)			
PERSONNEL COST			
	Man-days x Daily Rate		
Project Manager (10% of PLS)	0.00	\$ 660.40	\$ -
PLS	0.00	\$ -	\$ -
Survey Crew (see man-day sheet)	0.00	\$ -	\$ -
Engineering Technician/CADD	0.00	\$ 327.08	\$ -
Clerical	0.00	\$ 309.67	\$ -
Total Direct Labor			\$ -
Combined Overhead (%)	204.78		\$ -
Out-of-Pocket Expenses**			\$ -
Sub-Total			\$ -
Operating Margin (10%)			\$ -
Sub-Total			\$ -
SUB-CONSULTANTS (attach man-day & fee FROM each sub-consultant; show total fee for each here)			
Sain Associates			\$ 136,171.00
			\$ -
			\$ -
Subconsultant Administration Expense (5%)			\$ 6,808.55
Sub-Total			\$ 142,979.55
Facilities Capital Cost of Money (% of Direct Labor)	1.41		\$ -
TOTAL FEE			\$ 142,979.55

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Scope of Work				
Project Length	0.00 Miles			
Consultant	Barge Design Solutions			
Out-of-pocket Expenses (Field Survey)				
TRAVEL COST				
Mileage Cost	Trips	Miles/Trip	\$/Mile	Total
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -
Total Mileage Cost				\$ -
Subsistence Cost	Days	# People	\$/Day	Total
Travel allowance (6 hour trips)	0	0	\$11.25	\$ -
Travel allowance (12 hour trips - meal provided by others)	0	0	\$20.00	\$ -
Travel allowance (12 hour trips)	0	0	\$30.00	\$ -
Travel allowance (overnight)***	0	0	\$75.00	\$ -
				\$ -
Total Subsistence Cost				\$ -
Total Travel Cost				\$ -
PRINTING / REPRODUCTION COST				
Type of printing/reproduction	# of Sets	Sheets/Set	Total Sheets	Cost/Sheet
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	0	0	0	\$ -
Total Printing/Reproduction Cost				\$ -
Communication Cost (telephone, fax, etc.)				Total
				\$ -
Postage Cost (overnight, stamps, etc.)				Total
				\$ -
Other (provide description on next line)				Total
				\$ -
Total Out-of-pocket Expenses				\$ -
Comments:				

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PRELIMINARY ROADWAY & BRIDGE PLANS		
	Engineer	Technician/CADD
Roadway		
Phase I		
1. Assemble and review all existing studies, plans and reports	0.50	1.00
2. Develop design criteria for all roadways and submit to State	0.25	0.50
3. Perform conceptual traffic analysis for the design year		
4. Establish conceptual design alternates	1.00	2.00
5. Develop typical sections	0.50	1.00
6. Review/confirm location of grade separations		
7. Identify potential hazardous waste sites		
8. Coordinate with railroad, utility and other companies as needed		
9. Meet with State/FHWA to determine alternates to be carried forward	1.00	
Traffic Data Collection, Processing, and Site Visit	1.25	2.00
Traffic Data Calculations	1.25	2.00
Traffic Analysis (Existing, No Build, and 3 Alternatives)	3.00	4.00
Traffic Study Report and Appendices	3.00	5.00
Phase I Totals	11.75	17.50
Phase II		
1. Prepare preliminary design plans of selected alternates	5.00	10.00
2. Make adjustments in main roadway profile to optimize its location	1.00	2.00
3. Place existing and proposed major drainage facilities on layout	1.00	2.00
4. Submit request for ROW and utility cost estimates		
5. Perform detailed traffic analysis/Prepare and submit traffic analysis report		
6. Prepare cost estimate for each alternate	1.00	2.00
7. Present preliminary design plans to State/FHWA for review	0.50	1.00
8. Attend and present the preliminary plans at Public Involvement Meeting	1.00	1.00
9. Analyze and resolve comments from Public Involvement Meeting	0.50	1.00
10. Meet with State/FHWA to determine design to be carried forward	0.50	1.00
Phase II Totals	10.50	20.00
Phase III		
1. Provide State with 3 sets of plan rolls for the entire project		
2. Perform access study by developing alternates to provide access		
3. Compare cost of providing access vs. cost of damages for loss of access		
4. Provide recommendations for providing access to each tract in a report		

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PRELIMINARY ROADWAY & BRIDGE PLANS		
	Engineer	Technician/CADD
Phase III Totals	0.00	0.00
Phase IV		
1. Make necessary revisions/complete preliminary design plans		
2. Submit locations of haz. mat. sites & UST's to the State		
3. Make appropriate revisions to cost estimate		
4. Present preliminary plans to State/FHWA for review		
5. Attend Design Hearing		
6. Analyze and resolve comments from Design Hearing		
7. Provide narrative of sequence of construction concept		
8. Provide conceptual signing plans		
9. Present preliminary design plans and recommendations to State/FHWA		
10. Furnish deliverables to State at completion of project		
Phase IV Totals	0.00	0.00
PRELIMINARY ROADWAY TOTALS	22.25	37.50
Bridge		
1. Prepare preliminary span layouts (TS&L) plans for all required bridges		
2. Furnish preliminary cost estimates of each alternative bridge		
PRELIMINARY BRIDGE TOTALS	0.00	0.00
PRELIMINARY PLANS TOTALS	22.25	37.50

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Scope of Work _____			
Project Length 0.00 Miles			
Consultant Barge Design Solutions			
Fee Proposal (Preliminary Roadway Plans)			
PERSONNEL COST			
	Man-days x Daily Rate		
Project Manager (10% of Eng.)	2.23	\$ 660.40	\$ 1,472.69
Engineer	22.25	\$ 536.12	\$ 11,928.67
Engineering Technician/CADD	37.50	\$ 327.08	\$ 12,265.50
Clerical	1.00	\$ 309.67	\$ 309.67
	Total Direct Labor		\$ 25,976.53
Combined Overhead (%)	204.78		\$ 53,194.74
	Sub-Total		\$ 79,171.27
Out-of-Pocket Expenses**			\$ 175.00
	Sub-Total		\$ 79,346.27
Operating Margin (10%)			\$ 7,934.63
	Sub-Total		\$ 87,280.90
SUB-CONSULTANTS (attach man-day & fee FROM each sub-consultant; show total fee for each here)			
Marr Traffic (Traffic Counts)			\$ 3,120.00
			\$ -
			\$ -
Subconsultant Administration Expense (5%)			\$ 156.00
	Sub-Total		\$ 90,556.90
Facilities Capital Cost of Money (% of Direct Labor)	1.41		\$ 366.27
TOTAL FEE			\$ 90,923.17

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Scope of Work				
Project Length	0.00 Miles			
Consultant	Barge Design Solutions			
Out-of-pocket Expenses (Preliminary Roadway Plans)				
TRAVEL COST				
Mileage Cost	Trips	Miles/Trip	\$/Mile	Total
	1	250	\$0.700	\$ 175.00
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -
Total Mileage Cost				\$ 175.00
Subsistence Cost	Days	# People	\$/Day	Total
Travel allowance (6 hour trips)	0	0	\$11.25	\$ -
Travel allowance (12 hour trips - meal provided by others)	0	0	\$20.00	\$ -
Travel allowance (12 hour trips)	0	0	\$30.00	\$ -
Travel allowance (overnight)***	0	0	\$75.00	\$ -
				\$ -
Total Subsistence Cost				\$ -
Total Travel Cost				\$ 175.00
PRINTING / REPRODUCTION COST				
Type of printing/reproduction	# of Sets	Sheets/Set	Total Sheets	Cost/Sheet
	0	0	0	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -
Total Printing/Reproduction Cost				\$ -
Communication Cost (telephone, fax, etc.)				Total
				\$ -
Postage Cost (overnight, stamps, etc.)				Total
				\$ -
Other (provide description on next line)				Total
				\$ -
Total Out-of-pocket Expenses				\$ 175.00
Comments:				

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	Project No.						
	County						
	Description	Old Big Cove Road from Taylor Road to Claudia Drive					
	Scope of Work						
	Project Length	0.00 Miles					
	Consultant	Barge Design Solutions					
Supporting Documentation for ROW Fee Proposal							
Date of Research	Parcel Tax ID #	# of Tracts					
		45					
	Total Tracts:	45					

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ROW Map, Tract Sketches and Deeds	Engineer	Tech/CADD	Clerical
Estimated number of tracts= 45			
Task A: Right-of-Way Map	2.00	3.00	0.00
Task B: Tract Sketches	5.00	10.00	0.00
Task C: Deeds	5.00	10.00	2.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00
TOTALS	12.00	23.00	2.00

Note: A "Tract" is all property of a single owner acquired by ALDOT. This includes all parcels, drainage easements, construction easements, etc.

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Description Old Big Cove Road from Taylor Road to Claudia Drive			
Scope of Work _____			
Project Length 0.00 Miles			
Consultant Barge Design Solutions			
Fee Proposal (ROW Map, Tract Sketches & Deeds)			
PERSONNEL COST			
	Man-days x Daily Rate		
Project Manager (10% of Eng.)	1.20	\$ 660.40	\$ 792.48
Engineer	12.00	\$ 536.12	\$ 6,433.44
Engineering Technician/CADD	23.00	\$ 327.08	\$ 7,522.84
Clerical	2.00	\$ 309.67	\$ 619.34
	Total Direct Labor		\$ 15,368.10
Combined Overhead (%)	204.78		\$ 31,470.80
Out-of-Pocket Expenses**			\$ -
	Sub-Total		\$ 46,838.90
Operating Margin (10%)			\$ 4,683.89
	Sub-Total		\$ 51,522.79
SUB-CONSULTANTS (attach man-day & fee FROM each sub-consultant; show total fee for each here)			
Sain Associates			\$ 26,262.00
			\$ -
			\$ -
Subconsultant Administration Expense (5%)			\$ 1,313.10
	Sub-Total		\$ 79,097.89
Facilities Capital Cost of Money (% of Direct Labor)	1.41		\$ 216.69
	TOTAL FEE		\$ 79,314.58

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Scope of Work				
Project Length	0.00 Miles			
Consultant	Barge Design Solutions			
Out-of-pocket Expenses (ROW Map, Tract Sketches & Deeds)				
TRAVEL COST				
Mileage Cost	Trips	Miles/Trip	\$/Mile	Total
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -
Total Mileage Cost				\$ -
Subsistence Cost	Days	# People	\$/Day	Total
Travel allowance (6 hour trips)	0	0	\$11.25	\$ -
Travel allowance (12 hour trips - meal provided by others)	0	0	\$20.00	\$ -
Travel allowance (12 hour trips)	0	0	\$30.00	\$ -
Travel allowance (overnight)***	0	0	\$75.00	\$ -
				\$ -
Total Subsistence Cost				\$ -
Total Travel Cost				\$ -
PRINTING / REPRODUCTION COST				
Type of printing/reproduction	# of Sets	Sheets/Set	Total Sheets	Cost/Sheet
	0	0	0	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -
Total Printing/Reproduction Cost				\$ -
Communication Cost (telephone, fax, etc.)				Total
				\$ -
Postage Cost (overnight, stamps, etc.)				Total
				\$ -
Other (provide description on next line)				Total
				\$ -
Total Out-of-pocket Expenses				\$ -
Comments:				

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Project Number _____		CPMS # _____			
County _____					
Description Old Big Cove Road from Taylor Road to Claudia Drive					
Scope of work _____					
Length 0.00 miles					
Consultant Barge Design Solutions					
ROADWAY PLANS SHEET TITLE	NO OF SHEETS	ESTIMATED MAN-DAYS			
		ENGINEER		TECHNICIAN	
		SHEET	TOTAL	SHEET	TOTAL
TITLE SHEET	1.00	0.50	0.50	1.25	1.25
INDEX SHEET	2.00	0.25	0.50	1.00	2.00
GEOMETRIC LAYOUT/SURVEY CONTROL	4.00	0.50	2.00	1.00	4.00
PROJECT NOTE SHEET (Project)	1.00	0.25	0.25	0.75	0.75
PROJECT NOTE SHEET (TCP)	1.00	0.25	0.25	0.50	0.50
PROJECT NOTE SHEET (Signage)			0.00		0.00
PROJECT NOTE SHEET (Signals)	1.00	0.13	0.13	0.25	0.25
PROJECT NOTE SHEET (ITS)			0.00		0.00
PROJECT NOTE SHEET (Lighting)	1.00	0.13	0.13	0.25	0.25
PROJECT NOTE SHEET (Traffic Loops)			0.00		0.00
PLANS LEGEND & ABBREVIATIONS	1.00	0.10	0.10	0.33	0.33
TYPICAL SECTIONS					
Main Roadway	2.00	1.50	3.00	3.00	6.00
Cross Roads	1.00	1.50	1.50	3.00	3.00
Detour & Misc.			0.00		0.00
Ramps			0.00		0.00
Ditches			0.00		0.00
Details	2.00	1.50	3.00	3.00	6.00
SUMMARY SHEET					
Main Summary	1.00	1.00	1.00	2.50	2.50
SUMMARY BOX SHEETS					
Roadway Drainage (non-culvert)	2.00	0.50	1.00	2.50	5.00
Culvert Extension, New Culvert	0.50	0.50	0.25	1.00	0.50
Bridge Culvert Extension, New Bridge Culvert			0.00		0.00
Guardrail/End Anchors	0.50	0.50	0.25	1.00	0.50
Slope Paving (Under Bridges)			0.00		0.00
Side Drain Pipe	0.50	0.13	0.07	1.00	0.50
Signing	1.00	0.50	0.50	1.50	1.50
Base & Pavement	1.00	0.50	0.50	1.50	1.50
Bridge			0.00		0.00
Striping & Pavement Markings	1.00	0.50	0.50	1.00	1.00
Curb & Gutter	1.00	0.25	0.25	0.50	0.50
Bridge End Slabs			0.00		0.00
Roadway Lighting	1.00	0.50	0.50	1.00	1.00
Signals	1.00	0.50	0.50	1.00	1.00
ITS			0.00		0.00
Sidewalk	0.50	0.50	0.25	1.50	0.75
Slope Paving (Ditches)/Ditch Summary	1.00	0.25	0.25	0.75	0.75
Concrete Safety Barrier			0.00		0.00
Retaining Wall			0.00		0.00
Misc. Boxes	1.00	0.50	0.50	1.50	1.50
Erosion Control	1.00	0.50	0.50	1.50	1.50
Removal Items	1.00	0.50	0.50	1.00	1.00
Utility Relocation			0.00		0.00
			0.00		0.00
PLAN & PROFILE					
Main Roadway	8.00	1.50	12.00	3.00	24.00
Crossroads			0.00		0.00
Detours			0.00		0.00
Retaining Walls			0.00		0.00
			0.00		0.00

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		ENGINEER		TECHNICIAN	
		SHEET	TOTAL	SHEET	TOTAL
PAVING LAYOUT (includes striping)					
Main Roadway	8.00	0.50	4.00	2.00	16.00
Crossroads			0.00		0.00
Intersections			0.00		0.00
			0.00		0.00
INTERCHANGES					
Geometrics			0.00		0.00
Ramps Profiles			0.00		0.00
Site Grading			0.00		0.00
Cross Sections			0.00		0.00
Signing			0.00		0.00
Ramp Gore Details			0.00		0.00
			0.00		0.00
TRAFFIC CONTROL					
Sequence of Construction	1.00	0.50	0.50	2.00	2.00
Summary & Items	2.00	0.50	1.00	1.25	2.50
Typical Section Sketches	1.00	0.50	0.50	1.25	1.25
Layout Sheets (signs, devices, shifts, etc.)	16.00	0.50	8.00	2.00	32.00
Special Drawings	6.00	0.13	0.78	0.50	3.00
			0.00		0.00
STRIPING & SIGNING					
Signing, Striping & Pavement Markers Layout	8.00	0.50	4.00	2.00	16.00
Sign X-Section			0.00		0.00
Sign Panel Details			0.00		0.00
Soils Data Sheets (provided by ALDOT)			0.00		0.00
			0.00		0.00
			0.00		0.00
SIGNALIZATION					
Signal Layout and Traffic Analysis (1 per site)	2.00	5.50	11.00	13.00	26.00
Traffic Counts (1 per site)			0.00		0.00
Signal Warrant Analysis (1 per site)			0.00		0.00
Soils Data Sheets (provided by ALDOT)			0.00		0.00
			0.00		0.00
ITS					
Systems Engineering			0.00		0.00
Special Study			0.00		0.00
Legend			0.00		0.00
Special Details			0.00		0.00
ITS Layouts			0.00		0.00
Optical Fiber Splice Charts			0.00		0.00
Fiber - Cable Routing Diagram			0.00		0.00
Specifications			0.00		0.00
			0.00		0.00
LIGHTING					
Plan Layout	11.00	0.50	5.50	2.00	22.00
Demo Plans			0.00		0.00
Special Details	2.00	0.50	1.00	2.00	4.00
Soils & Passive Pressure (provided by ALDOT)			0.00		0.00
Single Line Wiring Diagrams/Electrical Design	11.00	0.50	5.50	2.00	22.00

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ROADWAY PLANS SHEET TITLE	NO OF SHEETS	ESTIMATED MAN-DAYS			
		ENGINEER		TECHNICIAN	
		SHEET	TOTAL	SHEET	TOTAL
UTILITY SHEETS					
Utility Locations (plan/profile)	8.00	0.13	1.04	0.50	4.00
Utility Coordination	1.00	5.00	5.00	15.00	15.00
DRAINAGE SECTIONS					
Pipe & Culvert X-Sect./Hydraulic Computation	12.00	1.50	18.00	5.00	60.00
Hydraulic Data Sheet			0.00		0.00
Details			0.00		0.00
			0.00		0.00
SOIL SHEETS					
Soil Boring Logs			0.00		0.00
Soil Profile			0.00		0.00
			0.00		0.00
EROSION CONTROL					
Legend & Sequence	1.00	0.25	0.25	0.50	0.50
Phased Sheets (Phase I)	4.00	0.50	2.00	2.50	10.00
Phased Sheets (Phase II)	4.00	0.50	2.00	2.50	10.00
Phased Sheets (Phase III)	4.00	0.50	2.00	2.50	10.00
CBMPP & NOI	1.00	1.50	1.50	1.00	1.00
			0.00		0.00
ROADWAY CROSS SECTIONS					
Main Roadway	70.00	0.25	17.50	0.60	42.00
Crossroads			0.00		0.00
Earthwork Balancing			0.00		0.00
			0.00		0.00
REVIEW COMMENTS					
30% Review			1.00		1.00
Plan-in-Hand Inspection			1.00		1.00
PS&E Inspection			1.00		1.00
Cost Estimates			1.00		1.00
Design Hearing					
Site Visits			1.00		1.00
SUB-TOTAL	213.00		126.75		373.58
10% Supervision			12.68		
TOTALS	213.00		126.75		373.58

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Description	Old Big Cove Road from Taylor Road to Claudia Drive
Scope of Work	
Project Length	0.00 Miles
Consultant	Barge Design Solutions
Fee Proposal (Roadway Plans)	
PERSONNEL COST	
	Man-days x Daily Rate
Project Manager (10% of Eng.)	12.68 \$ 660.40 \$ 8,373.87
Engineer	126.75 \$ 536.12 \$ 67,953.21
Engineering Technician/CADD	373.58 \$ 327.08 \$ 122,190.55
Clerical	6.00 \$ 309.67 \$ 1,858.02
	Total Direct Labor \$ 200,375.65
Combined Overhead (%)	204.78 \$ 410,329.26
Out-of-Pocket Expenses**	\$ 175.00
	Sub-Total \$ 610,879.91
Operating Margin (10%)	\$ 61,087.99
	Sub-Total \$ 671,967.90
SUB-CONSULTANTS (attach man-day & fee FROM each sub-consultant; show total fee for each here)	
GTEC (Geotechnical analysis and report)	\$ 74,289.00
	\$ -
	\$ -
Subconsultant Administration Expense (5%)	\$ 3,714.45
	Sub-Total \$ 749,971.35
Facilities Capital Cost of Money (% of Direct Labor)	1.41 \$ 2,825.30
	TOTAL FEE \$ 752,796.65

**See Grand Total Fee sheet

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Scope of Work				
Project Length	0.00 Miles			
Consultant	Barge Design Solutions			
Out-of-pocket Expenses (Roadway Plans)				
TRAVEL COST				
Mileage Cost	Trips	Miles/Trip	\$/Mile	Total
	1	250	\$0.700	\$ 175.00
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -
Total Mileage Cost				\$ 175.00
Subsistence Cost	Days	# People	\$/Day	Total
Travel allowance (6 hour trips)	0	0	\$11.25	\$ -
Travel allowance (12 hour trips - meal provided by others)	0	0	\$20.00	\$ -
Travel allowance (12 hour trips)	0	0	\$30.00	\$ -
Travel allowance (overnight)***	0	0	\$75.00	\$ -
				\$ -
Total Subsistence Cost				\$ -
Total Travel Cost				\$ 175.00
PRINTING / REPRODUCTION COST				
Type of printing/reproduction	# of Sets	Sheets/Set	Total Sheets	Cost/Sheet
	0	0	0	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -
Total Printing/Reproduction Cost				\$ -
Communication Cost (telephone, fax, etc.)				Total
				\$ -
Postage Cost (overnight, stamps, etc.)				Total
				\$ -
Other (provide description on next line)				Total
				\$ -
Total Out-of-pocket Expenses				\$ 175.00
Comments:				

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26 September 2025

RE: Cost estimate and approach for a listed bat presence/probable absence mist-net survey for the Old Big Cove Road Project, Madison County, AL

Mr. Amatucci,

Copperhead Environmental Consulting, Inc. (Copperhead) is pleased to submit the attached proposal for the above-referenced project. Our experience conducting presence/probable absence acoustic surveys of listed bats gives us the qualifications and expertise needed to provide Barge Design Solutions with a high-quality survey.

Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this submittal or seek additional information.

Sincerely,



Steve Samoray
Senior Biologist/Project Manager
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INTRODUCTION

Barge Design Solutions (Barge) has asked Copperhead Environmental Consulting, Inc. (Copperhead) to provide a cost estimate and technical proposal to conduct a listed bat presence/probable absence survey for the Old Cove Road Project (Project) in Madison County, Alabama. The survey will document the presence/probable absence of the federally endangered northern long-eared bat (*Myotis septentrionalis*) and Indiana bat (*Myotis sodalis*) as well as the tricolored bat (*Perimyotis subflavus*), a species proposed for listing as endangered under the Endangered Species Act. Based on the map file (OBC-ENV Study Limits SEG II.kmz) received from Barge on 26 September 2025, the Project area is linear in nature and includes approximately 2.5 kilometers of suitable forested bat habitat. The surveys will be implemented in accordance with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) 2024 (or most recent) *Range-wide Indiana Bat and Northern Long-Eared Bat Survey Guidelines* (Guidelines). The Project falls outside of the year-round active portion of the northern long-eared bat range, therefore, presence/probable absence mist-net surveys may be conducted between 15 May and 15 August.

STUDY PLAN & PROJECT COORDINATION

Prior to the start of the survey, a Study Plan confirming the required number of net nights (nn) will be developed. The Study Plan will be submitted to Barge for approval and then submitted to the USFWS Daphne Alabama Field Office.

PRESENCE/PROBABLE ABSENCE MIST-NET SURVEYS

Based on the Guidelines for the required number of nn for a linear project located within the hibernating portion of the northern long-eared bat range, the requisite mist-net survey Level of Effort (LOE) for northern long-eared bats is 2 nn per 1-kilometer of suitable forested bat habitat. Each 1-kilometer section LOE must be completed over a minimum of 2 calendar nights. Although a survey LOE for tricolored bats is not specifically provided in the Guidelines, the Guidelines do note that the LOE suggested for the northern long-eared bat may also be used to determine the presence or probable absence of the tricolored bat. Based on the number of 1-kilometer sections of linear project (3), we expect that 12 nn would be sufficient to keep the Project in regulatory compliance. However, after reviewing the Project boundary, we believe that due to limited forested habitat, finding suitable mist-net locations for 12 nn would not be possible. Instead, we propose to use the hybrid mist-net/acoustic survey approach outlined in Appendix I of the Guidelines at a 60/40 mist-net to detector ratio [8 nn and 5 detector nights (dn)].

Copperhead anticipates completing the necessary 8 nn and 5 dn effort over a period of 4 calendar nights. Mist-nets will be set to maximize coverage of flight paths used by bats along suitable travel corridors, foraging areas, and/or drinking areas. Weather permitting, mist-nets will be monitored for a minimum of 5 hours after sunset each night. Mist-net and acoustic surveys cannot be

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conducted during inclement weather (i.e., temperatures below 50° F, precipitation that exceeds a half-hour, or sustained wind speeds greater than 9 mph); during those conditions, surveys will be suspended, and site(s) will be resurveyed if not completed. Placement of mist-net and acoustic sites will be based on the extent of canopy cover, presence of an open flyway, and forest conditions near the site. The actual location and orientation of each mist-net and acoustic site will be determined in the field.

Bats will be live-caught in mist-nets, processed within 30 minutes from the time the bat is removed from the net, and released near the point of capture. Biological and morphometric data (e.g., species, sex, age class, reproductive condition, mass, and forearm length) pertaining to each captured bat will be recorded. Time of capture, capture net, GPS location of each net set, and hourly weather conditions will also be recorded.

Special caution will be taken during mist-net activities to minimize the potential for transmission of White Nose Syndrome (WNS) and COVID-19 by following the most recent decontamination protocols of the USFWS. Bats will be evaluated for potential WNS infection following the *Wing-Damage Index Used for Characterizing Wing Condition of Bats Affected by White-nose Syndrome* by Reichard (2008). All data will be recorded and included in final reports.

All Copperhead employees coming in direct contact with bats will have up-to-date rabies vaccinations. In accordance with *Guidance for FWS employees engaging in Activities with Bats* and our federal and state permits guidelines, non-vented N95 masks (or another mask that provides a similar level of protection), disposable gloves, and disposable or site-dedicated clothing will be worn while handling bats. Photographs will be taken for confirmation of species when required, but unnecessary handling will be avoided.

Diurnal Radio-telemetry And Emergence Counts

If northern long-eared bats or tricolored bats are captured, Alabama Department of Conservation and Natural Resource permits require conducting radio-telemetry to determine locations of day roosts.

If conducted, radio-telemetry would continue for at least 7 consecutive days (or until the transmitter fails or sheds, whichever comes first). A minimum of 2 evening emergence counts would be conducted at each located northern long-eared bat day roost. Per the Guidelines, evening emergence counts will not be conducted at tricolored bat roosts. The cost of radio-telemetry would be incurred only if northern long-eared bats or tricolored bats are captured during the mist-net survey effort. Radio-telemetry and roost tree data will be recorded in the field and summarized in the draft and final reports.

Emergence surveys will follow the Guidance and will begin 30 minutes before sunset and continue for 1 hour after sunset or until it is too dark to see emerging bats. Copperhead biologists will position themselves so that emerging bats will be silhouetted against the sky as the bats exit the roost. Data recorded during emergence count surveys will include ambient temperature, time

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of sunset, time the first bat emerges (if applicable), total number of emerging individuals (if applicable), and the time the count is concluded. Emergence counts will not be conducted during inclement weather (i.e., temperatures below 50° F, precipitation that exceeds a half-hour, or sustained wind speeds greater than 9 mph)

REPORTING

A draft report (electronic copy) including all data collected, maps of survey sites, locations of roosts (if northern long-eared bats or tricolored bats are captured), and a summary and interpretation of data meeting regulatory expectations will be provided to Barge after completion of field work. Upon review (and subsequent return) of the draft report, comments will be addressed, and a final report will be submitted in PDF format. If requested, Copperhead can submit the final report directly to the USFWS.

COST ESTIMATE

This cost is based on the following assumptions:

- The study approach is based on the highest survey LOE recommended in the 2024 USFWS Guidance and the estimated LOE based on the map file provided by Barge. If the survey LOE, or protocols, change significantly for the 2025 survey season, adjustments of our scope and fee may be necessary.
- Mist-net surveys will be completed over 4 calendar nights.
- One team mobilization will be needed to complete all field work for this survey.
- Access has been secured for Copperhead employees to be on all properties within the Project area.
- Unless encountered during the field survey, Copperhead will not interact with property owners.
- Copperhead will be given all data and information necessary to complete the surveys and report in an efficient manner.

Mist-Net Surveys and Culvert/Bridge Bat Use Assessments

The cost for Copperhead to conduct 8 nn and 5 dn survey over 4 calendar nights for the Project is: **\$23,000.00**. This cost includes fieldwork, equipment, travel, reporting, and standard agency coordination during survey activities. Copperhead will charge this Phase as a lump sum. Invoices will be submitted monthly on the basis of percentage completed.

Diurnal Radio-Telemetry and Emergence Counts

The cost of radio-telemetry will be incurred only if northern long-eared bats or tricolored bats are captured during the mist-net survey effort and radio-transmitters are applied. Determining the cost of radio-telemetry is inherently difficult due to numerous unknown factors, including: the number of bats radio-tagged on any given night; the number of and distances to and between

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roosts; and the frequency at which bats switch roosts. As such, the number of bats a team (two people) can radio-track at any given time is impossible to predict until tracking takes place. Therefore, we prefer to cost this activity at a daily rate of **\$1,900.00/day per team**. This cost includes field work, reporting, and standard agency coordination during survey activities. If a bat is radio-tagged, Copperhead expects that radio-telemetry and emergence count field work will continue for 7 days for a cost of **\$13,300.00**. If multiple bats are captured and radio-telemetry efforts cannot be completed by one survey team, or more than 7 days of radio-tracking is required, Copperhead will contact Barge to discuss potential increased scope and cost estimate needed for the additional effort

Safety and Weather Cancellations

Safety and weather often dictate when fieldwork can be performed. Interaction with the public, domestic animals, wildlife, and other scenarios sometimes prove unsafe for field personnel and require the cancellation of a survey already in progress. Inclement weather can have the same effect. These cancellations can occur prior to survey initiation or hours after they begin. When these cancellations occur through no fault of Copperhead, we must still account for expenses and labor costs associated with the effort. These costs will be invoiced at a daily rate of **\$1,900.00/day per team**. Barge will be notified immediately of any delays or other issues affecting fieldwork.



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October 1, 2025

Re: Cost Proposal for Phase I Cultural Resources Survey for the Old Big Cover Road Expansion Project in Madison County, Alabama

Dear Mr. Amatucci:

TerraX will perform a Phase I cultural resources survey of the project area in accordance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 (PL 89-665), as amended. All work will be performed under the direction of an RPA-registered professional archaeologist who meets the Secretary of the Interior's Professional Qualifications Standards. Additionally, all work will adhere to the guidelines established by the Alabama Historical Commission.

The following tasks will be accomplished for the Phase I cultural resources survey:

- Background research on previously recorded cultural resources and surveys within a 1-mile radius of the project area will be conducted online via the Alabama Register of Landmarks and Heritage, the Alabama State Site File, and the Alabama Cultural Online Resource Database.
- An archaeological field survey will be undertaken within 100 percent of the project area as defined.
- Shovel tests will be excavated at 30-meter intervals along multiple transects spaced 30 meters apart within the project area.
- Shovel testing is estimated to include approximately 213 tests that are expected to be carried out in association with the survey.
- With each shovel test, TerraX personnel will document the soil's stratigraphy and analyze any archaeological artifacts that may be recovered.
- Preparation of a Phase I cultural resources survey report meeting current state guidelines. Archaeological and Architectural results will be produced, including a recommendation for clearance of the project area for cultural concerns or a recommendation regarding the need for further cultural resource investigations.
- Following the client's review and approval of the report, TerraX will submit the completed survey report to the Alabama Historical Commission (AL SHPO) for review.
- TerraX will provide GIS shapefiles detailing the results of the Phase I cultural resources survey.

The following project assumptions apply to the proposed survey:

- All surveys will occur on private land. No state or federal archaeological research permits are required for the study.
- Project components total approximately 46.3 acres.
- Base cost assumes that five (5) new archaeological sites will be encountered and 36 architectural resources will be evaluated.
- The scope and costs assume no deep testing will be necessary during the survey, but if required by the AL SHPO, additional costs will be incurred and can be completed under a separate scope and cost.
- The scope and costs assume that no new access roads, pipe yards, contractor yards, or staging areas will require surveying.
- Tribal consultation will be conducted by the client if necessary and is not included in the cost.
- The scope and costs assume the production of a draft report, one round of comments, and a final report on the survey.

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- The client will provide all GIS data regarding the project area. It will be in either shapefile, geodatabase, or kmz format and in a known coordinate system with sufficient metadata.
- Field surveys will be conducted within the project components identified by the client, and the limits of the survey areas will remain constant throughout the project.
- The client will obtain landowner permission/access for all project components prior to the commencement of field surveys.
- No delays due to weather or property access are included in the cost proposal.
- Any site visits or field meetings with the client will occur during the field mobilization. The cost proposal does not include costs for additional site visits or meetings outside of the field mobilization.
- The cultural resources field survey is estimated to require two (2) TerraX staff members working five (5) 8-hour days, including mobilization/demobilization and documentation/data transfer time.
- Field teams will be provided complete access to the project area at the start of fieldwork.
- Field teams will not need specialized or project-specific safety training.
- The scope and cost include only the Phase I survey; if additional Phase II testing or mitigation of adverse effects, including an Assessment of Effects document, is found to be necessary, these services can be completed under a separate scope and cost.
- Any artifacts recovered during the survey will be returned to the appropriate landowner. If any artifacts require permanent curation at a facility meeting the Federal requirements of 36 CFR 79, additional costs will be incurred and can be completed under a separate scope and cost.

Background research can commence within five (5) days of notice to proceed (NTP) and will require five (5) business days to prepare. Fieldwork can begin fifteen (15) business days after landowner access has been obtained. The Phase I cultural resources survey is estimated to require five (5) days of fieldwork and four (4) weeks to prepare the draft report suitable for submission to the AL SHPO. The final report is estimated to require five (5) business days to complete after receiving comments on the draft report.

TerraX can provide all necessary personnel and equipment to conduct the investigations. The Phase I cultural resources survey, including all background research, fieldwork, and reporting, can be conducted for a total lump sum of **\$ 17,609.60**. Please note that this total cost is based on the above assumptions and is subject to change if the project scope exceeds expectations. Should more than five (5) archaeological findings be present, the additional costs would include **\$2,950.00** per archaeological site encountered or **\$1,450.00** for each isolated find (i.e., an archaeological finding with less than three artifacts and not requiring recording on state site forms). Should more than 36 architectural findings be present, the additional costs would include **\$2,000.00** per architectural resource. The additional per-site costs, if necessary, assume that all reporting will be included within the single draft and final report for the project, and none will require additional addendum reports. The provided cost proposal is valid for 90 days. We appreciate the opportunity to provide this bid. Please feel free to contact me at ejpepperman@terraxplorations.com should you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

Emma J. Pepperman
Principal Investigator and Historian

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Gregg Bissot
Barge Design Solutions
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Huntsville, AL 35801

**SUBJECT: Old Big Cove Road Survey Phase II
SA Project #25-0264**

Dear Gregg

We appreciate the opportunity to submit this proposal for land surveying services. Following is a description of our understanding of your project and the scope of services that we propose to undertake.

General Project Understanding

A Right-of-Way and Topographic Survey of Old Big Cove Road are required for roadway design. The corridor for phase II starts at the intersection of Old Big Cove Road and Taylor Road and extends along Old Big Cove to the intersection of Claudia Drive. Below is the scope of services we propose to provide.

Scope of Services

Field Survey

Owner Notifications

Prior to beginning work Sain will prepare owner notification letters to send to all property owners within the survey corridor of each phase. The notifications will be mailed to addresses as indicated in the records of the tax assessor's office for Madison County. In addition, and where possible we will attempt to leave notification letters at each residence or business within the survey corridor. We will not make multiple attempts, call, or otherwise attempt contact to get permissions to access properties. If we cannot obtain permission, we will contact you for assistance.

Basic Control Survey

A basic control survey will be performed to locate and identify horizontal and vertical control points which will provide control in the project corridor and will be the basis of subsequent work. In addition, benchmarks will be monumented at intervals not to exceed one thousand (1000) feet along the project corridor. This control will be based on State Plane Coordinate System (Alabama East Zone). The control will be established using standard survey methods.

Right-of-Way and Property

Property and Right-of-Way research will be performed with the Judge of Probate for Madison County. Those documents along with available Right-of-Way and property monumentation will be used to establish the existing Rights-of-Way through the survey corridors. Where possible



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property lines and owner information as described in the above Right-of-Way/property research will be plotted and shown. This will include all properties adjacent to the project corridor.

Topographic Survey

Field locations will be gathered to establish Topography along the survey corridors. Contours will be shown at 1-foot intervals and spot elevations will be shown in flat areas. Where accessible, visible drainage and sanitary structures will be shown indicating the skew, inlet flow line elevation, outlet flow line elevation, length of pipe, size of pipe, type of pipe, and flow direction. Please note that due to safety concerns, Sain Associates' personnel will not enter confined spaces to gather data. In the event that the data cannot be gathered from ground level, a note will be shown on the survey indicating the reason the information is not shown. Visible improvements will be shown including buildings, walls, fences, sidewalks, curbs, parking areas, paved areas, and landscaped areas. Trees 18" and larger DBH will be located and shown on the survey. Overhead utilities, utility poles, transformers, meter boxes, guy wires, and other visible utility features will be located and shown on the survey.

The topographic limits will extend 100 feet on each side of the centerline of Old Big Cove Road, 400 feet on each side of the intersection with Taylor Road and 400 feet along any intersecting roads or streets. Creek or streams will surveyed within the corridors limits of Old Big Cove Road and no additional length will be surveyed as part of this scope.

Subsurface Utility Engineering Survey

ECS will provide SUE locations within the project area (Phase II) according to their proposal attached.

Once ECS has located and marked utilities, Sain will locate the markings. Sain will show the utilities on a separate sheet with utilities.

Right-of-Way

Staking

Sain will stake the acquired right-of-way one time. The acquired right-of-way will be provided to Sain Associates by Barge Design Solutions. Stakes will be placed at 100 foot intervals and at all PI's, PC's and PT's as provided. Iron pins will not be placed at these points. Sain will not replace stakes if they are lost or obliterated. Any additional re-stakes will be billed hourly per our terms and conditions.

Deliverables

Sain will provide the survey in PDF format and Open Roads Designer cad file.

Exclusions

The following services are excluded from this proposal but can be provided if deemed necessary and requested by you: This work does not include ALTA/NSPS Land Title Survey, Flood Studies or hydrographic surveys along stream crossings, Platting, boundary surveys, private underground utility locates, construction staking, property or easement acquisition legals and exhibits, replacing



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obliterated property corners or right of way monumentation, engineering design or review, or any service not described above.

Fees

We propose to provide the above-described services based on the following fee schedule:

Service	Fee
Field Survey	\$136,171 Lump Sum
Right of Way (Staking Only)	\$26,262 Lump Sum
Total	\$162,433 Lump Sum

Reimbursable expenses such as printing, shipping, mileage, etc. are included in the above fees.

Procedures for Changes in Scope of Work

The scope of work documented herein is based upon information known as of the date of this proposal. Should future changes (e.g. site plan, regulatory, project phasing, additional meetings, etc.) necessitate changes in the scope of work, we will contact you to discuss the scope of the additional work and its impact to our contracted fees and project schedule. No additional work will be undertaken by Sain or our subconsultants without your authorization.

Terms and Conditions

This contract is subject to the enclosed Terms and Conditions of a Standard City of Huntsville Engineering Contract and Barge's negotiated Subconsultant Agreement.

Proposal Limitations

We reserve the right to withdraw or modify this proposal if not contracted within 60 days.

Sain Associates has provided this proposal with the understanding that you have selected our firm to perform professional services based upon our staff's qualifications, experience and reputation and not solely upon the cost of the services proposed. We trust the fees outlined herein are acceptable and within your project budgetary plans. We look forward to commencement of the work and will be glad to address any questions or concerns you have regarding the technical scope and/or schedule of fees for this proposal. If you should request additional prices for the scope of work included herein from other consulting engineers and/or land surveyors, please consider our proposal withdrawn in order to comply with Alabama Administrative Code Chapter 330-X-14-.05(f).

Schedule

Sain can begin within one week of signed contract and will work with Barge Design Solutions to determine a schedule of deliverables.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide this proposal. If you have any questions or need clarification on any item, please call me. We look forward to working with you.



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Sincerely,

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Gary H. Pitzing PLS
Alabama Registered Surveyor #18982
Sain Associates

ENCLOSURES:

Exhibit A

Mandays Form

OFFERED:

SAIN ASSOCIATES, INC.

BY: Jack Kimbrough, Jr. PE

Director, Transportation Design and CEI

Signature of Authorized Representative

Date: 9/29/2025

ACCEPTED:

BY: BARGE DESIGN SOLUTIONS

Signature of Authorized Representative

Print Name & Title

Date: _____



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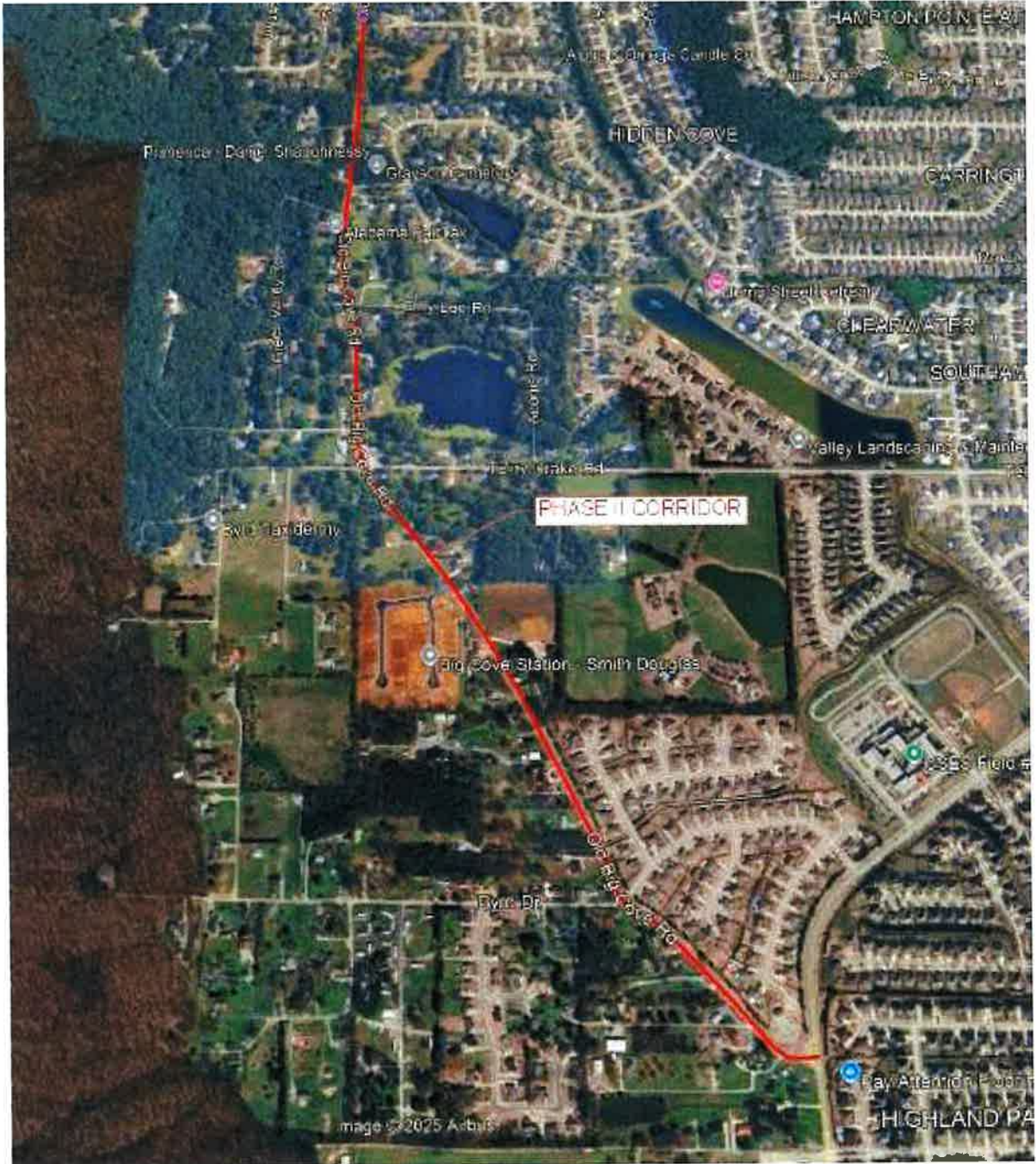


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EXHIBIT A



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Project No. STPHV 4524 () County Madison Description Widening of Old Big Cove Road Scope of Work Grade, Drain, Base, Pave Project Length 1.54 Miles Consultant Sain Associates				
FIELD SURVEY	PLS	Crew	Tech/CADD	Clerical
Based on a 3 Man Crew				
Task A: Mobilization and Basic Control Survey				
A-1 Mobilize/Demobilize	0.50	0.50	0.00	0.00
A-2 Contact Property Owners	0.75	1.00	0.00	0.50
A-3 Perform Basic Control Survey	0.25	2.00	0.25	0.00
A-4 Conduct On-site Inspection	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Task A Totals	2.50	3.50	0.25	0.50
Task B: Project Alignment and Profile				
B-1 Run Closure of Basic Control Survey/Prepare Closure Diagram	1.00	1.00	1.00	0.00
B-2 Establish Centerline/Obtain Ground Profile	0.00	3.00	1.00	0.00
B-3 Obtain Topographic Data	1.00	8.00	2.00	0.00
B-4 Process and Draw Topographic Data	1.00	0.00	6.00	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Task B Totals	3.00	12.00	10.00	0.00
Task C: Supplemental Control Surveys and Data Gathering				
C-1 Traverse Cross-Roads and Railroads (I-20 median)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
C-2 Stream Topography & Cross Sections/Complete HYD-100 & 101 Forms	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
C-3 Define Drainage Areas/Prepare Schematic Drainage Map	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
C-4 Obtain Cross-Sections at 20 Meter Intervals and Ground Break Points	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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FIELD SURVEY				
	PLS	Crew	Tech/CADD	Clerical
C-5 Obtain Bridge Locations	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Task C Totals	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Task D: Utility Surveys, Drainage Sections and Compilation of Data				
D-1 Identify/Locate Utilities	1.00	3.00	2.00	0.00
D-2 Obtain Hydrological Location Survey	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
D-3 Tie All Available Section Corners & All Available Front Corners of Affected Properties to Project Centerline	2.00	4.00	2.00	0.00
D-4 Obtain Copies of Latest Deeds	1.00	1.00	0.00	2.00
D-5 Set & Reference Pls, PCs, POTs, POCs, & other critical points	0.50	1.00	0.25	0.00
D-6 Reduce Survey Field Notes	1.00	1.00	1.50	0.00
D-7 Submit Work for Review/Sealed Mylar Plot of Accepted Field Map	1.00	0.00	1.00	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Task D Totals	6.50	10.00	6.75	2.00
TOTALS	12.00	25.50	17.00	2.50

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Project No. STPHV 4524 ()			
County Madison			
Description Widening of Old Big Cove Road			
Scope of Work Grade, Drain, Base, Pave			
Project Length 1.54 Miles			
Consultant Sain Associates			
Fee Proposal (Field Survey)			
PERSONNEL COST			
	Man-days x Daily Rate		
Project Manager (10% of PLS)	1.20	\$ 567.44	\$ 680.93
PLS	12.00	\$ 501.36	\$ 6,016.32
Survey Crew (see man-day sheet)	25.50	\$ 681.04	\$ 17,366.52
Engineering Technician/CADD	17.00	\$ 399.60	\$ 6,793.20
Clerical	2.50	\$ 265.40	\$ 663.50
Total Direct Labor			\$ 31,520.47
Combined Overhead (%)	186.37		\$ 58,744.70
Out-of-Pocket Expenses**			\$ -
Sub-Total			\$ 90,265.17
Operating Margin (10%)			\$ 9,026.52
Sub-Total			\$ 99,291.69
SUB-CONSULTANTS (attach man-day & fee FROM each sub-consultant; show total fee for each here)			
ECS (SUE Locations)		\$	35,000.00
		\$	-
		\$	-
Subconsultant Administration Expense (5%)		\$	1,750.00
Sub-Total			\$ 136,041.69
Facilities Capital Cost of Money (% of Direct Labor)	0.41	\$	129.23
TOTAL FEE			\$ 136,170.92

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Project No. 0 County St Clair Description Widening of Old Big Cove Road Scope of Work Grade, Drain, Base, Pave Project Length 1.54 Miles Consultant Sain Associates					
Out-of-pocket Expenses (Field Survey)					
TRAVEL COST					
Mileage Cost	Trips	Miles/Trip	\$/Mile	Total	
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -	
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -	
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -	
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -	
Total Mileage Cost				\$ -	
Subsistence Cost	Days	# People	\$/Day	Total	
Travel allowance (6 hour trips)	0	0	\$11.25	\$ -	
Travel allowance (12 hour trips - meal provided by others)	0	0	\$20.00	\$ -	
Travel allowance (12 hour trips)	0	0	\$30.00	\$ -	
Travel allowance (overnight)***	0	0	\$75.00	\$ -	
				\$ -	
Total Subsistence Cost				\$ -	
Total Travel Cost				\$ -	
PRINTING / REPRODUCTION COST					
Type of printing/reproduction	# of Sets	Sheets/Set	Total Sheets	Cost/Sheet	Total
	0	0	0	\$ -	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -	\$ -
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Total Printing/Reproduction Cost					\$ -
Communication Cost (telephone, fax, etc.)	Total				
	\$ -				
Postage Cost (overnight, stamps, etc.)	Total				
	\$ -				
Other (provide description on next line)	Total				
	\$ -				
Total Out-of-pocket Expenses	\$ -				

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Project No. STPHV 4524 () County Madison Description Widening of Old Big Cove Road Scope of Work Grade, Drain, Base, Pave Project Length 1.54 Miles Consultant Sain Associates			
ROW Map, Tract Sketches and Deeds	PLS	Tech/CADD	Crew
Estimated number of tracts= 45			
Task A: Right-of-Way Map	0.00	0.00	0.00
Task B: Tract Sketches	0.00	0.00	0.00
Task C: Deeds	0.00	0.00	0.00
Task D: Staking ROW	2.00	1.00	10.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00
TOTALS	2.00	1.00	10.00

Note: A "Tract" is all property of a single owner acquired by ALDOT. This includes all parcels, drainage easements, construction easements, etc.

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Project No. STPHV 4524 ()			
County Madison			
Description Widening of Old Big Cove Road			
Scope of Work Grade, Drain, Base, Pave			
Project Length 1.54 Miles			
Consultant Sain Associates			
Fee Proposal (ROW Map, Tract Sketches & Deeds)			
PERSONNEL COST			
	Man-days x Daily Rate		
Project Manager (10% of PLS)	0.20	\$ 567.44	\$ 113.49
PLS	2.00	\$ 501.36	\$ 1,002.72
Engineering Technician/CADD	1.00	\$ 399.60	\$ 399.60
Crew	10.00	\$ 681.04	\$ 6,810.40
	Total Direct Labor		\$ 8,326.21
Combined Overhead (%)	186.37		\$ 15,517.56
Out-of-Pocket Expenses**			\$ -
	Sub-Total		\$ 23,843.77
Operating Margin (10%)			\$ 2,384.38
	Sub-Total		\$ 26,228.15
SUB-CONSULTANTS (attach man-day & fee FROM each sub-consultant; show total fee for each here)			
		\$	-
		\$	-
		\$	-
Subconsultant Administration Expense (5%)		\$	-
	Sub-Total		\$ 26,228.15
Facilities Capital Cost of Money (% of Direct Labor)			\$ 34.14
	TOTAL FEE		\$ 26,262.29

**See Grand Total Fee sheet

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Project No.	0			
County	St Clair			
Description	Widening of Old Big Cove Road			
Scope of Work	Grade, Drain, Base, Pave			
Project Length	1.54 Miles			
Consultant	Sain Associates			
Out-of-pocket Expenses (ROW Map, Tract Sketches & Deeds)				
TRAVEL COST				
Mileage Cost	Trips	Miles/Trip	\$/Mile	Total
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -
	0	0	\$0.700	\$ -
Total Mileage Cost				\$ -
Subsistence Cost	Days	# People	\$/Day	Total
Travel allowance (6 hour trips)	0	0	\$11.25	\$ -
Travel allowance (12 hour trips - meal provided by others)	0	0	\$20.00	\$ -
Travel allowance (12 hour trips)	0	0	\$30.00	\$ -
Travel allowance (overnight)***	0	0	\$75.00	\$ -
				\$ -
Total Subsistence Cost				\$ -
Total Travel Cost				\$ -
PRINTING / REPRODUCTION COST				
Type of printing/reproduction	# of Sets	Sheets/Set	Total Sheets	Cost/Sheet
	0	0	0	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -
Total Printing/Reproduction Cost				\$ -
Communication Cost (telephone, fax, etc.)				Total
				\$ -
Postage Cost (overnight, stamps, etc.)				Total
				\$ -
Other (provide description on next line)				Total
				\$ -
Total Out-of-pocket Expenses				\$ -
Comments:				

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ECS Southeast, LLC

Proposal for Subsurface Utility Engineering (SUE) Services

Old Big Cove Road Roadway Improvements Quality Level B SUE

Madison County, Alabama 35763

ECS Proposal Number 48-7143P

June 18, 2026





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Mr. Michael Thomas
Sain Associates
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Reference: Proposal for QL-B Subsurface Utility Engineering Services
Old Big Cove Road
Madison County, Alabama

ECS Proposal No. 48-7143P

Dear Mr. Thomas:

ECS Southeast, LLC (ECS) is pleased to present this proposal to perform Quality Level 'B' Subsurface Utility Engineering (SUE) Services for you in Madison County Alabama. This proposal contains a summary of relevant information as ECS understands it.

PROJECT INFORMATION

In support of future roadway improvements, we understand that Quality Level B SUE services are required within the area of interest on Old Big Cove Road in Madison County Alabama. Below is a summary of the proposed scope of work:

Phase 2 (7900' plus intersecting roads) from Old Big Cove Road and Claudia Drive, to the intersection of Old Big Cove Road and Taylor Road.

Included in the scope for the QL-B SUE is up to 400' into the intersections of:

- Hidden Lake Drive SE
- Hartford Road
- Billy Lee Road
- Newcomb Road
- Terry Drake Road
- Walter End Drive
- Pine Run Lane SE
- Young Lane
- Byrd Drive
- Flint Drive SE
- Long Drive
- Sandridge Drive
- Old Big Cove Road/Taylor Road (200 ft each side)

The limits of the area of interest are depicted in the Figures below.

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Figure 1: Areas of interest (Phase II, yellow) requiring Quality Level B SUE.

SCOPE OF SERVICES

The purpose of the SUE process is to attempt to investigate and document the presence of subsurface utilities within the project extents. ECS will provide SUE services in general accordance with ASCE/UESI/CI 38-22 to **Quality Level B**.

The following provides a description of the procedure to complete each SUE quality level.

ASCE/CI/UESI 38-22 QUALITY LEVEL D

ECS's Quality Level D services will include attempting to gather existing utility record data for the project area. Quality Level D data gathered may include 811 one-call tickets, verbal recollections, utility companies or with contracted utility locating representatives. Quality Level D data may provide "a feel" for the utilities in the area but is generally considered to be inadequate for design purposes.

ASCE/CI/UESI ASCE 38-22 QUALITY LEVEL C

Quality Level C Subsurface Utility Engineering involves observing and documenting the presence of surface features that may indicate the existence or approximate location of subsurface utilities. This may include observing the location of hydrants, utility valves and meters, etc.

ASCE/CI/UESI ASCE 38-22 QUALITY LEVEL B

Quality Level B includes attempting to designate the approximate location and depth of subsurface utilities using geophysical methods such as Ground Penetrating Radar (GPR) and Electromagnetic (EM) pipe and cable locators.

When detected, utility types will be inferred by correlating geophysical findings to the utility records or by tracing a utility to visible surface features observed during Quality Level C.

June 18, 2026

ECS SOUTHEAST, LLC

ASCE/CI/UESI ASCE 38-22 QUALITY LEVEL A

Quality Level A SUE involves utilizing non-destructive excavation methods such as hydrovacuum for ground truth verification of subsurface utilities. *Quality Level A SUE services are excluded from the scope of this QL-B SUE project.*

FEE ESTIMATE

We will perform the proposed scope of services for **\$35,000 LUMP SUM**.

If unanticipated subsurface or site conditions are encountered that requires modification to the proposed scope of services, you will be contacted for both your review and authorization.

Our fee is based upon work being conducted during regular business hours. A surcharge of \$750.00 per day will be added for weekend, night, or evening work. If unanticipated conditions are encountered that require modification to the proposed scope of services, you will be contacted for both your review and authorization. If additional work is required due to unexpected conditions encountered, or because of a request for additional services, they will be invoiced on a unit rate basis. Prior to modifying or expanding the agreed upon scope of work, your authorization for changes in the scope of services, cost, and schedule for the project will be required.

Our "Terms and Conditions of Service," which are included as an attachment to this letter, is an integral part of our proposal. These conditions represent the current recommendations of the GeoProfessional Business Association, the Consulting Engineers' Council, and the Geo-Institute of the American Society of Civil Engineers. Our "Terms and Conditions of Service," which are included as an attachment to this letter, is an integral part of our proposal. These conditions represent the current recommendations of the GeoProfessional Business Association, the Consulting Engineers' Council, and the Geo-Institute of the American Society of Civil Engineers.

AUTHORIZATION

If the fee outlined above and the attached Terms and Conditions are acceptable to you, please sign the attached Proposal Acceptance Form and return one copy of the Proposal Acceptance Form to ECS. Please note that the attached Terms and Conditions of Service are incorporated herein by reference and are an integral part of this agreement between us. Alternatively, you could issue a letter of acceptance or purchase order. If you opt to do so, ECS would ask that you include the proposal number and date hereof on such documents in order to incorporate this proposal by reference.

By signing the Proposal Acceptance Form—or by referencing this proposal in other documents intended to authorize ECS to proceed with the scope of services described above—you are accepting the Terms and Conditions of Service within the professional services agreement. This proposal is valid for a period of sixty days; beyond that date it may be necessary to revise our schedule or fees.

Fully completing and signing the attached Proposal Acceptance Form will provide formal authorization for ECS to enter the site and perform the above work, as well as providing proper invoicing instructions and distribution lists for reports and correspondence. Please provide any specific instructions or details not covered in this proposal on the attached Proposal Acceptance Form.

6/18/2026 10:00 AM
10/1/2026



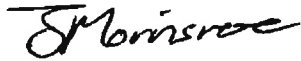
June 18, 2026

ECS SOUTHEAST, LLC

Again, thank you for the opportunity to submit this proposal to you. We look forward to the opportunity to work with you on this project. If you have questions, or if we can be of additional service, please contact us at 251-487-0105.

Respectfully,

ECS SOUTHEAST, LLC



Jack Morrisroe
Geophysics Group Manager
JMorrisroe@ecslimited.com



Ray Gideon
Office Manager, Vice President
RGideon@ecslimited.com

Enclosures: Proposal Acceptance Sheet
 Terms and Conditions of Services



MT-25397 Huntsville, AL**Map & Notes:**

[Old Big Cove Road Quote 2.kmz](#)

Turn Movement Count AL - 12 Hour [6am to 6pm]

w/peds/bikes/heavy trucks FHWA 4-7 & 8-13

- Old Big Cove Road at Taylor Road
- Old Big Cove Road at Flint Drive SE/Byrd Dr
- Old Big Cove Road at Terry Drake Road
- Old Big Cove Road at Hidden Lake Drive

Sites per attached map

	780.00
	x 4
	3,120.00
Total	\$3,120.00

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FOR

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TO

Jonathan Mills

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QUOTE NUMBER

25397

DATE

23 September 2025

EXPIRY DATE

22 December 2025 at 11:00 AM

[Download PDF](#)

***** Please Provide PO# or your order/reference number *****

Please provide the PO# or order/reference number for invoicing for this project when accepting cost estimate.

Thank you, we appreciate your business.

End User Type? (Local, State, Federal, or Private)

Please provide end user data to assist with our DOT audit compliance. Many thanks

Questions & Answers**MT-25397 Huntsville, AL**

Total **\$3,120.00**

Additional comments

Optional

Your order/reference number

Optional

☐ Yes, I **Jonathan Mills** agree to and accept this quote, on 23 September 2025 at 12:20 PM.

Accept Quote

[Decline this quote...](#)



June 23, 2026

Barge Design Solutions
200 Clinton Avenue West, Suite 800
Huntsville, AL 35801

ATTN: Mr. Gregg Bissot, PE

SUBJECT: Proposal for Geotechnical Engineering Study
Old Big Road Cove Widening
Huntsville, Alabama
GTEC Proposal No. P-00790 Rev 2

Ladies and Gentlemen,

GTEC, LLC is pleased to provide this proposal for a Geotechnical Engineering Study for the above referenced project in Huntsville, Alabama. Project information was provided by Mr. Gregg Bissot during a telephone conversation on September 4, 2025. This proposal describes the site and presents a planned scope of services, fee, and anticipated schedule.

PROJECT INFORMATION

GTEC, LLC understands that Barge Design Solutions is assisting the City of Huntsville with design of a roadway widening project in Owens Cross Roads, Alabama. We understand the project is located on Old Big Cove Road from the Sutton Road and Old Big Cove Road intersection south to the Taylor Road and Old Big Cove Road intersection. The project will be divided into two segments.

Segment II will include Old Big Cove Road from its intersection with Claudia Drive and extend south to its intersection with Taylor Road. We understand that the existing, two-lane Old Big Cove Road will be widened to four thru lanes with a two-way left turn lane to its intersection with Terry Drake Road and will be widened to two thru lanes with a two-way left-turn lane to its intersection with Taylor Road. The widened alignments will be approximately 0.65 miles and 0.85 miles, respectively. A separated sidewalk will be included as part of the project. We anticipate curb and gutter drainage will be used.

We anticipate up to six box culverts will be lengthened to accommodate widening this segment. We also anticipate four new roadway signal poles at the intersection with Terry Drake Road and two new roadway signal poles at the intersection with Taylor Road.

We understand that Federal MPO funds will be used for Segment II of the project and have provided our scope assuming that our reports will be reviewed by ALDOT.



SCOPE OF SERVICES

The purpose of our study is to explore the subsurface conditions and groundwater levels in order to provide recommendations for construction planning. To accomplish this objective, we have developed the following scope of services.

We will contact Alabama One Call prior to the performance of our field services. The utility location services will only mark registered public utility lines; therefore, we will need assistance in locating private lines or underground structures.

Field Activities

Existing Asphalt Assessment

GTEC proposes to perform a combination of falling weight deflectometer (FWD) testing and asphalt coring along the existing road of Segment II to assess the in place structural coefficient of the existing asphalt. FWD testing will be performed at 0.2-mile intervals along each lane of the roadway. At selected FWD test locations, GTEC will measure and collect asphalt cores (8 total) from the existing roadway to verify the results of FWD testing and measure the underlying base thickness to record the total thickness of the existing pavement. After removal of the existing asphalt and base, Dynamic Cone Penetrometer testing will be performed in accordance with ASTM D6951 on the exposed subgrade. Grab samples of the subgrade soils will be collected for visual and laboratory classification testing. Measurements and photos of the asphalt cores will be taken in our laboratory.

GTEC proposes to provide traffic control during FWD testing and asphalt coring. We will provide traffic control signage, cones, and flaggers.

GTEC will visually observe and record the existing pavement areas for pavement distress such as cracks, potholes, and oxidation. Photographic documentation of the distresses will also be performed during the visual survey.

Site Access and Soil Test Borings

GTEC will subcontract clearing services to clear vegetation to provide access paths to test locations. During site clearing, we will explore bedrock conditions with test pits where we observe rock outcrops at the surface. Soil sampling and strength testing will not be performed in the test pits, but we will keep a log of rock depths and slot depths.

Test locations will be marked using a hand-held GPS unit. If a topographic survey is provided, boring elevations can be estimated by interpolating between contour lines. If more accurate location and elevation are needed, we recommend our boring locations be surveyed.

GTEC proposes to explore the subsurface conditions with forty-five (45) soil test borings during this study. Each boring will be advanced to the proposed termination depth or refusal, whichever occurs first.



Location	Number of Borings	Proposed Depth (ft)
Signal Poles	6	30
Pavement	28	10
Culverts	11	15

If auger refusal is encountered in the signal pole borings before they meet the ALDOT minimum depth of 30 feet, ALDOT requires the borings to be advanced to 10 feet of competent rock (i.e. greater than 75 percent recovery) using NQ rock coring techniques. Based on the mapped depth of bedrock, there is small to moderate likelihood of auger refusal at the two intersections. For budgeting purposes, we have assumed auger refusals at one pole location per intersection. Standard penetration tests (SPT) in accordance with AASHTO T206 will be conducted in conjunction with the soil test borings. The SPT tests will be performed at 2-½ foot intervals in the upper 10 feet and at 5-foot intervals thereafter to boring termination or auger or SPT refusal. Pocket penetrometer readings may be taken on each sample and recorded on the Boring Log. Intact “Undisturbed” sampling will be performed in each signal pole boring. Upon completion, subsurface water will be measured and recorded in each borehole. Temporary standpipe piezometers will be installed in at least five (5) soil test borings, and the remaining boreholes will be backfilled with soil auger cuttings or grout in the boreholes extending to a depth greater than 25 feet.

A member of our staff will supervise the drilling activities and visually classify the soil samples in general accordance with ASTM D2488, the Standard Practice for Description and Identification (Visual-Manual Procedure) and AASHTO M145. Based on the anticipated conditions, we plan to perform the following laboratory tests on select samples:

- Natural Moisture Content (Soil), AASHTO T265
- Atterberg Limits, AASHTO T89 and T90
- Unconfined Compressive Strength of Soil, AASHTO T208
- Consolidation Testing, AASHTO T216
- Sieve Analysis, AASHTO T88
- Topsoil Testing, ASTM D5268 and ASTM D2974
- Resilient Modulus Testing, AASHTO T307

Engineering Evaluation and Report

After our analyses are complete, we will issue written reports in accordance with ALDOT Geotechnical Manual, including:

- Soil Survey Report
- Signal Pole Foundation Report
- Culvert Foundation Report



CLIENT RESPONSIBILITIES

To assist with fulfilling our proposed scope of services, GTEC requests the following:

- Plans and Specifications: GTEC has been provided a map of the proposed alignment. GTEC requests the client send current and updated drawings as the project progresses. Documents should include as much information as possible including, but not limited to, dimensions, site layout, survey data, structural loadings, and grading plans.
- Field Work Scheduling and Site Access: GTEC understands the client will notify property owners prior to mobilization. GTEC requests the client provide any special instructions for site access, such as gates, property owner coordination, clearing concerns, or any other site access concerns limiting GTEC personnel and subcontractors from accessing the site.
- Private Utilities: GTEC requests the client send current private site utility drawings or coordinate approval of proposed test locations with property owner prior to field work.

FEE AND SCHEDULE

At this time, we propose our services described for a lump sum fee of \$74,289.00. Services not included in the scope can be added at our prevailing unit rates. We will schedule field activities upon receipt of this contract authorized by signature below and provide the planned dates of services. Final reports will be issued within eight to ten weeks of authorization. This proposal is valid if accepted within 60 days of issuance.

Please note the costs of the asphalt assessment is included in the Segment I lump sum. We will need to revise the cost of Segment II if it is authorized without authorization of Segment I.



AUTHORIZATION

Should this proposal meet your objectives, please sign, date, and return. Signed authorization will constitute acceptance of the fee, schedule, and General Terms and Conditions, which are included with this proposal. Any modification to this proposal, the fee, schedule, or General Terms and Conditions must be accepted by both parties.

To Authorize this Proposal, please sign below:

_____ Printed Name/Title	_____ Company Name
_____ Signature	_____ Billing Address
_____ Date	_____ Accounts Payable Email Address

CLOSING REMARKS

We appreciate this opportunity to be of service and look forward to working with you on this project. If you have any questions regarding this proposal or would like to discuss the proposed scope and budget, please do not hesitate to contact GTEC.

Respectfully,
GTEC

Lori E. McCafferty
Lori E. McCafferty, P.E.
Staff Engineer

John W. Corbell
John W. Corbell, P.E.
Principal Engineer

Attachments: General Terms and Conditions

5/14/2026

Alabama Department of Transportation

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Project No. STPHV-4524 County Madison Description Old Big Cove Road Widening Segment II Scope of Work Geotechnical Engineering Study Project Length 1.45 Miles Consultant GTEC					
GEO STUDY	Engineer	Engineer, Tech.	Senior Eng.	Principal Engineer	Clerical
Task A: Field Exploration					
A-1 Prepare Geotechnical Exploration Plan	2.00	0.00	0.25	0.25	0.50
A-2 Soil Drilling	6.00	0.00	1.00	0.50	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
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Task A Totals	8.00	0.00	1.25	0.75	0.50
Task B: Signal Pole and Culvert Foundation Reports					
B-1 Soil Parameter Analysis	2.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
B-2 Log and Drawing Drafting	2.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00
B-3 Report Drafting	2.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
B-4 Report Review and Revisions	1.25	0.00	1.25	0.50	0.00
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
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	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Task B Totals	7.75	0.00	1.25	0.50	1.00
Task C: Materials Report					
C-1 Pavement Design	2.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	0.00
C-2 Log and Drawing Drafting	3.00	0.00	1.00	0.00	0.75
C-3 Report Drafting	1.00	0.00	0.50	0.00	0.00
C-4 Report Review and Revisions	0.50	0.00	1.50	0.50	0.00
Task C Totals	6.50	0.00	3.00	1.50	0.75
TOTALS	22.25	0.00	5.50	2.75	2.25

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Alabama Department of Transportation

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Project No. STPHV-4524			
County Madison			
Description Old Big Cove Road Widening Segment II			
Scope of Work Geotechnical Engineering Study			
Project Length 1.45 Miles			
Consultant GTEC			
Fee Proposal (Geo Study)			
PERSONNEL COST			
	Man-days	x Daily Rate	
Project Manager (10% of Eng. & Env.)	2.78	\$ 346.16	\$ 962.32
Engineer	22.25	\$ 231.04	\$ 5,140.64
Engineering Technician/CADD	0.00	\$ 136.00	\$ -
Senior Engineer	5.50	\$ 398.56	\$ 2,192.08
Principal Engineer	2.75	\$ 398.56	\$ 1,096.04
Clerical	2.25	\$ 156.00	\$ 351.00
Total Direct Labor			\$ 9,742.08
Combined Overhead (%)	139.92		\$ 13,631.12
Out-of-Pocket Expenses**			\$ 16,648.45
Sub-Total			\$ 40,021.65
Operating Margin (10%)			\$ 4,002.17
Sub-Total			\$ 44,023.82
SUB-CONSULTANTS (attach man-day & fee FROM each sub-consultant; show total fee for each here)			
Subcontract Drilling			\$ 21,435.00
Subconsultant Laboratory			\$ 1,300.00
Subcontract Site Clearing			\$ 6,000.00
			\$ -
			\$ -
			\$ -
Subconsultant Administration Expense (5%)			\$ 1,436.75
Sub-Total			\$ 74,195.57
Facilities Capital Cost of Money (% of Direct Labor)	0.96		\$ 93.52
TOTAL FEE			\$ 74,289.09

**See Grand Total Fee sheet

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Project No. <u>STPHV-4524</u> County <u>Madison</u> Description <u>Old Big Cove Road Widening Segment II</u> Scope of Work <u>Geotechnical Engineering Study</u> Project Length <u>1.45 Miles</u> Consultant <u>GTEC</u>					
Out-of-pocket Expenses (Geo Study)					
TRAVEL COST					
Mileage Cost	Trips	Miles/Trip	\$/Mile	Total	
Site Walk for Exploration Plan	3	30	\$0.585	\$ 52.65	
Drilling	6	30	\$0.585	\$ 105.30	
	0	0	\$0.585	\$ -	
	0	0	\$0.585	\$ -	
Total Mileage Cost				\$ 157.95	
Subsistence Cost	Days	# People	\$/Day	Total	
Travel allowance (6 hour trips)	0	0	\$11.25	\$ -	
Travel allowance (12 hour trips - meal provided by others)	0	0	\$20.00	\$ -	
Travel allowance (12 hour trips)	0	0	\$30.00	\$ -	
Travel allowance (overnight)***	0	0	\$75.00	\$ -	
				\$ -	
Total Subsistence Cost				\$ -	
Total Travel Cost				\$ 157.95	
PRINTING / REPRODUCTION COST					
Type of printing/reproduction	# of Sets	Sheets/Set	Total Sheets	Cost/Sheet	Total
	0	0	0	\$ -	\$ -
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	0	0	0	\$ -	\$ -
	0	0	0	\$ -	\$ -
Total Printing/Reproduction Cost					\$ -
Communication Cost (telephone, fax, etc.)					Total
					\$ -
Postage Cost (overnight, stamps, etc.)					Total
Sample Shipping					\$ 120.00
Other (provide description on next line)					Total
GTEC Laboratory Testing and Equipment					\$ 16,370.50
Total Out-of-pocket Expenses					\$ 16,648.45
Comments:					

***You must have ALDOT approval for ANY overnight trips of less than 100 miles.

ATTACHMENT 2 - ALABAMA IMMIGRATION ACT - REPORT OF OWNERSHIP FORM

CITY OF HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA REPORT OF OWNERSHIP FORM

A. General Information. Please provide the following information:

- Legal name(s) (include "doing business as", if applicable): Barge Design Solutions Inc.
- City of Huntsville current taxpayer identification number (if available): 62-0525827
(Please note that if this number has been assigned by the City and if you are renewing your business license, the number should be listed on the renewal form.)

B. Type of Ownership. Please complete the un-shaded portions of the following chart by checking the appropriate box below and entering the appropriate Entity I.D. Number, if applicable (for an explanation of what an entity number is, please see paragraph C below):

Type of Ownership (check appropriate box)	Entity I. D. Number & Applicable State
☐ Individual or Sole Proprietorship	Not Applicable
☐ General Partnership	Not Applicable
☐ Limited Partnership (LP)	Number & State:
☐ Limited Liability Partnership (LLP)	Number & State:
☐ Limited Liability Company (LLC) (Single Member)	Number & State:
☐ LLC (Multi-Member)	Number & State:
☒ Corporation	Number & State: 850-762 Tennessee
☐ Other, please explain:	Number & State (if a filing entity under state law):

C. Entity I.D. Numbers. If an Entity I.D. Number is required and if the business entity is registered in this state, the number is available through the website of Alabama's Secretary of State at: www.sos.state.al.us, under "Government Records". If a foreign entity is not registered in this state please provide the Entity I.D. number (or other similar number by whatever named called) assigned by the state of formation along with the name of the state.

D. Formation Documents. Please note that, with regard to entities, the entity's formation documents, including articles or certificates of incorporation, organization, or other applicable formation documents, as recorded in the probate records of the applicable county and state of formation, are not required unless: (1) specifically requested by the City, or (2) an Entity I.D. Number is required and one has not been assigned or provided.

Please date and sign this form in the space provided below and either write legibly or type your name under your signature. If you are signing on behalf of an entity please insert your title as well.

Signature: Michelle H. Gwin Title (if applicable): Office Administrator
Type or legibly write name: Michelle H. Gwin Date: May 14, 2018

ATTACHMENT 3
CITY OF HUNTSVILLE STANDARDS AND DESIGN GUIDES

1. City of Huntsville Standard Specifications for Construction of Public Improvements. Contract Projects, 1991.
2. City of Huntsville Engineering Standards, 1991.
3. City of Huntsville Design and Acceptance Manual for Force Mains and Pump Stations, 2011.
4. City of Huntsville Design and Acceptance Manual for Sanitary Sewers, 2011.
5. Alabama Department of Transportation Standard Specifications for Highway Construction, Current Edition.
6. City of Huntsville Subdivision Regulations, 1991.

ATTACHMENT 4 **DESIGN REVIEWS**

0% COMPLETE – PRE-DESIGN CONFERENCE

The ENGINEER shall meet with the OWNER at a 0% complete - Pre-Design Conference. The OWNER's representative (Project Engineer) will be introduced.

CONFERENCE FORMAT

The pre-design meeting will be initiated by the OWNER. The purpose of the conference will be to give the ENGINEER an opportunity to discuss the design of the PROJECT, to visit the PROJECT site, to receive copies of OWNER -furnished documents, if applicable, and to meet the OWNER'S Project Engineer and other personnel working on the PROJECT.

ATTENDEES: (Required)

- ENGINEER
- LANDSCAPE Management
- ALDOT (as appropriate for the type of project)
- Utilities
- Real Estate
- Traffic Engineering
- Planning

DISCUSSION TOPICS :

- Authority of OWNERS representative (Written submittal made to the ENGINEER)
- Tree Ordinance
- Scope of Work
- Time Requirements
- Budget Restraints
- Testing Requirements
- Permit Responsibilities
- Design criteria
- LC&E requirements
- Plan Requirements
- Special Conditions
- Utility Project Notification and a list of all utilities that need to be contacted.

REQUIRED SUBMITTALS TO THE PROJECT ENGINEER

1. A Certificate of Insurance for the ENGINEER and the ENGINEER's sub-consultants shall be submitted to the OWNER's PROJECT ENGINEER per Section 10.6.
2. Prior to the Pre-Design Conference, a completed **draft** design criteria document shall be prepared to the best of the ENGINEER'S ability and in conformance with his fee proposal and will serve as the basis of a discussion topic during the Pre-Design Conference. A **final** version of the design criteria based upon discussion during the meeting shall be prepared by the ENGINEER and distributed with the meeting minutes. A copy of a design criteria format may be found on the City of Huntsville web site at <http://www.huntsvilleal.gov/engineering/index.php>.
3. Within seven (7) calendar days of the 0% Complete - Pre-Design Conference, the ENGINEER shall submit to the OWNER's Project Engineer two color copies and an electronic copy of a schedule in Microsoft Projects format showing the critical path and indicating the time frame for the required milestone events and submittals outlined in this document. The schedule shall support a PROJECT completion date in accordance with the Period of Services in Article 6. When approved, a baseline of the schedule shall be saved from which variances in the schedule can be measured and evaluated.

ATTACHMENT 4 **DESIGN REVIEWS**

30% COMPLETE – CONCEPTUAL DESIGN

This design review is to show the OWNER how the functional and technical requirements will be met, to indicate the ENGINEER's approach to the solution of technical problems, to show compliance with design criteria or to justify noncompliance and to provide an estimate of probable cost. A field review shall be conducted at this juncture with the OWNER's staff and the ENGINEER to review the proposed field alignment of the PROJECT.

CONFERENCE FORMAT

ATTENDEES: (Required)

- Real Estate
- Landscape Management
- Utilities
- Traffic Engineering
- Planning
- City of Huntsville Construction Project Manager
- City of Huntsville Inspector
- City of Huntsville Environmental Representative

DISCUSSION TOPICS:

- ENGINEER presents recommended design/solutions along with other options and alternatives considered.
- ENGINEER presents updates on progress of permitting requirements
- ENGINEER presents progress on coordination with other project participants such as the State of Alabama, sub consultants, etc.
- ENGINEER presents budgetary constraints

REQUIRED SUBMITTALS TO THE PROJECT ENGINEER

1. A preliminary list of all permits to be obtained with associated fees.
2. An updated schedule in Microsoft Projects format showing the critical path shall be submitted.
3. Two color copies and an electronic copy of an updated schedule in Microsoft Projects format showing the critical path shall be submitted.
4. One (1) complete set of all approved permits including Location, Character, and Extent.

ATTACHMENT 4 **DESIGN REVIEWS**

60% COMPLETE – PRELIMINARY DESIGN CRITERIA

The review of the PROJECT at this point is primarily to insure that funding limitations are not being exceeded and to insure that the contract documents, design analysis and cost estimates are proceeding in a timely manner, and that the design criteria and previous review comments are being correctly interpreted. An additional review may be required by the OWNER to review changes proposed from previous submittals.

CONFERENCE FORMAT

ATTENDEES: (Required)

- Real Estate
- Landscape Management
- Utilities
- Traffic Engineering
- Planning
- City of Huntsville Construction Project Manager
- City of Huntsville Inspector
- City of Huntsville Environmental Representative

DISCUSSION TOPICS:

- Additional land acquisition needs, as required.
- Utility Project Notification and a list of all utilities that need to be contacted.
- Technical specifications for special construction items not covered under standard specifications or deviations from standard specifications.
- Update on progress of permitting requirements.
- Erosion control plan requirements, if required by the OWNER.
- Budget constraints.
- Progress on coordination with other project participants such as the City of Huntsville Real Estate Officer (Engineering Department), State of Alabama, sub consultants, etc.

REQUIRED SUBMITTALS TO THE PROJECT ENGINEER

1. One full size print copy and one ½ size print copy of all drawings that have incorporated previous comments shall be submitted. Plan/Profile drawings shall be 75% complete. Right-of way drawings shall be 100% complete at this submittal (reference Real Estate Division Plan Requirements Section entitled DRAWINGS, included at the end of this proposal)
2. An update to the schedule in Microsoft Projects format showing the critical path shall be submitted.
3. Unless determined to be inapplicable by the OWNER, Hydraulic reports 75% complete, shall be submitted.
4. Three (3) copies of preliminary plans for utilities shall be submitted.
5. Legal descriptions for takings shall be submitted. The information shall be 100% complete. (reference Real Estate Division Plan Requirements Section entitled DESCRIPTIONS, included at the end of this proposal)
6. Traffic Control Plan, if required. Plan shall be 60% complete at this submittal.
7. Detailed preliminary construction cost estimate shall be submitted.
8. Results of geotechnical investigations shall be submitted.
9. A list of comments made at the 30% review and a summary of each resolution.
10. Two color copies and an electronic copy of an update to the schedule in Microsoft Projects format showing the critical path shall be submitted.

ATTACHMENT 4 **DESIGN REVIEWS**

90% COMPLETE – FINAL REVIEW

The review of this submittal is to ensure that the design is in accordance with directions provided the ENGINEER during the design process.

CONFERENCE FORMAT

DISCUSSION TOPICS

Discussion topics will be handled open forum.

REQUIRED SUBMITTALS TO THE PROJECT ENGINEER

1. One full size print copy and one ½ size print copy of all drawings that have incorporated previous comments shall be submitted. Submittals include Plan/Profile drawings, Construction Details, Detailed cross-sections with cut and fill quantities and storm and sanitary sewer crossings, Erosion control plan, if required, Technical specifications, Right-of way drawings, Traffic Control Plan, Plans for Utilities, Signed Acceptance of Utility Project Notification Form by all affected parties, Design Calculations, and a final cost estimate. All submittals shall be 100% complete.
2. Any changes to Land Acquisition needs shall be identified and Legal descriptions for the changes shall be submitted.
3. A list of comments made at the 60% review and a summary of each resolution.
4. Calculations showing how quantities were determined for each bid item and how the item is to be measured in the field and paid. Three bound copies of corrected quantity calculations to match bid quantities. The following shall be required for each item:
 - Item Number
 - Item Description with standard specification used
 - Detailed calculation to include all measurements, conversion factors, and “standard” weights used
 - Final “calculated” amount and any “increased” amounts
 - Notes to include any deviation from referenced standard specifications

ATTACHMENT 4
DESIGN REVIEWS

100% COMPLETE – READY TO ADVERTISE

After the 90% review, the ENGINEER shall revise the construction documents by incorporating any comments generated during the previous design reviews. The ENGINEER shall prepare final hard copy contract specifications, prepare a bid form, and update the cost estimate as necessary.

ATTACHMENT 5
ENGINEER PERSONNEL FEE SCHEDULE
(ARTICLE 7.1)

PLEASE REFERENCE PAGE 13 OF ATTACHMENT 1

ATTACHMENT 6 - PROGRESS REPORT
(Article 8)

PROGRESS REPORT NO. _____ FOR MONTH AND YEAR _____

PROJECT _____ PROJECT NO. _____

DATE _____ CITY'S PROJECT ENGINEER _____

CONSULTANT _____ CONSULTANT'S PROJ. MAN. _____

CURRENT MONTH % COMPLETE: _____ PREV. MONTH % COMPLETE: _____

ATTACH A "SHOULD HAVE STARTED TASKS REPORT" AND A "SLIPPING TASKS REPORT" FROM MICROSOFT PROJECTS THAT LISTS ALL ACTIVITY THAT IS BEHIND SCHEDULE.

ATTACH A "TASKS STARTING SOON" REPORT FROM MICROSOFT PROJECTS WITH A DATE RANGE OF THIRTY (30) DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF THIS PROGRESS REPORT.

STATE WHAT ACTION IS BEING TAKEN TO BRING PROJECT BACK TO SCHEDULE:

MILESTONE SUBMITTALS	SCHEDULED DATE	ACTUAL DATE
30%	_____	_____
60%	_____	_____
90%	_____	_____
100%	_____	_____
"FINAL" INVOICE SUBMITTED	_____	_____
SUBCONSULTANTS PAID IN FULL	_____	_____
CONTRACTED COMPLETION DATE: July 10, 2028	_____	_____

(These scheduled dates shall be agreed upon at the beginning of the project (Attachment 4) with the Project Engineer and noted monthly on each progress report. The scheduled contract completion date shall not be changed except by contract change order. Changes to the scheduled milestone submittal dates shall be accompanied by a new project schedule approved by the OWNER'S Project Engineer.)

UPDATED SCHEDULE ATTACHED? _____ YES _____ NO

*If yes, send an electronic copy to the Project engineer

COMMENTS:

This progress report (4 copies) shall be submitted monthly. Scheduled completion dates will not be extended without a contract modification.

CERTIFICATION: I certify that the stated information is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

CONSULTANT DATE

CITY PROJECT ENGINEER DATE

ATTACHMENT 7 - SUB CONSULTANTS ENGAGED BY THE ENGINEER
(Article 9.2)

CONSULTANT NAME AND ADDRESS	DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES	FEE
Copperhead Environmental Consulting P.O. Box 73 471 Main Street Paint Lick, KY 40461	Listed bat presence/probable absence mist-net survey	\$23,000.00
TerraXplorations, Inc. 3120 University Blvd. E Tuscaloosa, AL 35404	Phase 1 Cultural Resources Survey	\$17,609.60
SAIN Associates, Inc. 5021 Technology Drive, NW Suite B2 Huntsville, AL 35805	Land Surveying Services	\$162,433.00
Marr Traffic Data Collection 41 Peabody Street Nashville, TN 37210	Traffic Counts	\$3,120.00
GTEC, Inc. 4890 University Square Suite 2 Huntsville, AL 35816	Geotechnical Engineering Study	\$74,289.00
ECS Southeast, LLC 724 Lakeside Drive Mobile, AL 36693	QL-B Subsurface Utility Engineering Services	\$35,000.00
	SUB-TOTAL	\$315,451.60
	5% Administrative Fee	\$15,772.58
	TOTAL	\$331,224.18

ATTACHMENT 8 - CONTRACT DOCUMENT REQUIREMENTS LIST

REQUIREMENT	SUBMIT TO	SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENT DATE	NUMBER OF COPIES	REFERENCE SECTION OF CONTRACT AND COMMENTS
Deviations from OWNER's standards.	OWNER	Prior to incorporating deviations.	2	Article 2.5
Products or materials specified by the ENGINEER that are available from only one source.	OWNER	Prior to 100% submittal.	2	Article 2.2
ADA grades, elevations and layout	OWNER	90% review, 100% complete	2	Article 2.6
Approval of ENGINEER's Request for Payment.	OWNER	Within ten (10) days of receipt of the request from the ENGINEER.	N/A	Article 3.4
Approval of ENGINEER submittals	OWNER	So as to cause no delay to the ENGINEER or the PROJECT.	N/A	Article 3.8
Change order changes that reduce construction requirements.	OWNER	Prior to authorizing a change.	N/A	Article 3.11
Any information pertaining to any claim.	OWNER	Immediately	2	Article 3.12
Information pertinent to the PROJECT, all criteria and full information as to OWNER's requirements, copies of all design and construction standards.	ENGINEER	So as to not delay the services of the ENGINEER.	2	Article 5.1, 5.2
Notification of delays.	ENGINEER; OWNER	Promptly	4	Article 6.1
ENGINEER's monthly invoices.	OWNER	Monthly	4	Article 8.1.1
Consultant progress report.	OWNER	Monthly	4	Article 8.1.1
Records, data, parameters, design calculations and other information.	OWNER	Cancellation of contract.	2	Article 9.7
Documentation, records of reimbursable expenses, record copies of all written communications, and any memoranda of verbal communications related to the PROJECT.	OWNER	Upon notice from the OWNER.	2	Article 9.4
Termination notification.	OWNER or ENGINEER	7 days prior to termination.	2	Article 9.10 & 9.11
Certificate of Insurance for ENGINEER.	OWNER	At 0% design conference	1	Article 10.2(B), 10.6, and Attachment 4.

Insurance cancellation, suspension, or reduction in coverage or limits.	OWNER	30 days prior to effective date except for cancellation which is 10 days notification.	1	Article 10.4(A)
Certificate of insurance for sub consultants/subcontractors.	OWNER	At 0% design conference.	1	Article 10.7
A schedule in Microsoft Projects format showing the critical path.	Project Engineer	Within 7 calendar days of Pre-design conference, 30% complete design review. 60% design review. Attachment 6	1 hard; 1 digital	Attachment 4
Drawings.	Project Engineer	30% complete design review, 60% design review, 90% review, and 100% complete.	3	Attachment 4
Cost estimate.	Project Engineer	30% complete design review, 60% review, 90% review, and 100% complete.	3	Attachment 4
Hydraulic reports.	Project Engineer	60% design review.	2	Attachment 4
Preliminary plans for utilities.	Project Engineer	60% design review.	3	Attachment 4
Real Estate Deliverables	Project Engineer	60% design review, 90% review, 100% complete.	Reference Real Estate Division Plan Requirements	Attachment 4, 14 Real Estate Plan Requirements at end of this proposal document
Traffic Control plan.	Project Engineer	60% design review.	N/A	Attachment 4
Results of geotechnical investigations.	Project Engineer	30% design review.	2	Attachment 4
Technical specifications.	Project Engineer	90% review, 100% complete.	N/A	Attachment 4
Relocation of Utilities	Project Engineer	0% review – list of all utilities that need to be contacted 60% review – from all affected parties 90% review – Signed Acceptance Utility Project Notification Form	2	Attachment 4, 10
Design Calculations	Project Engineer	90% review, 100% complete	1	Attachment 4
Digital copy of drawings.	Project Engineer	100% complete – 1 in .dgn format; 1 in .tiff or .pdf format	2	Attachment 4
Digital text files.	Project Engineer	100% complete.	1	Attachment 4
Bid Quantities.	Project Engineer	100% complete. Digital in Excel 2003 format and hard copy	3	Attachment 4
Permits and Permit Applications	Project Engineer	100% complete.	1	Attachment 4
Field notes.	Project Engineer	100% complete.	1	Attachment 4
Digital aerial photography.	Project Engineer	100% complete.	1	Attachment 4

Progress Report (Art. 8)	Project Engineer	30% complete design review, 60% design review, 90% design review, 100% completion stage.	4 hard; 1 digital monthly	Attachment 4
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ATTACHMENT 9 - REQUIREMENTS FOR DOCUMENT SUBMITTALS

DRAWINGS

All drawings shall be sized 24" x 36", unless otherwise approved by the OWNERS Project Engineer.

Title blocks shall as a minimum, contain the name of the project, date, city project number, and ENGINEER's name. The title block of drawings shall contain a space for the names of the preparer and the reviewer and/or checker. These blocks shall be signed on each submittal (See Attachment "11" for sample standard drawing format). Drawings shall contain alphanumeric revision designations. Drawings issued for review shall be issued with alpha revision designation and the revision letter shall be changed for each submittal containing drawing changes. Drawings issued for construction shall be issued with numeric designation at revision level "0" and described as "Issued for Construction" in the revision description block. Subsequent drawing changes require the revision level to be raised using successively higher numbers and the changes to be marked by circling and briefly described in a revision block.

All drawings shall be prepared in Micro station .DGN format, unless otherwise approved by the OWNERS Project Engineer. Transmittal letters shall consist of a list of files being submitted, a description of the data in each file, and a level/layer schematic of each design file. DGN design files shall have working units as follows: master units in US Survey feet, no sub-units, and 1,000 positional units. All data submitted shall use NAD83(2011) datum for horizontal control and NAVD88 (based upon latest Geoid) for vertical control. Since these surveys originate and terminate at points with datum adjusted Alabama State Plane Coordinates, all computed coordinates shall be datum adjusted NAD83(2011) Alabama State Plane Coordinates, U.S. Survey Foot, East Zone.

Unless otherwise specified by the Owners Project Engineer, all drawings for review submittals shall be full or half-size copies. All documents shall be clearly marked in a revision block indicating the applicable submittal milestone, i.e. 30%, 60%, 90%, etc.

OTHER DOCUMENTS

Submittals required by the State of Alabama for their review, bidding, etc., shall be of the size, form and numbers of copies as the state may require even though such submittals may differ from the submittals set forth as being required elsewhere in this Agreement.

Digital files shall be submitted by 4-3/4" CD ROM, DVD, 3 and 1/2 inch floppy disk, flash drive, or to the City of Huntsville F.T.P. site.

All print copies shall be first generation copies.

All text documents shall be prepared in Microsoft Word 2010 format.

All spreadsheets shall be in Microsoft Excel 2010 format.

All PDF files shall be searchable.

Schedules shall be in Microsoft Projects format, unless otherwise approved by the OWNERS Project Engineer.

Aerial photography files shall be in Intergraph (.COT) or (.tiff) format.

All mapping shall meet National Map Accuracy Standards unless otherwise noted. If National Map Accuracy Standards are not met, the accuracy of the map shall be identified to the Owners Project Engineer and on the maps derived from the aerial survey. National Map Accuracy Standards are shown below. This and other map standards are shown in Department of the Army, US Army Corps of Engineers standard, "EM 1110-1-1000, Engineering and Design - Photogrammetric Mapping."

All final drawings, specifications, plans, calculations, letters containing Engineering or Surveying recommendations or other Engineering or Land Surveying papers or documents involving the practice of engineering or land surveying as defined by Code of Alabama, Title 34, Chapter 11 shall be sealed, dated, and bear the signature of the person who prepared or approved them.

Working drawings or other documents shall contain a statement to the effect "Preliminary-Not for construction, recording purposes or implementation."

ATTACHMENT 10 – UTILITY PROJECT NOTIFICATION FORM

NAME: _____
(Utility Name)

PROJECT NAME: _____ PROJECT NUMBER: _____

CONSULTING ENGINEER: _____
(Name)

ENGINEERING REPRESENTATIVE _____ PHONE: _____

I have reviewed design drawings or other information as available, and:

DO _____

DO NOT _____

have facilities that will require relocation. If relocation is required, a construction duration of _____ calendar days from the Notice to Proceed, is anticipated to be required for relocation.

LIST NAME(S) OF OTHER UTILITY(S) that share poles or facilities that have to be relocated prior to YOU starting your work:

NAME OF UTILITY: _____

NAME OF UTILITY: _____

NAME OF UTILITY: _____

OTHER: _____

COMMENTS: _____

BY: _____
AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

FIELD CONTACT PERSON: _____ PHONE: _____
OFFICE CONTACT PERSON: _____ PHONE: _____

DATE: _____

PROJECT NAME AND INFORMATION		TITLE SHEET	
CITY OF HUNTSVILLE HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA (PROJECT NO. XXXXXXXX)		CITY OF HUNTSVILLE HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA PROJECT NAME AND INFORMATION	

CONSTRUCTION PLANS FOR
PROJECT NAME
PROJECT INFORMATION

FOR THE

CITY OF HUNTSVILLE
HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA
(PROJECT NO. XXXXXXXX)

INDEX OF DRAWINGS

SHEET NO.

TITLE

INDEX TO DRAWINGS SHALL BE PLACED ON
COVER SHEET IF POSSIBLE, OTHERWISE IT SHALL
BE THE SECOND SHEET IN THE SET.

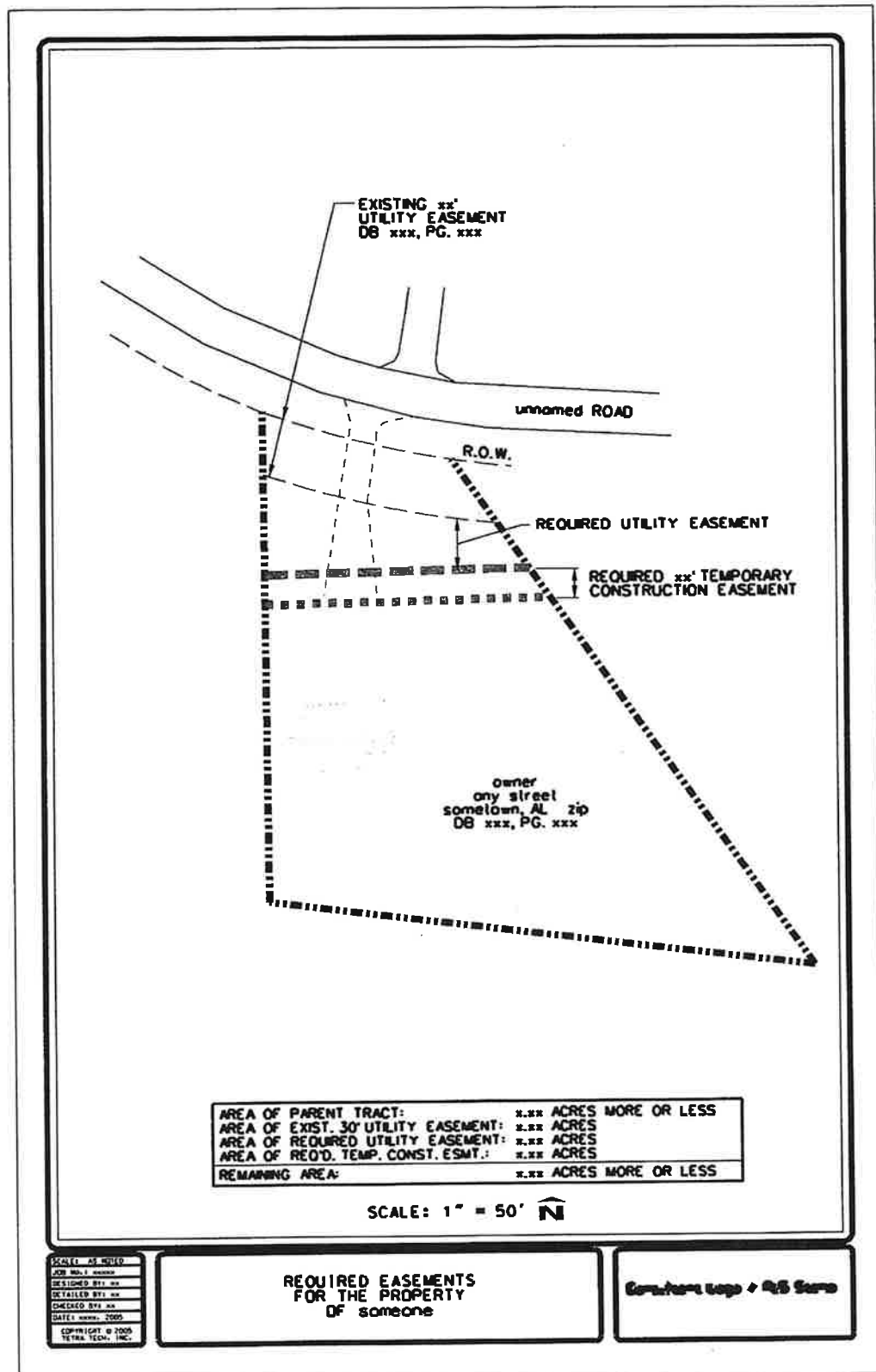
SAMPLE STANDARD DRAWING FORMAT

HUNTSVILLE
The Star of Alabama

LOCATION
DATE

PROJECT
LOCATION

ATTACHMENT 12
SAMPLE



ATTACHMENT 13

United States National Map Accuracy Standards

With a view to the utmost economy and expedition in producing maps which fulfill not only the broad needs for standard or principal maps, but also the reasonable particular needs of individual agencies, standards of accuracy for published maps are defined as follows:

1. **Horizontal accuracy.** *For maps on publication scales larger than 1:20,000, not more than 10 percent of the points tested shall be in error by more than 1/30 inch, measured on the publication scale; for maps on publication scales of 1:20,000 or smaller, 1/50 inch. These limits of accuracy shall apply in all cases to positions of well-defined points only. Well-defined points are those that are easily visible or recoverable on the ground, such as the following: monuments or markers, such as bench marks, property boundary monuments; intersections of roads, railroads, etc.; corners of large buildings or structures (or center points of small buildings); etc. In general what is well defined will be determined by what is plottable on the scale of the map within 1/100 inch. Thus while the intersection of two road or property lines meeting at right angles would come within a sensible interpretation, identification of the intersection of such lines meeting at an acute angle would obviously not be practicable within 1/100 inch. Similarly, features not identifiable upon the ground within close limits are not to be considered as test points within the limits quoted, even though their positions may be scaled closely upon the map. In this class would come timber lines, soil boundaries, etc.*
2. **Vertical accuracy,** *as applied to contour maps on all publication scales, shall be such that not more than 10 percent of the elevations tested shall be in error more than one-half the contour interval. In checking elevations taken from the map, the apparent vertical error may be decreased by assuming a horizontal displacement within the permissible horizontal error for a map of that scale.*
3. **The accuracy of any map may be tested** *by comparing the positions of points whose locations or elevations are shown upon it with corresponding positions as determined by surveys of a higher accuracy. Tests shall be made by the producing agency, which shall also determine which of its maps are to be tested, and the extent of the testing.*
4. **Published maps meeting these accuracy requirements** *shall note this fact on their legends, as follows: "This map complies with National Map accuracy Standards."*
5. **Published maps whose errors exceed those aforesaid** *shall omit from their legends all mention of standard accuracy.*
6. **When a published map is a considerable enlargement** *of a map drawing (manuscript) or of a published map, that fact shall be stated in the legend. For example, "This map is an enlargement of a 1:20,000-scale map drawing," or "This map is an enlargement of a 1:24,000-scale published map."*
7. **To facilitate ready interchange and use of basic information for map construction** *among all Federal mapmaking agencies, manuscript maps and published maps, wherever economically feasible and consistent with the uses to which the map is to be put, shall conform to latitude and longitude boundaries, being 15 minutes of latitude and longitude, or 7.5 minutes, or 3-3/4 minutes in size.*

U.S. BUREAU OF THE BUDGET

ATTACHMENT 14

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT - REAL ESTATE DIVISION PLAN REQUIREMENTS

DRAWINGS:

Individual Parcels

- Each individual parcel 8 ½" x 14" (dgn or dxf format)
- Show Calculations
 - Before
 - After
 - Taking
- **All Parcels shall be closed shapes (polygons).**
- Show Existing and Proposed Right-of-Way on each individual parcel map.
- Property Ownership

Overall Project Land Acquisition Maps

- Total project drawing in dgn or dxf format
- Indicate the following:
 - Stationing on Centerline
 - Existing Right-of-Way
 - Proposed Right-of-Way
 - Existing Easements
 - Proposed Easements
 - Existing Pavement
 - Proposed Pavement/Sidewalks/Structures
 - Existing Structures
 - Property Ownership

Color Standards (SAMPLE)

<u>Description</u>	<u>Color</u>	<u>Line Style</u>	<u>Type</u>
Existing ROW	Red	Medium Dashed	
Proposed ROW	Red	Solid	Closed Polygon
Existing Easements	Orange	Medium Dashed	
Proposed Easements	Orange	Solid	Closed Polygon
TCE	Pink	Solid	Closed Polygon

DESCRIPTIONS:

- Microsoft Word on 3.5" Diskette or CD
- Each Description shall be complete and independent (separate file).
- Hard Copies signed and stamped by PLS.

GENERAL:

- P.K. Nails or other permanent stationing markings shall be required.
- Re-staking of right-of-way or easements may be required (See Article 4).
- All survey plats to be on Alabama State Plane Datum. Strip Maps shall indicate at least 2 monuments in place with Alabama State Plane Coordinate values shown on each.
- Parcel plats and legal descriptions shall indicate the Alabama State Plane Coordinate NAD83 Alabama East Zone Value of the point of beginning.

ATTACHMENT 15 - GIS BASE MAP

DESIGN LEVEL	CONTENTS	LINE CODE	COLOR	WEIGHT	TEXT SIZE	FONT	CELL NAME
1	State Plane Coordinate Grid	0	0	0	20	0	
2	Benchmarks	0	0	0			
3	Private Street Text	0	105	0	20	0	
3	Street Text	0	3	0	20 (or 18)	0	
4	Street R/W	7	0	0			
5	Street Centerline	7	0	0			
6	Street Pavement	0	3	0			
6	Proposed Street Pavement	3	16	0			
6	Private Streets	0	105	0			
6	Proposed Private Road	3	105	0			
7	Parking Lots	1	3	1			
7	Private Lots used as Roads	1	105	1			
8	Secondary Roads--Private	2	105	0			
8	Secondary Roads	2	3	0			
8	Trails	3	3	0			
9	Secondary Roads/Trails Text	0	3	0	20	0	
10	Sidewalks	5	3	0			
11	Bridges/Culverts/Paved Ditches	0	0	0			
12	Hydrology - Major	6	1	0			
12	Hydrology - Minor, Ditches	7	1	0			
13	Hydrology - Text	0	1	0	25	23	
14	Tailings & Quarries, Athletic Fields/Text, misc. areas	0	1	0			
15	Greenways	3	48	0			
16	Speed Tables	0	3	0			TCALM
17	Railroad Tracks (Patterned)	0	2	0			RR
18	Railroad Text	0	2	0	25	0	
19	Railroad R/W	2	2	0			
20	Utility Poles (Cell)	0	5	0			P POLE
21	Utility Easements	3	5	0			
22	Utility Text	0	5	1			
23	Geographic Names	0	3	1			
24	Building Structures	0	0	0			
24	Pools and Text	0	1	0	10	1	
24	Future Site of Structures	2	0	0			STRUCT
24	Existing Structures (exact location and shape unknown)	2	0	0			STRCEX
25	Property Lines/ refuge bdy.	6	6	1	30	1	
26	Cadastral Polygons	6	6	0			
27	Ownership Text	0	6	1			
28	Cemeteries/Text	4	6	0	10	1	
29	Lot Numbers				25	0	
30	Block Numbers				30	0	
31	Addition Names	0	0	0	35	0	
32	Open						
33	Lot Ticks						
34	Lot Lines/Property Lines	6	6	0			
35	Trees/Hedge Rows	0	6	0	AS=1		TREES
36	GPS Monuments	0	5	0	18	23	CONTRL

37	2' Topo Contour						
38	5' Topo Contour	0	7	0			
39	25' Major Topo Contour	0	7	0			
40	X Spot Elevation	0	7	0			
41	FEMA Monuments/Labels	0	3/0	0	18	1	FEMA
42	Quarter Sections						
43	Section Lines	0	5	0			
44	Features	0	2	0			
44	Cell Towers	0	12	0	AS=1		CELTWR
45	Fences (Pattern)	0	8	0	AS=1		FENCE
46	Format/Legend	0	0	0			Limleg Madleg
47	Mass Points	0	7	2			
48	Break Lines	0	7	2			
49	Open						
50	Billboards	0	37	1			BBOARD
51	Sanitary Sewer	0		3			
52	Sanitary Sewer Text						
53	Storm Water Features	0		3			
54	Storm Water Text						
55	Open						
56	Property Address	0	1	0			
57	Text Tag for Buildings	0	1	0	10-20	1	
58	One Way Arrows	1	3	1			
59	Open						
60	Open						
61	Open						
62	Monuments for Setup (point cell)						
63	Open						

ATTACHMENT 16 – REQUIRED DELIVERABLES

Checklist must be submitted at 100% review and with final invoice.

This is a submittal only. **Return this sheet with submittal**

<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>	REQUIRED SUBMITTALS TO THE PROJECT ENGINEER
☐	☐	1. Two (2) sets of complete construction drawing prints sized 24" x 36" sealed and marked "ISSUED FOR CONSTRUCTION". Drawings information shall be referenced to Alabama State Plane Coordinate system, NAD1983 Alabama East Zone as described in the <u>Code of Alabama</u> (1975), Section 35-2-1. Surveys shall be tied to a minimum of two accepted GPS monuments or one GPS tie point plus an astronomic observation to determine grid north or GPS Survey.
☐	☐	2. One (1) Micro station digital and One (1) digital file in either .tiff or .pdf format of construction drawings (must be signed and sealed) – sized 11" x 17".
☐	☐	3. Two (2) sets of right-of-way drawing prints sized 24" x 36" sealed and marked "ISSUED FOR CONSTRUCTION". Drawings information shall be referenced to Alabama State Plane Coordinate system. NAD1983 Alabama East Zone
☐	☐	4. One (1) Micro station digital file of right-of-way drawings.
☐	☐	5. Two (2) print sets of 8-1/2" x 11" legal descriptions for right-of-way (REVISED SETS ONLY)
☐	☐	6. One (1) digital text file of legal descriptions for right-of-way (REVISED FILE ONLY)
☐	☐	7. One (1) print copy of Final Construction Cost Estimate.
☐	☐	8. One (1) digital spread sheet file of Final Construction Cost Estimate.
☐	☐	9. Three (3) printed and bound copies of corrected quantity calculations to match Final Bid Quantities.
☐	☐	10. One (1) digital spread sheet file (Excel 2003 format) of Final Bid Quantities.
☐	☐	11. Two (2) print sets of contract specifications.
☐	☐	12. One (1) digital text file of contract specifications.
☐	☐	13. One (1) complete set of signed and sealed calculations.
☐	☐	14. One (1) complete set of permits for COH signature and Engineer's submittal to include but not limited to USACE, ADEM NPDES NOI, ETC. This package will also include CBMPP, ALDOT Maintenance, ROW and utility permit Applications for ALDOT Funded Projects as required.
☐	☐	15. One (1) complete set of all field notes.
☐	☐	16. One (1) copy of digital aerial photography obtained for this PROJECT in (.tif) format, as necessary.
☐	☐	17. Utility Project Notification forms and a list of all utilities that need to be contacted.

_____ Engineer