



# JOLIET JUNIOR COLLEGE

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**JOLIET JUNIOR COLLEGE  
ILLINOIS COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT #525**

**(Business & Auxiliary Services)  
1215 Houbolt Road  
Joliet, Illinois 60431-8938**

**INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS**

Sealed proposals are invited for **FERTILIZATION AND WEED CONTROL** pursuant to specifications. Vendors who do not submit a bid or who do not respond with a "no bid" will be removed from our vendor list for this item.

**PROPOSALS:**

Proposals will be received and publicly read aloud by the Joliet Junior College, Joliet, Will County, Illinois, at the place, date and time hereinafter designated. You are invited to be present if you so desire.

**PLACE:** Joliet Junior College District  
Illinois Community College District #525  
Director of Business & Auxiliary Services, Building A, Room 3102  
1215 Houbolt Road  
Joliet, IL 60431-8938

**DATE:** **APRIL 8, 2014**

**FAXES ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE**

**TIME:** **2:00 PM**

Proposals received after this time will not be accepted.

Proposals must be made in accordance with the instructions contained herein. They shall be submitted on the forms provided on the College's website in a sealed envelope addressed to the Director of Business & Auxiliary Services, Building A, Room 3102, plainly marked, with the Bidder's Name and Address and the notation:

**BID:** **FERTILIZATION AND WEED CONTROL**

**PRE-BID MEETING: NONE REQUIRED**

**DELIVERY:**

All prices must be quoted F.O.B., Joliet Junior College, 1215 Houbolt Road, Joliet, IL 60431 unless

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otherwise noted.

**TAX EXEMPTION:**

Joliet Junior College is exempt from Federal, State, and Municipal taxes.

**SIGNATURE ON BIDS:**

Joliet Junior College requires the signature on bid documents to be that of an authorized representative of said company.

Each bidder, by making his bid, represents that he has read and understands the bidding documents and that these instructions to bidders are a part of the specifications.

**BIDDING PROCEDURES:**

1. No bid shall be modified, withdrawn, or cancelled for sixty (60) days after the bid opening date without the consent of the College Board of Trustees.
2. Changes or corrections may be made in the bid documents after they have been issued and before bids are received. In such case, a written addendum describing the change or correction will be issued by the College to all bidders of record. Such addendum shall take precedence over that portion of the documents concerned, and shall become part of the bid documents. Except in unusual cases, addendum will be issued to reach the bidders at least five (5) days prior to date established for receipt of bids.
3. Each bidder shall carefully examine all bid documents and all addenda thereto, and shall thoroughly familiarize themselves with the detailed requirements thereof prior to submitting a proposal. Should a bidder find discrepancies or ambiguities in, or omissions from documents, or should they be in doubt as to their meaning, they shall, at once, and in any event, not later than ten (10) days prior to bid due date, notify the College who will, if necessary, send written addendum to all bidders. The college will not be responsible for any oral instructions. All inquiries shall be directed to the Director of Business & Auxiliary Services. After bids are received, no allowance will be made for oversight by bidder.

**SUBSTITUTIONS:**

1. Each bidder represents that his bid is based upon the materials and equipment described in the bidding documents.
2. Any dealer bidding an equal product must specify brand name, model number, and supply specifications of product. The Board shall be the sole judge of whether an article shall be deemed to be equal.
3. A bidder's failure to meet the minimum specifications as listed may result in disqualification of his bid.

**REJECTION OF BIDS:**

The bidder acknowledges the right of the College Board to reject any or all proposals and to waive informality or irregularity in any proposal received and to award each item to different bidders or all items to a single bidder. In addition, the bidder recognizes the right of the College Board to reject a proposal if the proposal is in any way incomplete or irregular. The College Board may also award, at its discretion, only certain items quoted on. The College Board also reserves the right to reject the

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proposal of a Bidder who has previously failed to perform properly or complete on time contracts of a similar nature, or a bid of a Bidder when investigation shows that Bidder is not in a position to perform the contract.

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ADDENDA:**

Signature of company official on original document shall be construed as acknowledgement of receipt of any and all addenda pertaining to this specific proposal. Identification by number of addenda and date issued should be noted on all proposals submitted.

**FAILURE TO ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF ADDENDA ON PROPOSAL SUBMITTED MAY RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION OF PROPOSAL.**

**Bidders who obtain a copy of the bid from our web site are responsible for checking back on the site for any addenda issued.**

**CLERICAL ERRORS:**

If applicable, all errors in price extensions will be corrected by Joliet Junior College and totals for award determination corrected accordingly, unless the bidder specifies that no change be made in the total submitted. In this case, all incorrect price extensions will be noted at "lot", and award determination made on the basis of total price submitted.

**SAMPLES:**

Bidder may be required to furnish samples upon request and without charge to the College.

**BID SECURITY: NOT REQUIRED**

**PAYMENTS: NOT REQUIRED**

**INSURANCE:**

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a certificate of insurance in the following amounts:

The insurance coverage required here-in-under shall be the minimum amounts maintained by the Contractor and Subcontractors until all Work is completed and accepted by the Owner.

The Contractor will purchase and maintain "all risks" Builder's Risk property insurance subject only to such exclusions as have been specifically approved by the Owner in writing.

A. Workers Compensation

1. State: Statutory
2. Applicable Federal: Statutory
3. Employer's Liability:
  - a. \$1,000,000 per Accident
  - b. \$1,000,000 Occupational Disease

B. Commercial Comprehensive Liability

1. Each Occurrence: \$2,000,000
2. Products/Completed Operations Aggregate: \$2,000,000
3. Personal/Advertising Injury: \$2,000,000

4. General Aggregate: \$2,000,000
5. Policy shall include: \$2,000,000
  - a. Premises: Operations
  - b. Independent Contractors Liability
  - c. Products and Completed Operations: Maintained for minimum of one year after date of final Certificate for Payment, in full amount of the limits specified above.
  - d. Contractual Liability
  - e. Coverage for explosion (x), collapse (c), and underground (u).
6. The Commercial Comprehensive Liability policy shall include a contractual liability endorsement insuring the indemnity required by the contract. The indemnities shall be named as additional insured on the Contractor's Commercial Comprehensive Liability policy using Form CG 20 10 or its equivalent and shall name Joliet Junior College, its Board of Trustees, officers, employees and agents as additional insured's at a minimum. The Contractor hereby agrees to effectuate the naming of such additional insured's as unrestricted additional insured's on the Contractor's policy. The additional insured endorsement shall provide the following:
  - a. That the coverage afforded the additional insurance will be primary insurance for the additional insurance with respect to claims arising out of operations performed by or on behalf of the Contractor.
  - b. That the policy shall contain a thirty (30) day notice of cancellation prior to the effective date thereof.
  - c. That the additional insureds have other insurance which is applicable to the loss, such other insurance will be on an excess or contingent basis.
  - d. That the amount of the company's liability under the insurance policy will not be reduced by the existence of such other insurance.
  - e. That the additional insureds will not be given less than thirty (30) days prior written notice of any cancellation thereof.
  - f. That the Contractor agrees to indemnify the College for any applicable deductibles.
  - g. That the insurance policy from an A.M. Best rated "secured" Illinois State licensed insurer.
  - h. The Contractor shall provide the College with a copy of its insurance policy or in the alternative and subject to the College's agreement, an excerpt of a page from the actual policy evidencing the additional insureds as provided for herein.
  - i. Contractor acknowledges that failure to obtain such insurance on behalf of the College constitutes a material breach of the contract and subjects Contractor to liability for damages, indemnification and all other legal remedies available to College. The Contractor is to provide the College at all times with a certificate of insurance, evidencing the above requirements have been met. The failure of the College to object to the contents of the certificate or the absence of it shall not be deemed a waiver of any and all rights held by the College.
  - j. That enclosed is a copy of the endorsement providing additional insured's status and that the Contractor will furnish a Certificate of insurance evidencing the foregoing provisions.
  - k. Please include clause below in the policy:
 

It is agreed that Joliet Junior College, its Board of Trustees, officers, employees, agents and (Architect/Engineer Name) are additional insureds on the policy.

C. Business Auto Liability (including owned, non-owned and hired vehicles).

1. Bodily injury
  - a. \$1,000,000 per person
  - b. \$2,000,000 per accident
2. Property damage: \$1,000,000 OR
3. Combined Single limit: \$1,000,000

D. Umbrella

1. Umbrella Excess Liability: \$4,000,000
2. If the Contractor's Workers Compensation, Commercial General Liability and Business Auto policies do not have these minimum limits, an Umbrella policy written by an insurance company acceptable to the Owner may be used to meet the minimum limits required.

All such policies of insurance shall be written by companies approved by the College and Certificates of Insurance shall be furnished to the College. The College shall be listed as an additional insured under such policies. Each policy shall require at least 30 days notice to the College in the event of cancellation. The contractor agrees to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the College from and against all suits or claims, which may be based upon any injury to or death of any person or persons or damage to property, which may occur or which may be alleged to have occurred in the course of the performance of this Agreement by the Contractor, whether such sum claim shall be made by an employee of the Contractor, by a third person or their representatives, or whether or not it shall be claimed that the said injury, death, or damage or cause through a negligence act or omission of the Contractor; and the all charges of attorneys and all costs and other expenses arising there from or incurred in connection therewith; and if any judgment shall be rendered against the College in any such action or actions, the Contractor, at its own expense, shall satisfy and discharge the same.

**PERFORMANCE BONDS: NOT REQUIRED**

**LAWS AND ORDINANCES:**

In execution of the work, the Contractor shall comply with applicable state and local laws, ordinances and regulation, the rules and regulations of the Board of Fire Underwriters, and OSHA standards.

**SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION REQUIREMENT NOTIFICATION:**

Illinois Compiled Statutes (730 ILCS 150/2) requires that any person who is required by law to register as a sex offender and who is either a student or an employee at an institution of higher education, must also register with the police department of the institution they are employed by or attending. For purposes of this act, a student or employee is defined as anyone working at or attending the institution for a period of five (5) days or an aggregate period of more than thirty (30) days during a calendar year. This includes persons operating as or employed by an outside contractor at the institution. Anyone meeting the above requirements is required to register at the Campus Police Department located in G1013, within five (5) days of enrolling or becoming employed. Persons failing to register are subject to criminal prosecution.

**DAMAGE AND NEGLIGENCE:**

The Contractor agrees to indemnify and save harmless the College and employees from and against

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all loss, including costs and attorney's fees, by reasons or liability imposed by law upon the College for damages because of bodily injury, including death at any time resulting therefrom, sustained by any person or persons or on account of damage to property including loss of use thereof as provided in the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions.

College shall not be responsible for damages, delays, or failure to perform on its part resulting from acts or occurrences of force majeure. "Force majeure" means any (a) act of God, landslide, lightning, earthquake, hurricane, tornado, blizzard, floods and other adverse and inclement weather conditions; (b) fire, explosion, flood, acts of a public enemy, war, blockade, insurrection, riot or civil disturbance; (c) labor dispute, strike, work slow down, picketing, primary boycotts, secondary boycotts or boycotts of any kind and nature, or work stoppages; (d) any law, order, regulation ordinance, or requirement of any government or legal body or any representative of any such government or legal body; (e) inability to secure necessary materials, equipment, parts or other components of the project as a result of transportation difficulties, fuel or energy shortages, or acts or omission of any common carriers; or (f) any other similar cause or similar event beyond the reasonable control of College.

**INVESTIGATION OF BIDDERS:**

The College will make any necessary investigation to determine the ability of the bidder to fulfill the proposal requirements. Joliet Junior College reserves the right to reject any proposal if it is determined that the bidder is not properly qualified to carry out the obligation of the contract.

**APPRENTICESHIP AND TRAINING PROGRAMS: NOT REQUIRED**

**SUBCONTRACTORS:**

Bidders must state on the proposal form all subcontractors he intends to use for this project. Failure to do so may be cause for rejection of bid.

**PREVAILING WAGE RATE:**

The successful bidder must pay not less than the prevailing hourly wage rate determined by the Illinois Department of Labor for the county where the contract is executed and the craft or type of worker needed to execute the contract. See the prevailing wage scale attached.

If, during the course of work under this contract, the Department of Labor revises the prevailing rate hourly wages to be paid under this contract for any trade or occupation, Owner, will notify Contractor and each Subcontractor of the changes in the prevailing rate of hourly wages. Contractor shall have the sole responsibility and duty to ensure that the revised prevailing rate of hourly wages is paid by contractor and all Subcontractors to each worker to whom a revised rate is applicable. Revisions to the prevailing wage as set forth above shall not result in an increase in the Contract Sum.

In compliance with the Office of the Attorney General the following is also required of all bidders:

**Payment of Prevailing Wage:**

- The Act requires that all laborers, workers and mechanics employed by or on behalf of a public body in the construction of public works be paid the general prevailing rate of hourly wages (including allotments for training and approved apprenticeship programs, health and welfare, insurance, vacation and pension benefits) for work of a similar character in the locality in which the work is performed. See 820 ILCS 103/3. The Act contains all relevant definitions, including those for the terms "public body", "public works" and "general prevailing rate of hourly wages", which will assist you in the understanding its requirements

and your responsibilities. See 820 ILCS 130/2.

- The Illinois Department of Labor publishes the current prevailing wage rate. See <http://www.state.il.us/agency/idol/rates/rates.htm>. The rate is revised regularly and such revision takes effect immediately.

#### Specifications and Contractual Language:

- Public bodies must insert a provision or stipulation requiring the payment of the prevailing wage rate into every public works resolution or ordinance, call for bids, project specification and contract. See 820 ILCS 130/4(a).
- Contractors and subcontractors must insert a provision or stipulation regarding the payment of the prevailing wage rate into every public works project and bid specification, subcontract, and contractor's bond. See 820 ILCS 130/4(b), (c).
- Contractors or construction managers who have been awarded public works contracts must post the relevant prevailing wage rate(s) at a location on the project site that is easily accessible by workers. See 820 ILCS 130/4(f).

#### Record-Keeping Responsibilities:

- All contractors and subcontractors must create and keep for at least three years, records of all laborers, mechanics, and other workers employed by them on a public works project. See 820 ILCS 130/5(a) (1).
- These records must include each worker's name, address, telephone number (if available), social security number, classification(s), hourly wages paid in each pay period, number of hours worked each day, and the starting and ending times of each work day. Each contractor and subcontractor is required to make these records available for inspection by the public body's agents or Illinois Department of Labor officials at a reasonable time and place upon seven business days notice. See 820 ILCS 130/5(a) (1), (b).

#### Certified Payroll Records:

- A contractor or subcontractor participating in a public works project must also submit a Certified Payroll the public body every month. This Certified Payroll must consist of a complete copy of the records required to be kept under Section 5(a)(1) of the Act, discussed above (with the exception of daily work starting and ending times). See 820 ILCS 130/5(a)(2).
- The monthly Certified Payroll shall also include a statement signed by the contractor or subcontractor submitting that: (1) the records are true and accurate; (2) the hourly rate paid to each worker is not less than the general prevailing wage rate required; and (3) the contractor or subcontractor is aware that filing a Certified Payroll that he or she knows to be false is a class B misdemeanor. See 820 ILCS 130/5(a)(2).
- The Act requires that a public body shall keep all Certified Payrolls submitted pursuant to the Act for at least three years. See 820 ILCS 130/5(a)(2). The retention of these monthly Certified Payroll submissions for three years by public bodies is crucial to the State of Illinois' efforts to enforce the Act and will be of particular interest to the Attorney General's office in the coming months.

#### Failure to comply with the Act's Requirements:

- No public works project may be instituted unless the provisions of the Act have been met. The Illinois Department of Labor is empowered to sue for injunctive relief against the awarding of any public works contract, or continuation of work under any such contract, if it is not in compliance with the Act's prerequisites. Contracts that are not in compliance with

the Act's prerequisites are void as against public policy. See 820 ILCS 103/11.

Please note that this is not a complete list of all relevant requirements and prerequisites under the Act. All contractors and subcontractors rendering services under this contract must comply with all requirements of the Act, including but not limited to, all wage, notice and record keeping duties. For a full understanding of all of the Act's requirements and prerequisites, as well as the text of the Act and all related regulations, please see the Illinois Department of Labor's website at [www.state.il.us/agency/idol/laws/Law130.htm](http://www.state.il.us/agency/idol/laws/Law130.htm).

**BID QUANTITIES:**

The College Board will reserve the right to increase or decrease, within reasonable limits, such quantities as need requires and at the unit price stated.

**BID AWARDS:**

The successful contractor, and/or any contractor shall not proceed on this bid until it receives a purchase order from the college. Failure to comply is the risk of that contractor.

**TERMINATION OF FUNDING:**

JJC's contractual obligations will be subject to termination and cancellation without penalty, accelerated payment, or other recoupment mechanism as provided herein in any fiscal year for which the Illinois General Assembly or other legally applicable funding source fails to make an appropriation to make payments under the terms of this Contract. In the event of termination for lack of appropriation, the Vendor shall be paid for services performed under this Contract up to the effective date of termination. JJC shall give notice of such termination for funding as soon as practicable after JJC becomes aware of the failure of funding.

**CHANGES TO CONTRACT AFTER BID AWARD:**

There shall be no deviations from any work without a written change order. All change orders must be approved by the Director of Business & Auxiliary Services or Vice President of Administrative Services as well as executed by the successful contractor.

If a change order or aggregate of change orders are 10% or more of the contract price, and such change orders are not approved, in writing, by either the Director of Business & Auxiliary Services or Vice President of Administrative Services, the successful contractor shall not be entitled to any type of compensation for services or materials provided.

**GENERAL:**

Joliet Junior College is committed to a policy of non-discrimination on the basis of sex, handicap, race, color, and national or ethnic origin in the admission, employment, educational programs, and activities it operates. Inquiries should be addressed to the Director of Human Resources.

The contractor (or vendor) shall agree to save and hold harmless the Joliet Junior College, the members of its College Board, its agents, servants and employees, from any and all actions or causes of action, or claim for damages, including the expense of defending suit, arising or growing out of the performance of, or failure to perform its contract.

This contract is subject to and governed by the rules and regulations of the Illinois Human Rights Act. The Customer reserves the right to request additional information after your proposal has been submitted.

**BLACKOUT PERIOD:**

After the College has advertised for bids, no pre-bid vendor shall contact any College officer(s) or employee(s) involved in the solicitation process, except for interpretation of bid specifications, clarification of bid submission requirements or any information pertaining to pre-bid conferences. Such bidders or sub-bidders making such request shall be made in writing at least seven (7) days prior to the date for receipt of bids. No vendor shall visit or contact any College officers or employees until after the bids are awarded, except in those instances when site inspection is a prerequisite for the submission of a bid. During the black-out period, any such visitation, solicitation or sales call by any representative of a prospective vendor in violation of this provision may cause the disqualification of such bidder's response.

# Will County Prevailing Wage for March 2014

(See explanation of column headings at bottom of wages)

Trade Name Trng	RG	TYP	C	Base	FRMAN	M-F>8	OSA	OSH	H/W	Pensn	Vac
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ASBESTOS ABT-GEN 0.500		ALL		37.100	37.600	1.5	1.5	2.0	13.38	9.520	0.000
ASBESTOS ABT-MEC 0.720		BLD		35.100	37.600	1.5	1.5	2.0	11.17	10.76	0.000
BOILERMAKER 0.350		BLD		44.240	48.220	2.0	2.0	2.0	6.970	17.54	0.000
BRICK MASON 1.040		BLD		41.580	45.740	1.5	1.5	2.0	9.700	12.80	0.000
CARPENTER 0.630		ALL		42.520	46.770	2.0	2.0	2.0	11.50	16.82	0.000
CEMENT MASON 0.500		ALL		41.000	43.000	2.0	2.0	2.0	9.500	16.54	0.000
CERAMIC TILE FNSHER 0.640		BLD		34.810	0.000	2.0	1.5	2.0	10.20	7.830	0.000
COMMUNICATION TECH 0.720		BLD		32.200	33.700	1.5	1.5	2.0	12.82	11.30	0.000
ELECTRIC PWR EQMT OP 0.450		ALL		44.850	49.850	1.5	1.5	2.0	10.63	14.23	0.000
ELECTRIC PWR GRNDMAN 0.350		ALL		34.980	49.850	1.5	1.5	2.0	8.290	11.10	0.000
ELECTRIC PWR LINEMAN 0.450		ALL		44.850	49.850	1.5	1.5	2.0	10.63	14.23	0.000
ELECTRICIAN 1.200		BLD		39.500	43.060	1.5	1.5	2.0	13.67	16.13	0.000
ELEVATOR CONSTRUCTOR 0.600		BLD		49.900	56.140	2.0	2.0	2.0	12.73	13.46	3.990
GLAZIER 0.940		BLD		40.000	41.500	1.5	2.0	2.0	12.49	15.99	0.000
HT/FROST INSULATOR 0.720		BLD		46.950	49.450	1.5	1.5	2.0	11.17	11.96	0.000
IRON WORKER 0.780		ALL		41.000	42.000	2.0	2.0	2.0	10.04	21.41	0.000
LABORER 0.500		ALL		37.000	37.750	1.5	1.5	2.0	13.38	9.520	0.000
LATHER 0.630		ALL		42.520	46.770	2.0	2.0	2.0	11.50	16.82	0.000
MACHINIST 0.000		BLD		43.920	46.420	1.5	1.5	2.0	6.760	8.950	1.850
MARBLE FINISHERS 0.590		ALL		30.520	0.000	1.5	1.5	2.0	9.700	12.55	0.000
MARBLE MASON 0.740		BLD		40.780	44.860	1.5	1.5	2.0	9.700	12.71	0.000
MATERIAL TESTER I 0.500		ALL		27.000	0.000	1.5	1.5	2.0	13.38	9.520	0.000
MATERIALS TESTER II 0.500		ALL		32.000	0.000	1.5	1.5	2.0	13.38	9.520	0.000

MILLWRIGHT 0.630	ALL	42.520	46.770	2.0	2.0	2.0	11.50	16.82	0.000
OPERATING ENGINEER 1.250	BLD 1	46.100	50.100	2.0	2.0	2.0	16.60	11.05	1.900
OPERATING ENGINEER 1.250	BLD 2	44.800	50.100	2.0	2.0	2.0	16.60	11.05	1.900
OPERATING ENGINEER 1.250	BLD 3	42.250	50.100	2.0	2.0	2.0	16.60	11.05	1.900
OPERATING ENGINEER 1.250	BLD 4	40.500	50.100	2.0	2.0	2.0	16.60	11.05	1.900
OPERATING ENGINEER 1.250	BLD 5	49.850	50.100	2.0	2.0	2.0	16.60	11.05	1.900
OPERATING ENGINEER 1.250	BLD 6	47.100	50.100	2.0	2.0	2.0	16.60	11.05	1.900
OPERATING ENGINEER 1.250	BLD 7	49.100	50.100	2.0	2.0	2.0	16.60	11.05	1.900
OPERATING ENGINEER 1.250	FLT 1	51.300	51.300	1.5	1.5	2.0	15.70	10.55	1.900
OPERATING ENGINEER 1.250	FLT 2	49.800	51.300	1.5	1.5	2.0	15.70	10.55	1.900
OPERATING ENGINEER 1.250	FLT 3	44.350	51.300	1.5	1.5	2.0	15.70	10.55	1.900
OPERATING ENGINEER 1.250	FLT 4	36.850	51.300	1.5	1.5	2.0	15.70	10.55	1.900
OPERATING ENGINEER 1.250	FLT 5	52.800	51.300	1.5	1.5	2.0	15.70	10.55	1.900
OPERATING ENGINEER 1.250	HWY 1	44.300	48.300	1.5	1.5	2.0	16.60	11.05	1.900
OPERATING ENGINEER 1.250	HWY 2	43.750	48.300	1.5	1.5	2.0	16.60	11.05	1.900
OPERATING ENGINEER 1.250	HWY 3	41.700	48.300	1.5	1.5	2.0	16.60	11.05	1.900
OPERATING ENGINEER 1.250	HWY 4	40.300	48.300	1.5	1.5	2.0	16.60	11.05	1.900
OPERATING ENGINEER 1.250	HWY 5	39.100	48.300	1.5	1.5	2.0	16.60	11.05	1.900
OPERATING ENGINEER 1.250	HWY 6	47.300	48.300	1.5	1.5	2.0	16.60	11.05	1.900
OPERATING ENGINEER 1.250	HWY 7	45.300	48.300	1.5	1.5	2.0	16.60	11.05	1.900
PAINTER 0.770	ALL	40.750	45.500	1.5	1.5	1.5	10.75	11.10	0.000
PAINTER SIGNS 0.000	BLD	33.920	38.090	1.5	1.5	1.5	2.600	2.710	0.000
PILEDRIIVER 0.630	ALL	42.520	46.770	2.0	2.0	2.0	11.50	16.82	0.000
PIPEFITTER 1.680	BLD	46.000	49.000	1.5	1.5	2.0	9.000	15.85	0.000
PLASTERER 0.550	BLD	41.250	43.730	1.5	1.5	2.0	11.10	11.69	0.000
PLUMBER 0.880	BLD	46.050	48.050	1.5	1.5	2.0	12.53	10.06	0.000
ROOFER 0.430	BLD	39.200	42.200	1.5	1.5	2.0	8.280	9.690	0.000
SHEETMETAL WORKER	BLD	43.250	45.250	1.5	1.5	2.0	10.65	12.90	0.000

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SPRINKLER FITTER	BLD		49.200	51.200	1.5	1.5	2.0	10.75	8.850	0.000	
0.450											
STONE MASON	BLD		41.580	45.740	1.5	1.5	2.0	9.700	12.80	0.000	
1.040											
SURVEY WORKER	ALL		37.000	37.750	1.5	1.5	2.0	12.97	9.930	0.000	
0.500											
TERRAZZO FINISHER	BLD		36.040	0.000	1.5	1.5	2.0	10.20	9.900	0.000	
0.540											
TERRAZZO MASON	BLD		39.880	42.880	1.5	1.5	2.0	10.20	11.25	0.000	
0.700											
TILE MASON	BLD		41.840	45.840	2.0	1.5	2.0	10.20	9.560	0.000	
0.880											
TRAFFIC SAFETY WRKR	HWY		28.250	29.850	1.5	1.5	2.0	4.896	4.175	0.000	
0.000											
TRUCK DRIVER	ALL	1	35.650	36.200	1.5	1.5	2.0	7.250	6.319	0.000	
0.250											
TRUCK DRIVER	ALL	2	35.800	36.200	1.5	1.5	2.0	7.250	6.319	0.000	
0.250											
TRUCK DRIVER	ALL	3	36.000	36.200	1.5	1.5	2.0	7.250	6.319	0.000	
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TRUCK DRIVER	ALL	4	36.200	36.200	1.5	1.5	2.0	7.250	6.319	0.000	
0.250											
TUCKPOINTER	BLD		41.950	42.950	1.5	1.5	2.0	8.180	11.78	0.000	
0.630											

Legend:

RG (Region)

TYP (Trade Type - All,Highway,Building,Floating,Oil & Chip,Rivers)

C (Class)

Base (Base Wage Rate)

FRMAN (Foreman Rate)

M-F>8 (OT required for any hour greater than 8 worked each day, Mon through Fri.

OSA (Overtime (OT) is required for every hour worked on Saturday)

OSH (Overtime is required for every hour worked on Sunday and Holidays)

H/W (Health & Welfare Insurance)

Pensn (Pension)

Vac (Vacation)

Trng (Training)

## Explanations

### WILL COUNTY

The following list is considered as those days for which holiday rates of wages for work performed apply: New Years Day, Memorial Day, Fourth of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day and Veterans Day in some classifications/counties. Generally, any of these holidays which fall on a Sunday is celebrated on the following Monday. This then makes work performed on that Monday payable at the appropriate overtime rate for holiday pay. Common practice in a given local may alter certain days of celebration. If in doubt, please check with IDOL.

#### EXPLANATION OF CLASSES

ASBESTOS - GENERAL - removal of asbestos material/mold and hazardous materials from any place in a building, including mechanical systems where those mechanical systems are to be removed. This includes the removal of asbestos materials/mold and hazardous materials from ductwork or pipes in a building when the building is to be demolished at the time or at some close future date.

ASBESTOS - MECHANICAL - removal of asbestos material from mechanical systems, such as pipes, ducts, and boilers, where the mechanical systems are to remain.

#### CERAMIC TILE FINISHER

The grouting, cleaning, and polishing of all classes of tile, whether for interior or exterior purposes, all burned, glazed or unglazed products; all composition materials, granite tiles, warning detectable tiles, cement tiles, epoxy composite materials, pavers, glass, mosaics, fiberglass, and all substitute materials, for tile made in tile-like units; all mixtures in tile like form of cement, metals, and other materials that are for and intended for use as a finished floor surface, stair treads, promenade roofs, walks, walls, ceilings, swimming pools, and all other places where tile is to form a finished interior or exterior. The mixing of all setting mortars including but not limited to thin-set mortars, epoxies, wall mud, and any other sand and cement mixtures or adhesives when used in the preparation, installation, repair, or maintenance of tile and/or similar materials. The handling and unloading of all sand, cement, lime, tile, fixtures, equipment, adhesives, or any other materials to be used in the preparation, installation, repair, or maintenance of tile and/or similar materials. Ceramic Tile Finishers shall fill all joints and

voids regardless of method on all tile work, particularly and especially after installation of said tile work. Application of any and all protective coverings to all types of tile installations including, but not be limited to, all soap compounds, paper products, tapes, and all polyethylene coverings, plywood, masonite, cardboard, and any new type of products that may be used to protect tile installations, Blastrac equipment, and all floor scarifying equipment used in preparing floors to receive tile. The clean up and removal of all waste and materials. All demolition of existing tile floors and walls to be re-tiled.

#### COMMUNICATIONS TECHNICIAN

Installation, operation, inspection, maintenance, repair and service of radio, television, recording, voice, sound and vision production and reproduction, telephone and telephone interconnect, facsimile, equipment and appliances used for domestic, commercial, educational and entertainment purposes, pulling of wire through conduit but not the installation of conduit.

#### MARBLE FINISHER

Loading and unloading trucks, distribution of all materials (all stone, sand, etc.), stocking of floors with material, performing all rigging for heavy work, the handling of all material that may be needed for the installation of such materials, building of scaffolding, polishing if needed, patching, waxing of material if damaged, pointing up, caulking, grouting and cleaning of marble, holding water on diamond or Carborundum blade or saw for setters cutting, use of tub saw or any other saw needed for preparation of material, drilling of holes for wires that anchor material set by setters, mixing up of molding plaster for installation of material, mixing up thin set for the installation of material, mixing up of sand to cement for the installation of material and such other work as may be required in helping a Marble Setter in the handling of all material in the erection or installation of interior marble, slate, travertine, art marble, serpentine, alberene stone, blue stone, granite and other stones (meaning as to stone any foreign or domestic materials as are specified and used in building interiors and exteriors and customarily known as stone in the trade), carrara, sanionyx, vitrolite and similar opaque glass and the laying of all marble tile, terrazzo tile, slate tile and precast tile, steps, risers treads, base, or any other materials that may be used as substitutes for any of the aforementioned materials and which are used on interior and exterior which are installed in a similar manner.

MATERIAL TESTER I: Hand coring and drilling for testing of materials; field inspection of uncured concrete and asphalt.

MATERIAL TESTER II: Field inspection of welds, structural steel, fireproofing, masonry, soil, facade, reinforcing steel, formwork, cured concrete, and concrete and asphalt batch plants; adjusting proportions of bituminous mixtures.

#### OPERATING ENGINEER - BUILDING

Class 1. Asphalt Plant; Asphalt Spreader; Autograde; Backhoes with Caisson Attachment; Batch Plant; Benoto (requires Two Engineers); Boiler and Throttle Valve; Caisson Rigs; Central Redi-Mix Plant; Combination Back Hoe Front End-loader Machine; Compressor and Throttle Valve; Concrete Breaker (Truck Mounted); Concrete Conveyor; Concrete Conveyor (Truck Mounted); Concrete Paver Over 27E cu. ft; Concrete Paver 27E cu. ft. and Under: Concrete Placer; Concrete Placing Boom; Concrete Pump (Truck Mounted); Concrete Tower; Cranes, All; Cranes, Hammerhead; Cranes, (GCI and similar Type); Creter Crane; Spider Crane; Crusher, Stone, etc.; Derricks, All; Derricks, Traveling; Formless Curb and Gutter Machine; Grader, Elevating; Grouting Machines; Heavy Duty Self-Propelled Transporter or Prime Mover; Highlift Shovels or Front Endloader 2-1/4 yd. and over; Hoists, Elevators, outside type rack and pinion and similar machines; Hoists, One, Two and Three Drum; Hoists, Two Tugger One Floor; Hydraulic Backhoes; Hydraulic Boom Trucks; Hydro Vac (and similar equipment); Locomotives, All; Motor Patrol; Lubrication Technician; Manipulators; Pile Drivers and Skid Rig; Post Hole Digger; Pre-Stress Machine; Pump Cretes Dual Ram; Pump Cretes: Squeeze Cretes-Screw Type Pumps; Gypsum Bulker and Pump; Raised and Blind Hole Drill; Roto Mill Grinder; Scoops - Tractor Drawn; Slip-Form Paver; Straddle Buggies; Operation of Tie Back Machine; Tournapull; Tractor with Boom and Side Boom; Trenching Machines.

Class 2. Boilers; Broom, All Power Propelled; Bulldozers; Concrete Mixer (Two Bag and Over); Conveyor, Portable; Forklift Trucks; Highlift Shovels or Front Endloaders under 2-1/4 yd.; Hoists, Automatic; Hoists, Inside Elevators; Hoists, Sewer Dragging Machine; Hoists, Tugger Single Drum; Laser Screed; Rock Drill (Self-Propelled); Rock Drill (Truck Mounted); Rollers, All; Steam Generators; Tractors, All; Tractor Drawn Vibratory Roller; Winch Trucks with "A" Frame.

Class 3. Air Compressor; Combination Small Equipment Operator; Generators; Heaters, Mechanical; Hoists, Inside Elevators (remodeling or renovation work); Hydraulic Power Units (Pile Driving, Extracting, and Drilling); Pumps, over 3" (1 to 3 not to exceed a total of 300 ft.); Low Boys; Pumps, Well Points; Welding Machines (2 through 5); Winches, 4 Small Electric Drill Winches.

Class 4. Bobcats and/or other Skid Steer Loaders; Oilers; and Brick Forklift.

Class 5. Assistant Craft Foreman.

Class 6. Gradall.

Class 7. Mechanics; Welders.

#### OPERATING ENGINEERS - HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Class 1. Asphalt Plant; Asphalt Heater and Planer Combination; Asphalt Heater Scarfire; Asphalt Spreader; Autograder/GOMACO or other similar type machines: ABG Paver; Backhoes with Caisson Attachment; Ballast

Regulator; Belt Loader; Caisson Rigs; Car Dumper; Central Redi-Mix Plant; Combination Backhoe Front Endloader Machine, (1 cu. yd. Backhoe Bucket or over or with attachments); Concrete Breaker (Truck Mounted); Concrete Conveyor; Concrete Paver over 27E cu. ft.; Concrete Placer; Concrete Tube Float; Cranes, all attachments; Cranes, Tower Cranes of all types: Creter Crane; Spider Crane; Crusher, Stone, etc.; Derricks, All; Derrick Boats; Derricks, Traveling; Dredges; Elevators, Outside type Rack & Pinion and Similar Machines; Formless Curb and Gutter Machine; Grader, Elevating; Grader, Motor Grader, Motor Patrol, Auto Patrol, Form Grader, Pull Grader, Subgrader; Guard Rail Post Driver Truck Mounted; Hoists, One, Two and Three Drum; Heavy Duty Self-Propelled Transporter or Prime Mover; Hydraulic Backhoes; Backhoes with shear attachments up to 40' of boom reach; Lubrication Technician; Manipulators; Mucking Machine; Pile Drivers and Skid Rig; Pre-Stress Machine; Pump Cretes Dual Ram; Rock Drill - Crawler or Skid Rig; Rock Drill - Truck Mounted; Rock/Track Tamper; Roto Mill Grinder; Slip-Form Paver; Snow Melters; Soil Test Drill Rig (Truck Mounted); Straddle Buggies; Hydraulic Telescoping Form (Tunnel); Operation of Tieback Machine; Tractor Drawn Belt Loader; Tractor Drawn Belt Loader (with attached pusher - two engineers); Tractor with Boom; Tractaire with Attachments; Traffic Barrier Transfer Machine; Trenching; Truck Mounted Concrete Pump with Boom; Raised or Blind Hole Drills (Tunnel Shaft); Underground Boring and/or Mining Machines 5 ft. in diameter and over tunnel, etc; Underground Boring and/or Mining Machines under 5 ft. in diameter; Wheel Excavator; Widener (APSCO).

Class 2. Batch Plant; Bituminous Mixer; Boiler and Throttle Valve; Bulldozers; Car Loader Trailing Conveyors; Combination Backhoe Front Endloader Machine (Less than 1 cu. yd. Backhoe Bucket or over or with attachments); Compressor and Throttle Valve; Compressor, Common Receiver (3); Concrete Breaker or Hydro Hammer; Concrete Grinding Machine; Concrete Mixer or Paver 7S Series to and including 27 cu. ft.; Concrete Spreader; Concrete Curing Machine, Burlap Machine, Belting Machine and Sealing Machine; Concrete Wheel Saw; Conveyor Muck Cars (Haglund or Similar Type); Drills, All; Finishing Machine - Concrete; Highlift Shovels or Front Endloader; Hoist - Sewer Dragging Machine; Hydraulic Boom Trucks (All Attachments); Hydro-Blaster; Hydro Excavating (excluding hose work); Laser Screed; All Locomotives, Dinky; Off-Road Hauling Units (including articulating) Non Self-Loading Ejection Dump; Pump Cretes: Squeeze Cretes - Screw Type Pumps, Gypsum Bulker and Pump; Roller, Asphalt; Rotary Snow Plows; Rototiller, Seaman, etc., self-propelled; Self-Propelled Compactor; Spreader - Chip - Stone, etc.; Scraper - Single/Twin Engine/Push and Pull; Scraper - Prime Mover in Tandem (Regardless of Size); Tractors pulling attachments, Sheeps Foot, Disc, Compactor, etc.; Tug Boats.

Class 3. Boilers; Brooms, All Power Propelled; Cement Supply Tender; Compressor, Common Receiver (2); Concrete Mixer (Two Bag and Over); Conveyor, Portable; Farm-Type Tractors Used for Mowing, Seeding, etc.; Forklift Trucks; Grouting Machine; Hoists, Automatic; Hoists, All Elevators; Hoists, Tugger Single Drum; Jeep Diggers; Low Boys; Pipe Jacking Machines; Post-Hole Digger; Power Saw, Concrete Power Driven; Pug Mills; Rollers, other than Asphalt; Seed and Straw Blower; Steam Generators; Stump Machine; Winch Trucks with "A" Frame; Work Boats; Tamper-Form-Motor Driven.

Class 4. Air Compressor; Combination - Small Equipment Operator; Directional Boring Machine; Generators; Heaters, Mechanical; Hydraulic Power Unit (Pile Driving, Extracting, or Drilling); Light Plants, All (1 through 5); Pumps, over 3" (1 to 3 not to exceed a total of 300 ft.); Pumps, Well Points; Vacuum Trucks (excluding hose work); Welding Machines (2 through 5); Winches, 4 Small Electric Drill Winches.

Class 5. SkidSteer Loader (all); Brick Forklifts; Oilers.

Class 6. Field Mechanics and Field Welders

Class 7. Dowell Machine with Air Compressor; Gradall and machines of like nature.

#### OPERATING ENGINEER - FLOATING

Class 1. Craft Foreman; Master Mechanic; Diver/Wet Tender; Engineer; Engineer (Hydraulic Dredge).

Class 2. Crane/Backhoe Operator; Boat Operator with towing endorsement; Mechanic/Welder; Assistant Engineer (Hydraulic Dredge); Leverman (Hydraulic Dredge); Diver Tender.

Class 3. Deck Equipment Operator, Machineryman, Maintenance of Crane (over 50 ton capacity) or Backhoe (115,000 lbs. or more); Tug/Launch Operator; Loader/Dozer and like equipment on Barge, Breakwater Wall, Slip/Dock, or Scow, Deck Machinery, etc.

Class 4. Deck Equipment Operator, Machineryman/Fireman (4 Equipment Units or More); Off Road Trucks; Deck Hand, Tug Engineer, Crane Maintenance (50 Ton Capacity and Under) or Backhoe Weighing (115,000 pounds or less); Assistant Tug Operator.

Class 5. Friction or Lattice Boom Cranes.

SURVEY WORKER - Operated survey equipment including data collectors, G.P.S. and robotic instruments, as well as conventional levels and transits.

TRAFFIC SAFETY - work associated with barricades, horses and drums used to reduce lane usage on highway work, the installation and removal of temporary lane markings, and the installation and removal of temporary road signs.

#### TRUCK DRIVER - BUILDING, HEAVY AND HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Class 1. Two or three Axle Trucks. A-frame Truck when used for transportation purposes; Air Compressors and Welding Machines, including those pulled by cars, pick-up trucks and tractors; Ambulances; Batch Gate Lockers; Batch Hopperman; Car and Truck Washers; Carry-alls; Fork Lifts and Hoisters; Helpers; Mechanics Helpers and Greasers; Oil Distributors 2-man operation; Pavement Breakers; Pole Trailer, up to 40 feet; Power Mower Tractors; Self-propelled Chip Spreader; Skipman; Slurry Trucks, 2-man

operation; Slurry Truck Conveyor Operation, 2 or 3 man; Teamsters; Unskilled Dumpman; and Truck Drivers hauling warning lights, barricades, and portable toilets on the job site.

Class 2. Four axle trucks; Dump Crets and Adgetors under 7 yards; Dumpsters, Track Trucks, Euclids, Hug Bottom Dump Turnapulls or Turnatrailers when pulling other than self-loading equipment or similar equipment under 16 cubic yards; Mixer Trucks under 7 yards; Ready-mix Plant Hopper Operator, and Winch Trucks, 2 Axles.

Class 3. Five axle trucks; Dump Crets and Adgetors 7 yards and over; Dumpsters, Track Trucks, Euclids, Hug Bottom Dump Turnatrailers or turnapulls when pulling other than self-loading equipment or similar equipment over 16 cubic yards; Explosives and/or Fission Material Trucks; Mixer Trucks 7 yards or over; Mobile Cranes while in transit; Oil Distributors, 1-man operation; Pole Trailer, over 40 feet; Pole and Expandable Trailers hauling material over 50 feet long; Slurry trucks, 1-man operation; Winch trucks, 3 axles or more; Mechanic--Truck Welder and Truck Painter.

Class 4. Six axle trucks; Dual-purpose vehicles, such as mounted crane trucks with hoist and accessories; Foreman; Master Mechanic; Self-loading equipment like P.B. and trucks with scoops on the front.

#### TERRAZZO FINISHER

The handling of sand, cement, marble chips, and all other materials that may be used by the Mosaic Terrazzo Mechanic, and the mixing, grinding, grouting, cleaning and sealing of all Marble, Mosaic, and Terrazzo work, floors, base, stairs, and wainscoting by hand or machine, and in addition, assisting and aiding Marble, Masonic, and Terrazzo Mechanics.

#### Other Classifications of Work:

For definitions of classifications not otherwise set out, the Department generally has on file such definitions which are available. If a task to be performed is not subject to one of the classifications of pay set out, the Department will upon being contacted state which neighboring county has such a classification and provide such rate, such rate being deemed to exist by reference in this document. If no neighboring county rate applies to the task, the Department shall undertake a special determination, such special determination being then deemed to have existed under this determination. If a project requires these, or any classification not listed, please contact IDOL at 217-782-1710 for wage rates or clarifications.

#### LANDSCAPING

Landscaping work falls under the existing classifications for laborer, operating engineer and truck driver. The work performed by landscape plantsman and landscape laborer is covered by the existing classification of laborer. The work performed by landscape operators (regardless of equipment used or its size) is covered by the

classifications of operating engineer. The work performed by landscape truck drivers (regardless of size of truck driven) is covered by the classifications of truck driver.

#### MATERIAL TESTER & MATERIAL TESTER/INSPECTOR I AND II

Notwithstanding the difference in the classification title, the classification entitled "Material Tester I" involves the same job duties as the classification entitled "Material Tester/Inspector I". Likewise, the classification entitled "Material Tester II" involves the same job duties as the classification entitled "Material Tester/Inspector II".



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**CERTIFICATION OF CONTRACT/BIDDER**

The below signed contractor/bidder hereby certifies that it is not barred from bidding on this or any other contract due to any violation of either Section 33E-3 or 33E-4 of Article 33E, Public Contracts, of the Illinois Criminal Code of 1961, as amended. This certification is required by Public Act 85-1295. This Act relates to interference with public contracting, bid rigging and rotating, kickbacks and bribery.

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR/BIDDER

\_\_\_\_\_  
TITLE

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

THIS FORM **MUST** BE RETURNED WITH YOUR BID TO:

Joliet Junior College  
Illinois Community College District #525  
Director of Business & Auxiliary Services, Building A, Room 3102  
1215 Houbolt Road  
Joliet IL 60431

**CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE WITH  
ILLINOIS DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE ACT**

\_\_\_\_\_, does hereby certify pursuant to the *Illinois Drug-Free Workplace Act* (30 ILCS 580/) that [he, she, it] shall provide a drug-free workplace for all employees engaged in the performance of work under the contract by complying with the requirements of the *Illinois Drug-Free Workplace Act* and, further certifies, that [he, she, it] is not ineligible for award of this contract by reason of debarment for a violation of the *Illinois Drug-Free Workplace Act*.

\_\_\_\_\_  
By Authorized Agent

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me  
This \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
NOTARY PUBLIC

SPECIFICATIONS  
FERTILIZATION AND WEED CONTROL

Scope of Work: Joliet Junior College is seeking bids for fertilization and weed control on general lawn and athletic areas at the following locations:

- Main Campus, 1215 Houbolt Rd., Joliet, IL,
- Romeoville Campus, 1125 Romeo Rd., Romeoville, IL.
- Weitendorf Agricultural Education Center, 17840 Laraway Road, Joliet, IL.

The contract period will be for three (3) annual periods, with years 2 and 3 renewals subject to the approval of both parties. The first annual contract will cover applications in Fall 2014 and Spring 2015.

**1. APPLICATIONS**

All applications will be coordinated through the Roads & Grounds Division of the Facility Services Department. The contractor will provide a fertilization and weed control schedule to the owner prior to July 31st and April 15th for the for the fall and spring applications respectively. It is preferred that Main Campus, Romeoville Campus and Weitendorf Agricultural Education Center sites be completed on the same date whenever possible. The contractor shall arrange adequate equipment and personnel to meet all performance standards set forth in the specifications. Equipment failure and personnel shall not be used as a reason for failing to meet performance standards contracted herein.

**2. FERTILIZER**

- a. Material: Granular fertilizer containing a ratio of 10-0-10 with 50% of the nitrogen derived from methylol urea and the balance from low biuret urea. The potassium shall be derived from muriate of potash.
- b. Rate: Mid-fall application will contain 1 lb. of actual nitrogen per 1,000 square feet. Mid-spring application will contain 1 lb. of actual nitrogen per 1,000 square feet.
- c. No fertilizer applications within 20 feet of any drainage swale at any location, or within 20 feet of the JJC Lake edge at Main Campus.

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**3. BROADLEAF WEED CONTROL**

- a. Material: Any combination of products containing the following:
  
- b. Rate: 1.37 lb. MCPA per acre 0.55 lb. MCPP per acre 0.15 lb. Dicamba per acre The use of 2,4-D or any product containing 2,4-D is prohibited from this specification. The owner reserves the right to test for 2,4-D and if evidence is found the penalty can be but not limited to immediate termination of this agreement.

**4. TIMING**

- All applications will take place on weekends (Saturday or Sunday) when students are present in lesser numbers with prior notice of 48 hours given to the owner.
- Special consideration for scheduling purposes will be granted to owner for Athletic and other special events on campuses.
- Both Fall and Spring applications must be completed within 48 hours (i.e. Saturday or Sunday).
- Fall applications must be completed in September.
- Spring applications must be completed before Graduation Ceremony (usually held on the second Friday in May).
- Applications must be timed when broadleaf weed control is optimum, when air temperatures are greater than 60 degrees F. and there is adequate soil moisture. Wind speeds must be less than five (5) miles per hour.
- Successful bidder must guarantee application.
- Application must be down for five (5) hours before rainfall; If not, a re-application of weed control will be necessary at no additional cost to owner.

**5. LICENSURE AND RECORDS**

- a. Any person making material applications on owner's property must be licensed by the State of Illinois. A photocopy of the Applicators and Operators licenses must be presented to the owner prior to each application.

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- b. Contractor shall include, with bid, a list of fertilization and weed control equipment owned by the company. The list should include size and capacity of equipment.
  
- c. Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) must be provided on any and all products which may be applied to meet specifications. These documents must be submitted with the bid.

**6. SIZE OF PROPERTY**

- a. Main Campus general lawn and athletic areas is 98.6 acres.
- b. Romeoville Campus general lawn area is 14 acres.
- c. Weitendorf Agricultural Education Center general lawn area is 17 acres.
- d. Contractors are responsible to measure all sites to insure the accuracy of the acreage.

Total general lawn and athletic areas at Main, Romeoville and Weitendorf Campuses is approximately 129.6 acres.

**7. SAFETY**

Precautions shall be exercised at all times for the protection of persons and property.

**8. SUPERVISION OF WORK**

The contractor is to supervise or provide a competent supervisor to oversee all work. The contractor will perform all work duties in a workmanlike manner causing as little disturbance and inconvenience to owner. The contractor shall not let, transfer or assign this contract in part or whole without the consent of the owner. The contractor shall schedule four (4) site inspections with the owner through the season to monitor and insure that quality service is being provided. These scheduled inspections will be during the months of May, July, September and November. All work shall be done in conformance with all applicable Federal, State and Local laws.

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**9. EXAMINATION OF DOCUMENTS AND SITE**

Before submitting a bid for work each contractor shall carefully examine the sites and the bid document, fully inform themselves of existing conditions and limitations of the sites, rely entirely upon their own judgment in making the bid, and include in their bid all sums sufficient to provide all work required by the bid documents. After opening of bids, no additional allowance will be made for changes in project scope and/or price due to work that would have been apparent by examination of the documents and sites. By submitting a bid, each bidder shall be held to represent that they have made the examination in complete detail and has determined beyond doubt that the documents and existing conditions are sufficient, adequate and satisfactory for completion of the work.

The Undersigned, after having carefully studied the specifications and made a site visit for Fertilization and Weed Control at the Main Campus, Romeoville Campus and Weitendorf Agricultural Education Center and having fully acquainted himself with the conditions affecting the work, proposed to furnish all labor, materials and incidentals necessary to complete the said project for Joliet Junior College, Illinois Community College District 525, Joliet, Will County, Illinois, in accordance with said bid documents for the following sums:

**Base Bid:** All work for the Fertilization and Weed Control at the Main Campus, Romeoville Campus, and Weitendorf Agricultural Education Center as set forth in the bid documents, for the first annual contract (fall and spring application) for the stipulated sum of:

\_\_\_\_\_ Dollars\$(\_\_\_\_\_)

For purposes of adjustment to the bid, if Joliet Junior College changes the scope of area to be fertilized the following price adjustment per application will apply. For additions to the bid, each acre added (fall and spring application) will be an additional:

\_\_\_\_\_ Dollars\$(\_\_\_\_\_)

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For deductions from the bid, each acre subtracted will be a deduct of:

\_\_\_\_\_ Dollars\$(\_\_\_\_\_)

Choose one option listed below (this cost will be considered in award of the contract):

- 1. For the annual renewals after the initial one-year term, we will provide annual service at the bid cost plus an escalator of \_\_\_\_\_ percent per year.

YES\_\_\_\_\_ NO\_\_\_\_\_

- 2. For the annual renewals after the initial one-year term, we will provide annual service at the bid cost plus inflation as determined by the increase in the CPI for the Chicago area.

YES\_\_\_\_\_ NO\_\_\_\_\_

- 3. For the annual renewals after the initial one-year term, we will provide annual service at the bid cost plus an inflation factor tied to (specify your index or means of computing the increase)

\_\_\_\_\_.

- 4. We will provide years 2 and 3 service at the annual cost included in this bid with no increase.

YES\_\_\_\_\_ NO\_\_\_\_\_

**Substitution:**

The Undersigned agrees to furnish material in accordance with Contract Documents. The Undersigned further proposes to substitute the following alternate materials, equipment or methods of construction, for the indicated changes in contract amount, if such substitutions are approved in writing by the Owner. Data and description of proposed substitutions are attached.

Description	Add	Deduct
_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
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