#### PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Date: April 27, 2021 9:01 a.m.

Place: Commissioners Room, Courthouse, Caledonia, MN

\*Virtual meeting held due to Peacetime Emergency Declaration in response to COVID-19 Pandemic.

Members Present via Computer:

Dewey Severson, Eric Johnson, Robert Burns, Teresa Walter, and Greg Myhre

Others Present via Computer/Phone:

Auditor/Treasurer Donna Trehus, Reporter Craig Moorhead, Reporter Charlene Selbee, Finance Director Carol Lapham, Human Resources Director Theresa Arrick-Kruger, Public Health and Human Services Director John Pugleasa, Public Health Supervisor Heather Myhre, Environmental Services Director Aaron Lacher, Recorder Susan Schwebach, Board Clerk/Houston County EDA Director Allison Wagner, Environmental Specialist Amelia Meiners, County Engineer Brian Pogodzinski, IT Director Andrew Milde, Executive Director SELCO Krista Ross, La Crescent Librarian Kayce Gentry, Houston Librarian Liz Gibson, Spring Grove Librarian Dawn Johnson, Caledonia Librarian Stephanie Eggert, Hokah Librarian Kristen Plummer, Helen Olson, Michelle Schulte

Presiding: Chairperson Burns

Call to order.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion was made by Commissioner Severson, seconded by Commissioner Myhre, motion unanimously carried to approve the agenda.

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Motion was made by Commissioner Johnson, seconded by Commissioner Walter, motion unanimously carried to approve the board meeting minutes from April 13, 2021.

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Motion was made by Commissioner Walter, seconded by Commissioner Severson, motion unanimously carried to approve the board workgroup session minutes from April 20, 2021.

Dist. 1:	Yes	Dist. 2:	Yes	Dist. 3:	Yes	Dist. 4:	Yes	Dist. 5:	Yes	

Public Comment: No public comments were made.

Public Health and Human Services Director Pugleasa and Public Health Supervisor Myhre provided an update on the COVID-19 pandemic and response from Public Health and Human Services. They shared that there had been an increase in cases in Houston County in the past week. The cases had been seen in middle and high school students who were not yet eligible to be vaccinated. Pugleasa shared that they were starting to see vaccination saturation meaning that there were now multiple options for residents to get vaccinated. He shared that Houston County vaccination clinics were not always filling to capacity indicating that those who wished to receive the vaccination had already done so.

At 9:15 a.m. the Houston County Librarians along with SELCO gave a library presentation to the board. The presentation included 2020 library statistics. While overall circulation had been down in 2020 due to COVID-19 things like live virtual programing and other virtual library services had seen an increase in participation. The librarians asked for a \$40,000 increase in funding overall from Houston County. If the libraries received the increase they would disburse it to each local library and use it to pay staff. Each city levy in Houston County includes funding for each local library while the County also has a separate library levy. The County's levy is for the rural residents of Houston County who do not reside in a city. Librarians noted that there was a gap between the dollar amount per capita that cities contributed in comparison to the County contribution. Cities in Houston County were paying more per person than the County.

At 10:00 a.m. a public hearing was held to discuss Houston County Ordinance No. 9-Park Rules and Regulations Wildcat Park. The board discussed with members of the public changes to the Seasonal Site Policy, and the number of seasonal campsites. There would be 35 seasonal sites with the proposed changes. The proposed changes would allow applicants to trade, swap or switch seasonal sites with another applicant within two weeks of the Lottery without prior approval of the Parks Committee. A form would need to be provided to the Park Manager with notification of the site swap and would need to be signed by both parties.

#### **CONSENT AGENDA**

Commissioner Myhre moved, Commissioner Johnson seconded, motion unanimously carried to approve the consent agenda except for Item No. 5, 9, and 10. Those items would be moved to action items. Items approved are listed below.

- 1) Approval of agreement for the management and operations of Wildcat Park for the 2021 camping season. (Trehus)
- 2) Planning Commission and BOA will utilize the same format for meetings as the County Board does. (Lacher/Milde)

- 3) Assign David Feuerhelm from B23 Step 1, to B24 Step 1, Certified MN Appraiser Income Qualified effective retro to April 7, 2021 (date of MN Board of Assessors decision). (Kruger)
- 4) Accept the resignation of Aaron Lacher, Environmental Services Director, effective the end of the business day May 14, 2021, and thank him for his service to the residents of Houston County. (Kruger)
- 5) Moved to action items.
- 6) Appoint Amelia Meiners as the Houston County Zoning Administrator pursuant to Minn. Statute 394.29, effective May 17, 2021. (Kruger)
- 7) Appoint Amelia Meiners as the Interim Houston County Environmental Services Director, D61, Step 1, effective May 17, 2021. (Kruger)
- 8) Initiate a competitive search for a 1 FTE, Technical Clerk 1, B21. (Kruger)
- 9) Moved to action items.
- 10) Moved to action items.

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#### **ACTION ITEMS**

File No. 1 – Commissioner Johnson moved, Commissioner Severson seconded, motion unanimously carried to approve the transfer of \$150,000 in airport entitlement funds to the City of Owatonna, MN for the Owatonna Degner Regional Airport with repayment due no later than May 15, 2022.

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File No. 2 - Commissioner Johnson moved, Commissioner Myhre seconded, motion unanimously carried to accept Change Order No. 4 for the Houston County Highway Shop: First, changes to the architectural and structural plans to accommodate for PEMB drawings. Second, relocate electric service equipment. Third, add sand inceptor to truck wash waste piping.

Dist. 1: Yes Dist. 2: Yes Dist. 3: Yes Dist. 4: Yes Dist. 5: Yes

File No. 3 – Commissioner Severson moved, Commissioner Myhre seconded, motion unanimously carried to approve the 2020 EMPG report and request for signatures.

Dist. 1: Yes Dist. 2: Yes Dist. 3: Yes Dist. 4: Yes Dist. 5: Yes

File No. 4 - Commissioner Johnson moved, Commissioner Severson seconded, motion unanimously carried to approve the 2021 Non-Represented Pay Grid.

Dist. 1: Yes Dist. 2: Yes Dist. 3: Yes Dist. 4: Yes Dist. 5: Yes

File No. 5 - Commissioner Walter moved, Commissioner Severson seconded, motion unanimously carried to approve the contract with Collaborative DesignGroup for CDs for the east steps to the Historic Courthouse.

Dist. 1: Yes Dist. 2: Yes Dist. 3: Yes Dist. 4: Yes Dist. 5: Yes

File No. 6 - Commissioner Walter moved, Commissioner Myhre seconded, motion unanimously carried to approve a floor covering proposal from Hiller Commercial Floors for \$5,781.60 for the Commissioner Room remodel.

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File No. 7 - Commissioner Myhre moved, Commissioner Johnson seconded, motion unanimously carried to approve an abatement policy allowing staff to approve abatements under \$3,000.

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File No. 8 - Commissioner Burns moved, Commissioner Myhre seconded, motion unanimously carried to approve Ordinance No. 9 - Parks Rules and Regulations Wildcat Park. There would be 35 seasonal sites. A lottery system would be used for the sites. Applicants could trade, swap or switch seasonal sites with another applicant within two weeks of the lottery without prior approval of the Parks Committee. A form would need to be provided to the Park Manager with notification of the site swap and would need to be signed by both parties.

Dist. 1	: Yes	Dist. 2:	Yes	Dist. 3:	Yes	Dist. 4:	Yes	Dist. 5: Yes

File No. 9 – (Originally on the consent agenda) Commissioner Myhre moved, Commissioner Johnson seconded, motion unanimously carried to approve hiring Rick Frank as a 67 day employee to assist with the administration of the Houston County Solid Waste Ordinance and provision of recycling and solid waste services. The employee would also assist with other duties as needed at an hourly rate of \$50.00.

Dist. 1: Yes Dist. 2: Yes Dist. 3: Yes Dist. 4: Yes Dist. 5:	Yes
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File No. 10 – (Originally on the consent agenda) Commissioner Johnson moved, Commissioner Severson seconded, motion unanimously carried to approve a temporary contract with Winona County to supplement feedlot obligations.

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Item No. 5 from the consent agenda initiating a competitive search for an Environmental Services Director was tabled.

#### **DISCUSSION ITEMS**

Commissioners discussed recent meetings they had attended. Commissioner Johnson said that Engineer Pogodzinski was finding savings for the County Highway Shop by looking into refurbished furniture. Commissioners discussed reimbursements from the State and how the State is sometimes delayed in their reimbursements. Commissioners also discussed the Eagle Scout project at Botcher Park. Commissioner Burns shared that there were more scouts that were looking for projects if the County had additional potential project ideas.

There being no further business at 12:01 a.m., a motion was made by Commissioner Johnson, seconded by Commissioner Severson, unanimously carried to adjourn the meeting. The next Board of Commissioner meeting would be on May 4, 2021.

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BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONER	S
	HOUSTON COUNTY, MINNESOTA
	By:
	Robert Burns, Chairperson
Attest:	
Donna Trehus, Auditor/Treasurer	

# HOUSTON COUNTY AGENDA REQUEST FORM May 4, 2021

**Date Submitted: 04.29.2021** 

By: Tess Kruger, HRD/Facilities Mgr.

#### **ACTION REQUEST**

### HR CONSENT AGENDA REQUEST

#### **Assessor's Office**

• Hire Lee Langager as a probationary Technical Clerk, B21, Step 4, effective May 5, 2021 conditioned upon successful completion of background check

### **Public Health & Human Services**

- Reassign Tami Triplett from an Accounting Technician, B23, to probationary Collections Officer, B23, effective May 5, 2021 (lateral transfer)
- Initiate a competitive search for an Accounting Technician, B23

Reviewed by:	X HR Director		County Sheriff		
	X Finance Director		County Engineer	2	_
	IS Director		PHHS Other		
	County Attorney	Х	(indicate dept)	Assessor PHHS	
	X Environmental Srvcs			,	
Recommendation:					
<u>Decision:</u>					

#### **HOUSTON COUNTY**

#### **AGENDA REQUEST FORM**

**Date Submitted: 04.30.2021** 

By: Donna Trehus, Auditor/Treasurer

#### **CONSENT AGENDA REQUEST:**

Authorize Auditor/Treasurer to conduct a public sale for property located in the city of Houston at 315 S Chase Street, pursuant to M.S. 282.01; to be held at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, June 7, 2021, in the Commissioners Room at the Houston County Courthouse.

The property will be sold for not less than the minimum sale price of \$33,300.00 and full payment of the purchase price shall be due at the time of sale. Parcel ID #24.0222.000 consists of Lot 6 of Block 33 of Mons Anderson's Addition to the City (formally Village) of Houston, Minnesota according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Houston County Recorder.

#### **ACTION ITEM:**

Reviewed by:	HR Director		County Sheriff County Engineer		
	IS Director		PHHS Other (indicate		
	X County Attorney Environmental Srvcs	<u>X</u>		Auditor/Treasurer	
Recommendation:					
Decision:					

#### **Resolution No. 21-XX**

BE IT RESOVED THAT Parcel #24.0222.000 of tax-forfeited land, located in the City of Houston, Minnesota be classified as non-conservation land: that the minimum sale price be set at \$33,300.00, and that authorization for a public sale of this land be granted, pursuant to M.S. 282.01; that the sale will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, June 7, 2021, by the Houston County Auditor-Treasurer in the Commissioners Room at the Houston County Courthouse; the property will be sold for not less than the minimum sale price; and full payment of the purchase price and the additional costs shall be due at the time of sale.

WHEREAS, Parcel ID #24.0222.000 consists of Lot 6 of Block 33 of Mons Anderson's Addition to the City (formally Village) of Houston, Minnesota according to the plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Houston County Recorder.						
*****CERTIFICATION*****						
STATE OF MINNESOTA						
COUNTY OF HOUSTON						
I, Donna Trehus, Houston County Auditor-Treasurer, do hearby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the Houston County Board of Commissioners on May 4, 2021.						
WITNESS my hand and the seal of my office this 4 <sup>th</sup> day of May, 2021.						
(SEAL)						

**Donna Trehus** 

**Houston County Auditor-Treasurer** 

# Houston County Agenda Request Form

Date Submitted:	April 26, 2021	Board Date:	May 4, 2021
Person requesting appoi	ntment with County Board:	Brian Pogodzinski	
	nitted change order requests #5 n is attached for your review.	5, #6, #7 and #8 for th	e highway department
Attachments/Documents COR#5, COR#6, COR#7, a	ation for the Board's Review: nd COR#8 are attached.	= .	
Justification:			·
Action Requested: Board approval needed to	o approve the various change or	ders.	

For County Use Only					
Reviewed by:  — —	County Auditor Finance Director IS Director	County Attorney County Engineer Other (indicate dept)	Zoning Administrator Environmental Services		
Recommendation:					
<u>Decision:</u>					

All agenda request forms must be submitted to the County Auditor by 4:00 p.m. on Monday in order to be considered for inclusion on the following week's agenda. The Board will review all requests and determine if the request will be heard at a County Board meeting.



# **CHANGE ORDER REQUEST # 5**

Project Name: Houston County Hwy Department	<b>Job</b> #220193				
<b>Date:</b> 23-Apr-21					
<b>DESCRIPTION OF WORK TO BE DONE:</b> Wieser Brothers General Contractors w to be placed at a location on Parcel 21.1093.000 as determined del	ill provide a sto I by landowner livery / set up	rage shed, ap Rogich. Wiese	proximately 10's or Brothers will p	x16', oruchase and c	oordinate the
Ī	Sub	Labor	Tax Exempt	Material	Total
	Quote	Total	Material Total	Total	Cost
Tri State Auto Center	\$3,795.00				\$3,795.00
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Subtotal	\$3,795.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Approval:				Subtotal	\$3,795.00
Date:			Con	tractor's Fee	\$379.50

Total for Change Order



**Project Name:** Houston County Hwy Department

# **CHANGE ORDER REQUEST # 6**

Date:	4/21/2021					
DESCRIPTION OF WORK TO BE DONE: tems represented in Construction Bulletin #2						
		Sub Quote	Labor Total	Tax Exempt Material Total	Material Total	Total
Vieser Brothers			310.00			\$310.00
Plumbing - Hengel Brothers				\$2,484.00		\$2,484.00
Reinforcing Steel				\$2,175.00		\$2,175.00
						\$0.00
						\$0.00
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						\$0.00
	Subtotal	\$0.00	\$310.00	\$4,659.00	\$0.00	
pproval:					Subtotal	\$4,969.00
Pate:				Con	tractor's Fee	\$496.90

Job # 220193

**Total for Change Order** 

\$5,465.90



# Bulletin Requesting Proposal for Contract Change

Project:

**Houston County** 

Bulletin No.:

02

Highway Department 1124 E. Washington St.

Caledonia, MN 55921

Owner:

**Houston County Highway Department** 

Date:

March 31, 2021

To:

**Kevin Barnes** 

HSR Project No.:

20042

Weiser Brothers General Contractor

Contract For:

Construction

200 Twilite Street

La Crescent, MN 55947

Contract Date:

Please submit an itemized quotation for changes in the Contract Sum and/or Time incidental to proposed modifications to the Contract Documents described herein. Include complete breakdown for labor, materials, profit and overhead for each item listed. Indicate effect, if any, of proposed change to completion date.

THIS IS NOT A CHANGE ORDER NOR A DIRECTION TO PROCEED WITH THE WORK DESCRIBED HEREIN.

This bulletin presents sheet markups and revisions related to the following items. Price the following items individually. Provide pricing breakouts for multiple items in numbered changes.

- 1. Changes to Structural plans.
- 2. Revisions to plumbing specifications from CB01 changes.

Contractor to return acknowledgment of this bulletin to this office by indicating:

Contractor Signature	Date
	Contractor Signature

Revised Sheets: S100, S800, S801

#### Document:

See snips from architectural, plumbing, & structural sheets in the text of this document showing items.

Contractors are required to acknowledge receipt of this Bulletin even though their work is not affected. The breakouts that follow are intended for organization of pricing information. Include all changes shown on the revised sheets in pricing.

HSR ASSOCIATES Ethan Klein

#### Copies to:

Kevin Barnes – Weiser Brothers General Contractor, Inc.

Mariah Mueller – Weiser Brothers General Contractor, Inc.

Brian Pogodzinski – Houston County

Kyle Schauf – HSR Associates

Ryan Johnson – HSR Associates

Alyssa Frank – HSR Associates

Ron Knapmiller – HSR Associates

Kylie Veerkamp – HSR Associates

Scott Gerzsik – HSR Associates

David Boldt – RA Smith, Inc.

Steve Kelly – HSR Associates

File - HSR Associates

#### 1.) Changes to Structural plans.

#### Sheet S100 -

- 1. Revise footing steps at north end of foundation wall on Grid 4/Grid G
- 2. Revise T/Pier for three piers on east wall of garage to match Details 1/S801 and 6/S002
- 3. Revise Foundation Plan Note 3 to provide reinforcing options for 10" slab thickness
- 4. Revise location of east and west walls of wash bay to match architectural drawings

- 5. Add foundation dimensions, multiple locations clouded on plans
- 6. Add Detail 4/S100 (see location clouded on plan)

#### Sheet S800 - Foundation Details

1. Revise Detail 5/S800 to address detailing for 10" slab in garage area.

#### Sheet S801 - Foundation Details

- 1. Delete excess top bar previously shown in Details 14/S801 and 15/S801
- 2. Revise Details 16A/S801 and 18/S801 to show correct position of wash bay walls

#### 2.) Revisions to plumbing specifications:

#### Section 22 10 01: Pipe and Pipe Fittings

- 2.01(A) shall include the following sentence: "Hubless cast iron DWV pipe must be marked with country of origin, identification of the original manufacturer, and markings required by referenced standards (see Section 701.1(6))."
- 2.01(D) shall include the following sentence: "ASTM F876 tubing must be marked with the standard of fittings to be used."
- 2.02(G) shall include the following sentence: "The fittings must be marked with ASSE 1061, ASTM F877, ASTM F1807, ASTM F1960, ASTM F1961, ASTM F2080, ASTM F2159, ASTM F2735, or CSA B137.5.

#### Section 22 10 11: Plumbing Specialties

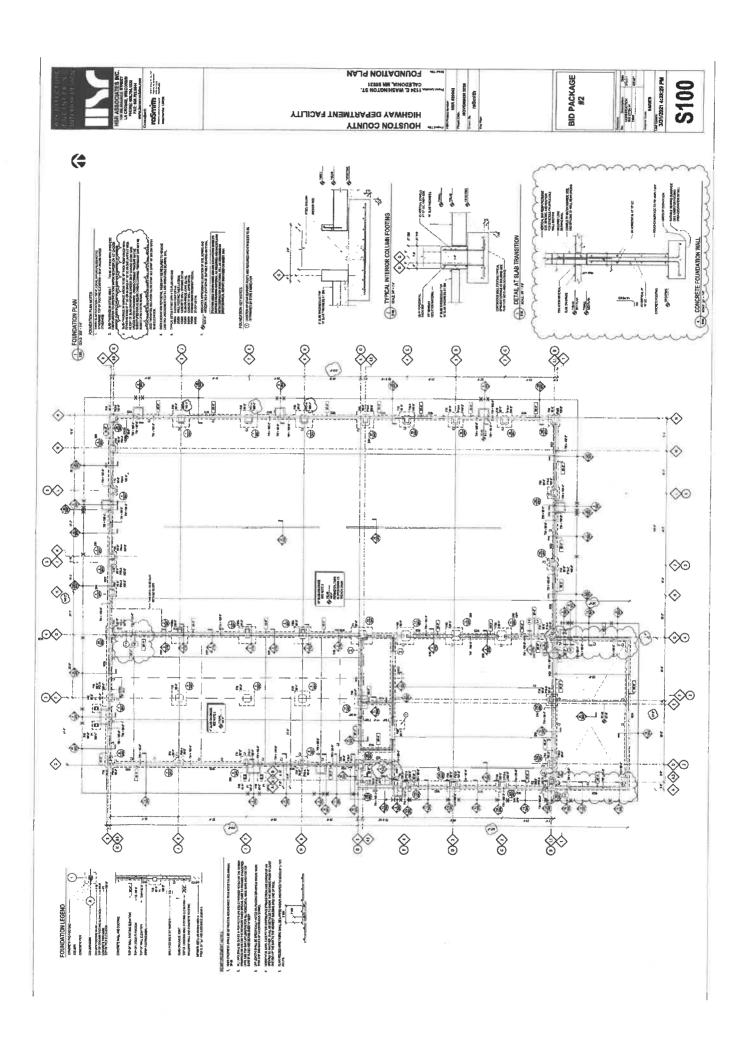
• Eliminate Section 3.03(B), replace with "The installation of a testable backflow prevention assembly shall comply with section 603.5.23 of the Minnesota Plumbing Code, 2015 edition."

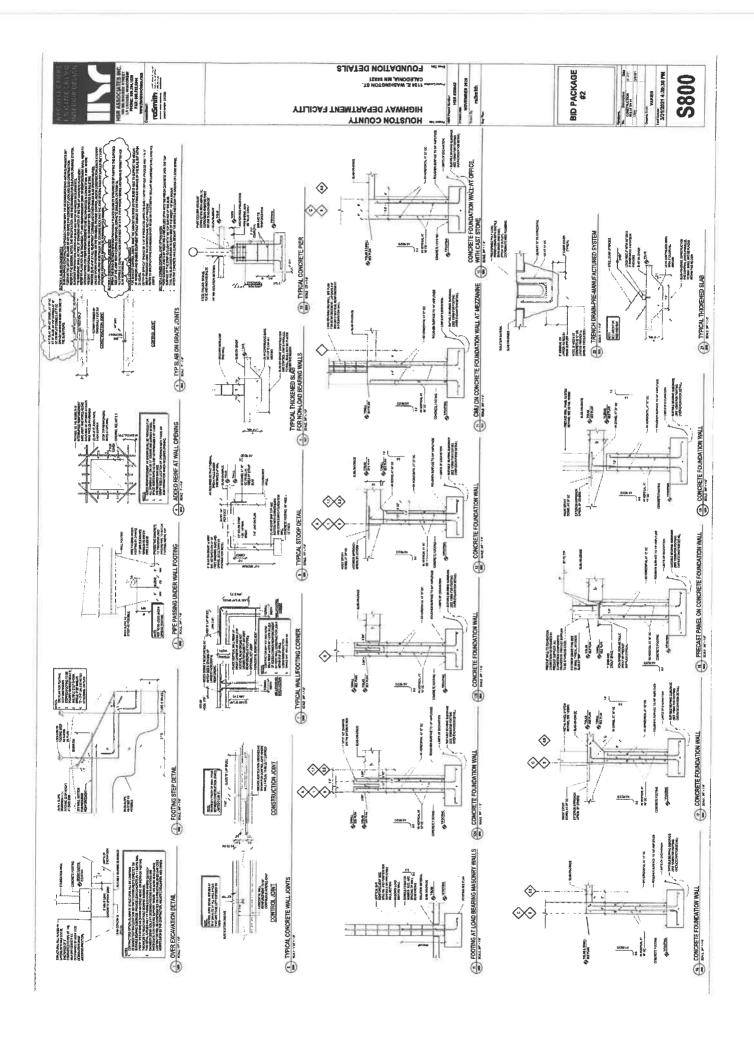
#### Section 22 10 12: Drain, Waste and Vent Systems

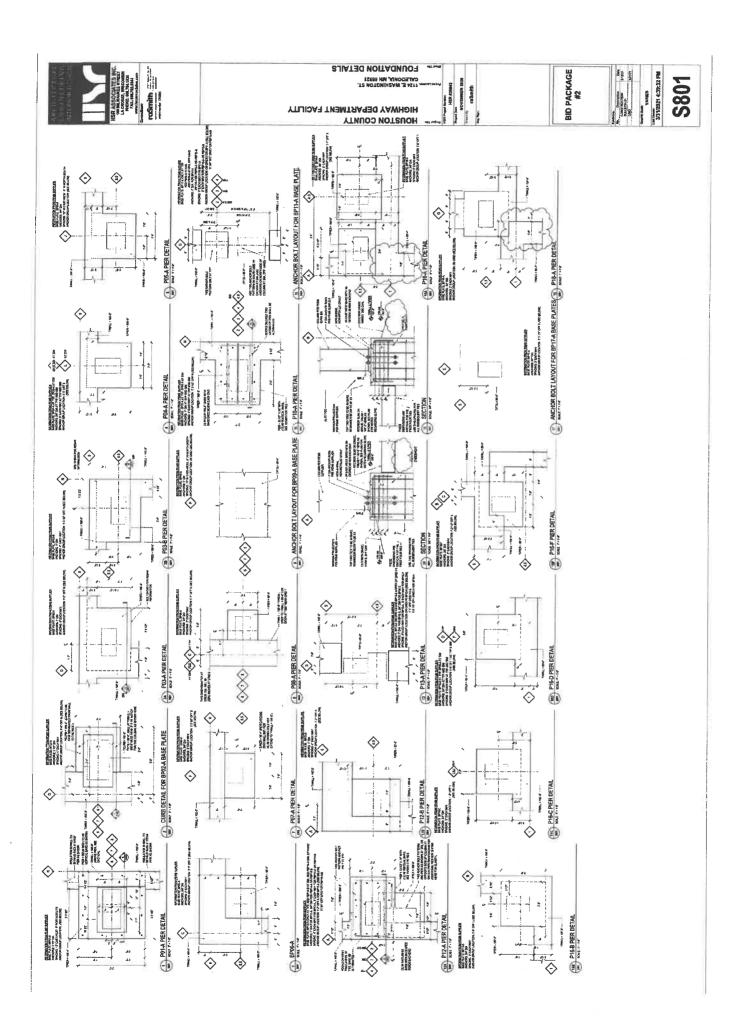
- 2.03 and 2.04 shall include the following sentences: "PVC drain, waste, and vent. systems shall meet Table 701.1, Section 705.7, and Installation Standard 9 of the MN Plumbing Code, 2015 edition. Joints must be mechanical or push-on with elastomeric seal, or solvent welded using ASTM F656 purple primer and ASTM D2564 solvent cement. Schedule 80 pipe may be threaded."
- 2.04 shall include the following sentences: "Support above-grade horizontal pipes at each horizontal branch connection, at least every 4 feet, and at changes in direction. Restraint fittings or a minimum 24-inch offset using 45-degree fittings should be provided every 30 feet."
- 3.02(L) should read "Vent pipes passing through roof shall extend 12" above roof..." in compliance with the 2015 Minnesota Plumbing Code Section 906.7.
- Eliminate 2.07 and 3.04 (Garage Catch Basin sections)

Section 22 30 53: Interceptors

- Remove Section 2.01, replace with the following:
  - 2.01 OIL/SAND INTERCEPTOR (OS-1)
  - A. Based on product by Striem.
  - B. Striem flammable liquid interceptor Model FLI-275 with Slick Stick oil level monitoring system model # 8056-001-01, seamless polyethylene tank, 4" plain end inlet/outlet, 3" plain end vent, field adjustable riser system, 262 gallon capacity, 129 gallon flammable liquid capacity, 111 gallon sand capacity, C24-HP H20-rated pickable cast iron coves.
- Add the following verbiage:
  - 2.02 SAND INTERCEPTOR (SI-1)
  - A. Based on product by Crest Precast, Inc.
  - B. SI-1: 1000 gallon precast sand interceptor, 2 compartment, heavy duty, water tight, compliant with Section 1016 of the MN Plumbing Code, 6,500 PSI concrete w/ crystalline water proofing admixture, minimum #4 bars @ 8" OCEW, two 4" formed PVC baffles, minimum 5 ft² highway-rated grate opening, Neenah R-6462 with solid cover. Unit shall have one 4" inlet with minimum 6" water seal. The effluent will discharge to a flammable waste interceptor, therefore the 4" outlet shall not have a water seal. Coordinate riser height required.
- 3.) Alternate for trench drain at Truck Wash. See last page of CB and clouded selection.







# EFABRICATED TRENCH DRAINS (DTPF)

**STANDARD** SIZES 2" ID 4" ID 6" ID 8" ID 10" ID 12" ID 18" ID 24" ID

#### TRENCH BODY

- 8' LENGTHS TYPICAL
- OFFERED IN 10', 16', AND 20' LENGTHS
- WIDTHS FROM 2" 48" STANDARD
- **CUSTOM WIDTHS & PROFILES**

#### **JOINTS**

- LARGE 2" BELL CONNECTIONS
- **WATERTIGHT SEAL ATTAINABLE WITH** FACTORY SUPPLIED SEALANT

# REFABRICATED TRENCHES

36" ID 48" ID

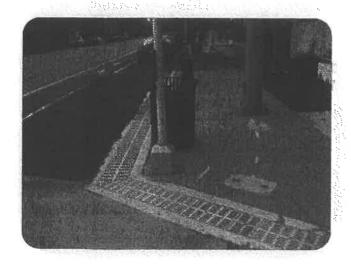
- FIBER REINFORCED POLYMER CONCRETE BODY **INSTALLS FAST AND IMPROVES FLOW RATES**
- RESISTANT TO DILUTE CHEMICALS, ROAD SALTS, AND PETROLEUM PRODUCTS
- 3 PLYWOOD TOP KEEPS TRENCH SAFE AND CLEAN DURING CONSTRUCTION
- BUILT IN STEEL INSTALLATION DEVICES WON'T BREAK AND RESIST FLOTATION
- WIDE ARRAY OF FRAMES AND GRATES
- ANY WIDTH TRENCH
- **BUILT IN SLOPE PER SPECIFIED INVERTS**
- **EASY INSTALLATION**

#### INSTALLATION DEVICES

- ADJUST TRENCH TO GRADE
- **RESIST FLOTATION FORCES**
- RIGID METAL BRACKET WON'T BREAK OFF DURING CONSTRUCTION

- CONCRETE ANCHORS

   18" O.C. TYPICAL
   3" X 3/8" THICK FOR DURABILITY
  - EXTENDED SYSTEM LIFE IN TRAFFIC APPLICATIONS



#### PREFABRICATED TURNS

- SMOOTH INTERIOR
- **CONTRACTOR FRIENDLY**
- **WELDED FRAME**

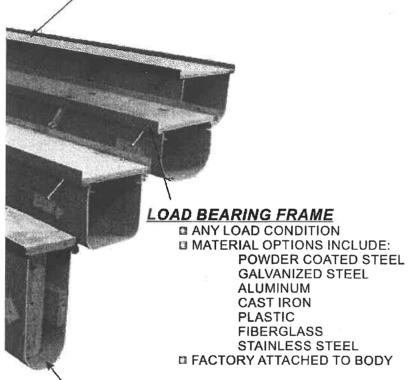
#### NOTES:

- 1. Maximum trench length is only limited by constructability.
- 2. Standard slope is 0.5% unless specified otherwise.
- 3. Rectangular bottom trenches are available upon request or per application.



#### INSTALLATION

- SHIPS FULLY ASSEMBLED
- PLYWOOD TOP FOR SAFETY
- PLYWOOD KEEPS CONCRETE OUT DURING CONSTRUCTION
- **EASILY ATTACH BRACES TO WOOD TOP**



#### **SMOOTH RADIUS INTERIOR**

■ INCREASED FLOW

LESS SEDIMENT BUILD-UP

#### SLOPE

© 0.5% AND 1% SLOPE STANDARD

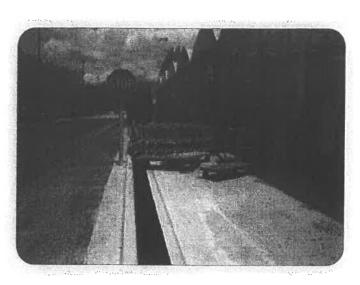
CUSTOM SLOPES OFFERED

#### **GRATES**

■ WIDE VARIETY OF GRATES

PEDESTRIAN TO AIRCRAFT LOADING

**ADA & HEEL PROOF OPTIONS** 

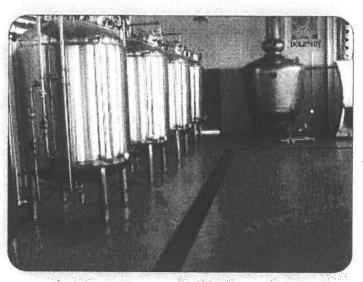


The Dura-Trench prefabricated trenches are the work horse of the product line. They are manufactured using GFRPC (Glass fiber reinforced polymer concrete). This is a proprietary blend of polyester resins, UV inhibitors, aggregates, ultra hard ceramic pellets, glass fibers, and pigments. This revolutionary formula makes the trenches extremely durable, lightweight, resistant to most common chemicals, and very easy to install.

These trench systems come in a variety of standard and custom widths, can have any slope, and offer a wide assortment of frames and grates to meet virtually any need.

The system is shipped factory assembled and ready to install. Plywood in the top keeps the frames aligned, coplanar, and debris out. Installation aides are standard. Factory fabricated turns and intersections ensure an easy and precise fit.

Choose a Dura-Trench prefabricated trench system if you need a quality trench system for your next project.



Visit us on the web at www.trenchdrain.net for more information on: Flow rates, chemical resistance, material properties, etc.



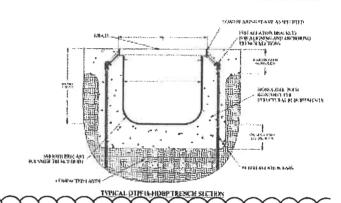
#### SYSTEM CHARACTERISTICS:

- · General Purpose Drain
- Typical for flows up to 22 cfs (10,000 gpm)
- Heavy debris loading
- All load classes

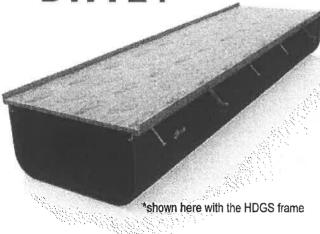
FRAME OPTIONS	MDGS, MDSS, MDAL, HDBP, HDGS, HDSS, HDFG, EXGS, EXSS, EXDI, CUSTOM
GRATES	20" WIDE GRATES
SYSTEM DEPTH	6" - 48" TYP (3" MIN DEPTH WITH RECT BOTTOM)
SECTION LENGTH	8' TYP (16' OR LONGER OPTION)
SLOPE	0.5% & 1% OR SPECIFY INVERTS

#### **Engineering Specification:**

Trench drain shall be Dura Trench as manufactured by Eric'sons, 574C Industrial Way N., Dallas, GA 30132 - (770-505-6575). The trench drain body shall be composed of polyester fiber reinforced polymer concrete. The trench shall have a 18" clear open throat and have a rounded or flat bottom as indicated in details. The trench body shall be gray in color to closely resemble the color of concrete and have a smooth interior for improved flow rates and reduced debris build-up. Sections shall be 96" long (typical) and have a 2" receiving flange on the upstream end for receiving and sealing the trench sections together. Each of the sections shall be labeled to indicate proper flow and placement. The trench body shall mate to the frame and form a grate seat that shall accept the specified grate. The body shall be supplied with a factory fit top for rail alignment and fastening of the channels in the field ensuring that the rails are cast in a coplanar manner. The trench body shall have the following properties: 12,600 psi minimum tensile strength per ASTM C307, 11,600 psi. minimum compressive strength per ASTM C579, 26,500 psi minimum flexural strength per ASTM C580, less than 0.35% water absorption, shall be frost proof, salt proof, and be resistant to dilute acids and alkalis per ASTM C267.



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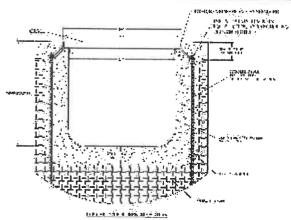
#### SYSTEM CHARACTERISTICS:

- General Purpose Drain
- Typical for flows up to 35 cfs (2750 gpm)
- Heavy debris loading
- All load classes

FRAME OPTIONS	MDGS, MDSS, MDAL, HDBP, HDGS, HDSS, HDFG, EXGS, EXSS, EXDI, CUSTOM
GRATES	26" WIDE GRATES
SYSTEM DEPTH	6" - 48" TYP (3" MIN DEPTH WITH RECT BOTTOM)
SECTION LENGTH	8' TYP (16' OR LONGER OPTION)
SLOPE	0.5% & 1% OR SPECIFY INVERTS

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**Project Name:** Houston County Hwy Department

# CHANGE ORDER REQUEST # 7

Date:	4/21/2021					
<b>DESCRIPTION OF WORK TO BE DONE:</b> Changes represented on Construction Bulle	etin #3					
		Sub Quote	Labor Total	Tax Exempt Material Total	Material Total	Total Cost
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Date:				Con	tractor's Fee	

Job # 220193

-\$8,279.03

**Total for Change Order** 



# Bulletin Requesting Proposal for Contract Change

Project:

**Houston County** 

Bulletin No.:

03

Highway Department 1124 E. Washington St.

Caledonia, MN 55921

Owner:

**Houston County Highway Department** 

Date:

April 13, 2021

To:

**Kevin Barnes** 

HSR Project No.:

20042

Weiser Brothers General Contractor

Contract For:

Construction

200 Twilite Street

La Crescent, MN 55947

Contract Date:

Please submit an itemized quotation for changes in the Contract Sum and/or Time incidental to proposed modifications to the Contract Documents described herein. Include complete breakdown for labor, materials, profit and overhead for each item listed. Indicate effect, if any, of proposed change to completion date.

THIS IS NOT A CHANGE ORDER NOR A DIRECTION TO PROCEED WITH THE WORK DESCRIBED HEREIN.

This bulletin presents sheet markups and revisions related to the following items. Price the following items individually. Provide pricing breakouts for multiple items in numbered changes.

- 1. Removal of Fire Pump Room 135
  - a. Architectural Changes
  - b. Electrical Changes
  - c. Plumbing Changes

Contractor to return acknowledgme	ent of this bulletin to this office by indicating	
☐ Increase in Contract ☐ Decrease in Contract		
□ No change in Contract	Contractor Signature	— Date

Page 2

Revised Sheets: A101/1, A111/1, A307, E100, E200, E600, P100, P110, P200

#### Document:

See snips from architectural and electrical sheets in the text of this document showing items.

Contractors are required to acknowledge receipt of this Bulletin even though their work is not affected. The breakouts that follow are intended for organization of pricing information. Include all changes shown on the revised sheets in pricing.

HSR ASSOCIATES Ethan Klein

#### Copies to:

Kevin Barnes – Weiser Brothers General Contractor, Inc.
Mariah Mueller – Weiser Brothers General Contractor, Inc.
Brian Pogodzinski – Houston County
Kyle Schauf – HSR Associates
Ryan Johnson – HSR Associates
Alyssa Frank – HSR Associates
Ron Knapmiller – HSR Associates
Kylie Will – HSR Associates
Scott Gerzsik – HSR Associates
David Boldt – RA Smith, Inc.
Steve Kelly – HSR Associates

File - HSR Associates

#### 1A). Removal of Fire Pump Room 135.

- a. Architectural Changes 1/A101
  - i. Removal of Fire pump room 135
  - ii. Removal of wall D6a at Fire Pump room 135
  - iii. Removal of doors 135.1 and 135.2
  - iv. Dimension string updated to reflect removal of Fire Pump room 135
- b. Architectural Changes 1/A111
  - i. Removal of Fire pump room 135

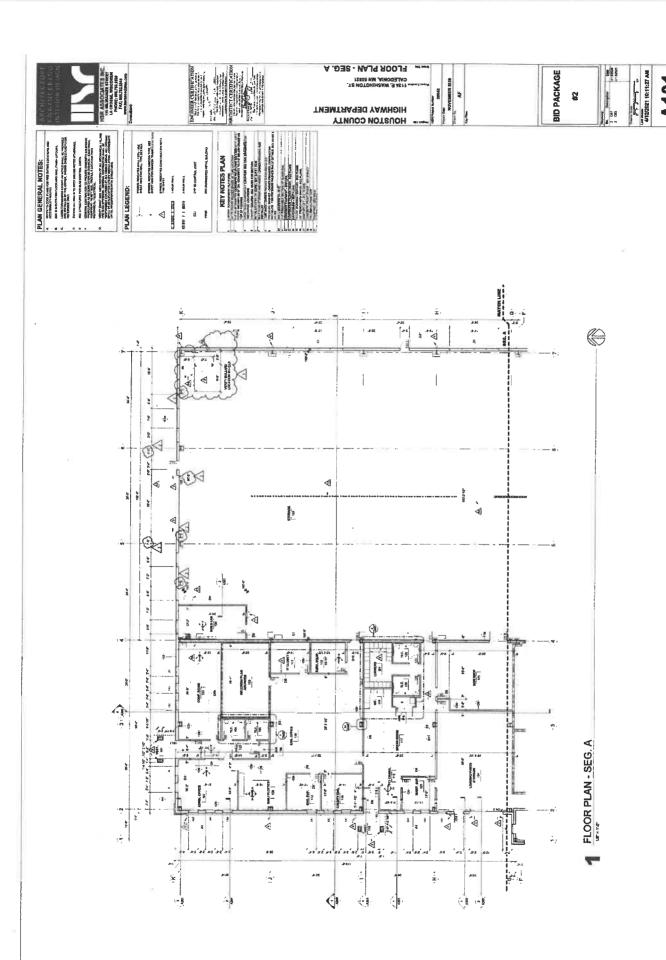
- ii. Removal of walls D6a at Fire Pump RM 135
- iii. Removal of ceiling and light fixtures in Fire Pump RM 135
- c. Architectural Changes A/307
  - i. Omit wall Section 3
- d. Add bollards to protect new locations of plumbing and electrical.

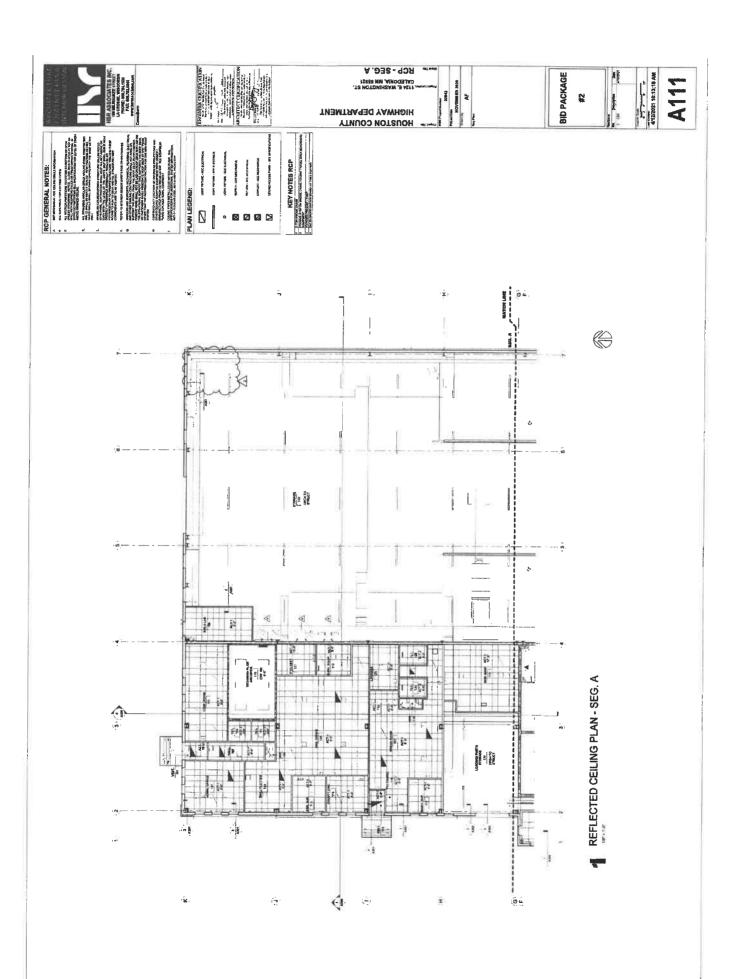
#### 1B). Electrical Changes (E100, E200, E600)

- a. E100 First Floor Lighting Seg. A
  - a. First Floor Seg. A; Fire Pump Room 135:
    - i. Delete Type "D" light fixtures, light switch and associated branch circuit
    - ii. Delete exit light "X2" and exterior "RH" light.
- b. E200 First Floor Power Seg. A
  - a. First Floor Seg. A; Fire Pump Room 135:
    - i. Delete connection to fire pump motor "FP" and delete 600 amp safety switch.
    - ii. Delete equipment connection to electric wall heater "EWH" and associated circuit A-36
  - b. First Floor Seg. A; Storage 133:
    - i. Relocate 800 amp main disconnect switch ad panel DP.
    - ii. Relocated exterior pad transformer and C/T cabinet.
- c. E600 Electric Riser Diagram and Schedules:
  - a. Electric Riser Diagram:
    - i. Delete 600 Fused Safety Switch and associated feeder to fire pump.
    - ii. Change C/T Cabinet from 1200 amps to 800 amps.
    - iii. Reduce Feeder "A" from 3 parallel runs, to 2 parallel runs of (4) #600kcmil conductors. (Revise feeder schedule).

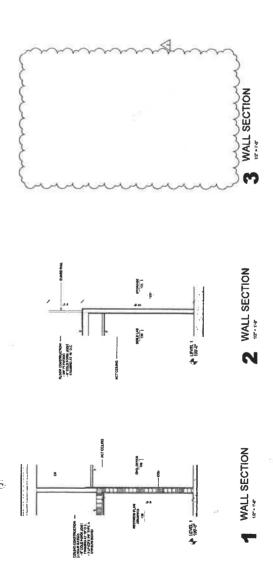
#### 1C). Plumbing Changes (P110, P100, P200)

a. Relocated water meter, RPZ, floor drain and associated piping to new location along exterior wall.









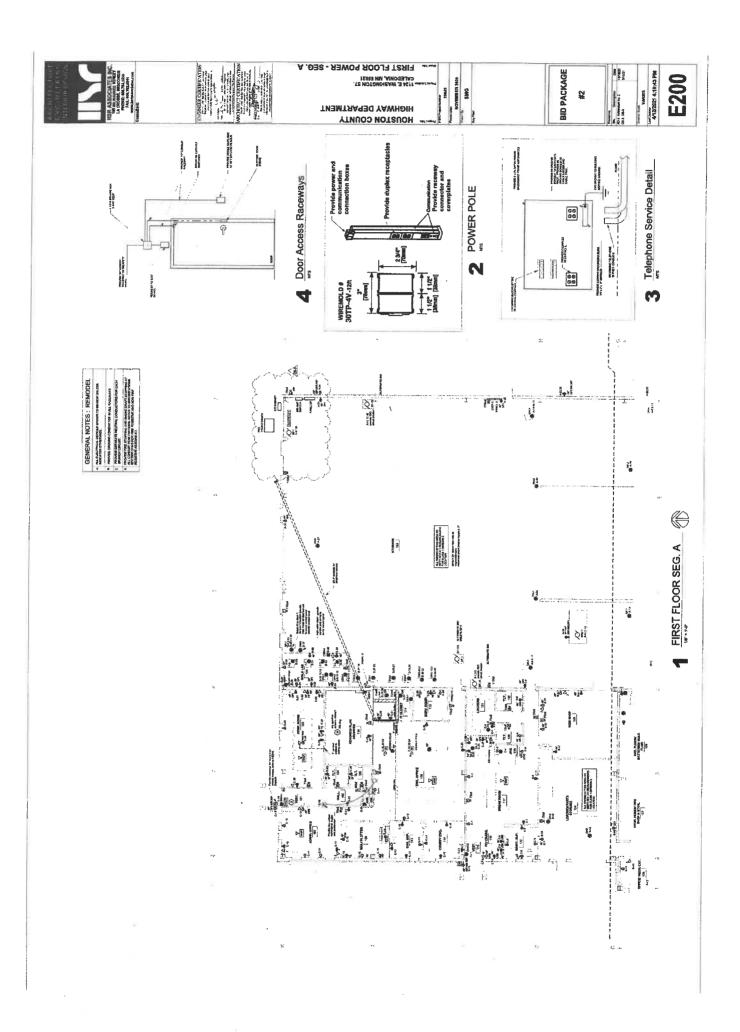
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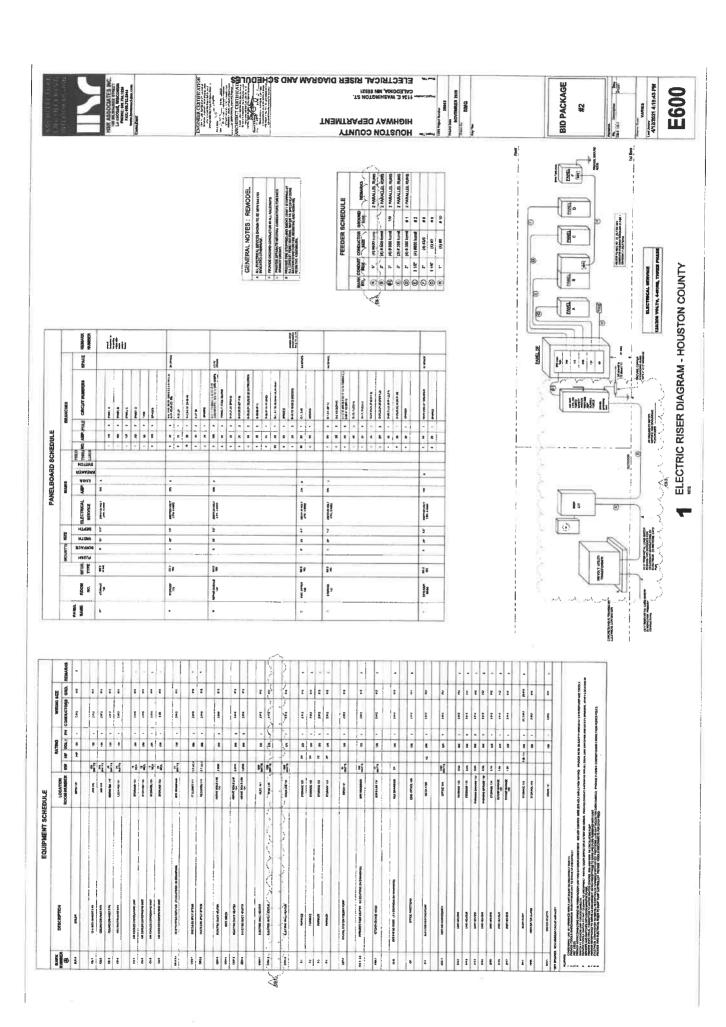
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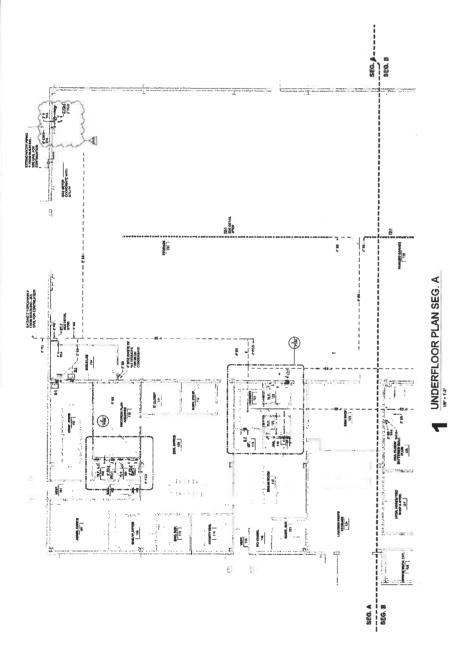
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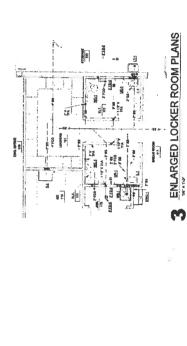
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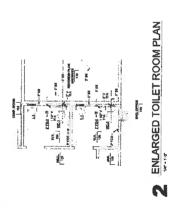


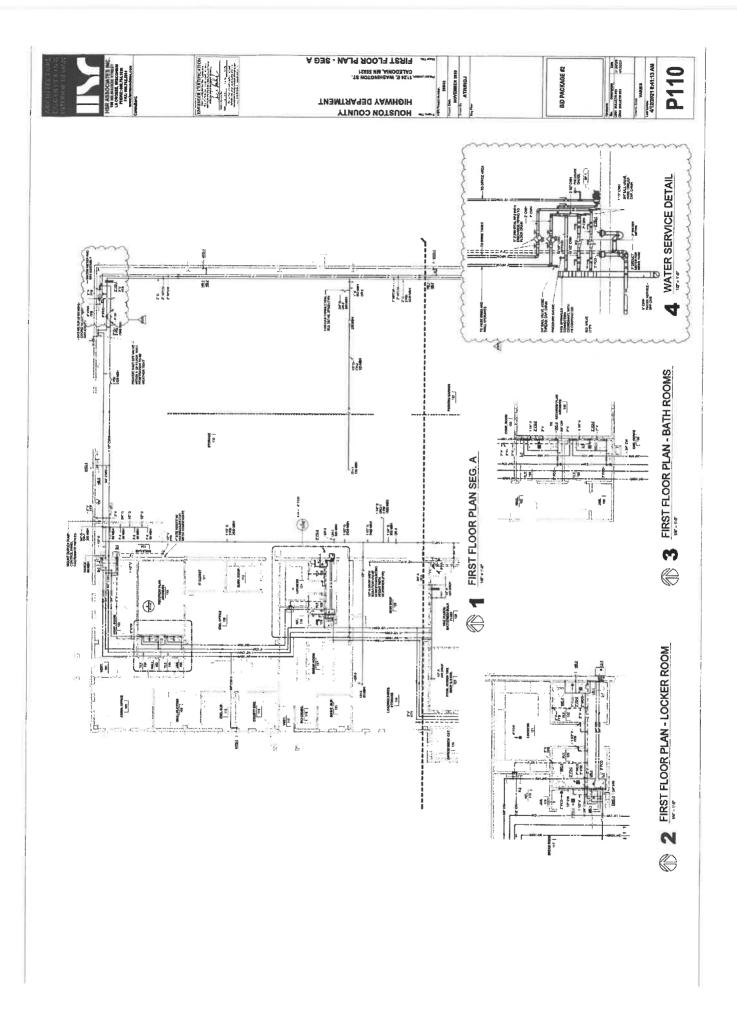


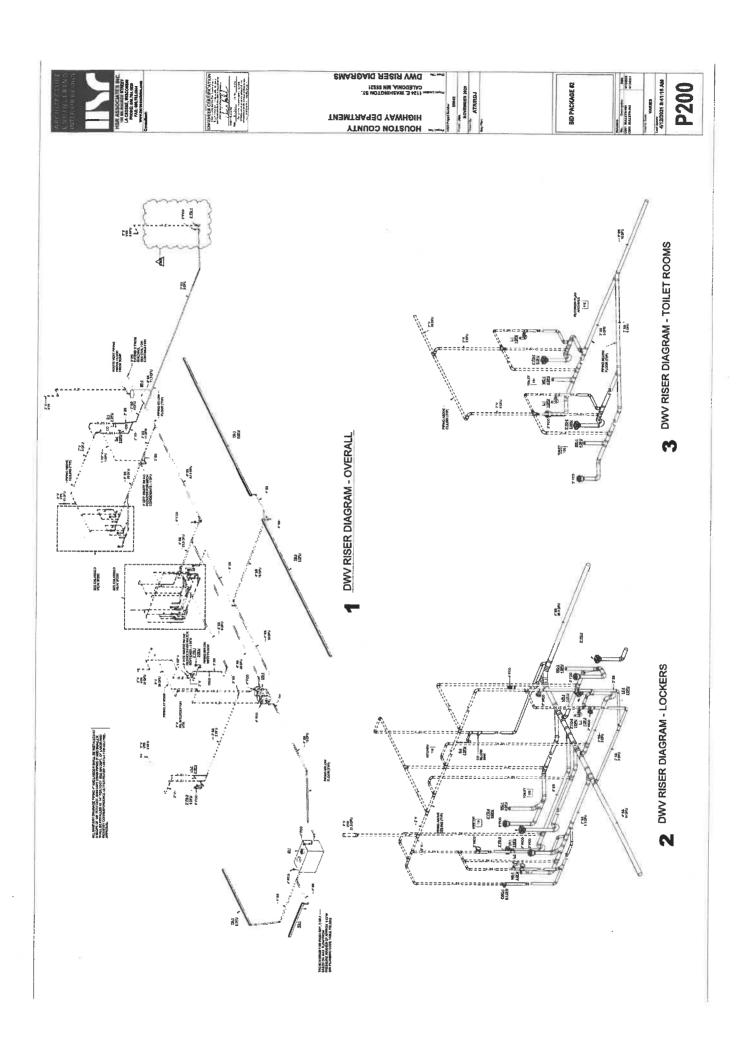














**Project Name:** Houston County Hwy Department

# **CHANGE ORDER REQUEST #8**

Date:	23-Apr-21		5			
DESCRIPTION OF WORK TO BE DONE:						
The following items were negotiated in Bid Paci Hollow Core Plank Asphalt Paving	k #2 and contra	cted as allowar	ices:			
Polished Concrete						
subcontractors have been contracted and purc	hase orders hav	e been issued.	We are request	ing to allocate ti	he funds for t	hese contracts
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Molin Concrete Products Hollow Core Plank			-\$35,357.00	\$35,357.00		\$0.00
Dunn Blacktop- Asphalt Paving			-\$227,799.98	\$227,799.98		\$0.00
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**Total for Change Order** 

# Houston County Agenda Request Form

Date Submitted:	April 29, 2021	Board Date:	May 4, 2021
Person requesting app	ointment with County Board:	Brian Pogodzinski	
<u>Issue:</u> CSAH 20 has a 24" x 90	' culvert in need of repair. The re	commendation is	s to have the culvert lined.
Attachments/Documer Quote from Subsurface	ntation for the Board's Review: e, Inc		
<u>Justification:</u>			
Action Requested: Board approval.			
	For County U	se Only	

For County Use Only					
Reviewed by:	County Auditor Finance Director IS Director	County Attorney County Engineer Other (indicate dept)	Zoning Administrator Environmental Services		
Recommendation:		in Substitution (Substitution			
<u>Decision:</u>					

All agenda request forms must be submitted to the County Auditor by 4:00 p.m. on Monday in order to be considered for inclusion on the following week's agenda. The Board will review all requests and determine if the request will be heard at a County Board meeting.



P.O. Box 37 Moorhead, MN 56561-0037 Phone (218) 227-5963 Fax (218) 477-3949

April 27, 2021

Houston Co Hwy Dept Attention: Chris Hartley 1124 E Washington St Caledonia, MN 55921

RE:(1) 24" X 90LF CMP on CR 20 - Location - N 43.67421 - W 91.45319

Dear Mr. Hartley.

Subsurface, Inc. is pleased to quote you an estimate for the complete rehabilitation of one culvert described above. When completed, this remediation process will renew the life of this important drainage structure without open cutting and with minimal impact to your constituency.

This quote includes:

- Mobilization
- Traffic Control supplied by Houston Co
- Cleaning CMP culvert

Summary of items listed above:

- Furnish & Installing 24" CIPP UV cured liner
- Pre liner & Post liner Televising
- Freight on liner to job site
- Site cleanup

Mobilization	\$	750
Furnish & Install 24" UV CIPP 90LF @ \$190/LF	\$17	100
	\$17,	

Note: (1) Final payment is based on actual lineal feet of CIPP installed.

- (2) All work performed complies with MnDOT specifications.
- (3) If you find this quote acceptable, please sign & scan back to me.

Thanks for giving us the opportunity to quote this project.

Respectfully, Al Lee. Sales and Marketing Subsurface, Inc. Accepted by: Date:

# **Houston County Agenda Request Form**

Date Submitted:	April 26, 2021	Board Date:	May 4, 2021
Person requesting annot	intment with County Board:	Brian Pogodzinski	
reison requesting appoi	intinent with county board.	Drian Pogodzinski	
Issue: Board approval needed t maintenance is schedule	to approve quotes for annual b d on CSAH 4, 18, and 19.	oridge maintenace quo	tes. This year's bridge
Attachments/Document Abstract for work is attac	ration for the Board's Review: ched.		
Justification:			
Action Requested: Board approval needed to quotes.	o approve the low bid from IC	ON Constructors for th	e 2021 bridge maintnance
	For County	Use Only	
Reviewed by:	County Auditor Finance Director IS Director	County Attorney County Engineer Other (indicate dept)	Zoning Administrator Environmental Services
Recommendation:			
Decision:			

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# HOUSTON COUNTY APRIL 22, 2021

# Houston County Agenda Request Form

Date Submitted:	4/29/2021		
Person requesting ap	ppointment with County Board:	John Pugleasa, Director Public	Health & Human Services
Will you be doing a p	ower point or video presentation:	Yes X N	o
Issue: Host County Contract	for Mobile Crisis Response		
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	entation for the Board's Review: ract for Board review, and two cop	ies for signature	
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Justification:			
Action Requested:			
Areview and approve	contract as presented.		
	For County L	Ise Only	
Reviewed by:	County Auditor	County Attorney	Zoning/Environmental Service
	Finance Director	County Engineer	HR/Personnel
	IS Director	Other (indicate dept)	
Recommendation:			
Decision:			

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#### PURCHASE OF SERVICE AGREEMENT

The Houston County Board of Commissioners, 304 S. Marshall Street, Caledonia, MN 55921 (Houston County), through its local social services agency, the Houston County Public Health & Human Services hereafter referred to as the "County", and Hiawatha Valley Mental Health Center hereafter referred to as the "Provider", enter into this Agreement for the period from January 1, 2021 to December 31, 2021, and/or shall remain in effect until a new contract is signed by both parties or terminated under provisions of the Termination section of this Agreement.

#### WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, the Provider is an approved vendor according to the Minnesota Statutes, Section 256.0112 to provide services as specified herein; and

WHEREAS, the County and the Provider, according to Minnesota Statutes, Section 256.0112, subd. 6, understand and agree that this contract shall serve as a lead county contract for services purchased from financially responsible agencies of other counties; and

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes, Sections 245.461 to 245.486 and 245.487 to 245.4887 establishes the Comprehensive Adult Mental Health Act and the Comprehensive Children's Mental Health Act; and

WHEREAS, the County is required to provide mental health services in accordance with the Comprehensive Mental Health Act; and

WHEREAS, The Provider, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, section 256D.06, subdivisions 5 and 5a, and Minnesota Statutes, section 256D.54, is required to screen residents who may be eligible for SSI and provide screening results to Houston County; and

WHEREAS, the Provider is an approved provider under Minnesota Rules, parts 9520.0750 to 9520.0870 or an approved vendor under published County criteria to provide <u>mental health</u> services to persons; and

WHEREAS, the Provider meets the MA provider requirements and those outlines in Minnesota Statute, Section 256B.0624 to provide adult mental health crisis response services and Minnesota Statute, Section 256B.0944 to provide children's mental health crisis response services; and

WHEREAS, Houston County, pursuant to MN Statutes, section 373.01, 373.02, 245.465 and 256M.60, wishes to purchase such program services from the Provider; and

WHEREAS, the Provider represents that it is duly qualified and willing to perform such services;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual understanding and agreements set forth, Houston County and Provider agree as follows:

#### 1. Purchase of Service:

a. Pursuant to MN Statutes 256M (Vulnerable Children and Adults Act) and in

accordance with Minnesota Statute, Sections 256B.0624 and 256B.0944 and as further detailed in Attachment A to this Agreement, Houston County agrees to purchase and the Provider agrees to furnish the following Mental Health Crisis Response Services.

#### **SERVICE DESCRIPTION**

Crisis Assessment Services
Crisis Intervention Services
Residential Crisis Stabilization Services
Crisis Stabilization Services

b. Residential Crisis Stabilization Services will be provided By Southeast Regional Crisis Center. Crisis Assessment Services, Crisis Intervention Services and Crisis Stabilization Services will be provided wherever the services are needed by the client.

## 2. Attachments/Contract Documentation:

a. As a condition precedent to the execution of this Agreement, as well as enabling the County to document compliance with state and federal laws, rules and regulations, Provider shall provide the following documents or information in a form acceptable to the County.

Exhibit A: Program Narrative/Brochure, including description of services to be provided and eligibility criteria (when applicable)

Exhibit B: Job Descriptions and Professional Qualifications of

Personnel Exhibit C: Financial Data

Exhibit D: Organization Status and Structure, Names and Addresses

of directors, partners, and/or officers as applicable

Exhibit E: Applicable Licenses
Exhibit F: Participant's Appeal
Process Exhibit G: Provider Fact

Sheet

Exhibit H: Affirmative Action Certificate or Exclusion

Statement Excluded Provider Policy

Insurance

Insurance and License Form

Other, as follows:

b. All documents and/or information provided pursuant to this Section shall be maintained in the Agreement supporting documentation file and shall be considered a part of this Agreement.

# 3. Cost and Delivery of Purchased Services:

a. Services shall be provided at Medical Assistance rates established by the Minnesota Department of Human Services. Houston County will not be responsible for paying the Provider for provision of these services.

- b. The Provider certifies that the services to be provided under this Agreement are not otherwise available without cost to eligible clients. The Provider further certifies that payment claims for Purchased Services will be in accordance with rates of payment which do not exceed amounts reasonable and necessary to assure quality of service. The Provider further certifies that rates of payment for Purchased Services do not reflect any administrative or program cost assignable to private pay or third-party pay service recipients.
- c. The Provider shall, when applicable, make every effort to collect fees from clients deemed able to pay (partial or full) and further will submit claims for all types of eligible insurance reimbursements (M.A., Private, Group, etc.). Medical Assistance payments must be considered payment in full.
- d. The Provider shall not charge any program or service fee to social service eligible client except in accordance with paragraph c above. If the collection of social service fees is delegated to the Provider, the Provider shall provide the County, Contract Management Unit with information about fees collected and the fee source.

# 4. Eligibility for Services

- a. Eligibility recipients for Purchased Services shall be persons:
  - 1) Who are screened as possibly experiencing a mental health crisis or emergency as defined in Minnesota Statutes 256B.0624 (adult) and Minnesota Statutes 256B.0944 (child) or
  - 2) Who have been assessed as experiencing a mental health crisis or emergency, and
  - 3) Mental health crisis intervention or crisis intervention and stabilization services are determined to be medically necessary.
- b. If the County has sufficient reason to believe that the safety or well-being of a person receiving services may be endangered by the actions of the Provider, its agents and/or employees, the County may require that the Provider immediately terminate providing services to the person. No payments shall be made for the period in which services are suspended or terminated.
- c. The Provider must establish written procedures for discharging a client or terminating services to a client. The written procedures must include preparation of a summary of findings, processes, and plans to be transmitted with the client.

#### 5. Delivery of Care Services: (If Applicable)

Except as noted the Provider retains control over:

- a. Intake procedures and program requirements.
- b. The methods, times, means and personnel for providing Purchased Services to eligible clients.

#### 6. Payment for Purchased Services:

Provider shall bill and be paid via Medical Assistance.

#### 7. Standards and Licenses:

- a. The Provider agrees to comply with all federal, state, county and local laws, regulations, ordinances, rules and certifications as pertaining to the facilities, programs and staff for which the Provider in the performance of its obligations under the Agreement is responsible during the term of this Agreement. This will include, but not be limited to, current health, fire marshal, and program licenses, meeting zoning standards, certification of staff when required, insurance coverage, background check requirements, and all other applicable laws, regulations, ordinances, rules and certifications which are effective, or will become effective, during the period of this Agreement. Further, the Provider agrees to the following:
  - During the term of this Agreement, the Provider agrees to comply with all applicable state licensing standards, all applicable accrediting standards, and any other standards or criteria, including insurance coverage, established by the County to assure quality service.
  - 2) Failure to meet such standards may be cause for cancellation of this Agreement. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, such cancellation may be effective as of the date of such failure.
- b. The Provider agrees to maintain at all times during the term of this Agreement, a process whereby its current and prospective employees and volunteers who will have direct contact with clients served by the program or program services, will consent to a background study for evidence of maltreatment of adults or minors substantiated under MN Statutes, Chapter 245C. Background studies must be completed and approved before staff can provide services with or without supervision.
- c. Provider agrees to maintain a process where all employees and volunteers will receive Fraud, Waste and Abuse training upon starting work with Provider and on an annual basis as outlined in 42 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Section 422.503(b)(4)(vi)(C) and 42 CFR Section 423.504(b)(4)(vi)(C). Provider shall submit documentation of completed training upon request by the County.
- d. The Provider shall supply copies of such licenses, certifications or registrations to the County upon request by the County.
- e. The Provider agrees to inform the County, in writing, of the following related to it or its employees immediately upon:
  - 1) Any changes in licensure status and/or any reported warning to suspend or revoke licensure status.
  - Any allegations and/or investigation by a governmental agency of fraud or criminal wrongdoing
  - 3) Any federal exclusion of an individual or entity of this Agreement, or any conviction that could result in federal exclusion.
- f. In the event that licensure or certification of any employee of the Provider requiring licensure, certifications, or registrations is suspended, revoked, or terminated, or expires, said employee shall cease the provision of services under this Agreement

#### immediately.

- g. Provider shall ensure that all services delivered by staff are within their scope of licensure and practice. Provider shall ensure that all personnel, including any subcontractors performing services under this Agreement, receive appropriate training and supervision. Provider shall also maintain appropriate levels of staffing at all times when performing services under this Agreement.
- h. The Provider agrees to comply with the Houston County Limited English Proficiency Plan. If a Houston County client needs language assistance, the Provider may contact the County case worker (or financial worker) to arrange for interpreter services to be provided via an assigned interpreter of the County.
- i. This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the substantive and procedural laws of the State of Minnesota. All proceedings related to this Agreement shall venue in the State of Minnesota.

#### 8. Audit and Record Disclosures:

- a. The Provider agrees to maintain, and upon request, furnish the County with all program and financial information including evaluation and performance criteria and reports which are reasonably required for effective administration and evaluation of services. The Provider shall maintain a bookkeeping system which sufficiently and properly documents all revenue received from the County and all direct and indirect costs incurred in the performance of this Agreement.
- b. The Provider agrees to maintain all records pertaining to this Agreement at Hiawatha Valley Mental Health Center, for ten (10) years for audit purposes. All books, documents and accounting procedures and practices of the Provider that are relevant to this Agreement are subject to examination by the County, MNDHS, applicable health plans the US Dept. of Health and Human Services, and either the Legislative Auditor or State Auditor, as appropriate, for a minimum of ten (10) years. The Provider shall promptly notify the County in accordance with the Notices section of any changes in the location where its records related to this Agreement are stored or maintained. The ten (10) year record retention requirement shall survive the termination of this Agreement.

C.	Provider shall provide the County with reports as the County may from time to time reasonably require, including, but not limited to the following:
	A written Program and Statistical Report in a form approved or provided by the Lead County within thirty (30) days after the end of each quarter.  Quarterly Monthly line item expense and revenue reports within thirty  (30) days after the end of each quarter/menth unless after the end of each quarter.
	<ul> <li>(30) days after the end of each quarter/month unless otherwise indicated in writing by the County.</li> <li>Revenue and Expense Statement and Balance Sheet on an annual basis</li> </ul>
	Annual certified audit and the audit's management letter within one hundred twenty (120) days of the end of any of Provider's fiscal year(s) which covers all or a portion of the Agreement term.

- Provider shall comply with the audit standards as set forth in the Single Audit Act of 1984, P.L. 98-502 and the Single Audit Act Amendments of 10996, P.L. 104-156 and Office of Management Budget Circular No. A-128, A-110, or A-133, as applicable.
- As requested by the County, Provider shall cooperate with County's efforts related to the development of outcomes measures and indicators or other evaluation or Quality Improvement (QI) initiatives.
- Monthly/Quarterly/As Specified Community Mental Health Reporting System (CMHRS) required data on each mental health client.
  - 1. Client specific ID number that adheres to data privacy restrictions in Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 13.
  - 2. The type of number of units of service provided to each client; and

3. The date of birth, race and gender of each client.

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	information to assist in the County's planning efforts and effective
	management of services. Such information shall be furnished to the Health,
	Housing and Human Services Division within reasonable periods of time as
	stated in written notice.
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- d. The Provider shall request client consent for the release of information to be used for billing and individual record audit purposes. The Provider shall document the request in the client's record. If the Provider is unable to obtain consent for the release of private data, the Provider shall report client's activities to the County by way of non-identifying case numbers which must remain constant over the term of the Agreement.
- e. Upon request by the County, Provider shall provide the County with such information regarding the qualifications of its staff, including professionals, volunteers, and others, as is required by the County to verify that present and subsequent services are being rendered by competent, trained, and properly licensed or certified personnel.
- f. Provider shall notify the County within five (5) days of any changes in location, ownership, organizational structure, board of director membership, chief operating officers, or other key staff identified by the County to be integral to the performance of this Agreement.
- g. The County reserves the right to withhold payments under this Agreement pending the timely receipt of any information required in the Audit and Record Disclosures section of this Agreement.
- h. The County's procedures for monitoring and evaluating the Provider's performance under this contract may include, but are not limited to, on-site visits to the Provider's premise(s) or job site(s), review of client files, review of Provider's financial, statistical, and program records, a review of reports and data supplied by the Provider at the County's request. In order to assist the County in its obligation to evaluate and monitor Provider's performance, Provider shall allow authorized

personnel of the County access to the Provider's premises or the job site and records.

- i. Where applicable, the Provider shall comply with all policies of the Minnesota Department of Human Services and applicable health plans regarding social services recording and monitoring procedures, and maintenance of health service records for services rendered to persons receiving services under this Agreement.
- j. If the County discovers any practice, procedure, or policy of the Provider which deviates from the requirements of this Agreement, violates federal or state law, threatens the success of the program conducted pursuant to this Agreement, jeopardizes the fiscal integrity of such program, or compromises the health or safety of recipients of the service, the County may require corrective action, withhold payment in whole or in part, suspend referrals, or terminate this Agreement immediately. If the County notifies Provider that corrective action is required, Provider shall promptly initiate and correct any and all discrepancies, violations or deficiencies to the satisfaction of the County within thirty (30) days, unless the County notifies the Provider that it is necessary to make corrections at an earlier date in order to protect the health and safety of recipients of service.

#### 9. Notices

All notices, certificates or other communications shall be sufficiently given when delivered via email or postal mail to the parties at their respective places of business as set forth below:

a. The County:

Houston County Public Health & Human Services 304 S. Marshall Street Caledonia. MN 55921

b. The Provider: Hiawatha Valley Mental Health Center

420 East Sarnia Ste 2100 Winona. MN 55987

## 10. Reports of Death, Injury, Damage, or Abuse

- a. If death, serious personal injury, or substantial property damage occur in connection with the performance of this Agreement, the Provider shall immediately give notice in accordance with the Notices section. In addition, Provider shall promptly submit to County, a written report including: (1) the name and address of the injured/deceased person; (2) the time and location of the incident; (3) the names and addresses of the Provider's employees or agents who were involved with the incident; (4) the names of County employees, if any, involved in the incident; and (5) a detailed description of the incident.
- b. Providers who provide services to persons under the age of 18 must comply with the Maltreatment of Minors reporting requirements as defined in Minnesota

Statutes, section 626.556.

c. All persons 18 years and older under this current contract categorically fall under the definition of Vulnerable Adults as defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 626.5572. Providers must follow all reporting requirements as defined in Minnesota Statutes, section 626.557.

#### 11. Safeguard of Client Information:

- a. The County and the Provider must comply with the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, Minn. Stat. Ch. 13, as it applies to all data provided by the County under this Agreement, and as it applies to all data created, collected, received, stored, used, maintained, or disseminated by the Provider under this Agreement. The civil remedies of Minn. Stat. § 13.08 apply to the release of the data referred to in this clause by either the Provider or the County.
- b. If the Provider receives a request to release the data referred to in this Section, the Provider must immediately notify the County. The County will give the Provider instructions concerning the release of the data to the requesting party before the data is released.
- c. The use or disclosure by any party of information concerning an eligible client in violation of any rule of confidentiality provided for in Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 13, or for any purpose not directly connected with the administration of Houston County's or Provider's responsibility with respect to the Purchased Services hereunder is prohibited except on written consent of such eligible client, the client's attorney or the client's responsible parent or guardian.
- d. The individual employed by the Provider who is designated to assure compliance with the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, in accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 13.46, subdivision 10, paragraph (d) shall be Erik Sievers.
- e. The Provider agrees to defend, indemnify, and save and hold the County, its agents, officers, and employees harmless from all claims arising out of, resulting from, or in any manner attributable to any violation or any provision of the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, including any legal fees or disbursements paid or incurred to enforce the provisions of this article of the Agreement.
- f. To the extent that Provider performs a function or activity involving the use of "protected health information" (45 CFR 164.501), on behalf of Houston County, including, but not limited to: providing health care services; health care claims processing or administration; data analysis, processing or administration; utilization review; quality assurance; billing; benefit management; practice management; repricing; or otherwise as provided by 45 CFR § 160.103, provider/contractor is a business associate of the County for purposes of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996. Provider agrees to comply with the requirements of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 and its

implementing regulations (45 C.F.R. Part 160-164), (collectively referred to as "HIPAA"), and has executed an addendum to this Agreement for purposes of compliance with HIPAA, which addendum is incorporated herein by this reference.

# 12. Equal Employment Opportunity and Civil Rights and Nondiscrimination:

- a. The Provider agrees to comply with the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title VII, 42 U.S.C. 2000e, including Executive Order No. 11246, Title VI, 42 U.S.C. 2000d, 42 U.S.C. § 12101, et seq. ("ADA"), 28 C.F.R. § 35.101-35.190, Title IX of the Educational Amendments of 1982 as amended, Sections 503 and 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Action of 1990, Section 1557 of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act of 2010, and all other Federal regulations which prohibit discrimination in any program receiving federal financial assistance and the Minnesota Human Rights Act, Minnesota Statutes, 363A.01 et seq. The Provider also agrees to comply with the regulations to the effect that, no person in the United States shall, on the grounds of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, or religion, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or otherwise subject to discrimination under U.S. Department of Health and Human Services programs.
- b. It is Houston County's policy that all providers desiring to do business with the County adhere to the principles of Equal Employment Opportunity and Affirmative Action. This requires not only that providers do not unlawfully discriminate in any condition of employment on the basis of race, color, creed, religion, national origin, sex, marital status, status with regard to public assistance, familial status, membership or activity in a local commission, disability, sexual orientation or age but that they also take affirmative action to insure positive progress in Equal Opportunity Employment. To the extent applicable, the Provider certifies that it has received a certificate of compliance from the Commissioner of Human Rights pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, section 363A.36. This section only applies if the Agreement is for more than \$100,000.00 and the Provider has employed 40 or more employees within the State of Minnesota on a single working day during the previous 12 months.

#### 13. Conflict of Interest:

Provider agrees that it will neither contract for nor accept employment for the performance of any work or services with any individual, business, partnership, corporation, government, governmental unit, or any other organization that would create a conflict of interest in the performance of its obligations under this Agreement.

#### 14. Contract Disputes:

a. Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, any dispute concerning a question of fact arising under this Agreement shall be subject to negotiation and agreement by the Director of Public Health and Human Services. A written copy of the determination will be provided to the Provider and will be deemed final copy and conclusive unless, within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such copy, the Provider furnishes to the County a written appeal. The decision of Houston County for the determination of such appeals, shall be through the Director of Public Health

and Human Services and shall be final and conclusive unless determined by a court of competent jurisdiction to have been fraudulent, capricious, arbitrary, so grossly erroneous as necessarily to imply bad faith or not supported by substantial evidence. In conjunction with any appeal proceeding under this clause, the Provider shall be afforded an opportunity to be heard and to offer evidence in support of its appeal. Pending final decision of a dispute hereunder, the Provider shall proceed diligently with the performance of the Agreement.

b. This disputes clause does not preclude consideration of questions of law.

# 15. Fair Hearing and Grievance Procedures:

The Provider agrees to provide for a fair hearing and grievance procedure in conformance with and in conjunction with the Fair Hearing and Grievance Procedures established by administrative rules of the State Department of Human Services and Minnesota Statutes, Section 256.045, which are incorporated by reference into this Agreement.

#### 16. Indemnification:

- a. The Provider does hereby agree that it will defend, indemnify, and hold harmless, the Department and the County against any and all liability, loss, damages, costs and expenses which the Department or County may hereafter sustain, incur, or be required to pay:
  - By reason of any applicant or eligible recipient suffering bodily or personal injury, death, or property loss or damage either while participating in or receiving the care and services to be furnished under this Agreement, or while on premises owned, leased, or operated by the Provider, or while being transported to or from said premises in any vehicle owned, operated, leased, chartered, or otherwise contracted for by the Provider or any officer, agent, or employee thereof; or
  - 2) By reason of any applicant or eligible recipient causing injury to, or damage to, the property of another person, during any time when the Provider or any officer, agent, or employee thereof has undertaken or is furnishing the care and services called for under this Agreement; or
  - 3) By reason of any negligent act or omission or intentional act of the Provider, its agents, officers, or employees which causes bodily injury, death, personal injury, property loss, or damage to another during the performance of purchased services under this Agreement.
- b. This indemnity provision shall survive the termination or expiration of this Agreement. The County does not intend to waive any immunity it may have by statute or common law.

#### 17. Insurance and Bonding:

- a. In order to protect itself and the County under the indemnity provisions set forth above, Provider shall, at the Provider's expense, procure and maintain the following insurance coverage at all times during the term of the Agreement:
  - A general liability insurance policy in the amount of \$1,500,000 for bodily injury or

property damage to any one person and for total injuries or damages arising from any one incident. The County must be named an additional insured and shall be sent a certificate of insurance on an annual basis.

Worker's compensation insurance per Minnesota Statute, section 176.181.

Professional liability insurance policy for licensed professionals with a minimum aggregate amount of \$1,000,000.

- Fidelity Bond or insurance coverage for theft/dishonesty that covers theft of a client's funds or belongings with a minimum amount of \$15,000; when the provider and/or provider employees handle clients' funds or have direct access to clients' belongings.
- b. By signing this Agreement, and the Insurance and License Form (Exhibit H), the Provider certifies that they are in compliance with this Section.
- c. The Provider at all times is solely responsible to maintain in force the insurance coverage required under this Agreement and shall provide, without demand by County, annual certificates and/or pertinent documentation regarding insurance renewal or termination to the County. If the certificate is not received by the expiration date, County shall notify Provider and Provider shall have five (5) calendar days to send in the certificate, evidencing no lapse in coverage during the interim.
- d. The County reserves the right to request and obtain all insurance information pertinent to this Agreement, directly from the Provider's insurance agent(s).
- e. Failure by the Provider to maintain insurance coverage as set forth in this Insurance and Bonding section is a default of this Agreement, which entitles the County, at its sole discretion, to terminate this Agreement immediately.

# 18. <u>Contractor Debarment, Suspension, and Responsibility Certification</u>

Federal Regulation 45 CFR 92.35 prohibits Houston County from purchasing goods or services with federal money from vendors who have been suspended or debarred by the federal government. Similarly, Minnesota Statutes, Section 16C.03, subd. 2 provides the Commissioner of Administration with the authority to debar and suspend vendors who seek to contract with the State of Minnesota or Houston County. Vendors may be suspended or debarred when it is determined, through a duly authorized hearing process, that they have abused the public trust in a serious manner. By signing this Agreement, and the Excluded Provider Policy Certification Form (Exhibit H), the Provider certifies that they are in compliance with these regulations.

#### 19. Conditions of the Parties' Obligations:

- a. Before the termination date specified in the first paragraph of this Agreement, Houston County may evaluate the contract performance of the Provider and determine whether such performance merits renewal of this Agreement.
- b. The County will only reimburse for services specified in this Agreement. Amendments to the contract must be signed by both parties and prepared

according to the Modification of Agreement section of this Agreement.

- c. No claim for services furnished by the Provider not specifically provided in the agreement will be allowed by the County, nor must the Provider do any work or furnish any material not covered by the agreement, unless this is approved in writing by the County. Such approval must be considered a modification of the agreement.
- d. If there is a revision of Federal regulations which might make this Agreement ineligible for Federal financial participation, all parties will review this Agreement and renegotiate those items necessary to bring the Agreement into compliance with the new Federal regulations.
- e. If there should be any change in mode of delivery of service, type of client being served or change in policy regarding services being purchased, the County must be notified, in writing, prior to action taking place.
- f. In accordance with Minnesota Statutes, Section 245.466, subdivision 3 (1), the Commissioner of the Minnesota Department of Human Services is a third party beneficiary to this contract. The Provider specifically acknowledges and agrees that the MN Department of Human Services has standing to and may take any appropriate administrative action or may sue the Provider for any appropriate relief in law or equity, including, but not limited to, rescission, damages, or specific performance, of all or any part of the agreement between the County and the Provider. The Provider specifically acknowledges that the County and the MN Department of Human Services are entitled to and may recover from the Provider reasonable attorney's fees and costs and disbursements associated with any action taken under this section that is successfully maintained. This provision shall not be construed to limit the rights of any party to the agreement or any other third- party beneficiary, nor shall it be construed as a waiver of immunity under the Eleventh Amendment to the United States Constitution or any other waiver of immunity.
- g. Provider agrees to abide by all applicable Federal Lobbying Restrictions in accordance with DHS Mental Health/CSP Grant Requirements.

#### 20. Independent Contractor:

- a. Provider is to be and shall remain an independent contractor with respect to any and all work and/or services performed under this Agreement. It is agreed that nothing herein contained in this Agreement is intended or should be construed in any manner as creating the relationship of co-partners, joint ventures, or an association with the County and the Provider, nor shall the Provider, its employees, agents, and representatives be considered employees, agents, and representatives of the County.
- b. The Provider represents that it has, or will secure at its own expense, all personnel required in performing services under this Agreement. Any and all personnel of the Provider or other persons, while engaged in the performance of any work or services

required by the Provider under this Agreement, shall have no contractual relationship with the County and shall not be considered employees of the County, and any and all claims that may or might arise under the Unemployment Compensation Act or the Workers' Compensation Act of the State of Minnesota on behalf of said personnel arising out of employment or alleged employment including, without limitation, claims of discrimination against the Provider, its officers, agents, contractors, or employees shall in no way be the responsibility of the County. The Provider and its personnel shall neither require nor be entitled to any compensation, rights, or benefits of any kind whatsoever from the County, including without limitation, tenure rights, medical and hospital care, sick and vacation leave, Workers' Compensation, Unemployment Insurance, disability, severance pay and PERA.

c. Provider shall defend, indemnify, and hold the County, its officers, agents, and employees harmless from any and all such claims irrespective of any determination of any pertinent tribunal, agency, board, commission, or court. Such personnel or other persons shall neither require nor be entitled to any compensation, rights, or benefits of any kind whatsoever from the County, including without limitation, tenure rights, medical and hospital care, sick and vacation leave, Workers' Compensation, Unemployment Insurance, disability, severance pay and PERA

## 21. Subcontracting and Assignment:

The Provider shall neither enter into subcontracts for performance of this Agreement nor assign this Agreement without prior written approval of the County and then only subject to such conditions that the County may deem necessary.

#### 22. Modification of Agreement:

Any material alterations, variations, modifications, or waivers of provisions of this Agreement shall only be valid when they have been reduced to writing, duly signed, and attached to the original of this agreement.

#### 23. Default:

- a. <u>Force Majeure:</u> Neither party shall be liable to the other party for any loss or damage resulting from a delay or failure to perform due to unforeseeable acts or events outside the defaulting party's reasonable control, providing the defaulting party gives notice to the other party as soon as possible. Acts and events may include fire, flood, epidemic, strikes, acts of God, unusually severe weather, acts of civil or military authority, acts of terrorism, delays or defaults caused by public carriers, or natural disasters which cannot reasonably be forecast or provided against.
- b. <a href="Inability to Perform:">Inability to Perform:</a> Provider shall make every reasonable effort to maintain staff, facilities, and equipment to deliver the services to be purchased by the County. The Provider shall immediately notify the County, according to the Notices section, whenever it is unable to, or reasonably believes it is going to be unable to provide the agreed upon quality or quantity of Purchased Services. Upon such notification, Houston County and Provider shall determine whether such inability will require a suspension of referrals and/or modification/cancellation of the Agreement.

- c. <u>Changes in Policies or Staff:</u> The County reserves the right to suspend or terminate this contract on ten (10) days written notice if the County, in its sole discretion, does not approve of significant proposed or actual changes in Provider's policies or staff.
- d. <u>Default by Provider:</u> Unless cured or excused by the Force Majeure provision or County default, each of the following shall constitute default on the part of the Provider:
  - 1) Fails to provide services called for by this Agreement within the time specified herein or any extension thereof;
  - Provider is in such financial condition so as to endanger the performance of this Agreement;
  - Makes material misrepresentations either in the attached exhibits and documents or in any other material provision or condition relied upon in the making of this Agreement;
  - 4) Persistently disregards laws, ordinances, rules, regulations or orders of any public authority, including the County:
  - 5) Failing to perform any other material provision of this Agreement.
- e. <u>Default by County</u> Unless cured or excused by the Force Majeure provision or Provider default, each of the following shall constitute default on the part of the County:
  - 1) Making material misrepresentations either in the Agreement or Attachments or in any other material provision or condition relied upon in the making of this Agreement
  - 2) Failing to perform any other material provision of this Agreement.
- f. Written Notice of Default: Unless a different procedure and/or effective date is provided within the specific article or paragraph of this Agreement under which default, failure or breach occurs, no event shall constitute a default giving rise to the right to terminate unless and until a written Notice of Default is provided to the defaulting party, via certified mail, specifying the particular event, series of events or failure constituting the default and cure period.
- g. <u>Cure Period</u>: if the party in default fails to cure the specified circumstances as described by the Notice of Default within ten (10) days, or such additional time as may be authorized by the County, then the whole or any part of this Agreement may be terminated by Written Notice of Termination.

#### 24. Termination:

- a. <u>Termination without Cause:</u> Either party may terminate this Agreement at any time without cause by providing ninety (90) days advance written notice to the other party via certified mail. The notice shall state the effective date of the termination. Written notice of terminate by the Provider shall be addressed to Houston County Public Health and Human Services, 304 S Marshall Street, Caledonia, MN 55921.
- b. <u>Termination with Cause:</u> The County may suspend and/or terminate this Agreement for good cause immediately upon written notice to the Provider. "Good cause"

includes, but is not limited to, failure of the Provider to perform a material requirement of the Agreement. "Good cause" shall also include Provider's failure to implement corrective action in a timely fashion pursuant to the Cure Period of this Agreement.

- c. Reduction and/or Termination of Government Funding: Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, if the state or federal government terminates or reduces its funding to the County for services that are to be provided under this Agreement, then the County may, by amendment, reduce funding or terminate the Agreement as appropriate. The County will notify the Provider as soon as it receives confirmation of reduction from the funding source(s). Furthermore, the County shall not be assessed any penalty or damages if the Agreement is terminated due to lack of funding.
- d. Written Notice of Termination: Notice of Termination shall be made by certified mail or personal delivery to the authorized agent of the party. Notice is deemed effective upon deposit of written notice in the United States Mail and addressed to the party authorized to receive notice as specified in the Notices section of this Agreement.
- e. <u>Duties of Provider upon Termination:</u> Upon delivery of the Notice of Termination, and where applicable, Provider shall:
  - 1) Discontinue performance of this Agreement on the date and to the extent specified in the Notice of Termination;
  - 2) Immediately notify all clients of the Notice of Termination who are receiving services pursuant to this Agreement;
  - 3) Cancel all service agreements and subcontracts to the extent that they relate to the performances cancelled by the Notice of Termination:
  - 4) Complete performance of such terms that have not been cancelled by the Notice of Termination;
  - 5) Submit a final invoice for services provided prior to termination, within thirty (30) days of the date of termination.
- f. <u>Duties of County upon Termination:</u> Upon delivery of the Notice of Termination, and except as otherwise provided, County:
  - 1) Shall make final payment within thirty (30) days for any services satisfactorily provided up through the date of termination in accordance with the terms of the Agreement.
  - 2) Shall not be liable for any services provided after Notice of Termination, except as stated above or as authorized by the County in writing.
- g. <u>Survival of Obligations after Termination</u>: Upon Termination of this Agreement, County will no longer refer clients to the Provider under this Agreement, and the rights and duties of the parties shall be terminated, except that the following obligations shall survive termination:
  - Provider shall, pursuant to the Notice of Termination and/or upon written approval of the Director of Public Health and Human Services, continue services/care to clients receiving services/care from Provider until completion

- of services/care or continuation of services/care by another provider can be arranged by the County.
- 2) County shall arrange for such transfer of services/care no later than thirty (30) days after Agreement termination if the clients' care is not by then completed.
- County, any payer, and Provider will continue to remain obligated under this Agreement with regard to payment for services rendered prior to termination or required to be rendered after termination as provided above.
- 4) Provider will continue to remain obligated with respect to the confidentiality, auditing, client file maintenance, other requirement outlined in this Agreement, and transfer of the client's files to the County or the client's new provider of services.

# 25. Contract Rights, Remedies, and Waiver:

- a. The rights and remedies of the County provided in this Agreement shall not be exclusive and are in addition to any other rights and remedies provided by law or under this Agreement.
- b. Waiver of any default shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any subsequent default. Waiver or breach of any provision of this Agreement shall not be construed to be modification of the terms of this Agreement unless stated to be such in writing, signed by an authorized representative of the County, and attached to the original Agreement.

#### 26. Damages:

- a. <u>Duty to Mitigate:</u> Both parties shall use their best efforts to mitigate any damages which might be suffered by reason of any event giving rise to a remedy hereunder.
- b. <u>Damages for Breach</u>: Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement to the contrary, upon breach of this Agreement by the Provider, the County may withhold final payment due to Provider until such time as the exact amount of damages due is determined.

#### 27. Merger:

a. <u>Entire Agreement:</u> It is understood and agreed that the entire agreement of the parties is contained in Sections 1-27, Attachment A and Exhibits A - H. This Agreement supersedes all oral agreements and negotiations relating to this contract including any previous agreements pertinent to the services described in this contract. All items referred to in this Agreement are incorporated or attached and are deemed to be part of this Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Houston County and Hiawatha Valley Mental Health Center have executed this Agreement as of the day and year first written above.

Hiawatha Valley Mental Health Center	
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Erik Sievers Executive Director	
HOUSTON COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH AND HI	JMAN SERVICES
BY: John So	DATED: 4/29/2/
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#### **ATTACHMENT A**

# Provision of Crisis Response Services Hiawatha Valley Mental Health Center in collaboration with Houston County Public Health and Human Services, Crisis Response for Southeast Minnesota, and Frist Call for Help

Under the Case Management and Mobile Crisis contracts Hiawatha Valley Mental Health Center will provide Crisis Assessment, Crisis Intervention, and Crisis Stabilization services during business hours (8 am to 5 pm Monday through Friday) by contacting them via phone at Hiawatha Valley Mental Health Center at 507-454-4341 and after hours (5 pm to 8 am on weekdays, 24 hours on weekends and holidays) by calling the Southeast Minnesota Crisis Line at 1-844-CRISIS2. After hours, Hiawatha Valley Mental Health Center will provide these services primarily through the Crisis Response for Southeast Minnesota for mobile services.

After hours, Houston County clients are screened and assessed through the SE MN Crisis Line provider (First Call for Help). If the crisis cannot be resolved through phone counseling, First Call for Help activates a mobile crisis response team with Crisis Response for Southeast Minnesota. This may or may not result in someone other than the primary case manager screening and/or assessing the client. All staff at Hiawatha Valley Mental Health Center, Crisis Response for Southeast Minnesota, and First Call for Help have received the appropriate training in crisis management.

Residential Crisis Stabilization services are provided in the Southeast Regional Crisis Center. This is a 24/7 facility. Persons are eligible for crisis stabilization following an assessment by a member of the Mobile Crisis Team or the Crisis Response for Southeast Minnesota mobile team if an individual is experiencing a mental health crisis or emergency not requiring hospitalization.

The assessment, intervention, and stabilization services are provided according to the legislation and Minnesota DHS, and are provided cooperation with Winona County. Winona County utilizes the Crisis Stabilization, Residential services of Southeast Regional Crisis Center when appropriate.

During Business Hours: Hiawatha Valley Mental Health Center's primary number: 507-454-4341. After Hours Access: 1-844-CRISIS2---to First Call for Help or a Crisis Response for Southeast Minnesota mobile worker who will provide crisis screening, assessment and intervention as needed. This may occur in the consumer's home, in the community or by telephone. All local emergency response, including the Emergency Departments in the area, will be utilized to the extent required.