ORDINANCE NO. 15770

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE JOLIET PROCUREMENT CODE REGARDING THE ELIGIBILITY TO BID ON CITY CONTRACTS

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JOLIET, ILLINOIS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: Section 2-441 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended in its entirety to read as follows:

Sec. 2-441. Mandatory requirements for all bidders; submission of bids; form.

(a) In addition to any other requirement, unless otherwise expressly stated in a bid solicitation or an award of contract, all bidders must comply with the following requirements in order to submit a bid or be awarded a contract and include satisfactory evidence thereof in its bid.

1. The bidder shall be a duly organized legal entity in good standing with the Illinois Secretary of State and in compliance with all laws prerequisite to doing business in Illinois.

2. The bidder shall have a valid Federal Employer Tax Identification Number or Social Security Number.

3. The bidder shall be an equal opportunity employer and comply with Section 2000(e) of Chapter 21, Title 42 of the United States Code and Executive Order No. 11246.

4. The bidder shall provide certificates of insurance indicating the following coverages if called for in the bid solicitation: general liability, workers compensation, completed operations, automobile, hazardous occupation and product liability.

5. The bidder shall comply with all provisions of the Illinois Prevailing Wage Act (820 ILCS 130), including wages, medical and hospitalization insurance and retirement for those trades covered in the Act.

6. All contractors and sub-contractors performing services covered by the Illinois Prevailing Wage Act shall submit to the City the certified payrolls required by the Act, as amended by Illinois Public Act 94-0515.
(7) For construction projects (construction of new facilities, renovation of existing facilities or road construction projects) over $25,000.00, the bidder must provide apprenticeship and training programs that are either registered with the United States Department of Labor's Bureau of Apprenticeship and Training or are reasonably equivalent to such programs.

(b) Bids shall be submitted in a sealed envelope to the City Clerk. Each bid shall be addressed to the City Clerk of the City of Joliet and shall bear on the face of the envelope the name of the bidder, a statement that it is a sealed bid to be opened on the day and hour mentioned in the advertisement for bids, and a statement of the contract for which the bid is made. Each bid shall be submitted on the printed form supplied by the City and shall be bound in the original binding.

SECTION 2: This Ordinance and every provision thereof shall be considered separable and the invalidity of any section, clause, paragraph, sentenced or provision of the Ordinance shall not affect the validity of any other portion of this Ordinance

SECTION 3: All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances conflicting with any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be and the same is hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

SECTION 4: This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

PASSED this 5th day of February, 2007.

[Signatures]

MAYOR

CITY CLERK

VOTING YES: MAYOR PRO-TEM QUILLMAN and COUNCILMEN BROPHY, DORRIS, LEDESMA, SHETINA, TURK and UREMEOVIC.

VOTING NO: NONE.

NOT VOTING: MAYOR SCHULTZ and COUNCILMAN GIARRANTE (Absent)