# Kenney Geotechnical Engineering Services, PLLC

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# **PROPOSAL**

September 6, 2023

Village of Skaneateles c/o TDK Engineering Associates, PC <via email>

Attn: Mr. Thomas Posella, Director of Municipal Operations

Re: Special Inspection Services

Clift Park Seawall Cap Replacement Program 15 West Genesee Street, Skaneateles, New York

Dear Thomas,

Kenney Geotechnical Engineering Services, PLLC proposes to perform special inspection services for the referenced project. Our services will be performed on an as-requested basis. It is our understanding that you require 3<sup>rd</sup> party special inspections and testing for soils, concrete field and laboratory testing. Additional services will only be performed upon prior request and approval from your firm. Testing and Inspection reports will be issued electronically in .pdf format to the distribution list that you provide. Field services are billed portal to portal from our Syracuse New York office. The minimum charge for field services is four hours (half day). Please note that overtime work is billed at 150% of the quoted unit cost, and holiday work is billed at 200% of the quoted unit cost. Overtime rates apply after 8 hours of work on a weekday and each weekend day. Holiday work rates apply to work performed on legal holidays.

# Scheduling

For scheduling of testing services please contact our Project Manager, Brandon Beyer, at the following address at least 24 hours in advance:

Brandon Beyer
Project Manager

Mail: P.O. Box 117; Warners, NY 13164

Location: 6901 Herman Road; Syracuse, NY 13209

Mobile: (315) 751-0714

BTB@kenneygeotechnical.com

#### **Unit Fee Schedule**

Our compensation schedule is as follows:

Special Inspection and Testing Services Unit Fee Schedule				
<u>Task</u>	<u>Unit Cost</u>		<u>Units</u>	<u>Notes</u>
Geotechnical Engineer/P.E.	\$	140.00	Hour	Office and Field Rate
Staff Engineer/EIT	\$	370.00	Half Day	0-4 Hours
Staff Engineer/EIT	\$	735.00	Full Day	4-8 Hours
Project Manager	\$	100.00	Hour	Office and Field Rate
Certified Welding Inspector	\$	425.00	Half Day	0-4 Hours
Certified Welding Inspector	\$	850.00	Full Day	4-8 Hours
Senior Technician (Concrete/Soils/Masonry testing/Rebar inspection/Epoxy Anchorage Pull Testing/Floor Flatness/Asphalt Testing)	\$	330.00	Half Day	0-4 Hours
Senior Technician (Concrete/Soils/Masonry testing/Rebar inspection/Epoxy Anchorage Pull Testing/Floor Flatness/Asphalt Testing)	\$	660.00	Full Day	4-8 Hours
CMT Technician (Concrete/Soil/Asphalt Testing)	\$	250.00	Half Day	0-4 Hours
CMT Technician (Concrete/Soil/Asphalt Testing)	\$	500.00	Full Day	4-8 Hours
Concrete Test Cylinders	\$	25.00	Each	Each cylinder fabricated
Masonry Grout Prisms	\$	55.00	Each	Each Specimen Cast
Troxler Gauge	\$	60.00	Day	Each day use
Floor Flatness Machine	\$	975.00	Day	Each day use
Epoxy Anchor Hydraulic Pull Test Equipment	\$	525.00	Day	Each day use
Fire Caulking, Intumescent Paint & Spray Applied Fireproofing Verifications	\$	425.00	Half Day	0-4 Hours
Fire Caulking, Intumescent Paint & Spray applied Fireproofing Verifications	\$	850.00	Full Day	4-8 Hours
Sieve Analysis (ASTM D-422)	\$	65.00	Each	No hydrometer
Modified Proctor (ASTM D-1557)	\$	140.00	Each	Four point test
Concrete Masonry Unit Compressive Strength Testing	\$	210.00	Each	Each Specimen Cast
Cylinder Pickup	\$	80.00	Each	If no other work scheduled
Soil Water Pollution Plan Inspections	\$	200.00	Each	
Trip Charge	\$	35.00	Trip	Round Trip
Testing Report Preparation and Publication	\$	40.00	Each	Issued electronically in .pdf format

#### **Business Terms**

Our standard terms and conditions are attached. Payment is due within 30 days of invoicing. Unpaid invoices will be subject to an interest penalty of 2% of the unpaid balance per month. Please note that our estimated cost is premised upon our standard insurance coverage, which is as follows:

- Professional Liability: \$2 Million Per Occurrence/\$2 Million Aggregate
- Comprehensive General Liability: \$1 Million Per Occurrence/\$2 Million Aggregate

Insurance certificates will be provided.

# Closing

Thank you for the opportunity to present this unit fee schedule. We look forward to answering any questions you may have.

Respectfully submitted,

KENNEY GEOTECHNICAL ENGINEERING SERVICES, PLLC

Christopher Kenney

Christopher M. Kenney, P.E.

President

AGREED AND ACCEPTED:

The Village of Skaneateles

Date

## **Terms and Conditions**

Kenney Geotechnical Services ("Consultant") will perform the services described in the attached proposal to The Village of Skaneateles ("Client") under the following terms and conditions:

#### STANDARD OF CARE

CONSULTANT and its employees, subsidiaries, independent professional associates, subconsultants, and subcontractors will exercise that degree of care and skill ordinarily practiced under similar circumstances by professionals providing similar services. Client agrees that services provided will be rendered without any warranty, express or implied.

CONSULTANT shall exercise usual and customary professional care in its efforts to comply with applicable codes, regulations, laws rules, ordinances, and such other requirements in effect as of the date of execution of this Agreement.

When required as part of its work, CONSULTANT will furnish opinions of probable cost, but does not guarantee the accuracy of such estimates. Opinions of probable cost, financial evaluations, feasibility studies, economic analyses of alternate solutions, and utilitarian considerations of operations and maintenance costs prepared by CONSULTANT hereunder will be made on the basis of CONSULTANT's experience and qualifications and will represent CONSULTANT's judgment as an experienced and qualified design professional. However, users of the probable cost opinions must recognize that CONSULTANT does not have control over the cost of labor, material, equipment, or services furnished by others or over market conditions or contractors' methods of determining prices or performing the work

#### **OWNERSHIP OF DOCUMENTS**

Plans, specifications, reports, boring logs, calculations, field data, field notes, laboratory test data, estimates, and similar documents and materials (other than samples) prepared by or for Consultant as instruments of professional service are Consultant's property. Consultant shall retain these instruments of professional service for six years following submission of final project deliverable, during which period Consultant's instruments of professional service will be made available for Client's review at any reasonable time.

Any reuse or distribution to third parties without such express written permission or project-specific adaptation by CONSULTANT will be at the Client's sole risk and without liability to CONSULTANT or its employees, subsidiaries, independent professional associates, subconsultants, and subcontractors. Client shall, to the fullest extent permitted by law, defend, indemnify, and hold harmless CONSULTANT from and against any and all costs, expenses, fees, losses, claims, demands, liabilities, suits, actions, and damages whatsoever arising out of or resulting from such unauthorized reuse or distribution.

#### RIGHT OF ENTRY

The Client will provide for right of entry of the employees, agents, or subcontractors of Consultant to perform and complete the work that is the subject of this Agreement.

#### **HAZARDOUS WASTES**

The Client shall advise Consultant of any hazardous waste existing at or near the site at which Consultant is to perform work. If Consultant discovers hazardous wastes after it undertakes a project, or if Consultant discovers the nature or extent of hazardous waste differs materially from what the Client advised Consultant, the Client and Consultant agree that the scope of services, schedule and estimated fee budget shall be adjusted as needed to complete the work.

If reportable quantities of petroleum product and/or chemical contamination are discovered on the project site during performance of the work tasks described herein, or during any subsequent work completed a the project site, the appropriate local, state, and/or federal agencies will be notified immediately, as required by law.

The ownership of and responsibility for all contaminated materials, hazardous materials, and hazardous substances generated, released, uncovered, transported, and/or collected during the work tasks referred to herein will remain with the Client.

#### **PAYMENT**

Payment is due in full within 30 days of receipt of invoice. The Client will be liable for all court costs, disbursements, and reasonable attorney's fees incurred by Consultant in the collection of any outstanding invoices.

# **INSURANCE**

Insurance certificate will be supplied upon request that illustrate Consultant's current policy limits. Requests to maintain insurance limits above Consultant's current limits will only be honored if Client compensates Consultant for the additional cost of the higher policy limits.

#### **TERMINATION**

This Agreement may be terminated by either party upon seven (7) days written notice in the event of substantial failure by the other party to perform in accordance with the terms hereof. Such termination shall not be effective if that substantial failure has been remedied before expiration of the period specified in the written notice.

#### **ASSIGNS**

Neither party may delegate, assign, sublet or transfer its duties or interest in this agreement without the written consent of the other party. Any assignee, successor or legal representative of any of the parties to this agreement shall be bound by the terms of this agreement.

#### **INDEMNIFICATIONS**

To the fullest extent permitted by law, and not withstanding any other provision of this Agreement, the total liability, in the aggregate, of Kenney Geotechnical and it's officers, directors, partners, members, managers, employee, agents and subconsultants, and any of them, to the Client and anyone claiming by, through or under the Client, for any and all claims, losses, cost or damages of any nature whatsoever arising out of, resulting from or in any way related to the Project or this Agreement from any cause or causes, including but not limited to the negligence, professional errors or omissions, strict liability, breach of contract or warranty, express or implied, of Kenney Geotechnical or its officers, directors, employees,

agents or subconsultants, or any of them, shall not exceed the total compensation received by the Kenney Geotechnical under this Agreement.

To the fullest extent permitted by law and subject to this Agreement's limitations on liability and damages Kenney Geotechnical shall indemnify and hold harmless Client, Client's officers, directors, partners, and employees from and against any and all costs, losses and damages (including but not limited to all fees and charges of engineers, architects, attorneys, and other professionals, and all court or arbitration or other dispute resolutions costs) caused solely by the negligent acts or omissions of Kenney Geotechnical in the performance and furnishing of services under this Agreement as finally determined by a court of competent jurisdiction.

To the fullest extent permitted by law, Client shall indemnify and hold harmless Kenney Geotechnical from and against any and all costs, losses and damages (including but not limited to all fees and charges of engineers, architects, attorneys, and other professionals, and all court or arbitration or other dispute resolutions costs) caused solely by the negligent acts or omissions of Client with respect to this Agreement or the Project.

To the fullest extent permitted by law and subject to this Agreement's limitations on liability and damages, Kenney Geotechnical's total liability to Client and anyone claiming by, through, or under Client for any costs, losses or damages caused in part by the negligence of Kenney Geotechnical as finally determined by a court of competent jurisdiction and in part by the negligence of a third party other than Client or any other negligent entity or individual shall not exceed the percentage share that Kenney Geotechnical's negligence bears to the total negligence of Kenney Geotechnical, and all other negligent entities and individuals. In the event that the client, its officers, directors, shareholders, partners, members, managers, agents and employees are found to be liable, in whole or in part, for its negligent acts or omissions or willful acts, the client shall not be entitled to be indemnified and held harmless under this provision.

To the fullest extent permitted by law, Client shall indemnify and hold harmless Kenney Geotechnical from and against any and all costs, losses and damages (including but not limited to all fees and charges of engineers, architects, attorneys, and other professionals, and all court or arbitration or other dispute resolutions costs) arising out of or resulting from a Hazardous Environmental Condition, Sick Building Syndrome and Building Related Illnesses provided that (i) any such cost, loss, or damage is attributable to bodily injury, sickness, disease, or death, or to injury or destruction of tangible property (other than completed Work), including the loss of use resulting therefrom, and (ii) nothing shall obligate Client to indemnify any individual or entity from and against the consequences of that individual's or entity's own negligence or willful misconduct.

#### SAMPLES

CONSULTANT will discard samples upon completion of the work covered under this Agreement, unless the Client instructs otherwise in writing.

#### **CHANGES AND DELAYS**

Unless the accompanying Proposal provides otherwise, the proposed fees constitute CONSULTANT's estimate to perform the services required to complete the Project. Required services often are not fully definable in the initial planning; accordingly, developments may dictate a change in the scope of services to be performed. Where this occurs, changes in the Agreement shall be negotiated and an equitable adjustment shall be made.

Costs and schedule commitments shall be subject to renegotiation for unreasonable delays caused by the Client's failure to provide specified facilities, direction, or information, or if CONSULTANT's failure to perform is due to any act of God, labor trouble, fire, inclement weather, act of governmental authority, failure of transportation, accident, power failure, or interruption or any other cause beyond the reasonable control of CONSULTANT. Temporary work stoppage caused by any of the above may result in additional cost beyond that outlined in the accompanying Proposal.

## CONFLICT OF INTEREST

This assignment may involve parties with adverse interests to clients with whom CONSULTANT has current or past relationships. It is CONSULTANT policy to make reasonable attempts to identify such relationships prior to acceptance of a professional assignment, but CONSULTANT cannot assure that conflicts or perceived conflicts will not arise, and CONSULTANT does not accept responsibility for such occurrences.

## ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

The laws of the state in which the CONSULTANT office executing this Agreement is located shall govern the validity and interpretation of this Agreement.

In the event any of these Contract Provisions are found to be illegal or otherwise unenforceable, the unenforceable Contract Provision will be stricken. Striking such a Contract Provision shall have no effect on the enforceability of the remaining Contract Provisions and those remaining Contract Provisions shall continue in full force and effect as if the unenforceable Contract Provision were never included in the Agreement.

CONSULTANT shall be entitled to rely, without liability, on the accuracy and completeness of any and all information provided by Client, Client's consultants and contractors, and information from public records, without the need for independent verification.

CONSULTANT shall not be required to sign any documents, no matter by whom requested, that would result in CONSULTANT's having to certify, guaranty, or warrant the existence of conditions that CONSULTANT cannot ascertain.

Nothing contained in this Agreement shall create a contractual relationship with, or a cause of action in favor of, a third party against either the Client or CONSULTANT. CONSULTANT's services hereunder are being performed solely for the benefit of the Client, and no other entity shall have any claim against CONSULTANT because of this Agreement or CONSULTANT's performance of services hereunder.

Neither the Client nor the CONSULTANT shall be liable to the other or shall make any claim for any incidental, indirect or consequential damages arising out of, or connected in any way to the Project or this Agreement. This mutual waiver includes, but is not limited to, damages related to loss of use, loss of profits, loss of income, loss of reputation, unrealized savings or diminution of property value and shall apply to any cause of action including negligence, strict liability, breach of contract and breach of warranty.