

AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into by and between the **City of Ormond Beach** ("City"), a Florida municipal corporation, 22 South Beach Street, Ormond Beach, Volusia County, Florida and **Municipal Code Corporation** ("Contractor"), 1700 Capital Circle SW, P.O. Box 2235, Tallahassee, FL 32316, and in consideration of the mutual promises and covenants herein contained, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties hereby agree to the following:

1. **Scope of Work.** The Request for Proposal (RFP 2014-24) dated July 21, 2014, attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and the Proposal for Utility Billing Services dated July 22, 2014, attached hereto as Exhibit "B" are incorporated herein by reference and are a material part of this Agreement. The Contractor shall fully comply with the terms and conditions described in the attached exhibits.
2. **Term.** This Agreement is for a five (5) year term that shall be effective on the date it is fully executed by the parties.
3. **Consideration.** Contractor shall perform the services at the prices set forth on the attached Exhibits. Contractor shall prepare and submit invoices to the City at the address set forth in Paragraph 8 of this Agreement. All such invoices shall be paid by the City pursuant to the Florida Prompt Payment Act, Chapter 218 (Part VII), Sections 218.70-218.80, *Florida Statutes*, as the same presently exists or may hereafter be amended.
4. **Termination of Agreement.**
 - (a) The City Commission shall have the right to terminate the Agreement in the event the Contractor files any petition or proceeding for bankruptcy relief, or is adjudicated to be bankrupt or insolvent, or fails to pay just debts as they ordinarily become due; or for a material breach of this agreement that remains uncured for at least thirty days after prior written receipt of a notice of violation of same.
 - (b) This Agreement may not be terminated by the Contractor.
5. **Assignment.** The Contractor shall not assign, convey or transfer all or any part of this Agreement, or all or any part of Contractor's interest herein, or all or any part of any interest in the Contractor, without the prior written consent of the City Commission, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld.
6. **Complete Agreement.** This Agreement, including the provisions set forth in the exhibits attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein, constitutes the entire and complete agreement of the parties, and the promises and covenants herein contained shall survive the life of this Agreement.
7. **Amendment to Agreement.** Any amendment, change, or modification of this Agreement must be in writing and fully executed by both parties.

8. **Notices.** All notices which are required by this Agreement shall be provided to the parties at the following addresses, or such other addresses as may be requested in writing by either party:

City of Ormond Beach
Joyce Shanahan, City Manager
(copy to City Attorney)
22 South Beach Street
Ormond Beach, FL 32174

Municipal Code Corporation
Eric Grant, President
1700 Capital Circle SW
P.O. Box 2235
Tallahassee, FL 32316

9. **Sovereign Immunity.** The City expressly retains and reserves all rights, privileges, immunities, and benefits of sovereign immunity. This provision shall be construed broadly in favor of the City.
10. **Venue.** The terms and conditions of this Agreement shall be construed and enforced under the laws of the State of Florida. Any action or proceeding, either at law or in equity, regarding this Agreement shall be brought in the circuit court, Seventh Judicial Circuit in and for Volusia County, Florida. Venue in any other jurisdiction or forum, whether it be any other circuit, state or federal venue, is hereby expressly waived.
11. **Waiver of Conditions.** No waiver by the City of any condition or breach of performance by the Contractor shall constitute an irrevocable, continuing, or subsequent waiver by the City of the same condition or breach of performance, or of any other condition or other breach of performance.
12. **Severability.** If any part of this Agreement is declared to be unenforceable or void by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining parts of the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect as long as the services to be provided by the Contractor are not materially affected, altered or impaired as a result of said judicial declaration.
13. **Conflicting Provisions.** In the event of any conflict between the provisions of this Agreement and any exhibits, the provision most favorable to the City shall control and shall be given full force and effect.
14. **Indemnification.** The City, its agents, employees, and officials, both elected and appointed, shall be indemnified and held harmless by Contractor from any and all liabilities, claims, and causes of action which may arise out of the willful, negligent, or unlawful acts or omissions of the Contractor or its subcontractors in the performance of this Agreement, unless such claims are a result of the City's sole negligence, as determined by the final decision maker of such claim.
15. **Duty to Defend.** The Contractor shall defend all suits and administrative actions, including all appellate proceedings, brought against the City, its agents, employees, and officials, both elected and appointed and shall pay all attorneys' fees and costs associated with the City's legal defense, as may be selected by the City, arising from all claims and

causes of action described in Section 15 above. Such payment on behalf of the City shall be in addition to any and all other legal or equitable remedies available to the City and shall not be considered to be the City's exclusive remedy.

16. **Contractor's Insurance.** The Contractor shall purchase and maintain for the entire life of this Agreement, including any and all approved time extensions, until its final acceptance by the City, such insurance as will protect the Contractor from claims under Workers' Compensation, disability benefit laws or other similar employee benefit laws; from claims for damages because of bodily injury, occupational sickness or disease, or death of Contractor's employees; from claims insured by usual or unusual injury liability coverage; from claims or injury to or destruction of tangible property and from claims insured by usual Commercial General Liability coverage. This includes loss of use resulting therefrom, any or all of which may arise out of the Contractor's operations under this Agreement, whether such operations be by the Contractor, or by any Subcontractor, or by anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them or for whose acts any of them may be legally liable. The Contractor's deductibles/self-insured retentions shall be disclosed to the City and may be disapproved by the City, and may be reduced or eliminated at the sole discretion of the City. The Contractor is responsible for the amount of any deductible or self-insured retention.

17. **Types of Insurance and Limits of Liability.** The insurance required herein shall be written for not less than the limits of liability specified herein or as required by law, whichever is greater, and shall include the following:

- (a) **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in statutory limits for the State of Florida with Coverage B - Employer's Liability limits of not less than:

\$100,000. Each Accident Bodily Injury by Accident

\$100,000. Each Employee Bodily Injury by Disease

\$500,000. Policy Limit Bodily Injury by Disease

Certificate of Exemptions. If the contractor has a State-issued Certificate of Exemption, the contractor may provide a copy in place of the requirement for coverage. However, if the contractor subcontracts or retains any other person or entity to perform under the contract, that person or entity must provide proof of workers' compensation insurance as required by law or provide a Certificate of Exemption.

It is the intent of the City that any individual who either contracts directly with the city or performs any work on behalf of any such contractor be covered by workers compensation insurance or have a valid exemption from said coverage.

(If applicable to the Project, the policy must include benefits under the United States Longshoremen's and Harbor Workers' Act and the Jones Act coverage--all maritime coverages.)

- (b) **Commercial General Liability Insurance** shall be written on a coverage form as broad as Insurance Services Office (ISO) Form CG 00 01 11 88, or its successor form, including but not limited to the following coverages (any deviation shall be noted on the Certificates of Insurance), and the CITY OF ORMOND BEACH shall be named as an additional insured:

1. Premises and Operations
2. Owners' & Contractors' Protective
3. Products & Completed Operations
4. Explosion, Collapse & Underground Conditions
5. Blanket Contractual Liability
6. Personal Injury Liability
7. Broad Form Property Damage Endorsement, including Completed Operations
8. Independent Contractors
9. Watercraft--Owned and Non-Owned (if applicable, endorsement must be included in General Liability policy or a separate Protection & Indemnity Policy must be written)
10. Pollution Liability (if applicable)
11. Asbestos Abatement (if applicable)
12. Fire Damage Liability

Certain coverages outlined above may not be required if they do not relate to the Agreement, as may be determined at the sole discretion of the City.

Commercial General Liability Coverage shall be written on an occurrence basis and the limits shall be no less than the following for all tiers of Contractors and Subcontractors:

<u>Contract Value</u>	<u>Limits (not less than)</u>
0 - 25,000	\$300,000 Each Occurrence \$300,000 General Aggregate* \$300,000 Aggregate Products & Completed Operations \$ 25,000 Fire Damage (any one fire)
\$25,001 - \$250,000	\$500,000 Each Occurrence \$1 Million General Aggregate* \$1 Million Aggregate Products & Completed Operations \$ 50,000 Fire Damage (any one fire)
\$250,001 - \$3,000,000	\$1 Million Each Occurrence \$1 Million General Aggregate* \$1 Million Aggregate Products &

	Completed Operations Fire Damage (any one fire)
\$ 50,000	
\$3,000,001 & over	20% of the Value of the Contract [Minimum \$1 Million Each Occurrence/\$2 Million General Aggregate]

*NOTE: Commercial General Liability Coverage must be purchased on either a project basis (separate policy per contract) or an endorsement allocating an aggregate limit per location or specified project.

- (c) **Automobile Liability Insurance** for the operation, use, maintenance, loading or unloading of automobiles - ISO Symbol 1 (Any Auto) or alternatively a combination of Symbol 2 (Owned Autos), Symbol 8 (Hired Autos), and Symbol 9 (Non-Owned Autos). The coverage limits shall be no less than the following for all tiers of Contractors and Subcontractors:

<u>Contract Value</u>	<u>Limits (not less than)</u>
0 - 25,000	\$300,000 Combined Single Limit
\$25,001 - \$250,000	\$500,000 Combined Single Limit
\$250,001 and over	\$1 Million Combined Single Limit

- (d) **Excess Liability**

For Contracts of \$250,000 or more, and in addition to the scheduled underlying policies for Commercial General Liability, Automobile Liability and Employers' Liability, the Contractor shall also provide an Excess Liability Policy with a maximum self-insured retention for occurrences insured in this Excess Policy not to exceed \$25,000 and a minimum limit of \$1 Million.

- (e) **Professional Liability, Malpractice and/or Errors and Omissions**

The Contractor shall purchase and maintain professional liability, malpractice, or errors or omissions insurance with minimum limits of \$1,000,000 per occurrence. If a claims made form of coverage is provided, the retroactive date of coverage shall be no later than the inception date of claims made coverage, unless the prior policy was extended indefinitely to cover prior acts. Coverage shall be extended beyond the policy year either by a supplemental extended reporting period (ERP) of as great a duration as is available, and with no less coverage and with reinstated aggregate limits, or by requiring that any new policy provide a retroactive date no later than the inception date of claims made coverage.

18. **Requirements for Certificates of Insurance.**

- (a) With the execution of this Agreement, the Contractor shall provide certificates of such insurance acceptable to the City. These certificates and insurance policies shall contain a provision that the coverage under the policies will not be canceled, non-renewed or materially changed until at least **thirty (30)** days' prior written notice of such cancellation, non-renewal or change [except for nonpayment of premium, which shall be **ten (10)** days] has been given to the City. The Contractor shall be required to replace any expired or canceled policies in like amount and coverage to the satisfaction of the City. The Certificate of Insurance shall be the ACORD FORM 25-S (7/90), or its successor form, and shall be made a part of this Agreement.
- (b) New certificates of insurance shall be provided to the City at least fifteen (15) days prior to coverage renewals.
- (c) If requested by the City, the Contractor shall furnish complete copies of the Contractor's insurance policies, forms and endorsements.
- (d) For Commercial General Liability coverage the Contractor shall, at the option of the City, provide an indication of the amount of claims payments or reserves chargeable to the aggregate amount of liability coverage. If the Commercial General Liability form of coverage includes an annual aggregate limitation on the amount of insurance provided, a separate project aggregate limit may be required by the City for the given contract.
- (e) If the Contractor fails to obtain and maintain for the life of the Agreement the insurance required hereby or to replace any such expired or canceled policy, the City may obtain and maintain such insurance with such company as it deems satisfactory. Any amounts expended by the City in payment of premiums for such insurance shall be deducted by the City from the amount due the Contractor for the work covered by the Agreement.
- (f) **Policies of Insurance**
 - 1. Except as otherwise provided herein, all insurance policies shall be issued by insurers licensed to do business in the State of Florida on an admitted basis or which is an eligible surplus lines insurer in the State of Florida, and any such insuring company is required to have a minimum financial rating of (A-) in the latest edition of "Best's Key Rating Guide", published by A. M. Best Co., Inc., or some similarly nationally recognized rating authority, including Standard and Poors and Demotech.
 - 2. For Workers' Compensation coverage only, self-insurance programs are acceptable with a minimum A- rated reinsurance carriers; written confirmation is required.

RESOLUTION NO. 2014-148

A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING A PROPOSAL FROM MUNICIPAL CODE CORPORATION TO PROVIDE UTILITY BILLING SERVICES; REJECTING ALL OTHER PROPOSALS; AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN AGREEMENT THEREFORE; AND SETTING FORTH AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City heretofore solicited proposals to provide utility billing services (RFP 2014-24) in accordance with the provisions of Section 2-300(c) of the *Code of Ordinances*, and

WHEREAS, the City's evaluation committee has evaluated the three proposals received and determined the most advantageous proposal for the City to be the proposal submitted by Municipal Code Corporation (a copy of said proposal being incorporated in the contract which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference), and

WHEREAS, the City Commission concurs with the aforestated recommendation, and

WHEREAS, the City Manager has certified that the money for the payment of the services is appropriated in the Fiscal Year 2014-2015 budget, and is not appropriated for any other purpose, now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF ORMOND BEACH, FLORIDA, THAT:

SECTION ONE. The proposal submitted by Municipal Code Corporation to provide the utility billing services at the prices set forth in their proposal is hereby accepted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned parties have caused this Agreement to be signed on the dates indicated hereinbelow.

DATED this 15th day of September, 2014.

Witnesses:

CITY OF ORMOND BEACH

[Signature]
Print Name: SHA MOSS

By: [Signature]
ED KELLEY
Mayor

[Signature]
Print Name: Colby Celenzo

By: [Signature]
JOYCE SHANAHAN
City Manager

DATED this 22 day of September, 2014.

Witnesses:

MUNICIPAL CODE CORPORATION

[Signature]
Print Name: Scott McChesney

By: [Signature]
Print Name: H.C. GRANT
Title: EXEC. V.P.

[Signature]
Print Name: Sharon M. Edwards

Attest: [Signature]
Print Name: FORREST WOOD KETTER
Title: GENERAL MANAGER

COST DATA Quotation Sheet For CITY OF ORMOND BEACH FLORIDA

Schedule 1.0 – Fees for Goods & Services

Paper Bill		
• Custom Municipal Statement Design		
• Data processing & Duplex printing		
• Single 8½x11 document with 3½" perforated return, white, long-grain 24 lb. bond paper stock,		
• #10 windowed envelope, white w/security tint - 20 lb.		
• #9 return envelope		
• Folding, inserting and delivery to USPS (same business day)		
• CASS/PAVE certification of customer mailing list		
• Price does not include postage		
• Two color highlight (includes black print)		
Monthly Volumes		
20,000 – 35,000	\$.09	Per bill
10,000 – 19,999	\$.105	Per bill
5,000 – 9,999	\$.11	Per bill
• Cost if #9 return envelope is excluded	\$.08	Per Bill
Initial programming and set-up	Waived	One Time
Optional: Special market messages on the statement (if setup required)	\$ 25	Per Message
Optional: Subsequent pages to statement	\$.04	Per Page
Optional: Technical Services (Including programming & insert composition if needed)	\$125	Per Hour
Optional: Additional Inserts - (Does not include printing or design of insert)	\$.005	Per Bill
Optional: Duplex printing of variable data on backs of bill statements (black print)	\$.005	Per Bill
Optional: E-Bills - Paperless emailing of statements to customers	\$.05	Per Bill
Optional: MuniBill PDF (includes processing & creation) 3 months online	N/C	Included
Optional: Statement Optimal Design Review & Consulting	N/C	Included
Optional: Late notices, final bills and cancellation notice (1-color black)	\$.09	Each
Optional: MuniView – Secure online viewing of statements	\$.005	Per Record
Optional: MuniForwarding – NCOA forwarding of statements	\$.005	Per Bill

Schedule 2.0 – Permanent Postage Deposit

Permanent Postage Deposit – Based on Statement Volume

*** All statements are mailed at the lowest possible postage rate**

REVISED 8/20/2014
via email from
Grady Campbell,
Account Executive, MCCa