Appendix A - Insurance Requirements

If you do not currently carry all of the required insurance for this solicitation, a current certificate of insurance (COI) evidencing the insurance you do carry and a letter from your insurance agent/broker stating that 'if our client (you) is awarded the contract, the required coverage will be provided' will suffice.

EXHIBIT A

RE: Environmental Consulting Services PRN ID: CEMIH24010 Insurance Doc ID: INS0002422

I. MINIMUM REQUIRED INSURANCE: MINIMUM LIMITS OF INSURANCE

INSURANCE TYPE	LIMITS	BASIS
Workers' Compensation	Statutory	
Employers' Liability	\$500,000	Each Accident
	\$500,000	Disease Policy Limit
	\$500,000	Disease Each Employee
Commercial General		
Liability		
	\$2,000,000	Each Occurrence Limit
	\$4,000,000	General Aggregate Limit
	\$2,000,000	Products-Completed
		Operations Limit
Business Auto Liability		
**See Auto Liability #5	\$5,000,000	Combined Single Limit
below		

Professional Liability		
	\$2,000,000	Each Claim
Pollution Liability		
	\$5,000,000	Each Claim

II. <u>MINIMUM REQUIRED INSURANCE: MINIMUM INSURANCE</u> <u>COVERAGES AND COVERAGE PROVISIONS</u>

1) Contractor is required to maintain the insurance outlined in this Exhibit A during the entire period of performance under this contract. Notice to Proceed (NTP) will not be issued until all required insurance has been accepted by WMATA.

- 2) The prescribed insurance coverage and limits of insurance are minimum required coverages and limits. Contractor is encouraged, at its sole cost and expense, to purchase any additional insurance coverages and or limits of insurance that Contractor deems prudent and necessary to manage risk in the completion of this contract.
- 3) Upon written request from WMATA, contractor shall provide copies of any requested insurance policies, including applicable endorsements, within five (5) business days of such request.
- 4) Receipt, review or communications regarding certificates of insurance (COI), insurance policies, endorsements, or other materials utilized to document compliance with these Minimum Insurance Requirements does not constitute acceptance by WMATA.
- 5) Insurance companies must be acceptable to WMATA and must have an A. M. Best rating of at least A- VII.
- 6) Unless otherwise noted, "Claims Made" insurance policies are not acceptable.
- 7) Any insurance policy utilizing a Self-Insured Retention (SIR) requires written approval from WMATA.
- 8) Contractor must incorporate these Minimum Insurance Requirements into contract requirements of all subcontractors of every tier; however, Contractor, at its sole peril, may amend these Minimum Insurance Requirements for its subcontractors, but doing so does not relieve Contractor from its respective liability to WMATA.
- 9) Compliance with these Minimum Insurance Requirements does not relieve Contractor from Contractor's respective liability to WMATA, even if that liability exceeds the Minimum Insurance Requirements.

COVERAGE-SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

Commercial General Liability

- 1) Commercial General Liability (CGL) shall be written on ISO Occurrence Form CG0001 (12/04) or its equivalent. Equivalency determination shall be made in WMATA's sole and unreviewable discretion.
- 2) Required minimum limits of coverage may be achieved through a combination of the aforementioned CGL coverage form and an Umbrella/Excess Liability coverage form(s), provided that the Umbrella/Excess Liability coverage form(s) provides the same or broader coverage than the prescribed CGL coverage form.
- 3) Policy shall be endorsed with Additional Insured Endorsement(s) in compliance with the "Additional Insured" Section below.
- 4) Policy shall be endorsed with a Waiver of Subrogation Endorsement(s) in compliance with the Waiver of Subrogation" section below.
- 5) The definition of "Insured Contract" shall be modified to provide coverage for contractual liability for any contracts involving construction or demolition operations that are within 50 feet of a railroad, and sidetrack agreements. Evidence of this modification shall be provided to WMATA along with all other required documents.
- 6) Defense Costs (Allocated Loss Adjustment Expense) must be included and outside of the policy limits for all primary liability and Umbrella/Excess Liability policies.

Business Auto Liability

- 1) Business Auto Liability insurance shall be written on ISO Business Auto Coverage Form CA 00 01 03 06, or its equivalent. Equivalency determination shall be made in WMATA's sole and unreviewable discretion.
- 2) Policy shall be endorsed with Additional Insured Endorsement(s) in compliance with the "Additional Insured" Section below.
- 3) Policy shall be endorsed with a Waiver of Subrogation Endorsement(s) in compliance with the Waiver of Subrogation" section below.
- 4) Business Auto Liability minimum Combined Single Limit requirements may be obtained through the combination of a primary business auto liability policy and an Umbrella/Excess Liability policy provided that the Umbrella/Excess Liability policy complies with items 2 and 3 above.
- 5) MCS-90 Endorsement for work involving the transportation or disposal of any hazardous material or waste off of the jobsite. <u>If the MCS-90 Endorsement is required, minimum auto liability limits of \$5,000,000 per occurrence are also required as is form CA 99 48, broadened coverage for pollution liability.</u>
- 6) Non-Owned Disposal Site (NODS) Endorsement providing coverage for the Contractor's legal liability arising out of pollution conditions at the designated non-owned disposal site.

Professional Liability Insurance

WMATA may require professional liability insurance (Errors and Omissions) for Contractor's work or that of its subcontractors for certain types of consulting services. Coverage can be written on an "occurrence" or "claims-made" basis.

Pollution Liability Insurance

Permittee, any subcontractor of any tier, or any supplier performing work that may in any way involve contact with, exposure to or release of hazardous materials including but not limited to construction, soil testing and demolition, is required to maintain Pollution Liability insurance as follows:

- 1) Coverage can be written on an "occurrence" or "claims-made" basis.
- 2) Coverage can be written on "non-admitted" paper.
- 3) Policy shall be endorsed with Additional Insured Endorsement(s) in compliance with the "Additional Insured" section below.

IV. <u>OTHER</u>

Additional Insured

1) Contractor and subcontractors of every tier are required to add WMATA and WMATA Board of Directors as additional insured on all required insurance including excess liability policies, with the exception of Workers' Compensation and Professional Liability.

- 2) Coverage provided to Additional Insured shall be primary and non-contributory to any other insurance available to the Additional Insured, including coverage afforded to the WMATA as an additional insured by subcontractors, and from other third parties.
- 3) Coverage provided to any Additional Insured shall be for claims arising out of both ongoing operations and products and completed operations hazard.
- 4) Coverage available to any Additional Insured under the products and completed operations hazard can only be limited to the applicable statute of repose in the jurisdiction(s) where the contract scope of work takes place.
- 5) Commercial General Liability and Umbrella/Excess Liability forms must provide defense coverage for additional insureds. The Additional Insured Endorsement shall provide coverage for Ongoing as well as Products and Completed Operations with no limitation on when claims can be made.

Waiver of Subrogation

Contractor and subcontractors of every tier are required to have all insurance policies except Professional Liability endorsed to waive the respective insurance company's rights of recovery against WMATA, and the WMATA Board of Directors.

1) Waiver shall be provided on an endorsement that is acceptable to WMATA.

Certificate of Insurance (COI)

Contractor shall provide WMATA an ACORD Certificate of Insurance (COI) and copies of all required endorsements as evidence that the insurance requirements of this Section have been satisfied. Certificates of Insurance shall be sent to WMATA and must be dated within 30 days of contract review.

The Certificate Holder box should read:

Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority PO Box 23298 Washington, DC 20026-3298

Additionally:

- 1) Proposed material modifications to required insurance, including notice of cancellation, must be received by WMATA in writing at least 30 days prior to the effective date of such change or cancellation.
- 2) WMATA's receipt of copies of any COI, policy endorsements or policies does not relieve Contractor of the obligation to remain in compliance with the requirements of this Section at all times. Contractor's failure to comply with these insurance requirements shall constitute a material breach of this Contract.
- 3) Receipt of the COI does not constitute acceptance of the insurance outlined above.