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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION



Pete Ricketts, Governor

April 1, 2019

Re: Annual Consultant Certification (excluding NEPA Services)

To Whom It May Concern:

In accordance with Rev. Neb. Stat. §81-1712 (3), any consulting firm desiring to provide professional services on State or Federal-aid transportation projects in the State of Nebraska must first be certified by the Nebraska Department of Transportation (NDOT). The 2020 fiscal year annual certification period for the NDOT is July 1, 2019, through June 30, 2020. This document outlines the general certification process. Consulting firms who submit certifications beginning April 1, 2019, will be reviewed for 2020 certification period. Certifications submitted prior to June 15, 2019, and that are accepted, will be included in the 2020 [Certified Consultants List](#) posted in early July on NDOT's website. The Certified Consultants List is updated approximately each quarter thereafter.

NOTE: This annual certification process **does not** include certification for NEPA Services (Standard Work Category 101A). Please review separate [instructions](#) for firms wishing to be qualified for NEPA Services.

NDOT Form 497

The NDOT has developed an Architect, Engineer & Related Services – Annual Certification Form (NDOT Form 497) to be submitted by interested consulting firms. Microsoft Word and PDF formats of the form are located on NDOT's website: <http://dot.nebraska.gov/business-center/consultant/>

Electronic Submittal (Preferred)

Completed NDOT Form 497 is to be submitted to NDOT.PDAnnualCertification@nebraska.gov. The consultant may elect one of the following methods:

1. Download the NDOT Form 497 in Microsoft Word format, complete electronically, include a digital signature, and then attach it to your email submittal.
2. Download the NDOT Form 497, complete electronically and print or print and complete by hand, sign the form and then scan and attach it to your email submittal.

Paper Submittal

The NDOT will, if necessary, accept paper submittals of the NDOT Form 497. Submittals may be mailed or hand-delivered to the following address:

Nebraska Department of Transportation
Attn: Consultant Services
PO Box 94759
Lincoln NE 68509-4759

Non USPS address:
1500 Highway 2
Lincoln, NE 68502

Kyle Schneweis, P.E., Director

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NDOT.ContactUs@nebraska.gov

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Electronic Notifications

An acceptance or rejection email will be sent upon review of the NDOT Form 497 (typically within 30 days). Notification will be made to the sender's email address (or if not submitted electronically, to the email address provided on the form). Certification will be effective upon email notification of acceptance.

Contact

Additional information or questions regarding the certification process should contact:

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