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VENDOR CERTIFICATION FORM

Bid/RFP/SOI Number:	21043		
Vendor Name:	IHC Construction Companies, LLC		
Address:	385 Airport Rd., Suite 100 Elgin, IL 60123		
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Project Manager Name:	Lawrence C. Creadon		
Project Manager Email Address:	Utility@ihcconstruction.com		
Project Manager Phone Number:	847-742-1516		
# Years in Business:	20 Years	Number of Employees:	162
Annual Sales:	$ 198,000,000	Dunn & Bradstreet #:	00-779-9745

Vendor Certification Statement: Please identify all of the following that apply to the ownership of this firm. This information is collected for reporting purposes only and not vendor selection. Please include a copy of the certification. (Definitions are included on the second page of Vendor Certification Form).

	Contractor certifies as a Minority – Business Enterprise (MBE)
	Contractor certifies as a Women Business Enterprise (WBE)
	Contractor certifies as a Veteran-Owned (VBE) Business Enterprise
	Contractor certifies as a Persons with Disabilities Owned Business Enterprise (PDBE)
	Contractor certifies as a Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned (SDVBE) Business Enterprise
	Contractor certifies as a Business Enterprise Program (BEP)
	Contractor certifies as a Small Disadvantaged Businesses (SDB)
	Contractor certifies as a Veteran-Owned Small Business (VOSB)
	Local Business
✓	None
Other (Specify)	
Certification Number:	
Certified by (Agency):	

I certify that this information is accurate to the best of my knowledge and that I am authorized to provide this information on behalf of my company.

Chief Operating Officer	Walter P. Dwyer, Chief Operating Officer	04/15/2021
Signature, Title	**Printed Name, Title**	**Date**

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Vendor Certification Definitions

- **Minority-owned business (MBE)**
  A business concern which is at least 51% owned by one or more minority persons, or in the case of a corporation, at least 51% of the stock in which is owned by one or more minority persons; and the management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more of the minority individuals who own it.
- **Woman-owned business (WBE)**
  A business which is at least 51% owned by one or more women, or, in the case of a corporation, at least 51% of the stock in which is owned by one or more women; and the management and daily business operations of which are controlled by one or more of the women who own it.
- **Veteran-owned Business Enterprise (VBE)**
  A small business (i) that is at least 51 percent owned, controlled and managed by one or more Eligible Veterans or in the case of a corporation, at least 51 percent or more of the stock of which is owned, controlled and managed by one or more Eligible Veterans.
  - Eligible Veteran means a person who (i) has been either a member of the armed forces of the United States or, while a citizen of the United States, was a member of the armed forces of allies of the United States in time of hostilities with a foreign country and (ii) has served under one or more of the following conditions: (a) the veteran served a total of at least 6 months; (b) the veteran served for the duration of hostilities regardless of the length of the engagement; (c) the veteran was discharged on the basis of hardship; or (d) the veteran was released from active duty because of a service connected disability and was discharged under honorable conditions.
  - Armed forces of the United States means the United States Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, Coast Guard or service in active duty as defined under 38 U.S.C. Section 101. Service in the Merchant Marine that constitutes active duty under Section 401 of federal Public Act 95-202 shall also be considered service in the armed forces for purposes of this Division.
- **Persons with Disabilities Owned Business Enterprise (PDBE)**
  A small business (i) that is at least 51 percent owned. controlled and managed by one or more Persons with a Disability; or in the case of a corporation, at least 51 percent or more of the stock of which is owned, controlled, and managed by one or more Persons with a Disability.
  - Disability or Disabled means, with respect to an individual, a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more of the major life activities of the individual, a record of physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more of the major life activities of the individual, or being regarded as an individual with a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more of the major life activities of the individual.
- **Service-Disabled Veteran-owned Business Enterprise (SDVBE)**
  A small business (i) that is at least 51 percent owned, controlled, and managed by one or more qualified service disabled veterans or in the case of a corporation, at least 51 percent or more of the stock of which is owned, controlled and managed by one or more Service Disabled Veterans.
  - Service-Disabled Veteran means an Eligible Veteran who has been found to have 10 percent or more service-connected disability by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs or the United States Department of Defense.
  - Service-connected disability means a disability incurred in the line of duty in the active military, naval or air service as described in 38 U.S.C. 101(16).
- **BEP – Business Enterprise Program**
  Business Enterprise Program (BEP) BEP assists businesses owned by minorities, women and people with disabilities gain access to the State of Illinois procurement process. BEP certification with the State of Illinois can also open the door to opportunities with other public and private entities which are looking for diverse suppliers.
- **Small Disadvantaged Businesses (SDB)**
  A Small Disadvantaged Business (SDB) is a small business owned and controlled by socially and economically disadvantaged individuals as defined by Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 19.001
- **Veteran-Owned Small Business (VOSB)**
  A Veteran-Owned Small Business (VOSB) is a small business that is at least 51 percent owned by one or more veterans; or, if a publicly owned business, at least 51 percent of the stock is owned by one or more veterans. Also, one or more veterans control management and daily business operations of the firm.

- **Local business**
  Lake County launched a Buy Local. Build Local. Work Local initiative in 2013 to increase the outreach and procurement opportunities for businesses located within Lake County, including women-owned businesses and minority-owned business enterprises (L/W/MBE). The overarching objective is to maximize participation from these businesses in the County's procurement process, in accordance with applicable law.