BID FORM FOR CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT

ARTICLE 1—OWNER AND BIDDER

- 1.01 This Bid is submitted to: Town of Richmond, 203 Bridge Street, Richmond, VT 05477
- 1.02 The undersigned Bidder proposes and agrees, if this Bid is accepted, to enter into an Agreement with Owner in the form included in the Bidding Documents to perform all Work as specified or indicated in the Bidding Documents for the prices and within the times indicated in this Bid and in accordance with the other terms and conditions of the Bidding Documents.

ARTICLE 2—ATTACHMENTS TO THIS BID

- 2.01 The following documents are submitted with and made a condition of this Bid:
 - A. Required Bid security;

ARTICLE 3—BASIS OF BID—UNIT PRICES

- 3.01 Unit Price Bids
 - A. Bidder will perform the following Work at the indicated unit prices:

Item No.	Description	Unit	Estimated Quantity	Bid Amount
1.0	Tilden Ave. Stormwater Improvements	LS	1	\$89,500.00

- B. Bidder acknowledges that:
 - 1. each Bid Unit Price includes an amount considered by Bidder to be adequate to cover Contractor's overhead and profit for each separately identified item, and
 - estimated quantities are not guaranteed, and are solely for the purpose of comparison of Bids, and final payment for all Unit Price Work will be based on actual quantities, determined as provided in the Contract Documents, and
 - 3. Any unbalanced unit pricing, or "pennied" items, will be honored by the Contractor, regardless of the final quantity constructed as part of the project, and
 - 4. Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids, at their sole discretion, and

ARTICLE 4—BIDDER'S ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS: ACCEPTANCE PERIOD, INSTRUCTIONS, AND RECEIPT OF ADDENDA

- 4.01 Bid Acceptance Period
 - A. This Bid will remain subject to acceptance for 30 days after the Bid opening, or for such longer period of time that Bidder may agree to in writing upon request of Owner.

4.02 Instructions to Bidders

A. Bidder accepts all of the terms and conditions of the Instructions to Bidders, including without limitation those dealing with the disposition of Bid security.

4.03 Receipt of Addenda

A. Bidder hereby acknowledges receipt of the following Addenda:

Addendum Number	Addendum Date

ARTICLE 5—BIDDER'S REPRESENTATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS

5.01 Bidder's Representations

- A. In submitting this Bid, Bidder represents the following:
 - 1. Bidder has examined and carefully studied the Bidding Documents, including Addenda.
 - 2. Bidder has visited the Site, conducted a thorough visual examination of the Site and adjacent areas, and become familiar with the general, local, and Site conditions that may affect cost, progress, and performance of the Work.
 - 3. Bidder is familiar with all Laws and Regulations that may affect cost, progress, and performance of the Work.
 - 4. Bidder has carefully studied the reports of explorations and tests of subsurface conditions at or adjacent to the Site and the drawings of physical conditions relating to existing surface or subsurface structures at the Site that have been identified in the Supplementary Conditions, with respect to the Technical Data in such reports and drawings.
 - 5. Bidder has considered the information known to Bidder itself; information commonly known to contractors doing business in the locality of the Site; information and observations obtained from visits to the Site; and the Bidding Documents on (a) the cost, progress, and performance of the Work; (b) the means, methods, techniques, sequences, and procedures of construction to be employed by Bidder, if selected as Contractor; and (c) Bidder's (Contractor's) safety precautions and programs.
 - 6. Based on the information and observations referred to in the preceding paragraph, Bidder agrees that no further examinations, investigations, explorations, tests, studies, or data are necessary for the performance of the Work at the Contract Price, within the Contract Times, and in accordance with the other terms and conditions of the Contract.
 - 7. Bidder is aware of the general nature of work to be performed by Owner and others at the Site that relates to the Work as indicated in the Bidding Documents.
 - 8. Bidder has given Engineer written notice of all conflicts, errors, ambiguities, or discrepancies that Bidder has discovered in the Bidding Documents, and of discrepancies

- between Site conditions and the Contract Documents, and the written resolution thereof by Engineer is acceptable to Contractor.
- 9. The Bidding Documents are generally sufficient to indicate and convey understanding of all terms and conditions for performance and furnishing of the Work.
- 10. The submission of this Bid constitutes an incontrovertible representation by Bidder that without exception the Bid and all prices in the Bid are premised upon performing and furnishing the Work required by the Bidding Documents.

5.02 Bidder's Certifications

- A. The Bidder certifies the following:
 - 1. This Bid is genuine and not made in the interest of or on behalf of any undisclosed individual or entity and is not submitted in conformity with any collusive agreement or rules of any group, association, organization, or corporation.
 - 2. Bidder has not directly or indirectly induced or solicited any other Bidder to submit a false or sham Bid.
 - 3. Bidder has not solicited or induced any individual or entity to refrain from bidding.
 - 4. Bidder has not engaged in corrupt, fraudulent, collusive, or coercive practices in competing for the Contract.

BIDDER hereby submits this Bid as set forth above:

Bidder:	
	J. Hutchins, Inc.
	(typed or printed name of organization)
By:	This D
	(individual's signature)
Name :	Kevin Densmore
	(typed or printed)
Title:	Project Manager
	(typed or printed)
Date:	10/9/24
	(typed or printed)

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