

#### **STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS:**

GAINESVILLE-HALL METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLAN: 2025 UPDATE / BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN PLAN RFQ/P NO. 43-027

HALL COUNTY, GEORGIA

SUBMITTED BY CROY ENGINEERING MAY 25, 2023

#### COVER LETTER

## **III CROY**

May 25, 2023

Hall County Government Center Purchasing Division - 4th Floor 2875 Browns Bridge Road Gainesville, Georgia 30504 Attn: Julie Dorough

To whom it may concern,

We are pleased to submit the following statement of qualifications outlining why Croy is well-positioned to assist Gainesville-Hall Metropolitan Planning Organization (GHMPO) with the 2025 Transportation / Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan Updates. As a Georgia-based firm with transportation, planning, and engineering experience across the Southeast, we are more than capable of assisting you with these projects. The following points summarize the advantages of our Croy team for selection on this contract.

We have a local perspective and commitment. As a Georgia-based team, we are committed to serving clients and communities across the state, including Hall County, Ga. In fact, Croy currently holds an on-call contract with Hall County to provide right-of-way acquisition services, and has assisted with acquisition efforts on both the Spout Springs Road and Sardis Road projects. This investment, coupled with our team's technical skills, will help us to begin work immediately, remain responsive, and deliver an efficient, successful study process.

We have a track record of success. Our Croy team has experience performing transportation updates for communities similar to yours. For example, Croy led the Long-Range Transportation Plan update process for the Huntsville Metropolitan Planning Organization, along with the Comprehensive Transportation Plan (CTP) update for Griffin-Spalding County.

We are a diverse, energetic team. We thoughtfully built this team to be a diverse mix of seasoned professionals (who will bring proven experience) and emerging leaders (who will bring fresh perspectives and innovative ideas). An added benefit to our team is the addition of our two subconsultants – Perez Planning + Design and FuturePlan Consulting.

Our firms have teamed together on other studies in the metro Atlanta area, such as the Douglasville North Side Trail Plan and the Coweta CTP update. This familiarity with working together will enable us to begin work immediately and effectively — saving the County time and money.

We are committed to you. We recognize the investment the County will make with implementing the projects from this contract and their significance to the continued growth of the community. Croy strives to exceed our clients' needs and expectations in every way – remaining responsive and flexible – and commit to doing so for Hall County for the duration of our contract.

If you have any questions regarding this qualifications package, please reach out to me at 678.628.3233 (cell) or by email at ddobry@croyeng.com. We are excited for the opportunity to continue working with you.

Respectfully,

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Daniel B. Dobry, Jr., PE, PTOE, AICP Transportation Planning Department Manager | Croy

#### ABOUT **US**

### **III CROY**

Croy is an award-winning, full-service consulting firm founded in 2005. As a leading provider of design solutions in the

Southeast, Croy leverages its local presence and community ties to serve both public and private sector clients on the local, regional, and national levels.

As the prime consultant, the more than 100-person firm is headquartered in Marietta, Ga., but has office locations across the Southeast, including Huntsville, Ala. and Chattanooga, Tenn.

Our project team will consist of diversified professionals, all of whom have the experience, capabilities, and availability to provide the services required by Hall County for the transportation plan / bicycle and pedestrian plan updates. Leading our Croy team is **Dan Dobry, Jr., PE, PTOE, AICP** as Project Manager and your primary point-of-contact. He will be accessible and will drive our team to successful completion of this study process.

In addition, FuturePlan Consulting and Perez Planning + Design will be joining our team. We have successfully worked with both subsonsultants on similar projects in the past, and Perez Planning + Design is a certified Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE). Each subconsultant has been thoughtfully added to our team to bring their specialized expertise to this planning process.

FuturePlan Consulting will lead the travel demand modeling and Perez Planning + Design will lead the bike/pedestrian trail design efforts.

#### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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Primary Point-of-Contact Dan Dobry, Jr., PE, PTOE, AICP 678.628.3233 [c] ddobry@croyeng.com



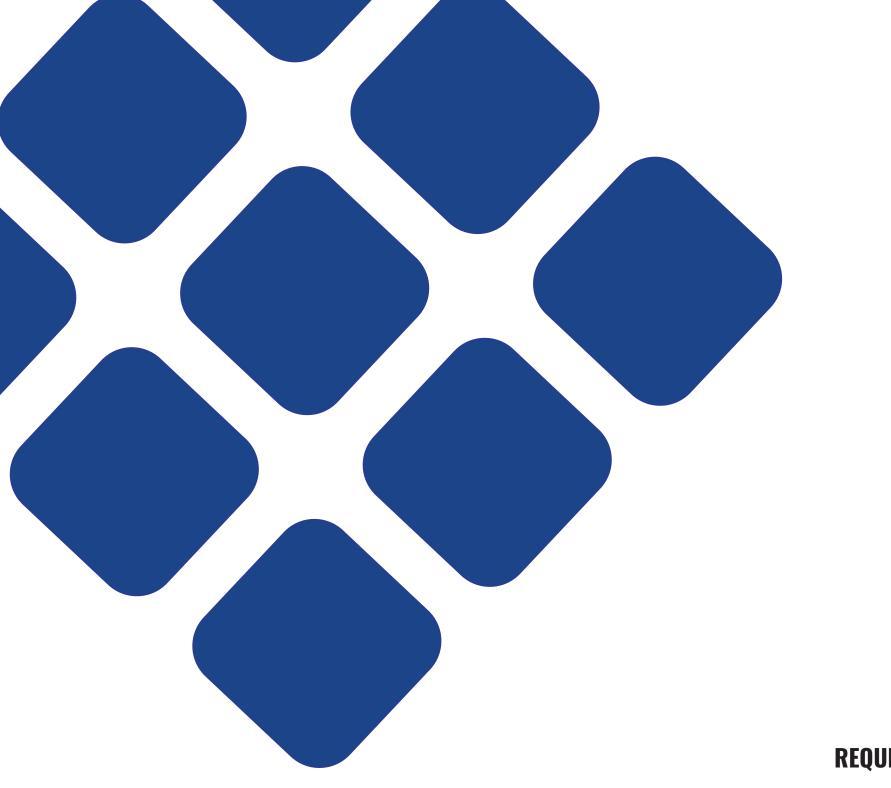
**CORE DISCIPLINES** Aviation Construction Management **Environmental** Land / Right-of-Way Acquisition Landscape Architecture Municipal Utilities Parks and Recreation Planning Program Management Public Involvement Site Development Stormwater Surveying Traffic Engineering Transit **Transportation** 

#### **COMPANY INFORMATION**

Croy Engineering, LLC Private Partnership Incorporated in Georgia 18 Years in Business (2005) Limited Liability Company Croyengineering.com

#### **FIRM AWARDS**





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Croy Engineering, LLC 200 Cobb Parkway North Building 400, Suite 413 Marietta, GA 30062

Re: Hall County 2025 Transportation Plan Update / Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan Update

To whom it may concern:

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## **EXHIBIT A**

# MANDATORY BID RESPONSE FORM

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Date of Bid Submittal: 5/25/2023 RFQ/P Bid No: # 43-027

Bid Name: Gainesville-Hall Metropolitan Transportation Plan: 2025 Update / Bicycle and

Pedestrian Plan Update

Affirmation: Bidder affirms the following by affixing a wet signature in blue ink below:

authorized to sign this bid". "I agree to abide by all terms and conditions of this RFQ/P and certify that I am

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Bidder Signature:	Date: 5/24/2023
Print Name: Gregory D. Teague, PE	
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# EXHIBIT D

# MANDATORY QUESTIONS

# Bidder's company name:

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YES	Do you affirm that neither your firm, nor its principals, are currently in litigation with Hall County, Georgia?	15
YES	Do you affirm that neither your firm, nor its principals, are barred from work in the State of Georgia?	14
YES	Have you provided your Certificate of Insurance?	13
YES	Bid Bonds are not required, but a letter of P&P Bondability is required. Have you attached this letter?	12
YES	This Bid requires that bidders to attach a copy of their current Business License. Have you attached this document?	11
N/A	Have you read and signed EXHIBIT K - SAMPLE CONTRACT TEMPLATE FOR SERVICES?	10
YES	Have you completed and attached the EXHIBIT J - MANDATORY ETHICS AFFIDAVIT?	Q
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#### **MANDATORY SCORED QUESTIONS/RESPONSES**

All nine (9) questions below MUST be answered. Each question is weighted and scored for completeness and detail. The maximum possible amount of points is nine-hundred (900) total. The County's Evaluation Committee will review and assign percentage scores to each question depending on the answers provided. The maximum amount of points is nine-hundred (900) for this Technical Response Worksheet. The Contractor(s) with the highest point values will be considered the apparent contract award winner(s) and may be invited to interview with the County's Evaluation Committee for further discussions, and may be asked to enter into further negotiations. Use additional pages and attach if needed.

QUESTIONS	ANSWERS
1. Does your company have at least three (3) sequential years of experience in transportation planning and engineering of Bicycle and Pedestrian infrstructure as detailed in the RFQ document?	Yes
	Griffin-Spalding County Comprehensive Transportation Plan (CTP) Update Croy was awarded the contract to lead the consultant team to update the Griffin-Spalding County Comprehensive Transportation Plan. The CTP update will serve as a guide for future transportation investments, while supporting quality transportation and mobility. Client Contact – Steve Ledbetter, PhD   Spalding County Government   770.467.4224 sledbetter@spaldingcounty.com
2. Describe in narrative form at least three (3) projects within the past five (5) years, in similar size and scope that you have completed with project names, entity name, references names, and contact details.	<b>Paulding County Comprehensive Transportation Plan (CTP) Update</b> Croy was a part of the consultant team that performed the CTP update for Paulding County. Conducted in conjunction with the Comprehensive Plan update, the CTP commenced with a thorough analysis of the current transportation system to define existing conditions. As a multi-modal plan, all components of the transportation network were analyzed. <i>Client Contact</i> – Erica Parish, DOT Deputy Director Paulding County   770.445.4759   erica.parish@paulding.gov
	<b>2040 and 2045 Coweta County Comprehensive Transportation Plan (CTP) Updates</b> In 2012, Croy was a part of the team contracted to update the 2040 Coweta County Joint Comprehensive Transportation Plan (CTP). The update confirmed transportation needs in the county by bringing existing travel and development conditions data from 2006 to the current year and extending future projections to 2040. In 2021, Croy again served on the consulting team to update the 2045 Coweta County Comprehensive Transportation Plan. <i>Client Contact</i> – Jenny Runions, AICP, County Planner   Coweta County Government   770.254.2635, ext. 8764   jrunions@coweta.ga.us
	Project experience is expanded on the following pages.

#### 2. Project Experience

#### PAULDING COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE TRANSPORTATION PLAN (CTP) UPDATE

Croy was a part of the consultant team that performed the CTP update for Paulding County. Conducted in conjunction with the Comprehensive Plan update, the CTP commenced with a thorough analysis of the current transportation system to define existing conditions. As a multi-modal plan, all components of the transportation network were analyzed with **Croy taking the lead on active transportation, including bicycle and pedestrian facilities,** policies, and programs; bridges; traffic signals and ITS; aviation; plus asset management and performance monitoring programs. As a part of this effort, Croy also developed the needs analysis for each of these components. Croy also collected the existing data from the rest of the consultant team and created the Existing Condition and Needs Assessment Report deliverable.

In addition, Croy was involved with the multi-tiered public engagement activities. Croy participated in monthly Project Management Team meetings for both the CTP and Comprehensive Plan; was engaged with the Stakeholders Committee; and met with the general public at three open houses. Our Croy team also assisted with the remaining public engagement activities, which included a presentation to the Board of Commissioners.

Croy contributed to the evaluation process so that the transportation projects were prioritized. Croy also developed cost estimates for the recommended projects. Upon completion of the analyses, Croy again collected all the data and assisted in the preparation of the Final Report.

*Client Contact* – Erica Parish, DOT Deputy Director | Paulding County 770.445.4759 | erica.parish@paulding.gov

#### EXHIBIT E - MANDATORY SCORED QUESTIONS/RESPONSES

#### GRIFFIN-SPALDING COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE TRANSPORTATION PLAN (CTP) UPDATE

In July 2021, Croy was awarded the contract to lead the consultant team to update the Griffin-Spalding County Comprehensive Transportation Plan (CTP). As a joint plan update, Spalding's municipalities of Griffin, Sunny Side, and Orchard Hill were key partners in the plan update process. The CTP update serves as a guide for future transportation investments, while supporting quality transportation and mobility.

This update was built on the previous CTP efforts, identifying areas likely to grow, and preparing the community's transportation network for development. This effort enables the County to make **strategic infrastructure investments to foster mobility, encourage connectivity, maximize roadway operations and safety,** support economic development, and minimize environmental impacts to promote a high quality of life for residents.

Our Croy team's plan engaged key stakeholders and the public through open house meetings and digital engagement strategies, leveraging both traditional and innovative tools to gain valuable feedback and input. This included creating a project website, using engagement platforms such as Social Pinpoint, hosting community workshops, promoting online surveys, and engaging media outlets.

In addition, the CTP update assessed transportation needs in the County by bringing existing travel and development conditions data from 2016 to the current year and extending future projections. The CTP also served to reprioritize projects and identify funding based on anticipated growth. The final deliverables have been submitted, and both Spalding County and the City of Griffin have adopted the CTP update.

*Client Contact* – Steve Ledbetter, PhD | Spalding County Government 770.467.4224 | sledbetter@spaldingcounty.com

#### 2. Project Experience

#### COWETA COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE TRANSPORTATION PLAN (CTP) UPDATES

In 2012, Croy was contracted to update the 2040 Coweta County Joint Comprehensive Transportation Plan (CTP). As a joint plan, Coweta's municipalities of Newnan, Sharpsburg, Moreland, Grantville, Turin, and Senoia were key partners in the plan update process. The CTP Update serves as a guide for future transportation investments in Coweta, setting the direction for county staff and officials, while supporting quality transportation and mobility. The update confirmed transportation needs in the county by bringing existing travel and development conditions data from 2006 to the current year and extending future projections to 2040.

In 2021, Croy and FuturePlan both served on the consultant team to update the 2045 Coweta County Comprehensive Transportation Plan. **Croy led the multi-modal component, including bicyclepedestrian infrastructure,** greenways, and trails; signals and Intelligent Transportation Systems (ITS) infrastructure; and airports. Croy also provided additional support by participating in the public engagement process. A series of interim deliverables were completed, including the inventory of existing conditions and needs assessment report. As the study progressed, project recommendations and methodology for project evaluation were recommended for the final deliverables.

*Client Contact* – Jenny Runions, AICP, County Planner Coweta County Government 770.254.2635, ext. 8764 | jrunions@coweta.ga.us



#### EXHIBIT E - MANDATORY SCORED QUESTIONS/RESPONSES

#### STATE ROUTE 21 ACCESS MANAGEMENT STUDY

Croy conducted a study of approximately 3.2 miles of SR 21/Augusta Road from Grange Road to the I-516 ramp in Garden City, Ga. The study was sponsored by the Coastal Region MPO in cooperation with Savannah MPC and Garden City. The goal of the SR 21 Access Management Study was to analyze existing and future roadway conditions and provide recommendations to address the corridor's operations and safety, multi-modal improvements, streetscape elements, and economic development potential.

The study analyzed existing conditions in detail. This effort included traffic operations analysis, crash data analysis, land use and economic development analysis, multi-modal and transit analysis, freight and railroad analysis, and access management evaluation. In addition, the project team conducted two Project Advisory Group meetings, one virtual public forum, and a walkability audit with stakeholders to inventory perceived issues and develop preliminary recommendations for consideration.

As a primarily vehicular corridor, **alternative concepts were developed to maintain efficient traffic operations while promoting walking and bicycling along, across, and to the corridor.** The final report for the study lists short term, intermediate, and long-term recommendations for the corridor, as well as policy recommendations. The corridor improvement concepts also explored opportunities for landscape, streetscape, and other elements to improve community character and create a sense of place.

The study was approved and adopted by Garden City's council. With subsequent funding sources identified, Garden City will be able to pursue preliminary engineering to design the transportation improvements and stimulate economic redevelopment.

*Client Contact* – Scott Robider, City Manager | Garden City, Ga. 912.966.7777 | srobider@gardencity-ga.gov

#### 2. Project Experience

#### **DOUGLASVILLE MULTI-MODAL STUDY - WARD 1**

As a part of its Comprehensive Transportation Plan Update process, the City of Douglasville, Ga. identified additional projects needed to provide connectivity within its community. Our Croy team was selected to conduct a planning effort for the Multi-Modal Evaluation for residential streets in Ward 1 of the City, with the goal of developing an action plan to program the construction of these active mobility projects.

Through interaction with elected and appointed officials, coordination with various City departments and representatives, as well as robust public engagement activities, **our team worked to develop a prioritized list of pedestrian and bicycle connectivity projects.** As a part of this effort, our team prepared a comparative matrix of factors to help establish priorities, as well as a report that contains a detailed cost estimate for preliminary engineering, right-of-way acquisition, utility relocations, and construction.

For this multi-modal study, our Croy team performed a review and inventory of existing safety and operational conditions. Our team also conducted a Road Safety Audit (RSA) along key segments to verify roadway geometry, horizontal and sight distance conditions, as well as other unforeseen circumstances that could contribute to crash experiences.

In addition, Croy led all public engagement activities, including the development of a Public Involvement Plan, website outreach, social media presence, and online survey. Ultimately, we delivered a final report that included a prioritized project list and realistic implementation plan for the City that promotes safer and more convenient multi-modal travel.

*Client Contact* – Marcus Thompson, City Engineer City of Douglasville, Ga. | 770.920.3000 | thompsonm@douglasvillega.gov

#### EXHIBIT E - MANDATORY SCORED QUESTIONS/RESPONSES

#### **CITY OF DOUGLASVILLE NORTH SIDE TRAIL PLAN**

With the construction of the new alignment for State Route (SR) 92 and completion of a recent Livable Centers Initiative (LCI) study, Douglasville saw the opportunity to focus on this area and conducted the North Side Redevelopment Plan. **Croy partnered with Perez Planning + Design to assist the City of Douglasville with the trail planning and design process.** The goal of the study was to identify steps that would stabilize and revitalize the area. The four major objectives identified through the community visioning activities were centered around Connectivity, Preservation, Goods, and Services.

The study encompassed performing a concept study, identifying trail projects, developing design recommendations, and articulating the associated costs. The outcomes from the North Side Trail Study established a framework for investing in non-vehicular infrastructure that promotes pedestrian and bicycle connectivity between the area's homes, parks, schools, and commercial nodes.

The study process included an existing conditions analysis, comprising a review of previous plans and studies, demographic analysis, zoning analysis, future land use analysis, topography and slope analysis, Level of Traffic Stress (LTS) analysis, intersection pedestrian/bicycle infrastructure evaluation, crash and safety analysis. The study involved an extensive public engagement process that was tailored to the Covid-19 pandemic situation. Concept alternatives for the trail network were developed and trail amenities and programs were identified. Detailed project costs were estimated, and funding sources were identified. The study concluded with a phased implementation plan to assist the City with future programming.

*Client Contact* – Patrice Williams, Former Community Development Director | City of Douglasville, Ga. 678.449.3028 | williamsp@douglasvillega.gov

#### 2. Project Experience

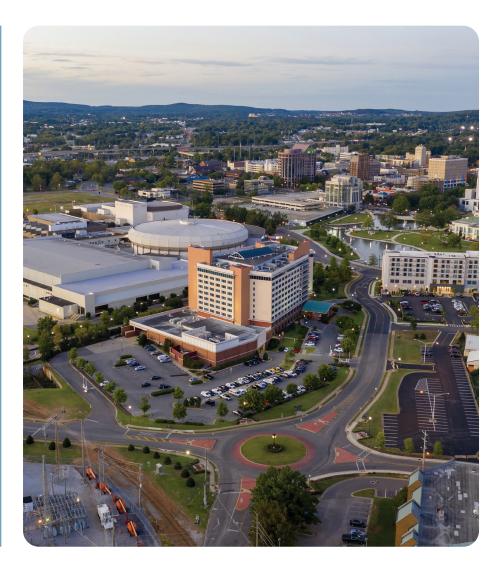
#### HUNTSVILLE AREA MPO 2045 LONG-RANGE TRANSPORTATION PLAN UPDATE (TRiP2045)

Croy led the consultant team to update the Huntsville Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) Long-Range Transportation Plan (LRTP). The Plan Update, known as TRiP2045, serves as a guide for future transportation investments in the Huntsville Area MPO, setting the direction for the jurisdictions' staff and officials while supporting quality transportation and mobility. This edition of the LRTP marked a major departure from previous versions, in that a complete structural and cosmetic overhaul was desired to make the document more user-friendly and visually appealing.

To assist in the LRTP presentation, Croy prepared a number of color palettes for selection by the MPO Project Manager and graphics representing planning goals as articulated in the FAST Act and MAP 21 federal transportation programs. In addition, Croy prepared a presentation that was made to the Jurisdiction Engineers and Leadership (JEL) meeting, and also developed a questionnaire for attendees to help understand the multi-modal projects to be considered for the LRTP and satisfy federal requirements.

FuturePlan was a part of the team to provide travel demand modelling refinements that brought existing travel and development conditions data from the current year and extended future projections to 2045. The document will also serve as a tool for re-prioritizing projects and programs, as well as identifying funding based on anticipated growth. In addition, study efforts explored new and innovative strategies to address deficiencies and expand travel opportunities county-wide. The study was officially adopted by the Huntsville MPO in April 2020.

*Client Contact* – Dennis Madsen, AICP, Long-Range Planning Director Huntsville Area MPO | 256.427.5100 | dennis.madsen@huntsvilleal.gov



QUESTIONS	ANSWERS
3. List current projects, percent complete, and total possible workload.	With more than 100 people on-staff, a comprehensive list of projects is quite substantial. A detailed report can be provided if requested, however, we have not included it in this package as it is more than 60 pages long and includes both active and confidential projects. We have included a representative sample of projects below for this project team. Although we have numerous projects in various stages, our team always has the capacity to shift resources to take on new projects. We recognize the importance of balancing various commitments and staffing resources to meet the needs of our clients.

CLIENT/PROJECT	PERCENT COMPLETE
Cotter Properties & Development - Highway 138 Traffic Impact Study	0%
Sanjha - Truck Traffic Impact Study	0%
Planning NEXT - City of Chattanooga Area Plans	1.56%
City of Powder Springs - Truck Routing Plan	3.71%
WK Dickson & Company - Ardent Thompson Property TIS	15.51%
Fayette County - State Route 85 at Highway 85 Connector	36.03%
City of Douglasville - State Route 92 at Dallas Highway Transportation Improvements	37.43%
Perimeter CIDs - Livable Center Initiative 10-year Update	38.44%
City of Marietta - Atlanta Street and Downtown Improvements	40.47%
Georgia Highlands College - Guide Signs Design and Coordination	49.49%
City of Americus - Bike Lane Projects	56.06%
Town Center Community Improvement District (CID) - Inventory Prioritization	68.90%
TSW Design - Henry County Comprehensive Transportation Plan Update	70.89%
Gresham Smith - Town Center CID Freight and Logistics Study	78.76%
Henry County - I-75 Commercial Vehicle Lanes Traffic Impact Study	89.41%
Henry County - Ellistown Road Project	91.40%
City of Marietta - Mountain View Ridge Road Improvements	92.11%
City of Guntersville - Comprehensive Plan	96.84%
Georgia Department of Transportation - Westover Boulevard Extension and Roundabout	99.97%

## QUESTIONS ANSWERS 4. Why Hall County should select your firm for this project. Our Croy team is well-equipped to deliver the Transportation Plan / Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan Updates for Hall County. Below are the advantages of our team, which serve to differentiate us in suitability to conduct these studies for your community.



#### WE HAVE A TRACK RECORD OF SUCCESS.

Our team has experience performing transportation plan updates together. For example, we worked together with Perez Planning to conduct the Douglasville North Side Trail Plan. In addition, FuturePlan and Croy have teamed-up previously to deliver the 2045 Coweta County CTP update and the Huntsville MPO 2045 LRTP update.



#### WE WILL CONDUCT A HOLISTIC STUDY.

We understand the need to incorporate both quantitative and qualitative data into our analysis to provide a comprehensive understanding of the transportation infrastructure needs of the County. This will be accomplished by using GDOT's ICE tool (for technical aspects) and conducting various public outreach initiatives (for nuances and insights).



#### WE ENGAGE WITH THE PUBLIC (ON THEIR TURF).

Our public engagement practices are designed to reach all stakeholders and the public in the study area by utilizing a range of traditional and innovative options.

#### WE CALL THIS REGION HOME.

As a Georgia-based team, we are committed to investing in communities across the state. We will leverage our relationships and experience performing transportation updates of a similar size to recommend implementable, cost-effective projects because the places where you live, work, and play – we call them home, too. In addition, Croy currently holds an on-call contract with Hall County to provide right-of-way acquisition services.



#### WE WILL BUILD ON EXISTING EFFORTS.

Our team understands the value of building on existing plans – such as the 2022 Athens Street and 129 South Corridors Plan, 2015 Gainesville Downtown Plan, and the 2020 Park Hill Corridor Plan – to serve as a foundation for multi-modal and safety improvements. Review of these documents will enable our team to inventory progress in terms of transportation investment and traffic growth before making recommendations.



#### WE ARE A DIVERSE, ENERGETIC TEAM.

We strategically built this team to be a mix of seasoned professionals, who will bring proven experience, and emerging leaders, who will bring fresh perspectives. Our partnership with Perez Planning and FuturePlan provides our team with a combination of local experience and national perspectives that we will use to leverage lessons learned, cutting-edge technologies, and industry trends.



#### WE UNDERSTAND TRANSPORTATION PLANNING.

With completed planning projects and transportation updates across the state of Georgia, including Spalding County, Paulding County, Coweta County, and Henry County, our Croy team has an in-depth understanding of this process. We will work together to develop context-sensitive recommendations that result in specific, implementable projects for Hall County.

QUESTIONS	ANSWERS
5. Will any of the proposed services be subcontracted out to a third-party? If so, denote the work, the percentage of total, and list each of the legal entity's company names of the third-party(s).	Yes, Carlos Perez and Rob Schiffer will join our team. <b>Carlos Perez   Perez Planning + Design</b> - Bicycle and Pedestrian Trail Design Lead - 12.5% <b>Rob Schiffer, AICP   FuturePlan Consulting</b> - Travel Demand Model Lead - 12.5%
6. Describe the expertise of your work force. Supervisors, specialists, laborers. Provide a brief resume and experience record for each key person, including years of experience, education, and location of each person.	As the prime consultant for this project, Croy is prequalified by GDOT in the following Area Classes: 1.01 Statewide Systems Planning, 1.02 Urban Area and Regional Transportation Planning, 1.07 Attitude, Opinion and Community Value Studies, 1.10 Traffic Studies, and 1.13 Non-Motorized Transportation Planning. Resumes and bios for our team leads are included following this page.
7. Accountability and documentation of records are critical for assessing completed work and level of quality. Will your company be capable of providing to the County your daily work schedule and daily check list for completed work daily?	Yes, client communication is important to our team. Our team's Project Manager, Dan Dobry, Jr., PE, PTOE, AICP will be your primary point-of-contact for this contract. He can be reached directly at 678.628.3233 (cell) or ddobry@croyeng.com. Dobry will always be accessible and will commit to providing clear communication, as well as daily work schedules and lists to the County.
8. Describe how your company verifies that staff adequately performs work for delivery of the service(s) described under this RFQ. Also, include who within your company inspects, approves and verifies delivery of service(s) and how corrective actions with staff are implemented	Croy has established an internal QA/QC plan that helps to meet or exceed your expectations in terms of quality of deliverables. We believe that establishing and employing a proactive and sustainable quality control is paramount to successful project delivery. Our QA/QC efforts begin during the project formulation phase and continues throughout each subsequent phase of the project. This sound QA/QC process from the onset of each task enables our team to deliver a quality, accurate, cost-effective plan for implementation. Chris Rideout, PE – Croy's Vice President of Transportation who has more than three decades of engineering and municipal design experience – will provide study oversight and manage QA/QC throughout the duration of this study process. Our team will establish a corporate Quality Management System that is designed to facilitate development of consistent, high-quality deliverables. Our process includes detailed checks, independent technical reviews, and comprehensive peer reviews.

#### 6. Resumes



### CROY

**Experience** 44 years | 15 years with Croy

**Office Location** *Marietta, Ga.* 

#### Education

MS in Civil Engineering, Purdue University

BS in Civil Engineering, University of Maryland

#### **Professional Certifications**

Professional Engineer: Georgia, Alabama, Maryland, South Carolina, Tennessee

Professional Traffic Operations Engineer

American Institute of Certified Planners

#### DAN DOBRY, JR., PE, PTOE, AICP | PROJECT MANAGER

Dobry is the Transportation Planning Department Manager at Croy. Over the course of his more than four-decade career, he has led planning, transit, transportation, traffic, and engineering projects from concept development to design, then operations and maintenance. Prior to joining Croy, Dobry served as Director of the Cobb County DOT. Select project experiences are profiled below.

#### HUNTSVILLE AREA MPO 2045 LONG-RANGE TRANSPORTATION PLAN (TRIP2045) | HUNTSVILLE, AL

Croy led the consultant team to update the Huntsville Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) Long-Range Transportation Plan (LRTP). The Plan Update, known as TRiP2045, serves as a guide for future transportation investments in the Huntsville Area. Dobry assisted in preparing the presentation to the Jurisdiction Engineers and Leadership, as well as the questionnaire for helping understand the recommended multi-modal projects under consideration. Dobry reviewed the travel demand refinements that forecasted existing travel and development conditions extending projections to 2045. Dobry also aided in exploring innovative strategies to address mobility deficiencies and expand travel opportunities County-wide.

#### GRIFFIN-SPALDING COMPREHENSIVE TRANSPORTATION PLAN UPDATE | SPALDING COUNTY, GA

Croy led the consultant team to assist the City of Griffin and Spalding County update their Comprehensive Transportation Plan (CTP). As the project manager, Dobry oversaw citizen engagement; identified improvement projects' (vehicular and multi-modal); developed the scoring methodology effort, as well as determined projects' priority. He supervised developing cost estimates and had direct input into developing a fiscally constrained plan. Dobry reviewed and edited the final documentation. Both the City of Griffin and Spalding County have adopted the CTP.

#### COWETA COUNTY JOINT CTP UPDATE | COWETA COUNTY, GA

Dobry was primarily responsible for non-motorized modes of travel, as well as the County airport and railroad activities. Data was collected on current plans and infrastructure for pedestrian and bicycle networks, as were policies that Coweta County and the cities have in place for these facilities. He also participated in the public outreach efforts, facilitating discussions with stakeholder advisory committee members regarding areas where demand for non-motorized circulation and mobility were not being met.

#### PAULDING COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN UPDATE | PAULDING COUNTY, GA

Croy was on the consultant team that conducted a joint Comprehensive Plan and Comprehensive Transportation Plan update for Paulding County. The effort entailed close coordination with the cities of Dallas and Hiram. Dobry's major involvement in the Comprehensive Plan was the development of transportation improvement projects for six Special Study Areas (SSA) around the County. The County had designated six areas where development and redevelopment was occurring or was targeted to occur. Consequently, these areas' character would be changing. Dobry lead the Tasks to coordinate with the land planning group to identify the anticipated types of changes. Then with this data identify an array of multi-modal transportation improvements unique to each SAS that would enhance vehicular mobility and access but also promote safe circulation for all modes. Paulding County's Comprehensive Plan update was approved by the Department of Community Affairs in the Fall of 2022.

#### 6. Resumes



### **CROY**

**Experience** 4 years | 1 year with Croy

**Office Location** *Marietta, Ga.* 

#### Education

MS in City and Regional Planning, University of Texas at Arlington

BS in Management Information Systems, University of Georgia

#### **Professional Certification**

American Institute of Certified Planners

#### MATT REEVES, AICP | FREIGHT + LAND USE LEAD

Reeves has experience working in transportation research and municipal government. His research includes inequitable access to transportation, innovative and on-demand transit solutions, and multi-modal neighborhood connectivity. To validate equitable design and planning, Reeves has experience in public outreach and stakeholder engagement, participating in meetings to facilitate citizen concerns and feedback. He has represented municipal government in multiple community-led organizations to take notice of the municipal impact or expressed concerns of low income or disadvantaged groups. Select project experiences are profiled below.

#### PAULDING COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE TRANSPORTATION PLAN UPDATE | PAULDING COUNTY, GA

Croy was on the consultant team to assist Paulding County with the update to their Comprehensive Transportation Plan (CTP). Tasks included participating in project management team and stakeholder meetings. Reeves assisted with citizen engagement efforts and the public open house. He had input to the scoring methodology, assisted in determining projects' priority, and was responsible for editing all documentation. As vehicular and multi-modal projects were identified for inclusion, he contributed to preparing cost estimates by evaluating right-of-way, utility, and construction costs using project GIS files and public data. Reeves also assisted in preparing a fiscally constrained action plan.

#### GRIFFIN-SPALDING COMPREHENSIVE TRANSPORTATION PLAN | SPALDING COUNTY, GA

Croy led the consultant team to assist the City of Griffin and Spalding County with updating their Comprehensive Transportation Plan (CTP). Reeves assisted with citizen engagement and assisted with summarizing public comments from the online survey. As vehicular and multi-modal projects were identified for inclusion, Reeves led the scoring methodology effort and determined projects' priority. As the projects were prioritized, he assisted with developing cost estimates and had direct input into developing a fiscally constrained plan. He also managed all project GIS layers for feasibility analysis, scoring, and report mapping.

#### TOWN CENTER CID INFRASTRUCTURE PRIORITIZATION | KENNESAW, GA

Croy is working to assist the Town Center Community Improvement District (Town Center CID) with their on-going strategic planning. The project will verify the CID's priorities and strategic plan align with the prioritized infrastructure projects. Over the years, Town Center CID has been successful in imagining, planning, and programming projects within their boundaries. Reeves' project understanding, prioritization analysis, and client context will help organize those projects in coordination with their on-going strategic plan update, and make certain that the collected tax dollars are efficiently spent on the infrastructure projects that will meet those goals.

#### TOWN CENTER CID FREIGHT CLUSTER PLAN | KENNESAW, GA

Croy is currently assisting Town Center Community Improvement District (Town Center CID) with the creation with the area's first Freight Cluster Plan. In order to implement the latest solutions in freight logistics, Reeves evaluates strategies to determine recommendations most suitable to the location and the feasibility under the client's purview, which includes consideration of current traffic and safety measures, land uses, and technological advancements. He also assists in the GIS Analysis of identifying conflicting freight and land use.

#### 6. Resumes



PEREZ PLANNING + DESIGN, LLC

**Experience** 13 years | 9 years with PP+D

**Office Location** *Atlanta, Ga.* 

#### Education

MS in City and Regional Planning, Georgia Institute of Technology

MS in Architecture, Georgia Institute of Technology

BS in Landscape Architecture, University of Florida

**Professional Certifications** Professional Landscape Architect: Georgia, Florida, Tennessee

#### **CARLOS PEREZ, PLA | BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN TRAILS LEAD**

Perez is a landscape architect, planner, and urban designer that specializes in the planning and design of the public realm. One of his specialties is active transportation planning and design. His academic training and professional specialization in active-transportation planning and design, parks and open space system planning and design, urban design, and landscape architecture provide for a unique view and keen understanding of the important, multi-faceted role that the public realm plays in creating livable communities.

Perez has worked with more than 65 communities throughout the United States on public realm planning and design projects. His work has included planning and design work on some of the metro Atlanta area's high-profile trail projects, including the Atlanta BeltLine, PATH 400, Peachtree Creek Greenway, Chattahoochee River Trail, and Big Creek Greenway. He is also a Board Member of the Atlanta BeltLine Partnership, assisting the organization with sustainable maintenance strategies. Select project experiences are profiled below.

#### ATLANTA BELTLINE NORTHEAST TRAIL DESIGN + ENGINEERING

Atlanta, GA | On-going | Role: Deputy Project Manager + Trail Design Lead

**PATH400 EXTENSION PLANNING + DESIGN** Sandy Springs + Atlanta, GA | On-going | Role: Planner + Landscape Architect

#### CITY OF SANDY SPRINGS TRANSPORTATION MASTER PLAN

Sandy Springs, GA | On-going | Role: Active-Transportation Planner

CHATTAHOOCHEE RIVER PATH AND ACCESS MASTER PLAN Sandy Springs, GA | 2021 | Role: Deputy Project Manager + Trails Planner + Designer

#### **CITY OF DOUGLASVILLE NORTH SIDE TRAIL MASTER PLAN** Douglasville, GA | 2020 | Role: Trails Planner + Designer

AUSTELL-POWDER SPRINGS ROAD TRAIL SCOPING STUDY Cobb County, GA | On-going | Role: Deputy Project Manager + Landscape Architect

#### **BIG CREEK GREENWAY TRAIL IMPROVEMENTS** Forsyth County, GA | 2020 | Role: Landscape Architect

#### 6. Resumes



### futureplan

#### **Experience** 38 years | 4 years with FuturePlan

**Office Location** *Tallahassee, Fla.* 

#### Education

MS in Urban and Regional Planning Transportation Specialization, Florida State University

BA in Geography and Urban Studies, Memphis State University, (now University of Memphis)

#### **Professional Certification** American Institute of Certified Planners: #040968

#### **ROB SCHIFFER, AICP | TRAVEL DEMAND MODELING LEAD**

Schiffer is a proven leader in the transportation planning community. He has held leadership roles and service positions for the Transportation Research Board (TRB), the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE), and the American Planning Association (APA). His experience encompasses transportation planning studies in 28 states and commonwealths for national, statewide, regional, municipal, subarea, and private sector clients. He has worked on 33 MPO long-range transportation plans, 32 subarea transportation plans, more than 50 travel demand model updates, and numerous studies of travel patterns and behaviors. Schiffer also serves as National Practice Leader in Travel Demand Forecasting for Metro Analytics. Select project experiences are profiled below.

#### COWETA COUNTY JOINT CTP | COWETA, GA

In collaboration with Croy, Schiffer used the Atlanta Regional Commission (ARC) twenty-County four-step travel demand model to identify needed future transportation projects within Coweta County. His team refined the ARC network and zone system within Coweta County to improve model validity and overall traffic circulation, conducted field inventories, and coordinated with local and regional government agencies on progress, findings, and recommendations.

#### HUNTSVILLE MPO 2045 LRTP | HUNTSVILLE, AL

In collaboration with Croy, Schiffer's responsibilities included updating the Cube Voyager transportation planning model application, refinement and validation of the model, estimating future travel demand, and technical support. He also provided troubleshooting with MPO staff on use of the model, testing and evaluating long-range transportation projects, and summarizing travel demand metrics.

#### MONTGOMERY MPO 2045 LRTP | MONTGOMERY-PRATTVILLE, AL

Schiffer's responsibilities included leading development and validation of a Cube Voyager transportation planning model, incorporating big data on origin/destination (O/D) patterns, applying the model for future conditions, recommending needed future transportation projects and evaluating project performance for prioritization.

#### EASTERN SHORE MPO 2045 LRTP | FAIRHOPE-DAPHNE-SPANISH FORT, AL

Schiffer's responsibilities included support on socioeconomic data development, leading an update and validation of the Cube Voyager transportation planning model, incorporating big data on O/D patterns, forecasting future conditions, recommending needed future transportation projects and evaluating project performance.

#### DARTS REGIONAL FREIGHT PROFILE | ALBANY, GA

Schiffer supported a study for the Dougherty Area Regional Transportation Study (DARTS) to develop a Regional Freight Profile to be consistent with federal freight planning guidelines and better improve goods movement in the Albany region. In addition to identifying existing and future congestion and demographics, he led much of the study documentation and presented study findings to the DARTS Regional Freight Advisory Committee.

6. Bios

Below is brief background information on additional team lead members. All Croy team leads are located in our Marietta, Ga. office location.



#### CHRIS RIDEOUT, PE | QA/QC

**Education:** BS in Civil Engineering, Georgia Institute of Technology **Experience:** 33 years | 14 years with Croy Rideout has more than 30 years of transportation engineering experience that includes all aspects of roadway design. In particular, he has experience with concept preparation and validation, VE studies, cost estimation, intersection reconfigurations, roundabout design, minor/major urban road widening, and new alignments. Rideout is a board member with the American Society of Highway Engineers of Georgia (ASHE Georgia).



#### AIMEE S. TURNER, PE, PTOE, RSP1, IMSA TS3 | TRAFFIC OPERATIONS + SAFETY LEAD

**Education:** BS in Civil Engineering, Georgia Institute of Technology **Experience:** 9 years | 9 years with Croy Turner serves as the Traffic Engineering Department Manager for Croy and works on a wide range of traffic engineering and transportation planning projects. Her experience spans traffic impact studies, multi-modal studies, road safety audits, traffic signal analysis and design, as well as comprehensive transportation planing studies. In addition, she was named one of Engineering Georgia's 2023 "35 Under 35 Women to Know," ENR Southeast's 2022 "Top Young Professionals," and Zweig Group's 2021 "Rising Stars in the A/E/C Industry."



#### ERIC BRISSE, PE | TRANSPORTATION DESIGN + COST ESTIMATION LEAD

**Education:** BS in Civil Engineering Technology, Kennesaw State University's Southern Polytechnic College of Engineering **Experience:** 12 years | 12 years with Croy With more than 12 years of experience, Brisse has worked on a variety of transportation-related projects. His responsibilities have included conceptual design and report preparation, horizontal and vertical alignment design, cross section generation, erosion control, quantity takeoffs, preliminary and plan preparation, right-of-way plans, and utility coordination. Brisse is well-versed in utilizing all GDOT-specific processes and manuals for designs.



#### SASHA UGI | PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT LEAD

#### Education: BA in Business, Piedmont University Experience: 11 years | 4 years with Croy

With more than a decade of experience, Ugi serves as a Vice President for Croy. In this role, she leads the strategic direction and oversight of the firm's external marketing and branding efforts, as well as supports internal operations and communications. She works with Croy's clients on various projects to portray their vision to others and gain community engagement, understanding, and acceptance. Her experience spans traditional and non-traditional marketing efforts, including collateral development, email marketing, event promotion, community engagement activities, media outreach, and social media campaigns. Ugi excels at turning technical jargon into a format that is comprehendible by the public and project stakeholders, helping to gain buy-in and understanding throughout the process.

QUESTIONS	ANSWERS
9. Per documentation of this solicitation you must keep a sufficient work force to perform the requirements of this contract. Describe how you will continue to maintain this work force. What is your companies succession planning when an employee quits or calls out?	Croy routinely attracts and recruits qualified talent to strategically fill key positions as our company grows. We also know the importance of retaining and developing our existing team members to help them achieve certifications in their respective roles. Our firm employs nearly two dozen Professional Engineers, six Engineers-in-Training (EITs), and two AICP registered transportation planners. Croy's team manages multiple projects for different clients on a daily basis. We are able to schedule our staff to work on production of plans and specifications while others are reviewing different projects. Our staff have been trained to work on multi-disciplinary projects and can be flexible as needed. Croy will work with GHMPO and County staff to submit deliverables for review while continuing to work on other tasks. Croy plans to communicate with our staff on what efforts are a priority to better accommodate the schedule.



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# Hall County Government FINANCIAL SERVICES

## S.A.V.E Program PRIME CONTRACTOR Affidavit Under O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91(b) (1) Systematic Alien Verification for Entitlements (SAVE) Program Office of U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Service (USCIS) INSTRUCTIONS FOR Exhibit F

Security to verify information of newly hired employees, pursuant to the Immigration Reform And Control Act of 1986 (IRCA), in accordance with the deadlines established in the referenced statute. which is contracting with Hall County, Georgia, has registered and is participating in a federal work authorization program\* (an electronic verification of work authorization program operated by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security or any equivalent federal work authorization program operated by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security of Homeland By executing this affidavit, the undersigned contractor verifies its compliance with O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91, stating affirmatively that the individual, firm or corporation

only with subcontractors who present an affidavit to the contractor with the information required by O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91(b). Contractor hereby attests that its federal work-authorization user identification (E-Verify) number and date of authorization are as follows: will contract for the physical performance of services in satisfaction of such contract authorization program throughout the contract period and the undersigned contractor Furthermore, the undersigned contractor will continue to use the federal work

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Street Address Name of Prime Contractor 200 Cobb Parkway North Building 400, Suite 413 Croy Engineering, LLC Lelisia Huton City / State 150917

Signature of Authorized Officer or Agent

Melissa Hutson | Human Resource Director

Printed Name/Title of Authorized Officer

Subscribed and sworn before me on this the 24th-Day of 2023

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My Commission Expires\_ Notary Public 12026

> Contractor's/Vendor's E-Verify # Marietta, GA 30062

Date of Authorization 2025 Transportation Plan / Bike and Ped Plan Update Name of Project September 10, 2008



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only with subcontractors who present an affidavit to the contractor with the information required by O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91(b). Contractor hereby attests that its federal work-authorization user identification (E-Verify) number and date of authorization are as follows: authorization program throughout the contract period and the undersigned contractor will contract for the physical performance of services in satisfaction of such contract Furthermore, the undersigned contractor will continue to use the federal work

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Name of Contractor Perez Planning + Design, LLC

Street Address 878 Peachtree Street NE, Sulte 827

Signature of Authorized Officer or Agent

Carlos F. Perez

Printed Name/Title of Authorized Officer

1.1 Subscribed and sworn before me on this the 24 Day of MON 2023

My Commission Expires: 01-13-7015 Notary Public

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May 29, 2014
Date of Authorization

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Name of Contractor - UTURE FLAN CONSULTING

Street Address 256 WARDON TW. 021

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Contractor's/Vendor's E-Verify

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Signature of Authorized Officer **bf** Agent

Printed Name/Title of Authorized Officer HOPERT G. SCHIMPL

Subscribed and sworn before me on this the

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My Commission Expires: Notary Public 1.25.26

Name of Project Date of Authorization

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# Hall County Government

## Exhibit G

# RFQ\P #43-027 Mandatory Cone-of-Silence Affidavit

staff, employees, subcontractors, as well as paid or unpaid personnel acting on the firm's behalf shall not contact nor participate in any type of contact with County employees, department heads or elected officials, up to and including the County bidders to the Solicitation, that all firms, companies, agents, or other refrain from discussions privately or publicly during the Solicitation process. This includes all Administrator and Board of Commissioners. Request for Qualifications and Cost Proposals, the County requires that all potential In order to ensure fair consideration for all bidder's responding to the County's

should only be between the bidding firms and the Issuing Officer/Buyer listed in the date the solicitation is publicly advertised, until the time an award decision has been Solicitation documents. approved by the Board of Commissioners and fully executed by all parties. Contact Therefore, the County issues this "Cone of Silence" that shall be in effect from the

services. Any such contact may be considered as collusion and may result in the bidder being disqualified from participation and consideration for award. All contact must be coordinated through the Issuing Officer, for the procurement of these products and/or

oral communications shall be considered unofficial and non-binding. Please reference the Solicitation number on all correspondence to the County. Any

Only written responses to written communication shall be considered official and binding upon the County. The County reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to determine appropriate and adequate responses to the written comments, questions, and requests for clarification

I understand and shall fully comply with the above requirements

Company: Croy Engineering, LLC Date: 5/24/2023	Job Title: CEO	Typed Name: Gregory D. Teague, DE	Signed: AAAO T
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<ul> <li>Here U.S. person ►</li> <li>General Instructions</li> <li>Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.</li> <li>Future developments. For the latest information about developments related to Form W-9 and its instructions, such as legislation enacted after they were published, go to www.irs.gov/FormW9.</li> <li>Purpose of Form</li> <li>An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following.</li> <li>Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:</li> <li>1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and</li> <li>2. I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Int</li> <li>Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding; and</li> <li>3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and</li> <li>4. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.</li> <li>Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup wi entered property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and gener acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and gener other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions form for the instructions for the inst</li></ul>	arn on your income tax return). Name is required on this line         ering, LLC         vdisregarded entity name, if different from above         riate box for federal tax classification of the person whose r         n boxes.         n boxes.         cle proprietor or       C Corporation         lifty company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation         LC is classified as a single-member LLC that is disregarded from the owner should check the appropriate box for the tax classified to result enc.) See instructions.         chromy North, Suite 413         t ZIP code         30062         umber(s) here (optional)         ayer Identification Number (TIN)         ppropriate box. The TIN provided must match the ropyrietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for line to not have         or individuals, this is generally your social security ropyrietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for line to not have         in more than one name, see the instructions for line to enter.	Form W-9 (Rev. October 2018) Department of the Treasury Department are we service Go to www.irs.gov/FormW9 for instructions and the
<ul> <li>Porm 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)</li> <li>Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)</li> <li>Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)</li> <li>Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)</li> <li>Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)</li> <li>Form 1098-T (tuition)</li> <li>Form 1099-C (canceled debt)</li> <li>Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)</li> <li>Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.</li> <li>If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See What is backup withholding.</li> </ul>	Inder penalties of perjury, I certify that: The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct. The fate to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, quisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments ner than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions for Part II, later. <b>GIN</b>	: do not leave this line blank.       : do not leave this line blank.         : anme is entered on line 1. Check only one of the certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):       : entain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):         : on       Partnership       P         , S=S corporation, P=Partnership)       P         ition of the single-member owner. Do not check and its owner of the LLC its proposes. Otherwise, as ingle-member LLC that a classification of its owner.       Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any)         e tax classification of its owner.       Requester's name and address (optional)         iumber (SSN). However, for a a number, see How to get a or Part I, later. For other a number, see How to get a or       Social security number         e 1. Also see What Name and       2       0       -       2       4       6       9       3       4       2	<b>Taxpayer Give Form to the requester. Do not requester. Do not requester. and to the IRS.</b>



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# Hall County Government FINANCIAL SERVICES

# MANDATORY E-VERIFY AFFIDAVIT EXHIBIT I

attesting as follows: O.C.G.A § 13-10-91 related to any contract to which Contractor is a party that is subject to O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91 and hereby verifies its compliance with O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91, The undersigned contractor ("Contractor") executes this Affidavit to comply with

- replacement program; work authorization program commonly known as E-Verify, or any subsequent The Contractor has registered with, is authorized to use and uses the federal
- 9 The Contractor will notify the public employer in the event the Contractor throughout the contract period, including any renewal or extension thereof; The Contractor will continue to use the federal work authorization program
- The Contractor understands that ceasing to utilize the federal work authorization period, including renewals or extensions thereof; ceases to utilize the federal work authorization program during the contract
- The Contractor will contract for the performance of services in satisfaction of program constitutes a material breach of Contract;

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- ;; such contract only with subcontractors who present an affidavit to the Contractor with the information required by O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91(a), (b), and
- m Ð hereof without further action or incorporated into any contract(s) subject to the provisions of O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91 for the project listed below to which Contractor is a party after the date The Contractor acknowledges and agrees that this Affidavit shall be consent by Contractor; and
- 91 to the public employer within five business days of receipt. drivers' licenses, and identification cards required pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 13-10-Contractor acknowledges its responsibility to submit copies of any affidavits;

150917 Federal Work Authorization User Identification Number

Name of Contractor Croy Engineering, LLC

Name of Public Employer Hall County, Georgia

Name of Project

2025 Transportation Plan / Bike and Ped Plan Update Date of Authorization September 10, 2008

I hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signature of Authorized Officer or Agent Executed on melina Hutan May 24 2023 in Marietta Contrade Cycking Contraction C (city), Georgia (state).

Printed Name and Title of Authorized Officer or Agent Melissa Hutson | Human Resource Director

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My Commission Expires: 0 1908/28/

### **EXHIBIT J** MANDATORY ETHICS AFFIDAVIT For Compliance with Official Code 3.10.070 of Hall County

and affirm to adhere to the following ethics requirements. Contractors, consultants, and vendors of any service or commodity to Hall County, Georgia must read

# 3.10.070. - Ethics

benefit to the community and awards contracts to vendors who offer the best quality and value to the county. Hall County will establish and conduct a procurement program that maximizes service competitive process with a broad range of responsible vendors wishing to furnish products and services ₽ Toward this end, the county finds and declares that its objectives will best be achieved through an open, It is the policy of Hall County to seek the best overall value when procuring goods and services

practices. with the county, have the shared responsibility for avoiding biased, anticompetitive, σ Hall County declares that county employees and officials, along with those wishing to do business or unethical

decision or to gain undue advantage in a procurement competition. other tangible or intangible thing of value when such receipt has the potential to influence a procurement requesting, or receiving any material payment, gift, job offer, security, promise of future benefit, or any Hall County employees, officials, and their family members are prohibited from seeking

employee, or agent that may be associated with a procurement transaction. for the particular solicitation. This principle applies to any contractor, subcontractor, representative specifications, or influencing a procurement decision through any means outside the process established process and are prohibited from seeking to obtain inside information, attempting to skew the writing of Prospective vendors must compete for county business within the parameters of the solicitation

and/or county official(s) who do business with the county if there is an appearance of a conflict of interest Bidders and proposers shall disclose on competitive bid responses any individual(s), firm(s),

outside any specific procurement or solicitation. acceptance of kickbacks, gratuities, payments or any other instrument of value extends beyond and monitoring for non-compliance with these principles. The prohibition against the offering of or the to the approval of the director of financial services, is charged with establishing methods for ongoing standards of business conduct are congruent with those outlined here. The purchasing manager, subject an award. The county seeks to establish relationships with business partners whose ongoing ethical Ethical business practices are important, both, during a solicitation, and after the decision to grant

G element in the decision to award a solicitation. A vendor's contract compliance history with Hall County and other contractual parties is a valid

considered during the procurement process. The purchasing manager, subject to the approval of the growth in the tax base, business retention, and other fiscal and economic development objectives may be I Hall County stipulates that the furtherance of its strategic goals for job creation, stability and

consistently and equitably and shall have a direct relationship to the county's goals. director of financial services, is authorized to establish procurement initiatives consistent with the county's strategic economic development objectives. These procurement practices shall be applied

as a result of contemporaneous employment with a potential or actual business partner. participation in any procurement decision or any gain of undue advantage in a procurement competition Hall County employees, officials, and their family members are generally prohibited from

contract for personal use. It is unethical for any county employee to purchase commodities or services from a county

representative. property may allow for verbal or written communications with the appropriate firm or business may be disqualified from consideration for award. Solicitations for the sale of real such communication has compromised the competitive process, the offer submitted by the individual, award by the board of commissioners. The purchasing manager will review violations. If determined that financial advisor, between the date of the issuance of the solicitation and the date of the final contract communications regarding a solicitation with any county officer, elected official, employee or other seeking an award of a Hall  $\overline{\mathbf{x}}$ county representative other than the purchasing associate named in the solicitation, or the county's With the exception of solicitations for the sale of real property, individuals, firms and businesses County contract may not initiate or continue any verbal or written Hall County

Hall County Code of Ethics. All county commissioners, officials, and employees shall adhere to the standards outlined in the

Code Section 3.10.070." (Res. of 11-14-19(1), § 1(Exh. A)) County to sign an affidavit attesting that they have read this Chapter and have more specifically also read prospective contractor, bidder, proposer, and vendor that expresses an intent to do business with the requirements and provisions of Code Section 3.10.070, including, but not limited to, requiring each implement methods of educating all prospective contractors, bidders, proposers, and vendors on the ≤ (AMENDED) The purchasing division of the financial services department shall determine and

I hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

28	NOTARY PUBLIC My Commission Expires: 01/27/2026	On This the 24th Day of May 20 23	Gregory D. Teague, PE   CEO Printed Name and Title of Authorized Officer or Agent	Signature of Authorized Officer or Agent	Georgia (state) 30062 (Zip Code)	Executed on May , 24 , 20 23 in Marietta
THE COUNTY OF	NO ORGIA	CARANEN D WITH				(city),

#### **REQUEST FOR MODIFICATIONS**

Based on our current working relationship with Hall County to provide on-call right-of-way acquisition services, we request all modifications previously accepted and reflected in those signed contracts be upheld for this contract as well.

