MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS FOR BIDDERS

1. Minimum Qualifications. Applicable ☒ Not Applicable ☐

2. Due to the special nature of the Work required for the Project, the Bidder shall be required to submit, within five (5) Days of Bid Opening, sufficient evidence that it satisfies all of the following minimum qualification criteria ("Minimum Qualifications"), including completion of the Minimum Qualification Form (Attachment 1d):

   2.1 The Bidder must have prior construction experience on at least two (2) bridges over major active roadways or active railroads, each substantially completed within the last seven (7) years, and each with a total minimum construction cost of $4,000,000.

   2.2 The Bidder must employ at least one (1) project manager, who possesses experience as a project manager supervising at least one (1) bridge reconstruction project, substantially completed within the last three (3) years and the construction cost of said bridge reconstruction work must be at least $4,000,000. This project manager must be available for full-time assignment for this Project.

   2.3. The Bidder must have a regional or main office located within 75 miles radius of Columbus Circle (NYC), prior to the registration of this Contract.

   2.4. The Bidder or its proposed subcontractor(s) must possess experience in pile driving similar in size and scope to such proportion of the Work anticipated for this contract.

   2.5. The Bidder or its proposed subcontractor(s) must have multiple crews available on call, 24 hours per day and 7 days per week, to perform work at multiple locations as anticipated for this Contract.

3. In the event that the Bidder is an entity which was formed within five years prior to the Bid Opening, NYCDOT may, in determining compliance with the Minimum Qualifications, consider prior projects completed by principals(s) of the Bidder while such principal was affiliated with another entity, subject to the following conditions:

   3.1. If the Bidder is relying on the prior experience of only one of its principals, such principal must hold an ownership interest of 51% or greater in the entity submitting the Bid.

   3.2. If the Bidder is relying on the prior experience of more than one of its principals, each such principal must hold an ownership interest of 20% or greater in the entity submitting the Bid, and all such principals must collectively hold an ownership interest of 51% or greater in the entity submitting the Bid.

   3.3. If the Bidder is relying on the prior experience of any of its principals, each such principal must:

      3.3.1 Have held a significant management role in the prior entity which he/she was affiliated, and

      3.3.2 Have been a principal of the entity submitting the Bid for a period of at least

six months prior to the submission of the Bid or from the inception of the entity submitting the Bid.

4 In the event that the Bidder is a joint venture, one of entities in the joint venture must meet the Minimum Qualifications and hold an ownership interest of 50% or greater in the entity submitting the Bid.

5 Failure of the Bidder to submit sufficient evidence demonstrating that it satisfies the Minimum Qualifications may result in a determination that the Bidder is non-responsive pursuant to the PPB Rules. However, should the Bidder fail to submit such evidence, NYCDOT may independently evaluate the Bidder's qualifications and experience, and if NYCDOT determines that the Bidder meets the Minimum Qualifications, then it may waive the non-conformance with the Bidder’s submission.