

AGREEMENT FOR ASPHALTIC CONCRETE INSTALLED

THIS AGREEMENT made this 1st day of October, 2003, by and between the **BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS** of **NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA**, a political subdivision of the **State of Florida**, hereinafter referred to as the "County", and **UNDERGROUND UTILITY CONTRACTORS, INC.**, a Georgia corporation registered with the Florida Secretary of State, whose principal place of business is located at 119 Industrial Drive, St. Marys, GA 31558, hereinafter referred to as "Business".

FOR and IN CONSIDERATION of the sum of ten and no/100 dollars (\$10.00) and other mutually agreed upon consideration, the parties agree as follows:

1. **SERVICES:** The County desires to engage the services of the Business to perform the following services in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement: The furnishing and installation of Asphaltic Concrete Type S-1 and Type S-III.

2. **TERM:** This Agreement will begin on October 1, 2003, and will end on September 30, 2005, with an option for the County to extend the contract for one (1) year. Either party may cancel this Agreement upon thirty (30) days' notice to the other party, in writing and by certified mail or personal delivery.

3. DESCRIPTION OF WORK:

a. Asphaltic Concrete - Type S-1 - The Business will apply asphaltic concrete wearing surface, Type S-1, in layers, if required by the County. The first application, if required, shall be a leveling course with approximately fifty (50) pounds per square yard in those areas designated by the Engineering Services Department. The second and third, if required, applications shall be one (1) inch minimum thickness. The surface shall be cleaned and emulsion sealed prior to application of surfacing. The tack coat shall be applied by the Business. The bid prices shall cover all performance of work and material in the construction of the project. All performance and work shall be in accordance with the Florida Department of Transportation construction procedures and methods. The job shall be completed within thirty (30) days after the contract has been awarded.

b. Asphaltic Concrete - Type S-III - The Business will apply asphaltic concrete wearing surface, Type S-III, in layers, if required by the County. The first application, if required, shall be a leveling course with approximately fifty (50) pounds per square yard in those areas designated by the Engineering Services Department. The second and third, if required,

applications shall be three-quarters (3/4) inch minimum thickness. The surface shall be cleaned and emulsion sealed prior to application of surfacing. The tack coat shall be applied by the Business. The bid prices shall cover all performance of work and material in the construction of the project. All performance and work shall be in accordance with Florida Department of Transportation construction procedures and methods. The job shall be completed within thirty (30) days after the contract has been awarded.

4. **MATERIALS:** Asphaltic concrete shall be Florida Department of Transportation Types S-1 or S-III, in accordance with the current Florida Department of Transportation Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction.

5. **WORK TO BE DONE BY COUNTY FORCES:** County forces shall do the cutting and cleaning of the edges of the pavement. The prime coat will be applied to the prepared surface by County forces.

6. **INSPECTION AND ACCEPTANCE:** Inspection and acceptance shall be made by the County's Engineering Services Department.

7. **FEES.** Upon satisfactory performance of the services contemplated herein, as determined by County, the

contemplated herein, as determined by County, the Business will be paid at the following price per ton installed at job sites in the following area locations in Nassau County, Florida:

(a) TYPE S-1 INSTALLED

Hilliard Area, Price Per Unit Ton:	<u>New</u>	<u>Recycled</u>
Job Quantities: 0 - 100 tons	\$60.34	\$58.00
101-800 tons	43.33	41.09
801-2400 tons	40.76	38.54
2401 Tons & over	40.02 .	37.80 .

Callahan Area, Price Per Unit Ton:	<u>New</u>	<u>Recycled</u>
Job Quantities: 0 - 100 tons	\$59.23	\$56.89
101-800 tons	42.27	40.03
801-2400 tons	39.70	37.48
2401 Tons & over	38.96 .	36.74 .

Yulee Area, Price Per Unit Ton:	<u>New</u>	<u>Recycled</u>
Job Quantities: 0 - 100 tons	\$58.11	\$55.77
101-800 tons	41.20	38.96
801-2400 tons	38.65	36.43
2401 Tons & over	37.91 .	35.69 .

Fernandina Beach Area, Price Per Unit Ton:	<u>New</u>	<u>Recycled</u>
Job Quantities: 0 - 100 tons	\$60.22	\$57.88
101-800 tons	43.22	40.98
801-2400 tons	40.65	38.43
2401 Tons & over	39.90 .	37.68 .

(b) TYPE S-III INSTALLED

Hilliard Area, Price Per Unit Ton:	<u>New</u>	<u>Recycled</u>
Job Quantities: 0 - 100 tons	\$61.51	\$59.17
101-800 tons	44.45	42.21
801-2400 tons	41.87	39.65
2401 Tons & over	41.13 .	38.91 .

Callahan Area, Price Per Unit Ton:	<u>New</u>	<u>Recycled</u>
Job Quantities: 0 - 100 tons	\$60.40	\$58.06
101-800 tons	43.39	41.15
801-2400 tons	40.81	38.59
2401 Tons & over	40.07 .	37.85 .

Yulee Area, Price Per Unit Ton:	<u>New</u>	<u>Recycled</u>
Job Quantities: 0 - 100 tons	\$59.28	\$56.94
101-800 tons	42.32	40.08
801-2400 tons	39.76	37.54
2401 Tons & over	39.02 .	36.80 .

Fernandina Beach Area, Price Per Unit Ton:	<u>New</u>	<u>Recycled</u>
Job Quantities: 0 - 100 tons	\$61.39	\$59.05
101-800 tons	44.34	42.10
801-2400 tons	41.76	39.54
2401 Tons & over	41.01 .	38.79 .

(c) These prices shall be firm for a period of twenty-four (24) months. Provided further, that the expiration of this period and during the remainder of the period of this Agreement, the Business may request an increase in the contract price if the wages of employees of the Business necessary to the production or supply of said materials, or the cost of said materials is increased, through no act of the Business, other than to comply with necessary and sustained demands of organized labor and with any legally allowed and prevailing increase in the market price of said materials to the Business. Substantiation of any requested increase must be furnished in writing to the

Director of Engineering Services for prior approval at least ten (10) days prior to the requested effective date of the increase. All requests for increases shall be supported by adequate documentation of the maximum legal price of the materials or wages subject to the request; and shall be certified to be within the guidelines of the President's Cost of Living Council.

Furthermore, if during the period of the Agreement, the cost of labor or materials is reduced so as to enable the Business to supply such materials at a correspondingly lower price than the amount herein stipulated, then the Business shall reduce the cost of said materials commensurately.

8. **APPROPRIATION.** Appropriations necessary for the funding of this Agreement shall be adopted annually by the Board of County Commissioners during the regular budget process. Non-appropriation by the Board of County Commissioners will cause this Agreement to terminate.

9. **INDEMNIFICATION:** The Business shall indemnify and hold the County harmless from and against any and all claims, liabilities, or damages arising from the performance of the services contemplated under this Agreement, including the cost of litigation and attorney's fees.

10. **ARBITRATION:** Any dispute arising under this contract, which is not disposed of by agreement, shall be decided by a mediator, who shall reduce his/her decision to writing and furnish a copy to both parties. Claims disputes, or other matters in question between the parties to this Agreement arising out of or relating to this Agreement or breach thereof shall be submitted to mediation in accordance with mediation rules as established by the Florida Supreme Court. Mediators shall be chosen from the Supreme Court approved list of mediators in the Fourth Judicial Circuit and the Cost of mediation shall be borne by the Consultant/Contractor. The decision of the mediator shall be final and conclusive unless determined by a court of competent jurisdiction to be fraudulent, capricious, arbitrary, or so grossly erroneous as to necessarily imply bad faith or not supported by substantial evidence. Contractor shall not stop work during the pendency of mediation.

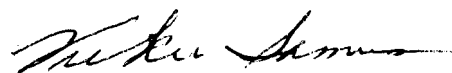
11. **CONTROLLING LAWS:** The validity, interpretation, and performance of this Agreement shall be controlled and construed under the Ordinances of Nassau County, along with the laws of the State of Florida.

12. **MODIFICATION:** This writing contains the entire Agreement of the parties, and shall supercede all previous written and/or oral representations, and/or agreements respecting the same subject matter between the parties.

13. **SEVERABILITY:** If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion of this Agreement is, for any reason, held invalid, unconstitutional, or unenforceable by any Court of Competent Jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed as a separate, distinct, and independent provision, and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions thereof.

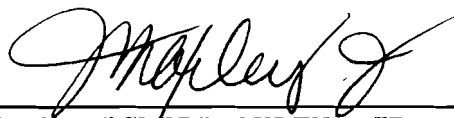
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused this Agreement to be duly executed on the date set forth herein.

COUNTY:
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA



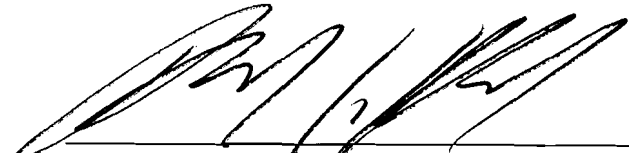
VICKIE SAMUS
Its: Chairman

ATTEST:



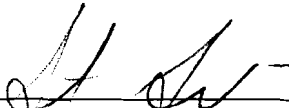
J. M. "CHIP" OXLEY, JR.
Its: Ex-Officio Clerk

Approved as to form by the
Nassau County Attorney


MICHAEL S. MULLIN

BUSINESS:


UNDERGROUND UTILITY
CONTRACTORS, INC.


By: STAN SMITH
Its: President

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF DUAL

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me
this 10th day of OCTOBER, 2003 by Stan Smith,
President of Underground Utility contractors, Inc., who is
personally known to me or who has produced _____
as identification and who did take an oath.




Printed Name: MARY ANN BURKE
Notary Public, State of FLORIDA
My Commission Expires: 9/8/04



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October 7, 2003

Nassau County
Board of County Commissioners
P.O. Box 1010
Fernandina Beach, FL 32035-1010
Attn: Michael S. Mullin, County Attorney

Dear Mr. Mullin:

Attached please find the signed contract for installation of asphaltic concrete on Nassau County roads.

Please change the mailing address in your records to: Underground Utility Contractors, Inc., 10010 North Main Street, Jacksonville, FL 32218. Our phone number is (904) 751-2240 and our fax is (904) 751-2502.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

We look forward to working with and for you on this and future projects.

Sincerely,

Raymond Grode, Regional Manager
Underground Utility Contractors, Inc.