

**INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION - LOCAL PUBLIC AGENCY
PROJECT COORDINATION CONTRACT**

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This Contract is made and entered into effective as of the date of the Indiana Attorney General signature affixed to this Contract, by and between the State of Indiana, acting by and through the Indiana Department of Transportation, (hereinafter referred to as INDOT), and **Vigo County**, a local public agency in the State of Indiana (hereinafter referred to as the LPA), and collectively referred to as the PARTIES.

NOTICE TO PARTIES

Whenever any notice, statement or other communication is required under this Contract, it shall be sent to the following address, unless otherwise specifically advised.

- A. Notice to INDOT, regarding contract provisions shall be sent to:

Office of LPA and Grant Administration
Attention: Director of LPA and Grant Administration
100 North Senate Avenue, Room N955-LPA
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

With a copy to:

Chief Legal Counsel and Deputy Commissioner
Indiana Department of Transportation
100 North Senate Avenue, Room N758
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

- B. Notices to INDOT regarding project management shall be sent to respective District Office:

Crawfordsville District Office
41 West 300 North
Crawfordsville, Indiana 47933

- C. Notices to the LPA shall be sent to:

Vigo County
650 S 1st Street
Terre Haute, Indiana 47807

- B. In the event that federal funds for the Project are not obligated during the time listed in section V.A, but the LPA has the plans, special provisions, and cost estimate for the Project ready such that federal funds can be obligated between July 1, 2024 and June 30, 2026, INDOT will schedule the contract for letting, provided the Project is eligible, and provided the federal funds shown in section I.B. of Attachment D are available.
- C. In the event that federal funds for the Project are not obligated during the period listed in section V.A. or section V.B, the federal funds allocated to the Project may be obligated in the fiscal year chosen by INDOT or the federal funds allocated to the Project will lapse.
- D. If the Program shown on Attachment A is Group I or Group II, Sections V.A, V.B and V.C do not apply, but will be obligated according to the fiscal year programmed in the most current MPO TIP, provided the MPO funding is within their fiscal year allocation or within the agreed upon use of the MPO's prior year balances.

SECTION VI **GENERAL PROVISIONS**

- A. **Access to Records.** The LPA shall maintain all books, documents, papers, correspondence, accounting records and other evidence pertaining to the cost incurred under this Contract, and shall make such materials available at their respective offices at all reasonable times during the period of this Contract and for five (5) years from the date of final payment under the terms of this Contract, for inspection or audit by INDOT and/or the Federal Highway Administration ("FHWA") or its authorized representative, and copies thereof shall be furnished free of charge, if requested by INDOT, and/or FHWA. The LPA agrees that, upon request by any agency participating in federally-assisted programs with whom the LPA has contracted or seeks to contract, the LPA may release or make available to the agency any working papers from an audit performed by INDOT and/or FHWA of the LPA in connection with this Contract, including any books, documents, papers, accounting records and other documentation which support or form the basis for the audit conclusions and judgments.
- B. **Assignment of Antitrust Claims.** As part of the consideration for the award of this Contract, the LPA assigns to the State all right, title and interest in and to any claims the LPA now has, or may acquire, under state or federal antitrust laws relating to the products or services which are the subject of this Contract.
- C. **Audits.** The LPA acknowledges that it may be required to submit to an audit of funds paid through this Contract. Any such audit shall be conducted in accordance with IC §5-11-1, *et seq.*, and audit guidelines specified by the State. The State considers the LPA to be a "sub-recipient" for purposes of this Contract. However, if required by applicable provisions of the Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133 (Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations), following the expiration of this Contract the LPA shall arrange for a financial and compliance audit of funds provided by the State pursuant to this Contract. Such audit is to be conducted by an independent public or certified public accountant (or as applicable, the Indiana State Board of Accounts), and performed in accordance with Indiana State Board of Accounts publication entitled "Uniform Compliance Guidelines for Examination of Entities Receiving Financial Assistance from Governmental Sources," and applicable provisions of the Office of Management and Budget Circulars A-133 (Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations). The LPA is responsible for ensuring that the audit and any management letters are completed and forwarded to the State in accordance with the terms of this Contract.

2. The LPA acknowledges that federal requirements provide for the possible loss of federal funding to one degree or another when the requirements of Public Law 91-646 and other applicable federal and state laws, rules and regulations are not complied with.
3. The LPA acknowledges paragraph 7 of the Federal Highway Program Manual, Volume 7, Chapter 1, Section 3, entitled "Withholding Federal Participation" which is herewith quoted in part as follows: "Where correctable noncompliance with provisions of law or FHWA requirements exist, federal funds may be withheld until compliance is obtained. Where compliance is not correctable, the FHWA may deny participation in parcel or project costs in part or in total."
4. The LPA and its agents shall abide by all ethical requirements that apply to persons who have a business relationship with the State as set forth in IC §4-2-6, *et seq.*, IC §4-2-7, *et seq.* and the regulations promulgated thereunder. **If the LPA has knowledge, or would have acquired knowledge with reasonable inquiry, that a state officer, employee, or special state appointee, as those terms are defined in IC 4-2-6-1, has a financial interest in the Contract, the LPA shall ensure compliance with the disclosure requirements in IC 4-2-6-10.5 prior to the execution of this Contract.** If the LPA is not familiar with these ethical requirements, the LPA should refer any questions to the Indiana State Ethics Commission, or visit the Inspector General's website at <http://www.in.gov/ig/>. If the LPA or its agents violate any applicable ethical standards, the State may, in its sole discretion, terminate this Contract immediately upon notice to the LPA. In addition, the LPA may be subject to penalties under IC §§4-2-6, 4-2-7, 35-44.1-1-4, and under any other applicable laws.
5. The LPA warrants that the LPA and its contractors shall obtain and maintain all required permits, licenses, registrations, and approvals, and shall comply with all health, safety, and environmental statutes, rules, or regulations in the performance of work activities under this Contract. Failure to do so may be deemed a material breach of this Contract and grounds for immediate termination and denial of further work with the State.
6. As required by IC §5-22-3-7:
 - (1) The LPA and any principals of the LPA certify that:
 - (A) the LPA, except for de minimis and nonsystematic violations, has not violated the terms of:
 - i. IC §24-4.7 [Telephone Solicitation Of Consumers];
 - ii. IC §24-5-12 [Telephone Solicitations]; or
 - iii. IC §24-5-14 [Regulation of Automatic Dialing Machines];
 in the previous three hundred sixty-five (365) days, even if IC §24-4.7 is preempted by federal law; and
 - (B) the LPA will not violate the terms of IC §24-4.7 for the duration of the Contract, even if IC §24-4.7 is preempted by federal law.
 - (2) The LPA and any officials of the LPA certify that an affiliate or official of the LPA and any agent acting on behalf of the LPA or on behalf of an affiliate or official of the LPA except for de minimis and nonsystematic violations,
 - (A) has not violated the terms of IC §24-4.7 in the previous three hundred sixty-five (365) days, even if IC §24-4.7 is preempted by federal law; and
 - (B) will not violate the terms of IC §24-4.7 for the duration of the Contract, even if IC §24-4.7 is preempted by federal law.

working days, a dissatisfied party will submit the dispute in writing according to the following procedure:

4. The PARTIES agree to resolve such matters through submission of this dispute to the Commissioner of INDOT. The Commissioner shall reduce a decision to writing and mail or otherwise furnish a copy thereof to the LPA within ten (10) working days after presentation of such dispute for action. The presentation may include a period of negotiations, clarifications, and mediation sessions and will not terminate until the Commissioner or one of the PARTIES concludes that the presentation period is over. The Commissioner's decision shall be final and conclusive unless either party mails or otherwise furnishes to the Commissioner, within ten (10) working days after receipt of the Commissioner's decision, a written appeal. Within ten (10) working days of receipt by the Commissioner of a written request for appeal, the decision may be reconsidered. If a party is not satisfied with the Commissioner's ultimate decision, the dissatisfied party may submit the dispute to an Indiana court of competent jurisdiction.
5. INDOT may withhold payments on disputed items pending resolution of the dispute. The unintentional nonpayment by INDOT to the LPA of one or more invoices not in dispute in accordance with the terms of this Contract will not be cause for LPA to terminate this Contract, and the LPA may bring suit to collect these amounts without following the disputes procedure contained herein.

- J. Drug-Free Workplace Certification.** As required by Executive Order No. 90-5 dated April 12, 1990, issued by the Governor of Indiana, the LPA hereby covenants and agrees to make a good faith effort to provide and maintain a drug-free workplace. The LPA will give written notice to the State within ten (10) days after receiving actual notice that the LPA, or an employee of the LPA in the State of Indiana, has been convicted of a criminal drug violation occurring in the workplace. False certification or violation of this certification may result in sanctions including, but not limited to, suspension of contract payments, termination of this Contract and/or debarment of contracting opportunities with the State for up to three (3) years.

In addition to the provisions of the above paragraph, if the total amount set forth in this Contract is in excess of \$25,000.00, the LPA certifies and agrees that it will provide a drug-free workplace by:

1. Publishing and providing to all of its employees a statement notifying them that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the LPA's workplace, and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violations of such prohibition;
2. Establishing a drug-free awareness program to inform its employees of (1) the dangers of drug abuse in the workplace; (2) the LPA's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace; (3) any available drug counseling, rehabilitation and employee assistance programs; and (4) the penalties that may be imposed upon an employee for drug abuse violations occurring in the workplace;
3. Notifying all employees in the statement required by subparagraph (1) above that as a condition of continued employment, the employee will (1) abide by the terms of the statement; and (2) notify the LPA of any criminal drug statute conviction for a violation occurring in the workplace no later than five (5) days after such conviction;
4. Notifying the State in writing within ten (10) days after receiving notice from an employee under subdivision (3)(2) above, or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction;

O. Indemnification. The LPA agrees to indemnify, defend, exculpate, and hold harmless the State of Indiana, and INDOT and/or its/their officials, agents, representatives, attorneys and employees, individually and/or jointly, from any and all claims, demands, actions, liability and/or liens that may be asserted by the LPA and/or by any other person, firm, corporation, insurer, government or other legal entity, for any claim for damages arising out of any and all loss, damage, injuries, and/or other casualties of whatsoever kind, or by whomsoever caused, to the person or property of anyone on or other casualties of whatsoever kind, or by whomsoever caused, to the person or property of anyone on or off the right-of-way, arising out of or resulting from the performance of the contract or from the installation, existence, use, maintenance, condition, repairs, alteration and/or removal of any equipment or material, whether due in whole or in part to the acts and/or omissions and/or negligent acts and/or omissions:

- (a) of the State of Indiana, INDOT, and/or its/their officials, agents, representatives, attorneys and/or employees, individually and/or jointly;
- (b) of the LPA, and/or its officials, agents, representatives, attorneys and/or employees, individually and/or jointly;
- (c) of any and all persons, firms, corporations, insurers, government or other legal entity engaged in the performance of the contract; and/or
- (d) the joint negligence of any of them, including any claim arising out of the Worker's Compensation law or any other law, ordinance, order, or decree.

The LPA also agrees to pay all reasonable expenses and attorney's fees incurred by or imposed on the State of Indiana, INDOT and/or its/their officials, agents, representatives, attorneys, and/or employees, individually and/or jointly, in connection herewith in the event that the LPA shall default under the provisions of this section.

The LPA also agrees to pay all reasonable expenses and attorney's fees incurred by or imposed on the State of Indiana, INDOT and/or its/their officials, agents, representatives, attorneys, and/or employees, individually and/or jointly, in asserting successfully a claim against the LPA for indemnity pursuant to this contract.

P. Merger & Modification. This Contract constitutes the entire agreement between the PARTIES. No understandings, agreements, or representations, oral or written, not specified within this Contract will be valid provisions of this Contract. This Contract may not be modified, supplemented or amended, in any manner, except by written agreement signed by all necessary PARTIES.

Q. Non-Discrimination.

- 1. Pursuant to the Indiana Civil Rights Law, specifically including IC 22-9-1-10, and in keeping with the purposes of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 as amended, the Age Discrimination in Employment Act, and the Americans with Disabilities Act, the LPA covenants that it shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment relating to this Contract with respect to the hire, tenure, terms, conditions or privileges of employment or any matter directly or indirectly related to employment, because of the employee's or applicant's race, color, national origin, religion, sex, age, disability, ancestry, status as a veteran, or any other characteristic protected by federal, state or local law ("Protected Characteristics"). The LPA certifies compliance with applicable federal laws, regulations and executive orders prohibiting discrimination based on the Protected Characteristics in the provision of services. Breach of this covenant may be regarded as a material breach of this Contract, but nothing in this covenant

- d. **Information and Reports:** The LPA shall provide all information and reports required by the Regulations, or directives issued pursuant thereto, and shall permit access to its books, records, accounts, other sources of information, and its facilities as may be determined by the Indiana Department of Transportation and Federal Highway Administration to be pertinent to ascertain compliance with such Regulations, orders and instructions. Where any information required of a LPA is in the exclusive possession of another who fails or refuses furnish this information, the LPA shall so certify to the Indiana Department of Transportation or the Federal Highway Administration as appropriate, and shall set forth what efforts it has made to obtain the information.
- e. **Sanctions for Noncompliance:** In the event of the LPA's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination provisions of this Contract, the Indiana Department of Transportation shall impose such contract sanctions as it or the Federal Highway Administration may determine to be appropriate, including, but not limited to: (a) withholding payments to the LPA under the Contract until the LPA complies, and/or (b) cancellation, termination or suspension of the Contract, in whole or in part.
- f. **Incorporation of Provisions:** The LPA shall include the provisions of paragraphs a through f in every subcontract, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment, unless exempt by the Regulations, or directives issued pursuant thereto.

The LPA shall take such action with respect to any subcontract or procurement as the Indiana Department of Transportation or the Federal Highway Administration may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for non-compliance, provided, however, that in the event the LPA becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or supplier as a result of such direction, the LPA may request the Indiana Department of Transportation to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the Indiana Department of Transportation, and, in addition, the LPA may request the United States of America to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States of America.

- R. **Payment.** All payments (if any) shall be made thirty-five (35) days in arrears in conformance with State fiscal policies and procedures and, as required by IC §4-13-2-14.8, the direct deposit by electronic funds transfer to the financial institution designated by the LPA in writing unless a specific waiver has been obtained from the Indiana Auditor of State. No payments will be made in advance of receipt of the goods or services that are the subject of this Contract except as permitted by IC §4-13-2-20.
- S. **Penalties, Interest and Attorney's Fees.** INDOT will in good faith perform its required obligations hereunder, and does not agree to pay any penalties, liquidated damages, interest, or attorney's fees, except as required by Indiana law in part, I.C. 5-17-5, I.C. 34-54-8, and I.C. 34-13-1.

Notwithstanding the provisions contained in IC §5-17-5, any liability resulting from the State's failure to make prompt payment shall be based solely on the amount of funding originating from the State and shall not be based on funding from federal or other sources.

- T. **Pollution Control Requirements.** If this Contract is for \$100,000 or more, the LPA:
 - 1. Stipulates any facility to be utilized in performance under or to benefit from this Contract is not listed on the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) List of Violating Facilities issued pursuant to the requirements of the Clean Air Act, as amended, and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended;

Non-Collusion

The undersigned attests, subject to the penalties for perjury, that he/she is the LPA, or that he/she is the properly authorized representative, agent, member or officer of the LPA, that he/she has not, nor has any other member, employee, representative, agent or officer of the LPA, directly or indirectly, to the best of his/her knowledge, entered into or offered to enter into any combination, collusion or agreement to receive or pay, and that he/she has not received or paid, any sum of money or other consideration for the execution of this Contract other than that which appears upon the face of this Contract. **Furthermore, if the undersigned has knowledge that a state officer, employee, or special state appointee, as those terms are defined in IC §4-2-6-1, has a financial interest in the Contract, the Party attests to compliance with the disclosure requirements in IC §4-2-6-10.5.**

In Witness Whereof, LPA and the State of Indiana have, through duly authorized representatives, entered into this Contract. The PARTIES having read and understand the forgoing terms of this Contract do by their respective signatures dated below hereby agree to the terms thereof.

LPA: **Vigo County**

STATE OF INDIANA

Department of Transportation

Brad Anderson President Vigo Co. Comm.
Print or type name and title

Recommended for approval by:

Brad Anderson
Signature and date

11/26/19

Steven Duncan, Director
Contract Administration Division

Judith A. Anderson Vigo Co. Comm.
Print or type name and title

Date: _____

Judith A. Anderson
Signature and date

11/26/19

Executed by:

(FOR)

Joseph McGuinness, Commissioner

Print or type name and title

Date: _____

Signature and date

Department of Administration

Lesley A. Crane, Commissioner

LPA DUNS # _____

Date: _____

Attest

State Budget Agency

[Signature]
Auditor or Clerk Treasurer Signature and Date

Zachary Q. Jackson, Director

Date: _____

This instrument prepared by:

Approved as to Form and Legality:

Autumn Castro
October 31, 2019

(FOR)

Curtis T. Hill, Jr., Attorney General of Indiana

Date: _____

ATTACHMENT B

LPA'S RIGHTS AND DUTIES

In addition to any other rights and duties required by Indiana or federal law, regulations, rules, policies or procedures, or described elsewhere in this Contract, the following are the LPA's rights and duties under this Contract for the Project.

1. The LPA has requested and intends to use federal funds to partially pay for the Project. The LPA asserts that the LPA has completed or will complete the Project in accordance with INDOT's Design Manual (See http://www.in.gov/indot/design_manual/) and all pertinent state and federal laws, regulations, policies and guidance. The LPA or its consultant shall prepare the environmental document(s) for the Project in accordance with INDOT's Environmental Manual (See <http://www.in.gov/indot/2523.htm>). Land acquisition for the Project by the LPA or its consultant shall be in accordance with INDOT's Real Estate Manuals (See <http://www.in.gov/indot/2493.htm>).
2. The LPA acknowledges that in order for the cost of consultant services to be eligible for federal funds or federal credits, the consultant selection must be in accordance with INDOT's consultant selection procedure.
3. REQUIREMENTS FOR ADDITIONAL CONTRACTS
 - A. If the LPA wishes to contract with a consultant, contractor or other agent to complete work on the Project, LPA may:
 1. use the "LPA-CONSULTANT Agreement", which is found at <http://www.in.gov/indot/2833.htm> and is incorporated by reference; or
 2. use a form of agreement that has been reviewed and approved by INDOT.
4. The LPA agrees to provide all relevant documents including, but not limited to, all plans, specifications and special provisions, to INDOT for review and approval, and such approval will not be unreasonably withheld. If INDOT does not approve an LPA submittal, the LPA shall cause the submittal to be modified in order to secure INDOT's approval. The LPA understands that if it fails to provide a submittal, submits it late, or the submittal is not approvable, the schedule, cost, and federal funds for the Project may be jeopardized.
5. The LPA agrees to complete all right-of-way acquisition, utility coordination and acquire the necessary permit(s) and submit documentation of such to INDOT. The utility coordination shall be in accordance with 105 IAC 13.
6. At least ninety to one hundred twenty (90 to 120) calendar days prior to INDOT's scheduled construction letting for the project, the LPA will submit to INDOT documentation of the LPA's fiscal body's resolution or other official action irrevocably committing the LPA to fund the LPA's cost of the Project as described in Attachment D.

12. The LPA shall submit reports, including but not limited to quarterly reports, to INDOT regarding the project's progress and the performance of work per INDOT standard reporting methods. If the required reports are not submitted, federal funds may be withheld.
13. The LPA hereby agrees that all utilities which cross or otherwise occupy the right-of-way of said Project shall be regulated on a continuing basis by the LPA in accordance with INDOT's Utility Procedure and Accommodation Policy (See <http://www.in.gov/indot/2389.htm>). The LPA shall execute written use and occupancy contracts as defined in this Policy.
14. If FHWA or INDOT invokes sanctions per Section VI.D.2. of the General Provisions of this contract, or otherwise denies or withholds federal funds (hereinafter called a citation or cited funds) for any reason and for all or any part of the Project, the LPA agrees as follows:
 - a. In the case of correctable noncompliance, the LPA shall make the corrections, to the satisfaction of FHWA and INDOT, in a reasonable amount of time. If the LPA fails to do so, paragraph 14.b. and/or 14.c. below, as applicable, shall apply.
 - b. In case a citation for noncompliance is not correctable or if correctable and the LPA does not make any corrections, or if correctable and the LPA makes corrections that are not acceptable to FHWA and INDOT, or for whatever reason the FHWA citation continues in force beyond a reasonable amount of time, this paragraph shall apply and adjustments shall be made as follows:
 1. The LPA shall reimburse INDOT the total amount of all right-of-way costs that are subject to FHWA citation that have been paid by INDOT to the LPA.
 2. If no right-of-way costs have as yet been paid by INDOT to the LPA or to others, INDOT will not pay any right-of-way claim or billing that is subject to FHWA citation.
 3. The LPA agrees that it is not entitled to bill INDOT or to be reimbursed for any of its right-of-way liabilities or costs that are subject to any FHWA citation in force.
 - c. If FHWA issues a citation denying or withholding all or any part of construction costs due to LPA noncompliance with right-of-way requirements, and construction work was or is in progress, the following shall apply:
 1. INDOT may elect to terminate, suspend, or continue construction work in accord with the provisions of the construction contract.
 2. INDOT may elect to pay its obligations under the provisions of the construction contract.
 3. In the case of correctable noncompliance, the LPA shall make the corrections in a reasonable amount of time to the satisfaction of FHWA and INDOT.

ATTACHMENT C

INDOT'S RIGHTS AND DUTIES

In addition to any other rights and duties required by Indiana or federal law or regulations or described elsewhere in this Contract, the following are INDOT's rights and duties under the Contract:

1. INDOT shall have full authority and access to inspect and approve all plans, specifications and special provisions for the Project regardless of when those plans, specifications, special provisions or other such Project documents were created.
2. INDOT shall complete all railroad coordination for the Project on behalf of the LPA.
3. After the LPA has submitted and INDOT has accepted and/or approved all pre-letting documents, INDOT will prepare the Engineer's Estimate for construction of the Project.
4. If the LPA owes INDOT money which is more than 60 days past due, INDOT will not open the construction bids for the Project.
5. Not later than sixty (60) calendar days after receipt by INDOT of a certified copy of a resolution from the LPA's fiscal body authorizing the LPA to make payment to INDOT according to the terms of Attachment D, and fulfillment of all other pre-letting obligations of this contract, INDOT shall, in accordance with applicable laws and rules (including I.C. 8-23-9, I.C. 8-23-10, and 105 I.A.C. 11), conduct a scheduled letting.
6. Subject to the LPA's written approval, INDOT shall award the construction contract for the Project according to applicable laws and rules.
7. Not later than seven (7) calendar days after INDOT awards the construction contract described above, INDOT shall invoice the LPA for the LPA's share of the construction cost.
8. If INDOT has received the LPA's share of the Project construction cost and if the lowest qualified bidder has not otherwise been disqualified, INDOT shall issue notice to proceed for the Project to the contractor within fourteen (14) calendar days of its receipt of the LPA share of the construction cost.
9. INDOT shall have the right and opportunity to inspect any construction under this Contract to determine whether the construction is in conformance with the plans and specifications for the Project.
10. In the event the engineering, testing, and inspection services provided by the LPA, in the opinion of INDOT, are deemed to be incompetent or inadequate or are otherwise insufficient or a dispute arises, INDOT shall, in its sole discretion, have the right to supplement the engineering, testing, and inspection force or to replace engineers or inspectors employed in such work at the expense of the LPA. INDOT's engineers shall control the work the same as on other federal aid construction contracts.
11. After the final Project audit is approved by INDOT, the LPA shall, within forty-five (45) days after receipt of INDOT's bill, make final payment to INDOT pursuant to Attachment D or INDOT shall, within forty-five (45) days after approval of the audit, refund any Project overpayment to the LPA.

- (1) Are for work performed for activities eligible under the section of title 23, U.S.C., applicable to the class of funds used for the activities;
- (2) Are verifiable from INDOT's or the LPA's records;
- (3) Are necessary and reasonable for proper and efficient accomplishment of project objectives and meet the other criteria for allowable costs in the applicable cost principles cited in 49 CFR section 18.22;
- (4) Are included in the approved budget, or amendment thereto; and
- (5) Were not incurred prior to FHWA authorization.

II. Billings.

A. Billing:

1. When INDOT awards and enters into a contract (i.e., construction, utility, and/or railroad) on behalf of the LPA, INDOT will invoice the LPA for its share of the costs. The LPA shall pay the invoice within thirty (30) calendar days from date of INDOT's billing.
2. The LPA understands time is of the essence regarding the Project timeline and costs and delays in payment may cause substantial time delays and/or increased costs for the Project.
3. If the LPA has not paid the full amount due within sixty (60) calendar days past the due date, INDOT shall be authorized to cancel all contracts relating to this Contract, including the contracts listed in II.A.1 of Attachment D and/or proceed in accordance with I.C. 8-14-1-9 to compel the Auditor of the State of Indiana to make a mandatory transfer of funds from the LPA's allocation of the Motor Vehicle Highway Account to INDOT's account.

III. Repayment Provisions.

If for any reason, INDOT is required to repay to FHWA the sum or sums of federal funds paid to the LPA or on behalf of the LPA under the terms of this Contract, then the LPA shall repay to INDOT such sum or sums within thirty (30) days after receipt of a billing from INDOT. If the LPA has not paid the full amount due within sixty (60) calendar days past the due date, INDOT may proceed in accordance with I.C. 8-14-1-9 to compel the Auditor of the State of Indiana to make a mandatory transfer of funds for the LPA's allocation of the Motor Vehicle Highway Account to INDOT's account until the amount due has been repaid.