



AGENDA ITEM EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Agenda Item:	Geneva Business Park III General Construction														
Presenter & Title:	Aaron Holton – Superintendent of Electric Services														
Date:	February 5, 2024														
Please Check Appropriate Box:															
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Committee of the Whole Meeting	<input type="checkbox"/>	Special Committee of the Whole Meeting												
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	City Council Meeting	<input type="checkbox"/>	Special City Council Meeting												
<input type="checkbox"/>	Public Hearing	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other -												
Associated Strategic Plan Goal/Objective: EMS II															
Estimated Cost: \$423,555.00	Budgeted? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Other Funding? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No													
<i>If "Other Funding," please explain how the item will be funded:</i>															
Executive Summary:															
<p>Bids were advertised and opened on Monday, December 4, 2023 for the Geneva Business Park III Substation Construction project, consisting of construction of two 34kV risers and cable to feed the General Mills expansion. The remainder of the substation construction will be completed on a contract to be awarded at a later date. 5 Bids were received, as shown below. After Stanley Consultant's review Meade Electric was the low bidder. Staff recommends awarding the contract to Meade Electric and authorizing the City Administrator to approved change orders not to exceed 10% of the contract price, for a total not-to-exceed contract amount of \$423,555.00.</p> <table style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto; border: none;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;">Bidder</th> <th style="text-align: right;">Bid Opening Amount</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>National Conductor Const. Inc</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$394,505.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Kelso-Burnett Co</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$557,000.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Meade</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$385,052.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>CJ Drilling Inc.</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$661,500.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Haugland Energy Group</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$675,000.00</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>				Bidder	Bid Opening Amount	National Conductor Const. Inc	\$394,505.00	Kelso-Burnett Co	\$557,000.00	Meade	\$385,052.00	CJ Drilling Inc.	\$661,500.00	Haugland Energy Group	\$675,000.00
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Attachments: <i>(please list)</i>															
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recommendation and Supporting Documents • Resolution and Draft Conformed Contract 															
Voting Requirements:															
<p><i>This motion requires a simple majority of affirmative votes for passage. (City Council Only)</i></p> <p><i>The Mayor may vote on three occasions: (a) when the vote of the alderpersons has resulted in a tie; (b) when one half of the alderpersons elected have voted in favor of an ordinance, resolution, or motion even though there is no tie vote; or (c) when a vote greater than a majority of the corporate authorities is required by state statute or local ordinance to adopt an ordinance, resolution, or motion.</i></p>															
Recommendation / Suggested Action: <i>(how the item should be listed on agenda)</i>															
Recommend resolution awarding contract to Meade Electric for the Geneva Business Park III General Construction in a total not-to-exceed amount of \$423,555.00.															



January 9, 2024

Aaron Holton
Electric Division Superintendent
City of Geneva
1800 South Street
Geneva, IL 60134

**SUBJECT: Contract 23-06 Business Park III 34.5kV Substation General Construction –
Letter of Recommendation**

Dear Aaron:

On December 4, 2023, five (5) bids were received and opened at the City of Geneva (Geneva) in response to the request for proposal for the Business Park III 34.5kV Substation General Construction project. The bids were opened and read aloud by Geneva. The bids were then sent to Stanley Consultants to be reviewed in their office.

The apparent low bidder was Meade, Inc. (Meade). There were a few exceptions that were provided with this bid. In reviewing these with Geneva, the only one that was a concern was the one stating that delays will be billed on T&M basis. A question was sent to Meade, and this was changed to that these would be handled via the change order process called out in the contract documents.

With the change of this exception, Stanley Consultants recommends the Contract 23-06 Business Park III 34.5kV Substation General Construction be awarded to Meade, Inc. for the bid price of \$385,052.

A draft conformed contract between the City of Geneva and Meade has been provided in Attachment B. Please review and if Geneva agrees with the recommendation of awarding this contract to Meade please print and sign three originals of the Agreement Between Buyer and Seller page 5 and prepare a Notice-to-Proceed letter for Meade. Sent the Notice-to-Proceed letter with the signed signature pages to Meade with the direction to sign and date all three originals and send to me to be used in creating the conformed contract.



If you have any questions, please contact me at 563.264.6461.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Philip E. Schulz".

Philip E. Schulz
Project Manager
Stanley Consultants, Inc.

cc: Jose Ruiz
Files

Attachments: Attachment A – Bid Tabulation
Attachment B – Draft Conformed Contract

City of Geneva

23-06 Business Park III 35kV Construction Bid

Manufacturer	Meade Inc	National Conductor Constructor LLC	Kelso-Burnett Co.	CJ Drilling Inc.	Haugland Energy Group LLC
Bid Document is Signed	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Bid Bond	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Acknowledgement of Addendums	NO. 1 & 2	NO. 1 & 2	NO. 1 & 2	NO. 1 & 2	NO. 1 & 2
Signed Certificate of Compliance	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Clarifications	Y	Y	N	Y	N
Completion Date	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Liquidated Damages	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Unit Adjustment Prices					
Concrete (cubic yard)	\$ 250.00	N/A	N/A	\$ 250.00	\$ 335.00
Cut (cubic yard)	\$ 50.00	N/A	N/A	\$ 250.00	\$ 140.00
Fill (cubic yard)	\$ 125.00	N/A	N/A	\$ 250.00	\$ 80.00
Site Service Engineer (per day)	\$ 2,500.00	N/A	NA	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,600.00
Transportation Travel Service Engineer (round trip)	\$ 100.00	N/A	NA	\$ 100.00	\$ 250.00
Total Bid Price	\$ 385,052.00	\$ 394,505.00	\$ 557,000.00	\$ 661,500.00	\$ 675,000.00
Comments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No Permits Included - Clear Access is Assumed - Delays will be handled via the Change Order Process called out in the contract documents including Owner Furnished Material - Testing, containment, and disposal of hasardous materials is excluded - Meade will require onsite storage yard space for materials & equipment - Man and Vehicle gates to have steel galvanized frames. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Change orders apored in 5 days and billed next billing cycle - Change Orders subject to added surety bond and insurance - One year warranty - Final Payment Due 30 days after Completion - No dedicated QA and safty person - No weld testing included - Excavation bast on normal subserface - All foreign Utilities by others - City to test soil 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - one year waranty - Number of clarifications on bid 	

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-11

**RESOLUTION AWARDING CONTRACT TO MEADE ELECTRIC FOR
GENEVA BUSINESS PARK III GENERAL CONSTRUCTION**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GENEVA, KANE
COUNTY, ILLINOIS, as follows:**

SECTION 1: That the City Administrator is hereby authorized to execute, on behalf of the City of Geneva, a contract to Meade Electric for the Geneva Business Park III General Construction in a total not-to-exceed amount of \$423,555.00 in substantially the form attached hereto.

SECTION 2: This Resolution shall become effective from and after its passage as in accordance with law.

PASSED by the City Council of the City of Geneva, Kane County, Illinois, this 5th day of February, 2024

AYES: __ NAYS: __ ABSENT: __ ABSTAINING: __ HOLDING OFFICE: __

Approved by me this 5th day of February, 2024.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk

DRAFT Conformed Contract

for

**Bid Proposal No. 23-06
Business Park III 34.5kV Substation
General Construction**

between

**City of Geneva
Geneva, Illinois**

and

**Meade Inc.
Willowbrook, Illinois**

January 2024

Project Manual

for

Bid Proposal No. 23-06 Business Park III 34.5kV Substation General

City of Geneva Geneva, Illinois



John Sovers
Signature

10/19/2023
Date

License Expiration Date: 11-30-2023
Illinois Firm Registration No. 184-001533



Nathan Pierson
Signature

10/19/2023
Date

License Expiration Date: 11-30-2024



A Stanley Group Company
Engineering, Environmental and Construction Services - Worldwide



Greg Shuger

Signature

10/19/2023

Date

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BID PROPOSAL NO. 23-06
BUSINESS PARK III SUBSTATION
34.5KV GENERAL CONSTRUCTION

FOR

CITY OF GENEVA
GENEVA, ILLINOIS

PROCUREMENT AND CONTRACTING REQUIREMENTS GROUP

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EP06B	ELEVATIONS SHEET 2	A
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EU02	CONDUIT PLAN AND SCHEDULE	B
SF01	FOUNDATION PLAN	B
SF02	FOUNDATION DETAILS AND SCHEDULE	B
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EP01D	GENERAL ARANGEMENT - DEMOLITION	B
	REFERENCE DRAWINGS	
SPL911923SWGR	SPL 9'-11x9'-2"x3'-0" SWITCHGEAR FOUNDATION	-

THIS AGREEMENT is by and between City of Geneva, Illinois (Owner) and Meade Inc. (Contractor). Owner and Contractor hereby agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1 - WORK

1.1 Contractor shall complete all Work as specified or indicated in the Contract Documents. The Work is generally construction of Business Park III 34.5kV Substation.

ARTICLE 2 - THE PROJECT

2.1 The Project for which Work under the Contract Documents may be the whole or only a part is generally described as Business Park III Substation 34.5kV Construction.

ARTICLE 3 - ENGINEER

3.1 The Project has been designed by Stanley Consultants, Inc.

3.2 The Owner has retained Stanley Consultants, Inc. (Engineer) to act as Owner's representative, assume all duties and responsibilities, and have the rights and authority assigned to Engineer in the Contract Documents in connection with the furnishing of Goods and Special Services and completion of the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.

ARTICLE 4 - CONTRACT TIMES

4.1 *Time of the Essence.* All time limits for Milestones, if any, Substantial Completion, and completion and readiness for final payment as stated in the Contract Documents are of the essence of the Contract.

4.2 *Contract Times: Dates.* The Work will be substantially completed on or before June 1, 2024, and completed and ready for final payment in accordance with paragraph 15.06 of the General Conditions on or before July 1, 2024.

4.3 The City shall be notified 48 hours prior to any shipment of materials or equipment. Please contact Mr. Jose Ruiz at (630) 232-1503 during the hours of 7:00 am to 3:00 pm Monday through Friday.

4.4 Deliveries shall be made during City of Geneva Electric Utility business hours of 7:00 am to 11:30 am and 12:30 pm to 3:00 pm Monday through Friday.

4.5 *Liquidated Damages.* Contractor and Owner recognize that time is of the essence as stated in Paragraph 4.1 above and that Owner will suffer financial and other losses if the Work is not completed and Milestones not achieved within the times specified in Paragraph 4.2 above, plus any extensions thereof allowed in accordance with the Contract. The parties also recognize the delays, expense, and difficulties involved in proving in a legal or arbitration proceeding the actual loss suffered by Owner if the Work is not completed on time. Accordingly, instead of requiring any such proof, Owner and Contractor agree that as liquidated damages for delay (but not as a penalty):

- A. Substantial Completion: Contractor shall pay Owner \$750 for each day that expires after the time (as duly adjusted pursuant to the Contract) specified in Paragraph 4.2 above for Substantial Completion until the Work is substantially complete.
- B. Completion of Remaining Work: After Substantial Completion, if Contractor shall neglect, refuse, or fail to complete the remaining Work within the Contract Time (as duly adjusted pursuant to the Contract) for completion and readiness for final payment, Contractor shall pay Owner \$750 for each day that expires after such time until the Work is completed and ready for final payment.
- C. Liquidated damages for failing to timely attain Substantial Completion and final completion are not additive and will not be imposed concurrently.

4.6 *Special Damages.* In addition to the amount provided for liquidated damages, Contractor shall reimburse Owner (1) for any fines or penalties imposed on Owner as a direct result of the Contractor's failure to attain Substantial Completion according to the Contract Times, and (2) for the actual costs reasonably incurred by Owner for engineering, construction observation, inspection, and administrative services needed after the time specified in

Paragraph 4.02 for Substantial Completion (as duly adjusted pursuant to the Contract), until the Work is substantially complete.

4.7 After Contractor achieves Substantial Completion, if Contractor shall neglect, refuse, or fail to complete the remaining Work within the Contract Times, Contractor shall reimburse Owner for the actual costs reasonably incurred by Owner for engineering, construction observation, inspection, and administrative services needed after the time specified in Paragraph 4.02 for Work to be completed and ready for final payment (as duly adjusted pursuant to the Contract), until the Work is completed and ready for final payment.

ARTICLE 5 - CONTRACT PRICE

5.1 Owner shall pay Contractor for furnishing the Goods and Special Services and for completion of the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents the amounts that follow, subject to adjustment under the Contract:

A. For all Work, other than Unit Price Work, a Lump Sum of:

Three Hundred Eighty-Five Thousand Fifty-Two Dollars and Zero Cents (\$385,052.00).
(words) (figures)

B. *Unit Adjustment Prices.* To adjust Lump Sum for changes from quantities required by Contract Documents.

Item No.	Description	Unit	Unit Adjustment Price
1.	Concrete	cubic yard	\$ 250.00
2.	Cut	cubic yard	\$ 50.00
3.	Fill	cubic yard	\$ 125.00
4.	Site services of Service Engineer	per day	\$ 2500.00
5.	Transportation, travel time, and out-of-pocket expenses for travel of Service Engineer to Site	per round trip	\$ 100.00

ARTICLE 6 - PAYMENT PROCEDURES

6.1 *Submittal and Processing of Payments.* Contractor shall submit Applications for Payment in accordance with Article 15 of the General Conditions. Applications for Payment will be processed by Engineer as provided in the General Conditions.

6.2 *Progress Payments; Retainage.* Owner shall make progress payments on account of the Contract Price on the basis of Contractor's Applications for Payment on or about the last day of each month during performance of the Work as provided in Paragraph 6.2.A.1 below, provided that such Applications for Payment have been submitted in a timely manner and otherwise meet the requirements of the Contract. All such payments will be measured by the Schedule of Values established as provided in the General Conditions (and in the case of Unit Price Work based on the number of units completed) or, in the event there is no Schedule of Values, as provided elsewhere in the Contract.

A. Prior to Substantial Completion, progress payments will be made in an amount equal to the percentage indicated below, but, in each case, less the aggregate of payments previously made and less such amounts as Owner may withhold, including but not limited to liquidated damages, in accordance with the Contract:

1. 90% percent of Work completed (with the balance being retainage). If the Work has been 50 percent completed as determined by Engineer, and if the character and progress of the Work have been satisfactory to Owner and Engineer, then as long as the character and progress of the Work remain satisfactory to Owner and Engineer, there will be no additional retainage; and
2. 90% of cost of materials and equipment not incorporated in the Work (with the balance being retainage).

B. Upon Substantial Completion, Owner shall pay an amount sufficient to increase total payments to Contractor to 90% of the Work completed, less such amounts set off by Owner pursuant to paragraph 15.01. E. of the General Conditions and less 10% of Engineer's estimate of the value of Work to be

completed or corrected as shown on the punch list of items to be completed or corrected prior to final payment.

6.3 *Final Payment.* Upon final completion and acceptance of the Work in accordance with paragraph 15.06 of the General Conditions, Owner shall pay the remainder of the Contract Price as recommended by Engineer as provided in said paragraph 15.06.

ARTICLE 7 - INTEREST

7.1 All amounts not paid when due shall bear interest at the rate of 8.25% per annum.

ARTICLE 8 - CONTRACTOR'S REPRESENTATIONS

8.1 In order to induce Owner to enter into this Contract, Contractor makes the following representations:

- A. Contractor has examined and carefully studied the Contract Documents, and any data and reference items identified in the Contract Documents.
- B. Contractor has visited the Site, conducted a thorough, alert visual examination of the Site and adjacent areas, and become familiar with and is satisfied as to the general, local, and Site conditions that may affect cost, progress, and performance of the Work.
- C. Contractor is familiar with and is satisfied as to all Laws and Regulations that may affect cost, progress, and performance of the Work.
- D. No site related reports are available for this project.

ARTICLE 9 - CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

9.1 *Contents:* The Contract Documents consist of the following:

- A. This Agreement (pages 1 to 5, inclusive).
- B. Performance Bond (pages 1 to 3, inclusive).
- C. Payment Bond (pages 1 to 3, inclusive).
- D. General Conditions (pages 1 to 38, inclusive).
- E. Supplementary Conditions (pages 1 to 12, inclusive).
- F. Specifications as listed in Project Manual table of contents.
- G. Drawings as listed on the Drawing List.
- H. Addenda numbers 1 to 2, inclusive.
- I. The following which may be delivered or issued on or after the Effective Date of the Agreement and are not attached hereto:
 - 1. Notice to Proceed.
 - 2. Instructions to Contractors.
 - 3. Change Orders.
 - 4. Field Orders.

9.2 The documents listed in paragraph 9.1 are attached to this Agreement (except as expressly noted otherwise above).

9.3 There are no Contract Documents other than those listed above in this Article 9.

9.4 The Contract Documents may only be amended, modified, or supplemented as provided in the General Conditions.

ARTICLE 10 - MISCELLANEOUS

10.1 *Terms.* Terms used in this Agreement will have the meanings indicated in the General Conditions and the Supplementary Conditions.

10.2 *Assignment of Contract.* Unless expressly agreed to elsewhere in the Contract, no assignment by a party hereto of any rights under or interests in the Contract will be binding on another party hereto without the written consent of the party sought to be bound; and, specifically but without limitation, money that may become due and money that is due may not be assigned without such consent (except to the extent that the effect of this restriction may be limited by law), and unless specifically stated to the contrary in any written consent to an assignment, no assignment will release or discharge the assignor from any duty or responsibility under the Contract Documents.

10.3 *Successors and Assigns.* Owner and Contractor each binds itself, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives to the other party hereto, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives in respect to all covenants, agreements, and obligations contained in the Contract Documents.

10.4 *Severability.* Any provision or part of the Contract Documents held to be void or unenforceable under any Law or Regulation shall be deemed stricken, and all remaining provisions shall continue to be valid and binding upon Owner and Contractor, who agree that the Contract Documents shall be reformed to replace such stricken provision or part thereof with a valid and enforceable provision that comes as close as possible to expressing the intention of the stricken provision.

10.5 *Contractor's Certification.* Contractor certifies that it has not engaged in corrupt, fraudulent, collusive, or coercive practices in competing for or in executing the Contract. For the purposes of this Paragraph 10.5:

- A. "corrupt practice" means the offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting of anything of value likely to influence the action of a public official in the bidding process or in the Contract execution;
- B. "fraudulent practice" means an intentional misrepresentation of facts made (a) to influence the bidding process or the execution of the Contract to the detriment of Owner, (b) to establish Bid or Contract prices at artificial non-competitive levels, or (c) to deprive Owner of the benefits of free and open competition;
- C. "collusive practice" means a scheme or arrangement between two or more Bidders, with or without the knowledge of Owner, a purpose of which is to establish Bid prices at artificial, non-competitive levels; and
- D. "coercive practice" means harming or threatening to harm, directly or indirectly, persons or their property to influence their participation in the bidding process or affect the execution of the Contract.

10.6 *Other Provisions.* Owner stipulates that the General Conditions that are made a part of this Contract are based on EJCDC® C-700, Standard General Conditions for the Construction Contract, published by the Engineers Joint Contract Documents Committee®, and Owner is the party that has furnished said General Conditions, and has plainly shown all modifications to the standard wording of such published document to the Contractor in the Supplementary Conditions.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Owner and Contractor have signed this Agreement. This Agreement will be effective on _____, 20__ (which is the Effective Date of the Agreement).

OWNER:

CONTRACTOR:

By: _____

By: _____

Title: _____

Title: _____

(If Contractor is a corporation, a partnership, or a joint venture, attach evidence of authority to sign.)

Attest _____

Attest _____

Title: _____

Title: _____

Address for giving notices:

Address for giving notices:

(If Owner is a corporation, attach evidence of authority to sign. If Owner is a public body, attach evidence of authority to sign and resolution or other documents authorizing execution of Owner-Contractor Agreement.)

License No. _____

(Where applicable)

END OF DOCUMENT

PERFORMANCE BOND

CONTRACTOR *(name and address)*:

SURETY *(name and address of principal place of business)*:

OWNER *(name and address)*:

CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT

Effective Date of the Agreement:

Amount:

Description *(name and location)*:

BOND

Bond Number:

Date *(not earlier than the Effective Date of the Agreement of the Construction Contract)*:

Amount:

Modifications to this Bond Form: None See Paragraph 16

Surety and Contractor, intending to be legally bound hereby, subject to the terms set forth below, do each cause this Performance Bond to be duly executed by an authorized officer, agent, or representative.

CONTRACTOR AS PRINCIPAL

Contractor's Name and Corporate Seal *(seal)*

By: _____
Signature

Print Name

Title

Attest: _____
Signature

Title

SURETY

Surety's Name and Corporate Seal *(seal)*

By: _____
Signature *(attach power of attorney)*

Print Name

Title

Attest: _____
Signature

Title

Notes: (1) Provide supplemental execution by any additional parties, such as joint venturers. (2) Any singular reference to Contractor, Surety, Owner, or other party shall be considered plural where applicable.

1. The Contractor and Surety, jointly and severally, bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns to the Owner for the performance of the Construction Contract, which is incorporated herein by reference.
2. If the Contractor performs the Construction Contract, the Surety and the Contractor shall have no obligation under this Bond, except when applicable to participate in a conference as provided in Paragraph 3.
3. If there is no Owner Default under the Construction Contract, the Surety's obligation under this Bond shall arise after:
 - 3.1 The Owner first provides notice to the Contractor and the Surety that the Owner is considering declaring a Contractor Default. Such notice shall indicate whether the Owner is requesting a conference among the Owner, Contractor, and Surety to discuss the Contractor's performance. If the Owner does not request a conference, the Surety may, within five (5) business days after receipt of the Owner's notice, request such a conference. If the Surety timely requests a conference, the Owner shall attend. Unless the Owner agrees otherwise, any conference requested under this Paragraph 3.1 shall be held within ten (10) business days of the Surety's receipt of the Owner's notice. If the Owner, the Contractor, and the Surety agree, the Contractor shall be allowed a reasonable time to perform the Construction Contract, but such an agreement shall not waive the Owner's right, if any, subsequently to declare a Contractor Default;
 - 3.2 The Owner declares a Contractor Default, terminates the Construction Contract and notifies the Surety; and
 - 3.3 The Owner has agreed to pay the Balance of the Contract Price in accordance with the terms of the Construction Contract to the Surety or to a contractor selected to perform the Construction Contract.
4. Failure on the part of the Owner to comply with the notice requirement in Paragraph 3.1 shall not constitute a failure to comply with a condition precedent to the Surety's obligations, or release the Surety from its obligations, except to the extent the Surety demonstrates actual prejudice.
5. When the Owner has satisfied the conditions of Paragraph 3, the Surety shall promptly and at the Surety's expense take one of the following actions:
 - 5.1 Arrange for the Contractor, with the consent of the Owner, to perform and complete the Construction Contract;
 - 5.2 Undertake to perform and complete the Construction Contract itself, through its agents or independent contractors;
 - 5.3 Obtain bids or negotiated proposals from qualified contractors acceptable to the Owner for a contract for performance and completion of the Construction Contract, arrange for a contract to be prepared for execution by the Owner and a contractor selected with the Owner's concurrence, to be secured with performance and payment bonds executed by a qualified surety equivalent to the bonds issued on the Construction Contract, and pay to the Owner the amount of damages as described in Paragraph 7 in excess of the Balance of the Contract Price incurred by the Owner as a result of the Contractor Default; or
 - 5.4 Waive its right to perform and complete, arrange for completion, or obtain a new contractor, and with reasonable promptness under the circumstances:
 - 5.4.1 After investigation, determine the amount for which it may be liable to the Owner and, as soon as practicable after the amount is determined, make payment to the Owner; or
 - 5.4.2 Deny liability in whole or in part and notify the Owner, citing the reasons for denial.
6. If the Surety does not proceed as provided in Paragraph 5 with reasonable promptness, the Surety shall be deemed to be in default on this Bond seven days after receipt of an additional written notice from the Owner to the Surety demanding that the Surety perform its obligations under this Bond, and the Owner shall be entitled to enforce any remedy available to the Owner. If the Surety proceeds as provided in Paragraph 5.4, and the Owner refuses the payment or the Surety has denied liability, in whole or in part, without further notice the Owner shall be entitled to enforce any remedy available to the Owner.
7. If the Surety elects to act under Paragraph 5.1, 5.2, or 5.3, then the responsibilities of the Surety to the Owner shall not be greater than those of the Contractor under the Construction Contract, and the responsibilities of the Owner to the Surety shall not be greater than those of the Owner under the Construction Contract. Subject to the commitment by the Owner to pay the Balance of the Contract Price, the Surety is obligated, without duplication for:
 - 7.1 the responsibilities of the Contractor for correction of defective work and completion of the Construction Contract;
 - 7.2 additional legal, design professional, and delay costs resulting from the Contractor's Default, and resulting from the actions or failure to act of the Surety under Paragraph 5; and
 - 7.3 liquidated damages, or if no liquidated damages are specified in the Construction Contract, actual damages caused by delayed performance or non-performance of the Contractor.
8. If the Surety elects to act under Paragraph 5.1, 5.3, or 5.4, the Surety's liability is limited to the amount of this Bond.
9. The Surety shall not be liable to the Owner or others for obligations of the Contractor that are unrelated to the Construction Contract, and the Balance of the Contract Price shall not be reduced or set off on account of any such unrelated obligations. No right of action shall accrue on this Bond to any person or entity other than the Owner or its heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns.

10. The Surety hereby waives notice of any change, including changes of time, to the Construction Contract or to related subcontracts, purchase orders, and other obligations.
11. Any proceeding, legal or equitable, under this Bond may be instituted in any court of competent jurisdiction in the location in which the work or part of the work is located and shall be instituted within two years after a declaration of Contractor Default or within two years after the Contractor ceased working or within two years after the Surety refuses or fails to perform its obligations under this Bond, whichever occurs first. If the provisions of this paragraph are void or prohibited by law, the minimum periods of limitations available to sureties as a defense in the jurisdiction of the suit shall be applicable.
12. Notice to the Surety, the Owner, or the Contractor shall be mailed or delivered to the address shown on the page on which their signature appears.
13. When this Bond has been furnished to comply with a statutory or other legal requirement in the location where the construction was to be performed, any provision in this Bond conflicting with said statutory or legal requirement shall be deemed deleted herefrom and provisions conforming to such statutory or other legal requirement shall be deemed incorporated herein. When so furnished, the intent is that this Bond shall be construed as a statutory bond and not as a common law bond.
14. Definitions
 - 14.1 Balance of the Contract Price: The total amount payable by the Owner to the Contractor under the Construction Contract after all proper adjustments have been made including allowance for the Contractor for any amounts received or to be received by the Owner in settlement of insurance or other claims for damages to which the Contractor is entitled, reduced by all valid and proper payments made to or on behalf of the Contractor under the Construction Contract.
 - 14.2 Construction Contract: The agreement between the Owner and Contractor identified on the cover page, including all Contract Documents and changes made to the agreement and the Contract Documents.
 - 14.3 Contractor Default: Failure of the Contractor, which has not been remedied or waived, to perform or otherwise to comply with a material term of the Construction Contract.
 - 14.4 Owner Default: Failure of the Owner, which has not been remedied or waived, to pay the Contractor as required under the Construction Contract or to perform and complete or comply with the other material terms of the Construction Contract.
 - 14.5 Contract Documents: All the documents that comprise the agreement between the Owner and Contractor.
15. If this Bond is issued for an agreement between a contractor and subcontractor, the term Contractor in this Bond shall be deemed to be Subcontractor and the term Owner shall be deemed to be Contractor.
16. Modifications to this Bond are as follows:

PAYMENT BOND

CONTRACTOR *(name and address)*:

SURETY *(name and address of principal place of business)*:

OWNER *(name and address)*:

CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT

Effective Date of the Agreement:

Amount:

Description *(name and location)*:

BOND

Bond Number:

Date *(not earlier than the Effective Date of the Agreement of the Construction Contract)*:

Amount:

Modifications to this Bond Form: None See Paragraph 18

Surety and Contractor, intending to be legally bound hereby, subject to the terms set forth below, do each cause this Payment Bond to be duly executed by an authorized officer, agent, or representative.

CONTRACTOR AS PRINCIPAL

SURETY

Contractor's Name and Corporate Seal *(seal)*

Surety's Name and Corporate Seal *(seal)*

By: _____
Signature

By: _____
Signature *(attach power of attorney)*

Print Name

Print Name

Title

Title

Attest: _____
Signature

Attest: _____
Signature

Title

Title

Notes: (1) Provide supplemental execution by any additional parties, such as joint venturers. (2) Any singular reference to Contractor, Surety, Owner, or other party shall be considered plural where applicable.

1. The Contractor and Surety, jointly and severally, bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns to the Owner to pay for labor, materials, and equipment furnished for use in the performance of the Construction Contract, which is incorporated herein by reference, subject to the following terms.
2. If the Contractor promptly makes payment of all sums due to Claimants, and defends, indemnifies, and holds harmless the Owner from claims, demands, liens, or suits by any person or entity seeking payment for labor, materials, or equipment furnished for use in the performance of the Construction Contract, then the Surety and the Contractor shall have no obligation under this Bond.
3. If there is no Owner Default under the Construction Contract, the Surety's obligation to the Owner under this Bond shall arise after the Owner has promptly notified the Contractor and the Surety (at the address described in Paragraph 13) of claims, demands, liens, or suits against the Owner or the Owner's property by any person or entity seeking payment for labor, materials, or equipment furnished for use in the performance of the Construction Contract, and tendered defense of such claims, demands, liens, or suits to the Contractor and the Surety.
4. When the Owner has satisfied the conditions in Paragraph 3, the Surety shall promptly and at the Surety's expense defend, indemnify, and hold harmless the Owner against a duly tendered claim, demand, lien, or suit.
5. The Surety's obligations to a Claimant under this Bond shall arise after the following:
 - 5.1 Claimants who do not have a direct contract with the Contractor,
 - 5.1.1 have furnished a written notice of non-payment to the Contractor, stating with substantial accuracy the amount claimed and the name of the party to whom the materials were, or equipment was, furnished or supplied or for whom the labor was done or performed, within ninety (90) days after having last performed labor or last furnished materials or equipment included in the Claim; and
 - 5.1.2 have sent a Claim to the Surety (at the address described in Paragraph 13).
 - 5.2 Claimants who are employed by or have a direct contract with the Contractor have sent a Claim to the Surety (at the address described in Paragraph 13).
6. If a notice of non-payment required by Paragraph 5.1.1 is given by the Owner to the Contractor, that is sufficient to satisfy a Claimant's obligation to furnish a written notice of non-payment under Paragraph 5.1.1.
7. When a Claimant has satisfied the conditions of Paragraph 5.1 or 5.2, whichever is applicable, the Surety shall promptly and at the Surety's expense take the following actions:
 - 7.1 Send an answer to the Claimant, with a copy to the Owner, within sixty (60) days after receipt of the Claim, stating the amounts that are undisputed and the basis for challenging any amounts that are disputed; and
 - 7.2 Pay or arrange for payment of any undisputed amounts.
 - 7.3 The Surety's failure to discharge its obligations under Paragraph 7.1 or 7.2 shall not be deemed to constitute a waiver of defenses the Surety or Contractor may have or acquire as to a Claim, except as to undisputed amounts for which the Surety and Claimant have reached agreement. If, however, the Surety fails to discharge its obligations under Paragraph 7.1 or 7.2, the Surety shall indemnify the Claimant for the reasonable attorney's fees the Claimant incurs thereafter to recover any sums found to be due and owing to the Claimant.
8. The Surety's total obligation shall not exceed the amount of this Bond, plus the amount of reasonable attorney's fees provided under Paragraph 7.3, and the amount of this Bond shall be credited for any payments made in good faith by the Surety.
9. Amounts owed by the Owner to the Contractor under the Construction Contract shall be used for the performance of the Construction Contract and to satisfy claims, if any, under any construction performance bond. By the Contractor furnishing and the Owner accepting this Bond, they agree that all funds earned by the Contractor in the performance of the Construction Contract are dedicated to satisfy obligations of the Contractor and Surety under this Bond, subject to the Owner's priority to use the funds for the completion of the work.
10. The Surety shall not be liable to the Owner, Claimants, or others for obligations of the Contractor that are unrelated to the Construction Contract. The Owner shall not be liable for the payment of any costs or expenses of any Claimant under this Bond, and shall have under this Bond no obligation to make payments to or give notice on behalf of Claimants, or otherwise have any obligations to Claimants under this Bond.
11. The Surety hereby waives notice of any change, including changes of time, to the Construction Contract or to related subcontracts, purchase orders, and other obligations.
12. No suit or action shall be commenced by a Claimant under this Bond other than in a court of competent jurisdiction in the state in which the project that is the subject of the Construction Contract is located or after the expiration of one year from the date (1) on which the Claimant sent a Claim to the Surety pursuant to Paragraph 5.1.2 or 5.2, or (2) on which the last labor or service was performed by

anyone or the last materials or equipment were furnished by anyone under the Construction Contract, whichever of (1) or (2) first occurs. If the provisions of this paragraph are void or prohibited by law, the minimum period of limitation available to sureties as a defense in the jurisdiction of the suit shall be applicable.

13. Notice and Claims to the Surety, the Owner, or the Contractor shall be mailed or delivered to the address shown on the page on which their signature appears. Actual receipt of notice or Claims, however accomplished, shall be sufficient compliance as of the date received.
14. When this Bond has been furnished to comply with a statutory or other legal requirement in the location where the construction was to be performed, any provision in this Bond conflicting with said statutory or legal requirement shall be deemed deleted herefrom and provisions conforming to such statutory or other legal requirement shall be deemed incorporated herein. When so furnished, the intent is that this Bond shall be construed as a statutory bond and not as a common law bond.
15. Upon requests by any person or entity appearing to be a potential beneficiary of this Bond, the Contractor and Owner shall promptly furnish a copy of this Bond or shall permit a copy to be made.

16. Definitions

16.1 **Claim:** A written statement by the Claimant including at a minimum:

1. The name of the Claimant;
2. The name of the person for whom the labor was done, or materials or equipment furnished;
3. A copy of the agreement or purchase order pursuant to which labor, materials, or equipment was furnished for use in the performance of the Construction Contract;
4. A brief description of the labor, materials, or equipment furnished;
5. The date on which the Claimant last performed labor or last furnished materials or equipment for use in the performance of the Construction Contract;
6. The total amount earned by the Claimant for labor, materials, or equipment furnished as of the date of the Claim;
7. The total amount of previous payments received by the Claimant; and
8. The total amount due and unpaid to the Claimant for labor, materials, or equipment furnished as of the date of the Claim.

16.2 **Claimant:** An individual or entity having a direct contract with the Contractor or with a subcontractor of the Contractor to furnish labor, materials, or equipment for use in the performance of the Construction Contract. The term Claimant also includes any individual or entity that has rightfully asserted a claim under an applicable mechanic's lien or similar statute against the real property upon which the Project is located. The intent of this Bond shall be to include without limitation in the terms of "labor, materials, or equipment" that part of the water, gas, power, light, heat, oil, gasoline, telephone service, or rental equipment used in the Construction Contract, architectural and engineering services required for performance of the work of the Contractor and the Contractor's subcontractors, and all other items for which a mechanic's lien may be asserted in the jurisdiction where the labor, materials, or equipment were furnished.

16.3 **Construction Contract:** The agreement between the Owner and Contractor identified on the cover page, including all Contract Documents and all changes made to the agreement and the Contract Documents.

16.4 **Owner Default:** Failure of the Owner, which has not been remedied or waived, to pay the Contractor as required under the Construction Contract or to perform and complete or comply with the other material terms of the Construction Contract.

16.5 **Contract Documents:** All the documents that comprise the agreement between the Owner and Contractor.

17. If this Bond is issued for an agreement between a contractor and subcontractor, the term Contractor in this Bond shall be deemed to be Subcontractor and the term Owner shall be deemed to be Contractor.

18. Modifications to this Bond are as follows:

BID BOND

Any singular reference to Bidder, Surety, Owner or other party shall be considered plural where applicable.

BIDDER (Name and Address):

Meade, Inc.
625 Willowbrook Center Parkway
Willowbrook, IL 60527

SURETY (Name and Address of Principal Place of Business):

Continental Casualty Company
151 N. Franklin Street
Chicago, IL 60606

OWNER (Name and Address):

City of Geneva
22 South First Street
Geneva, IL 60134

BID

Bid Due Date: December 4, 2023

Description (Project Name and Include Location): Business Park III Substation 34.5kV Construction

BOND

Bond Number: Bid Bond

Date: 12/04/2023

Penal sum Ten Percent of Amount Bid 10% \$
(Words) (Figures)

Surety and Bidder, intending to be legally bound hereby, subject to the terms set forth below, do each cause this Bid Bond to be duly executed by an authorized officer, agent, or representative.

BIDDER

Meade, Inc. (Seal)

Bidder's Name and Corporate Seal

By: [Signature]
Signature

Michael K Kriutson

Print Name

Sr. Vice President

[Signature]
Signature Denise M Poremba

Group Secretary

Title



SURETY

Continental Casualty Company

Surety's Name and Corporate Seal

By: [Signature]
Signature (Attach Power of Attorney)

Susan K. Landreth

Print Name

Attorney-in-Fact

Title

Attest: [Signature]
Signature Kimberly Bragg

Witness

Title



Note: Above addresses are to be used for giving any required notice. Provide execution by any additional parties, such as joint venturers, if necessary.

1. Bidder and Surety, jointly and severally, bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns to pay to Owner upon default of Bidder the penal sum set forth on the face of this Bond. Payment of the penal sum is the extent of Bidder's and Surety's liability. Recovery of such penal sum under the terms of this Bond shall be Owner's sole and exclusive remedy upon default of Bidder.
2. Default of Bidder shall occur upon the failure of Bidder to deliver within the time required by the Bidding Documents (or any extension thereof agreed to in writing by Owner) the executed Agreement required by the Bidding Documents and any performance and payment bonds required by the Bidding Documents.
3. This obligation shall be null and void if:
 - 3.1 Owner accepts Bidder's Bid and Bidder delivers within the time required by the Bidding Documents (or any extension thereof agreed to in writing by Owner) the executed Agreement required by the Bidding Documents and any performance and payment bonds required by the Bidding Documents, or
 - 3.2 All Bids are rejected by Owner, or
 - 3.3 Owner fails to issue a Notice of Award to Bidder within the time specified in the Bidding Documents (or any extension thereof agreed to in writing by Bidder and, if applicable, consented to by Surety when required by Paragraph 5 hereof).
4. Payment under this Bond will be due and payable upon default of Bidder and within 30 calendar days after receipt by Bidder and Surety of written notice of default from Owner, which notice will be given with reasonable promptness, identifying this Bond and the Project and including a statement of the amount due.
5. Surety waives notice of any and all defenses based on or arising out of any time extension to issue Notice of Award agreed to in writing by Owner and Bidder, provided that the total time for issuing Notice of Award including extensions shall not in the aggregate exceed 120 days from the Bid due date without Surety's written consent.
6. No suit or action shall be commenced under this Bond prior to 30 calendar days after the notice of default required in Paragraph 4 above is received by Bidder and Surety and in no case later than one year after the Bid due date.
7. Any suit or action under this Bond shall be commenced only in a court of competent jurisdiction located in the state in which the Project is located.
8. Notices required hereunder shall be in writing and sent to Bidder and Surety at their respective addresses shown on the face of this Bond. Such notices may be sent by personal delivery, commercial courier, or by United States Registered or Certified Mail, return receipt requested, postage pre-paid, and shall be deemed to be effective upon receipt by the party concerned.
9. Surety shall cause to be attached to this Bond a current and effective Power of Attorney evidencing the authority of the officer, agent, or representative who executed this Bond on behalf of Surety to execute, seal, and deliver such Bond and bind the Surety thereby.
10. This Bond is intended to conform to all applicable statutory requirements. Any applicable requirement of any applicable statute that has been omitted from this Bond shall be deemed to be included herein as if set forth at length. If any provision of this Bond conflicts with any applicable statute, then the provision of said statute shall govern and the remainder of this Bond that is not in conflict therewith shall continue in full force and effect.
11. The term "Bid" as used herein includes a Bid, offer, or proposal as applicable.

POWER OF ATTORNEY APPOINTING INDIVIDUAL ATTORNEY-IN-FACT

Know All Men By These Presents, That Continental Casualty Company, an Illinois insurance company, National Fire Insurance Company of Hartford, an Illinois insurance company, and American Casualty Company of Reading, Pennsylvania, a Pennsylvania insurance company (herein called "the CNA Companies"), are duly organized and existing insurance companies having their principal offices in the City of Chicago, and State of Illinois, and that they do by virtue of the signatures and seals herein affixed hereby make, constitute and appoint

Susan K. Landreth , Individually

of Chicago, IL their true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact with full power and authority hereby conferred to sign, seal and execute for and on their behalf bonds, undertakings and other obligatory instruments of similar nature

- In Unlimited Amounts -

Surety Bond No.: Bid Bond
Principal: Meade, Inc.
Obligee: City of Geneva

and to bind them thereby as fully and to the same extent as if such instruments were signed by a duly authorized officer of their insurance companies and all the acts of said Attorney, pursuant to the authority hereby given is hereby ratified and confirmed.

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the By-Laws and Resolutions, printed on the reverse hereof, duly adopted, as indicated, by the Boards of Directors of the insurance companies.

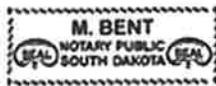
In Witness Whereof, the CNA Companies have caused these presents to be signed by their Vice President and their corporate seals to be hereto affixed on this 9th day of May, 2023.



Continental Casualty Company
National Fire Insurance Company of Hartford
American Casualty Company of Reading, Pennsylvania
Larry Kasten Vice President

State of South Dakota, County of Minnehaha, ss:

On this 9th day of May, 2023, before me personally came Larry Kasten to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that he resides in the City of Sioux Falls, State of South Dakota; that he is a Vice President of Continental Casualty Company, an Illinois insurance company, National Fire Insurance Company of Hartford, an Illinois insurance company, and American Casualty Company of Reading, Pennsylvania, a Pennsylvania insurance company described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seals of said insurance companies; that the seals affixed to the said instrument are such corporate seals; that they were so affixed pursuant to authority given by the Boards of Directors of said insurance companies and that he signed his name thereto pursuant to like authority, and acknowledges same to be the act and deed of said insurance companies.



My Commission Expires March 2, 2026

M. Bent Notary Public

CERTIFICATE

I, D. Johnson, Assistant Secretary of Continental Casualty Company, an Illinois insurance company, National Fire Insurance Company of Hartford, an Illinois insurance company, and American Casualty Company of Reading, Pennsylvania, a Pennsylvania insurance company do hereby certify that the Power of Attorney herein above set forth is still in force, and further certify that the By-Laws and Resolutions of the Board of Directors of the insurance companies printed on the reverse hereof is still in force. In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the said insurance companies this 4th day of December, 2023.



Continental Casualty Company
National Fire Insurance Company of Hartford
American Casualty Company of Reading, Pennsylvania
D. Johnson Assistant Secretary

This Power of Attorney is signed by Larry Krstina, Vice President of each of the CNA Companies (as defined in the Power of Attorney), who has been authorized pursuant to the below Bylaws and Resolutions to execute power of attorneys on behalf of each of the CNA Companies.

ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF CONTINENTAL CASUALTY COMPANY:

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following resolution duly adopted by the Board of Directors of the Company at a meeting held on May 17, 1995:

"RESOLVED: That any Senior or Group Vice President may authorize an officer to sign specific documents, agreements and instruments on behalf of the Company provided that the name of such authorized officer and a description of the documents, agreements or instruments that such officer may sign will be provided in writing by the Senior or Group Vice President to the Secretary of the Company prior to such execution becoming effective."

This Power of Attorney is signed and sealed by facsimile under and by the authority of the following Resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of the Company by unanimous written consent dated the 25th day of April, 2012:

"Whereas, the bylaws of the Company or specific resolution of the Board of Directors has authorized various officers (the "Authorized Officers") to execute various policies, bonds, undertakings and other obligatory instruments of like nature; and

Whereas, from time to time, the signature of the Authorized Officers, in addition to being provided in original, hard copy format, may be provided via facsimile or otherwise in an electronic format (collectively, "Electronic Signatures"); Now therefore be it resolved: that the Electronic Signature of any Authorized Officer shall be valid and binding on the Company."

This Power of Attorney may be signed by digital signature and sealed by a digital or otherwise electronic-formatted corporate seal under and by the authority of the following Resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of the Company by unanimous written consent dated the 27th day of April, 2022:

"RESOLVED: That it is in the best interest of the Company to periodically ratify and confirm any corporate documents signed by digital signatures and to ratify and confirm the use of a digital or otherwise electronic-formatted corporate seal, each to be considered the act and deed of the Company."

ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF NATIONAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HARTFORD:

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following resolution duly adopted by the Board of Directors of the Company by unanimous written consent dated May 10, 1995:

"RESOLVED: That any Senior or Group Vice President may authorize an officer to sign specific documents, agreements and instruments on behalf of the Company provided that the name of such authorized officer and a description of the documents, agreements or instruments that such officer may sign will be provided in writing by the Senior or Group Vice President to the Secretary of the Company prior to such execution becoming effective."

This Power of Attorney is signed and sealed by facsimile under and by the authority of the following Resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of the Company by unanimous written consent dated the 25th day of April, 2012:

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Whereas, from time to time, the signature of the Authorized Officers, in addition to being provided in original, hard copy format, may be provided via facsimile or otherwise in an electronic format (collectively, "Electronic Signatures"); Now therefore be it resolved: that the Electronic Signature of any Authorized Officer shall be valid and binding on the Company."

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ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF AMERICAN CASUALTY COMPANY OF READING, PENNSYLVANIA:

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following resolution duly adopted by the Board of Directors of the Company by unanimous written consent dated May 10, 1995:

"RESOLVED: That any Senior or Group Vice President may authorize an officer to sign specific documents, agreements and instruments on behalf of the Company provided that the name of such authorized officer and a description of the documents, agreements or instruments that such officer may sign will be provided in writing by the Senior or Group Vice President to the Secretary of the Company prior to such execution becoming effective."

This Power of Attorney is signed and sealed by facsimile under and by the authority of the following Resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of the Company by unanimous written consent dated the 25th day of April, 2012:

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PROJECT AND CONTRACT IDENTIFICATION

THIS BID pertains to Business Park III Substation 34.5kV General Construction for the City of Geneva, Illinois (Owner).

ARTICLE 1 - SUBMITTAL OF BID; BID RECIPIENT; BID SECURITY

- 1.01 Submit Bids on or before 10:00 a.m., local time, December 4, 2023. Bids received after this date and time, or not submitted at the correct location or in the designated manner, will not be accepted and will be returned to the Bidder unopened.
- 1.02 This Bid is submitted to: CITY ADMINISTRATOR
CITY OF GENEVA, ILLINOIS
22 SOUTH FIRST STREET
GENEVA, ILLINOIS 60134
- 1.03 Prepare three original unbound copies of Bid on Bid Form provided in Project Manual. A Bid shall be enclosed in a plainly marked package with the Project title (and, if applicable, the designated portion of the Project for which the Bid is submitted), the name and address of Bidder, and shall be accompanied by the Bid security made payable to Owner in an amount of 10% of Bidder's maximum Bid price (determined by adding the base bid and all alternates) and in the form of a certified check, bank money order, or a Bid bond (on the form included in the Bidding Documents) issued by a surety meeting the requirements of Paragraphs 6.01 and 6.02 of the General Conditions, and other required documents.
- 1.04 If a Bid is sent by mail or other delivery system, the sealed envelope containing the Bid shall be enclosed in a separate package plainly marked on the outside with the notation "BID ENCLOSED."
- 1.05 Oral, telephonic, telegraphic, facsimile or other electronically transmitted Bids will not be considered.
- 1.06 The undersigned Bidder proposes and agrees, if this Bid is accepted, to enter into a Contract with Owner in the form included in the Bidding Documents to perform all Work as specified or indicated in the Bidding Documents for the prices and within the times indicated in this Bid and in accordance with the other terms and conditions of the Bidding Documents.

ARTICLE 2 - OPENING OF BIDS

- 2.01 Bids will be opened at the time and place indicated and, unless obviously nonresponsive, read aloud publicly. An abstract of the amounts of the base Bids and major alternates, if any, will be made available to Bidders after the opening of Bids.

ARTICLE 3 - BIDS TO REMAIN SUBJECT TO ACCEPTANCE

- 3.01 This Bid will remain subject to acceptance for 90 days after the Bid opening, or for such longer period of time that Bidder may agree to in writing upon request of Owner.
- 3.02 The Bid security of the apparent Successful Bidder will be retained until Owner awards the contract to such Bidder, and such Bidder has executed the Contract Documents, furnished the required contract security, and met the other conditions of the Notice of Award, whereupon the Bid security will be released. If the Successful Bidder fails to execute and deliver the Contract Documents and furnish the required contract security within 15 days after the Notice of Award, Owner may consider Bidder to be in default, annul the Notice of Award, and the Bid security of that Bidder will be forfeited. Such forfeiture shall be Owner's exclusive remedy if Bidder defaults.
- 3.03 The Bid security of other Bidders whom Owner believes to have a reasonable chance of receiving the award may be retained by Owner until the earlier of 7 days after the Effective Date of the Contract or 46 days after the Bid opening.

- 3.04 Bid security of other Bidders whom Owner believes do not have a reasonable chance of receiving the award will be returned within 7 days after the Bid opening.

ARTICLE 4 - BIDDER'S REPRESENTATIONS

- 4.01 In submitting this Bid, Bidder represents that:

- A. Bidder has examined and carefully studied the Bidding Documents, and any data and reference items identified in the Bidding Documents, and hereby acknowledges receipt of the following Addenda:

Addendum No.	Addendum Date
1	11/17/23
2	11/21/23

- B. Bidder has visited the Site, conducted a thorough, alert visual examination of the Site and adjacent areas, and become familiar with and satisfy itself as to the general, local, and Site conditions that may affect cost, progress, and performance of the Work
- C. Bidder is familiar with and is satisfied as to all Laws and Regulations that may affect cost, progress and performance of the Work.
- D. Bidder has carefully studied all: (1) reports of explorations and tests of subsurface conditions at or adjacent to the Site and all drawings of physical conditions relating to existing surface or subsurface structures at the Site that have been identified in the Contract, especially with respect to Technical Data in such reports and drawings, and (2) reports and drawings relating to Hazardous Environmental Conditions, if any, at or adjacent to the Site that have been identified in the Contract, especially with respect to Technical Data in such reports and drawings.
- E. Bidder has considered the information known to Bidder itself; information commonly known to contractors doing business in the locality of the Site; information and observations obtained from visits to the Site; the Bidding Documents; and any Site-related reports and drawings identified in the Bidding Documents, with respect to the effect of such information, observations, and documents on (1) the cost, progress, and performance of the Work; (2) the means, methods, techniques, sequences, and procedures of construction to be employed by Bidder; and (3) Bidder's safety precautions and programs.
- F. Bidder agrees, based on the information and observations referred to in the preceding paragraph, that no further examinations, investigations, explorations, tests, studies, or data are necessary for the determination of this Bid for performance of the Work at the price bid and within the times required, and in accordance with the other terms and conditions of the Bidding Documents.
- G. Bidder is aware of the general nature of work to be performed by Owner and others at the Site that relates to the Work as indicated in the Bidding Documents.
- H. Bidder has given Engineer written notice of all conflicts, errors, ambiguities, or discrepancies that Bidder has discovered in the Bidding Documents, and confirms that the written resolution thereof by Engineer is acceptable to Bidder.
- I. Bidding Documents are generally sufficient to indicate and convey understanding of all terms and conditions for the performance and furnishing of the Work.
- J. Submission of this Bid constitutes an incontrovertible representation by Bidder that Bidder has complied with every requirement of this Article, and that without exception the Bid and all prices in the Bid are premised upon performing and furnishing the Work required by the Bidding Documents.

ARTICLE 5 - BIDDER'S CERTIFICATION

5.01 Bidder certifies that:

- A. This Bid is genuine and not made in the interest of or on behalf of any undisclosed individual or entity and is not submitted in conformity with any Contract or rules of any group, association, organization or corporation;
- B. Bidder has not directly or indirectly induced or solicited any other Bidder to submit a false or sham Bid;
- C. Bidder has not solicited or induced any individual or entity to refrain from bidding; and
- D. Bidder has not engaged in corrupt, fraudulent, collusive, or coercive practices in competing for the Contract. For the purposes of this Paragraph 5.01.D:
 - 1. "corrupt practice" means the offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting of anything of value likely to influence the action of a public official in the bidding process;
 - 2. "fraudulent practice" means an intentional misrepresentation of facts made (a) to influence the bidding process to the detriment of Owner, (b) to establish bid prices at artificial non-competitive levels, or (c) to deprive Owner of the benefits of free and open competition;
 - 3. "collusive practice" means a scheme or arrangement between two or more Bidders, with or without the knowledge of Owner, a purpose of which is to establish bid prices at artificial, noncompetitive levels; and
 - 4. "coercive practice" means harming or threatening to harm, directly or indirectly, persons or their property to influence their participation in the bidding process or affect the execution of the Contract.

ARTICLE 6 - PREPARATION OF BID

- 6.01 All blanks shall be completed in ink and the Bid signed in ink. Erasures or alterations shall be initialed in ink by the person signing the Bid. A Bid price shall be indicated for each section, Bid item, alternate, unit adjustment price item, and unit price item listed.
- 6.02 If the Form expressly indicates that submitting pricing on a specific alternate item is optional, and Bidder elects to not furnish pricing for such optional alternate item, then Bidder may enter the words "No Bid" or "Not Applicable."

ARTICLE 7 - BASIS OF BID

7.01 Bidder will complete the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents for the following price(s):

A. Lump Sum Bid Price:

_____ (words)
 _____ (\$ _____).
 (figures)

B. Unit Adjustment Prices: Required Base Bid quantities of the items listed below are set forth in the Contract Documents. If increases or decreases in these quantities occur, the Contract Price is to be adjusted by Change Order on the basis of the following. Adjustment prices are subject to acceptance by Owner, and rejection of one or more adjustment prices will not invalidate acceptance of this Bid.

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A. Lump Sum Bid Price:

Three Hundred Eight Five Thousand Fifty Two Dollars and Zero Cents

(words)

(\$ 385,052.00)
(figures)

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Item No.	Item	Unit	Unit Adjustment Price
1.	Concrete	cubic yard	\$ 250.00
2.	Cut	cubic yard	\$ 50.00
3.	Fill	cubic yard	\$ 125.00
4.	Site services of Service Engineer	per day	\$ 2500.00
5.	Transportation, travel time, and out-of-pocket expenses for travel of Service Engineer to Site	Per round trip	\$ 100.00

1. Owner reserves right to change quantities to be furnished. Unit prices bid control, regardless of actual quantities required. Owner and Contractor may renegotiate the unit price for such items furnished under the Contract.
2. Contractor's compensation will be computed on basis of final quantities incorporated in completed Work.
3. Each Bid shall cover complete Work including costs incidental thereto. Bid shall include all costs of permits, fees, and similar expenses.

ARTICLE 8 - TIME OF COMPLETION

- 8.01 Bidder agrees that the Work will be substantially complete and will be completed and ready for final payment in accordance with the Contract on or before the dates or within the number of calendar days indicated in the Contract.
- 8.02 Bidder accepts the provisions of the Contract as to liquidated damages in the event of failure to complete the Work within the Contract Times.

ARTICLE 9 - EXCEPTIONS AND CLARIFICATIONS

- 9.01 Attach a separate sealed envelope labeled "Exceptions and Clarifications" to outside of sealed Bid, containing listing on Bidder's letterhead of all exceptions and clarifications to Contract Documents, referencing page number and paragraph of Contract Documents involved. If there are no exceptions or clarifications, include statement to such effect in Bid envelope. Excessive exceptions or clarifications may render Bid unresponsive. Bidder agrees to all provisions contained in Contract Documents unless specifically listed as an exception or clarification. If Bidder submits drawings, printed forms, standard statements, or other revisions which conflict with Contract Documents, the Contract Documents will prevail.

ARTICLE 10 - ATTACHMENTS TO THIS BID

- 10.01 The following documents are attached to and made a condition of this Bid:
 - A. Statement of no Exceptions and Clarifications, if appropriate;
 - B. Exceptions and Clarifications to Contract Documents, if appropriate;
 - C. Required Bid security;
 - D. List of proposed Subcontractors;
 - E. List of proposed Suppliers;
 - F. Evidence of authority to do business in the state of the Project;
 - G. Affidavit of Non-Collusion

- H. Attachment A - Certification of Compliance.
- I. Submittal schedule and complete equipment delivery schedule.
- J. Special equipment, tools, and accessories.
- K. Welding qualification program, if unable to comply with specified requirements.
- L. List of proposed equipment.
- M. Information as defined in ANSI C37.21.
- N. List of items requiring field assembly.
- O. Recommended spare parts list with pricing.
- P. Recommended long term and short-term storage requirements, and procedures.
- Q. Geographical location of manufacturing facilities.
- R. Copy of warranty.

ARTICLE 11 - DEFINED TERMS

- 11.01 Terms used in this Bid have the meanings indicated in the Contract. Additional terms used in this Bid have the meanings indicated below:
- A. Issuing Office – The office from which the Bidding Documents are to be issued and where the bidding procedures are to be administered.

ARTICLE 12 - COPIES OF BIDDING DOCUMENTS

- 12.01 Complete sets of the Bidding Documents may be obtained from the Issuing Office in the number and format stated in the Advertisement for Bids.
- 12.02 Complete sets of Bidding Documents shall be used in preparing Bids; neither Owner nor Engineer assumes any responsibility for errors or misinterpretations resulting from the use of incomplete sets of Bidding Documents.
- 12.03 Owner and Engineer, in making copies of Bidding Documents available on the above terms, do so only for the purpose of obtaining Bids for the Work and do not authorize or confer a license for any other use.

ARTICLE 13 - QUALIFICATIONS OF BIDDERS

- 13.01 To demonstrate Bidder's qualifications to perform the Work, after submitting its Bid and within five days of Owner's request, Bidder shall submit (a) written evidence establishing its qualifications such as financial data, previous experience, and present commitments, and (b) the following additional information:
- A. Evidence of Bidder's authority to do business in the state where the Project is located.

- B. Subcontractor and Supplier qualification information; coordinate with provisions of Article Subcontractors, Suppliers, and Others.
 - C. Other required information regarding qualifications.
- 13.02 Bidder's failure to submit required qualification information within the times indicated may disqualify Bidder from receiving an award of the Contract.
- 13.03 No requirement in this Article to submit information will prejudice the right of Owner to seek additional pertinent information regarding Bidder's qualifications.
- 13.04 Bidder is advised to carefully review those portions of the Bid Form requiring Bidder's representations and certifications.

ARTICLE 14 - SITE AND OTHER AREAS; EXISTING SITE CONDITIONS; EXAMINATION OF SITE; OWNER'S SAFETY PROGRAM; OTHER WORK AT THE SITE

- 14.01 The Site is identified in the Bidding Documents. By definition, the Site includes rights-of-way, easements, and other lands furnished by Owner for the use of the Contractor. Any additional lands required for temporary construction facilities, construction equipment, or storage of materials and equipment, and any access needed for such additional lands, are to be obtained and paid for by Contractor.
- A. Existing site conditions:
 - 1. Subsurface and Physical Conditions; Hazardous Environmental Conditions:
 - a. The Supplementary Conditions identify:
 - 1) those reports known to Owner of explorations and tests of subsurface conditions at or adjacent to the Site.
 - 2) those drawings known to Owner of physical conditions relating to existing surface or subsurface structures at the Site (except Underground Facilities).
 - 3) reports and drawings known to Owner relating to Hazardous Environmental Conditions that have been identified at or adjacent to the Site.
 - 4) Technical Data contained in such reports and drawings.
 - b. Owner will make copies of reports and drawings referenced above available to any Bidder on request. These reports and drawings are not part of the Contract Documents, but the Technical Data contained therein upon whose accuracy Bidder is entitled to rely, as provided in the General Conditions, has been identified and established in the Supplementary Conditions. Bidder is responsible for any interpretation or conclusion Bidder draws from any Technical Data or any other data, interpretations, opinions, or information contained in such reports or shown or indicated in such drawings.
 - c. If the Supplementary Conditions do not identify Technical Data, the default definition of Technical Data set forth in Article 1 of the General Conditions will apply.
 - 2. Underground Facilities: Information and data shown or indicated in the Bidding Documents with respect to existing Underground Facilities at or contiguous to the Site are set forth in the Contract Documents and are based upon information and data furnished to Owner and Engineer by owners of such Underground Facilities, including Owner, or others.
 - 3. Adequacy of Data: Provisions concerning responsibilities for the adequacy of data furnished to prospective Bidders with respect to subsurface conditions, other physical conditions, and Underground Facilities, and possible changes in the Bidding Documents due to differing or unanticipated subsurface or physical conditions appear in Paragraphs 5.03, 5.04, and 5.05 of the General Conditions. Provisions concerning responsibilities for the adequacy of data furnished to prospective Bidders with respect to a Hazardous Environmental Condition at the Site, if any, and possible changes in the Contract Documents due to any Hazardous Environmental Condition uncovered or revealed at the Site which was not shown or indicated in the Drawings or

Specifications or identified in the Contract Documents to be within the scope of the Work, appear in Paragraph 5.06 of the General Conditions.

- B. Site visit and testing by bidders:
1. Bidder shall conduct the required Site visit during normal working hours, and shall not disturb any ongoing operations at the Site.
 2. Bidder is not required to conduct any subsurface testing, or exhaustive investigations of Site conditions.
 3. On request, and to the extent Owner has control over the Site, and schedule permitting, the Owner will provide Bidder access to the Site to conduct such additional examinations, investigations, explorations, tests, and studies as Bidder deems necessary for preparing and submitting a successful Bid. Owner will not have any obligation to grant such access if doing so is not practical because of existing operations, security or safety concerns, or restraints on Owner's authority regarding the Site.
 4. Bidder shall comply with all applicable Laws and Regulations regarding excavation and location of utilities, obtain all permits, and comply with all terms and conditions established by Owner or by property owners or other entities controlling the Site with respect to schedule, access, existing operations, security, liability insurance, and applicable safety programs.
 5. Bidder shall fill all holes and clean up and restore the Site to its former condition upon completion of such explorations, investigations, tests, and studies.
- C. Owner's safety program: Site visits and work at the Site may be governed by an Owner safety program. As the General Conditions indicate, if an Owner safety program exists, it will be noted in the Supplementary Conditions.
- D. Other work at the Site: Reference is made to Article 8 of the Supplementary Conditions for the identification of the general nature of other work of which Owner is aware (if any) that is to be performed at the Site by Owner or others (such as utilities and other prime contractors) and relates to the Work contemplated by these Bidding Documents. If Owner is party to a written contract for such other work, then on request, Owner will provide to each Bidder access to examine such contracts (other than portions thereof related to price and other confidential matters), if any.

ARTICLE 15 - PRE-BID CONFERENCE

- 15.01 A prebid conference will be held at the time and location stated in the Advertisement for Bids.
- 15.02 Engineer will transmit to all prospective Bidders of record such Addenda as Engineer considers necessary in response to questions arising at the conference. Oral statements may not be relied upon and will not be binding or legally effective.

ARTICLE 16 - INTERPRETATIONS AND ADDENDA

- 16.01 All questions about the meaning or intent of the Bidding Documents are to be submitted to Engineer in writing.

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Stanley Building
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Schulzphil@stanleygroup.com

- 16.02 Interpretations or clarifications considered necessary by Engineer in response to such questions will be issued by Addenda delivered to all parties recorded by Engineer as having received the Bidding Documents.

Questions received less than 10 days prior to the date for opening of Bids may not be answered. Only questions answered by Addenda will be binding. Oral and other interpretations or clarifications will be without legal effect.

- 16.03 Addenda may be issued to clarify, correct, or change the Bidding Documents as deemed advisable by Owner or Engineer.

ARTICLE 17 - SUBSTITUTE AND "OR-EQUAL" ITEMS

- 17.01 The Contract for the Work, as awarded, will be on the basis of materials and equipment specified or described in the Bidding Documents without consideration during the bidding and Contract award process of possible substitute or "or-equal" items. In cases in which the Contract allows the Contractor to request that Engineer authorize the use of a substitute or "or-equal" item of material or equipment, application for such acceptance may not be made to and will not be considered by Engineer until after the Effective Date of the Contract.
- 17.02 All prices that Bidder sets forth in its Bid shall be based on the presumption that the Contractor will furnish the materials and equipment specified or described in the Bidding Documents, as supplemented by Addenda. Any assumptions regarding the possibility of post-Bid approvals of "or-equal" or substitution requests are made at Bidder's sole risk.

ARTICLE 18 - SUBCONTRACTORS, SUPPLIERS AND OTHERS

- 18.01 A Bidder shall be prepared to retain specific Subcontractors, Suppliers, or other individuals or entities for the performance of the Work if required by the Bidding Documents (most commonly in the Specifications) to do so. If a prospective Bidder objects to retaining any such Subcontractor, Supplier, or other individual or entity, and the concern is not relieved by an Addendum, then the prospective Bidder should refrain from submitting a Bid.
- 18.02 Subsequent to the submittal of the Bid, Owner may not require the Successful Bidder or Contractor to retain any Subcontractor, Supplier, or other individual or entity against which Contractor has reasonable objection.
- 18.03 The apparent Successful Bidder, and any other Bidder so requested, shall within 5 days after Bid opening, submit to Owner a list of the Subcontractors or Suppliers proposed for the following portions of the Work:
- 18.04 If requested by Owner, such list shall be accompanied by an experience statement with pertinent information regarding similar projects and other evidence of qualification for each such Subcontractor, Supplier, or other individual or entity. If Owner or Engineer, after due investigation, has reasonable objection to any proposed Subcontractor, Supplier, individual, or entity, Owner may, before the Notice of Award is given, request apparent Successful Bidder to submit an acceptable substitute, in which case apparent Successful Bidder shall submit a substitute, Bidder's Bid price will be increased (or decreased) by the difference in cost occasioned by such substitution, and Owner may consider such price adjustment in evaluating Bids and making the Contract award.
- 18.05 If apparent Successful Bidder declines to make any such substitution, Owner may award the Contract to the next lowest Bidder that proposes to use acceptable Subcontractors, Suppliers, or other individuals or entities. Declining to make requested substitutions will constitute grounds for forfeiture of the Bid security of any Bidder. Any Subcontractor, Supplier, individual, or entity so listed and against which Owner or Engineer makes no written objection prior to the giving of the Notice of Award will be deemed acceptable to Owner and Engineer subject to subsequent revocation of such acceptance as provided in Paragraph 7.06 of the General Conditions.

ARTICLE 19 - EVALUATION OF BIDS AND AWARD OF CONTRACT

- 19.01 Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, including without limitation, nonconforming, nonresponsive, unbalanced, or conditional Bids. Owner will reject the Bid of any Bidder that Owner finds, after reasonable inquiry and evaluation, to not be responsible. If Bidder purports to add terms or conditions to its Bid, takes exception to any provision of the Bidding Documents, or attempts to alter the contents of the Contract

Documents for purposes of the Bid, then the Owner will reject the Bid as nonresponsive; provided that Owner also reserves the right to waive all minor informalities not involving price, time, or changes in the Work.

19.02 Evaluation of Bids:

A. In evaluating Bids, Owner will consider whether or not the Bids comply with the prescribed requirements, and such alternates, unit prices, and other data, as may be requested in the Bid Form or prior to the Notice of Award.

19.03 In evaluating whether a Bidder is responsible, Owner will consider the qualifications of the Bidder and may consider the qualifications and experience of Subcontractors and suppliers proposed for those portions of the Work for which the identity of Subcontractors and suppliers must be submitted as provided in the Bidding Documents.

19.04 Owner may conduct such investigations as Owner deems necessary to establish the responsibility, qualifications, and financial ability of Bidders and any proposed Subcontractors or suppliers.

ARTICLE 20 - SIGNING OF CONTRACT

20.01 When Owner issues a Notice of Award to the Successful Bidder, it shall be accompanied by the unexecuted counterparts of the Agreement along with the other Contract Documents as identified in the Agreement.

20.02 Within 15 days thereafter, Successful Bidder shall execute and deliver the required number of counterparts of the Agreement (and any bonds and insurance documentation required to be delivered by the Contract Documents) to Owner.

20.03 Within 10 days thereafter, Owner shall deliver one fully executed counterpart of the Agreement to Successful Bidder, together with printed and electronic copies of the Contract Documents as stated in Paragraph 2.02 of the General Conditions.

ARTICLE 21 - SALES AND USE TAXES

21.01 Owner is exempt from Illinois state sales and use taxes on materials and equipment to be incorporated in the Work. An exemption certification will be furnished upon request. Said taxes shall not be included in the Bid. Refer to paragraph SC-7.09 of the Supplementary Conditions for additional information.

ARTICLE 22 - PREPARATION OF BID

22.01 Bid by a corporation shall be executed in the corporate name by a corporate officer (whose title must appear under the signature), accompanied by evidence of authority to sign. The corporate address and state of incorporation shall be shown.

22.02 Bid by a limited liability company shall be executed in the name of the firm by a member or other authorized person and accompanied by evidence of authority to sign. The state of formation of the firm and the official address of the firm shall be shown.

22.03 Bid by an individual shall show the Bidder's name and official address.

22.04 Bid by a joint venture shall be executed by an authorized representative of each joint venturer in the manner indicated on the Bid Form. The official address of the joint venture shall be shown.

22.05 All names shall be printed in ink below the signatures.

22.06 Bid shall contain an acknowledgment of receipt of all Addenda, the numbers of which shall be filled in on the Bid Form.

22.07 Postal and e-mail addresses and telephone number for communications regarding the Bid shall be shown.

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22.08 Bid shall contain evidence of Bidder's authority and qualification to do business in the state where the Project is located, or Bidder shall covenant in writing to obtain such authority and qualification prior to award of the Contract and attach such covenant to the Bid.

Bidder: *(Indicate correct name of bidding entity)*

Meade Inc.

By:



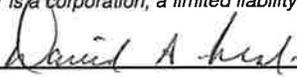
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Michael K Knutson Sr. Vice President

(Printed Name)

(If Bidder is a corporation, a limited liability company, a partnership, or a joint venture, attach evidence of authority to sign.)

Attest:



(Signature)

David A Leali

(Printed Name)

Title: Asst. Corporate Secretary

Submittal Date: 12/4/23

Address for giving notices:

625 Willowbrook Center Parkway

Willowbrook, IL 60527

Telephone No. 708-588-2500

Facsimile No. 708-588-2501

Contact Name and email address: Scott Myers sm@meade100.com



END OF DOCUMENT

ATTACHMENT A

CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE

The undersigned hereby certifies as follows:

1. That he has the authority and consent to make this certification on behalf of the bidder,

Meade Inc.

(Name of Company)
2. That he has knowledge of the City of Geneva Codes pertaining to the disqualification of certain bidders.
3. That he knows that the bidder listed above is not disqualified from bidding under the aforementioned sections.
4. That he has knowledge of the City of Geneva ordinances relating to Fair Employment Practices and knows and understands the contents thereof; he certifies hereby that it is the policy of the bidder to recruit, hire, train, upgrade, promote, and discipline its employees without regard to race, creed, color, religion, age, sex, or physical or mental impairment.
5. That said bidder is not barred from bidding on the aforementioned contract as a result of a violation of Sections 33E-3 or 33E-4 of Chapter 38 of the Illinois Revised Statutes, 1989.
6. That pursuant to Chapter 24, Section 11-42.1-1 of the Illinois Revised Statutes, the bidder is not delinquent in the payment of any taxes administered by the Department of Revenue.
7. That the contractor (either as an individual or company) agrees to provide a drug free workplace as provided for by the Public Act 86-1459.
8. That all work under this contract shall comply with the Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSHA) of 1975, and all other Federal, State, or Local statutes, rules, or regulations including all City of Geneva Safety Procedures affecting the work done under the contract.
9. That all work done in Kane County, Illinois under this contract shall comply with the Prevailing Wage Rate Act of the State of Illinois, County of Kane, Illinois Revised Statutes, 1987, Chapter 48, par 39s-1, et. seq. and as amended by Public Acts 86-799 and 86-693, in effect at the time work is performed.

ATTACHMENT A (continued)

By submission of this bid, I certify that the bid has been arrived at independently and has been submitted without collusion between or among any vendor of materials, supplies, equipment, or services.

Meade Inc.

 Name of Corporation, Partnership, or Proprietor

625 Willowbrook Center Parkway

 Address

Willowbrook Illinois 60527

 City State Zip

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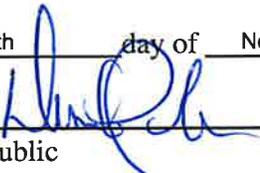
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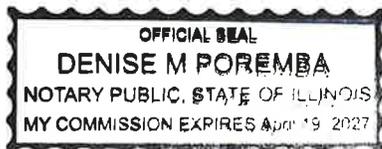
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me

this 29th day of November, 2023.



 Notary Public

My commission expires: 4/19/27



Contract 23-06 Business Park III 34.5kV Substation Construction

Bid Review Questions for Meade

Question	Meade Response
<p>1. Exception states "Any delays caused by others will be billed on a T&M basis, including delay in material procurement by the owner." This is not acceptable as any changes need to be executed by a change order per the contract documents (see Article 11 in the EJCDC C-700 Standard General Conditions of the Construction Contract for details). Please verify that this is acceptable.</p>	<p>Any delays caused by others, including Owner furnished materials procurement or delivery, will result in a change order claim per the contract documents, Article 11 in the EJCDC C-700 Standard General Conditions of the Construction Contract</p>

This document has important legal consequences; consultation with an attorney is encouraged with respect to its use or modification. This document should be adapted to the particular circumstances of the contemplated Project and the controlling Laws and Regulations.

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ARTICLE 1 – DEFINITIONS AND TERMINOLOGY

1.01 *Defined Terms*

- A. Wherever used in the Bidding Requirements or Contract Documents, a term printed with initial capital letters, including the term's singular and plural forms, will have the meaning indicated in the definitions below. In addition to terms specifically defined, terms with initial capital letters in the Contract Documents include references to identified articles and paragraphs, and the titles of other documents or forms.
1. *Addenda*—Written or graphic instruments issued prior to the opening of Bids which clarify, correct, or change the Bidding Requirements or the proposed Contract Documents.
 2. *Agreement*—The written instrument, executed by Owner and Contractor, that sets forth the Contract Price and Contract Times, identifies the parties and the Engineer, and designates the specific items that are Contract Documents.
 3. *Application for Payment*—The form acceptable to Engineer which is to be used by Contractor during the course of the Work in requesting progress or final payments and which is to be accompanied by such supporting documentation as is required by the Contract Documents.
 4. *Bid*—The offer of a Bidder submitted on the prescribed form setting forth the prices for the Work to be performed.
 5. *Bidder*—An individual or entity that submits a Bid to Owner.
 6. *Bidding Documents*—The Bidding Requirements, the proposed Contract Documents, and all Addenda.
 7. *Bidding Requirements*—The advertisement or invitation to bid, Instructions to Bidders, Bid Bond or other Bid security, if any, the Bid Form, and the Bid with any attachments.
 8. *Change Order*—A document which is signed by Contractor and Owner and authorizes an addition, deletion, or revision in the Work or an adjustment in the Contract Price or the Contract Times, or other revision to the Contract, issued on or after the Effective Date of the Contract.
 9. *Change Proposal*—A written request by Contractor, duly submitted in compliance with the procedural requirements set forth herein, seeking an adjustment in Contract Price or Contract Times, or both; contesting an initial decision by Engineer concerning the requirements of the Contract Documents or the acceptability of Work under the Contract Documents; challenging a set-off against payments due; or seeking other relief with respect to the terms of the Contract.
 10. *Claim*—(a) A demand or assertion by Owner directly to Contractor, duly submitted in compliance with the procedural requirements set forth herein: seeking an adjustment of Contract Price or Contract Times, or both; contesting an initial decision by Engineer concerning the requirements of the Contract Documents or the acceptability of Work under the Contract Documents; contesting Engineer's decision regarding a Change Proposal; seeking resolution of a contractual issue that Engineer has declined to address; or seeking other relief with respect to the terms of the Contract; or (b) a demand or assertion by Contractor directly to Owner, duly submitted in compliance with the procedural requirements set forth herein, contesting Engineer's decision regarding a Change Proposal; or seeking resolution of a contractual issue that Engineer has declined to address. A demand for money or services by a third party is not a Claim.
 11. *Constituent of Concern*—Asbestos, petroleum, radioactive materials, polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs), hazardous waste, and any substance, product, waste, or other material of any nature whatsoever that is or becomes listed, regulated, or addressed pursuant to (a) the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act, 42 U.S.C. §§9601 et seq. ("CERCLA"); (b) the Hazardous Materials Transportation Act, 49 U.S.C. §§5501 et seq.; (c) the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, 42 U.S.C. §§6901 et seq. ("RCRA"); (d) the Toxic Substances Control Act, 15 U.S.C. §§2601 et seq.; (e) the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C. §§1251 et seq.; (f) the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. §§7401 et seq.; or (g) any other federal, state, or local statute, law, rule, regulation, ordinance, resolution, code, order, or decree regulating, relating to, or imposing liability or standards of conduct concerning, any hazardous, toxic, or dangerous waste, substance, or material.
 12. *Contract*—The entire and integrated written contract between the Owner and Contractor concerning the Work.
 13. *Contract Documents*—Those items so designated in the Agreement, and which together comprise the Contract.
 14. *Contract Price*—The money that Owner has agreed to pay Contractor for completion of the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents. .
 15. *Contract Times*—The number of days or the dates by which Contractor shall: (a) achieve Milestones, if any; (b) achieve Substantial Completion; and (c) complete the Work.
 16. *Contractor*—The individual or entity with which Owner has contracted for performance of the Work.
 17. *Cost of the Work*—See Paragraph 13.01 for definition.
 18. *Drawings*—The part of the Contract that graphically shows the scope, extent, and character of the Work to be performed by Contractor.
 19. *Effective Date of the Contract*—The date, indicated in the Agreement, on which the Contract becomes effective.

20. *Engineer*—The individual or entity named as such in the Agreement.
21. *Field Order*—A written order issued by Engineer which requires minor changes in the Work but does not change the Contract Price or the Contract Times.
22. *Hazardous Environmental Condition*—The presence at the Site of Constituents of Concern in such quantities or circumstances that may present a danger to persons or property exposed thereto. The presence at the Site of materials that are necessary for the execution of the Work, or that are to be incorporated in the Work, and that are controlled and contained pursuant to industry practices, Laws and Regulations, and the requirements of the Contract, does not establish a Hazardous Environmental Condition.
23. *Laws and Regulations; Laws or Regulations*—Any and all applicable laws, statutes, rules, regulations, ordinances, codes, and orders of any and all governmental bodies, agencies, authorities, and courts having jurisdiction.
24. *Liens*—Charges, security interests, or encumbrances upon Contract-related funds, real property, or personal property.
25. *Milestone*—A principal event in the performance of the Work that the Contract requires Contractor to achieve by an intermediate completion date or by a time prior to Substantial Completion of all the Work.
26. *Notice of Award*—The written notice by Owner to a Bidder of Owner’s acceptance of the Bid.
27. *Notice to Proceed*—A written notice by Owner to Contractor fixing the date on which the Contract Times will commence to run and on which Contractor shall start to perform the Work.
28. *Owner*—The individual or entity with which Contractor has contracted regarding the Work, and which has agreed to pay Contractor for the performance of the Work, pursuant to the terms of the Contract.
29. *Progress Schedule*—A schedule, prepared and maintained by Contractor, describing the sequence and duration of the activities comprising the Contractor’s plan to accomplish the Work within the Contract Times.
30. *Project*—The total undertaking to be accomplished for Owner by engineers, contractors, and others, including planning, study, design, construction, testing, commissioning, and start-up, and of which the Work to be performed under the Contract Documents is a part.
31. *Project Manual*—The written documents prepared for, or made available for, procuring and constructing the Work, including but not limited to the Bidding Documents or other construction procurement documents, geotechnical and existing conditions information, the Agreement, bond forms, General Conditions, Supplementary Conditions, and Specifications. The contents of the Project Manual may be bound in one or more volumes.
32. *Resident Project Representative*—The authorized representative of Engineer assigned to assist Engineer at the Site. As used herein, the term Resident Project Representative or “RPR” includes any assistants or field staff of Resident Project Representative.
33. *Samples*—Physical examples of materials, equipment, or workmanship that are representative of some portion of the Work and that establish the standards by which such portion of the Work will be judged.
34. *Schedule of Submittals*—A schedule, prepared and maintained by Contractor, of required submittals and the time requirements for Engineer’s review of the submittals and the performance of related construction activities.
35. *Schedule of Values*—A schedule, prepared and maintained by Contractor, allocating portions of the Contract Price to various portions of the Work and used as the basis for reviewing Contractor’s Applications for Payment.
36. *Shop Drawings*—All drawings, diagrams, illustrations, schedules, and other data or information that are specifically prepared or assembled by or for Contractor and submitted by Contractor to illustrate some portion of the Work. Shop Drawings, whether approved or not, are not Drawings and are not Contract Documents.
37. *Site*—Lands or areas indicated in the Contract Documents as being furnished by Owner upon which the Work is to be performed, including rights-of-way and easements, and such other lands furnished by Owner which are designated for the use of Contractor.
38. *Specifications*—The part of the Contract that consists of written requirements for materials, equipment, systems, standards, and workmanship as applied to the Work, and certain administrative requirements and procedural matters applicable to the Work.
39. *Subcontractor*—An individual or entity having a direct contract with Contractor or with any other Subcontractor for the performance of a part of the Work.
40. *Substantial Completion*—The time at which the Work (or a specified part thereof) has progressed to the point where, in the opinion of Engineer, the Work (or a specified part thereof) is sufficiently complete, in accordance with the Contract Documents, so that the Work (or a specified part thereof) can be utilized for the purposes for which it is intended. The terms “substantially complete” and “substantially completed” as applied to all or part of the Work refer to Substantial Completion thereof.
41. *Successful Bidder*—The Bidder whose Bid the Owner accepts, and to which the Owner makes an award of contract, subject to stated conditions.

42. *Supplementary Conditions*—The part of the Contract that amends or supplements these General Conditions.
43. *Supplier*—A manufacturer, fabricator, supplier, distributor, materialman, or vendor having a direct contract with Contractor or with any Subcontractor to furnish materials or equipment to be incorporated in the Work by Contractor or a Subcontractor.
44. *Technical Data*—Those items expressly identified as Technical Data in the Supplementary Conditions, with respect to either (a) subsurface conditions at the Site, or physical conditions relating to existing surface or subsurface structures at the Site (except Underground Facilities) or (b) Hazardous Environmental Conditions at the Site. If no such express identifications of Technical Data have been made with respect to conditions at the Site, then the data contained in boring logs, recorded measurements of subsurface water levels, laboratory test results, and other factual, objective information regarding conditions at the Site that are set forth in any geotechnical or environmental report prepared for the Project and made available to Contractor are hereby defined as Technical Data with respect to conditions at the Site under Paragraphs 5.03, 5.04, and 5.06.
45. *Underground Facilities*—All underground pipelines, conduits, ducts, cables, wires, manholes, vaults, tanks, tunnels, or other such facilities or attachments, and any encasements containing such facilities, including but not limited to those that convey electricity, gases, steam, liquid petroleum products, telephone or other communications, fiber optic transmissions, cable television, water, wastewater, storm water, other liquids or chemicals, or traffic or other control systems.
46. *Unit Price Work*—Work to be paid for on the basis of unit prices.
47. *Work*—The entire construction or the various separately identifiable parts thereof required to be provided under the Contract Documents. Work includes and is the result of performing or providing all labor, services, and documentation necessary to produce such construction; furnishing, installing, and incorporating all materials and equipment into such construction; and may include related services such as testing, start-up, and commissioning, all as required by the Contract Documents.
48. *Work Change Directive*—A written directive to Contractor issued on or after the Effective Date of the Contract, signed by Owner and recommended by Engineer, ordering an addition, deletion, or revision in the Work.

1.02 Terminology

- A. The words and terms discussed in the following paragraphs are not defined but, when used in the Bidding Requirements or Contract Documents, have the indicated meaning.

B. Intent of Certain Terms or Adjectives:

1. The Contract Documents include the terms “as allowed,” “as approved,” “as ordered,” “as directed” or terms of like effect or import to authorize an exercise of professional judgment by Engineer. In addition, the adjectives “reasonable,” “suitable,” “acceptable,” “proper,” “satisfactory,” or adjectives of like effect or import are used to describe an action or determination of Engineer as to the Work. It is intended that such exercise of professional judgment, action, or determination will be solely to evaluate, in general, the Work for compliance with the information in the Contract Documents and with the design concept of the Project as a functioning whole as shown or indicated in the Contract Documents (unless there is a specific statement indicating otherwise). The use of any such term or adjective is not intended to and shall not be effective to assign to Engineer any duty or authority to supervise or direct the performance of the Work, or any duty or authority to undertake responsibility contrary to the provisions of Article 10 or any other provision of the Contract Documents.

C. Day:

1. The word “day” means a calendar day of 24 hours measured from midnight to the next midnight.

D. Defective:

1. The word “defective,” when modifying the word “Work,” refers to Work that is unsatisfactory, faulty, or deficient in that it:
- does not conform to the Contract Documents; or
 - does not meet the requirements of any applicable inspection, reference standard, test, or approval referred to in the Contract Documents; or
 - has been damaged prior to Engineer’s recommendation of final payment (unless responsibility for the protection thereof has been assumed by Owner at Substantial Completion in accordance with Paragraph 15.03 or 15.04).

E. Furnish, Install, Perform, Provide:

- The word “furnish,” when used in connection with services, materials, or equipment, shall mean to supply and deliver said services, materials, or equipment to the Site (or some other specified location) ready for use or installation and in usable or operable condition.
- The word “install,” when used in connection with services, materials, or equipment, shall mean to put into use or place in final position said services, materials, or equipment complete and ready for intended use.
- The words “perform” or “provide,” when used in connection with services, materials, or equipment, shall mean to furnish and install said services, materials, or equipment complete and ready for intended use.

4. If the Contract Documents establish an obligation of Contractor with respect to specific services, materials, or equipment, but do not expressly use any of the four words “furnish,” “install,” “perform,” or “provide,” then Contractor shall furnish and install said services, materials, or equipment complete and ready for intended use.
- F. Unless stated otherwise in the Contract Documents, words or phrases that have a well-known technical or construction industry or trade meaning are used in the Contract Documents in accordance with such recognized meaning.

ARTICLE 2 – PRELIMINARY MATTERS

2.01 *Delivery of Bonds and Evidence of Insurance*

- A. *Bonds*: When Contractor delivers the executed counterparts of the Agreement to Owner, Contractor shall also deliver to Owner such bonds as Contractor may be required to furnish.
- B. *Evidence of Contractor’s Insurance*: When Contractor delivers the executed counterparts of the Agreement to Owner, Contractor shall also deliver to Owner, with copies to each named insured and additional insured (as identified in the Supplementary Conditions or elsewhere in the Contract), the certificates and other evidence of insurance required to be provided by Contractor in accordance with Article 6.
- C. *Evidence of Owner’s Insurance*: After receipt of the executed counterparts of the Agreement and all required bonds and insurance documentation, Owner shall promptly deliver to Contractor, with copies to each named insured and additional insured (as identified in the Supplementary Conditions or otherwise), the certificates and other evidence of insurance required to be provided by Owner under Article 6.

2.02 *Copies of Documents*

- A. Owner shall furnish to Contractor four printed copies of the Contract (including one fully executed counterpart of the Agreement), and one copy in electronic portable document format (PDF). Additional printed copies will be furnished upon request at the cost of reproduction.
- B. Owner shall maintain and safeguard at least one original printed record version of the Contract, including Drawings and Specifications signed and sealed by Engineer and other design professionals. Owner shall make such original printed record version of the Contract available to Contractor for review. Owner may delegate the responsibilities under this provision to Engineer.

2.03 *Before Starting Construction*

- A. *Preliminary Schedules*: Within 10 days after the Effective Date of the Contract (or as otherwise specifically required by the Contract Documents), Contractor shall submit to Engineer for timely review:
 1. a preliminary Progress Schedule indicating the times (numbers of days or dates) for starting and completing the various stages of the Work, including any Milestones specified in the Contract;

2. a preliminary Schedule of Submittals; and
3. a preliminary Schedule of Values for all of the Work which includes quantities and prices of items which when added together equal the Contract Price and subdivides the Work into component parts in sufficient detail to serve as the basis for progress payments during performance of the Work. Such prices will include an appropriate amount of overhead and profit applicable to each item of Work.

2.04 *Preconstruction Conference; Designation of Authorized Representatives*

- A. Before any Work at the Site is started, a conference attended by Owner, Contractor, Engineer, and others as appropriate will be held to establish a working understanding among the parties as to the Work and to discuss the schedules referred to in Paragraph 2.03.A, procedures for handling Shop Drawings, Samples, and other submittals, processing Applications for Payment, electronic or digital transmittals, and maintaining required records.
- B. At this conference Owner and Contractor each shall designate, in writing, a specific individual to act as its authorized representative with respect to the services and responsibilities under the Contract. Such individuals shall have the authority to transmit and receive information, render decisions relative to the Contract, and otherwise act on behalf of each respective party.

2.05 *Initial Acceptance of Schedules*

- A. At least 10 days before submission of the first Application for Payment a conference, attended by Contractor, Engineer, and others as appropriate, will be held to review for acceptability to Engineer as provided below the schedules submitted in accordance with Paragraph 2.03.A. Contractor shall have an additional 10 days to make corrections and adjustments and to complete and resubmit the schedules. No progress payment shall be made to Contractor until acceptable schedules are submitted to Engineer.
 1. The Progress Schedule will be acceptable to Engineer if it provides an orderly progression of the Work to completion within the Contract Times. Such acceptance will not impose on Engineer responsibility for the Progress Schedule, for sequencing, scheduling, or progress of the Work, nor interfere with or relieve Contractor from Contractor’s full responsibility therefor.
 2. Contractor’s Schedule of Submittals will be acceptable to Engineer if it provides a workable arrangement for reviewing and processing the required submittals.
 3. Contractor’s Schedule of Values will be acceptable to Engineer as to form and substance if it provides a reasonable allocation of the Contract Price to the component parts of the Work.

2.06 *Electronic Transmittals*

- A. Except as otherwise stated elsewhere in the Contract, the Owner, Engineer, and Contractor may transmit, and shall

accept, Project-related correspondence, text, data, documents, drawings, information, and graphics, including but not limited to Shop Drawings and other submittals, in electronic media or digital format, either directly, or through access to a secure Project website.

- B. If the Contract does not establish protocols for electronic or digital transmittals, then Owner, Engineer, and Contractor shall jointly develop such protocols.
- C. When transmitting items in electronic media or digital format, the transmitting party makes no representations as to long term compatibility, usability, or readability of the items resulting from the recipient's use of software application packages, operating systems, or computer hardware differing from those used in the drafting or transmittal of the items, or from those established in applicable transmittal protocols.

ARTICLE 3 – DOCUMENTS: INTENT, REQUIREMENTS, REUSE

3.01 Intent

- A. The Contract Documents are complementary; what is required by one is as binding as if required by all.
- B. It is the intent of the Contract Documents to describe a functionally complete project (or part thereof) to be constructed in accordance with the Contract Documents.
- C. Unless otherwise stated in the Contract Documents, if there is a discrepancy between the electronic or digital versions of the Contract Documents (including any printed copies derived from such electronic or digital versions) and the printed record version, the printed record version shall govern.
- D. The Contract supersedes prior negotiations, representations, and agreements, whether written or oral.
- E. Engineer will issue clarifications and interpretations of the Contract Documents as provided herein.

3.02 Reference Standards

- A. Standards Specifications, Codes, Laws and Regulations
 - 1. Reference in the Contract Documents to standard specifications, manuals, reference standards, or codes of any technical society, organization, or association, or to Laws or Regulations, whether such reference be specific or by implication, shall mean the standard specification, manual, reference standard, code, or Laws or Regulations in effect at the time of opening of Bids (or on the Effective Date of the Contract if there were no Bids), except as may be otherwise specifically stated in the Contract Documents.
 - 2. No provision of any such standard specification, manual, reference standard, or code, or any instruction of a Supplier, shall be effective to change the duties or responsibilities of Owner, Contractor, or Engineer, or any of their subcontractors, consultants, agents, or employees, from those set forth in the part of the Contract Documents prepared by or for Engineer. No such provision or instruction shall be effective to assign to Owner, Engineer, or any of their officers, directors, members, partners,

employees, agents, consultants, or subcontractors, any duty or authority to supervise or direct the performance of the Work or any duty or authority to undertake responsibility inconsistent with the provisions of the part of the Contract Documents prepared by or for Engineer.

3.03 Reporting and Resolving Discrepancies

A. Reporting Discrepancies:

1. *Contractor's Verification of Figures and Field Measurements:* Before undertaking each part of the Work, Contractor shall carefully study the Contract Documents, and check and verify pertinent figures and dimensions therein, particularly with respect to applicable field measurements. Contractor shall promptly report in writing to Engineer any conflict, error, ambiguity, or discrepancy that Contractor discovers, or has actual knowledge of, and shall not proceed with any Work affected thereby until the conflict, error, ambiguity, or discrepancy is resolved, by a clarification or interpretation by Engineer, or by an amendment or supplement to the Contract Documents issued pursuant to Paragraph 11.01.
2. *Contractor's Review of Contract Documents:* If, before or during the performance of the Work, Contractor discovers any conflict, error, ambiguity, or discrepancy within the Contract Documents, or between the Contract Documents and (a) any applicable Law or Regulation, (b) actual field conditions, (c) any standard specification, manual, reference standard, or code, or (d) any instruction of any Supplier, then Contractor shall promptly report it to Engineer in writing. Contractor shall not proceed with the Work affected thereby (except in an emergency as required by Paragraph 7.15) until the conflict, error, ambiguity, or discrepancy is resolved, by a clarification or interpretation by Engineer, or by an amendment or supplement to the Contract Documents issued pursuant to Paragraph 11.01.
3. Contractor shall not be liable to Owner or Engineer for failure to report any conflict, error, ambiguity, or discrepancy in the Contract Documents unless Contractor had actual knowledge thereof.

B. Resolving Discrepancies:

1. Except as may be otherwise specifically stated in the Contract Documents, the provisions of the part of the Contract Documents prepared by or for Engineer shall take precedence in resolving any conflict, error, ambiguity, or discrepancy between such provisions of the Contract Documents and:
 - a. the provisions of any standard specification, manual, reference standard, or code, or the instruction of any Supplier (whether or not specifically incorporated by reference as a Contract Document); or
 - b. the provisions of any Laws or Regulations applicable to the performance of the Work (unless such an interpretation of the provisions of the Contract Documents would result in violation of such Law or Regulation).

3.04 *Requirements of the Contract Documents*

- A. During the performance of the Work and until final payment, Contractor and Owner shall submit to the Engineer all matters in question concerning the requirements of the Contract Documents (sometimes referred to as requests for information or interpretation—RFIs), or relating to the acceptability of the Work under the Contract Documents, as soon as possible after such matters arise. Engineer will be the initial interpreter of the requirements of the Contract Documents, and judge of the acceptability of the Work thereunder.
- B. Engineer will, with reasonable promptness, render a written clarification, interpretation, or decision on the issue submitted, or initiate an amendment or supplement to the Contract Documents. Engineer's written clarification, interpretation, or decision will be final and binding on Contractor, unless it appeals by submitting a Change Proposal, and on Owner, unless it appeals by filing a Claim.
- C. If a submitted matter in question concerns terms and conditions of the Contract Documents that do not involve (1) the performance or acceptability of the Work under the Contract Documents, (2) the design (as set forth in the Drawings, Specifications, or otherwise), or (3) other engineering or technical matters, then Engineer will promptly give written notice to Owner and Contractor that Engineer is unable to provide a decision or interpretation. If Owner and Contractor are unable to agree on resolution of such a matter in question, either party may pursue resolution as provided in Article 12.

3.05 *Reuse of Documents*

- A. Contractor and its Subcontractors and Suppliers shall not:
 - 1. have or acquire any title to or ownership rights in any of the Drawings, Specifications, or other documents (or copies of any thereof) prepared by or bearing the seal of Engineer or its consultants, including electronic media editions, or reuse any such Drawings, Specifications, other documents, or copies thereof on extensions of the Project or any other project without written consent of Owner and Engineer and specific written verification or adaptation by Engineer; or
 - 2. have or acquire any title or ownership rights in any other Contract Documents, reuse any such Contract Documents for any purpose without Owner's express written consent, or violate any copyrights pertaining to such Contract Documents.
- B. The prohibitions of this Paragraph 3.05 will survive final payment, or termination of the Contract. Nothing herein shall preclude Contractor from retaining copies of the Contract Documents for record purposes.

ARTICLE 4 – COMMENCEMENT AND PROGRESS OF THE WORK

4.01 *Commencement of Contract Times; Notice to Proceed*

- A. The Contract Times will commence to run on the thirtieth day after the Effective Date of the Contract or, if a Notice to Proceed is given, on the day indicated in the Notice to

Proceed. A Notice to Proceed may be given at any time within 30 days after the Effective Date of the Contract. In no event will the Contract Times commence to run later than the sixtieth day after the day of Bid opening or the thirtieth day after the Effective Date of the Contract, whichever date is earlier.

4.02 *Starting the Work*

- A. Contractor shall start to perform the Work on the date when the Contract Times commence to run. No Work shall be done at the Site prior to such date.

4.03 *Reference Points*

- A. Owner shall provide engineering surveys to establish reference points for construction which in Engineer's judgment are necessary to enable Contractor to proceed with the Work. Contractor shall be responsible for laying out the Work, shall protect and preserve the established reference points and property monuments, and shall make no changes or relocations without the prior written approval of Owner. Contractor shall report to Engineer whenever any reference point or property monument is lost or destroyed or requires relocation because of necessary changes in grades or locations, and shall be responsible for the accurate replacement or relocation of such reference points or property monuments by professionally qualified personnel.

4.04 *Progress Schedule*

- A. Contractor shall adhere to the Progress Schedule established in accordance with Paragraph 2.05 as it may be adjusted from time to time as provided below.
 - 1. Contractor shall submit to Engineer for acceptance (to the extent indicated in Paragraph 2.05) proposed adjustments in the Progress Schedule that will not result in changing the Contract Times.
 - 2. Proposed adjustments in the Progress Schedule that will change the Contract Times shall be submitted in accordance with the requirements of Article 11.
- B. Contractor shall carry on the Work and adhere to the Progress Schedule during all disputes or disagreements with Owner. No Work shall be delayed or postponed pending resolution of any disputes or disagreements, or during any appeal process, except as permitted by Paragraph 16.04, or as Owner and Contractor may otherwise agree in writing.

4.05 *Delays in Contractor's Progress*

- A. If Owner, Engineer, or anyone for whom Owner is responsible, delays, disrupts, or interferes with the performance or progress of the Work, then Contractor shall be entitled to an equitable adjustment in the Contract Times and Contract Price. Contractor's entitlement to an adjustment of the Contract Times is conditioned on such adjustment being essential to Contractor's ability to complete the Work within the Contract Times.
- B. Contractor shall not be entitled to an adjustment in Contract Price or Contract Times for delay, disruption, or interference caused by or within the control of Contractor. Delay, disruption, and interference attributable to and

within the control of a Subcontractor or Supplier shall be deemed to be within the control of Contractor.

- C. If Contractor's performance or progress is delayed, disrupted, or interfered with by unanticipated causes not the fault of and beyond the control of Owner, Contractor, and those for which they are responsible, then Contractor shall be entitled to an equitable adjustment in Contract Times. Contractor's entitlement to an adjustment of the Contract Times is conditioned on such adjustment being essential to Contractor's ability to complete the Work within the Contract Times. Such an adjustment shall be Contractor's sole and exclusive remedy for the delays, disruption, and interference described in this paragraph. Causes of delay, disruption, or interference that may give rise to an adjustment in Contract Times under this paragraph include but are not limited to the following:
1. severe and unavoidable natural catastrophes such as fires, floods, epidemics, and earthquakes;
 2. abnormal weather conditions;
 3. acts or failures to act of utility owners (other than those performing other work at or adjacent to the Site by arrangement with the Owner, as contemplated in Article 8); and
 4. acts of war or terrorism.
- D. Delays, disruption, and interference to the performance or progress of the Work resulting from the existence of a differing subsurface or physical condition, an Underground Facility that was not shown or indicated by the Contract Documents, or not shown or indicated with reasonable accuracy, and those resulting from Hazardous Environmental Conditions, are governed by Article 5.
- E. Paragraph 8.03 governs delays, disruption, and interference to the performance or progress of the Work resulting from the performance of certain other work at or adjacent to the Site.
- F. Contractor shall not be entitled to an adjustment in Contract Price or Contract Times for any delay, disruption, or interference if such delay is concurrent with a delay, disruption, or interference caused by or within the control of Contractor.
- G. Contractor must submit any Change Proposal seeking an adjustment in Contract Price or Contract Times under this paragraph within 30 days of the commencement of the delaying, disrupting, or interfering event.

ARTICLE 5 – AVAILABILITY OF LANDS; SUBSURFACE AND PHYSICAL CONDITIONS; HAZARDOUS ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS

5.01 Availability of Lands

- A. Owner shall furnish the Site. Owner shall notify Contractor of any encumbrances or restrictions not of general application but specifically related to use of the Site with which Contractor must comply in performing the Work.
- B. Upon reasonable written request, Owner shall furnish Contractor with a current statement of record legal title and legal description of the lands upon which permanent

improvements are to be made and Owner's interest therein as necessary for giving notice of or filing a mechanic's or construction lien against such lands in accordance with applicable Laws and Regulations.

- C. Contractor shall provide for all additional lands and access thereto that may be required for temporary construction facilities or storage of materials and equipment.

5.02 Use of Site and Other Areas

A. Limitation on Use of Site and Other Areas:

1. Contractor shall confine construction equipment, temporary construction facilities, the storage of materials and equipment, and the operations of workers to the Site, adjacent areas that Contractor has arranged to use through construction easements or otherwise, and other adjacent areas permitted by Laws and Regulations, and shall not unreasonably encumber the Site and such other adjacent areas with construction equipment or other materials or equipment. Contractor shall assume full responsibility for (a) damage to the Site; (b) damage to any such other adjacent areas used for Contractor's operations; (c) damage to any other adjacent land or areas; and (d) for injuries and losses sustained by the owners or occupants of any such land or areas; provided that such damage or injuries result from the performance of the Work or from other actions or conduct of the Contractor or those for which Contractor is responsible.

2. If a damage or injury claim is made by the owner or occupant of any such land or area because of the performance of the Work, or because of other actions or conduct of the Contractor or those for which Contractor is responsible, Contractor shall (a) take immediate corrective or remedial action as required by Paragraph 7.12, or otherwise; (b) promptly attempt to settle the claim as to all parties through negotiations with such owner or occupant, or otherwise resolve the claim by arbitration or other dispute resolution proceeding, or at law; and (c) to the fullest extent permitted by Laws and Regulations, indemnify and hold harmless Owner and Engineer, and the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants and subcontractors of each and any of them from and against any such claim, and against 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 resolution costs) arising out of or relating to any claim or action, legal or equitable, brought by any such owner or occupant against Owner, Engineer, or any other party indemnified hereunder to the extent caused directly or indirectly, in whole or in part by, or based upon, Contractor's performance of the Work, or because of other actions or conduct of the Contractor or those for which Contractor is responsible.

- B. *Removal of Debris During Performance of the Work:* During the progress of the Work the Contractor shall keep the Site and other adjacent areas free from accumulations

of waste materials, rubbish, and other debris. Removal and disposal of such waste materials, rubbish, and other debris shall conform to applicable Laws and Regulations.

- C. *Cleaning*: Prior to Substantial Completion of the Work Contractor shall clean the Site and the Work and make it ready for utilization by Owner. At the completion of the Work Contractor shall remove from the Site and adjacent areas all tools, appliances, construction equipment and machinery, and surplus materials and shall restore to original condition all property not designated for alteration by the Contract Documents.
- D. *Loading of Structures*: Contractor shall not load nor permit any part of any structure to be loaded in any manner that will endanger the structure, nor shall Contractor subject any part of the Work or adjacent structures or land to stresses or pressures that will endanger them.

5.03 *Subsurface and Physical Conditions*

- A. *Reports and Drawings*: The Supplementary Conditions identify:
1. those reports known to Owner of explorations and tests of subsurface conditions at or adjacent to the Site;
 2. those drawings known to Owner of physical conditions relating to existing surface or subsurface structures at the Site (except Underground Facilities); and
 3. Technical Data contained in such reports and drawings.
- B. *Reliance by Contractor on Technical Data Authorized*: Contractor may rely upon the accuracy of the Technical Data expressly identified in the Supplementary Conditions with respect to such reports and drawings, but such reports and drawings are not Contract Documents. If no such express identification has been made, then Contractor may rely upon the accuracy of the Technical Data (as defined in Article 1) contained in any geotechnical or environmental report prepared for the Project and made available to Contractor. Except for such reliance on Technical Data, Contractor may not rely upon or make any claim against Owner or Engineer, or any of their officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, or subcontractors, with respect to:
1. the completeness of such reports and drawings for Contractor's purposes, including, but not limited to, any aspects of the means, methods, techniques, sequences, and procedures of construction to be employed by Contractor, and safety precautions and programs incident thereto; or
 2. other data, interpretations, opinions, and information contained in such reports or shown or indicated in such drawings; or
 3. any Contractor interpretation of or conclusion drawn from any Technical Data or any such other data, interpretations, opinions, or information.

5.04 *Differing Subsurface or Physical Conditions*

- A. *Notice by Contractor*: If Contractor believes that any subsurface or physical condition that is uncovered or revealed at the Site either:
1. is of such a nature as to establish that any Technical Data on which Contractor is entitled to rely as provided in Paragraph 5.03 is materially inaccurate; or
 2. is of such a nature as to require a change in the Drawings or Specifications; or
 3. differs materially from that shown or indicated in the Contract Documents; or
 4. is of an unusual nature, and differs materially from conditions ordinarily encountered and generally recognized as inherent in work of the character provided for in the Contract Documents;
- then Contractor shall, promptly after becoming aware thereof and before further disturbing the subsurface or physical conditions or performing any Work in connection therewith (except in an emergency as required by Paragraph 7.15), notify Owner and Engineer in writing about such condition. Contractor shall not further disturb such condition or perform any Work in connection therewith (except with respect to an emergency) until receipt of a written statement permitting Contractor to do so.
- B. *Engineer's Review*: After receipt of written notice as required by the preceding paragraph, Engineer will promptly review the subsurface or physical condition in question; determine the necessity of Owner's obtaining additional exploration or tests with respect to the condition; conclude whether the condition falls within any one or more of the differing site condition categories in Paragraph 5.04.A above; obtain any pertinent cost or schedule information from Contractor; prepare recommendations to Owner regarding the Contractor's resumption of Work in connection with the subsurface or physical condition in question and the need for any change in the Drawings or Specifications; and advise Owner in writing of Engineer's findings, conclusions, and recommendations.
- C. *Owner's Statement to Contractor Regarding Site Condition*: After receipt of Engineer's written findings, conclusions, and recommendations, Owner shall issue a written statement to Contractor (with a copy to Engineer) regarding the subsurface or physical condition in question, addressing the resumption of Work in connection with such condition, indicating whether any change in the Drawings or Specifications will be made, and adopting or rejecting Engineer's written findings, conclusions, and recommendations, in whole or in part.
- D. *Possible Price and Times Adjustments*:
1. Contractor shall be entitled to an equitable adjustment in Contract Price or Contract Times, or both, to the extent that the existence of a differing subsurface or physical condition, or any related delay, disruption, or interference, causes an increase

or decrease in Contractor's cost of, or time required for, performance of the Work; subject, however, to the following:

- a. such condition must fall within any one or more of the categories described in Paragraph 5.04.A;
 - b. with respect to Work that is paid for on a unit price basis, any adjustment in Contract Price will be subject to the provisions of Paragraph 13.03; and,
 - c. Contractor's entitlement to an adjustment of the Contract Times is conditioned on such adjustment being essential to Contractor's ability to complete the Work within the Contract Times.
2. Contractor shall not be entitled to any adjustment in the Contract Price or Contract Times with respect to a subsurface or physical condition if:
 - a. Contractor knew of the existence of such condition at the time Contractor made a commitment to Owner with respect to Contract Price and Contract Times by the submission of a Bid or becoming bound under a negotiated contract, or otherwise; or
 - b. the existence of such condition reasonably could have been discovered or revealed as a result of any examination, investigation, exploration, test, or study of the Site and contiguous areas expressly required by the Bidding Requirements or Contract Documents to be conducted by or for Contractor prior to Contractor's making such commitment; or
 - c. Contractor failed to give the written notice as required by Paragraph 5.04.A.
 3. If Owner and Contractor agree regarding Contractor's entitlement to and the amount or extent of any adjustment in the Contract Price or Contract Times, or both, then any such adjustment shall be set forth in a Change Order.
 4. Contractor may submit a Change Proposal regarding its entitlement to or the amount or extent of any adjustment in the Contract Price or Contract Times, or both, no later than 30 days after Owner's issuance of the Owner's written statement to Contractor regarding the subsurface or physical condition in question.
 - a. reviewing and checking all information and data regarding existing Underground Facilities at the Site;
 - b. locating all Underground Facilities shown or indicated in the Contract Documents as being at the Site;
 - c. coordination of the Work with the owners (including Owner) of such Underground Facilities, during construction; and
 - d. the safety and protection of all existing Underground Facilities at the Site, and repairing any damage thereto resulting from the Work.
- B. *Notice by Contractor:* If Contractor believes that an Underground Facility that is uncovered or revealed at the Site was not shown or indicated in the Contract Documents, or was not shown or indicated with reasonable accuracy, then Contractor shall, promptly after becoming aware thereof and before further disturbing conditions affected thereby or performing any Work in connection therewith (except in an emergency as required by Paragraph 7.15), identify the owner of such Underground Facility and give written notice to that owner and to Owner and Engineer.
 - C. *Engineer's Review:* Engineer will promptly review the Underground Facility and conclude whether such Underground Facility was not shown or indicated in the Contract Documents, or was not shown or indicated with reasonable accuracy; obtain any pertinent cost or schedule information from Contractor; prepare recommendations to Owner regarding the Contractor's resumption of Work in connection with the Underground Facility in question; determine the extent, if any, to which a change is required in the Drawings or Specifications to reflect and document the consequences of the existence or location of the Underground Facility; and advise Owner in writing of Engineer's findings, conclusions, and recommendations. During such time, Contractor shall be responsible for the safety and protection of such Underground Facility.
 - D. *Owner's Statement to Contractor Regarding Underground Facility:* After receipt of Engineer's written findings, conclusions, and recommendations, Owner shall issue a written statement to Contractor (with a copy to Engineer) regarding the Underground Facility in question, addressing the resumption of Work in connection with such Underground Facility, indicating whether any change in the Drawings or Specifications will be made, and adopting or rejecting Engineer's written findings, conclusions, and recommendations in whole or in part.
 - E. Possible Price and Times Adjustments:
 1. Contractor shall be entitled to an equitable adjustment in the Contract Price or Contract Times, or both, to the extent that any existing Underground Facility at the Site that was not shown or indicated in the Contract Documents, or was not shown or indicated with reasonable accuracy, or any related delay, disruption, or interference, causes an increase or decrease in Contractor's cost of, or time required for, performance of the Work; subject, however, to the following:

5.05 Underground Facilities

- A. *Contractor's Responsibilities:* The information and data shown or indicated in the Contract Documents with respect to existing Underground Facilities at or adjacent to the Site is based on information and data furnished to Owner or Engineer by the owners of such Underground Facilities, including Owner, or by others. Unless it is otherwise expressly provided in the Supplementary Conditions:
 1. Owner and Engineer do not warrant or guarantee the accuracy or completeness of any such information or data provided by others; and
 2. the cost of all of the following will be included in the Contract Price, and Contractor shall have full responsibility for:
 - a. reviewing and checking all information and data regarding existing Underground Facilities at the Site;
 - b. locating all Underground Facilities shown or indicated in the Contract Documents as being at the Site;
 - c. coordination of the Work with the owners (including Owner) of such Underground Facilities, during construction; and
 - d. the safety and protection of all existing Underground Facilities at the Site, and repairing any damage thereto resulting from the Work.

- a. Contractor did not know of and could not reasonably have been expected to be aware of or to have anticipated the existence or actual location of the Underground Facility in question;
 - b. With respect to Work that is paid for on a unit price basis, any adjustment in Contract Price will be subject to the provisions of Paragraph 13.03;
 - c. Contractor's entitlement to an adjustment of the Contract Times is conditioned on such adjustment being essential to Contractor's ability to complete the Work within the Contract Times; and
 - d. Contractor gave the notice required in Paragraph 5.05.B.
- 2. If Owner and Contractor agree regarding Contractor's entitlement to and the amount or extent of any adjustment in the Contract Price or Contract Times, or both, then any such adjustment shall be set forth in a Change Order.
 - 3. Contractor may submit a Change Proposal regarding its entitlement to or the amount or extent of any adjustment in the Contract Price or Contract Times, or both, no later than 30 days after Owner's issuance of the Owner's written statement to Contractor regarding the Underground Facility in question.
- 3. any Contractor interpretation of or conclusion drawn from any Technical Data or any such other data, interpretations, opinions or information.
- C. Contractor shall not be responsible for removing or remediating any Hazardous Environmental Condition encountered, uncovered, or revealed at the Site unless such removal or remediation is expressly identified in the Contract Documents to be within the scope of the Work.
 - D. Contractor shall be responsible for controlling, containing, and duly removing all Constituents of Concern brought to the Site by Contractor, Subcontractors, Suppliers, or anyone else for whom Contractor is responsible, and for any associated costs; and for the costs of removing and remediating any Hazardous Environmental Condition created by the presence of any such Constituents of Concern.
 - E. If Contractor encounters, uncovers, or reveals a Hazardous Environmental Condition whose removal or remediation is not expressly identified in the Contract Documents as being within the scope of the Work, or if Contractor or anyone for whom Contractor is responsible creates a Hazardous Environmental Condition, then Contractor shall immediately: (1) secure or otherwise isolate such condition; (2) stop all Work in connection with such condition and in any area affected thereby (except in an emergency as required by Paragraph 7.15); and (3) notify Owner and Engineer (and promptly thereafter confirm such notice in writing). Owner shall promptly consult with Engineer concerning the necessity for Owner to retain a qualified expert to evaluate such condition or take corrective action, if any. Promptly after consulting with Engineer, Owner shall take such actions as are necessary to permit Owner to timely obtain required permits and provide Contractor the written notice required by Paragraph 5.06.F. If Contractor or anyone for whom Contractor is responsible created the Hazardous Environmental Condition in question, then Owner may remove and remediate the Hazardous Environmental Condition, and impose a set-off against payments to account for the associated costs.
 - F. Contractor shall not resume Work in connection with such Hazardous Environmental Condition or in any affected area until after Owner has obtained any required permits related thereto, and delivered written notice to Contractor either (1) specifying that such condition and any affected area is or has been rendered safe for the resumption of Work, or (2) specifying any special conditions under which such Work may be resumed safely.
 - G. If Owner and Contractor cannot agree as to entitlement to or on the amount or extent, if any, of any adjustment in Contract Price or Contract Times, or both, as a result of such Work stoppage or such special conditions under which Work is agreed to be resumed by Contractor, then within 30 days of Owner's written notice regarding the resumption of Work, Contractor may submit a Change Proposal, or Owner may impose a set-off.
 - H. If after receipt of such written notice Contractor does not agree to resume such Work based on a reasonable belief it is unsafe, or does not agree to resume such Work under such special conditions, then Owner may order the portion

5.06 Hazardous Environmental Conditions at Site

- A. *Reports and Drawings:* The Supplementary Conditions identify:
 - 1. those reports and drawings known to Owner relating to Hazardous Environmental Conditions that have been identified at or adjacent to the Site; and
 - 2. Technical Data contained in such reports and drawings.
- B. *Reliance by Contractor on Technical Data Authorized:* Contractor may rely upon the accuracy of the Technical Data expressly identified in the Supplementary Conditions with respect to such reports and drawings, but such reports and drawings are not Contract Documents. If no such express identification has been made, then Contractor may rely on the accuracy of the Technical Data (as defined in Article 1) contained in any geotechnical or environmental report prepared for the Project and made available to Contractor. Except for such reliance on Technical Data, Contractor may not rely upon or make any claim against Owner or Engineer, or any of their officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, or subcontractors with respect to:
 - 1. the completeness of such reports and drawings for Contractor's purposes, including, but not limited to, any aspects of the means, methods, techniques, sequences and procedures of construction to be employed by Contractor and safety precautions and programs incident thereto; or
 - 2. other data, interpretations, opinions and information contained in such reports or shown or indicated in such drawings; or

of the Work that is in the area affected by such condition to be deleted from the Work, following the contractual change procedures in Article 11. Owner may have such deleted portion of the Work performed by Owner's own forces or others in accordance with Article 8.

- I. To the fullest extent permitted by Laws and Regulations, Owner shall indemnify and hold harmless Contractor, Subcontractors, and Engineer, and the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, and subcontractors of each and any of them from and against all claims, 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 resolution costs) arising out of or relating to a Hazardous Environmental Condition, provided that such Hazardous Environmental Condition (1) was not shown or indicated in the Drawings, Specifications, or other Contract Documents, identified as Technical Data entitled to limited reliance pursuant to Paragraph 5.06.B, or identified in the Contract Documents to be included within the scope of the Work, and (2) was not created by Contractor or by anyone for whom Contractor is responsible. Nothing in this Paragraph 5.06.H shall obligate Owner to indemnify any individual or entity from and against the consequences of that individual's or entity's own negligence.
- J. To the fullest extent permitted by Laws and Regulations, Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless Owner and Engineer, and the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, and subcontractors of each and any of them from and against all claims, 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 resolution costs) arising out of or relating to the failure to control, contain, or remove a Constituent of Concern brought to the Site by Contractor or by anyone for whom Contractor is responsible, or to a Hazardous Environmental Condition created by Contractor or by anyone for whom Contractor is responsible. Nothing in this Paragraph 5.06.J shall obligate Contractor to indemnify any individual or entity from and against the consequences of that individual's or entity's own negligence.
- K. The provisions of Paragraphs 5.03, 5.04, and 5.05 do not apply to the presence of Constituents of Concern or to a Hazardous Environmental Condition uncovered or revealed at the Site.

ARTICLE 6 – BONDS AND INSURANCE

6.01 *Performance, Payment, and Other Bonds*

- A. Contractor shall furnish a performance bond and a payment bond, each in an amount at least equal to the Contract Price, as security for the faithful performance and payment of all of Contractor's obligations under the Contract. These bonds shall remain in effect until one year after the date when final payment becomes due or until completion of the correction period specified in Paragraph 15.08, whichever is later, except as provided otherwise by Laws or Regulations, the Supplementary Conditions, or

other specific provisions of the Contract. Contractor shall also furnish such other bonds as are required by the Supplementary Conditions or other specific provisions of the Contract.

- B. All bonds shall be in the form prescribed by the Contract except as provided otherwise by Laws or Regulations, and shall be executed by such sureties as are named in "Companies Holding Certificates of Authority as Acceptable Sureties on Federal Bonds and as Acceptable Reinsuring Companies" as published in Circular 570 (as amended and supplemented) by the Financial Management Service, Surety Bond Branch, U.S. Department of the Treasury. A bond signed by an agent or attorney-in-fact must be accompanied by a certified copy of that individual's authority to bind the surety. The evidence of authority shall show that it is effective on the date the agent or attorney-in-fact signed the accompanying bond.
- C. Contractor shall obtain the required bonds from surety companies that are duly licensed or authorized in the jurisdiction in which the Project is located to issue bonds in the required amounts.
- D. If the surety on a bond furnished by Contractor is declared bankrupt or becomes insolvent, or its right to do business is terminated in any state or jurisdiction where any part of the Project is located, or the surety ceases to meet the requirements above, then Contractor shall promptly notify Owner and Engineer and shall, within 20 days after the event giving rise to such notification, provide another bond and surety, both of which shall comply with the bond and surety requirements above.
- E. If Contractor has failed to obtain a required bond, Owner may exclude the Contractor from the Site and exercise Owner's termination rights under Article 16.
- F. Upon request, Owner shall provide a copy of the payment bond to any Subcontractor, Supplier, or other person or entity claiming to have furnished labor or materials used in the performance of the Work.

6.02 *Insurance—General Provisions*

- A. Owner and Contractor shall obtain and maintain insurance as required in this Article and in the Supplementary Conditions.
- B. All insurance required by the Contract to be purchased and maintained by Owner or Contractor shall be obtained from insurance companies that are duly licensed or authorized, in the state or jurisdiction in which the Project is located, to issue insurance policies for the required limits and coverages. Unless a different standard is indicated in the Supplementary Conditions, all companies that provide insurance policies required under this Contract shall have an A.M. Best rating of A-VII or better.
- C. Contractor shall deliver to Owner, with copies to each named insured and additional insured (as identified in this Article, in the Supplementary Conditions, or elsewhere in the Contract), certificates of insurance establishing that Contractor has obtained and is maintaining the policies, coverages, and endorsements required by the Contract.

Upon request by Owner or any other insured, Contractor shall also furnish other evidence of such required insurance, including but not limited to copies of policies and endorsements, and documentation of applicable self-insured retentions and deductibles. Contractor may block out (redact) any confidential premium or pricing information contained in any policy or endorsement furnished under this provision.

- D. Owner shall deliver to Contractor, with copies to each named insured and additional insured (as identified in this Article, the Supplementary Conditions, or elsewhere in the Contract), certificates of insurance establishing that Owner has obtained and is maintaining the policies, coverages, and endorsements required of Owner by the Contract (if any). Upon request by Contractor or any other insured, Owner shall also provide other evidence of such required insurance (if any), including but not limited to copies of policies and endorsements, and documentation of applicable self-insured retentions and deductibles. Owner may block out (redact) any confidential premium or pricing information contained in any policy or endorsement furnished under this provision.
- E. Failure of Owner or Contractor to demand such certificates or other evidence of the other party's full compliance with these insurance requirements, or failure of Owner or Contractor to identify a deficiency in compliance from the evidence provided, shall not be construed as a waiver of the other party's obligation to obtain and maintain such insurance.
- F. If either party does not purchase or maintain all of the insurance required of such party by the Contract, such party shall notify the other party in writing of such failure to purchase prior to the start of the Work, or of such failure to maintain prior to any change in the required coverage.
- G. If Contractor has failed to obtain and maintain required insurance, Owner may exclude the Contractor from the Site, impose an appropriate set-off against payment, and exercise Owner's termination rights under Article 16.
- H. Without prejudice to any other right or remedy, if a party has failed to obtain required insurance, the other party may elect to obtain equivalent insurance to protect such other party's interests at the expense of the party who was required to provide such coverage, and the Contract Price shall be adjusted accordingly.
- I. Owner does not represent that insurance coverage and limits established in this Contract necessarily will be adequate to protect Contractor or Contractor's interests.
- J. The insurance and insurance limits required herein shall not be deemed as a limitation on Contractor's liability under the indemnities granted to Owner and other individuals and entities in the Contract.

6.03 Contractor's Insurance

- A. *Workers' Compensation:* Contractor shall purchase and maintain workers' compensation and employer's liability insurance for:

1. claims under workers' compensation, disability benefits, and other similar employee benefit acts.
2. United States Longshoreman and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act and Jones Act coverage (if applicable).
3. claims for damages because of bodily injury, occupational sickness or disease, or death of Contractor's employees (by stop-gap endorsement in monopolist worker's compensation states).
4. Foreign voluntary worker compensation (if applicable).

- B. *Commercial General Liability—Claims Covered:* Contractor shall purchase and maintain commercial general liability insurance, covering all operations by or on behalf of Contractor, on an occurrence basis, against:

1. claims for damages because of bodily injury, sickness or disease, or death of any person other than Contractor's employees.
2. claims for damages insured by reasonably available personal injury liability coverage.
3. claims for damages, other than to the Work itself, because of injury to or destruction of tangible property wherever located, including loss of use resulting therefrom.

- C. *Commercial General Liability—Form and Content:* Contractor's commercial liability policy shall be written on a 1996 (or later) ISO commercial general liability form (occurrence form) and include the following coverages and endorsements:

1. Products and completed operations coverage:
 - a. Such insurance shall be maintained for three years after final payment.
 - b. Contractor shall furnish Owner and each other additional insured (as identified in the Supplementary Conditions or elsewhere in the Contract) evidence of continuation of such insurance at final payment and three years thereafter.
2. Blanket contractual liability coverage, to the extent permitted by law, including but not limited to coverage of Contractor's contractual indemnity obligations in Paragraph 7.18.
3. Broad form property damage coverage.
4. Severability of interest.
5. Underground, explosion, and collapse coverage.
6. Personal injury coverage.
7. Additional insured endorsements that include both ongoing operations and products and completed operations coverage through ISO Endorsements CG 20 10 10 01 and CG 20 37 10 01 (together); or CG 20 10 07 04 and CG 20 37 07 04 (together); or their equivalent.
8. For design professional additional insureds, ISO Endorsement CG 20 32 07 04, "Additional Insured—

Engineers, Architects or Surveyors Not Engaged by the Named Insured” or its equivalent.

- D. *Automobile liability*: Contractor shall purchase and maintain automobile liability insurance against claims for damages because of bodily injury or death of any person or property damage arising out of the ownership, maintenance, or use of any motor vehicle. The automobile liability policy shall be written on an occurrence basis.
- E. *Umbrella or excess liability*: Contractor shall purchase and maintain umbrella or excess liability insurance written over the underlying employer’s liability, commercial general liability, and automobile liability insurance described in the paragraphs above. Subject to industry-standard exclusions, the coverage afforded shall follow form as to each and every one of the underlying policies.
- F. *Contractor’s pollution liability insurance*: Contractor shall purchase and maintain a policy covering third-party injury and property damage claims, including clean-up costs, as a result of pollution conditions arising from Contractor’s operations and completed operations. This insurance shall be maintained for no less than three years after final completion.
- G. *Additional insureds*: The Contractor’s commercial general liability, automobile liability, umbrella or excess, and pollution liability policies shall include and list as additional insureds Owner and Engineer, and any individuals or entities identified in the Supplementary Conditions; include coverage for the respective officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, and subcontractors of each and any of all such additional insureds; and the insurance afforded to these additional insureds shall provide primary coverage for all claims covered thereby (including as applicable those arising from both ongoing and completed operations) on a non-contributory basis. Contractor shall obtain all necessary endorsements to support these requirements.
- H. *Contractor’s professional liability insurance*: If Contractor will provide or furnish professional services under this Contract, through a delegation of professional design services or otherwise, then Contractor shall be responsible for purchasing and maintaining applicable professional liability insurance. This insurance shall provide protection against claims arising out of performance of professional design or related services, and caused by a negligent error, omission, or act for which the insured party is legally liable. It shall be maintained throughout the duration of the Contract and for a minimum of two years after Substantial Completion. If such professional design services are performed by a Subcontractor, and not by Contractor itself, then the requirements of this paragraph may be satisfied through the purchasing and maintenance of such insurance by such Subcontractor.
- I. *General provisions*: The policies of insurance required by this Paragraph 6.03 shall:
1. include at least the specific coverages provided in this Article.
 2. be written for not less than the limits of liability provided in this Article and in the Supplementary Conditions, or required by Laws or Regulations, whichever is greater.
 3. contain a provision or endorsement that the coverage afforded will not be canceled, materially changed, or renewal refused until at least 10 days prior written notice has been given to Contractor. Within three days of receipt of any such written notice, Contractor shall provide a copy of the notice to Owner, Engineer, and each other insured under the policy.
 4. remain in effect at least until final payment (and longer if expressly required in this Article) and at all times thereafter when Contractor may be correcting, removing, or replacing defective Work as a warranty or correction obligation, or otherwise, or returning to the Site to conduct other tasks arising from the Contract Documents.
 5. be appropriate for the Work being performed and provide protection from claims that may arise out of or result from Contractor’s performance of the Work and Contractor’s other obligations under the Contract Documents, whether it is to be performed by Contractor, any Subcontractor or Supplier, or by anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them to perform any of the Work, or by anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable.
- J. The coverage requirements for specific policies of insurance must be met by such policies, and not by reference to excess or umbrella insurance provided in other policies.

6.04 *Owner’s Liability Insurance*

- A. In addition to the insurance required to be provided by Contractor under Paragraph 6.03, Owner, at Owner’s option, may purchase and maintain at Owner’s expense Owner’s own liability insurance as will protect Owner against claims which may arise from operations under the Contract Documents.
- B. Owner’s liability policies, if any, operate separately and independently from policies required to be provided by Contractor, and Contractor cannot rely upon Owner’s liability policies for any of Contractor’s obligations to the Owner, Engineer, or third parties.

6.05 *Property Insurance*

- A. *Builder’s Risk*: Unless otherwise provided in the Supplementary Conditions, Contractor shall purchase and maintain builder’s risk insurance upon the Work on a completed value basis, in the amount of the full insurable replacement cost thereof (subject to such deductible amounts as may be provided in the Supplementary Conditions or required by Laws and Regulations). This insurance shall:
 1. include the Owner and Contractor as named insureds, and all Subcontractors, and any individuals or entities required by the Supplementary Conditions to be insured under such builder’s risk policy, as insureds or named insureds. For purposes of the remainder of

- this Paragraph 6.05, Paragraphs 6.06 and 6.07, and any corresponding Supplementary Conditions, the parties required to be insured shall collectively be referred to as “insureds.”
2. be written on a builder’s risk “all risk” policy form that shall at least include insurance for physical loss or damage to the Work, temporary buildings, falsework, and materials and equipment in transit, and shall insure against at least the following perils or causes of loss: fire; lightning; windstorm; riot; civil commotion; terrorism; vehicle impact; aircraft; smoke; theft; vandalism and malicious mischief; mechanical breakdown, boiler explosion, and artificially generated electric current; earthquake; volcanic activity, and other earth movement; flood; collapse; explosion; debris removal; demolition occasioned by enforcement of Laws and Regulations; water damage (other than that caused by flood); and such other perils or causes of loss as may be specifically required by the Supplementary Conditions. If insurance against mechanical breakdown, boiler explosion, and artificially generated electric current; earthquake; volcanic activity, and other earth movement; or flood, are not commercially available under builder’s risk policies, by endorsement or otherwise, such insurance may be provided through other insurance policies acceptable to Owner and Contractor.
 3. cover, as insured property, at least the following: (a) the Work and all materials, supplies, machinery, apparatus, equipment, fixtures, and other property of a similar nature that are to be incorporated into or used in the preparation, fabrication, construction, erection, or completion of the Work, including Owner-furnished or assigned property; (b) spare parts inventory required within the scope of the Contract; and (c) temporary works which are not intended to form part of the permanent constructed Work but which are intended to provide working access to the Site, or to the Work under construction, or which are intended to provide temporary support for the Work under construction, including scaffolding, form work, fences, shoring, falsework, and temporary structures.
 4. cover expenses incurred in the repair or replacement of any insured property (including but not limited to fees and charges of engineers and architects).
 5. extend to cover damage or loss to insured property while in temporary storage at the Site or in a storage location outside the Site (but not including property stored at the premises of a manufacturer or Supplier).
 6. extend to cover damage or loss to insured property while in transit.
 7. allow for partial occupation or use of the Work by Owner, such that those portions of the Work that are not yet occupied or used by Owner shall remain covered by the builder’s risk insurance.
 8. allow for the waiver of the insurer’s subrogation rights, as set forth below.
 9. provide primary coverage for all losses and damages caused by the perils or causes of loss covered.
 10. not include a co-insurance clause.
 11. include an exception for ensuing losses from physical damage or loss with respect to any defective workmanship, design, or materials exclusions.
 12. include performance/hot testing and start-up.
 13. be maintained in effect, subject to the provisions herein regarding Substantial Completion and partial occupancy or use of the Work by Owner, until the Work is complete.
- B. *Notice of Cancellation or Change:* All the policies of insurance (and the certificates or other evidence thereof) required to be purchased and maintained in accordance with this Paragraph 6.05 will contain a provision or endorsement that the coverage afforded will not be canceled or materially changed or renewal refused until at least 10 days prior written notice has been given to the purchasing policyholder. Within three days of receipt of any such written notice, the purchasing policyholder shall provide a copy of the notice to each other insured.
 - C. *Deductibles:* The purchaser of any required builder’s risk or property insurance shall pay for costs not covered because of the application of a policy deductible.
 - D. *Partial Occupancy or Use by Owner:* If Owner will occupy or use a portion or portions of the Work prior to Substantial Completion of all the Work as provided in Paragraph 15.04, then Owner (directly, if it is the purchaser of the builder’s risk policy, or through Contractor) will provide notice of such occupancy or use to the builder’s risk insurer. The builder’s risk insurance shall not be canceled or permitted to lapse on account of any such partial use or occupancy; rather, those portions of the Work that are occupied or used by Owner may come off the builder’s risk policy, while those portions of the Work not yet occupied or used by Owner shall remain covered by the builder’s risk insurance.
 - E. *Additional Insurance:* If Contractor elects to obtain other special insurance to be included in or supplement the builder’s risk or property insurance policies provided under this Paragraph 6.05, it may do so at Contractor’s expense.
 - F. *Insurance of Other Property:* If the express insurance provisions of the Contract do not require or address the insurance of a property item or interest, such as tools, construction equipment, or other personal property owned by Contractor, a Subcontractor, or an employee of Contractor or a Subcontractor, then the entity or individual owning such property item will be responsible for deciding whether to insure it, and if so in what amount.

6.06 Waiver of Rights

- A. All policies purchased in accordance with Paragraph 6.05, expressly including the builder’s risk policy, shall contain provisions to the effect that in the event of payment of any loss or damage the insurers will have no rights of recovery against any insureds thereunder, or against Engineer or its

consultants, or their officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, or subcontractors. Owner and Contractor waive all rights against each other and the respective officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, and subcontractors of each and any of them, for all losses and damages caused by, arising out of, or resulting from any of the perils or causes of loss covered by such policies and any other property insurance applicable to the Work; and, in addition, waive all such rights against Engineer, its consultants, all Subcontractors, all individuals or entities identified in the Supplementary Conditions as insureds, and the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, and subcontractors of each and any of them, under such policies for losses and damages so caused. None of the above waivers shall extend to the rights that any party making such waiver may have to the proceeds of insurance held by Owner or Contractor as trustee or fiduciary, or otherwise payable under any policy so issued.

- B. Owner waives all rights against Contractor, Subcontractors, and Engineer, and the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants and subcontractors of each and any of them, for:
1. loss due to business interruption, loss of use, or other consequential loss extending beyond direct physical loss or damage to Owner's property or the Work caused by, arising out of, or resulting from fire or other perils whether or not insured by Owner; and
 2. loss or damage to the completed Project or part thereof caused by, arising out of, or resulting from fire or other insured peril or cause of loss covered by any property insurance maintained on the completed Project or part thereof by Owner during partial occupancy or use pursuant to Paragraph 15.04, after Substantial Completion pursuant to Paragraph 15.03, or after final payment pursuant to Paragraph 15.06.
- C. Any insurance policy maintained by Owner covering any loss, damage or consequential loss referred to in Paragraph 6.06.B shall contain provisions to the effect that in the event of payment of any such loss, damage, or consequential loss, the insurers will have no rights of recovery against Contractor, Subcontractors, or Engineer, or the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, or subcontractors of each and any of them.
- D. Contractor shall be responsible for assuring that the agreement under which a Subcontractor performs a portion of the Work contains provisions whereby the Subcontractor waives all rights against Owner, Contractor, all individuals or entities identified in the Supplementary Conditions as insureds, the Engineer and its consultants, and the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, and subcontractors of each and any of them, for all losses and damages caused by, arising out of, relating to, or resulting from any of the perils or causes of loss covered by builder's risk insurance and any other property insurance applicable to the Work.

6.07 *Receipt and Application of Property Insurance Proceeds*

- A. Any insured loss under the builder's risk and other policies of insurance required by Paragraph 6.05 will be adjusted and settled with the named insured that purchased the policy. Such named insured shall act as fiduciary for the other insureds, and give notice to such other insureds that adjustment and settlement of a claim is in progress. Any other insured may state its position regarding a claim for insured loss in writing within 15 days after notice of such claim.
- B. Proceeds for such insured losses may be made payable by the insurer either jointly to multiple insureds, or to the named insured that purchased the policy in its own right and as fiduciary for other insureds, subject to the requirements of any applicable mortgage clause. A named insured receiving insurance proceeds under the builder's risk and other policies of insurance required by Paragraph 6.05 shall distribute such proceeds in accordance with such agreement as the parties in interest may reach, or as otherwise required under the dispute resolution provisions of this Contract or applicable Laws and Regulations.
- C. If no other special agreement is reached, the damaged Work shall be repaired or replaced, the money so received applied on account thereof, and the Work and the cost thereof covered by Change Order, if needed.

ARTICLE 7 – CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES

7.01 *Supervision and Superintendence*

- A. Contractor shall supervise, inspect, and direct the Work competently and efficiently, devoting such attention thereto and applying such skills and expertise as may be necessary to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents. Contractor shall be solely responsible for the means, methods, techniques, sequences, and procedures of construction.
- B. At all times during the progress of the Work, Contractor shall assign a competent resident superintendent who shall not be replaced without written notice to Owner and Engineer except under extraordinary circumstances.

7.02 *Labor; Working Hours*

- A. Contractor shall provide competent, suitably qualified personnel to survey and lay out the Work and perform construction as required by the Contract Documents. Contractor shall at all times maintain good discipline and order at the Site.
- B. Except as otherwise required for the safety or protection of persons or the Work or property at the Site or adjacent thereto, and except as otherwise stated in the Contract Documents, all Work at the Site shall be performed during regular working hours, Monday through Friday. Contractor will not perform Work on a Saturday, Sunday, or any legal holiday. Contractor may perform Work outside regular working hours or on Saturdays, Sundays, or legal holidays only with Owner's written consent, which will not be unreasonably withheld.

7.03 *Services, Materials, and Equipment*

- A. Unless otherwise specified in the Contract Documents, Contractor shall provide and assume full responsibility for all services, materials, equipment, labor, transportation, construction equipment and machinery, tools, appliances, fuel, power, light, heat, telephone, water, sanitary facilities, temporary facilities, and all other facilities and incidentals necessary for the performance, testing, start up, and completion of the Work, whether or not such items are specifically called for in the Contract Documents.
- B. All materials and equipment incorporated into the Work shall be of good quality and new, except as otherwise provided in the Contract Documents. All special warranties and guarantees required by the Specifications shall expressly run to the benefit of Owner. If required by Engineer, Contractor shall furnish satisfactory evidence (including reports of required tests) as to the source, kind, and quality of materials and equipment.
- C. All materials and equipment shall be stored, applied, installed, connected, erected, protected, used, cleaned, and conditioned in accordance with instructions of the applicable Supplier, except as otherwise may be provided in the Contract Documents.

7.04 *“Or Equals”*

- A. Whenever an item of material or equipment is specified or described in the Contract Documents by using the name of a proprietary item or the name of a particular Supplier, the Contract Price has been based upon Contractor furnishing such item as specified. The specification or description of such an item is intended to establish the type, function, appearance, and quality required. Unless the specification or description contains or is followed by words reading that no like, equivalent, or “or equal” item is permitted, Contractor may request that Engineer authorize the use of other items of material or equipment, or items from other proposed suppliers under the circumstances described below.
 - 1. If Engineer in its sole discretion determines that an item of material or equipment proposed by Contractor is functionally equal to that named and sufficiently similar so that no change in related Work will be required, Engineer shall deem it an “or equal” item. For the purposes of this paragraph, a proposed item of material or equipment will be considered functionally equal to an item so named if:
 - a. in the exercise of reasonable judgment Engineer determines that:
 - 1) it is at least equal in materials of construction, quality, durability, appearance, strength, and design characteristics;
 - 2) it will reliably perform at least equally well the function and achieve the results imposed by the design concept of the completed Project as a functioning whole;

- 3) it has a proven record of performance and availability of responsive service; and
- 4) it is not objectionable to Owner.

b. Contractor certifies that, if approved and incorporated into the Work:

- 1) there will be no increase in cost to the Owner or increase in Contract Times; and
- 2) it will conform substantially to the detailed requirements of the item named in the Contract Documents.

- B. *Contractor’s Expense:* Contractor shall provide all data in support of any proposed “or equal” item at Contractor’s expense.
- C. *Engineer’s Evaluation and Determination:* Engineer will be allowed a reasonable time to evaluate each “or-equal” request. Engineer may require Contractor to furnish additional data about the proposed “or-equal” item. Engineer will be the sole judge of acceptability. No “or-equal” item will be ordered, furnished, installed, or utilized until Engineer’s review is complete and Engineer determines that the proposed item is an “or-equal”, which will be evidenced by an approved Shop Drawing or other written communication. Engineer will advise Contractor in writing of any negative determination.
- D. *Effect of Engineer’s Determination:* Neither approval nor denial of an “or-equal” request shall result in any change in Contract Price. The Engineer’s denial of an “or-equal” request shall be final and binding, and may not be reversed through an appeal under any provision of the Contract Documents.
- E. *Treatment as a Substitution Request:* If Engineer determines that an item of material or equipment proposed by Contractor does not qualify as an “or-equal” item, Contractor may request that Engineer considered the proposed item as a substitute pursuant to Paragraph 7.05.

7.05 *Substitutes*

- A. Unless the specification or description of an item of material or equipment required to be furnished under the Contract Documents contains or is followed by words reading that no substitution is permitted, Contractor may request that Engineer authorize the use of other items of material or equipment under the circumstances described below. To the extent possible such requests shall be made before commencement of related construction at the Site.
 - 1. Contractor shall submit sufficient information as provided below to allow Engineer to determine if the item of material or equipment proposed is functionally equivalent to that named and an acceptable substitute therefor. Engineer will not accept requests for review of proposed substitute items of material or equipment from anyone other than Contractor.
 - 2. The requirements for review by Engineer will be as set forth in Paragraph 7.05.B, as supplemented by the

Specifications, and as Engineer may decide is appropriate under the circumstances.

3. Contractor shall make written application to Engineer for review of a proposed substitute item of material or equipment that Contractor seeks to furnish or use. The application:

- a. shall certify that the proposed substitute item will:
- 1) perform adequately the functions and achieve the results called for by the general design,
 - 2) be similar in substance to that specified, and
 - 3) be suited to the same use as that specified.
- b. will state:
- 1) the extent, if any, to which the use of the proposed substitute item will necessitate a change in Contract Times,
 - 2) whether use of the proposed substitute item in the Work will require a change in any of the Contract Documents (or in the provisions of any other direct contract with Owner for other work on the Project) to adapt the design to the proposed substitute item, and
 - 3) whether incorporation or use of the proposed substitute item in connection with the Work is subject to payment of any license fee or royalty.
- c. will identify:
- 1) all variations of the proposed substitute item from that specified, and
 - 2) available engineering, sales, maintenance, repair, and replacement services.
- d. shall contain an itemized estimate of all costs or credits that will result directly or indirectly from use of such substitute item, including but not limited to changes in Contract Price, shared savings, costs of redesign, and claims of other contractors affected by any resulting change.

- B. *Engineer's Evaluation and Determination:* Engineer will be allowed a reasonable time to evaluate each substitute request, and to obtain comments and direction from Owner. Engineer may require Contractor to furnish additional data about the proposed substitute item. Engineer will be the sole judge of acceptability. No substitute will be ordered, furnished, installed, or utilized until Engineer's review is complete and Engineer determines that the proposed item is an acceptable substitute. Engineer's determination will be evidenced by a Field Order or a proposed Change Order accounting for the substitution itself and all related impacts, including changes in Contract Price or Contract Times. Engineer will advise Contractor in writing of any negative determination.

- C. *Special Guarantee:* Owner may require Contractor to furnish at Contractor's expense a special performance guarantee or other surety with respect to any substitute.
- D. *Reimbursement of Engineer's Cost:* Engineer will record Engineer's costs in evaluating a substitute proposed or submitted by Contractor. Whether or not Engineer approves a substitute so proposed or submitted by Contractor, Contractor shall reimburse Owner for the reasonable charges of Engineer for evaluating each such proposed substitute. Contractor shall also reimburse Owner for the reasonable charges of Engineer for making changes in the Contract Documents (or in the provisions of any other direct contract with Owner) resulting from the acceptance of each proposed substitute.
- E. *Contractor's Expense:* Contractor shall provide all data in support of any proposed substitute at Contractor's expense.
- F. *Effect of Engineer's Determination:* If Engineer approves the substitution request, Contractor shall execute the proposed Change Order and proceed with the substitution. The Engineer's denial of a substitution request shall be final and binding, and may not be reversed through an appeal under any provision of the Contract Documents. Contractor may challenge the scope of reimbursement costs imposed under Paragraph 7.05.D, by timely submittal of a Change Proposal.

7.06 *Concerning Subcontractors, Suppliers, and Others*

- A. Contractor may retain Subcontractors and Suppliers for the performance of parts of the Work. Such Subcontractors and Suppliers must be acceptable to Owner.
- B. Contractor shall retain specific Subcontractors, Suppliers, or other individuals or entities for the performance of designated parts of the Work if required by the Contract to do so.
- C. Subsequent to the submittal of Contractor's Bid or final negotiation of the terms of the Contract, Owner may not require Contractor to retain any Subcontractor, Supplier, or other individual or entity to furnish or perform any of the Work against which Contractor has reasonable objection.
- D. Prior to entry into any binding subcontract or purchase order, Contractor shall submit to Owner the identity of the proposed Subcontractor or Supplier (unless Owner has already deemed such proposed Subcontractor or Supplier acceptable, during the bidding process or otherwise). Such proposed Subcontractor or Supplier shall be deemed acceptable to Owner unless Owner raises a substantive, reasonable objection within five days.
- E. Owner may require the replacement of any Subcontractor, Supplier, or other individual or entity retained by Contractor to perform any part of the Work. Owner also may require Contractor to retain specific replacements; provided, however, that Owner may not require a replacement to which Contractor has a reasonable objection. If Contractor has submitted the identity of certain Subcontractors, Suppliers, or other individuals or entities for acceptance by Owner, and Owner has accepted

it (either in writing or by failing to make written objection thereto), then Owner may subsequently revoke the acceptance of any such Subcontractor, Supplier, or other individual or entity so identified solely on the basis of substantive, reasonable objection after due investigation. Contractor shall submit an acceptable replacement for the rejected Subcontractor, Supplier, or other individual or entity.

- F. If Owner requires the replacement of any Subcontractor, Supplier, or other individual or entity retained by Contractor to perform any part of the Work, then Contractor shall be entitled to an adjustment in Contract Price or Contract Times, or both, with respect to the replacement; and Contractor shall initiate a Change Proposal for such adjustment within 30 days of Owner's requirement of replacement.
- G. No acceptance by Owner of any such Subcontractor, Supplier, or other individual or entity, whether initially or as a replacement, shall constitute a waiver of the right of Owner to the completion of the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.
- H. On a monthly basis Contractor shall submit to Engineer a complete list of all Subcontractors and Suppliers having a direct contract with Contractor, and of all other Subcontractors and Suppliers known to Contractor at the time of submittal.
- I. Contractor shall be fully responsible to Owner and Engineer for all acts and omissions of the Subcontractors, Suppliers, and other individuals or entities performing or furnishing any of the Work just as Contractor is responsible for Contractor's own acts and omissions.
- J. Contractor shall be solely responsible for scheduling and coordinating the work of Subcontractors, Suppliers, and all other individuals or entities performing or furnishing any of the Work.
- K. Contractor shall restrict all Subcontractors, Suppliers, and such other individuals or entities performing or furnishing any of the Work from communicating with Engineer or Owner, except through Contractor or in case of an emergency, or as otherwise expressly allowed herein.
- L. The divisions and sections of the Specifications and the identifications of any Drawings shall not control Contractor in dividing the Work among Subcontractors or Suppliers or delineating the Work to be performed by any specific trade.
- M. All Work performed for Contractor by a Subcontractor or Supplier shall be pursuant to an appropriate contractual agreement that specifically binds the Subcontractor or Supplier to the applicable terms and conditions of the Contract Documents for the benefit of Owner and Engineer.
- N. Owner may furnish to any Subcontractor or Supplier, to the extent practicable, information about amounts paid to Contractor on account of Work performed for Contractor by the particular Subcontractor or Supplier.
- O. Nothing in the Contract Documents:

- 1. shall create for the benefit of any such Subcontractor, Supplier, or other individual or entity any contractual relationship between Owner or Engineer and any such Subcontractor, Supplier, or other individual or entity; nor
- 2. shall create any obligation on the part of Owner or Engineer to pay or to see to the payment of any money due any such Subcontractor, Supplier, or other individual or entity except as may otherwise be required by Laws and Regulations.

7.07 *Patent Fees and Royalties*

- A. Contractor shall pay all license fees and royalties and assume all costs incident to the use in the performance of the Work or the incorporation in the Work of any invention, design, process, product, or device which is the subject of patent rights or copyrights held by others. If a particular invention, design, process, product, or device is specified in the Contract Documents for use in the performance of the Work and if, to the actual knowledge of Owner or Engineer, its use is subject to patent rights or copyrights calling for the payment of any license fee or royalty to others, the existence of such rights shall be disclosed by Owner in the Contract Documents.
- B. To the fullest extent permitted by Laws and Regulations, Owner shall indemnify and hold harmless Contractor, and its officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, and subcontractors from and against all claims, 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 resolution costs) arising out of or relating to any infringement of patent rights or copyrights incident to the use in the performance of the Work or resulting from the incorporation in the Work of any invention, design, process, product, or device specified in the Contract Documents, but not identified as being subject to payment of any license fee or royalty to others required by patent rights or copyrights.
- C. To the fullest extent permitted by Laws and Regulations, Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless Owner and Engineer, and the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants and subcontractors of each and any of them from and against all claims, 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 resolution costs) arising out of or relating to any infringement of patent rights or copyrights incident to the use in the performance of the Work or resulting from the incorporation in the Work of any invention, design, process, product, or device not specified in the Contract Documents.

7.08 *Permits*

- A. Unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents, Contractor shall obtain and pay for all construction permits and licenses. Owner shall assist Contractor, when necessary, in obtaining such permits and licenses. Contractor shall pay all governmental charges and inspection fees necessary for the prosecution of the Work

which are applicable at the time of the submission of Contractor's Bid (or when Contractor became bound under a negotiated contract). Owner shall pay all charges of utility owners for connections for providing permanent service to the Work

7.09 Taxes

- A. Contractor shall pay all sales, consumer, use, and other similar taxes required to be paid by Contractor in accordance with the Laws and Regulations of the place of the Project which are applicable during the performance of the Work.

7.10 Laws and Regulations

- A. Contractor shall give all notices required by and shall comply with all Laws and Regulations applicable to the performance of the Work. Except where otherwise expressly required by applicable Laws and Regulations, neither Owner nor Engineer shall be responsible for monitoring Contractor's compliance with any Laws or Regulations.
- B. If Contractor performs any Work or takes any other action knowing or having reason to know that it is contrary to Laws or Regulations, Contractor shall bear all resulting costs and losses, and shall indemnify and hold harmless Owner and Engineer, and the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, and subcontractors of each and any of them from and against all claims, 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 resolution costs) arising out of or relating to such Work or other action. It shall not be Contractor's responsibility to make certain that the Work described in the Contract Documents is in accordance with Laws and Regulations, but this shall not relieve Contractor of Contractor's obligations under Paragraph 3.03.
- C. Owner or Contractor may give notice to the other party of any changes after the submission of Contractor's Bid (or after the date when Contractor became bound under a negotiated contract) in Laws or Regulations having an effect on the cost or time of performance of the Work, including but not limited to changes in Laws or Regulations having an effect on procuring permits and on sales, use, value-added, consumption, and other similar taxes. If Owner and Contractor are unable to agree on entitlement to or on the amount or extent, if any, of any adjustment in Contract Price or Contract Times resulting from such changes, then within 30 days of such notice Contractor may submit a Change Proposal, or Owner may initiate a Claim.

7.11 Record Documents

- A. Contractor shall maintain in a safe place at the Site one printed record copy of all Drawings, Specifications, Addenda, Change Orders, Work Change Directives, Field Orders, written interpretations and clarifications, and approved Shop Drawings. Contractor shall keep such record documents in good order and annotate them to show changes made during construction. These record

documents, together with all approved Samples, will be available to Engineer for reference. Upon completion of the Work, Contractor shall deliver these record documents to Engineer.

7.12 Safety and Protection

- A. Contractor shall be solely responsible for initiating, maintaining, and supervising all safety precautions and programs in connection with the Work. Such responsibility does not relieve Subcontractors of their responsibility for the safety of persons or property in the performance of their work, nor for compliance with applicable safety Laws and Regulations. Contractor shall take all necessary precautions for the safety of, and shall provide the necessary protection to prevent damage, injury, or loss to:
 1. all persons on the Site or who may be affected by the Work;
 2. all the Work and materials and equipment to be incorporated therein, whether in storage on or off the Site; and
 3. other property at the Site or adjacent thereto, including trees, shrubs, lawns, walks, pavements, roadways, structures, other work in progress, utilities, and Underground Facilities not designated for removal, relocation, or replacement in the course of construction.
- B. Contractor shall comply with all applicable Laws and Regulations relating to the safety of persons or property, or to the protection of persons or property from damage, injury, or loss; and shall erect and maintain all necessary safeguards for such safety and protection. Contractor shall notify Owner; the owners of adjacent property, Underground Facilities, and other utilities; and other contractors and utility owners performing work at or adjacent to the Site, when prosecution of the Work may affect them, and shall cooperate with them in the protection, removal, relocation, and replacement of their property or work in progress.
- C. Contractor shall comply with the applicable requirements of Owner's safety programs, if any. The Supplementary Conditions identify any Owner's safety programs that are applicable to the Work.
- D. Contractor shall inform Owner and Engineer of the specific requirements of Contractor's safety program with which Owner's and Engineer's employees and representatives must comply while at the Site.
- E. All damage, injury, or loss to any property referred to in Paragraph 7.12.A.2 or 7.12.A.3 caused, directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by Contractor, any Subcontractor, Supplier, or any other individual or entity directly or indirectly employed by any of them to perform any of the Work, or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable, shall be remedied by Contractor at its expense (except damage or loss attributable to the fault of Drawings or Specifications or to the acts or omissions of Owner or Engineer or anyone employed by any of them, or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable, and not attributable, directly or indirectly, in whole or in part,

to the fault or negligence of Contractor or any Subcontractor, Supplier, or other individual or entity directly or indirectly employed by any of them).

- F. Contractor's duties and responsibilities for safety and protection shall continue until such time as all the Work is completed and Engineer has issued a notice to Owner and Contractor in accordance with Paragraph 15.06.B that the Work is acceptable (except as otherwise expressly provided in connection with Substantial Completion).
- G. Contractor's duties and responsibilities for safety and protection shall resume whenever Contractor or any Subcontractor or Supplier returns to the Site to fulfill warranty or correction obligations, or to conduct other tasks arising from the Contract Documents.

7.13 Safety Representative

- A. Contractor shall designate a qualified and experienced safety representative at the Site whose duties and responsibilities shall be the prevention of accidents and the maintaining and supervising of safety precautions and programs.

7.14 Hazard Communication Programs

- A. Contractor shall be responsible for coordinating any exchange of material safety data sheets or other hazard communication information required to be made available to or exchanged between or among employers at the Site in accordance with Laws or Regulations.

7.15 Emergencies

- A. In emergencies affecting the safety or protection of persons or the Work or property at the Site or adjacent thereto, Contractor is obligated to act to prevent threatened damage, injury, or loss. Contractor shall give Engineer prompt written notice if Contractor believes that any significant changes in the Work or variations from the Contract Documents have been caused thereby or are required as a result thereof. If Engineer determines that a change in the Contract Documents is required because of the action taken by Contractor in response to such an emergency, a Work Change Directive or Change Order will be issued.

7.16 Shop Drawings, Samples, and Other Submittals

- A. Shop Drawing and Sample Submittal Requirements:
 1. Before submitting a Shop Drawing or Sample, Contractor shall have:
 - a. reviewed and coordinated the Shop Drawing or Sample with other Shop Drawings and Samples and with the requirements of the Work and the Contract Documents;
 - b. determined and verified all field measurements, quantities, dimensions, specified performance and design criteria, installation requirements, materials, catalog numbers, and similar information with respect thereto;
 - c. determined and verified the suitability of all materials and equipment offered with respect to the indicated application, fabrication, shipping,

handling, storage, assembly, and installation pertaining to the performance of the Work; and

- d. determined and verified all information relative to Contractor's responsibilities for means, methods, techniques, sequences, and procedures of construction, and safety precautions and programs incident thereto.
2. Each submittal shall bear a stamp or specific written certification that Contractor has satisfied Contractor's obligations under the Contract Documents with respect to Contractor's review of that submittal, and that Contractor approves the submittal.
3. With each submittal, Contractor shall give Engineer specific written notice of any variations that the Shop Drawing or Sample may have from the requirements of the Contract Documents. This notice shall be set forth in a written communication separate from the Shop Drawings or Sample submittal; and, in addition, in the case of Shop Drawings by a specific notation made on each Shop Drawing submitted to Engineer for review and approval of each such variation.

- B. *Submittal Procedures for Shop Drawings and Samples:* Contractor shall submit Shop Drawings and Samples to Engineer for review and approval in accordance with the accepted Schedule of Submittals. Each submittal will be identified as Engineer may require.

1. Shop Drawings:

- a. Contractor shall submit the number of copies required in the Specifications.
- b. Data shown on the Shop Drawings will be complete with respect to quantities, dimensions, specified performance and design criteria, materials, and similar data to show Engineer the services, materials, and equipment Contractor proposes to provide and to enable Engineer to review the information for the limited purposes required by Paragraph 7.16.D.

2. Samples:

- a. Contractor shall submit the number of Samples required in the Specifications.
- b. Contractor shall clearly identify each Sample as to material, Supplier, pertinent data such as catalog numbers, the use for which intended and other data as Engineer may require to enable Engineer to review the submittal for the limited purposes required by Paragraph 7.16.D.

3. Where a Shop Drawing or Sample is required by the Contract Documents or the Schedule of Submittals, any related Work performed prior to Engineer's review and approval of the pertinent submittal will be at the sole expense and responsibility of Contractor.

- C. *Other Submittals:* Contractor shall submit other submittals to Engineer in accordance with the accepted Schedule of Submittals, and pursuant to the applicable terms of the Specifications.

- D. Engineer's Review:

1. Engineer will provide timely review of Shop Drawings and Samples in accordance with the Schedule of Submittals acceptable to Engineer. Engineer's review and approval will be only to determine if the items covered by the submittals will, after installation or incorporation in the Work, conform to the information given in the Contract Documents and be compatible with the design concept of the completed Project as a functioning whole as indicated by the Contract Documents.
 2. Engineer's review and approval will not extend to means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures of construction or to safety precautions or programs incident thereto.
 3. Engineer's review and approval of a separate item as such will not indicate approval of the assembly in which the item functions.
 4. Engineer's review and approval of a Shop Drawing or Sample shall not relieve Contractor from responsibility for any variation from the requirements of the Contract Documents unless Contractor has complied with the requirements of Paragraph 7.16.A.3 and Engineer has given written approval of each such variation by specific written notation thereof incorporated in or accompanying the Shop Drawing or Sample. Engineer will document any such approved variation from the requirements of the Contract Documents in a Field Order.
 5. Engineer's review and approval of a Shop Drawing or Sample shall not relieve Contractor from responsibility for complying with the requirements of Paragraph 7.16.A and B.
 6. Engineer's review and approval of a Shop Drawing or Sample, or of a variation from the requirements of the Contract Documents, shall not, under any circumstances, change the Contract Times or Contract Price, unless such changes are included in a Change Order.
 7. Neither Engineer's receipt, review, acceptance or approval of a Shop Drawing, Sample, or other submittal shall result in such item becoming a Contract Document.
 8. Contractor shall perform the Work in compliance with the requirements and commitments set forth in approved Shop Drawings and Samples, subject to the provisions of Paragraph 7.16.D.4.
- E. Resubmittal Procedures:
1. Contractor shall make corrections required by Engineer and shall return the required number of corrected copies of Shop Drawings and submit, as required, new Samples for review and approval. Contractor shall direct specific attention in writing to revisions other than the corrections called for by Engineer on previous submittals.
 2. Contractor shall furnish required submittals with sufficient information and accuracy to obtain required approval of an item with no more than three submittals. Engineer will record Engineer's time for reviewing a fourth or subsequent submittal of a Shop Drawings, sample, or other item requiring approval, and Contractor shall be responsible for Engineer's charges to Owner for such time. Owner may impose a set-off against payments due to Contractor to secure reimbursement for such charges.
 3. If Contractor requests a change of a previously approved submittal item, Contractor shall be responsible for Engineer's charges to Owner for its review time, and Owner may impose a set-off against payments due to Contractor to secure reimbursement for such charges, unless the need for such change is beyond the control of Contractor.
- 7.17 *Contractor's General Warranty and Guarantee*
- A. Contractor warrants and guarantees to Owner that all Work will be in accordance with the Contract Documents and will not be defective. Engineer and its officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, and subcontractors shall be entitled to rely on Contractor's warranty and guarantee.
 - B. Contractor's warranty and guarantee hereunder excludes defects or damage caused by:
 1. abuse, modification, or improper maintenance or operation by persons other than Contractor, Subcontractors, Suppliers, or any other individual or entity for whom Contractor is responsible; or
 2. normal wear and tear under normal usage.
 - C. Contractor's obligation to perform and complete the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents shall be absolute. None of the following will constitute an acceptance of Work that is not in accordance with the Contract Documents or a release of Contractor's obligation to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents:
 1. observations by Engineer;
 2. recommendation by Engineer or payment by Owner of any progress or final payment;
 3. the issuance of a certificate of Substantial Completion by Engineer or any payment related thereto by Owner;
 4. use or occupancy of the Work or any part thereof by Owner;
 5. any review and approval of a Shop Drawing or Sample submittal;
 6. the issuance of a notice of acceptability by Engineer;
 7. any inspection, test, or approval by others; or
 8. any correction of defective Work by Owner.
 - D. If the Contract requires the Contractor to accept the assignment of a contract entered into by Owner, then the specific warranties, guarantees, and correction obligations contained in the assigned contract shall govern with respect to Contractor's performance obligations to Owner for the Work described in the assigned contract.

7.18 *Indemnification*

- A. To the fullest extent permitted by Laws and Regulations, and in addition to any other obligations of Contractor under the Contract or otherwise, Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless Owner and Engineer, and the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants and subcontractors of each and any of them from and against all claims, 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 resolution costs) arising out of or relating to the performance of the Work, provided that any such claim, cost, loss, or damage is attributable to bodily injury, sickness, disease, or death, or to injury to or destruction of tangible property (other than the Work itself), including the loss of use resulting therefrom but only to the extent caused by any negligent act or omission of Contractor, any Subcontractor, any Supplier, or any individual or entity directly or indirectly employed by any of them to perform any of the Work or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable.
- B. In any and all claims against Owner or Engineer or any of their officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, or subcontractors by any employee (or the survivor or personal representative of such employee) of Contractor, any Subcontractor, any Supplier, or any individual or entity directly or indirectly employed by any of them to perform any of the Work, or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable, the indemnification obligation under Paragraph 7.18.A shall not be limited in any way by any limitation on the amount or type of damages, compensation, or benefits payable by or for Contractor or any such Subcontractor, Supplier, or other individual or entity under workers' compensation acts, disability benefit acts, or other employee benefit acts.
- C. The indemnification obligations of Contractor under Paragraph 7.18.A shall not extend to the liability of Engineer and Engineer's officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants and subcontractors arising out of:
 - 1. the preparation or approval of, or the failure to prepare or approve maps, Drawings, opinions, reports, surveys, Change Orders, designs, or Specifications; or
 - 2. giving directions or instructions, or failing to give them, if that is the primary cause of the injury or damage.

7.19 *Delegation of Professional Design Services*

- A. Contractor will not be required to provide professional design services unless such services are specifically required by the Contract Documents for a portion of the Work or unless such services are required to carry out Contractor's responsibilities for construction means, methods, techniques, sequences and procedures. Contractor shall not be required to provide professional services in violation of applicable Laws and Regulations.
- B. If professional design services or certifications by a design professional related to systems, materials, or equipment

are specifically required of Contractor by the Contract Documents, Owner and Engineer will specify all performance and design criteria that such services must satisfy. Contractor shall cause such services or certifications to be provided by a properly licensed professional, whose signature and seal shall appear on all drawings, calculations, specifications, certifications, and other submittals prepared by such professional. Shop Drawings and other submittals related to the Work designed or certified by such professional, if prepared by others, shall bear such professional's written approval when submitted to Engineer.

- C. Owner and Engineer shall be entitled to rely upon the adequacy, accuracy, and completeness of the services, certifications, or approvals performed by such design professionals, provided Owner and Engineer have specified to Contractor all performance and design criteria that such services must satisfy.
- D. Pursuant to this paragraph, Engineer's review and approval of design calculations and design drawings will be only for the limited purpose of checking for conformance with performance and design criteria given and the design concept expressed in the Contract Documents. Engineer's review and approval of Shop Drawings and other submittals (except design calculations and design drawings) will be only for the purpose stated in Paragraph 7.16.D.1.
- E. Contractor shall not be responsible for the adequacy of the performance or design criteria specified by Owner or Engineer.

ARTICLE 8 – OTHER WORK AT THE SITE

8.01 *Other Work*

- A. In addition to and apart from the Work under the Contract Documents, the Owner may perform other work at or adjacent to the Site. Such other work may be performed by Owner's employees, or through contracts between the Owner and third parties. Owner may also arrange to have third-party utility owners perform work on their utilities and facilities at or adjacent to the Site.
- B. If Owner performs other work at or adjacent to the Site with Owner's employees, or through contracts for such other work, then Owner shall give Contractor written notice thereof prior to starting any such other work. If Owner has advance information regarding the start of any utility work at or adjacent to the Site, Owner shall provide such information to Contractor.
- C. Contractor shall afford each other contractor that performs such other work, each utility owner performing other work, and Owner, if Owner is performing other work with Owner's employees, proper and safe access to the Site, and provide a reasonable opportunity for the introduction and storage of materials and equipment and the execution of such other work. Contractor shall do all cutting, fitting, and patching of the Work that may be required to properly connect or otherwise make its several parts come together and properly integrate with such other work. Contractor shall not endanger any work of others by cutting, excavating, or otherwise altering such work; provided,

however, that Contractor may cut or alter others' work with the written consent of Engineer and the others whose work will be affected.

- D. If the proper execution or results of any part of Contractor's Work depends upon work performed by others under this Article 8, Contractor shall inspect such other work and promptly report to Engineer in writing any delays, defects, or deficiencies in such other work that render it unavailable or unsuitable for the proper execution and results of Contractor's Work. Contractor's failure to so report will constitute an acceptance of such other work as fit and proper for integration with Contractor's Work except for latent defects and deficiencies in such other work.

8.02 *Coordination*

- A. If Owner intends to contract with others for the performance of other work at or adjacent to the Site, to perform other work at or adjacent to the Site with Owner's employees, or to arrange to have utility owners perform work at or adjacent to the Site, the following will be set forth in the Supplementary Conditions or provided to Contractor prior to the start of any such other work:
1. the identity of the individual or entity that will have authority and responsibility for coordination of the activities among the various contractors;
 2. an itemization of the specific matters to be covered by such authority and responsibility; and
 3. the extent of such authority and responsibilities.
- B. Unless otherwise provided in the Supplementary Conditions, Owner shall have sole authority and responsibility for such coordination.

8.03 *Legal Relationships*

- A. If, in the course of performing other work at or adjacent to the Site for Owner, the Owner's employees, any other contractor working for Owner, or any utility owner causes damage to the Work or to the property of Contractor or its Subcontractors, or delays, disrupts, interferes with, or increases the scope or cost of the performance of the Work, through actions or inaction, then Contractor shall be entitled to an equitable adjustment in the Contract Price or the Contract Times, or both. Contractor must submit any Change Proposal seeking an equitable adjustment in the Contract Price or the Contract Times under this paragraph within 30 days of the damaging, delaying, disrupting, or interfering event. The entitlement to, and extent of, any such equitable adjustment shall take into account information (if any) regarding such other work that was provided to Contractor in the Contract Documents prior to the submittal of the Bid or the final negotiation of the terms of the Contract. When applicable, any such equitable adjustment in Contract Price shall be conditioned on Contractor assigning to Owner all Contractor's rights against such other contractor or utility owner with respect to the damage, delay, disruption, or interference that is the subject of the adjustment. Contractor's entitlement to an adjustment of the Contract Times is conditioned on such adjustment being essential

to Contractor's ability to complete the Work within the Contract Times.

- B. Contractor shall take reasonable and customary measures to avoid damaging, delaying, disrupting, or interfering with the work of Owner, any other contractor, or any utility owner performing other work at or adjacent to the Site. If Contractor fails to take such measures and as a result damages, delays, disrupts, or interferes with the work of any such other contractor or utility owner, then Owner may impose a set-off against payments due to Contractor, and assign to such other contractor or utility owner the Owner's contractual rights against Contractor with respect to the breach of the obligations set forth in this paragraph.
- C. When Owner is performing other work at or adjacent to the Site with Owner's employees, Contractor shall be liable to Owner for damage to such other work, and for the reasonable direct delay, disruption, and interference costs incurred by Owner as a result of Contractor's failure to take reasonable and customary measures with respect to Owner's other work. In response to such damage, delay, disruption, or interference, Owner may impose a set-off against payments due to Contractor.
- D. If Contractor damages, delays, disrupts, or interferes with the work of any other contractor, or any utility owner performing other work at or adjacent to the Site, through Contractor's failure to take reasonable and customary measures to avoid such impacts, or if any claim arising out of Contractor's actions, inactions, or negligence in performance of the Work at or adjacent to the Site is made by any such other contractor or utility owner against Contractor, Owner, or Engineer, then Contractor shall (1) promptly attempt to settle the claim as to all parties through negotiations with such other contractor or utility owner, or otherwise resolve the claim by arbitration or other dispute resolution proceeding or at law, and (2) indemnify and hold harmless Owner and Engineer, and the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants and subcontractors of each and any of them from and against any such claims, and against 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 resolution costs) arising out of or relating to such damage, delay, disruption, or interference.

ARTICLE 9 – OWNER'S RESPONSIBILITIES

9.01 *Communications to Contractor*

- A. Except as otherwise provided in these General Conditions, Owner shall issue all communications to Contractor through Engineer.

9.02 *Replacement of Engineer*

- A. Owner may at its discretion appoint an engineer to replace Engineer, provided Contractor makes no reasonable objection to the replacement engineer. The replacement engineer's status under the Contract Documents shall be that of the former Engineer.

9.03 *Furnish Data*

- A. Owner shall promptly furnish the data required of Owner under the Contract Documents.

9.04 *Pay When Due*

- A. Owner shall make payments to Contractor when they are due as provided in the Agreement.

9.05 *Lands and Easements; Reports, Tests, and Drawings*

- A. Owner's duties with respect to providing lands and easements are set forth in Paragraph 5.01.
- B. Owner's duties with respect to providing engineering surveys to establish reference points are set forth in Paragraph 4.03.
- C. Article 5 refers to Owner's identifying and making available to Contractor copies of reports of explorations and tests of conditions at the Site, and drawings of physical conditions relating to existing surface or subsurface structures at the Site.

9.06 *Insurance*

- A. Owner's responsibilities, if any, with respect to purchasing and maintaining liability and property insurance are set forth in Article 6.

9.07 *Change Orders*

- A. Owner's responsibilities with respect to Change Orders are set forth in Article 11.

9.08 *Inspections, Tests, and Approvals*

- A. Owner's responsibility with respect to certain inspections, tests, and approvals is set forth in Paragraph 14.02.B.

9.09 *Limitations on Owner's Responsibilities*

- A. The Owner shall not supervise, direct, or have control or authority over, nor be responsible for, Contractor's means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures of construction, or the safety precautions and programs incident thereto, or for any failure of Contractor to comply with Laws and Regulations applicable to the performance of the Work. Owner will not be responsible for Contractor's failure to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.

9.10 *Undisclosed Hazardous Environmental Condition*

- A. Owner's responsibility in respect to an undisclosed Hazardous Environmental Condition is set forth in Paragraph 5.06.

9.11 *Evidence of Financial Arrangements*

- A. Upon request of Contractor, Owner shall furnish Contractor reasonable evidence that financial arrangements have been made to satisfy Owner's obligations under the Contract Documents (including obligations under proposed changes in the Work).

9.12 *Safety Programs*

- A. While at the Site, Owner's employees and representatives shall comply with the specific applicable requirements of

Contractor's safety programs of which Owner has been informed.

- B. Owner shall furnish copies of any applicable Owner safety programs to Contractor.

ARTICLE 10 – ENGINEER'S STATUS DURING CONSTRUCTION

10.01 *Owner's Representative*

- A. Engineer will be Owner's representative during the construction period. The duties and responsibilities and the limitations of authority of Engineer as Owner's representative during construction are set forth in the Contract.

10.02 *Visits to Site*

- A. Engineer will make visits to the Site at intervals appropriate to the various stages of construction as Engineer deems necessary in order to observe as an experienced and qualified design professional the progress that has been made and the quality of the various aspects of Contractor's executed Work. Based on information obtained during such visits and observations, Engineer, for the benefit of Owner, will determine, in general, if the Work is proceeding in accordance with the Contract Documents. Engineer will not be required to make exhaustive or continuous inspections on the Site to check the quality or quantity of the Work. Engineer's efforts will be directed toward providing for Owner a greater degree of confidence that the completed Work will conform generally to the Contract Documents. On the basis of such visits and observations, Engineer will keep Owner informed of the progress of the Work and will endeavor to guard Owner against defective Work.

- B. Engineer's visits and observations are subject to all the limitations on Engineer's authority and responsibility set forth in Paragraph 10.08. Particularly, but without limitation, during or as a result of Engineer's visits or observations of Contractor's Work, Engineer will not supervise, direct, control, or have authority over or be responsible for Contractor's means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures of construction, or the safety precautions and programs incident thereto, or for any failure of Contractor to comply with Laws and Regulations applicable to the performance of the Work.

10.03 *Project Representative*

- A. If Owner and Engineer have agreed that Engineer will furnish a Resident Project Representative to represent Engineer at the Site and assist Engineer in observing the progress and quality of the Work, then the authority and responsibilities of any such Resident Project Representative will be as provided in the Supplementary Conditions, and limitations on the responsibilities thereof will be as provided in Paragraph 10.08. If Owner designates another representative or agent to represent Owner at the Site who is not Engineer's consultant, agent, or employee, the responsibilities and authority and limitations thereon of such other individual or entity will be as provided in the Supplementary Conditions.

10.04 *Rejecting Defective Work*

- A. Engineer has the authority to reject Work in accordance with Article 14.

10.05 *Shop Drawings, Change Orders and Payments*

- A. Engineer's authority, and limitations thereof, as to Shop Drawings and Samples, are set forth in Paragraph 7.16.
- B. Engineer's authority, and limitations thereof, as to design calculations and design drawings submitted in response to a delegation of professional design services, if any, are set forth in Paragraph 7.19.
- C. Engineer's authority as to Change Orders is set forth in Article 11.
- D. Engineer's authority as to Applications for Payment is set forth in Article 15.

10.06 *Determinations for Unit Price Work*

- A. Engineer will determine the actual quantities and classifications of Unit Price Work performed by Contractor as set forth in Paragraph 13.03.

10.07 *Decisions on Requirements of Contract Documents and Acceptability of Work*

- A. Engineer will render decisions regarding the requirements of the Contract Documents, and judge the acceptability of the Work, pursuant to the specific procedures set forth herein for initial interpretations, Change Proposals, and acceptance of the Work. In rendering such decisions and judgments, Engineer will not show partiality to Owner or Contractor, and will not be liable to Owner, Contractor, or others in connection with any proceedings, interpretations, decisions, or judgments conducted or rendered in good faith.

10.08 *Limitations on Engineer's Authority and Responsibilities*

- A. Neither Engineer's authority or responsibility under this Article 10 or under any other provision of the Contract, nor any decision made by Engineer in good faith either to exercise or not exercise such authority or responsibility or the undertaking, exercise, or performance of any authority or responsibility by Engineer, shall create, impose, or give rise to any duty in contract, tort, or otherwise owed by Engineer to Contractor, any Subcontractor, any Supplier, any other individual or entity, or to any surety for or employee or agent of any of them.
- B. Engineer will not supervise, direct, control, or have authority over or be responsible for Contractor's means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures of construction, or the safety precautions and programs incident thereto, or for any failure of Contractor to comply with Laws and Regulations applicable to the performance of the Work. Engineer will not be responsible for Contractor's failure to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.
- C. Engineer will not be responsible for the acts or omissions of Contractor or of any Subcontractor, any Supplier, or of any other individual or entity performing any of the Work.
- D. Engineer's review of the final Application for Payment and accompanying documentation and all maintenance

and operating instructions, schedules, guarantees, bonds, certificates of inspection, tests and approvals, and other documentation required to be delivered by Paragraph 15.06.A will only be to determine generally that their content complies with the requirements of, and in the case of certificates of inspections, tests, and approvals, that the results certified indicate compliance with the Contract Documents.

- E. The limitations upon authority and responsibility set forth in this Paragraph 10.08 shall also apply to the Resident Project Representative, if any.

10.09 *Compliance with Safety Program*

- A. While at the Site, Engineer's employees and representatives will comply with the specific applicable requirements of Owner's and Contractor's safety programs (if any) of which Engineer has been informed.

ARTICLE 11 – AMENDING THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS; CHANGES IN THE WORK

11.01 *Amending and Supplementing Contract Documents*

- A. The Contract Documents may be amended or supplemented by a Change Order, a Work Change Directive, or a Field Order.

1. Change Orders:

- a. If an amendment or supplement to the Contract Documents includes a change in the Contract Price or the Contract Times, such amendment or supplement must be set forth in a Change Order. A Change Order also may be used to establish amendments and supplements of the Contract Documents that do not affect the Contract Price or Contract Times.
- b. Owner and Contractor may amend those terms and conditions of the Contract Documents that do not involve (1) the performance or acceptability of the Work, (2) the design (as set forth in the Drawings, Specifications, or otherwise), or (3) other engineering or technical matters, without the recommendation of the Engineer. Such an amendment shall be set forth in a Change Order.

- 2. *Work Change Directives:* A Work Change Directive will not change the Contract Price or the Contract Times but is evidence that the parties expect that the modification ordered or documented by a Work Change Directive will be incorporated in a subsequently issued Change Order, following negotiations by the parties as to the Work Change Directive's effect, if any, on the Contract Price and Contract Times; or, if negotiations are unsuccessful, by a determination under the terms of the Contract Documents governing adjustments, expressly including Paragraph 11.04 regarding change of Contract Price. Contractor must submit any Change Proposal seeking an adjustment of the Contract Price or the Contract Times, or both, no later than 30 days after the completion of the Work set out in the Work Change Directive. Owner must submit any Claim seeking an adjustment of the Contract Price or the

Contract Times, or both, no later than 60 days after issuance of the Work Change Directive.

3. *Field Orders*: Engineer may authorize minor changes in the Work if the changes do not involve an adjustment in the Contract Price or the Contract Times and are compatible with the design concept of the completed Project as a functioning whole as indicated by the Contract Documents. Such changes will be accomplished by a Field Order and will be binding on Owner and also on Contractor, which shall perform the Work involved promptly. If Contractor believes that a Field Order justifies an adjustment in the Contract Price or Contract Times, or both, then before proceeding with the Work at issue, Contractor shall submit a Change Proposal as provided herein.

11.02 *Owner-Authorized Changes in the Work*

- A. Without invalidating the Contract and without notice to any surety, Owner may, at any time or from time to time, order additions, deletions, or revisions in the Work. Such changes shall be supported by Engineer's recommendation, to the extent the change involves the design (as set forth in the Drawings, Specifications, or otherwise), or other engineering or technical matters. Such changes may be accomplished by a Change Order, if Owner and Contractor have agreed as to the effect, if any, of the changes on Contract Times or Contract Price; or by a Work Change Directive. Upon receipt of any such document, Contractor shall promptly proceed with the Work involved; or, in the case of a deletion in the Work, promptly cease construction activities with respect to such deleted Work. Added or revised Work shall be performed under the applicable conditions of the Contract Documents. Nothing in this paragraph shall obligate Contractor to undertake work that Contractor reasonably concludes cannot be performed in a manner consistent with Contractor's safety obligations under the Contract Documents or Laws and Regulations.

11.03 *Unauthorized Changes in the Work*

- A. Contractor shall not be entitled to an increase in the Contract Price or an extension of the Contract Times with respect to any work performed that is not required by the Contract Documents, as amended, modified, or supplemented, except in the case of an emergency as provided in Paragraph 7.15 or in the case of uncovering Work as provided in Paragraph 14.05.

11.04 *Change of Contract Price*

- A. The Contract Price may only be changed by a Change Order. Any Change Proposal for an adjustment in the Contract Price shall comply with the provisions of Paragraph 11.06. Any Claim for an adjustment of Contract Price shall comply with the provisions of Article 12.
- B. An adjustment in the Contract Price will be determined as follows:
 1. where the Work involved is covered by unit prices contained in the Contract Documents, then by application of such unit prices to the quantities of the

items involved (subject to the provisions of Paragraph 13.03); or

2. where the Work involved is not covered by unit prices contained in the Contract Documents, then by a mutually agreed lump sum (which may include an allowance for overhead and profit not necessarily in accordance with Paragraph 11.04.C.2); or
 3. where the Work involved is not covered by unit prices contained in the Contract Documents and the parties do not reach mutual agreement to a lump sum, then on the basis of the Cost of the Work (determined as provided in Paragraph 13.01) plus a Contractor's fee for overhead and profit (determined as provided in Paragraph 11.04.C).
- C. *Contractor's Fee*: When applicable, the Contractor's fee for overhead and profit shall be determined as follows:
1. a mutually acceptable fixed fee; or
 2. if a fixed fee is not agreed upon, then a fee based on the following percentages of the various portions of the Cost of the Work:
 - a. for costs incurred under Paragraphs 13.01.B.1 and 13.01.B.2, the Contractor's fee shall be 15 percent;
 - b. for costs incurred under Paragraph 13.01.B.3, the Contractor's fee shall be five percent;
 - c. where one or more tiers of subcontracts are on the basis of Cost of the Work plus a fee and no fixed fee is agreed upon, the intent of Paragraphs 11.01.C.2.a and 11.01.C.2.b is that the Contractor's fee shall be based on: (1) a fee of 15 percent of the costs incurred under Paragraphs 13.01.A.1 and 13.01.A.2 by the Subcontractor that actually performs the Work, at whatever tier, and (2) with respect to Contractor itself and to any Subcontractors of a tier higher than that of the Subcontractor that actually performs the Work, a fee of five percent of the amount (fee plus underlying costs incurred) attributable to the next lower tier Subcontractor; provided, however, that for any such subcontracted work the maximum total fee to be paid by Owner shall be no greater than 27 percent of the costs incurred by the Subcontractor that actually performs the work;
 - d. no fee shall be payable on the basis of costs itemized under Paragraphs 13.01.B.4, 13.01.B.5, and 13.01.C;
 - e. the amount of credit to be allowed by Contractor to Owner for any change which results in a net decrease in cost will be the amount of the actual net decrease in cost plus a deduction in Contractor's fee by an amount equal to five percent of such net decrease; and
 - f. when both additions and credits are involved in any one change, the adjustment in Contractor's fee shall be computed on the basis of the net change in accordance with Paragraphs 11.04.C.2.a through 11.04.C.2.e, inclusive.

11.05 *Change of Contract Times*

- A. The Contract Times may only be changed by a Change Order. Any Change Proposal for an adjustment in the Contract Times shall comply with the provisions of Paragraph 11.06. Any Claim for an adjustment in the Contract Times shall comply with the provisions of Article 12.
- B. An adjustment of the Contract Times shall be subject to the limitations set forth in Paragraph 4.05, concerning delays in Contractor's progress.

11.06 *Change Proposals*

- A. Contractor shall submit a Change Proposal to Engineer to request an adjustment in the Contract Times or Contract Price; appeal an initial decision by Engineer concerning the requirements of the Contract Documents or relating to the acceptability of the Work under the Contract Documents; contest a set-off against payment due; or seek other relief under the Contract. The Change Proposal shall specify any proposed change in Contract Times or Contract Price, or both, or other proposed relief, and explain the reason for the proposed change, with citations to any governing or applicable provisions of the Contract Documents.
 - 1. *Procedures:* Contractor shall submit each Change Proposal to Engineer promptly (but in no event later than 30 days) after the start of the event giving rise thereto, or after such initial decision. The Contractor shall submit supporting data, including the proposed change in Contract Price or Contract Time (if any), to the Engineer and Owner within 15 days after the submittal of the Change Proposal. The supporting data shall be accompanied by a written statement that the supporting data are accurate and complete, and that any requested time or price adjustment is the entire adjustment to which Contractor believes it is entitled as a result of said event. Engineer will advise Owner regarding the Change Proposal, and consider any comments or response from Owner regarding the Change Proposal.
 - 2. *Engineer's Action:* Engineer will review each Change Proposal and, within 30 days after receipt of the Contractor's supporting data, either deny the Change Proposal in whole, approve it in whole, or deny it in part and approve it in part. Such actions shall be in writing, with a copy provided to Owner and Contractor. If Engineer does not take action on the Change Proposal within 30 days, then either Owner or Contractor may at any time thereafter submit a letter to the other party indicating that as a result of Engineer's inaction the Change Proposal is deemed denied, thereby commencing the time for appeal of the denial under Article 12.
 - 3. *Binding Decision:* Engineer's decision will be final and binding upon Owner and Contractor, unless Owner or Contractor appeals the decision by filing a Claim under Article 12.
- B. *Resolution of Certain Change Proposals:* If the Change Proposal does not involve the design (as set forth in the

Drawings, Specifications, or otherwise), the acceptability of the Work, or other engineering or technical matters, then Engineer will notify the parties that the Engineer is unable to resolve the Change Proposal. For purposes of further resolution of such a Change Proposal, such notice shall be deemed a denial, and Contractor may choose to seek resolution under the terms of Article 12.

11.07 *Execution of Change Orders*

- A. Owner and Contractor shall execute appropriate Change Orders covering:
 - 1. changes in the Contract Price or Contract Times which are agreed to by the parties, including any undisputed sum or amount of time for Work actually performed in accordance with a Work Change Directive;
 - 2. changes in Contract Price resulting from an Owner set-off, unless Contractor has duly contested such set-off;
 - 3. changes in the Work which are: (a) ordered by Owner pursuant to Paragraph 11.02, (b) required because of Owner's acceptance of defective Work under Paragraph 14.04 or Owner's correction of defective Work under Paragraph 14.07, or (c) agreed to by the parties, subject to the need for Engineer's recommendation if the change in the Work involves the design (as set forth in the Drawings, Specifications, or otherwise), or other engineering or technical matters; and
 - 4. changes in the Contract Price or Contract Times, or other changes, which embody the substance of any final and binding results under Paragraph 11.06, or Article 12.
- B. If Owner or Contractor refuses to execute a Change Order that is required to be executed under the terms of this Paragraph 11.07, it shall be deemed to be of full force and effect, as if fully executed.

11.08 *Notification to Surety*

- A. If the provisions of any bond require notice to be given to a surety of any change affecting the general scope of the Work or the provisions of the Contract Documents (including, but not limited to, Contract Price or Contract Times), the giving of any such notice will be Contractor's responsibility. The amount of each applicable bond will be adjusted to reflect the effect of any such change.

ARTICLE 12 – CLAIMS

12.01 *Claims*

- A. *Claims Process:* The following disputes between Owner and Contractor shall be submitted to the Claims process set forth in this Article:
 - 1. Appeals by Owner or Contractor of Engineer's decisions regarding Change Proposals;
 - 2. Owner demands for adjustments in the Contract Price or Contract Times, or other relief under the Contract Documents; and

3. Disputes that Engineer has been unable to address because they do not involve the design (as set forth in the Drawings, Specifications, or otherwise), the acceptability of the Work, or other engineering or technical matters.
- B. *Submittal of Claim:* The party submitting a Claim shall deliver it directly to the other party to the Contract promptly (but in no event later than 30 days) after the start of the event giving rise thereto; in the case of appeals regarding Change Proposals within 30 days of the decision under appeal. The party submitting the Claim shall also furnish a copy to the Engineer, for its information only. The responsibility to substantiate a Claim shall rest with the party making the Claim. In the case of a Claim by Contractor seeking an increase in the Contract Times or Contract Price, or both, Contractor shall certify that the Claim is made in good faith, that the supporting data are accurate and complete, and that to the best of Contractor's knowledge and belief the amount of time or money requested accurately reflects the full amount to which Contractor is entitled.
- C. *Review and Resolution:* The party receiving a Claim shall review it thoroughly, giving full consideration to its merits. The two parties shall seek to resolve the Claim through the exchange of information and direct negotiations. The parties may extend the time for resolving the Claim by mutual agreement. All actions taken on a Claim shall be stated in writing and submitted to the other party, with a copy to Engineer.
- D. *Mediation:*
1. At any time after initiation of a Claim, Owner and Contractor may mutually agree to mediation of the underlying dispute. The agreement to mediate shall stay the Claim submittal and response process.
 2. If Owner and Contractor agree to mediation, then after 60 days from such agreement, either Owner or Contractor may unilaterally terminate the mediation process, and the Claim submittal and decision process shall resume as of the date of the termination. If the mediation proceeds but is unsuccessful in resolving the dispute, the Claim submittal and decision process shall resume as of the date of the conclusion of the mediation, as determined by the mediator.
 3. Owner and Contractor shall each pay one-half of the mediator's fees and costs.
- E. *Partial Approval:* If the party receiving a Claim approves the Claim in part and denies it in part, such action shall be final and binding unless within 30 days of such action the other party invokes the procedure set forth in Article 17 for final resolution of disputes.
- F. *Denial of Claim:* If efforts to resolve a Claim are not successful, the party receiving the Claim may deny it by giving written notice of denial to the other party. If the receiving party does not take action on the Claim within 90 days, then either Owner or Contractor may at any time thereafter submit a letter to the other party indicating that as a result of the inaction, the Claim is deemed denied, thereby commencing the time for appeal of the denial. A denial of the Claim shall be final and binding unless within 30 days of the denial the other party invokes the procedure set forth in Article 17 for the final resolution of disputes.
- G. *Final and Binding Results:* If the parties reach a mutual agreement regarding a Claim, whether through approval of the Claim, direct negotiations, mediation, or otherwise; or if a Claim is approved in part and denied in part, or denied in full, and such actions become final and binding; then the results of the agreement or action on the Claim shall be incorporated in a Change Order to the extent they affect the Contract, including the Work, the Contract Times, or the Contract Price.

ARTICLE 13 – COST OF THE WORK; ALLOWANCES; UNIT PRICE WORK

13.01 *Cost of the Work*

- A. *Purposes for Determination of Cost of the Work:* The term Cost of the Work means the sum of all costs necessary for the proper performance of the Work at issue, as further defined below. The provisions of this Paragraph 13.01 are used for two distinct purposes:
1. To determine Cost of the Work when Cost of the Work is a component of the Contract Price, under cost-plus-fee, time-and-materials, or other cost-based terms; or
 2. To determine the value of a Change Order, Change Proposal, Claim, set-off, or other adjustment in Contract Price. When the value of any such adjustment is determined on the basis of Cost of the Work, Contractor is entitled only to those additional or incremental costs required because of the change in the Work or because of the event giving rise to the adjustment.
- B. *Costs Included:* Except as otherwise may be agreed to in writing by Owner, costs included in the Cost of the Work shall be in amounts no higher than those prevailing in the locality of the Project, shall not include any of the costs itemized in Paragraph 13.01.C, and shall include only the following items:
1. Payroll costs for employees in the direct employ of Contractor in the performance of the Work under schedules of job classifications agreed upon by Owner and Contractor. Such employees shall include, without limitation, superintendents, foremen, and other personnel employed full time on the Work. Payroll costs for employees not employed full time on the Work shall be apportioned on the basis of their time spent on the Work. Payroll costs shall include, but not be limited to, salaries and wages plus the cost of fringe benefits, which shall include social security contributions, unemployment, excise, and payroll taxes, workers' compensation, health and retirement benefits, bonuses, sick leave, and vacation and holiday pay applicable thereto. The expenses of performing Work outside of regular working hours, on Saturday, Sunday, or legal holidays, shall be

- included in the above to the extent authorized by Owner.
2. Cost of all materials and equipment furnished and incorporated in the Work, including costs of transportation and storage thereof, and Suppliers' field services required in connection therewith. All cash discounts shall accrue to Contractor unless Owner deposits funds with Contractor with which to make payments, in which case the cash discounts shall accrue to Owner. All trade discounts, rebates, and refunds and returns from sale of surplus materials and equipment shall accrue to Owner, and Contractor shall make provisions so that they may be obtained.
 3. Payments made by Contractor to Subcontractors for Work performed by Subcontractors. If required by Owner, Contractor shall obtain competitive bids from subcontractors acceptable to Owner and Contractor and shall deliver such bids to Owner, who will then determine, with the advice of Engineer, which bids, if any, will be acceptable. If any subcontract provides that the Subcontractor is to be paid on the basis of Cost of the Work plus a fee, the Subcontractor's Cost of the Work and fee shall be determined in the same manner as Contractor's Cost of the Work and fee as provided in this Paragraph 13.01.
 4. Costs of special consultants (including but not limited to engineers, architects, testing laboratories, surveyors, attorneys, and accountants) employed for services specifically related to the Work.
 5. Supplemental costs including the following:
 - a. The proportion of necessary transportation, travel, and subsistence expenses of Contractor's employees incurred in discharge of duties connected with the Work.
 - b. Cost, including transportation and maintenance, of all materials, supplies, equipment, machinery, appliances, office, and temporary facilities at the Site, and hand tools not owned by the workers, which are consumed in the performance of the Work, and cost, less market value, of such items used but not consumed which remain the property of Contractor.
 - c. Rentals of all construction equipment and machinery, and the parts thereof, whether rented from Contractor or others in accordance with rental agreements approved by Owner with the advice of Engineer, and the costs of transportation, loading, unloading, assembly, dismantling, and removal thereof. All such costs shall be in accordance with the terms of said rental agreements. The rental of any such equipment, machinery, or parts shall cease when the use thereof is no longer necessary for the Work.
 - d. Sales, consumer, use, and other similar taxes related to the Work, and for which Contractor is liable, as imposed by Laws and Regulations.
 - e. Deposits lost for causes other than negligence of Contractor, any Subcontractor, or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them or for whose acts any of them may be liable, and royalty payments and fees for permits and licenses.
 - f. Losses and damages (and related expenses) caused by damage to the Work, not compensated by insurance or otherwise, sustained by Contractor in connection with the performance of the Work (except losses and damages within the deductible amounts of property insurance established in accordance with Paragraph 6.05), provided such losses and damages have resulted from causes other than the negligence of Contractor, any Subcontractor, or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them or for whose acts any of them may be liable. Such losses shall include settlements made with the written consent and approval of Owner. No such losses, damages, and expenses shall be included in the Cost of the Work for the purpose of determining Contractor's fee.
 - g. The cost of utilities, fuel, and sanitary facilities at the Site.
 - h. Minor expenses such as communication service at the Site, express and courier services, and similar petty cash items in connection with the Work.
 - i. The costs of premiums for all bonds and insurance that Contractor is required by the Contract Documents to purchase and maintain.
- C. *Costs Excluded:* The term Cost of the Work shall not include any of the following items:
1. Payroll costs and other compensation of Contractor's officers, executives, principals (of partnerships and sole proprietorships), general managers, safety managers, engineers, architects, estimators, attorneys, auditors, accountants, purchasing and contracting agents, expeditors, timekeepers, clerks, and other personnel employed by Contractor, whether at the Site or in Contractor's principal or branch office for general administration of the Work and not specifically included in the agreed upon schedule of job classifications referred to in Paragraph 13.01.B.1 or specifically covered by Paragraph 13.01.B.4. The payroll costs and other compensation excluded here are to be considered administrative costs covered by the Contractor's fee.
 2. Expenses of Contractor's principal and branch offices other than Contractor's office at the Site.
 3. Any part of Contractor's capital expenses, including interest on Contractor's capital employed for the Work and charges against Contractor for delinquent payments.
 4. Costs due to the negligence of Contractor, any Subcontractor, or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them or for whose acts any of them may be liable, including but not limited to, the correction of defective Work, disposal of materials or equipment wrongly supplied, and making good any damage to property.

5. Other overhead or general expense costs of any kind and the costs of any item not specifically and expressly included in Paragraph 13.01.B.
- D. *Contractor's Fee*: When the Work as a whole is performed on the basis of cost-plus, Contractor's fee shall be determined as set forth in the Agreement. When the value of any Work covered by a Change Order, Change Proposal, Claim, set-off, or other adjustment in Contract Price is determined on the basis of Cost of the Work, Contractor's fee shall be determined as set forth in Paragraph 11.04.C.
- E. *Documentation*: Whenever the Cost of the Work for any purpose is to be determined pursuant to this Article 13, Contractor will establish and maintain records thereof in accordance with generally accepted accounting practices and submit in a form acceptable to Engineer an itemized cost breakdown together with supporting data.

13.02 Allowances

- A. It is understood that Contractor has included in the Contract Price all allowances so named in the Contract Documents and shall cause the Work so covered to be performed for such sums and by such persons or entities as may be acceptable to Owner and Engineer.
- B. *Cash Allowances*: Contractor agrees that:
1. the cash allowances include the cost to Contractor (less any applicable trade discounts) of materials and equipment required by the allowances to be delivered at the Site, and all applicable taxes; and
 2. Contractor's costs for unloading and handling on the Site, labor, installation, overhead, profit, and other expenses contemplated for the cash allowances have been included in the Contract Price and not in the allowances, and no demand for additional payment on account of any of the foregoing will be valid.
- C. *Contingency Allowance*: Contractor agrees that a contingency allowance, if any, is for the sole use of Owner to cover unanticipated costs.
- D. Prior to final payment, an appropriate Change Order will be issued as recommended by Engineer to reflect actual amounts due Contractor on account of Work covered by allowances, and the Contract Price shall be correspondingly adjusted.

13.03 Unit Price Work

- A. Where the Contract Documents provide that all or part of the Work is to be Unit Price Work, initially the Contract Price will be deemed to include for all Unit Price Work an amount equal to the sum of the unit price for each separately identified item of Unit Price Work times the estimated quantity of each item as indicated in the Agreement.
- B. The estimated quantities of items of Unit Price Work are not guaranteed and are solely for the purpose of comparison of Bids and determining an initial Contract Price. Payments to Contractor for Unit Price Work will be based on actual quantities.
- C. Each unit price will be deemed to include an amount considered by Contractor to be adequate to cover Contractor's overhead and profit for each separately identified item.
- D. Engineer will determine the actual quantities and classifications of Unit Price Work performed by Contractor. Engineer will review with Contractor the Engineer's preliminary determinations on such matters before rendering a written decision thereon (by recommendation of an Application for Payment or otherwise). Engineer's written decision thereon will be final and binding (except as modified by Engineer to reflect changed factual conditions or more accurate data) upon Owner and Contractor, subject to the provisions of the following paragraph.
- E. Within 30 days of Engineer's written decision under the preceding paragraph, Contractor may submit a Change Proposal, or Owner may file a Claim, seeking an adjustment in the Contract Price if:
1. the quantity of any item of Unit Price Work performed by Contractor differs materially and significantly from the estimated quantity of such item indicated in the Agreement;
 2. there is no corresponding adjustment with respect to any other item of Work; and
 3. Contractor believes that it is entitled to an increase in Contract Price as a result of having incurred additional expense or Owner believes that Owner is entitled to a decrease in Contract Price, and the parties are unable to agree as to the amount of any such increase or decrease.

ARTICLE 14 – TESTS AND INSPECTIONS; CORRECTION, REMOVAL OR ACCEPTANCE OF DEFECTIVE WORK

14.01 Access to Work

- A. Owner, Engineer, their consultants and other representatives and personnel of Owner, independent testing laboratories, and authorities having jurisdiction will have access to the Site and the Work at reasonable times for their observation, inspection, and testing. Contractor shall provide them proper and safe conditions for such access and advise them of Contractor's safety procedures and programs so that they may comply therewith as applicable.

14.02 Tests, Inspections, and Approvals

- A. Contractor shall give Engineer timely notice of readiness of the Work (or specific parts thereof) for all required inspections and tests, and shall cooperate with inspection and testing personnel to facilitate required inspections and tests.
- B. Owner shall retain and pay for the services of an independent inspector, testing laboratory, or other qualified individual or entity to perform all inspections and tests expressly required by the Contract Documents to be furnished and paid for by Owner, except that costs incurred in connection with tests or inspections of covered

Work shall be governed by the provisions of Paragraph 14.05.

- C. If Laws or Regulations of any public body having jurisdiction require any Work (or part thereof) specifically to be inspected, tested, or approved by an employee or other representative of such public body, Contractor shall assume full responsibility for arranging and obtaining such inspections, tests, or approvals, pay all costs in connection therewith, and furnish Engineer the required certificates of inspection or approval.
- D. Contractor shall be responsible for arranging, obtaining, and paying for all inspections and tests required:
 1. by the Contract Documents, unless the Contract Documents expressly allocate responsibility for a specific inspection or test to Owner;
 2. to attain Owner's and Engineer's acceptance of materials or equipment to be incorporated in the Work;
 3. by manufacturers of equipment furnished under the Contract Documents;
 4. for testing, adjusting, and balancing of mechanical, electrical, and other equipment to be incorporated into the Work; and
 5. for acceptance of materials, mix designs, or equipment submitted for approval prior to Contractor's purchase thereof for incorporation in the Work.

Such inspections and tests shall be performed by independent inspectors, testing laboratories, or other qualified individuals or entities acceptable to Owner and Engineer.

- E. If the Contract Documents require the Work (or part thereof) to be approved by Owner, Engineer, or another designated individual or entity, then Contractor shall assume full responsibility for arranging and obtaining such approvals.
- F. If any Work (or the work of others) that is to be inspected, tested, or approved is covered by Contractor without written concurrence of Engineer, Contractor shall, if requested by Engineer, uncover such Work for observation. Such uncovering shall be at Contractor's expense unless Contractor had given Engineer timely notice of Contractor's intention to cover the same and Engineer had not acted with reasonable promptness in response to such notice.

14.03 Defective Work

- A. *Contractor's Obligation:* It is Contractor's obligation to assure that the Work is not defective.
- B. *Engineer's Authority:* Engineer has the authority to determine whether Work is defective, and to reject defective Work.
- C. *Notice of Defects:* Prompt notice of all defective Work of which Owner or Engineer has actual knowledge will be given to Contractor.

- D. *Correction, or Removal and Replacement:* Promptly after receipt of written notice of defective Work, Contractor shall correct all such defective Work, whether or not fabricated, installed, or completed, or, if Engineer has rejected the defective Work, remove it from the Project and replace it with Work that is not defective.
- E. *Preservation of Warranties:* When correcting defective Work, Contractor shall take no action that would void or otherwise impair Owner's special warranty and guarantee, if any, on said Work.
- F. *Costs and Damages:* In addition to its correction, removal, and replacement obligations with respect to defective Work, Contractor shall pay all claims, costs, losses, and damages arising out of or relating to defective Work, including but not limited to the cost of the inspection, testing, correction, removal, replacement, or reconstruction of such defective Work, fines levied against Owner by governmental authorities because the Work is defective, and the costs of repair or replacement of work of others resulting from defective Work. Prior to final payment, if Owner and Contractor are unable to agree as to the measure of such claims, costs, losses, and damages resulting from defective Work, then Owner may impose a reasonable set-off against payments due under Article 15.

14.04 Acceptance of Defective Work

- A. If, instead of requiring correction or removal and replacement of defective Work, Owner prefers to accept it, Owner may do so (subject, if such acceptance occurs prior to final payment, to Engineer's confirmation that such acceptance is in general accord with the design intent and applicable engineering principles, and will not endanger public safety). Contractor shall pay all claims, costs, losses, and damages attributable to Owner's evaluation of and determination to accept such defective Work (such costs to be approved by Engineer as to reasonableness), and for the diminished value of the Work to the extent not otherwise paid by Contractor. If any such acceptance occurs prior to final payment, the necessary revisions in the Contract Documents with respect to the Work shall be incorporated in a Change Order. If the parties are unable to agree as to the decrease in the Contract Price, reflecting the diminished value of Work so accepted, then Owner may impose a reasonable set-off against payments due under Article 15. If the acceptance of defective Work occurs after final payment, Contractor shall pay an appropriate amount to Owner.

14.05 Uncovering Work

- A. Engineer has the authority to require special inspection or testing of the Work, whether or not the Work is fabricated, installed, or completed.
- B. If any Work is covered contrary to the written request of Engineer, then Contractor shall, if requested by Engineer, uncover such Work for Engineer's observation, and then replace the covering, all at Contractor's expense.
- C. If Engineer considers it necessary or advisable that covered Work be observed by Engineer or inspected or tested by others, then Contractor, at Engineer's request,

shall uncover, expose, or otherwise make available for observation, inspection, or testing as Engineer may require, that portion of the Work in question, and provide all necessary labor, material, and equipment.

1. If it is found that the uncovered Work is defective, Contractor shall be responsible for all claims, costs, losses, and damages arising out of or relating to such uncovering, exposure, observation, inspection, and testing, and of satisfactory replacement or reconstruction (including but not limited to all costs of repair or replacement of work of others); and pending Contractor's full discharge of this responsibility the Owner shall be entitled to impose a reasonable set-off against payments due under Article 15.
2. If the uncovered Work is not found to be defective, Contractor shall be allowed an increase in the Contract Price or an extension of the Contract Times, or both, directly attributable to such uncovering, exposure, observation, inspection, testing, replacement, and reconstruction. If the parties are unable to agree as to the amount or extent thereof, then Contractor may submit a Change Proposal within 30 days of the determination that the Work is not defective.

14.06 *Owner May Stop the Work*

- A. If the Work is defective, or Contractor fails to supply sufficient skilled workers or suitable materials or equipment, or fails to perform the Work in such a way that the completed Work will conform to the Contract Documents, then Owner may order Contractor to stop the Work, or any portion thereof, until the cause for such order has been eliminated; however, this right of Owner to stop the Work shall not give rise to any duty on the part of Owner to exercise this right for the benefit of Contractor, any Subcontractor, any Supplier, any other individual or entity, or any surety for, or employee or agent of any of them.

14.07 *Owner May Correct Defective Work*

- A. If Contractor fails within a reasonable time after written notice from Engineer to correct defective Work, or to remove and replace rejected Work as required by Engineer, or if Contractor fails to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents, or if Contractor fails to comply with any other provision of the Contract Documents, then Owner may, after seven days written notice to Contractor, correct or remedy any such deficiency.
- B. In exercising the rights and remedies under this Paragraph 14.07, Owner shall proceed expeditiously. In connection with such corrective or remedial action, Owner may exclude Contractor from all or part of the Site, take possession of all or part of the Work and suspend Contractor's services related thereto, and incorporate in the Work all materials and equipment stored at the Site or for which Owner has paid Contractor but which are stored elsewhere. Contractor shall allow Owner, Owner's representatives, agents and employees, Owner's other contractors, and Engineer and Engineer's consultants

access to the Site to enable Owner to exercise the rights and remedies under this paragraph.

- C. All claims, costs, losses, and damages incurred or sustained by Owner in exercising the rights and remedies under this Paragraph 14.07 will be charged against Contractor as set-offs against payments due under Article 15. Such claims, costs, losses and damages will include but not be limited to all costs of repair, or replacement of work of others destroyed or damaged by correction, removal, or replacement of Contractor's defective Work.
- D. Contractor shall not be allowed an extension of the Contract Times because of any delay in the performance of the Work attributable to the exercise by Owner of Owner's rights and remedies under this Paragraph 14.07.

ARTICLE 15 – PAYMENTS TO CONTRACTOR; SET-OFFS; COMPLETION; CORRECTION PERIOD

15.01 *Progress Payments*

- A. *Basis for Progress Payments:* The Schedule of Values established as provided in Article 2 will serve as the basis for progress payments and will be incorporated into a form of Application for Payment acceptable to Engineer. Progress payments on account of Unit Price Work will be based on the number of units completed during the pay period, as determined under the provisions of Paragraph 13.03. Progress payments for cost-based Work will be based on Cost of the Work completed by Contractor during the pay period.
- B. Applications for Payments:
 1. At least 20 days before the date established in the Agreement for each progress payment (but not more often than once a month), Contractor shall submit to Engineer for review an Application for Payment filled out and signed by Contractor covering the Work completed as of the date of the Application and accompanied by such supporting documentation as is required by the Contract Documents. If payment is requested on the basis of materials and equipment not incorporated in the Work but delivered and suitably stored at the Site or at another location agreed to in writing, the Application for Payment shall also be accompanied by a bill of sale, invoice, or other documentation warranting that Owner has received the materials and equipment free and clear of all Liens, and evidence that the materials and equipment are covered by appropriate property insurance, a warehouse bond, or other arrangements to protect Owner's interest therein, all of which must be satisfactory to Owner.
 2. Beginning with the second Application for Payment, each Application shall include an affidavit of Contractor stating that all previous progress payments received on account of the Work have been applied on account to discharge Contractor's legitimate obligations associated with prior Applications for Payment.
 3. The amount of retainage with respect to progress payments will be as stipulated in the Agreement.

C. Review of Applications:

1. Engineer will, within 10 days after receipt of each Application for Payment, including each resubmittal, either indicate in writing a recommendation of payment and present the Application to Owner, or return the Application to Contractor indicating in writing Engineer's reasons for refusing to recommend payment. In the latter case, Contractor may make the necessary corrections and resubmit the Application.
2. Engineer's recommendation of any payment requested in an Application for Payment will constitute a representation by Engineer to Owner, based on Engineer's observations of the executed Work as an experienced and qualified design professional, and on Engineer's review of the Application for Payment and the accompanying data and schedules, that to the best of Engineer's knowledge, information and belief:
 - a. the Work has progressed to the point indicated;
 - b. the quality of the Work is generally in accordance with the Contract Documents (subject to an evaluation of the Work as a functioning whole prior to or upon Substantial Completion, the results of any subsequent tests called for in the Contract Documents, a final determination of quantities and classifications for Unit Price Work under Paragraph 13.03, and any other qualifications stated in the recommendation); and
 - c. the conditions precedent to Contractor's being entitled to such payment appear to have been fulfilled in so far as it is Engineer's responsibility to observe the Work.
3. By recommending any such payment Engineer will not thereby be deemed to have represented that:
 - a. inspections made to check the quality or the quantity of the Work as it has been performed have been exhaustive, extended to every aspect of the Work in progress, or involved detailed inspections of the Work beyond the responsibilities specifically assigned to Engineer in the Contract; or
 - b. there may not be other matters or issues between the parties that might entitle Contractor to be paid additionally by Owner or entitle Owner to withhold payment to Contractor.
4. Neither Engineer's review of Contractor's Work for the purposes of recommending payments nor Engineer's recommendation of any payment, including final payment, will impose responsibility on Engineer:
 - a. to supervise, direct, or control the Work, or
 - b. for the means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures of construction, or the safety precautions and programs incident thereto, or
 - c. for Contractor's failure to comply with Laws and Regulations applicable to Contractor's performance of the Work, or
 - d. to make any examination to ascertain how or for what purposes Contractor has used the money paid on account of the Contract Price, or
 - e. to determine that title to any of the Work, materials, or equipment has passed to Owner free and clear of any Liens.
5. Engineer may refuse to recommend the whole or any part of any payment if, in Engineer's opinion, it would be incorrect to make the representations to Owner stated in Paragraph 15.01.C.2.
6. Engineer will recommend reductions in payment (set-offs) necessary in Engineer's opinion to protect Owner from loss because:
 - a. the Work is defective, requiring correction or replacement;
 - b. the Contract Price has been reduced by Change Orders;
 - c. Owner has been required to correct defective Work in accordance with Paragraph 14.07, or has accepted defective Work pursuant to Paragraph 14.04;
 - d. Owner has been required to remove or remediate a Hazardous Environmental Condition for which Contractor is responsible; or
 - e. Engineer has actual knowledge of the occurrence of any of the events that would constitute a default by Contractor and therefore justify termination for cause under the Contract Documents.

D. Payment Becomes Due:

1. Ten days after presentation of the Application for Payment to Owner with Engineer's recommendation, the amount recommended (subject to any Owner set-offs) will become due, and when due will be paid by Owner to Contractor.

E. Reductions in Payment by Owner:

1. In addition to any reductions in payment (set-offs) recommended by Engineer, Owner is entitled to impose a set-off against payment based on any of the following:
 - a. claims have been made against Owner on account of Contractor's conduct in the performance or furnishing of the Work, or Owner has incurred costs, losses, or damages on account of Contractor's conduct in the performance or furnishing of the Work, including but not limited to claims, costs, losses, or damages from workplace injuries, adjacent property damage, non-compliance with Laws and Regulations, and patent infringement;
 - b. Contractor has failed to take reasonable and customary measures to avoid damage, delay, disruption, and interference with other work at or adjacent to the Site;

- c. Contractor has failed to provide and maintain required bonds or insurance;
 - d. Owner has been required to remove or remediate a Hazardous Environmental Condition for which Contractor is responsible;
 - e. Owner has incurred extra charges or engineering costs related to submittal reviews, evaluations of proposed substitutes, tests and inspections, or return visits to manufacturing or assembly facilities;
 - f. the Work is defective, requiring correction or replacement;
 - g. Owner has been required to correct defective Work in accordance with Paragraph 14.07, or has accepted defective Work pursuant to Paragraph 14.04;
 - h. the Contract Price has been reduced by Change Orders;
 - i. an event that would constitute a default by Contractor and therefore justify a termination for cause has occurred;
 - j. liquidated damages have accrued as a result of Contractor's failure to achieve Milestones, Substantial Completion, or final completion of the Work;
 - k. Liens have been filed in connection with the Work, except where Contractor has delivered a specific bond satisfactory to Owner to secure the satisfaction and discharge of such Liens;
1. there are other items entitling Owner to a set off against the amount recommended.
 2. If Owner imposes any set-off against payment, whether based on its own knowledge or on the written recommendations of Engineer, Owner will give Contractor immediate written notice (with a copy to Engineer) stating the reasons for such action and the specific amount of the reduction, and promptly pay Contractor any amount remaining after deduction of the amount so withheld. Owner shall promptly pay Contractor the amount so withheld, or any adjustment thereto agreed to by Owner and Contractor, if Contractor remedies the reasons for such action. The reduction imposed shall be binding on Contractor unless it duly submits a Change Proposal contesting the reduction.
 3. Upon a subsequent determination that Owner's refusal of payment was not justified, the amount wrongfully withheld shall be treated as an amount due as determined by Paragraph 15.01.C.1 and subject to interest as provided in the Agreement.

15.02 Contractor's Warranty of Title

- A. Contractor warrants and guarantees that title to all Work, materials, and equipment furnished under the Contract will pass to Owner free and clear of (1) all Liens and other title defects, and (2) all patent, licensing, copyright, or royalty obligations, no later than seven days after the time of payment by Owner.

15.03 Substantial Completion

- A. When Contractor considers the entire Work ready for its intended use Contractor shall notify Owner and Engineer in writing that the entire Work is substantially complete and request that Engineer issue a certificate of Substantial Completion. Contractor shall at the same time submit to Owner and Engineer an initial draft of punch list items to be completed or corrected before final payment.
- B. Promptly after Contractor's notification, Owner, Contractor, and Engineer shall make an inspection of the Work to determine the status of completion. If Engineer does not consider the Work substantially complete, Engineer will notify Contractor in writing giving the reasons therefor.
- C. If Engineer considers the Work substantially complete, Engineer will deliver to Owner a preliminary certificate of Substantial Completion which shall fix the date of Substantial Completion. Engineer shall attach to the certificate a punch list of items to be completed or corrected before final payment. Owner shall have seven days after receipt of the preliminary certificate during which to make written objection to Engineer as to any provisions of the certificate or attached punch list. If, after considering the objections to the provisions of the preliminary certificate, Engineer concludes that the Work is not substantially complete, Engineer will, within 14 days after submission of the preliminary certificate to Owner, notify Contractor in writing that the Work is not substantially complete, stating the reasons therefor. If Owner does not object to the provisions of the certificate, or if despite consideration of Owner's objections Engineer concludes that the Work is substantially complete, then Engineer will, within said 14 days, execute and deliver to Owner and Contractor a final certificate of Substantial Completion (with a revised punch list of items to be completed or corrected) reflecting such changes from the preliminary certificate as Engineer believes justified after consideration of any objections from Owner.
- D. At the time of receipt of the preliminary certificate of Substantial Completion, Owner and Contractor will confer regarding Owner's use or occupancy of the Work following Substantial Completion, review the builder's risk insurance policy with respect to the end of the builder's risk coverage, and confirm the transition to coverage of the Work under a permanent property insurance policy held by Owner. Unless Owner and Contractor agree otherwise in writing, Owner shall bear responsibility for security, operation, protection of the Work, property insurance, maintenance, heat, and utilities upon Owner's use or occupancy of the Work.
- E. After Substantial Completion the Contractor shall promptly begin work on the punch list of items to be completed or corrected prior to final payment. In appropriate cases Contractor may submit monthly Applications for Payment for completed punch list items, following the progress payment procedures set forth above.
- F. Owner shall have the right to exclude Contractor from the Site after the date of Substantial Completion subject to

allowing Contractor reasonable access to remove its property and complete or correct items on the punch list.

15.04 *Partial Use or Occupancy*

A. Prior to Substantial Completion of all the Work, Owner may use or occupy any substantially completed part of the Work which has specifically been identified in the Contract Documents, or which Owner, Engineer, and Contractor agree constitutes a separately functioning and usable part of the Work that can be used by Owner for its intended purpose without significant interference with Contractor's performance of the remainder of the Work, subject to the following conditions:

1. At any time Owner may request in writing that Contractor permit Owner to use or occupy any such part of the Work that Owner believes to be substantially complete. If and when Contractor agrees that such part of the Work is substantially complete, Contractor, Owner, and Engineer will follow the procedures of Paragraph 15.03.A through E for that part of the Work.
2. At any time Contractor may notify Owner and Engineer in writing that Contractor considers any such part of the Work substantially complete and request Engineer to issue a certificate of Substantial Completion for that part of the Work.
3. Within a reasonable time after either such request, Owner, Contractor, and Engineer shall make an inspection of that part of the Work to determine its status of completion. If Engineer does not consider that part of the Work to be substantially complete, Engineer will notify Owner and Contractor in writing giving the reasons therefor. If Engineer considers that part of the Work to be substantially complete, the provisions of Paragraph 15.03 will apply with respect to certification of Substantial Completion of that part of the Work and the division of responsibility in respect thereof and access thereto.
4. No use or occupancy or separate operation of part of the Work may occur prior to compliance with the requirements of Paragraph 6.05 regarding builder's risk or other property insurance.

15.05 *Final Inspection*

A. Upon written notice from Contractor that the entire Work or an agreed portion thereof is complete, Engineer will promptly make a final inspection with Owner and Contractor and will notify Contractor in writing of all particulars in which this inspection reveals that the Work, or agreed portion thereof, is incomplete or defective. Contractor shall immediately take such measures as are necessary to complete such Work or remedy such deficiencies.

15.06 *Final Payment*

A. Application for Payment:

1. After Contractor has, in the opinion of Engineer, satisfactorily completed all corrections identified during the final inspection and has delivered, in accordance with the Contract Documents, all

maintenance and operating instructions, schedules, guarantees, bonds, certificates or other evidence of insurance, certificates of inspection, annotated record documents (as provided in Paragraph 7.11), and other documents, Contractor may make application for final payment.

2. The final Application for Payment shall be accompanied (except as previously delivered) by:
 - a. all documentation called for in the Contract Documents;
 - b. consent of the surety, if any, to final payment;
 - c. satisfactory evidence that all title issues have been resolved such that title to all Work, materials, and equipment has passed to Owner free and clear of any Liens or other title defects, or will so pass upon final payment.
 - d. a list of all disputes that Contractor believes are unsettled; and
 - e. complete and legally effective releases or waivers (satisfactory to Owner) of all Lien rights arising out of the Work, and of Liens filed in connection with the Work.
3. In lieu of the releases or waivers of Liens specified in Paragraph 15.06.A.2 and as approved by Owner, Contractor may furnish receipts or releases in full and an affidavit of Contractor that: (a) the releases and receipts include all labor, services, material, and equipment for which a Lien could be filed; and (b) all payrolls, material and equipment bills, and other indebtedness connected with the Work for which Owner might in any way be responsible, or which might in any way result in liens or other burdens on Owner's property, have been paid or otherwise satisfied. If any Subcontractor or Supplier fails to furnish such a release or receipt in full, Contractor may furnish a bond or other collateral satisfactory to Owner to indemnify Owner against any Lien, or Owner at its option may issue joint checks payable to Contractor and specified Subcontractors and Suppliers.

B. Engineer's Review of Application and Acceptance:

1. If, on the basis of Engineer's observation of the Work during construction and final inspection, and Engineer's review of the final Application for Payment and accompanying documentation as required by the Contract Documents, Engineer is satisfied that the Work has been completed and Contractor's other obligations under the Contract have been fulfilled, Engineer will, within ten days after receipt of the final Application for Payment, indicate in writing Engineer's recommendation of final payment and present the Application for Payment to Owner for payment. Such recommendation shall account for any set-offs against payment that are necessary in Engineer's opinion to protect Owner from loss for the reasons stated above with respect to progress payments. At the same time Engineer will also give written notice

to Owner and Contractor that the Work is acceptable, subject to the provisions of Paragraph 15.07. Otherwise, Engineer will return the Application for Payment to Contractor, indicating in writing the reasons for refusing to recommend final payment, in which case Contractor shall make the necessary corrections and resubmit the Application for Payment.

- C. *Completion of Work*: The Work is complete (subject to surviving obligations) when it is ready for final payment as established by the Engineer's written recommendation of final payment.
- D. *Payment Becomes Due*: Thirty days after the presentation to Owner of the final Application for Payment and accompanying documentation, the amount recommended by Engineer (less any further sum Owner is entitled to set off against Engineer's recommendation, including but not limited to set-offs for liquidated damages and set-offs allowed under the provisions above with respect to progress payments) will become due and shall be paid by Owner to Contractor.

15.07 *Waiver of Claims*

- A. The making of final payment will not constitute a waiver by Owner of claims or rights against Contractor. Owner expressly reserves claims and rights arising from unsettled Liens, from defective Work appearing after final inspection pursuant to Paragraph 15.05, from Contractor's failure to comply with the Contract Documents or the terms of any special guarantees specified therein, from outstanding Claims by Owner, or from Contractor's continuing obligations under the Contract Documents.
- B. The acceptance of final payment by Contractor will constitute a waiver by Contractor of all claims and rights against Owner other than those pending matters that have been duly submitted or appealed under the provisions of Article 17.

15.08 *Correction Period*

- A. If within one year after the date of Substantial Completion (or such longer period of time as may be prescribed by the terms of any applicable special guarantee required by the Contract Documents, or by any specific provision of the Contract Documents), any Work is found to be defective, or if the repair of any damages to the Site, adjacent areas that Contractor has arranged to use through construction easements or otherwise, and other adjacent areas used by Contractor as permitted by Laws and Regulations, is found to be defective, then Contractor shall promptly, without cost to Owner and in accordance with Owner's written instructions:
 1. correct the defective repairs to the Site or such other adjacent areas;
 2. correct such defective Work;
 3. if the defective Work has been rejected by Owner, remove it from the Project and replace it with Work that is not defective, and

4. satisfactorily correct or repair or remove and replace any damage to other Work, to the work of others, or to other land or areas resulting therefrom.

- B. If Contractor does not promptly comply with the terms of Owner's written instructions, or in an emergency where delay would cause serious risk of loss or damage, Owner may have the defective Work corrected or repaired or may have the rejected Work removed and replaced. Contractor shall pay all claims, 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 resolution costs) arising out of or relating to such correction or repair or such removal and replacement (including but not limited to all costs of repair or replacement of work of others).
- C. In special circumstances where a particular item of equipment is placed in continuous service before Substantial Completion of all the Work, the correction period for that item may start to run from an earlier date if so provided in the Specifications.
- D. Where defective Work (and damage to other Work resulting therefrom) has been corrected or removed and replaced under this paragraph, the correction period hereunder with respect to such Work will be extended for an additional period of one year after such correction or removal and replacement has been satisfactorily completed.
- E. Contractor's obligations under this paragraph are in addition to all other obligations and warranties. The provisions of this paragraph shall not be construed as a substitute for, or a waiver of, the provisions of any applicable statute of limitation or repose.

ARTICLE 16 – SUSPENSION OF WORK AND TERMINATION

16.01 *Owner May Suspend Work*

- A. At any time and without cause, Owner may suspend the Work or any portion thereof for a period of not more than 90 consecutive days by written notice to Contractor and Engineer. Such notice will fix the date on which Work will be resumed. Contractor shall resume the Work on the date so fixed. Contractor shall be entitled to an adjustment in the Contract Price or an extension of the Contract Times, or both, directly attributable to any such suspension. Any Change Proposal seeking such adjustments shall be submitted no later than 30 days after the date fixed for resumption of Work.

16.02 *Owner May Terminate for Cause*

- A. The occurrence of any one or more of the following events will constitute a default by Contractor and justify termination for cause:
 1. Contractor's persistent failure to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents (including, but not limited to, failure to supply sufficient skilled workers or suitable materials or equipment or failure to adhere to the Progress Schedule);

2. Failure of Contractor to perform or otherwise to comply with a material term of the Contract Documents;
 3. Contractor's disregard of Laws or Regulations of any public body having jurisdiction; or
 4. Contractor's repeated disregard of the authority of Owner or Engineer.
- B. If one or more of the events identified in Paragraph 16.02.A occurs, then after giving Contractor (and any surety) ten days written notice that Owner is considering a declaration that Contractor is in default and termination of the contract, Owner may proceed to:
1. declare Contractor to be in default, and give Contractor (and any surety) notice that the Contract is terminated; and
 2. enforce the rights available to Owner under any applicable performance bond.
- C. Subject to the terms and operation of any applicable performance bond, if Owner has terminated the Contract for cause, Owner may exclude Contractor from the Site, take possession of the Work, incorporate in the Work all materials and equipment stored at the Site or for which Owner has paid Contractor but which are stored elsewhere, and complete the Work as Owner may deem expedient.
- D. Owner may not proceed with termination of the Contract under Paragraph 16.02.B if Contractor within seven days of receipt of notice of intent to terminate begins to correct its failure to perform and proceeds diligently to cure such failure.
- E. If Owner proceeds as provided in Paragraph 16.02.B, Contractor shall not be entitled to receive any further payment until the Work is completed. If the unpaid balance of the Contract Price exceeds the cost to complete the Work, including all related claims, costs, losses, and damages (including but not limited to all fees and charges of engineers, architects, attorneys, and other professionals) sustained by Owner, such excess will be paid to Contractor. If the cost to complete the Work including such related claims, costs, losses, and damages exceeds such unpaid balance, Contractor shall pay the difference to Owner. Such claims, costs, losses, and damages incurred by Owner will be reviewed by Engineer as to their reasonableness and, when so approved by Engineer, incorporated in a Change Order. When exercising any rights or remedies under this paragraph, Owner shall not be required to obtain the lowest price for the Work performed.
- F. Where Contractor's services have been so terminated by Owner, the termination will not affect any rights or remedies of Owner against Contractor then existing or which may thereafter accrue, or any rights or remedies of Owner against Contractor or any surety under any payment bond or performance bond. Any retention or payment of money due Contractor by Owner will not release Contractor from liability.
- G. If and to the extent that Contractor has provided a performance bond under the provisions of Paragraph 6.01.A, the provisions of that bond shall govern over any inconsistent provisions of Paragraphs 16.02.B and 16.02.D.
- 16.03 Owner May Terminate For Convenience**
- A. Upon seven days written notice to Contractor and Engineer, Owner may, without cause and without prejudice to any other right or remedy of Owner, terminate the Contract. In such case, Contractor shall be paid for (without duplication of any items):
1. completed and acceptable Work executed in accordance with the Contract Documents prior to the effective date of termination, including fair and reasonable sums for overhead and profit on such Work;
 2. expenses sustained prior to the effective date of termination in performing services and furnishing labor, materials, or equipment as required by the Contract Documents in connection with uncompleted Work, plus fair and reasonable sums for overhead and profit on such expenses; and
 3. other reasonable expenses directly attributable to termination, including costs incurred to prepare a termination for convenience cost proposal.
- B. Contractor shall not be paid on account of loss of anticipated overhead, profits, or revenue, or other economic loss arising out of or resulting from such termination.
- 16.04 Contractor May Stop Work or Terminate**
- A. If, through no act or fault of Contractor, (1) the Work is suspended for more than 90 consecutive days by Owner or under an order of court or other public authority, or (2) Engineer fails to act on any Application for Payment within 30 days after it is submitted, or (3) Owner fails for 30 days to pay Contractor any sum finally determined to be due, then Contractor may, upon seven days written notice to Owner and Engineer, and provided Owner or Engineer do not remedy such suspension or failure within that time, terminate the contract and recover from Owner payment on the same terms as provided in Paragraph 16.03.
- B. In lieu of terminating the Contract and without prejudice to any other right or remedy, if Engineer has failed to act on an Application for Payment within 30 days after it is submitted, or Owner has failed for 30 days to pay Contractor any sum finally determined to be due, Contractor may, seven days after written notice to Owner and Engineer, stop the Work until payment is made of all such amounts due Contractor, including interest thereon. The provisions of this paragraph are not intended to preclude Contractor from submitting a Change Proposal for an adjustment in Contract Price or Contract Times or otherwise for expenses or damage directly attributable to Contractor's stopping the Work as permitted by this paragraph.

ARTICLE 17 – FINAL RESOLUTION OF DISPUTES

17.01 *Methods and Procedures*

- A. *Disputes Subject to Final Resolution:* The following disputed matters are subject to final resolution under the provisions of this Article:
1. A timely appeal of an approval in part and denial in part of a Claim, or of a denial in full; and
 2. Disputes between Owner and Contractor concerning the Work or obligations under the Contract Documents, and arising after final payment has been made.
- B. *Final Resolution of Disputes:* For any dispute subject to resolution under this Article, Owner or Contractor may:
1. elect in writing to invoke the dispute resolution process provided for in the Supplementary Conditions; or
 2. agree with the other party to submit the dispute to another dispute resolution process; or
 3. if no dispute resolution process is provided for in the Supplementary Conditions or mutually agreed to, give written notice to the other party of the intent to submit the dispute to a court of competent jurisdiction.

ARTICLE 18 – MISCELLANEOUS

18.01 *Giving Notice*

- A. Whenever any provision of the Contract Documents requires the giving of written notice, it will be deemed to have been validly given if:
1. delivered in person, by a commercial courier service or otherwise, to the individual or to a member of the firm or to an officer of the corporation for which it is intended; or
 2. delivered at or sent by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, to the last business address known to the sender of the notice.

18.02 *Computation of Times*

- A. When any period of time is referred to in the Contract by days, it will be computed to exclude the first and include the last day of such period. If the last day of any such period falls on a Saturday or Sunday or on a day made a legal holiday by the law of the applicable jurisdiction, such day will be omitted from the computation.

18.03 *Cumulative Remedies*

- A. The duties and obligations imposed by these General Conditions and the rights and remedies available hereunder to the parties hereto are in addition to, and are not to be construed in any way as a limitation of, any rights and remedies available to any or all of them which are otherwise imposed or available by Laws or Regulations, by special warranty or guarantee, or by other provisions of the Contract. The provisions of this paragraph will be as effective as if repeated specifically in the Contract Documents in connection with each particular duty, obligation, right, and remedy to which they apply.

18.04 *Limitation of Damages*

- A. With respect to any and all Change Proposals, Claims, disputes subject to final resolution, and other matters at issue, neither Owner nor Engineer, nor any of their officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, or subcontractors, shall be liable to Contractor for any claims, costs, losses, or damages sustained by Contractor on or in connection with any other project or anticipated project.

18.05 *No Waiver*

- A. A party's non-enforcement of any provision shall not constitute a waiver of that provision, nor shall it affect the enforceability of that provision or of the remainder of this Contract.

18.06 *Survival of Obligations*

- A. All representations, indemnifications, warranties, and guarantees made in, required by, or given in accordance with the Contract, as well as all continuing obligations indicated in the Contract, will survive final payment, completion, and acceptance of the Work or termination or completion of the Contract or termination of the services of Contractor.

18.07 *Controlling Law*

- A. This Contract is to be governed by the law of the state in which the Project is located.

18.08 *Headings*

- A. Article and paragraph headings are inserted for convenience only and do not constitute parts of these General Conditions.

These Supplementary Conditions amend or supplement the Standard General Conditions of the Construction Contract, EJCDC® C-700 (2013 Edition). All provisions that are not so amended or supplemented remain in full force and effect.

The terms used in these Supplementary Conditions have the meanings stated in the General Conditions. Additional terms used in these Supplementary Conditions have the meanings stated below, which are applicable to both the singular and plural thereof.

The address system used in these Supplementary Conditions is the same as the address system used in the General Conditions, with the prefix "SC" added thereto.

ARTICLE 1 - DEFINITIONS AND TERMINOLOGY

SC-1.01 Defined Terms

Add the following new paragraphs immediately after paragraph 1.01.A.48 of the General Conditions to read as follows:

49. *Instruction to Contractor* — Same as "Field Order."
50. *Geotechnical Baseline Report (GBR)* — The interpretive report prepared by or for Owner regarding subsurface conditions at the Site, and containing specific baseline geotechnical conditions that may be anticipated or relied upon for bidding and contract administration purposes, subject to the controlling provisions of the Contract, including the GBR's own terms. The GBR is a Contract Document.

ARTICLE 2 – PRELIMINARY MATTERS

SC-2.01 Delivery of Bonds and Evidence of Insurance

Delete Paragraphs 2.01 B. and C. in their entirety and insert the following in their place:

- B. *Evidence of Contractor's Insurance*: When Contractor delivers the executed counterparts of the Agreement to Owner, Contractor shall also deliver to Owner copies of the policies of insurance (including all endorsements, and identification of applicable self-insured retentions and deductibles) required to be provided by Contractor in Article 6. Contractor may block out (redact) any confidential premium or pricing information contained in any policy or endorsement furnished under this provision.
- C. *Evidence of Owner's Insurance*: After receipt from Contractor of the executed counterparts of the Agreement and all required bonds and insurance documentation, Owner shall promptly deliver to Contractor copies of the policies of insurance to be provided by Owner under Article 6 (if any). Owner may block out (redact) any confidential premium or pricing information contained in any policy or endorsement furnished under this provision.

SC-2.02 Copies of Documents

Delete Paragraph 2.02.A in its entirety and insert the following new paragraph in its place:

- A. Owner will furnish to Contractor 1 copy of the conformed Contract Documents incorporating and integrating all Addenda and any amendments negotiated prior to the Effective Date of the Contract (including one fully executed counterpart of the Agreement), and one copy in electronic portable document format (PDF). Additional printed copies of the conformed Contract Documents will not be provided.

SC-2.05 Initial Acceptance of Schedule

Delete Paragraph 2.05.A in its entirety and insert the following new paragraph in its place:

- A. At least 10 days before submission of the first Application for Payment submit for review and acceptance to Engineer as provided below the schedules submitted in accordance with Paragraph 2.03.A. Contractor shall have a additional 10 days to make corrections and

adjustments and to complete and resubmit the schedules. No progress payments shall be made to Contractor until acceptable schedules are submitted to Engineer.

ARTICLE 3 – DOCUMENTS: INTENT, REQUIREMENTS, REUSE

SC-3.01 Intent

Delete Paragraph 3.01C in its entirety.

ARTICLE 5 – AVAILABILITY OF LANDS; SUBSURFACE AND PHYSICAL CONDITIONS; HAZARDOUS ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS

SC/GBR-5.04 Differing Subsurface or Physical Conditions

- A. Notice: If Contractor believes that any subsurface condition that is uncovered or revealed at the Site:
1. differs materially from conditions shown or indicated in the GBR; or
 2. differs materially from conditions shown or indicated in Contract Documents other than the GBR, to the extent the GBR are inapplicable; or
 3. to the extent the GBR are inapplicable, is of such a nature as to establish that any Technical Data on which Contractor is entitled to rely as provided in Paragraph 5.03 is materially inaccurate; or
 4. to the extent the GBR are inapplicable, is of such a nature as to require a change in the Drawings or Specifications; or
 5. to the extent the GBR are inapplicable, is of an unusual nature, and differs materially from conditions ordinarily encountered and generally recognized as inherent in work of the character provided for in the Contract Documents;

then Contractor shall, promptly after becoming aware thereof and before further disturbing the subsurface conditions or performing any Work in connection therewith (except in an emergency as required by Paragraph 7.15), notify Owner and Engineer in writing about such condition. Contractor shall not further disturb such condition or perform any Work in connection therewith (except with respect to an emergency) until receipt of a written statement permitting Contractor to do so.

- B. *Engineer's Review:* After receipt of written notice as required by the preceding paragraph, Engineer will promptly review the subsurface or physical condition in question; determine the necessity of Owner's obtaining additional exploration or tests with respect to the condition; conclude whether the condition falls within any one or more of the differing site condition categories in Paragraph SC/GBR 5.04.A above; obtain any pertinent cost or schedule information from Contractor; prepare recommendations to Owner regarding the Contractor's resumption or continuation of Work in connection with the subsurface or physical condition in question and the need for any change in the Drawings or Specifications; and advise Owner in writing of Engineer's findings, conclusions, and recommendations.
- C. *Owner's Statement to Contractor Regarding Site Condition:* After receipt of Engineer's written findings, conclusions, and recommendations, Owner shall issue a written statement to Contractor (with a copy to Engineer) regarding the subsurface or physical condition in question, addressing the resumption or continuation of Work in connection with such condition, indicating whether any change in the Drawings or Specifications will be made, and adopting or rejecting Engineer's written findings, conclusions, and recommendations, in whole or in part.
- D. *Possible Price and Times Adjustments:*
1. Contractor shall be entitled to an equitable adjustment in Contract Price or Contract Times, or both, to the extent that the existence of a differing subsurface or physical condition, or any related delay, disruption, or interference, causes an increase or

decrease in Contractor's cost of, or time required for, performance of the Work; subject, however, to the following:

- a. such condition must fall within any one or more of the categories described in Paragraph SC/GBR 5.04.A;
 - b. with respect to Work that is paid for on a unit price basis, any adjustment in Contract Price will be subject to the provisions of Paragraph 13.03 of the General Conditions; and,
 - c. Contractor's entitlement to an adjustment of the Contract Times is conditioned on such adjustment being essential to Contractor's ability to complete the Work within the Contract Times.
2. Contractor shall not be entitled to any adjustment in the Contract Price or Contract Times with respect to a subsurface or physical condition if:
- a. Contractor knew of the existence of such condition at the time Contractor made a commitment to Owner with respect to Contract Price and Contract Times by the submission of a Bid or becoming bound under a negotiated contract, or otherwise; or
 - b. the existence of such condition reasonably could have been discovered or revealed as a result of any examination, investigation, exploration, test, or study of the Site and contiguous areas expressly required by the Bidding Requirements or Contract Documents to be conducted by or for Contractor prior to Contractor's making such commitment; or
 - c. Contractor failed to give the written notice as required by Paragraph SC/GBR 5.04.A.
3. If Owner and Contractor agree regarding Contractor's entitlement to and the amount or extent of any adjustment in the Contract Price or Contract Times, or both, then any such adjustment shall be set forth in a Change Order.
4. Contractor may submit a Change Proposal regarding its entitlement to or the amount or extent of any adjustment in the Contract Price or Contract Times, or both, no later than 30 days after Owner's issuance of the Owner's written statement to Contractor regarding the subsurface or physical condition in question.

SC-5.06 Hazardous Environmental Condition

Delete Paragraphs 5.06.A and 5.06.B in their entirety and insert the following:

- A. No reports or drawings related to Hazardous Environmental Conditions at the Site are known to Owner.

ARTICLE 6 – BONDS AND INSURANCE

SC-6.01 Performance, Payment and Other Bonds

Add the following paragraph immediately after Paragraph 6.01.F:

- G. Performance and payment bond shall be deemed amended automatically and immediately without formal and separate amendments hereto, upon any amendment to the contract so as to bind the Principal and Surety to the full and faithful performance of the contract, as so amended, providing only that the total amount of all increases in the cost shall not exceed 20 percent of the amount of the maximum price set forth in the original contract.

SC-6.02 Insurance—General Provisions

Add the following paragraph immediately after Paragraph 6.02.B:

1. Contractor may obtain worker's compensation insurance from an insurance company that has not been rated by A.M. Best, provided that such company (a) is domiciled in the state in which the project is located, (b) is certified or authorized as a worker's compensation insurance provider by the appropriate state agency, and (c) has been accepted to provide worker's compensation insurance for similar projects by the state within the last 12 months.

SC-6.03 Contractor's Insurance

In paragraph 6.03.1.3., delete the words "materially changed"

Add the following new paragraph immediately after paragraph 6.03.J:

- K. The limits of liability for the insurance required by paragraph 6.03 of the General Conditions shall provide coverage for not less than the following amounts or greater where required by Laws and Regulations. Required insurance coverage limits may be provided through a combination of primary and excess/umbrella liability policies. If coverage limits are provided by Seller through excess/umbrella liability policies, then such policies must follow form of the underlying policies and must be maintained in a similar manner:
 1. Workers' Compensation, and related coverages under paragraphs 6.03.A.1 and A.2 of the General Conditions:
 - a. State: Statutory
 - b. Federal, if applicable (e.g., Longshoreman's): Statutory
 - c. Jones Act coverage, if applicable:

Bodily injury by accident, each accident	\$ <u> N/A </u>
Bodily injury by disease, aggregate	\$ <u> N/A </u>
 - c. Employer's Liability:

Bodily injury, each accident	\$ <u> 1,000,000 </u>
Bodily injury by disease, each employee	\$ <u> 1,000,000 </u>
Bodily injury/disease, aggregate	\$ <u> 1,000,000 </u>
 - d. For work performed in monopolistic states, stop-gap liability coverage shall be endorsed to either the worker's compensation or commercial general liability policy with a minimum limit of: \$ N/A
 - e. Foreign voluntary worker compensation \$ N/A
 - f. Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability insurance shall include the proprietor/partners/executive officers.
 2. Contractor's Commercial General Liability under Paragraphs 6.03.B and 6.03.C of the General Conditions:
 - a. General Aggregate \$ 5,000,000
 - b. Products--Completed Operations Aggregate \$ 5,000,000
 - c. Personal and Advertising Injury \$ 5,000,000

- d. Each Occurrence (Bodily Injury and Property Damage) \$ 5,000,000
- e. Damage to Rented Premises (Each Occurrence) \$ 1,000,000
- 3. Business Automobile Liability under paragraph 6.03.D of the General Conditions:
 - a. Bodily Injury
 - Each person \$ 2,000,000
 - Each accident \$ 2,000,000
 - b. Property Damage
 - Each accident \$ 2,000,000
- 4. Excess or Umbrella Liability:
 - a. General Aggregate \$ 5,000,000
 - b. Each Occurrence \$ 5,000,000
- 5. Contractor's Pollution Liability:
 - a. General Aggregate \$ 5,000,000
 - b. Each Occurrence \$ 5,000,000
 - c. If box is checked, Contractor is not required to provide Contractor's Pollution Liability insurance under this Contract
- 6. Additional Insureds: Stanley Consultants, City of Geneva and subcontractors shall be specifically named on policy as additional insureds by endorsement, including completed operations.
- 7. Contractor's Professional Liability:
 - a. Each Claim \$ 2,000,000
 - b. Annual Aggregate \$ 5,000,000

SC-6.05 *Property Insurance*

In paragraph 6.05.A.2., change the words "all risk policy" to read "special perils policy."

Add the following to the list of requirements in Paragraph 6.05.A, as a numbered item:

- 13. be subject to a deductible amount of choice for direct physical loss in any one occurrence.

Add the following to the list of items in Paragraph 6.05.A, as numbered items:

- 14. include for the benefit of Owner loss of profits and soft cost coverage including, without limitation, fixed expenses and debt service for a minimum of 12 months with a maximum deductible of 30 days, plus attorneys fees and engineering or other consultants' fees, if not otherwise covered;
- 15. include by express endorsement coverage of damage to Contractor's equipment.

Delete Paragraph 6.05.A in its entirety and insert the following in its place:

- A. Contractor shall provide and maintain installation floater insurance for property under the care, custody, or control of Contractor. The installation floater insurance shall be a broad form or "all risk" policy providing coverage for all materials, supplies, machinery, fixtures, and equipment that will be incorporated into the Work. Coverage under the Contractor's installation floater will include:

1. any loss to property while in transit,
2. any loss at the Site, and
3. any loss while in storage, both on-site and off-site.

Coverage cannot be contingent on an external cause or risk, or limited to property for which the Contractor is legally liable. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for any deductible carried under this coverage and claims on materials, supplies, machinery, fixture, and equipment that will be incorporated into the Work while in transit or in storage. This policy will include a waiver of subrogation applicable to Owner, Contractor, Engineer, all Subcontractors, and the officers, directors, partners, employees, agents and other consultants and subcontractors of any of them.

Delete the first sentence of Paragraph 6.05.A and insert the following sentence in its place:

- A. Owner will purchase and maintain builder's risk insurance upon the Work on a completed value basis, in the amount of the full insurable replacement cost thereof (subject to such deductible amounts as may be provided in the Supplementary Conditions or required by Laws and Regulations). . . .

ARTICLE 7 – CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES

SC-7.02 Labor; Working Hours

Amend the first and second sentences of Paragraph 7.02.B to read:

" all Work at site shall be performed during regular working hours, and Contractor shall not permit overtime work or performance of Work on Saturday, Sunday, or any legal holiday without Owner's written consent given after prior written notice to Engineer."

Add the following new subparagraphs immediately after Paragraph 7.02.B:

1. Regular working hours will be established by the City of Geneva.
2. Owner's legal holidays will be established by the City of Geneva.

Add the following new paragraph immediately after Paragraph 7.02.B:

- C. Contractor shall be responsible for the cost of any overtime pay or other expense incurred by the Owner for Engineer's services (including those of the Resident Project Representative, if any), Owner's representative, and construction observation services, occasioned by the performance of Work on Saturday, Sunday, any legal holiday, or as overtime on any regular work day. If Contractor is responsible but does not pay, or if the parties are unable to agree as to the amount owed, then Owner may impose a reasonable set-off against payments due under Article 15.

Add the following new subparagraph immediately after Paragraph 7.02.C:

1. For purposes of administering the foregoing requirement, additional overtime costs are defined as work performed not during regular working hours and Contractors shall not permit overtime work.

SC-7.04.C *"Or-Equals"*

Amend the third sentence of paragraph 7.04.C of the General Conditions to read as follows:

"No "or-equal" item will be ordered, furnish, installed or utilized until Engineer's review is complete and Engineer determines that the proposed item is an "or-equal," which will be evidenced by a Change Order or other written communication. Engineer will advise Contractor in writing of any negative determination"

SC-7.09 *Taxes*

Add a new paragraph immediately after Paragraph 7.09.A:

- B. Owner is exempt from payment of sales and compensating use taxes of the State of Illinois and of cities and counties thereof on all materials to be incorporated into the Work.
 - 1. Owner will furnish the required certificates of tax exemption to Contractor for use in the purchase of supplies and materials to be incorporated into the Work.
 - 2. Owner's exemption does not apply to construction tools, machinery, equipment, or other property purchased by or leased by Contractor, or to supplies or materials not incorporated into the Work.

SC-7.12 *Safety and Protection*

Add a new paragraph immediately after paragraph 7.12.G:

- H. Contractor shall be responsible for initiating, maintaining, and supervising all safety precautions and programs in connections with the Work. The Owner and Engineer will not have such responsibility. No action under taken by the Owner or Engineer under General Conditions paragraphs 16.01 or 16.02, or article 10 will constitute a transfer of this responsibility or acceptance of this responsibility by the Owner or Engineer.

SC-7.16 *Shop Drawings, Samples, and Other Submittals*

Amend paragraph 7.16 by deleting the following words:

"and approval" and "and approve"

Delete paragraph 7.16.A.3. in its entirety and insert the following in its place:

- 3. If Contractor wishes to propose a variation from the requirements of the Contract Documents and a drawing or sample will be used to help describe the variation, the drawing or Sample shall not be submitted as a Shop Drawing or Sample, but rather will have specific notations regarding the variation and shall be transmitted to the Engineer with a letter describing all aspects of the variation, including any effect the variation will have on work of separate contractors, if any, and its effect, if any, on the Contract Price or Contract Time. If Engineer determines that the variation will be acceptable, the variation will be authorized by a Change Order executed by the Owner and Contractor.

Delete paragraph 7.16.D.3. in its entirety and insert the following in its place:

- 3. Engineer's review of Shop Drawings or Samples shall not relieve Contractor from responsibility for any variation from the requirements of the Contract Documents; nor will any review by Engineer relieve Contractor from responsibility for errors or omissions in the Shop Drawings or from responsibility for having complied with the requirements of paragraph 7.16.A.3.

Add the following new paragraphs immediately after Paragraph 7.16.E:

- F. Contractor shall furnish required submittals with sufficient information and accuracy in order to obtain required review of an item with no more than 3 submittals. Engineer will record Engineer's time for reviewing subsequent submittals of Shop Drawings, samples or other items requiring review and Contractor shall reimburse Owner for Engineer's charges for such time.

- G. In the event that Contractor requests a substitution for a previously approved item, Contractor shall reimburse Owner for Engineer's charges for such time unless the need for such substitution is beyond the control of Contractor.

SC-7.18 *Indemnification*

Add a new paragraph immediately after paragraph 7.18.C.2.

- D. Contractor (and any Subcontractor into whose subcontract this clause is incorporated) agrees to assume the entire liability for all personal injury claims suffered by its own employees, including without limitation claims under the Illinois Structural Work Act, asserted by persons allegedly injured on the Project; waives any limitation of liability defense based upon the Worker's Compensation Act, court interpretations of said Act or otherwise; and agrees to indemnify and defend Owner and Engineer and their agents, employees and consultants (the "Indemnitees") from and against all such loss, expense, damage or injury, including reasonable attorneys' fees, that the Indemnitees may sustain as a result of such claims, except to the extent that Illinois law prohibits indemnity for the Indemnitees' own negligence.

ARTICLE 8 – OTHER WORK AT THE SITE

SC-8.02 *Coordination*

Delete Paragraph 8.02.A in its entirety and replace with the following:

- A. Owner intends to contract with others for the performance of other work at or adjacent to the Site.
1. Owner shall have authority and responsibility for coordination of the various contractors and work forces at the Site;

ARTICLE 9 – OWNER'S RESPONSIBILITIES

SC-9.12 *Safety Programs*

Delete Paragraph 9.12.A in its entirety.

ARTICLE 10 – ENGINEER'S STATUS DURING CONSTRUCTION

SC-10.03 *Project Representative*

Add the following new paragraphs immediately after Paragraph 10.03.A:

- B. The Resident Project Representative (RPR) will be Engineer's representative at the Site, will act as directed by and under the supervision of Engineer, and will confer with Engineer regarding RPR's actions.
1. General: RPR's dealings in matters pertaining to the Work in general shall be with Engineer and Contractor. RPR's dealings with Subcontractors shall only be through or with the full knowledge and approval of Contractor. RPR shall generally communicate with Owner only with the knowledge of and under the direction of Engineer.
2. Schedules: Review the progress schedule, schedule of Shop Drawing and Sample submittals, and Schedule of Values prepared by Contractor and consult with Engineer concerning acceptability.
3. Conferences and Meetings: Attend meetings with Contractor, such as preconstruction conferences, progress meetings, job conferences, and other Project-related meetings, and prepare and circulate copies of minutes thereof.

4. Liaison:
 - a. Serve as Engineer's liaison with Contractor. Working principally through Contractor's authorized representative or designee, assist in providing information regarding the provisions and intent of the Contract Documents.
 - b. Assist Engineer in serving as Owner's liaison with Contractor when Contractor's operations affect Owner's on-Site operations.
 - c. Assist in obtaining from Owner additional details or information, when required for proper execution of the Work.
5. Interpretation of Contract Documents: Report to Engineer when clarifications and interpretations of the Contract Documents are needed and transmit to Contractor clarifications and interpretations as issued by Engineer.
6. Shop Drawings and Samples:
 - a. Record date of receipt of Samples and Contractor-approved Shop Drawings.
 - b. Receive Samples which are furnished at the Site by Contractor, and notify Engineer of availability of Samples for examination.
 - c. Advise Engineer and Contractor of the commencement of any portion of the Work requiring a Shop Drawing or Sample submittal for which RPR believes that the submittal has not been approved by Engineer.
7. Modifications: Consider and evaluate Contractor's suggestions for modifications in Drawings or Specifications and report such suggestions, together with RPR's recommendations, if any, to Engineer. Transmit to Contractor in writing decisions as issued by Engineer.
8. Review of Work and Rejection of Defective Work:
 - a. Conduct on-Site observations of Contractor's work in progress to assist Engineer in determining if the Work is in general proceeding in accordance with the Contract Documents.
 - b. Report to Engineer whenever RPR believes that any part of Contractor's work in progress is defective, will not produce a completed Project that conforms generally to the Contract Documents, or will imperil the integrity of the design concept of the completed Project as a functioning whole as indicated in the Contract Documents, or has been damaged, or does not meet the requirements of any inspection, test or approval required to be made; and advise Engineer of that part of work in progress that RPR believes should be corrected or rejected or should be uncovered for observation, or requires special testing, inspection or approval.
9. Inspections, Tests, and System Start-ups:
 - a. Verify that tests, equipment, and systems start-ups and operating and maintenance training are conducted in the presence of appropriate Owner's personnel, and that Contractor maintains adequate records thereof.
 - b. Observe, record, and report to Engineer appropriate details relative to the test procedures and systems start-ups.
10. Records:
 - a. Prepare a daily report or keep a diary or log book, recording Contractor's hours on the Site, Subcontractors present at the Site, weather conditions, data relative to

questions of Change Orders, Field Orders, Work Change Directives, or changed conditions, Site visitors, deliveries of equipment or materials, daily activities, decisions, observations in general, and specific observations in more detail as in the case of observing test procedures; and send copies to Engineer.

- b. Record names, addresses, fax numbers, e-mail addresses, web site locations, and telephone numbers of all Contractors, Subcontractors, and major Suppliers of materials and equipment.
 - c. Maintain records for use in preparing Project documentation.
11. Reports:
- a. Furnish to Engineer periodic reports as required of progress of the Work and of Contractor's compliance with the Progress Schedule and schedule of Shop Drawing and Sample submittals.
 - b. Draft and recommend to Engineer proposed Change Orders, Work Change Directives, and Field Orders. Obtain backup material from Contractor.
 - c. Immediately notify Engineer of the occurrence of any Site accidents, emergencies, acts of God endangering the Work, force majeure or delay events, damage to property by fire or other causes, or the discovery of any Constituent of Concern or Hazardous Environmental Condition.
12. Payment Requests: Review applications for payment with Contractor for compliance with the established procedure for their submission and forward with recommendations to Engineer, noting particularly the relationship of the payment requested to the Schedule of Values, Work completed, and materials and equipment delivered at the Site but not incorporated in the Work.
13. Certificates, Operation and Maintenance Manuals: During the course of the Work, verify that materials and equipment certificates, operation and maintenance manuals and other data required by the Contract Documents to be assembled and furnished by Contractor are applicable to the items actually installed and in accordance with the Contract Documents, and have these documents delivered to Engineer for review and forwarding to Owner prior to payment for that part of the Work.
14. Completion:
- a. Participate in Engineer's visits to the Site to determine Substantial Completion, assist in the determination of Substantial Completion and the preparation of a punch list of items to be completed or corrected.
 - b. Participate in Engineer's final visit to the Site to determine completion of the Work, in the company of Owner and Contractor, and prepare a final punch list of items to be completed and deficiencies to be remedied.
 - c. Observe whether all items on the final list have been completed or corrected and make recommendations to Engineer concerning acceptance and issuance of the notice of acceptability of the work.
- C. The RPR shall not:
1. Authorize any deviation from the Contract Documents or substitution of materials or equipment (including "or-equal" items).
 2. Exceed limitations of Engineer's authority as set forth in the Contract Documents.
 3. Undertake any of the responsibilities of Contractor, Subcontractors, or Suppliers.

4. Advise on, issue directions relative to, or assume control over any aspect of the means, methods, techniques, sequences or procedures of Contractor's work.
 5. Advise on, issue directions regarding, or assume control over security or safety practices, precautions, and programs in connection with the activities or operations of Owner or Contractor.
 6. Participate in specialized field or laboratory tests or inspections conducted off-site by others except as specifically authorized by Engineer.
 7. Accept Shop Drawing or Sample submittals from anyone other than Contractor.
 8. Authorize Owner to occupy the Project in whole or in part.
- B. On this Project, by agreement with the Owner, Engineer will not furnish a Resident Project Representative to represent Engineer at the Site or assist Engineer in observing the progress and quality of the Work

ARTICLE 11 – AMENDING THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS; CHANGES IN WORK

SC-11.04 Change of Contract price

Amend Paragraph 11.04.C.1 to read:

“a mutually acceptable fixed fee;”

Delete Paragraph 11.04.C.2 and all subparagraphs in their entirety.

SC-11.06 Change Proposals

Delete Paragraph 11.06.A.3 in its entirety and insert the following in its place:

3. Binding *Decision*:
 - a. In the event the change order causes a change in completion date of increase in contract price exceeding 10% of the original contract price, the decision will only be binding pending approval by Geneva City Council at the next regularly scheduled City Council meeting after Engineer's approval of change order.
 - b. Change orders causing an increase in the original contract price that does not exceed 10% of the original price will be binding after the approval of the Engineer's approval by the Geneva City Administrator.

ARTICLE 13 – COST OF THE WORK; ALLOWANCES; UNIT PRICE WORK

SC-13.01 Cost of the Work

Delete Paragraph 13.01.B.5.c in its entirety and insert the following in its place:

- c. Construction Equipment and Machinery:
 - 1) Rentals of all construction equipment and machinery, and the parts thereof, in accordance with rental agreements approved by Owner with the advice of Engineer, and the costs of transportation, loading, unloading, assembly, dismantling, and removal thereof. All such costs shall be in accordance with the terms of said rental agreements. The rental of any such equipment, machinery, or parts shall cease when the use thereof is no longer necessary for the Work.
 - 2) Costs for equipment and machinery owned by Contractor will be paid at a rate shown for such equipment in the Lump Sum Bid. An hourly rate will be computed by dividing the monthly rates by 176. These computed rates will include all operating costs. Costs will include the time the equipment or machinery is in use on the changed Work and the costs of transportation, loading, unloading, assembly,

dismantling, and removal when directly attributable to the changed Work. The cost of any such equipment or machinery, or parts thereof, shall cease to accrue when the use thereof is no longer necessary for the changed Work. Equipment or machinery with a value of less than \$1,000 will be considered small tools.

SC-13.03 *Unit Price Work*

Delete Paragraph 13.03 and all subparagraphs in their entirety.

ARTICLE 15 – PAYMENTS TO CONTRACTOR; SET-OFFS; COMPLETION; CORRECTION PERIOD

SC-15.01.A *Basis for Progress Payments:*

Amend Paragraph 15.01.A to read as follows:

- A. “*Basis for Progress Payments:* The Schedule of Values established as provided in Article 2 will serve as the basis for progress payments and will be incorporated into a form of Application for Payment acceptable to Engineer. Progress payments for cost-based Work will be based on Cost of the Work completed by Contractor during the pay period.”

SC-15.01.D *Payment Becomes Due*

Delete subparagraph 15.01.D.1 in its entirety and insert the following in its place:

1. Forty -five days after the presentation to Owner of the Application for Payment and accompanying documentation, the amount recommended by Engineer, less any sum Owner is entitled to set off against Engineer’s recommendation, including but not limited to, liquidated damages, will become due and, will be paid by Owner to Contractor.

SC-15.03 *Substantial Completion*

Add the following new subparagraph to Paragraph 15.03.B:

1. If some or all of the Work has been determined not to be at a point of Substantial Completion and will require re-inspection or re-testing by Engineer, the cost of such re-inspection or re-testing, including the cost of time, travel and living expenses, shall be paid by Contractor to Owner. If Contractor does not pay, or the parties are unable to agree as to the amount owed, then Owner may impose a reasonable set-off against payments due under Article 15.

SC-15.06 *Final Payment*

Amend Paragraph 15.06.D by deleting “Thirty” and replacing with “Forty-five”.

ARTICLE 16 – SUSPENSION OF WORK AND TERMINATION

SC-16.04 *Contractor May Stop Work or Terminate*

Amend Paragraph 16.04.A by deleting “30” and replacing with “45”.

Amend Paragraph 16.04.B by deleting “30” and replacing with “45”.

ARTICLE 17 – FINAL RESOLUTION OF DISPUTES

SC-17.01 *Methods of Procedures*

Delete Subparagraph 17.01 Methods of Procedures and replace with the following:

17.01 Dispute Resolution Method

- A. Either Owner or Contractor may initiate the mediation of any Claim decided in writing by Engineer under Paragraph 10.07.A or 11.06A before such decision becomes final and binding. The mediation will be governed by the Construction Industry Mediation Rules of the American Arbitration Association in effect as of the Effective Date of the Agreement. The request for mediation shall be submitted in writing to the American Arbitration Association and the other party to the Contract. Timely submission of the request shall stay the Engineer's decision from becoming final and binding. The venue for any mediation proceeding shall be in an agreed upon location in Kane County, IL.
- B. Owner and Contractor shall participate in the mediation process in good faith. The process shall be concluded within 60 days of filing of the request. The date of termination of the mediation shall be determined by application of the mediation rules referenced above.
- C. If the mediation process does not result in resolution of the Claim, then Engineer's written decision or denial under Paragraph 10.07A. or 11.06.A shall become final and binding 30 days after termination of the mediation unless, within that time period, Owner or Contractor:
 - 1. elects in writing to invoke any dispute resolution process provided for in Article 17, or
 - 2. agrees with the other party to submit the Claim to another dispute resolution process, or
 - 3. if no dispute resolution process has been provided for in Article 17, delivers to the other party written notice of the intent to submit the Claim to a court of competent jurisdiction, and within 60 days of the termination of the mediation institutes such formal proceeding.

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- A. For any matter subject to final resolution under this Article, the prevailing party shall be entitled to an award of its attorneys' fees incurred in the final resolution proceedings, in an equitable amount to be determined in the discretion of the court, arbitrator, arbitration panel, or other arbiter of the matter subject to final resolution, taking into account the parties' initial demand or defense positions in comparison with the final result.

END OF DOCUMENT

Addendum No. 1

for

Bid Proposal No. 23-06 Business Park III 34.5kV Substation General

**City of Geneva
Geneva, Illinois**



John Sovers

Signature

11/17/2023

Date

License Expiration Date: 11-30-2025
Illinois Firm Registration No. 184-001533



ADDENDUM NO. 1

November 17, 2023

BID PROPOSAL NO. 23-06
BUSINESS PARK III 34.5KV SUBSTATION
GENERAL CONSTRUCTION

CITY OF GENEVA
GENEVA, ILLINOIS

1. DOCUMENT 00 01 15 – DRAWING LIST

Delete page 1 in its entirety and insert attached page 1, Rev. 1, in its place.

2. DOCUMENT 01 11 00 – SUMMARY OF WORK

Delete pages 1 and 2 in their entirety and insert attached pages 1 and 2, Rev. 1, in their place.

3. DRAWINGS

The following Drawings have been revised, as indicated by revision number, and are reissued herewith:

Drawing No.	Title	Rev. No.
GG01	COVER SHEET AND DRAWING INDEX	B
EP01	GENERAL ARRANGEMENT	B
EP06A	ELEVATIONS SHEET 1	B
EU01	GROUNDING PLAN	B
EU02	CONDUIT PLAN AND SCHEDULE	B
SF01	FOUNDATION PLAN	B
SF02	FOUNDATION DETAILS AND SCHEDULE	B
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EP01D	GENERAL ARANGEMENT - DEMOLITION	B

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EO01	BUSINESS PARK I ONE-LINE DIAGRAM	A
EO03	ONE-LINE DIAGRAM SHEET 1	A
EP01	GENERAL ARRANGEMENT	B
EP06A	ELEVATIONS SHEET 1	B
EP06B	ELEVATIONS SHEET 2	A
EP07	BILL OF MATERIAL	A
EU01	GROUNDING PLAN	B
EU02	CONDUIT PLAN AND SCHEDULE	B
SF01	FOUNDATION PLAN	B
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SPL911923SWGR	SPL 9'-11x9'-2"x3'-0" SWITCHGEAR FOUNDATION	-

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 WORK COVERED BY CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

- A. Work of this Agreement comprises installation of materials and equipment for the 34.5kV portion of the Business Park III Substation to support addition of a 34.5kV feeder in Geneva, Illinois for The City of Geneva, Owner including:
 - 1. Performing substation grading.
 - 2. Remove existing fence section and associated grounding connections.
 - 3. Installing substation steel structures.
 - 4. Furnishing and installing new substation foundations.
 - 5. Furnishing and installing power conduits.
 - 6. Installing 34.5kV underground cable in power conduits.
 - 7. Furnishing and installing 34.5kV underground cable terminators for connection to termination structure.
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 - 9. Furnishing and installing substation yard rock.
 - 10. Furnishing and installing new fence extension and entrance gate.
 - 11. Furnishing and installing new fence and entrance gate grounding.
 - 12. Substation testing and checkout.

1.02 AGREEMENT

- A. Construct Work under single lump sum Agreement.

1.03 WORK SEQUENCE

- A. Construct Work in stages to provide for public convenience. Do not close off public use of public and private roads.

1.04 CONTRACTOR'S USE OF PREMISES

- A. Complete and exclusive use of premises for execution of Work.
- B. Limit Contractor's use of premises for Work and for storage, to allow for: Public and private use streets and roads.
- C. Coordinate use of premises under direction of Contractor. Contractor shall confine construction equipment, storage of materials and equipment and operations of workers to areas permitted by law, ordinances, permits, or requirements of Contract Documents, and shall not unreasonably encumber premises with construction equipment or other material or equipment.
- D. Assume full responsibility for protection and safekeeping of items under this Agreement, stored on Site.
- E. Move any stored items, under Contractor's control, which interfere with operations of Owner or separate contractor.
- F. Obtain and pay for use of additional storage or Work areas needed for operations.

1.05 OWNER-FURNISHED ITEMS

- A. Products furnished and paid for by Owner:
 - 1. Customer Provided Equipment (Estimated Delivery: 11/30/2023) (Delivered to the site)
 - a. 34.5kV substation steel structures.
 - b. 34.5kV disconnect switches.

- c. 22kV MCOV lightning arrestors.
 - d. Switch operator mats.
 - e. Above grade grounding.
 - 2. Steel Structures Anchor Bolts (Estimated Delivery: 10/2/2023) (Delivered to the site)
 - 3. 34.5kV underground Cable. (Pick up at Owner's facility)
 - 4. 34.5kV switch vault. (Pick up at Owner's facility)
- B. Owner's responsibilities:
- 1. Arrange for and deliver necessary Shop Drawings and Samples to Contractor.
 - 2. Arrange and pay for product delivery to Owner's facility.
 - 3. Deliver supplier's bill of materials to Contractor.
 - 4. Inspect deliveries jointly with Contractor.
 - 5. Submit claims for transportation damage.
 - 6. Arrange for replacement of damaged, defective, or missing items.
 - 7. Arrange for manufacturer's warranties, Bonds, service, inspections, as required.
- C. Contractor's responsibilities:
- 1. Designate delivery date for each product in Construction Schedule.
 - 2. Obtain products from Owner's facility (1800 South Street, Geneva, IL 60134) and deliver to site.
 - 3. Promptly inspect products jointly with Owner, record shortages, damages, or defective items.
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 - 5. Protect products from exposure to elements, and from damage.
 - 6. Assemble, install, connect, adjust, and finish products, as stipulated in respective Section of Specifications.
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NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

NOT USED

END OF SECTION

Addendum No. 2

for

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ADDENDUM NO. 2
November 21, 2023

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BUSINESS PARK III 34.5KV SUBSTATION
GENERAL CONSTRUCTION

CITY OF GENEVA
GENEVA, ILLINOIS

1. DOCUMENT 00 52 13 – AGREEMENT BETWEEN OWNER AND CONTRACTOR

Article “4 – Contract Times”

Change paragraph 4.2 to read:

4.2 *Contract Times: Dates.* The Work will be substantially completed on or before June 1, 2024, and completed and ready for final payment in accordance with paragraph 15.06 of the General Conditions on or before July 1, 2024.

END OF ADDENDUM NO. 2

- 1) Phil Schulz
- 2) John Sovers

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PART 3 EXECUTION

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END OF SECTION

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SCHEDULE OF VALUES

- A. Submit a printed schedule on EJCDC C-620 – Contractor’s Application for Payment.
- B. Submit Schedule of Values in duplicate within 15 days after date established in Notice to Proceed.
- C. Format: Use Table of Contents of this Project Manual. Identify each line item with number and title of major specification Section.
- D. Include within each line item, a direct proportional amount of Contractor's overhead and profit.
- E. Revise schedule to list approved Change Orders, with each Application for Payment.

1.02 APPLICATIONS FOR PAYMENT

- A. Submit 3 copies of each application on EJCDC C-620 – Contractor’s Application for Payment.
- B. Content and format: Use Schedule of Values for listing items in Application for Payment.
- C. Submit an updated construction schedule with each Application for Payment.
- D. Payment period: Submit at intervals stipulated in Agreement.
- E. Submit with transmittal letter as specified for Submittals in Section 01 33 00.
- F. Include a Company invoice for the amount listed on the payment application.
- G. Substantiating data: When Engineer requires substantiating information, submit data justifying dollar amounts in question. Include following with application:
 - 1. Current construction photographs.
 - 2. Partial release of liens from major subcontractors and vendors.
 - 3. Record documents as specified in Sections 01 32 00 and 01 70 00, for review by Owner which will be returned to Contractor.
 - 4. Affidavits attesting to off-site stored products.
 - 5. Construction progress schedules, revised and current as specified in Section 01 32 00.
 - 6. Certified payroll for Contactor and all Subcontractors.

1.03 CHANGE PROCEDURES

- A. Submittals: Submit name of individual authorized to receive change documents, and be responsible for informing others in Contractor's employ or Subcontractors of changes to Work.
- B. Engineer will advise of minor changes in Work not involving an adjustment to Contract Price or Contract Time by issuing supplemental instructions on Engineer’s Instruction to Contractor (ITC) Form SC2264-1299.
- C. Engineer may issue a notice of change which includes detailed description of proposed change with supplementary or revised Drawings and Specifications, change in Contract Time for executing change and period of time during which requested price will be considered valid. Contractor will prepare and submit an estimate within 7 days.
- D. Contractor may propose changes by submitting a request for change to Engineer, describing proposed change and its full effect on Work. Include a statement describing reason for change, and

effect on Contract Price and Contract Time with full documentation and a statement describing effect on Work by separate or other contractors.

- E. Stipulated price Change Order: Based on notice of change and Contractor's fixed price quotation or Contractor's request for a Change Order as approved by Engineer.
- F. Work Directive Change: Engineer may issue a directive, on EJCDC C940 - Work Directive Change signed by Owner, instructing Contractor to proceed with a change in Work, for subsequent inclusion in a Change Order. Document will describe changes in Work, and designate method of determining any change in Contract Price or Contract Time. Promptly execute change.
- G. Document each quotation for a change in cost or time with sufficient data to allow evaluation of quotation.
- H. Change Order Forms: EJCDC C-941 Change Order.
- I. Execution of Change Orders: Engineer will issue Change Orders for signatures of parties as provided in Conditions of Contract.
- J. Correlation of Contractor submittals:
 - 1. Promptly revise Schedule of Values and Application for Payment forms to record each authorized Change Order as a separate line item and adjust Contract Price.
 - 2. Promptly revise progress schedules to reflect any change in Contract Time, revise sub-schedules to adjust times for other items of work affected by change, and resubmit.
 - 3. Promptly enter changes in Project Record Documents.

1.04 DEFECT ASSESSMENT

- A. Replace Work, or portions of Work, not conforming to specified requirements.
- B. If, in opinion of Engineer, it is not practical to remove and replace Work, Engineer will direct an appropriate remedy or adjust payment.
- C. Individual specification sections may modify these options or may identify a specific formula or percentage price reduction.
- D. Authority of Engineer to assess defect and identify payment adjustment, is final.
- E. Nonpayment for rejected products: Payment will not be made for rejected products for any of following:
 - 1. Products wasted or disposed of in a manner that is not acceptable.
 - 2. Products determined as unacceptable before or after placement.
 - 3. Products not completely unloaded from transporting vehicle.
 - 4. Products placed beyond lines and levels of required Work.
 - 5. Products remaining on hand after completion of Work.
 - 6. Loading, hauling, and disposing of rejected products.

1.05 UNIT ADJUSTMENT PRICES

- A. Unit adjustment prices will be used to adjust Contract Price for additions to or deductions from quantities required by Contract Documents.
 - 1. Additions to Work will be made at 115% of prices submitted.
 - 2. Deletions from Work will be made at 90% of prices submitted.
 - 3. Net changes of quantities shall first be determined before price factors are applied.
- B. Unit adjustment prices apply only to additions to or deductions from quantities required by Contract Documents made necessary by unforeseen conditions or changes deemed necessary or desirable by

Engineer or Owner during construction. Additions or deductions necessary to accommodate equipment furnished and installed under Agreement shall be made by Contractor at its expense, and unit adjustment prices shall not apply.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

NOT USED

END OF SECTION

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SUBSTITUTIONS

- A. For period of 30 days after effective date of Agreement, Engineer will consider formal requests from Contractor for substitution of products in place of those specified. After end of that period, requests will be considered only in case of product unavailability or other conditions beyond control of Contractor.
- B. Submit 3 copies of request for substitution for consideration using attached Product Substitution Request Form. Limit each request to one proposed Substitution. Support each request with:
 - 1. Complete data substantiating compliance of proposed substitutions with requirements stated in Contract Documents. Burden of proof is on proposer.
 - a. Product identification, including manufacturer's name and address.
 - b. Manufacturer's literature; identify:
 - 1) Product description.
 - 2) Reference standards.
 - 3) Performance and test data.
 - c. Samples, as applicable.
 - d. Name and address of similar projects on which product has been used, and date of each installation.
 - 2. Itemized comparison of proposed substitution with product specified; list significant variations.
 - 3. Data relating to changes in construction schedule.
 - 4. Any effect of substitution on separate contracts.
 - 5. List of changes required in other work or products.
 - 6. Accurate cost data comparing proposed substitution with product specified. Amount of any net change to Contract Price.
 - 7. Designation of required license fees or royalties.
 - 8. Designation of availability of maintenance services, sources, or replacement materials.
- C. Substitutions will not be considered for acceptance when:
 - 1. They are indicated or implied on Shop Drawings.
 - 2. They are requested directly by Subcontractor or supplier.
 - 3. Acceptance will require substantial revision of Contract Documents.
- D. Substitute products shall not be ordered or installed without written notification from Engineer of Owner's acceptance.
- E. Engineer will determine acceptability of proposed substitutions.

1.02 CONTRACTOR'S REPRESENTATION

- A. In making formal request for substitution Contractor represents that:
 - 1. It has investigated proposed product and has determined that it is equal to or superior in all respects to that specified.
 - 2. It will provide same warranties or Bonds for substitution as for product specified or as required by Owner.
 - 3. It will coordinate installation of accepted substitution into Work, and will make such changes as may be required for Work to be complete in all respects.
 - 4. It waives claims for additional costs caused by substitution which may subsequently become apparent.
 - 5. Cost data is complete and includes related costs under its Agreement, but not:
 - a. Costs under separate contracts.
 - b. Engineer's costs for redesign or revision of Contract Documents.
 - 6. It will reimburse Owner for charges of Engineer or Engineer's consultants for evaluating any proposed substitute, whether proposed substitute is accepted or rejected.

1.03 ENGINEER DUTIES

- A. Review Contractor's requests for substitution with reasonable promptness and advise Owner.
- B. Notify Contractor in writing of Owner's decision to accept or reject requested substitution.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

NOT USED

END OF SECTION

PRODUCT SUBSTITUTION REQUEST FORM

To: _____

Project: _____

Specified Item:	Section	Page	Paragraph	Description

The undersigned request consideration of the following:

PROPOSED SUBSTITUTION _____

Attached data includes product description, specifications, drawings, photographs, performance, and test data adequate for evaluation of the request; applicable portions of the data are clearly identified.

Attached data also includes a description of changes to the Contract Documents that the proposed substitution will require for its proper installation.

The undersigned certifies that the following paragraphs, unless modified by attachments are correct:

1. The proposed substitution does not affect dimensions shown on Drawings.
2. The undersigned will pay for changes to the building design, including engineering design, detailing, and construction costs caused by the requested substitution.
3. The proposed substitution will have no adverse affect on other trades, the construction schedule, or specified warranty requirements.
4. Maintenance and service parts will be locally available for the proposed substitution.

The undersigned further states that the function, appearance, and quality of the proposed substitution are equivalent or superior to the specified item.

Submitted by:

Signature _____

Firm _____

Address _____

Date _____

Telephone _____

Attachments

For use by Engineer/Architect

Approved Approved as noted

Not Approved Received too late

By _____

Date _____

Remarks _____

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 COORDINATION AND PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Coordinate scheduling, submittals, and Work of the various sections of the Project Manual to ensure efficient and orderly sequence of installation of interdependent construction elements.
- B. Verify utility requirements and characteristics of operating equipment are compatible with building utilities. Coordinate work of various sections having interdependent responsibilities for installing, connecting to, and placing in service, such equipment.
- C. Coordinate space requirements, supports, and installation of electrical Work which is indicated diagrammatically on Drawings. Follow routing shown for pipes, ducts, and conduit, as closely as practicable; place runs parallel with lines of building. Utilize spaces efficiently to maximize accessibility for other installations, for maintenance, and for repairs.
- D. Coordinate completion and clean-up of Work of separate sections in preparation for Substantial Completion.
- E. After Owner occupancy of premises, coordinate access to site for correction of defective Work and Work not in accordance with Contract Documents, to minimize disruption of Owner's activities.

1.02 COPIES OF DRAWINGS AND PROJECT MANUALS

- A. After Notice of Award, Contractor may obtain, at no charge, up to 3 printed or hard copies of the Drawings and Project Manual and one set in electronic format. Additional copies will be furnished upon request at the cost of reproduction plus handling charge.
- B. Additional copies of project manuals may be obtained under following conditions:
 - 1. Furnished at Engineer's reproduction cost plus handling charge.
 - 2. If Contractor's requirement for additional project manuals necessitates reprinting of project manuals, Contractor shall pay entire cost of such reprinting.
 - 3. Partial sets of project manuals will not be provided.
- C. Revised Drawings and project manuals, if required, will be provided by Engineer to show authorized changes or extra Work under following conditions:
 - 1. Project manuals: Furnished at no charge, in same quantity as original issuance.
 - 2. Half-size Drawings:
 - a. Half-size Drawings will be available as revised Drawings.
 - b. One revised, complete set of half-size Drawings will be issued, at no charge, for each half-size set originally issued and for each half-size set purchased by Contractor after Notice of Award.
 - 3. Full-size Drawings:
 - a. One revised, complete set of full-size Drawings will be issued, at no charge, for each full-size set originally issued.
 - b. One revised, complete set of full-size Drawings will be issued, at no charge, for each full-size set originally issued, and for each full-size set purchased by Contractor after Notice of Award, up to 4 copies maximum.
 - 4. One full-size reproducible set will be issued to accommodate fifth and subsequent sets purchased by Contractor. Contractor shall use reproducible set to complete printing for additional Drawings in its possession.

1.03 PROJECT SITE ADMINISTRATION

- A. Contractor shall provide competent, suitably qualified personnel to survey and lay out Work and perform construction as required by Contract Documents. Contractor shall at all times maintain good discipline and order at site.

- B. Except in connection with safety or protection of persons or Work or property at site or adjacent thereto, and except as otherwise indicated in Contract Documents, all Work at site shall be performed during regular working hours, and Contractor shall not permit overtime work or performance of Work on Saturday, Sunday, or any legal holiday without Owner's written consent given after prior written notice to Engineer.
- C. Incompetent or incorrigible employees shall be dismissed from Work by Contractor or its representative when requested by Engineer, and such persons shall not again be permitted to return to Work without written consent of Engineer.
- D. Workmanship shall be of best quality.

1.04 PRECONSTRUCTION MEETING

- A. Engineer will schedule a meeting 15 days after Notice to Proceed.
- B. Attendance Required: Owner, Engineer, and Contractor.
- C. Agenda:
 - 1. Execution of Owner-Contractor Agreement.
 - 2. Submission of executed bonds and insurance certificates.
 - 3. Distribution of Contract Documents.
 - 4. Submission of list of Subcontractors, list of products, schedule of values, and progress schedule.
 - 5. Designation of personnel representing the parties in Contract, Owner, and the Engineer.
 - 6. Procedures and processing of field decisions, submittals, substitutions, applications for payments, proposal request, Change Orders, and Contract closeout procedures.
 - 7. Scheduling.
- D. Record minutes and distribute copies within 2 days after meeting to participants, with 1 copy to those affected by decisions made.

1.05 PROGRESS MEETINGS

- A. Schedule and administer meetings throughout progress of the Work at maximum monthly intervals.
- B. Attendance Required: Job superintendent, major subcontractors and suppliers, Owner, Engineer, as appropriate to agenda topics for each meeting.
- C. Agenda:
 - 1. Review minutes of previous meetings.
 - 2. Review of Work progress.
 - 3. Field observations, problems, and decisions.
 - 4. Identification of problems which impede planned progress.
 - 5. Review of submittals schedule and status of submittals.
 - 6. Review of off-site fabrication and delivery schedules.
 - 7. Maintenance of progress schedule.
 - 8. Corrective measures to regain projected schedules.
 - 9. Planned progress during succeeding work period.
 - 10. Coordination of projected progress.
 - 11. Maintenance of quality and work standards.
 - 12. Effect of proposed changes on progress schedule and coordination.
 - 13. Other business relating to Work.
- D. Record minutes and distribute copies within 2 days after meeting to participants, with 1 copy to those affected by decisions made.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

NOT USED

END OF SECTION

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 CONSTRUCTION PROGRESS SCHEDULES

- A. Promptly after Notice of Award, prepare and submit to Engineer estimated construction progress schedules for Work, with subschedules of related activities which are essential to its progress.
- B. Submit revised progress schedules with each Application for Payment.

1.02 FORM OF SCHEDULES

- A. Prepare schedules in form of horizontal bar chart.
 - 1. Provide separate horizontal bar for each trade or operation.
 - 2. Horizontal time scale: Identify first work day of each week.
 - 3. Scale and spacing: To allow space for notations and future revisions.
 - 4. Minimum sheet size: 11 x 17.
- B. Format of listings: Chronological order of start of each item of Work.
- C. Identification of listings: By major Specification Section numbers.

1.03 CONTENT OF SCHEDULES

- A. Construction Progress Schedule show:
 - 1. Complete sequence of construction by activity, with Contract Price breakdown at each stage.
 - 2. Dates for beginning, and completion of, each major element of construction specifically listing:
 - a. Equipment ordering and shipping.
 - b. Site utilities.
 - c. Subcontractor Work.
 - d. Equipment installations.
 - e. Finishings.
 - 3. Projected percentage of completion for each item, as of first day of each month.
- B. Provide subschedules to define critical portions of prime schedules.

1.04 PROGRESS REVISIONS

- A. Indicate progress of each activity to date of submission.
- B. Show changes occurring since previous submission of schedule:
 - 1. Major changes in scope.
 - 2. Activities modified since previous submission.
 - 3. Revised projections of progress and completion.
 - 4. Other identifiable changes.
- C. Provide narrative report as needed to define:
 - 1. Problem areas, anticipated delays, and impact on schedule.
 - 2. Corrective action recommended, and its effect.
 - 3. Effect of changes on schedules of other prime contractors.

1.05 SUBMISSIONS

- A. Submit initial schedules within 15 days after Notice of Award.
 - 1. Engineer will review schedules and return review copy within reasonable time after receipt.
 - 2. If required, resubmit within 7 days after return of review copy.

- B. Submit revised progress schedules with each Application for Payment.
- C. Submit number of opaque reproductions which Contractor requires, plus 5 copies which will be retained by Engineer.

1.06 DISTRIBUTION

- A. Distribution copies of reviewed schedules to:
 - 1. Job site file.
 - 2. Subcontractors.
 - 3. Other concerned parties.
- B. Instruct recipients to report promptly to Contractor, in writing, any problems anticipated by projects shown in schedules.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

NOT USED

END OF SECTION

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SUBMITTAL PROCEDURES

- A. Submit electronically when required by Specification Sections. Contact Engineer as listed below for submittal instructions. An FTP/FTA site or direct posting site will be provided after award to post submittals and to receive return submittals:

Mr. Philip Schulz
Email: schulzphil@stanleygroup.com
Office Phone: 563-264-6461
Stanley Consultants, Inc.
Stanley Building
225 Iowa Avenue
Muscatine, Iowa 52761-3764

- B. Engineer will make internal distribution to the Owner and other interested parties.
- C. Submittals shall be in English language.
- D. Weights, measures, and units shall be English units with SI metric values following in parenthesis.
- E. Symbols and drawings shall conform to ANSI Y32.2/IEEE 315/CSA Z99.

1.02 CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Review submittals prior to submission.
- B. Determine and verify:
 - 1. Field measurements.
 - 2. Field construction criteria.
 - 3. Catalog numbers and similar data.
 - 4. Conformance to Specifications.
- C. Coordinate each submittal with other submittals and with requirements of Work and of Contract Documents.
- D. Notify Engineer in writing, at time of submission, of any deviations in submittals from requirements of Contract Documents. Any such deviations permitted by Engineer will require modifications of Contract Documents.
- E. Provide space on Shop Drawings for Contractor and Engineer stamps.
- F. When Shop Drawings are revised for resubmission, identify all changes made since previous submission.
- G. Submittals containing language imposing duties on others (such as verification of dimensions or supply of related information) inconsistent with contract language shall be null and void.
- H. Submittals shall not be used as media for inquiries for information or for verification of information that must be supplied by others to Contractor. Inquiries or verification of information shall be made by separate Contractor submittal using Request for Information (RFI) process.
- I. Begin no fabrication or Work which requires submittal review until return of submittals by Engineer with stamp, as either "Reviewed", "Reviewed as Noted", or "Reviewed as Noted-Resubmit."

- J. Distribute copies of reviewed submittals that carry Engineer stamp as either "Reviewed" or "Reviewed as Noted" as appropriate. Instruct parties to promptly report any inability to comply with requirements.
- K. Submittals not requested will not be recognized or processed.

1.03 ENGINEER DUTIES

- A. Review required submittals with reasonable promptness and in accord with schedule, only for general conformance to design concept of Project and compliance with information given in Contract Documents. Review shall not extend to means, methods, sequences, techniques, or procedures of construction or to safety precautions or program incident thereto. Review of a separate item as such will not indicate approval of assembly in which item functions.
- B. Affix stamp and initials or signature, and indicate requirements for resubmittal, or review of submittal. Engineer's action on submittals is classified as follows:
 - 1. Reviewed: Submittal has been reviewed and appears to be in conformance to design concept of Project and Contract Documents. Contractor may proceed with fabrication of work in submittal.
 - 2. Reviewed As Noted: Submittal has been reviewed and appears to be in conformance to design concept of Project and Contract Documents, except as noted by reviewer. Contractor may proceed with fabrication of work in submittal with modifications and corrections as indicated by reviewer.
 - 3. Reviewed As Noted-Resubmit: Submittal has been reviewed and appears to be in conformance to design concept of Project and Contract Documents, except as noted by reviewer. Contractor may proceed with fabrication of work in submittal with modifications and corrections as indicated by reviewer. Contractor shall make any corrections indicated by reviewer and resubmit for review.
 - 4. Resubmit: Submittal has been reviewed and appears not to be in conformance to design concept of Project or with Contract Documents. Contractor shall not proceed with fabrication of work in submittal, but instead shall make any corrections required by reviewer and resubmit for review.
 - 5. Returned without Review: Submittal is being returned without having been reviewed because: 1) not required by Contract Documents; 2) grossly incomplete; 3) indicates no attempt at conformance to Contract Documents; 4) cannot be reproduced; 5) lacks Contractor's completed approval stamp; or 6) lacks design professional's seal when required by law or Contract Documents. If submittal is required by Contract Documents, Contractor shall not proceed with Work as detailed in submittal, but instead shall correct defects and resubmit for review.
 - 6. For Information Only: Submittal has not been reviewed but is being retained for informational purposes only.
 - 7. Void: Submittal is voided because it is no longer required or has been superseded by another submittal.
- C. Return one electronic copy of submittals to Contractor. Contractor shall make additional distribution as required.
- D. Review of submittals shall not relieve Contractor from responsibility for any variation from Contract Documents unless Contractor has, in writing, called Engineer's attention to such variation at time of submission, and Engineer has given written concurrence pursuant to Contract Documents to specific variation, nor shall any concurrence by Engineer or other reviewer relieve Contractor from responsibility for errors or omissions in submittals.

1.04 SHOP DRAWINGS SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit for review for limited purpose of checking for conformance to information given and design concept expressed in Contract Documents. Produce copies and distribute in accordance with article "Submittal Procedures" and for record documents purposes as described in Section 01 70 00.
- B. Designate in construction schedule, or in separate coordinated submittal schedule, dates for submission and dates that reviewed submittals will be needed.

- C. Do not ship equipment until return of shop test results by Engineer as "Reviewed" or "Reviewed as Noted"
- D. Make submittals promptly in accordance with approved schedule, and in such sequence as to cause no delay in Work or in work of other contractors.
- E. Present in clear and thorough manner, complete with respect to dimensions, design criteria, materials of construction, and like information to enable review of information as required.
- F. Details shall be identified by reference to sheet and detail, schedule or room numbers shown on Drawings.
- G. Indicate special utility and electrical characteristics, utility connection requirements, and location of utility outlets for service for functional equipment and appliances.
- H. Equipment which is identified on Contract Documents with tag number or name shall be identified on Shop Drawing with same tag.
- I. Schedule submittals to expedite Project. Coordinate submission of related items.
- J. For each submittal for review, allow 15 days to complete review process.
- K. Identify variations from Contract Documents and product or system limitations which may be detrimental to successful performance of completed Work.
- L. Shop Drawings shall be submitted in electronic format.
 - 1. Submittal Transmittal form (see pdf attached) shall be provided in Word format for each submittal. MSWord template will be provided after award.
 - 2. Text documents shall be submitted in .pdf or .doc format except for the shop drawing Transmittal Form.
 - 3. Drawings shall be submitted in .pdf or .tif format.
 - 4. Electronic submittal shall be suitable for reproduction in black and white.
 - 5. Samples may be submitted to Engineer at address given above.
- M. Submittals shall contain:
 - 1. Date of submission and dates of any previous submissions.
 - 2. Project title and number.
 - 3. Contract identification.
 - 4. Names of:
 - a. Contractor.
 - b. Supplier.
 - c. Manufacturer.
 - 5. Identification of product, with Specification section number and article number.
 - 6. Field dimensions, clearly identified as such.
 - 7. Relation to adjacent or critical features of Work or materials.
 - 8. Applicable standards, such as ASTM or Federal Specification numbers.
 - 9. Identification of deviations from Contract Documents.
 - 10. Identification of revisions on resubmittals.
 - 11. An 8" x 3" blank space for Contractor and reviewer stamps.
 - 12. Indication of Contractor's approval, initialed or signed, with wording substantially as follows:

"Contractor represents to Owner and Engineer that Contractor has either determined and verified all quantities, dimensions, field construction criteria, materials, catalog numbers, and similar data, or assumes full responsibility for doing so and has reviewed or coordinated each submittal with requirements of Work and Contract Documents."
- 13. If Contract Documents include performance specifications stating required results which can be verified as meeting stipulated criteria, so that further design by Contractor prior to fabrication is

necessary, Submittal depicting such design must be prepared under seal of professional engineer registered in appropriate state and Submittal shall be signed and sealed in accordance with applicable regulations and with following certification statement:

"I hereby certify that this engineering document was prepared by me or under my direct personal supervision, that I am a duly licensed professional engineer under laws of state of Iowa and I accept responsibility for adequacy of this document to meet criteria stipulated in Contract Documents."

N. Product Data:

1. Mark each copy to identify applicable products, models, options, and other data. Supplement manufacturers' standard data to provide information specific to this Project.
2. Indicate product utility and electrical characteristics, utility connection requirements, and location of utility outlets for service for functional equipment and appliances.

O. Design data:

1. Submit for Engineer's knowledge as contract administrator or for Owner.
2. Submit for information for limited purpose of assessing conformance with information given and design concept expressed in Contract Documents.

P. Data sheets:

1. Data sheets may require information not known until Contractor's engineering is complete. Furnish estimated values based on good engineering judgment. Estimated values shall be identified by placement of "(est.)" next to value.
2. Data Sheets shall be updated and resubmitted by Contractor once final values are known.
3. Do not leave items blank or labeled "To Be Determined" or "Later."
4. Do not submit manufacturer Product Data instead of completed data sheets.

Q. Test reports:

1. Submit for Engineer's knowledge as contract administrator or for Owner.
2. Submit test reports for information for limited purpose of assessing conformance with information given and design concept expressed in Contract Documents.

R. Certificates:

1. When specified in individual specification sections, submit certification by manufacturer, installation/application subcontractor.
2. Indicate material or product conforms to or exceeds specified requirements. Submit supporting reference data, affidavits, and certifications as appropriate.
3. Certificates may be recent or previous test results on material or product, but must be acceptable to reviewer.

S. Manufacturer's instructions:

1. When specified in individual specification sections, submit printed instructions for delivery, storage, assembly, installation, adjusting, and finishing, to Engineer for delivery to Owner in quantities specified for Product Data.
2. Indicate special procedures, perimeter conditions requiring special attention, and special environmental criteria required for application or installation.

T. Samples:

1. Samples for selection as specified in product sections:
 - a. Submit for aesthetic, color, or finish selection.
 - b. Submit samples of finishes from full range of manufacturers' standard colors, textures, and patterns for selection.
2. Submit to illustrate functional and aesthetic characteristics of product, with integral parts and attachment devices. Coordinate sample submittals for interfacing work.
3. Include identification on each sample, with full Project information.
4. Submit number specified in individual Specification Sections; one of which will be retained by Engineer.

5. Reviewed Samples which may be used in Work are indicated in individual Specification Sections.
6. Samples will not be used for testing purposes unless specifically stated in specification section.

U. Proposed products list:

1. Within 15 days after date of Notice to Proceed, submit list of major products proposed to Engineer for use, with name of manufacturer, trade name, and model number of each product.
2. For products specified only by reference standards, give manufacturer, trade name, model or catalog designation, and reference standards.

V. Operations and maintenance manuals:

1. Designate in construction schedule, or in separate coordinated schedule, dates for submission and dates that reviewed operations and maintenance manuals will be needed.
2. Operations and maintenance manuals shall be presented in clear and thorough manner, complete with respect to dimensions, design criteria, materials of construction, and like information to enable reviewer to review information as required. Details shall be identified by reference to sheet and detail, schedule or room numbers shown on Drawings.

1.05 RESUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- A. Make any corrections or changes in submittals required by Engineer and resubmit until stamped as either "Reviewed," "Reviewed as Noted," or "For Information Only."
- B. Text and depictions changed on Submittal shall be back-circled (clouded).
- C. Engineer will assume that portions of Submittal not back-circled have not been changed by Contractor from previous submission.
- D. Indicate revision number and date in document revision block.

1.06 DISTRIBUTION

- A. Distribute reproductions of Shop Drawings which carry Engineer stamp as either "Reviewed" or "Reviewed as Noted" to:
 1. Record Documents file.
 2. Other affected contractors.
 3. Subcontractors.
 4. Supplier or fabricator.
- B. Distribute Samples which carry Engineer stamp as either "Reviewed" or "Reviewed as Noted" as directed by Engineer.

1.07 CONSTRUCTION PROGRESS DOCUMENTATION

- A. Construction progress schedules: Submit initial schedules to Engineer within 15 days after date of Notice to Proceed. After review, resubmit required revised data within ten days.
- B. Form of schedules:
 1. Prepare schedules in form of horizontal bar chart.
 - a. Provide separate horizontal bar for each trade or operation.
 - b. Horizontal time scale: Identify first work day of each week.
 - c. Scale and spacing: To allow space for notations and future revisions.
 - d. Minimum sheet size: 11 x 17.
 2. Format of listings: Chronological order of start of each item of Work.
 3. Identification of listings: By major Specification Section numbers.
- C. Submittal schedule shall show dates for Contractor's submittals.

- D. Progress revisions:
 - 1. Indicate progress of each activity to date of submission.
 - 2. Show changes occurring since previous submission of schedule:
 - a. Major changes in scope.
 - b. Activities modified since previous submission.
 - c. Revised projections of progress and completion.
 - d. Other identifiable changes.
 - 3. Provide narrative report as needed to define:
 - a. Problem areas, anticipated delays, and impact on schedule.
 - b. Corrective action recommended, and its effect.
 - c. Effect of changes on schedules of other prime contractors.
- E. Distribution copies of reviewed schedules to:
 - 1. Subcontractors.
 - 2. Other concerned parties.
- F. Instruct recipients to report promptly to Contractor, in writing, any problems anticipated by projects shown in schedules.

1.08 SUBMITTAL TRANSMITTAL FORM PROCEDURES

- A. Submittals shall be accompanied by completed copies of Submittal Transmittal form, bound herein. An electronic version of transmittal form is available and may be obtained from Engineer. Reproduce additional copies required.
- B. Submit one copy of transmittal form for initial submittals and resubmittals. Sequentially number transmittal form. Revise submittals with original number and sequential alphabetic suffix.
- C. Prior to submittal, complete information under heading "Contractor's Transmittal."
- D. Engineer will complete information under "Reviewer's Action."
- E. Do not include submittals for more than one section of Specifications on Submittal Transmittal form.
- F. Identify project title, location, and number and contract title and number.
- G. Identify preparer name and, submittal number, including preparer's submittal revision number.
- H. A brief description under "Title" should clearly identify specific application of equipment or material covered by Submittal, utilizing where possible same title used in Drawings and Specifications.
- I. Identify Specification Section number.
- J. Apply Contractor's stamp, signed or initialed certifying that review, approval, verification of products required, field dimensions, adjacent construction Work, and coordination of information is in accordance with requirements of Work and Contract Documents.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

NOT USED

END OF SECTION

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 WELDING REQUIREMENTS

- A. Welding shall be performed by qualified welding operators using procedures which have been qualified in accordance with applicable codes and standards specified.

1.02 PROCEDURE QUALIFICATION

- A. Contractor, subcontractor, or fabricator performing welding under jurisdiction of referenced codes shall be responsible for obtaining and qualifying welding procedures. Structural welding procedures conforming to AWS D1.1 are prequalified as defined in AWS D1.1.
- B. Contractor shall maintain records and make available to Engineer when requested, certifying successful completion of procedure qualification tests.

1.03 PERFORMANCE QUALIFICATION

- A. Contractor, subcontractor, or fabricator performing welding under jurisdiction of referenced codes shall be responsible for testing and qualifying its welding operators in accordance with applicable procedures.
- B. Welding operator's qualification as specified in code shall be considered as remaining in effect indefinitely unless welder has not engaged in given process of welding for which welding operator is qualified for period of 6 months.
- C. Engineer reserves right to require any welder to retake tests when, in opinion of Engineer, work of welder creates reasonable doubt as to welder's proficiency; Engineer reserves right to witness any required retesting; conduct such tests at no additional expense to Owner.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

NOT USED

END OF SECTION

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SERVICE ENGINEER RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Contractor shall provide qualified Service Engineer(s), as necessary to:
 - 1. Supervise assembly of equipment.
 - 2. Inspect equipment after it is installed to assure that all details of installation are correct and that equipment is prepared for operation in accordance with manufacturer's instructions and recommendations.
 - 3. Check connections to equipment and adjust, or supervise adjustment of, control and indicating devices after equipment has been installed and connected.
 - 4. Fully instruct Owner's operating personnel in operation and maintenance of equipment.
- B. Presence of Service Engineer will in no way relieve Contractor of any responsibility assumed under Agreement.
- C. Work and abilities of Service Engineer shall be subject to review of Engineer. If Engineer determines that any Service Engineer is not properly qualified, Contractor shall replace Service Engineer upon written notification by Engineer.
- D. Contractor shall provide continuity in assignment of Service Engineer to Work. In event substitution of Service Engineer is made which is not at request of Engineer, substitute's time for "familiarization" shall be at Contractor's expense.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

NOT USED

END OF SECTION

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 RELATED SECTIONS

- A. Conditions of Agreement: Inspections and testing required by laws, ordinances, rules, regulations, orders or approvals of public authorities.
- B. Respective sections of Specifications: Certification of products.
- C. Each Specification section listed: Laboratory tests required, and standards for testing.
- D. Testing laboratory inspection, sampling, and testing required for:
 - 1. Section 03 00 10 – Concrete Work.
 - 2. Section 05 50 00 – Metal Fabrications.
 - 3. Section 31 22 00 – Grading
 - 4. Section 31 23 16-16 – Structural Excavation and Backfill.
 - 5. Section 32 15 00 – Aggregate Surfacing

1.02 TESTING LABORATORY SERVICES

- A. Contractor will employ services of independent testing laboratory to perform specified.
 - 1. Contractor shall cooperate with laboratory to facilitate execution of its required services.
 - 2. Employment of laboratory shall in no way relieve Contractor's obligations to perform Work of Agreement.

1.03 QUALIFICATION OF LABORATORY

- A. Meet "Recommended Requirements for Independent Laboratory Qualifications," published by American Council of Independent Laboratories.
- B. Meet basic requirements of ASTM E329, "Standards of Recommended Practice for Inspection and Testing Agencies for Concrete and Steel as Used in Construction."
- C. Authorized to operate in state in which Project is located.
- D. Submit copy of report of inspection of facilities made by Materials Reference Laboratory of National Bureau of Standards during most recent tour of inspection, with memorandum of remedies of any deficiencies reported by inspection.
- E. Testing equipment:
 - 1. Calibrated at reasonable intervals by devices of accuracy traceable to either:
 - a. National Bureau of Standards.
 - b. Accepted values of natural physical constants.

1.04 LABORATORY DUTIES

- A. Cooperate with Engineer and Contractor; provide qualified personnel after due notice.
- B. Perform specified inspections, sampling, and testing of materials and methods of construction:
 - 1. Comply with specified standards.
 - 2. Ascertain compliance of materials with requirements of Contract Documents.
- C. Promptly notify Engineer and Contractor of observed irregularities or deficiencies of Work or products.
- D. Promptly submit five copies of written report of each test and inspection to Engineer.

- E. Promptly submit written report of each test and inspection; one copy each to Engineer, Owner, Contractor, and one copy to record documents file. Each report shall include:
 - 1. Date issued.
 - 2. Project title and number.
 - 3. Testing laboratory name, address, and telephone number.
 - 4. Name and signature of laboratory inspector.
 - 5. Date and time of sampling or inspection.
 - 6. Record of temperature and weather conditions.
 - 7. Date of test.
 - 8. Identification of product and Specification section.
 - 9. Location of sample or test in Project.
 - 10. Type of inspection or test.
 - 11. Results of tests and compliance with Contract Documents.
 - 12. Interpretation of test results, when requested by Engineer.
- F. Perform additional tests as required by Engineer or Owner.

1.05 LIMITATIONS OF AUTHORITY OF TESTING LABORATORY

- A. Laboratory is not authorized to:
 - 1. Release, revoke, alter, or enlarge on requirements of Contract Documents.
 - 2. Approve or accept any portion of Work.
 - 3. Perform any duties of Contractor.

1.06 CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Cooperate with laboratory personnel, provide access to Work and to manufacturer's operations.
- B. Secure and deliver to laboratory adequate quantities of representational samples of materials proposed to be used and which require testing.
- C. Provide laboratory preliminary design mix proposed to be used for concrete, and other materials mixes which require control by testing laboratory.
- D. Furnish copies of products test reports as required.
- E. Furnish incidental labor and facilities:
 - 1. To provide access to Work to be tested.
 - 2. To obtain and handle samples at Project Site or at source of product to be tested.
 - 3. To facilitate inspections and tests.
 - 4. For storage and curing of test samples.
- F. Notify laboratory sufficiently in advance of operations to allow for laboratory assignment of personnel and scheduling of tests. When tests or inspections cannot be performed after such notice, reimburse Owner for laboratory personnel and travel expenses incurred due to Contractor's negligence.
- G. Employ and pay for services of separate, equally qualified independent testing laboratory to perform additional inspections, sampling, and testing required:
 - 1. For Contractor's convenience.
 - 2. When initial tests indicate Work does not comply with Contract Documents.
- H. Make arrangements with laboratory and pay for additional samples and tests required for Contractor's convenience.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

NOT USED

END OF SECTION

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 TEMPORARY ELECTRICITY

- A. Provide and pay for power service required from Owner as needed for construction operation.
- B. Provide power outlets for construction operations, with branch wiring and distribution boxes located as required. Provide flexible power cords as required.
- C. Provide main service disconnect and over-current protection at convenient location meter.

1.02 TEMPORARY LIGHTING FOR CONSTRUCTION PURPOSES

- A. Provide and maintain lighting for construction operations.
- B. Provide and maintain lighting to exterior staging and storage areas for after dark for security purposes.
- C. Provide and maintain lighting to interior work areas after dark for security purposes.
- D. Provide branch wiring from power source to distribution boxes with lighting conductors, pigtails, and lamps as required.
- E. Maintain lighting and provide routine repairs.

1.03 TEMPORARY HEATING

- A. Provide heating devices and heat as needed to maintain specified conditions for construction operations.

1.04 TEMPORARY COOLING

- A. Provide and pay for cooling devices and cooling as needed to maintain specified conditions for construction operations. Provide separate metering and reimburse Owner for cost of energy used.

1.05 TEMPORARY VENTILATION

- A. Ventilate enclosed areas to achieve curing of materials, to dissipate humidity, and to prevent accumulation of dust, fumes, vapors, or gases.

1.06 TELEPHONE SERVICE

- A. Provide, maintain, and pay for telephone service to field office at time of project mobilization, if needed.

1.07 FACSIMILE SERVICE

- A. Provide, maintain and pay for facsimile service to field office at time of project mobilization, if needed.

1.08 TEMPORARY WATER SERVICE

- A. Provide and pay for suitable quality portable water service as needed to maintain specified conditions for construction operations.

1.09 TEMPORARY SANITARY FACILITIES

- A. Provide and maintain required facilities and enclosures. Provide at time of project mobilization.

1.10 FIELD OFFICES AND SHEDS

- A. Provide field office and sheds as needed.
- B. Office: Weather tight, with lighting, electrical outlets, heating, cooling and ventilating equipment, and equipped with sturdy furniture drawing rack, and drawing display table.
- C. Locate offices and sheds a minimum distance of 30' from existing and new structures.
- D. Environmental control: Heating, cooling, and ventilating for offices: Automatic equipment to maintain comfort conditions.
- E. Storage Areas and sheds: Size to storage requirements for products of individual Sections, allowing for access and orderly provision for maintenance and for inspection of products to requirements of Section 01 60 00.
- F. Preparation: Fill and grade sites for temporary structures to provide drainage away from buildings.
- G. Maintenance and cleaning:
 - 1. Weekly janitorial services for offices; periodic cleaning and maintenance for office and storage areas.
 - 2. Maintain approach walks free of mud, water, and snow.
- H. Removal: At completion of Work remove buildings, foundations, utility services, and debris. Restore areas.

1.11 VEHICULAR ACCESS

- A. Location approved by Owner.
- B. Provide unimpeded access for emergency vehicles.
- C. Provide and maintain access to fire hydrants and control valves free of obstructions.
- D. Provide means of removing mud from vehicle wheels before entering streets and parking lots.
- E. Existing on-site roads may be used for construction traffic.

1.12 PARKING

- A. Arrange for temporary parking areas to accommodate construction personnel.
- B. Locate as approved by Owner.
- C. When site space is not adequate, provide additional off-site parking.
- D. Tracked vehicles not allowed on paved areas.
- E. Do not allow heavy vehicles or construction equipment in parking areas.
- F. Do not allow vehicle parking on existing pavement.
- G. Designate 1 parking space for the Owner.
- H. Permanent Pavements and parking facilities:
 - 1. Prior to Substantial Completion the base for permanent roads and parking areas may be used for construction traffic.
 - 2. Avoid traffic loading beyond paving design capacity. Tracked vehicles not allowed.

- I. Maintenance:
 - 1. Maintain traffic and parking areas in a sound condition free of excavated material, construction equipment, products, mud, snow, and ice.
 - 2. Maintain existing and permanent paved areas used for construction; promptly repair breaks, potholes, low areas, standing water, and other deficiencies, to maintain paving and drainage in original, or specified, condition.
- J. Removal, repair:
 - 1. Remove temporary materials and construction at Substantial Completion.
 - 2. Remove underground work and compacted materials to a depth of 2' (600 mm); fill and grade site as specified.
 - 3. Repair existing facilities damaged by use, to original condition.
- K. Mud from site vehicles: Provide means of removing mud from vehicle wheels before entering streets.

1.13 PROGRESS CLEANING AND WASTE REMOVAL

- A. Maintain areas free of waste materials, debris, and rubbish. Maintain site in a clean and orderly condition.
- B. Remove debris and rubbish from pipe chases, plenums, attics, crawl spaces, and other closed or remote spaces, prior to enclosing the space.
- C. Broom and vacuum clean interior areas prior to start of surface finishing, and continue cleaning to eliminate dust.
- D. Collect and remove waste materials, debris, and rubbish from site weekly and dispose off-site.

1.14 BARRIERS

- A. Provide barriers to prevent unauthorized entry to construction areas to allow for Owner's use of site, and to protect existing facilities and adjacent properties from damage from construction operations and demolition.
- B. Provide barricades and covered walkways required by governing authorities for public rights-of-way and for public access to existing building.
- C. Provide protection for plants designated to remain. Replace damaged plants.
- D. Protect nonowned vehicular traffic, stored materials, site, and structures from damage.

1.15 ENCLOSURES AND FENCING

- A. Construction: Commercial grade chain link fence.
- B. Provide minimum 6' (1.8 m) high fence around construction site; equip with vehicular and pedestrian gates with locks.

1.16 SECURITY

- A. Security program:
 - 1. Protect Work existing premises and Owner's operations from theft, vandalism, and unauthorized entry.
 - 2. Initiate program in coordination with Owner's existing security system at project mobilization.
 - 3. Maintain program throughout construction period until Owner occupancy.

- B. Entry control:
 - 1. Restrict entrance of persons and vehicles into Project site and existing facilities.
 - 2. Allow entrance only to authorized persons with proper identification.
 - 3. Maintain log of workers and visitors, make available to Owner on request.
 - 4. Coordinate access of Owner's personnel to site in coordination with Owner's security forces.
- C. Restrictions:
 - 1. Do not allow cameras on site or photographs taken except by written approval of Owner.
 - 2. Do no work on days indicated in Owner-Contractor Agreement.

1.17 NOISE CONTROL

- A. Provide methods, means, and facilities to minimize noise produced by construction operations.

1.18 PEST CONTROL

- A. Provide methods, means, and facilities to prevent pests and insects from entering the facility.

1.19 POLLUTION CONTROL

- A. Provide methods, means, and facilities to prevent contamination of soil, water, and atmosphere from discharge of noxious, toxic substances, and pollutants produced by construction operations.

1.20 RODENT CONTROL

- A. Provide methods, means, and facilities to prevent rodents from accessing or invading premises.

1.21 REMOVAL OF UTILITIES, FACILITIES, AND CONTROLS

- A. Remove temporary utilities, equipment, facilities, materials, prior to Substantial Completion inspection.
- B. Remove underground installations to a minimum depth of 2' (600 mm). Grade site as indicated.
- C. Clean and repair damage caused by installation or use of temporary work.
- D. Restore existing and permanent facilities used during construction to original condition. Restore permanent facilities used during construction to specified condition.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

NOT USED

END OF SECTION

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 PRODUCTS

- A. Provide products of qualified manufacturers suitable for intended use. Provide products of each type by a single manufacturer unless specified otherwise.
- B. Do not use materials and equipment removed from existing premises, except as specifically permitted by the Contract Documents.
- C. Provide interchangeable components of the same manufacturer for components being replaced.

1.02 PRODUCT DELIVERY REQUIREMENTS

- A. Transport and handle products in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- B. Promptly inspect shipments to ensure that products comply with requirements, quantities are correct, and products are undamaged.
- C. Provide equipment and personnel to handle products by methods to prevent soiling, disfigurement, or damage.

1.03 RECEIVING, UNLOADING AND STORING

- A. Contractor shall take custody of equipment and materials received and shall be solely responsible for damage and shortages until acceptance of Contractor's work by Owner.
- B. Unload equipment as soon as possible after arrival. Contractor shall pay freight railcar and truck demurrage, detention, and any other costs which may be billed to Owner due to failure to unload railcars or trucks within time required by freight companies.
- C. Use of bare wire rope slings for unloading and handling equipment and materials is prohibited without Owner approval.
- D. Equipment and materials shall be stored and maintained in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations and these specifications.
- E. Provide physical protection for equipment placed in storage.
 - 1. Stored equipment shall be supported above ground and shall be covered with canvas or other heavy-duty sheeting. Cover shall be securely fastened and shall be replaced if torn or otherwise damaged during storage period.
 - 2. Following items shall be stored in weatherproof, heated (minimum 50°F) building complete with bins for storage of small pieces of equipment. Storage inside of existing plant will not be available.
 - a. Electronic instruments and cabinets.
 - b. Electrical equipment with general purpose enclosures.
 - c. Insulation materials.
 - d. Rotating equipment.
 - e. Miscellaneous electronic equipment, gaskets, and small machined parts.
 - f. Instruments and controls.
 - g. Protection panels.
 - h. Batteries.
- F. Inspect stored equipment weekly and document activities performed. Renew protective coatings as necessary to preserve fitness of equipment.

- G. Contractor shall provide materials, equipment, and labor required for such storage and maintenance. Contractor shall be accountable for any deterioration of materials or equipment occasioned by improper storage or maintenance, and shall recondition, repair, or replace any such materials or equipment without additional cost to Owner.
- H. Electrical equipment or equipment with any electrical components stored outdoors shall be supported at least 12" above ground.

1.04 GENERAL STORAGE

- A. Store products immediately on delivery in accordance with manufacturer's instructions, with seals and labels intact. Protect until installed.
- B. Arrange storage in manner to provide access for maintenance of stored items and for inspection.

1.05 ENCLOSED STORAGE

- A. Store products subject to damage by elements in substantial weathertight enclosures.
- B. Maintain temperature and humidity within ranges required by manufacturer's instructions.
- C. Provide humidity control and ventilation for sensitive products, as required by manufacturer's instructions.
- D. Store unpacked and loose products on shelves, in bins, or in neat groups of like items.

1.06 EXTERIOR STORAGE

- A. Provide substantial platforms, blocking, or skids, to support fabricated products above ground; slope to provide drainage. Protect products from soiling and staining.
- B. For products subject to discoloration or deterioration from exposure to elements, cover with impervious sheet material. Provide ventilation to avoid condensation.
- C. Store loose granular materials on clean, solid surfaces such as pavement, or on rigid sheet materials, to prevent mixing with foreign matter.
- D. Provide surface drainage to prevent flow or ponding of rainwater.
- E. Prevent mixing of refuse or chemically injurious materials or liquids.

1.07 MAINTENANCE OF STORAGE

- A. Periodically inspect stored products on scheduled basis. Maintain log of inspections, make available to Engineer on request.
- B. Verify storage facilities comply with manufacturer's product storage requirements.
- C. Verify manufacturer required environmental conditions are maintained continually.
- D. Verify surfaces of products exposed to elements are not adversely affected and if weathering of finishes is acceptable under requirements of Contract Documents.

1.08 MAINTENANCE OF EQUIPMENT STORAGE

- A. For mechanical and electrical equipment in long-term storage, manufacturer's service instructions shall accompany each item, with notice of enclosed instructions shown on exterior of package.

- B. Service equipment on regularly scheduled basis, maintaining log of services; submit as record document.

1.09 PRODUCTS LIST

- A. Within 30 days after effective date of Agreement, submit complete list of major products which are proposed for installation electronically to Engineer.
- B. Tabulate products by Specification section number and title.
- C. For products specified only by reference standards, list for each such product:
 - 1. Name and address of manufacturer.
 - 2. Trade name.
 - 3. Model or catalog designation.
 - 4. Manufacturer's data:
 - a. Reference standards.
 - b. Performance test data.

1.10 PRODUCT OPTIONS

- A. For products specified only by reference standard, select product meeting that standard, by any manufacturer. For products specified by naming several products or manufacturers, select any one of products and manufacturers named which complies with Specifications.
- C. For products specified by naming one or more products or manufacturers and stating "or equal," submit request as for substitutions for any product or manufacturer which is not specifically named in accordance with Section 01 25 13.
- D. For products specified by naming only one product and manufacturer, there is no option and no substitution will be allowed.
- E. Whenever Specifications call for item by manufacturer's name and type and additional features of item are specifically required by Specifications, additional features specified shall be provided whether or not they are normally included in standard manufacturer's item listed.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

NOT USED

END OF SECTION

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 CLOSEOUT PROCEDURES

- A. Submit written certification that Contract Documents have been reviewed, Work has been inspected, and that Work is complete in accordance with Contract Documents and ready for Engineer's review.
- B. Provide submittals to Engineer that are required by governing or other authorities.
- C. Submit final Application for Payment identifying total adjusted Contract Sum, previous payments, and sum remaining due.

1.02 PROJECT RECORD DOCUMENTS

- A. Maintain on site one set of the following record documents; record actual revisions to the Work:
 - 1. Drawings.
 - 2. Specifications.
 - 3. Addenda.
 - 4. Change Orders and other modifications to the Contract.
 - 5. Reviewed Shop Drawings, Product Data, and Samples.
 - 6. Manufacturer's instruction for assembly, installation, and adjusting.
- B. Ensure entries are complete and accurate, enabling future reference by Owner.
- C. Store record documents separate from documents used for construction.
- D. Record information concurrent with construction progress, not less than weekly.
- E. Specifications: Legibly mark and record at each product section description of actual products installed, including the following:
 - 1. Manufacturer's name and product model and number.
 - 2. Product substitutions or alternates utilized.
 - 3. Changes made by Addenda and modifications.
- F. Record Drawings and Shop Drawings: Legibly mark each item to record actual construction including:
 - 1. Field changes of dimension and detail.
 - 2. Details not on original Contract Drawings.
- G. Submit documents to Engineer for final Application for Payment.

1.03 SPARE PARTS AND MAINTENANCE PRODUCTS

- A. Provide spare parts, maintenance, and extra products in quantities specified in individual specification sections.
- B. Deliver to Project site; obtain receipt prior to final payment.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

NOT USED

END OF SECTION

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 OPERATING AND MAINTENANCE DATA REQUIREMENTS

- A. Operating and maintenance data shall be in English language.
- B. Compile product data and related information appropriate for Owner's maintenance and operation of products furnished under Agreement.
- C. Prepare operating and maintenance data as specified in this section and as referenced in other pertinent sections of Specifications.
- D. Instruct Owner's personnel in maintenance of products and in operation of equipment and systems.

1.02 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Preparation of data shall be done by personnel:
 - 1. Trained and experienced in maintenance and operation of described products.
 - 2. Familiar with requirements of this section.
 - 3. Skilled as technical writers to extent required to communicate essential data.
 - 4. Skilled as draftsmen competent to prepare required drawings.

1.03 FORM OF SUBMITTALS

- A. Prepare data in form of an instructional manual for use by Owner's personnel.
- B. Format:
 - 1. Sheet size: 8-1/2" x 11" minimum.
 - 2. Paper: 20 lb minimum, white, for typed pages.
 - 3. Text: Manufacturer's printed data, or neatly typewritten.
 - 4. Drawings:
 - a. Provide reinforced punched binder tab, bind in with text.
 - b. Larger size drawings shall be folded to 8-1/2" x 11", and inserted into pockets.
 - 5. Provide fly-leaf for each separate product, or each piece of operating equipment.
 - a. Provide typed description of product, and major component parts of equipment.
 - b. Provide indexed tabs.
 - 6. Cover: Identify each volume with typed or printed title "OPERATING AND MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS." List:
 - a. Title of Project.
 - b. Identity of separate structure as applicable.
 - c. Identity of general subject matter covered in manual.
 - 7. Binders:
 - a. Commercial quality 3-ring binders with durable and cleanable plastic covers.
 - b. Maximum ring size: 3".
 - c. When multiple binders are used, correlate data into related consistent groupings.

1.04 CONTENT OF MANUAL

- A. Neatly typewritten table of contents for each volume, arranged in systematic order.
 - 1. Contractor, name of responsible principal, address, and telephone number.
 - 2. List of each product required to be included, indexed to content of volume.
 - 3. List, with each product, name, address, and telephone number of:
 - a. Subcontractor or installer.
 - b. Maintenance contractor, as appropriate.
 - c. Identify area of responsibility of each.
 - d. Local source of supply for parts and replacement and list of recommended spare parts.

4. Identify each product by product name and other identifying symbols as set forth in Contract Documents, including nameplate information and shop order numbers for each item of equipment furnished.

B. Product data:

1. Include only those sheets which are pertinent to specific product.
2. Annotate each sheet to:
 - a. Clearly identify specific product or part installed.
 - b. Clearly identify data applicable to installation.
 - c. Delete references to inapplicable information.

C. Drawings:

1. Supplement product data with Drawings as necessary to clearly illustrate:
 - a. Relations of component parts of equipment and systems.
 - b. Control and flow diagrams.
2. Coordinate Drawings with information in Project record documents to assure correct illustration of completed installation.
3. Do not use Project record documents as maintenance Drawings.

D. Written text, as required to supplement product data for particular installation.

1. Organize in consistent format under separate headings for different procedures.
2. Provide logical sequence of instructions for each procedure.

E. Copy of each warranty, Bond, and service contract issued.

1. Provide information sheet for Owner's personnel, giving:
 - a. Proper procedures in event of failure.
 - b. Instances which might affect validity of warranties or Bonds.

1.05 MANUAL FOR MATERIALS AND FINISHES

- A. Submit 4 copies of complete manual in final form (3 hard copies and one electronic copy).

B. Contents, for architectural products, applied materials and finishes:

1. Manufacturer's data, giving full information on products.
 - a. Catalog number, size, composition.
 - b. Color and texture designations.
 - c. Information required for re-ordering special-manufactured products.

C. Contents, for moisture protection and weather-exposed products:

1. Manufacturer's data, giving full information on products.
 - a. Applicable standards.
 - b. Chemical composition.
 - c. Details of installation.
2. Instructions for inspection, maintenance, and repair.

- D. Additional requirements for maintenance data: Respective sections of Specifications.

1.06 MANUAL FOR EQUIPMENT AND SYSTEMS

- A. Submit 4 copies of complete manual in final form (3 hard copies and 3 electronic copies)

B. Contents, for each unit of equipment and system, as appropriate:

1. Description of unit and component parts:
 - a. Function, normal operating characteristics, and limiting conditions.
 - b. Performance curves, engineering data, and tests.
 - c. Complete nomenclature and commercial number of replaceable parts.
2. Operating procedures:
 - a. Startup, break-in, routine, and normal operating instructions.
 - b. Regulation, control, stopping, shutdown, and emergency instructions.

- c. Summer and winter operating instructions.
 - d. Special operating instructions.
 - 3. Maintenance procedures:
 - a. Maintenance schedule:
 - 1) Show required maintenance for all equipment in package on one document, broken out by day, week, month, year, 5 years, etc.
 - 2) Set up as a checklist to be used by owner to verify maintenance is being completed.
 - b. Routine operations.
 - c. Guide to "trouble-shooting."
 - d. Disassembly, repair, and reassembly.
 - e. Alignment, adjusting, and checking.
 - 4. Servicing and lubrication schedule: List of lubricants required.
 - 5. Manufacturer's printed operating and maintenance instructions.
 - 6. Description of sequence of operation by control manufacturer.
 - 7. Original manufacturer's parts list, illustrations, assembly drawings, and diagrams required for maintenance.
 - a. Predicted life of parts subject to wear.
 - b. Items recommended to be stocked as spare parts.
 - 8. As-installed control diagrams by controls manufacturer.
 - 9. List of original manufacturer's spare parts, manufacturer's current prices, and recommended quantities to be maintained in storage.
 - 10. Other data as required under pertinent sections of Specifications.
- C. Content, for each electrical and electronic system, as appropriate.
- 1. Description of system and component parts:
 - a. Function, normal operating characteristics, and limiting conditions.
 - b. Performance curves, engineering data, and tests.
 - c. Complete nomenclature and commercial number of replacement parts.
 - 2. Circuit directories of panelboards:
 - a. Electrical service.
 - b. Controls.
 - c. Communications.
 - 3. As-installed color-coded wiring diagrams.
 - 4. Operating procedures:
 - a. Routine and normal operating instructions.
 - b. Sequences required.
 - c. Special operating instructions.
 - 5. Maintenance procedures:
 - a. Routine operations.
 - b. Guide to "trouble-shooting."
 - c. Disassembly, repair, and assembly.
 - d. Adjustment and checking.
 - 6. Manufacturer's printed operating and maintenance instructions.
 - 7. List of original manufacturer's spare parts, manufacturer's current prices, and recommended quantities to be maintained in storage.
 - 8. Other data as required under pertinent sections of Specifications.
- D. Prepare and include additional data when need for such data becomes apparent during instruction of Owner's personnel.
- E. Additional requirements for operating and maintenance data: Respective sections of Specifications.

1.07 SUBMITTAL SCHEDULE

- A. Preliminary draft:
 - 1. Provide 2 copies with shipped equipment.
 - 2. Submit 2 copies to Owner.
 - 3. Submit 2 copies to Engineer of proposed formats and outlines of contents prior to start of Work. Engineer will review draft and return 1 copy with comments.

- B. Submit 1 copy of completed data in final form 15 days prior to final inspection or acceptance. Copy will be returned after final inspection or acceptance, with comments.
- C. Submit specified copies of approved data in final form 10 days after final inspection or acceptance.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

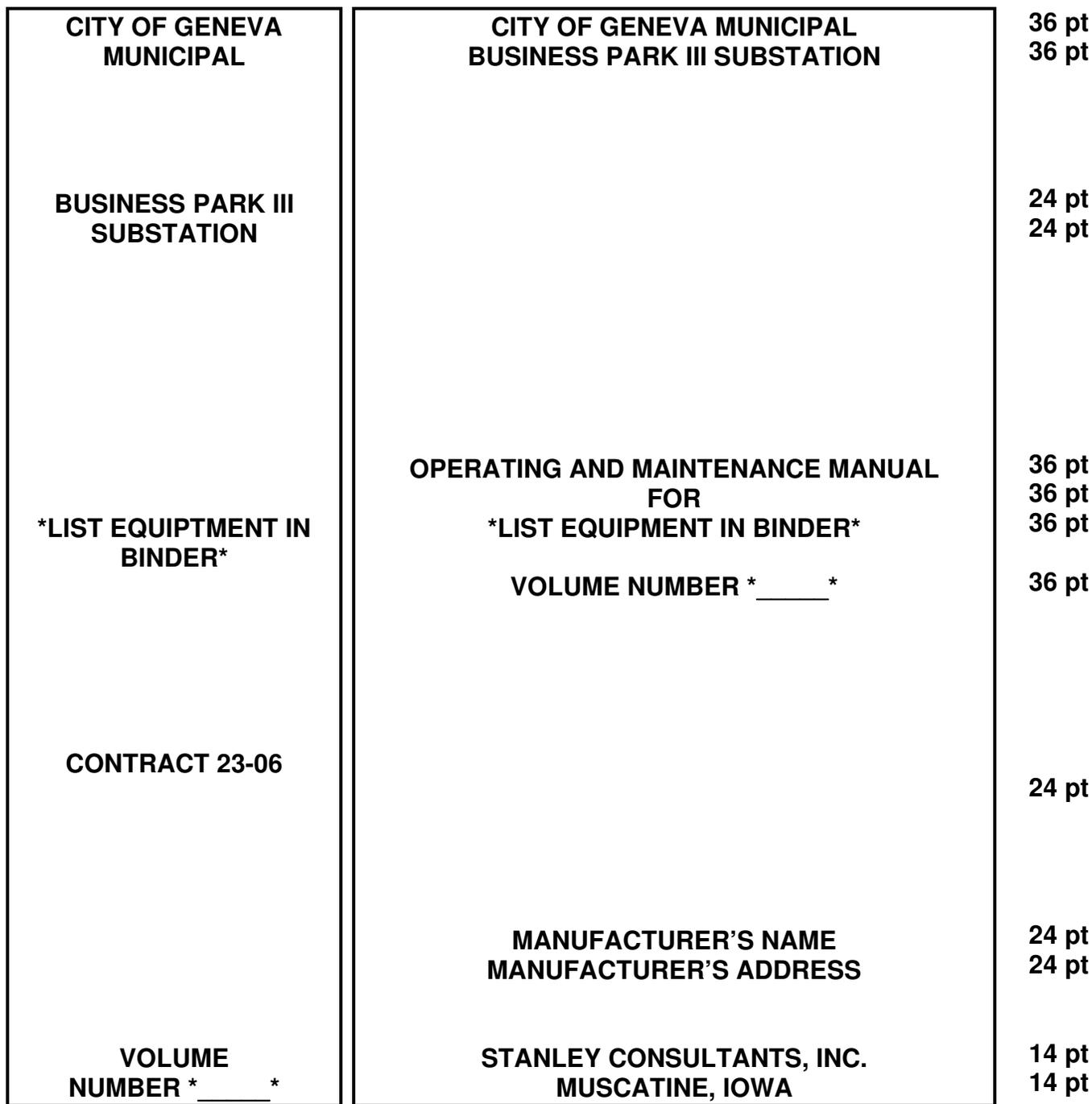
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PART 3 EXECUTION

NOT USED

END OF SECTION

OPERATING AND MAINTENANCE MANUAL COVER DIAGRAM



SPINE

COVER

1. Imprinting shall be in Arial font.
 2. Spine printing shall be 12-point.
 3. Cover printing shall be in point sizes indicated.
- * If more than one volume is necessary, imprint cover with volume numbers.

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Cast-in-place concrete including form work, reinforcing steel, and miscellaneous materials.

1.02 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

- A. If quantities of following items are changed from those required by Contract Documents, lump sum Contract Price will be adjusted on basis of unit adjustment prices set forth in Agreement.
 - 1. Concrete, cubic yard; (CY): Unit adjustment price includes labor, equipment, materials, tests, placing, forming, finishing, curing, installation of embedded items, and incidental work necessary for concrete construction. Unit adjustment price includes reinforcing steel.
 - 2. Cubic yards of concrete defined as volume contained within lines of foundation or structure shown on Drawings. No reductions will be made for openings or block-outs, etc., less than 1 cu ft in volume.

1.03 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Quality assurance data:
 - 1. Tests, or certificates of compliance with standards specified in this Section at least 14 days prior to commencing concrete placement for:
 - a. Cement: From each car from which cement will be used.
 - b. Fly ash: From each separate shipment from which fly ash is being used.
 - c. Aggregates: For each size aggregate from each source of aggregate, for grading, deleterious substances and soundness.
 - 2. List of admixtures, curing compounds, and other manufactured materials proposed identifying manufacturer and type. Provide data on specific items when requested by Engineer.
 - 3. Testing laboratory reports required at least 14 days prior to commencing concrete placement for each class of concrete and each size aggregate:
 - a. Proposed concrete design mix.
 - b. Tests on concrete cylinders from trial batch of proposed mix.
 - 4. Testing laboratory reports for tests on concrete cylinders taken in field.
 - 5. Maintain drilled pier records. Daily logs shall show drilled pier placement including pier number, shaft diameter, casing placement and removal if necessary, water table, cleaning, inspection, reinforcing and anchor bolt placement, concrete placement, top and bottom elevation of shaft and casing, conditions encountered, and deviations from contract documents. Records shall be signed and dated by person performing work.
 - 6. Submit to Owner's Representative unless noted otherwise.

1.04 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit Shop Drawings on reinforcing steel to Owner's Representative unless noted otherwise.

1.05 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Contractor shall retain services of qualified independent testing laboratory to perform the following tests:
 - 1. Obtaining, making samples and trial batches, and performing laboratory testing specified.
 - 2. Establish proposed concrete design mix proportions on basis of either field experience and/or trial mixtures in accordance with ACI 318, Chapter 26, except specific requirements shall conform to requirement of these specifications. Determine and submit supporting data, standard deviation, trial batch tests, required average strength, proportions, air content, and slump range for each mix.
 - 3. Provide reports to Owner's Representative giving information on materials, concrete design mixes and testing performed.
- B. Perform Work in accordance with ACI 117 and 301.

- C. Contractor shall retain services of qualified independent testing laboratory to perform following tests:
1. Obtaining, making samples and performing laboratory and field testing specified.
 2. Provide reports to Owner's Representative giving information on materials and testing performed.
 3. Reports shall indicate whether or not materials meet specifications.
 4. Concrete strength tests:
 - a. Comply with ASTM C39 for testing and ASTM C31/C31M or C192/C192M for preparation of cylinders.
 - b. Field tests: Sample in accordance with ASTM C172; make and test 3 cylinders from each sample on basis of not less than:
 - 1) One sample from each day's placement for each class of concrete.
 - 2) One sample from each 50 cu yd (120 cu m).
 - 3) One sample for each 5,000 sq ft (460 sq m) of surface area for slabs or walls.
 - 4) For a given class of concrete, if frequency of testing specified above would provide less than 3 samples, sample at least 3 randomly selected batches or each batch if 3 batches or fewer are required.
 - c. Cylinders shall be laboratory cured. Test 1 laboratory cured cylinder at 7 days and other 2 at 28 days for average strength.
 - d. If tests indicate deficient strength as defined by ACI 318, immediately adjust mix to increase average of subsequent test results and, when directed, carry out drilled core testing, ASTM C42/C42M. Testing and remedial work shall be at no additional cost to Owner.
 5. Slump tests:
 - a. Test each batch as delivered; comply with ASTM C172 and C143/C143M.
 - b. If slump exceeds Specifications, promptly remove batch from Work and dispose of off-site at location selected by Contractor. Do not add water in excess of specified water-cement ratio to batch to achieve desired slump.
 6. Air content tests:
 - a. Sample on basis specified above for field strength tests.
 - b. Obtain samples from concrete at point of discharge.
 - c. Determine air content by pressure method; comply with ASTM C231.
 - d. If air content does not meet Specifications, remove deficient concrete from Work.
 7. Temperature tests:
 - a. Sample on basis specified above for field strength tests.
 - b. Comply with ASTM C1064/C1064M.
 - c. If temperature does not meet Specifications, remove deficient concrete from Work.

1.06 DELIVERY AND STORAGE OF MATERIALS

- A. Cement: Keep clean, dry, and free from weather damage.
- B. Aggregates: Stockpile each gradation separately on clean, noncontaminating surface.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 CEMENT

- A. Portland cement: ASTM C150, Type I or Type II.
- B. High-early-strength portland cement: ASTM C150, Type III. May be used instead of Type I cement at Contractor's option, unless specified otherwise, to achieve 28-day strength at 7 days. Do not use in drilled caissons over 48" (1220 mm) in diameter or in other concrete work where least dimension of concrete section exceeds 3'-0" (900 mm).
- C. White cement: Nonstaining, ASTM C150, Type I.
- D. Use only 1 brand of each type of cement.

2.02 AGGREGATE

- A. Regular aggregate: Strong, durable, well-graded minerals conforming to ASTM C33 requirements for grading, deleterious substances, and soundness.
- B. Coarse aggregate nominal size:
 - 1. 1-1/2" to No. 4 (38 mm to 4.75 mm): Use for all concrete at Contractor's option unless specified otherwise.
 - 2. 3/4" to No. 4 (19 mm to 4.75 mm): Use for slabs and thin sections and areas where clear spacing between reinforcing bars is less than 3" (75 mm).
- C. Aggregates not conforming exactly to above specifications may be used provided:
 - 1. Special tests or actual service establish that such aggregates will produce concrete of quality specified.
 - 2. An Addendum to Specifications is issued prior to receipt of Bids; no deviations will be permitted after receipt of Bids.

2.03 FLY ASH

- A. Conform to ASTM C618.
- B. Fly ash (Type C or F) for total Project shall be obtained from single source.
- C. Design concrete mixes to include fly ash in amount of approximately 15% to 20% of cement by weight.
- D. May be used at Contractor's option for all concrete.

2.04 WATER

- A. Clean, fresh, free from injurious amounts of oil, alkali, acid, salts, organic materials, or other substances that may be deleterious to concrete or steel. Mix water shall comply with ASTM C1602.

2.05 ADMIXTURES

- A. Water-reducing and set-controlling admixture, ASTM C494/C494M, type as required. Use for all concrete.
- B. Air entraining agent, ASTM C260. Use in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.

2.06 REINFORCING

- A. Bars: ASTM A615/A615M, Grade 60 (420) deformed bars.
- B. Bend bars cold to conform to required details.

2.07 FORMS

- A. Acceptable materials:
 - 1. Douglas fir, exterior type, concrete form plywood, 5/8" (15 mm) thick minimum, conforming to DOC PS 1, Grade B-B, Class I or II.
 - 2. Removable metal forms with surfaces equal to Douglas fir, exterior type, concrete form plywood.
 - 3. Fiber tube forms: Cylindrical fiber reinforced forms.
- B. Form ties: Type leaving no metal within 1" (25 mm) of finished surface after removal of forms.

C. Form coating:

1. Wood forms: Nonstaining mineral oil or commercially produced form-release agent that will not bond with, stain, or adversely affect concrete surfaces and curing, and will not impair bond or adhesion of subsequent treatment of concrete surfaces, "Nox-Crete Form Coating," by Nox-Crete Chemicals, or equal.
2. Metal forms: Treat surfaces as recommended by manufacturer before placing reinforcing.
3. Fiber tube forms: Treat surfaces as specified for wood forms or as recommended by manufacturer.

2.08 JOINT MATERIALS

A. Sawed or tooled joint sealant:

1. MasterSeal SL 1 one-component elastomeric, self-leveling polyurethane sealant, by BASF Construction Chemicals, or equal.
2. Use for sawed or tooled joints.

2.09 CURING MATERIALS

A. Liquid membrane-forming compound:

1. ASTM C309, Type 1 with fugitive dye, except Type 2 with white pigment for surfaces exposed to direct rays of sun.
2. Do not use compounds containing wax, oil, resin, varnish, or other bases that will prevent bonding of finishes.
3. Use for curing at Contractor's option except where other products are specified for particular application.

B. Plastic film:

1. Polyethylene plastic film, white, nonstaining, conforming to ASTM D2103.
2. Minimum 4-mil (0.1 mm) thickness.
3. Use for curing at Contractor's option except where other products are specified for particular application.

C. Absorptive mat:

1. Cotton fabric, burlap fabric, or burlap-polyethylene material woven or bonded to prevent separation.
2. Material shall be clean and nondetrimental to concrete or finish.
3. Use for curing at Contractor's option except where other products are specified for particular application.

2.10 GROUT

A. Type: Regular.

B. One part portland cement to 3 parts fine aggregate with sufficient water to maintain adequate workability. Substitute white cement for normal portland cement to match color of adjacent concrete.

C. Minimum strength: 4,000 psi (28 Mpa) at 28 days.

D. Use for patching.

2.11 CONCRETE DESIGN AND USE

A. Each concrete design mix shall be established in strict accordance with ACI 318 by proportioning on basis of either experience and/or trial mixtures.

B. Strength classifications:

Class	Specified Compressive Strength, f'c	Required Average Compressive Strength, f'cr
A	2,500 psi	3,500 psi
B	4,500 psi	5,700 psi

- C. Required average compressive strengths: Produce concrete of average strengths noted above unless test results substantiate a lower permissible average strength based on standard deviation criteria set forth in ACI 318. Strengths listed above are 7-day strengths for concrete using high-early-strength cement and 28-day strengths for concrete using other type cements.
- D. Maximum water-cement ratio: 0.48 by weight. Where pozzolan fly ash is used, water-cement plus pozzolan ratio shall not exceed specified ratio.
- E. Air entrainment: Concrete shall contain entrained air within following limits.

Nominal Maximum Aggregate Size, in.	Total Air Content, Percent By Volume	
	Exposure Class F1	Exposure Classes F2 and F3
3/4	5	6
1-1/2	4.5	5.5

F. Workability:

- Proportions of concrete shall produce a mixture, suited to placement methods, which will work readily into corners and angles of forms and around reinforcement and embedded items. Segregation of materials or presence of free water will not be permitted.
- Slump of concrete: Use minimum practical; vary within limits given to suit placement conditions; in no case is slump to be increased by addition of water in excess of design mix quantity:

Type of Construction	Slump, in.	
	Minimum	Maximum
All concrete unless noted otherwise	2	5
Caissons	5	7
Tremie placement	7	9

G. Concrete use:

- Class B: Use for all concrete unless specified otherwise.
- Class A: Use for fill concrete.

H. Water-soluble chloride ion content, maximum: Exposure Categories C0, C1, and C2 shall comply with requirements of Chapter 4 of ACI 318.

I. Concrete subject to Exposure Class F3: Comply with requirements for maximum percent of total cementitious materials by weight as provided in Chapter 4 of ACI 318.

J. Concrete Encased Duct Banks:

- All power raceway concrete, or where shown on drawings, shall use concrete as noted in this specification, except it shall be installed with an air content not to exceed 2%, have a slump of 7" to 9" (175 mm to 225 mm), have a design compressive strength no less than 4,000 psi at 28 days, and shall not have any air entrainment added.
- The concrete Supplier shall provide the thermal resistance properties with the mix design submittals; or provide test batches to determine the thermal resistance.

2.12 READY-MIX CONCRETE

- A. Provide concrete from an established, approved ready-mix plant. Ready-mix plant equipment and facilities shall be certified in accordance with NRMCA QC-3.
- B. Equipment and methods: Conform to ASTM C94/C94M.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 PREPARATION

- A. Construct forms strong, straight, adequately braced and securely fastened.
- B. Remove laitance from previously placed or existing concrete; thoroughly clean surface before placing additional concrete.
- C. Apply form coating on formwork in accordance with manufacturer's instructions. Apply prior to placing reinforcing steel, anchoring devices, and embedded items.
- D. Do not apply form coating where concrete surfaces are scheduled to receive special finishes which may be affected by agent.

3.02 CONCRETE CONSTRUCTION TOLERANCES

- A. Foundation location and dimension:
 - 1. Centerlines of slabs (where required) and drilled pier foundations shall be within $\pm 1"$ (± 25 mm) of location specified on foundation location plan.
 - 2. Horizontal distances between center to center of adjacent piers for same structure shall be within $\pm 1"$ (± 25 mm).
 - 3. Elevation of piers shall be within $\pm 1/4"$ (± 6 mm) of elevations shown on drawings.
 - 4. Elevation of piers within a group of piers, for an individual structure shall be within $\pm 1/8"$ (± 3 mm).
 - 5. Maximum deviation of axis of pier excavation from vertical shall not be greater than $1-1/2"$ (38 mm) in 10' (3 m).
 - 6. Control building floor and transformer slabs (where required) shall be true planes within $1/8"$ (3 mm) in 10' (3 m), as determined by a straight edge placed anywhere on slab in any direction.
 - 7. Other slabs (where required) shall be true planes within $1/4"$ (6 mm) in 10' (3 m).
- B. Anchor bolt and bolt clusters:
 - 1. Horizontal distance between centers of adjacent anchor bolts shall be within $\pm 1/16"$ (± 2 mm).
 - 2. Horizontal distance between diagonally opposite anchor bolts shall be within $\pm 1/8"$ (± 3 mm).
 - 3. Horizontal distance between centers of adjacent clusters, for same structure, shall be within $\pm 1/4"$ (± 6 mm).
 - 4. Centers of individual anchor bolts shall not deviate from lines parallel with faces of structure by more than $1/8"$ (± 3 mm) in 12" (300 mm) due to rotation of set or from other causes.
 - 5. Elevation of top of lowest anchor bolt in a set shall not be less than specified, and that of highest bolt shall not exceed specified elevation by more than $1/4"$ (± 6 mm).
- C. Reinforcement:
 - 1. Spacing between adjacent bars and distance between layers of bars shall not vary from position shown on Drawings by more than tolerances specified in ACI 117.
 - 2. Concrete cover: Minimum concrete cover of main reinforcing shall be as shown or specified. Allowable variation for minimum cover shall be as specified in ACI 117.

3.03 PLACING CONCRETE

- A. Clean transporting equipment, reinforcing, and embedded items before placing concrete. Remove water and debris from places to be occupied by concrete.

- B. Place no concrete until forms, reinforcing, and embedded items have been verified as adequately supported and accurately placed. Place no concrete over water-covered, muddy, or frozen soil.
- C. Immediately remove concrete where water, soils, or other deleterious substances are permitted to mix with concrete, form or embedded item movement occurs, or inadequate consolidation is obtained.
- D. Hot weather concreting:
 - 1. Applies to concrete placed when ambient temperature exceeds 90°F (32°C).
 - 2. Conform to ACI 305R recommendations and requirements.
- E. Cold weather concreting:
 - 1. Applies to concrete placed when ambient temperature is below 40°F (4°C).
 - 2. Conform to ACI 306R recommendations and requirements.
 - 3. If temporary heating facilities used are of type which produce an atmospheric condition of high carbon dioxide content, seal off concrete in such manner that no damage will result to concrete surface.
- F. Employ best industry practices to prevent segregation during placing. Do not drop concrete more than 5' (1500 mm). Use tremied or pumped concrete to provide proper placement. Place in layers approximately 18" (450 mm) deep.
- G. Place concrete continuously in each section until completed. Permit not more than 30 minutes between depositing adjacent layers of concrete within each section, unless an acceptable set retarder is used in concrete mix.
- H. Thoroughly compact, puddle, and vibrate concrete into corners and around reinforcing and embedded items. Use internal vibration where size of section permits.
- I. Maintain concrete placing temperature between 50°F (11°C) and 90°F (32°C) except as specified for hot and cold weather concreting.
- J. Place sections of concrete in sequence that eliminates shrinkage effects to greatest extent practicable.
- K. Protect concrete from injury due to sun, cold weather, running water, construction operations, and other causes until properly cured.

3.04 REINFORCEMENT PLACEMENT

- A. Remove scale, loose flaky rust, dirt, grease, curing compound, and other coatings which would impair bond.
- B. Install slab reinforcing bars in correct position by use of preformed bolsters and spacers, except concrete blocks may be used to position bars in concrete placed on grade. Concrete blocks shall have compressive strength equal to that of surrounding concrete.
- C. Space bars properly and tie securely in position before placing concrete. Tack welding to keep reinforcing in place is not permitted.
- D. Do not tack weld anchor bolts or other embeds to reinforcing bars.

3.05 REINFORCEMENT TOLERANCES

- A. Spacing between adjacent bars and distance between layers of bars shall not vary from position shown on Drawings by more than tolerances specified in ACI 117.
- B. Concrete cover: Minimum concrete cover of main reinforcing shall be as shown or specified. Allowable variation for minimum cover shall be as specified in ACI 117.

3.06 DRILLED CAISSON INSTALLATION

- A. Following requirements shall be met before placing reinforcing and concrete:
 - 1. Drilled caisson excavation has been inspected by Owner's Representative.
 - 2. Foreign materials such as mud, sand, debris, or ice have been removed from hole. Water has been removed from hole or provisions have been made to place concrete seal under water by standard tremie or pumped concrete.
 - 3. Temporary steel casing, if required, has been installed.
 - 4. Accuracy of placement has been verified by Contractor.
- B. After inspection by Owner's Representative, place reinforcing immediately and place concrete without unnecessary delay. No hole shall be permitted to stand overnight after being prepared for concrete placement.
- C. Reinforcing cages shall be assembled above ground and inspected prior to being installed in holes. Exercise care to prevent deformation of reinforcing steel cage or dislodgement of material into hole. Promptly remove material "knocked" into hole.
- D. Support reinforcing steel away from sides of shaft by suitable means to assure concentric alignment in shaft.
- E. Place concrete in following manner:
 - 1. "Free-fall" method of concrete placement through a hopper with short downpipe will be permitted if concrete does not strike sides of shaft or reinforcing cage. Otherwise, place concrete by tremie or long downpipe to prevent segregation and to prevent disturbing reinforcing.
 - 2. It is anticipated that caissons will be in a completely dry condition when concrete is placed, and every effort shall be made to establish such a condition. If inflow of water from bottom or sides of excavation cannot be shut off, add additional fines and cement to mix and place concrete through still water by means of standard tremie or concrete pump to height sufficient to perfect seal. Remove water and place remainder of concrete in caisson using acceptable method. Under no circumstances shall concrete be allowed to drop directly on water. Notify Engineer of proposed method prior to placement of concrete under water.
 - 3. Concreting for any caisson shall be a continuous operation.
 - 4. Steel casing pipe may be withdrawn as concrete rises. Exercise extreme care that casing withdrawal does not cause disturbance of surrounding soil or lifting of concrete section. Maintain bottom elevation of casing pipe a minimum of 3'-0" (1 m) below top elevation of concrete or as required to prevent displacement of concrete by surrounding soil or ground water as withdrawal progresses.
 - 5. Extraction of casing shall be performed keeping casing continuously plumb and shall proceed to allow continuous observation of interior slumping of concrete.
 - 6. Vibrate concrete in top 5' (1.5 m) of each caisson but only after casing has been removed or when casing is permanent.
- F. Install forms to prevent unstable soil at top of shaft from contaminating upper concrete and to form top portion of piers which are above grade.

3.07 CONSTRUCTION JOINTS

- A. Install only where shown or where specifically permitted.
- B. Provide keyway 1-1/2" (38 mm) deep covering approximately 1/3 area of construction joint, unless shown otherwise.
- C. Install waterstop where shown or specified.

3.08 EXPANSION JOINTS

- A. Formed joints (where shown or where specifically permitted): Make exposed edge of concrete slightly rounded with edger at joints to contain joint sealant.

- B. Install materials in accordance with manufacturers' instructions. Set preformed material securely in place before placing concrete.
- C. Install joint filler to within joint width (1/2" [13 mm] minimum) of exposed surface. Fill remainder of joint with joint sealant.

3.09 EMBEDDED ITEMS

- A. Install items required under this Contract to be embedded in concrete. Install items required by others for embedding in concrete, if so instructed before placing concrete.
- B. Fasten embedded items securely in proper position before placing concrete.
- C. Conduit or pipe embedded in slabs or walls (where required):
 - 1. Locate in center of slab or wall and space not closer than 3 diameters on center; locate to avoid impairing strength of concrete.
 - 2. Coordinate placing of reinforcing with conduit or pipe location. Do not cut reinforcing to clear conduit or pipe.
- D. Anchor bolt placement:
 - 1. If excavations are completed without casings installed, or if the soils will hold open the upper portions where the anchor bolts are to be set, the anchor bolts shall be installed prior to placement of concrete around them.
 - 2. If excavation require that temporary casings be removed when concrete has been poured past the lower level of the anchor bolts, some portion of the anchor bolt assembly is 'pushed' into the concrete to the required embedment depth. To ensure proper consolidation around the anchor bolts:
 - a. Height at which the concrete is poured before removing the last casing should be limited as much as possible, thereby minimizing how much of the anchor bolt assembly is pushed in.
 - b. Concrete inside the anchor bolt assembly should be vibrated to help re-consolidate around the bottom of the anchor bolts, prior to the final pour.
- E. Aluminum pipe shall not be embedded in concrete. Where aluminum projects into or rests against surface of concrete, coat surfaces of aluminum to prevent direct contact with concrete.

3.10 GROUTING

- A. Roughen concrete surfaces by light chipping to remove laitance to approximately 1/2" (13 mm). Do not expose reinforcing steel.
- B. Remove materials which might interfere with bond; prepare surfaces in strict conformance to manufacturer's instructions.
- C. Mix, place, and cure grout in strict accordance to manufacturer's instructions.

3.11 FINISHING

- A. Flatwork:
 - 1. Tamp concrete to force coarse aggregate down from surface.
 - 2. Screed with straightedge, eliminate high and low places, bring surface to required finish elevations; slope uniformly to drain.
 - 3. Dusting of surface with dry cement or sand during finishing operations is not permitted.
 - 4. Apply curing compounds and similar materials in strict accordance with manufacturer's instructions during or after finishing.
 - 5. Finish surfaces within following tolerances as measured with a 10' (3 m) straight edge:
 - a. Sidewalks: 5/16" (8 mm).
 - b. Other slabs: 3/16" (5 mm).
 - c. Top surfaces of structures other than slabs: In accordance with ACI 117.

6. Float finish:
 - a. Float surface to true, even plane.
 - b. Float second time to uniform finish with wood or cork float; use edger on exposed edges.
 - c. Use on equipment foundations and tops of structure foundations.
 7. Roughened finish:
 - a. Roughen surface with rake or stiff broom to minimum depth of 1/4" (6 mm).
 - b. Use on surfaces to receive additional concrete or grout.
- B. Formed surfaces:
1. Remove fins, projections, and loose material.
 2. Clean surfaces of form oil.
 3. Patch honeycomb, aggregate pockets, voids, and holes as follows:
 - a. Chip out until sound concrete is exposed to minimum depth of 1" (25 mm).
 - b. Saturate surfaces with water and fill cavities with patching mortar.
 4. Fill holes left by form ties with patching mortar.
 5. Cure patches as specified for concrete.

3.12 FORM REMOVAL

- A. Minimum time before removal after placing concrete, unless permitted otherwise:
1. Footings: 24 hours.
 2. Walls, piers, and columns: 48 hours (24 hours for metal-lined forms).
 3. Time specified above represents cumulative time during which temperature of concrete is maintained above 50°F (11°C) and for concrete without set-controlling admixtures.
- B. Reduce removal time by half for high-early-strength cement concrete.
- C. In any event, do not remove supporting forms and shoring until concrete has acquired sufficient strength to safely support own weight plus construction loads.
- D. Take care when removing forms that concrete is not marred or gouged and that corners are true, sharp, and unbroken.

3.13 CURING

- A. Cure all concrete; begin curing as soon as possible after placement of concrete.
- B. Use of liquid membrane-forming curing compound permitted for all concrete except where product would impair bond of other applied materials to surface, where surface curing and sealing product is specified for use, or where other method of curing is specified for particular use.
- C. Plastic film curing:
1. Dampen surface of concrete and lay plastic film with minimum 6" (150 mm) side laps and free of wrinkles; tape side laps.
 2. Hold film in place with lumber or use similar provisions to prevent exposure of concrete for 7 days after placing.
 3. Immediately repair tears in film.
- D. Water curing:
1. Keep concrete continuously wet for 7 days after placing.
 2. Use on concrete surfaces not receiving compound or plastic film curing.
 3. Clean, nonstaining absorptive mat may be used with water curing.
 4. Do not use for curing cold weather concrete.

3.14 SITE CLEANUP

- A. All excavated materials from installation of foundations shall be removed to a suitable fill site obtained by the Contractor, in accordance with all environmental and permitting requirements.

- B. Excess concrete shall be disposed of in accordance with environmental and permitting requirements.
- C. Foundation work outside of the Company property shall be restored to original conditions or as defined by the Contract documents.

END OF SECTION

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PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Other steel, iron, and metal items.
- B. Miscellaneous metal.
- C. Welding materials.
- D. Anchor rods for installation of other steel, iron and metal items.
- E. Adhesive anchors.
- F. Welded studs.
- G. Grating.
- H. Stair Treads.
- I. Manhole steps and covers.

1.02 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

- A. If quantities of following items are changed by Contract Documents, lump sum Contract Price will be adjusted on basis of unit adjustment prices set forth in Agreement. Miscellaneous Metals, linear foot (LF). Unit Adjustment price includes labor, equipment, and materials for the fabrication, finishing, and installation of miscellaneous metals.

1.03 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: List of manufactured materials proposed, identifying manufacturer and type.
- B. Test Reports: ICC-ES evaluation reports for post-installed adhesive anchors, mechanical anchors, masonry anchors provided to verify conformance to specifications.

1.04 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Shop Drawings for other steel, iron or metal items as defined in AISC Code of Standard Practice.
 - 1. Indicate profiles, sizes, connection attachments, reinforcing, anchorage, size and type of fasteners, and accessories. Include erection drawings, elevations, and details where applicable.
 - 2. Indicate welded connections using standard AWS A2.0 welding symbols.
 - 3. Indicate net weld lengths.

1.05 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Perform welding in accordance with AWS D1.1 "Structural Welding Code".
- B. Perform fabrication in accordance with AISC 303-10 "Code of Standard Practice for Steel Buildings and Bridges".

1.06 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Adhere to product storage and handling requirements.
- B. Accept metal fabrications on site in labeled shipments. Inspect for damage.

- C. Protect metal fabrications from damage by exposure to weather.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 MATERIALS

- A. Steel plates and shapes:
 - 1. Structural W-shapes: ASTM A992/A992M Grade 50.
 - 2. Channels and angles: ASTM A36/A36M.
 - 3. Round hollow structural sections: ASTM A500/A500M, Grade B.
 - 4. Rectangular hollow structural sections: ASTM A500/A500M, Grade B or C.
 - 5. Structural plates and bars: ASTM A36/A36M.
- B. Galvanizing: ASTM A123/A123M.
- C. Standard bolts: ASTM A307.
- D. High-strength bolts: Heavy hex, structural type. ASTM F3125 Grade 325.
- E. Threaded rods: ASTM A36
- F. Nuts:
 - 1. ASTM A563 (ASTM A563M) Heavy hex type.
 - 2. Finish: Hot-dipped galvanized.
- G. Washers:
 - 1. ASTM F436 (ASTM F436M); Type 1, Furnish clipped or beveled washers where required.
 - 2. Finish: Hot dipped galvanized

2.02 WELDING MATERIALS

- A. Steel: AWS D1.1; type as required for materials being welded.

2.03 STEEL GRATING

- A. Use welded rectangular grating conforming to standards of NAAMM.
- B. Size of bearing bars: 1-1/4" x 3/16" (32 mm x 4.8 mm) at 1-3/16" (30 mm) oc, unless shown otherwise.
- C. Cross bars: Rectangular cross-section, flush at top with bearing bars and spaced 4" (100 mm) oc.
- D. Make sections removable; limit weight of each section to not more than 100 lb (45 kg).
- E. Provide saddle clip fasteners for each removable section of floor bar grating supported on structural steel members.
- F. Provide edge binding at exposed edges and as required to stiffen irregular sections. Provide openings shown. Provide joints at center of openings where possible to permit removal of grating around items passing through.
- G. Openings not shown but required for piping and other items passing through grating will be cut and edge bound in field by Contractor.
- H. Grating, plates welded to grating, and grating saddle clips shall be galvanized.
- I. Paint grating using manufacturer's standard factory prime coats except that bituminous base paints shall not be used.

- J. Provide NEMA 2-hole ground tabs on the underside of all grating panels.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 ERECTION

- A. Fasten each section of grating to structural steel where indicated on Drawings.
- B. Install items plumb and level, accurately fitted, free from distortion or defects.
- C. Make provisions for erection stresses. Install temporary bracing to maintain alignment, until permanent bracing and attachments are installed.
- D. Field weld components where indicated on Drawings.
- E. Perform field welding and inspect welds in accordance with AWS D1.1.

3.02 PREPARATION

- A. Clean and strip primed steel and aluminum items to bare metal where site welding is required.
- B. Supply setting templates for metal items required to be cast into concrete.

3.03 FIELD TOUCH-UP OF GALVANIZING

- A. Galvanizing damaged after fabrication or installation shall be regalvanized in accordance with Section 33 72 26.
- B. Apply in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.

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PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. General electrical requirements for equipment and services including, but not limited to:
 - 1. Factory wiring.
 - 2. Low voltage cabinets and electrical enclosures.
 - 3. Equipment safety grounding.
 - 4. Low voltage fuses and fuse blocks.
 - 5. Control relays and switches.
 - 6. Pushbuttons.
 - 7. Indicating lights.
 - 8. Alarm and trip contacts.
 - 9. Packaging, identification, and tagging.
 - 10. Nameplates.
 - 11. Grounding and bonding.

1.02 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit with Bid: Description of manufacturer's standard factory test procedure for logic systems.
- B. Product Data:
 - 1. List of proposed material identifying manufacturer, type and model number for equipment to be provided for complete job.
 - 2. Manufacturer's catalog sheets marked to indicate specific type, model or catalog number of equipment to be provided.
 - 3. Equipment drawings, elementary diagrams, schematics, wiring, performance curves, instruction manuals, and all other documentation necessary for complete description of material being supplied and as required to support installation, commissioning and maintenance of equipment. Manufacturer's standard connection diagram or schematic showing more than one scheme of connection will not be accepted.
 - 4. Manufacturer's technical descriptions, product data sheets, and applicable manuals for use in protective device system coordination including:
 - a. Fuse manufacturer, type, ratings, and protection curves.
 - b. Circuit breaker manufacturer, type, trip setting ranges, and protection curves.
 - c. Relay trip device ranges, curves, and setting manuals.
 - d. Transformer damage curves.
 - e. CT ratios and saturation curves.
 - f. VT ratings.
 - 5. List of recommended spare parts required for equipment start-up, commissioning and operation.
 - 6. List of special maintenance tools required for installation and operation of equipment.
 - 7. If necessary, provide additional data to clearly demonstrate that proposed alternate equipment meets or exceeds equipment as specified.
 - 8. When requested by Engineer, submit system information, including but not limited to, utility feeders, existing relays, circuit breakers, fuses, and transformers.

1.03 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Operation and maintenance manuals. Provide at minimum:
 - 1. Itemized equipment list.
 - 2. General description and technical data.
 - 3. Receiving, storage, installation, and testing instructions.
 - 4. Operating and maintenance procedures.
 - 5. Complete set of final drawings requiring no further action.
 - 6. Complete documentation of inspections and tests performed, including logs, curves, and certificates. Documentation shall note any replacement of equipment or components that failed during testing.
 - 7. Spare parts list.

8. Lubrication recommendations.
9. Warranty information.

1.04 MAINTENANCE MATERIALS

- A. Extra materials: Provide touchup paint in same type and color to repair at least 25% of finish-painted equipment surface. Paint shall be sufficient to perform touch-up painting in accordance with shop-applied material instructions for repair painting.
- B. Each piece of equipment shall be furnished with special tools as required for installation, maintenance, and dismantling of equipment.
 1. Furnish in quantities as necessary to complete work on schedule.
 2. Tools shall be new and shall become property of Owner.
 3. Tools and intended use shall be identified in assembly instructions. Tools shall only be used for their intended purpose.

1.05 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Manufacturer qualifications:
 1. Manufacturer of equipment specified shall be recognized in industry for normally supplying this type of equipment.
 2. Manufacturer shall be ISO certified.
 3. When requested by Engineer, provide list of similar equipment installations that have employed identical equipment from manufacturer.
- B. Installer qualifications:
 1. Installer shall be skilled in trade and shall have thorough knowledge of products and equipment specified.
 2. Cutting, drilling, trenching, or channeling necessary to properly install equipment shall be performed by competent skilled crafts people in safe, professional manner.
- C. Regulatory requirements: Perform electrical construction in accordance with NEC, local and state codes as applicable to job site.
- D. Materials and equipment furnished for permanent installation shall be new, unused, and undamaged.
- E. Asbestos not allowed.
- F. Parts shall be manufactured to American industry standard sizes and gages to facilitate maintenance and interchangeability. Metric sized components not allowed unless specifically requested and approved.

1.06 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Pack, ship, handle, and store in accordance with manufacturer's requirements.
- B. Ship equipment completely factory assembled unless physical size, arrangement, configuration, or shipping and handling limitations make this impracticable. Shipping splits and required field assembly shall be identified with equipment submittals.
- C. Costs associated with sections, accessories, or appurtenances requiring field assembly shall be Contractor's responsibility.
- D. Separately packaged parts and accessories shall be consolidated and shipped together with equipment. Mark each container clearly to identify contents and as belonging with main equipment.
 1. Provide individual weatherproof itemized packing slips attached to outside of each container for contents included. Provide duplicate inside each container.

2. Attach master packing list, covering accessory items for equipment, to main piece of equipment.
 3. Mark each container with project identification number for equipment and container number followed by total number of containers.
- E. Equipment shall be suitably protected during shipment, handling, and storage. Damage incurred during shipment shall be repaired at no cost to Owner.
- F. Protect coated surfaces against impact, abrasion, and discoloration.
- G. Electrical equipment and insulation systems shall be protected against ingress of moisture. Use space heaters if necessary to protect against moisture.
- H. Exposed threads shall be greased and protected.
- I. Pipe, tube, and conduit connections shall be closed with rough usage plugs. Seal and tape open ends of piping, tubing, and conduit.
- J. Equipment openings shall have covers, and taped to seal equipment.
- K. Store materials in clean, dry place. Protect from weather, dirt, water, construction debris, and physical damage in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

1.07 SCHEDULING

- A. Coordinate with Owner early and late shipping and delivery schedules for items requiring storage and handling at Site.

1.08 WARRANTY

- A. Electrical equipment and components shall be provided with the same duration of warranty, as the overall equipment warranty.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 DESIGN CRITERIA

- A. Service conditions: Provide equipment and material suitable for intended service and installation at location indicated.
- B. Low-voltage auxiliary and control power.
1. Electrical power for ac control and instrumentation equipment:
 - a. Provide devices necessary for proper operation and protection of equipment during electrical power supply and ambient temperature fluctuations specified.
 - b. Design for continuous operation at any voltage from 85% to 110% of nominal voltage. Dropout voltage shall be 60% of nominal for relays and 75% for contactors and starters.
 2. Electrical power for dc devices:
 - a. Design for continuous operation on ungrounded station battery system, capable of maintaining operation at any voltage from 80% to 112% of nominal voltage.
 - b. Electrical devices served shall not impose ground connection on supply.
- C. Auxiliary power: Design auxiliary equipment for low voltage service, with electrical power designed to operate from one of nominal electrical power sources as follows and as indicated on Drawings:

Volts	Phase	Frequency
120/240	1	60
125	1	dc

2.02 FACTORY WIRING

- A. Select cable for electrical and environmental conditions of installation, and suitable for unusual service conditions where encountered.
 - 1. Proper temperature application cable shall be used throughout, but shall be not less than 90°C rated.
 - 2. Conductors routed over hinges shall use extra-flexible stranding.
 - 3. Cable insulation shall be rated for maximum service voltage used, but not less than 600 volts.
 - 4. Splices not allowed.
- B. Panel, control cabinet, switchboard, motor control center, and switchgear wiring shall use flame retardant cross-linked polyethylene (XLP) or flame retardant ethylene-propylene rubber (EPR) insulation that meet or exceed requirements of UL 44 for Types SIS, and XHHW.
 - 1. Minimum size: No. 12 AWG.
 - 2. Request tinned copper if used in certain corrosive type environments.
 - 3. Conductors: Annealed bare copper with fine stranding passing IEEE 1202 and UL VW-1 flame test.
- C. Instrumentation, thermocouple, and thermocouple extension wire shall use twisted shielded pairs/triads having flame retardant cross-linked polyethylene (XLPE) insulation, and chlorinated polyethylene (CPE) jacket.
 - 1. Minimum size: No. 16 AWG (1.0 mm²).
 - 2. Conductor type:
 - a. Instrument: Annealed copper Class B stranding.
 - b. Thermocouple: Solid alloy, ANSI MC 96.1.
 - 3. Provide each pair/triad with shield.
 - 4. Shielding shall consist of aluminum-polyester tape and flexible strand tin-coated No.18 AWG (0.75 mm²) copper drain wire.
 - 5. Drain wire for each instrument cable shall be insulated with spaghetti sleeve. One end of shield wire shall be terminated on grounded terminal.
 - 6. Cables shall pass IEEE 1202 and ICEA 70,000 Btu/hr vertical tray flame test, and each conductor shall pass UL VW-1 flame test.
- D. Terminations:
 - 1. Conductor terminal connectors shall be insulated, ring tongue, compression type connectors properly sized for conductor and terminal.
 - a. Connectors shall be constructed of copper and shall be tin-plated.
 - b. Interior surface of connector wire barrel shall be serrated; exterior surface of connector wire barrel shall be furnished with crimp guides.
 - c. Connectors shall be Panduit brand terminal connectors, no substitutions permitted.
 - 2. Uninsulated terminal connectors shall be used for conductors terminated on devices equipped with individual fitted covers, such as, but not limited to, control switches and lockout relays.
 - 3. Connections requiring disconnect plug and receptacle type devices shall be provided with factory-terminated conductors on each plug and receptacle.
 - a. Plugs and receptacles shall be factory wired into junction boxes containing terminal blocks for external connections.
 - b. Conductors on disconnect portion of plug-receptacle assemblies shall be in common jacket.
 - 4. Prior to shipment of equipment, remove temporary wiring installed in factory for equipment testing.
 - 5. Current transformers shall terminate on shorting type terminal blocks. Ship with shorting jumpers installed.
- E. Identification and labeling:
 - 1. Provide conductor identification sleeve on each end of each internal conductor. Mark each sleeve with opposite end destination identification with non-smudging, permanent black ink. Sleeves shall be UV-resistant self-adhesive type or PVC, not less than 1/2" long.
 - 2. Permanently label each terminal block, terminal, conductor, relay, breaker, fuse block, and other auxiliary devices to coincide with identification indicated on manufacturer's drawings.

2.03 FIELD WIRING

- A. Nationally or internationally recognized cable manufacturer shall produce cable provided.
1. Metal-clad cable, NEC Type MC, may not be substituted in place of cable and conduit unless specified otherwise, or unless approved in writing.
 2. Comply with code and Project requirements directly associated with use of each cable type.
- B. Cables specified are for voltages 600 volts and below.
- C. Wiring shall be annealed, bare copper with not less than 98% conductivity, unless specified otherwise.
- D. General-purpose building conductor used on interior lighting circuits and general-purpose branch circuits routed entirely in conduit shall be single conductor.
1. Voltage rating: 600-volt.
 2. Conductor: Class B, solid or stranded, annealed, uncoated copper, minimum size No. 12 AWG (4.0mm²).
 3. Insulation: Polyvinyl chloride (PVC) complying with NEC for type THHN or THWN.
 4. Jacket: Overall clear nylon jacket applied over conductor insulation, UL-listed as gasoline and oil resistant.
 5. Cables shall pass IEEE 383 70,000 Btu/hr, UL Standard 83 for Type THHN or THWN wire.
 6. Color coding:
 - a. Provide conductor sizes No. 8 AWG and smaller in following colors:
 - 1) Source voltage of 120/240 volts:
 - a) Phase A: Black.
 - b) Phase B: Red.
 - c) Neutral: White.
 - b. Sizes No. 6 AWG and larger shall be black and color-coded with field-applied tape.
 7. Installations in dry or damp locations shall utilize THHN and installations in wet locations shall utilize THWN.

E. Single-conductor, low-voltage power cable for motors, feeders, branch circuits, and dc circuits routed in conduit, duct bank, or cable tray:

 1. Voltage rating: 600-volt.
 2. Conductor: Annealed, bare copper, Class B, stranded, minimum size No. 12 AWG (4.0mm²).
 3. Insulation: Cross-linked polyethylene (XLPE), complying with NEC Type XHHW-2. Insulation shall be sunlight resistant and cable tray (CT) rated.
 4. Jacket: None.
 5. Color coding: Black.
 6. Wire shall be identified by surface marking indicating manufacturer, conductor size, conductor material, voltage rating, UL symbol, and listed type.
 7. Cables shall pass IEEE 383 70,000 Btu/hr, ICEA T-29-520, 210,000 Btu/hr vertical tray flame tests, and UL 1581, VW-1 vertical flame test.
 8. Temperature rating: 90° C for normal operation in wet or dry locations.

F. Multiconductor, low-voltage power cables for motors, feeders, and branch circuits routed in cable tray, conduit or duct bank:

 1. Voltage rating: 600-volt.
 2. Conductors: Annealed, bare copper, Class B, stranded, minimum size No. 12 AWG (4.0mm²).
 3. Insulation: Cross-linked polyethylene (XLPE) complying with NEC Type XHHW-2.
 4. Jacket: Flame-retardant, heat, moisture, and sunlight-resistant; polyvinyl chloride (PVC).
 5. Color coding: Insulated phase conductors shall be black and shall have printed numbers in accordance with ICEA Method 4. Each cable shall be identified by means of surface ink printing indicating manufacturer, number of conductors, size, metal, voltage rating, and UL listing as suitable for cable tray use.
 6. Phase conductors shall be cabled together with Class B stranded, bare copper grounding conductor and fillers. Ground wire size shall comply with requirements of UL 1277.
 7. Cover cable assembly with helically applied polyester binder tape with minimum 10% overlap.

8. Cables shall pass IEEE 383 70,000 Btu/hr, and ICEA T-29-520, 210,000 Btu/hr vertical tray flame test.
 9. Temperature rating: 90° C for normal operation in wet or dry locations.
- G. Multiconductor cable for control, interlocks, current transformers (CTs), voltage transformers (VTs), routed in cable tray and conduit:
1. Voltage rating: 600-volt.
 2. Conductors: Annealed, bare copper, Class B, stranded, CT minimum size No. 10 AWG (6.0mm²), VT minimum size No. 12 AWG (4.0mm²).
 3. Insulation: Flame-retardant, cross-linked polyethylene (XLPE) or complying with NEC Type XHHW-2.
 4. Jacket: Flame-retardant, heat, moisture, and sunlight-resistant; polyvinyl chloride (PVC).
 5. Conductors shall be cabled together with non-hygroscopic fillers.
 6. Cover cable assembly with helically applied binding tape with minimum 10% overlap.
 7. Color coding: Insulated conductors shall have colored insulation meeting ICEA Method 1, Table E-2 color code (K2 color code).
 8. Each cable shall be identified by means of surface ink printing indicating manufacturer, number of conductors, size, voltage rating, and UL listing as rated for cable tray.
 9. Cables shall pass IEEE 383 70,000 Btu/hr, and ICEA T-29-520, 210,000 Btu/hr vertical tray flame tests.
 10. Temperature rating: 90° C for normal operation in wet or dry locations.
- H. Instrumentation cable installed indoor or outdoor routed in cable tray, conduit, and ducts:
1. Voltage rating: 300-volt.
 2. Conductors: Annealed, bare copper, Class B, stranded, minimum size No. 16 AWG (1.0 mm²).
 3. Insulation: Flame-retardant polyvinyl chloride (PVC).
 4. Jacket: Flame-retardant, heat, moisture, and sunlight resistant; polyvinyl chloride (PVC).
 5. Pairs/triads: Each twisted with lay not exceeding 2" (50 mm).
 6. Color code: Insulated conductors shall have colored insulation meeting ICEA Method 1, Table E-2 color code (K2 color code): Pairs black/red; Triads black/red/blue.
 7. Assembly:
 - a. Each pair or triad shall be cabled together with aluminum/polyester tape shield helically wrapped with minimum lap of 15% of tape width and isolation tape. Entire cable assembly shall have overall aluminum/polyester tape shield helically wrapped.
 - b. Flexible strand tin-coated No.18 AWG (0.75 mm²) copper drain wire shall be helically wound between twisted conductors and tape shield.
 8. Each instrumentation cable shall be identified by means of surface ink printing indicating manufacturer, conductor size, and quantity, UL listing.
 9. Cables shall pass UL 1581, 70,000 Btu/hr flame test.

2.04 ELECTRICAL ENCLOSURES

- A. Size junction boxes, pull boxes, and enclosures in accordance with requirements of NEC.
- B. Junction boxes and pull boxes 4" (100 mm) trade size or smaller in any dimension shall be galvanized malleable iron, or cast ferrous metal NEMA rated for installed location. Do not use concentric knockouts.
- C. Junction boxes, pull boxes, and electrical enclosures larger than 4" (100 mm) trade size in any dimension shall be as follows, unless required otherwise.
1. NEMA rating for electrical enclosures installed in nonhazardous locations:
 - a. Indoor:
 - 1) Dry environmentally controlled area: NEMA 12.
 - 2) Noncorrosive wet or hose-down area: NEMA 4.
 - 3) Corrosive wet or hose-down area: NEMA 4X
 - b. Outdoor:
 - 1) Corrosive area: NEMA 4X.
 - 2) Noncorrosive area hose-down or spray area: NEMA 4.
 - 3) Noncorrosive area nonhose-down area NEMA 3R.

2. Construct noncast-metal electrical enclosures from reinforced steel plate capable of supporting devices mounted on or within enclosure without deflection. Steel plate thickness shall conform to UL requirements.
 3. Enclosures shall be of adequate strength to support mounted components during shipment and installation.
 4. Conduit entrances: Field drilled.
 5. Electrical enclosures located in outdoor, wet, or hose down areas shall be provided with space heaters. Provide space heaters completely wired within enclosure. Provide following:
 - a. Space heater.
 - b. Adjustable thermostat with set point temperature indicator.
 - c. One miniature circuit breaker protective device.
 - d. Space heaters, thermostat, and protection shall not interfere with cable into or out of enclosure, or with maintenance or replacement of devices within enclosure.
 - e. Use of space heaters shall not change or discolor any painted surface.
 - f. Space heater capacity shall maintain enclosure internal temperature above dew point under specified service conditions.
 - g. Space heaters: Rate for 240 volts ac minimum, and size for operation on applied voltage of 120 volts ac.
- D. Outdoor electrical enclosures with ventilating openings:
1. Louver on outdoor electrical equipment and protect in accordance with NEMA type.
 2. Equip openings on outdoor electrical equipment with fine mesh filters and stainless steel bug screens.

2.05 EQUIPMENT SAFETY GROUNDING

- A. Install exposed raceway electrically continuous. Conduit and tray shall not be considered to be only ground conductor.
- B. Furnish equipment that is part of integral shipping unit or assembly with bare copper ground conductor extending to central ground connection lug. Lug shall be suitable for field connection to local ground. Electrical equipment shall be considered any device that is energized.
- C. Single-point ground connections required for proper operation of electronic equipment shall be insulated from equipment safety ground. Such connections shall be extended, using insulated cable, to single insulated termination point suitable for field connection to appropriate ground system.
- D. Conduits containing power circuits shall have ground conductor installed inside conduit. Ground conductor shall be bonded to equipment or tray or duct ground at both ends.
- E. Provide ground bushing on each conduit containing power circuit. Connect ground bushings together inside enclosure and to enclosure ground lug or ground bus.
 1. Use No. 8 AWG conductor for ground bushings trade size 1-1/2" (38 mm) and smaller.
 2. Ground bushings larger than 1-1/2" (38 mm) shall be sized in accordance with requirements of NEC, but in no case shall bushings be smaller than No. 8 AWG.
- F. Ground conductor: Uninsulated, Class B standard, round soft drawn uncoated copper as defined in ICEA S-19-81, unless specified otherwise.
- G. Hardware: Clamps, bolts, washers, nuts, and other hardware used with grounding conductor shall be copper, copper alloy, high copper alloy, or silicon bronze.

2.06 PIN AND SOCKET CONNECTORS

- A. Unless shown on Drawings, not allowed.

2.07 FUSES AND FUSE BLOCKS

- A. Modular-type, Class H screw terminal fuse blocks with Bakelite frame and reinforced retaining clips. Blocks shall be similar in construction and by same manufacturer.
- B. Slow blow fuses: Bussmann Type MDL or Gould Shawmut Type GDL with ampere ratings of 1/4, 1/2, 1, or 2.
- C. Fast acting fuses: Bussmann Type NON or Gould Shawmut Type OT with ampere ratings of 1, 3, 6, 10, 15, 20, or 30.
- D. Extremely fast acting fuses: Bussmann Type KAB with ampere ratings of 1, 3, 6, 10, 15, 20, or 30.

2.08 CONTROL RELAYS

- A. General service, industrial grade auxiliary relays rated 600-volt.
- B. Contacts: Reversible from N.O. to N.C. in field.
- C. Timing relays for critical service: Agastat Series 7000.

2.09 CONTROL SWITCHES

- A. Multistage, rotary-type rated 120 volts ac or 125 volts dc, 3 amperes, as required.
- B. Handles: Black, fixed, modern, pistol grip type. Provide engraved black plastic escutcheon plates with targets.
- C. Provide with colored LED lamps and nameplates as required.

2.10 PUSHBUTTONS

- A. Standard pushbuttons: Heavy, industrial-type rated 120 volts ac or 125 volts dc, 3 amperes, as required.
- B. Provide with colored LED lamps and nameplates as required.

2.11 INDICATING LIGHTS

- A. Status indicating lights: High-intensity, cluster, LED-type for panel mounting.
- B. Coordinate indicating light colors with indicated conditions as follows. Indicating lights shall be energized when condition exists and shall be de-energized when condition does not exist:
 - 1. Red: Equipment energized: such as motor running, valve open, or breaker closed.
 - 2. Green: Equipment de-energized: such as motor stopped, valve closed, or breaker open.
 - 3. Amber: Equipment abnormality: such as motor trip, breaker trip, or relay trip.
 - 4. White: Monitoring of control power or trip coil: such as lockout relay trip coil monitor or breaker trip coil monitor. Light is on during normal circuit operation and off during loss of power or loss of coil.
 - 5. Blue: Loss of control power.

2.12 ALARM AND TRIP CONTACTS

- A. Alarm contacts for remote annunciation: Suitable for operation at 120 volts ac and 125 volts dc. Contacts shall be rated at least 0.5-ampere make and break, minimum.

- B. Alarm contacts: Normally closed contacts that open to alarm condition.
- C. Trip contacts for remote trip: Suitable for operation at 125 volts dc and rated 5 amperes make or break, minimum.

2.13 WIRING DEVICES

- A. Standard convenience outlets: Premium, heavy-duty, specification-grade, duplex, 3-wire, grounding, 20-ampere, 125-volt for 120-volt circuits, and rated 250-volts for 240 or 208-volt circuits.
- B. Ground fault circuit interrupter (GFI) receptacles: Duplex, 20-ampere, and 125 volts, feed-through type.
- C. Isolated ground (IG) outlets: Duplex, 3-wire, with isolated grounding terminal, 20-ampere, and 125 volts. Outlets shall be orange in color, unless specified otherwise.

2.14 IDENTIFICATION AND TAGGING

- A. Provide power, control, and instrumentation cables with permanent type identification markers with typed cable numbers and from/to information at each point of termination. Cable numbers and from/to information will be provided for circuits not associated with low-voltage panelboards.
 - 1. Position cable markers to be readily visible for inspection.
 - 2. Cable numbers shall match those as shown on Drawings.
 - 3. Provide wire tags at each termination point for each conductor. Tags shall be permanent, non-shrinkable type with typewritten information.

2.15 EQUIPMENT NAMEPLATES

- A. Laminated white-over-black plastic such that face is white with black letters, with 1/8" (3 mm) engraved letters securely fastened with minimum of 2 self-tapping, stainless steel screws.
- B. Nameplates shall meet requirements of NFPA 70E

2.16 HARDWARE

- A. Provide hardware including, but not limited to, anchor bolts, nuts, washers, expansion anchors, wire nuts needed for installation.
- B. Hardware smaller than 3/4" (19 mm) shall match NEMA standard size bolt holes on electrical equipment.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 EXAMINATION OF SITE

- A. Contractor shall be responsible for familiarity with Project Site conditions. Equipment furnished and installed shall be capable of withstanding most severe conditions that will be encountered.

3.02 PROTECTION OF WORK

- A. Protect installed Work and provide temporary and removable protection for installed products. Control activity in immediate work area to prevent damage.
- B. Damage occurring to building or equipment during installation shall be repaired or replaced to conditions existing prior to damage at no additional cost or delay to project or Owner.

3.03 INSTALLATION

- A. Install equipment and materials in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations and Drawings.
- B. Details for equipment and systems installed in accordance with industry standard techniques will not be furnished.
- C. Installation details furnished on Drawings shall be followed unless found to be unsafe, inappropriate for equipment specified, or unachievable due to site conditions.
- D. Except as otherwise specified or indicated on Drawings, equipment shall be installed plumb, square, and level.
- E. Sheet metal junction boxes, equipment enclosures, sheet metal raceways, and similar items mounted on earth-bearing walls shall be separated from wall not less than 1/4" (6 mm) by corrosion-resistant spacers.
- F. Substations, switchgear, motor control centers, and similar equipment located outdoors shall be permanently sealed at base. Openings into equipment shall be screened or sealed as to prevent entrance of birds, rodents, and insects the size of wasps and mud daubers.
 - 1. Sealing material at base shall be concrete grout.
 - 2. Small cracks and openings shall be sealed from inside with silicone sealant.
 - 3. Large openings shall use galvanized screen mesh.

3.04 CABLE

- A. Prior to installation of each cable or cable group into assigned raceway, verify that raceway has been correctly sized.
 - 1. Where raceway is not indicated in circuit schedule or on Drawings, size in accordance with requirements of NEC.
 - 2. If raceway size indicated on Contract Documents is inadequate, notify Engineer.
- B. Replace cables pulled into wrong raceway or cut too short to rack and train.
- C. Do not reinstall cables installed in wrong raceway and removed. Discard cables unless inspected and accepted by Owner's Representative in writing.
- D. Carefully lay or pull circuits in cable tray so neither cables nor tray is damaged.
- E. Protect cables from dirt, water, oil, damaging chemicals, and from physical injury prior to, and during installation.
- F. Cables shall be cut sufficiently long to conform to contour of trays, with particular attention paid to vertical inside bends.
- G. Remove excessive slack so cables lie parallel to sides of trays.
- H. Multiple single-conductor power cables No. 1/0 AWG (50 mm²) or larger installed in cable tray that constitute single power circuit shall be grouped together in triplexed or quadruplexed arrangement. Maintain cable spacing to be 2.15 x O.D. of largest conductor in group or adjacent group.
- I. Multiconductor power cables No. 4/0 AWG (120 mm²) or larger installed in cable tray shall be installed in single layer with maintained spacing of not less than 1 cable diameter of largest cable.
- J. Fasten cables to cable tray with rated nylon ties to hold cables in place.

- K. Perform fishing and pulling with flexible round metal tape, CO₂ propelled polyethylene cord, nylon rope, or manila rope.
- L. Cable damage caused by improper pulling tension and excessive sidewall pressures shall be considered for any cable pulls that require use of mechanized cable pulling machine, whether installed underground or overhead.
 - 1. NEC requirements shall be used as guideline. Calculations shall be performed for duct bank runs over 300' (90 m), and for installations in conduit over 100' (30 m).
 - 2. Monitor pulling tension during installation of cable. Tension shall not exceed maximum recommended by cable manufacturer.
 - 3. To avoid damage from excessive sidewall pressure at bends, pulling tension shall not exceed cable manufacturer's recommendation.
 - 4. Pulling mechanisms, manual or power type, shall have rated capacity in tons legibly marked on mechanism.
 - 5. During installation, observer shall constantly watch dynamometer and record maximum tension achieved during pull.
 - a. If excessive strain develops, stop pulling operation at once. Determine difficulty and correct.
 - b. Provide records of dynamometer readings to Engineer.
 - c. Inform Owner prior to cable pulls.
 - 6. Do not use woven wire cable grips. Only use pulling eyes for pulling cables.
 - 7. As soon as cable is pulled into place, remove pulling eyes and reseal cable.
- M. Insert reliable nonfreezing type of swivel or swivel connection between pulling rope and eye to prevent twisting under strain.
- N. Only use lubricants as recommended by cable manufacturer. Water-based lubricants not allowed.
- O. Outside of each cable reel shall be carefully inspected. Remove protruding nails, fastenings, or other objects that might damage cable.
 - 1. Perform visual inspection for flaws, breaks, or abrasions in cable sheath as cable leaves reel. Pulling speed shall be slow enough to permit inspection.
 - 2. Damage to sheath or finish of cable shall be sufficient cause for rejecting cable.
 - 3. Cable damaged during installation shall be replaced at no expense to Owner.
- P. Permanent radius of each bend after cable installation shall be in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.
- Q. Cable supports and securing devices shall have bearing surfaces located parallel to surfaces of cable sheath. Install to provide adequate support without deformation of cable jackets or insulation.
- R. Provide adequate cable end lengths. Properly install in junction boxes and manholes to avoid longitudinal strains and distorting pressures on cable at conduit bushings and duct end bells.
- S. Final inspection shall be made after cables are in place. Where supports, bushings, and end bells deform cable jacket, provide additional supports.
- T. Splices, joints, and connections shall be made only in accessible junction boxes in accordance with methods specified and instructions of cable manufacturer. Splices not allowed unless shown on Drawings.
- U. Rough-in wiring terminated in junction boxes shall have at least 8" (200 mm) of free conductor coiled in box for connection to equipment and receptacles.
- V. Circuit information for circuits originating from panelboards is indicated on panel schedules. Other circuits are identified on circuit schedule.
 - 1. Do not combine receptacle loads with lighting loads.
 - 2. Circuits fed from panelboards shall not be combined with circuits from circuit schedule.

- W. Panelboard circuits are indicated as individual runs. Circuits may be combined into common conduits in accordance with rules of NEC. Perform work associated with combining of circuits at no additional cost to Owner.

3.05 WIRING DEVICES, BOXES, AND FITTINGS

- A. Install galvanized or cadmium plated, threaded, malleable iron boxes and fittings in:
1. Embedded in concrete walls, ceiling, and floors.
 2. Outdoor exposed faces of masonry walls.
 3. Locations where weatherproof cover is required by code or this specification.
- B. Install galvanized or cadmium plated sheet steel boxes in:
1. Indoor exposed faces of masonry walls.
 2. Interior partition walls.
 3. Joist supported ceilings.
- C. Rigid PVC device boxes shall be installed in exposed nonmetallic conduit systems.
- D. Finish openings so standard sized cover plates can be used. Oversized plates not allowed.
- E. Mount wall switches 3'-6" (1050 mm) above finished floor or grade unless specified otherwise. After circuits are energized, test wall switches for proper operation.
- F. Outlets:
1. Standard mounting height: 18" (450 mm) above finished floor, unless specified otherwise.
 2. After circuits are energized, test each receptacle for correct polarity.
 3. Test GFCI receptacles for proper operation.
 4. Mount wall thermostats 5'-6" (1650 mm) above finished floor unless noted otherwise. Thermostats mounted shall be suitably insulated from wall temperatures.
- G. Communication outlets:
1. 18" (450 mm) above finished floor unless required otherwise.
 2. Outlets outdoors, garages, basements, shops, storerooms, and rooms where equipment may be hosed down: 4'-0" (1200 mm) above floor.

3.06 GROUNDING AND BONDING

- A. Electrical system and equipment grounding shall be installed in accordance with NEC and shall conform to following, where applicable:
1. Ground conductors shall be bare or green-insulated in accordance with NEC.
 2. Cable shall be soft-drawn copper or copper bar, sized in accordance with drawings and NEC, but not smaller than No. 12 AWG.

3.07 STARTUP AND TESTING

- A. Clean equipment interiors and exteriors prior to start-up and testing.
- B. Unless specified otherwise, tests performed shall be standard tests listed by ANSI/IEEE for intended equipment.
- C. Equipment shall be checked and placed in service ready for operation.
- D. Circuits shall be electrically tested after installation. Test power and motor circuits prior to final connection to equipment. Splices shall be complete prior to testing.
1. Provide equipment and labor required for testing.
 2. Circuit failing to test satisfactorily shall be replaced or repaired, and retested at no additional cost to Owner.

3. Check power and motor circuits, dc power, and control circuits for:
 - a. Correct terminations.
 - b. Continuity.
 - c. Unintentional shorts and grounds.
4. Check power conductors for correct phasing.
5. Motor circuits shall be checked for proper rotation and motors "bumped" to verify correct machine rotation.
6. Control, instrumentation, and thermocouple wire shall be checked for correct termination, continuity, freedom from shorts or grounds, and identification.
7. Current transformer wiring shall be loop checked by injecting current at one end of loop and checking with clip-on ammeter at each field termination point to assure continuity and phase identification.
8. Voltage transformer wiring shall be tested by applying voltage at one point and checking with voltmeter phase rotation meter and phase angle meter at each field termination point to assure continuity, identification and phase shift.

3.08 DEMONSTRATION

- A. Final start-up and check out shall be completed prior to Owner acceptance of project.
- B. Electrical installation shall be complete in every detail and capable of normal operation in presence of Owner or Owner's Representative to verify its readiness.

END OF SECTION

- 1) Philip E. Schulz
- 2) Seth G. Weiss

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Embankments materials.
- B. Stripping.
- C. Earth and borrow excavation.
- D. Embankment construction.
- E. Finish grading and protection.

1.02 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Provide testing of materials and field compaction.
- B. Refer to Section 01 45 29.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 EMBANKMENT MATERIAL

- A. Obtain embankment material from excavated areas or from an approved borrow area.
- B. Embankment materials shall be free from debris, roots, organic, or other unstable or unsuitable materials.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 STRIPPING

- A. Prior to grading and/or borrow excavation, strip topsoil, vegetation and other objectionable material from construction areas. Average depth assumed to be 6" to 14" (152 mm to 355 mm). Stockpile clean topsoil at job site. Dispose of vegetation and other objectionable material at off-site location selected by Contractor.

3.02 EARTH EXCAVATION

- A. Grading shall consist of excavation, removal and satisfactory disposal of excess excavated materials taken from within Project area, construction of embankments, subgrades, ditches, and incidental work; and removal and satisfactory disposal of unstable and unsuitable materials and their replacement with satisfactory materials where needed.
- B. In cuts for driveways proof-roll subgrade with fully loaded tandem-axle dump truck to detect localized zones of unstable material.
- C. Remove unstable material encountered and replace with suitable material.
- D. Dispose of unstable material within embankments not to be used under structures, driveways, and substation pad.

3.03 BORROW EXCAVATION

- A. Borrow excavation shall consist of excavating, transporting, and placing of earth materials obtained from locations furnished by Contractor necessary for construction of embankments, subgrades and other parts of Work.
- B. Contractor shall furnish and pay for borrow sites, or other sources of borrow, and obtain from property owners necessary agreements for removal of excavated material. Borrow material shall have a Standard Dry Density of not less than 95 lb/cu ft (1525 kg/m³) when tested in accordance with AASHTO T99 and shall not possess an organic content greater than 10% when tested in accordance with AASHTO T194.
- C. Borrow pits shall not change general pattern of existing drainage and shall be well drained unless suitable for development as ponds or lakes. Borrow sites shall be seeded in accordance with Section 32 92 19. If proposed borrow site is to revert to agricultural purposes, Contractor shall submit to Engineer a written statement from property owner that seeding will not be required.

3.04 EMBANKMENT CONSTRUCTION

- A. Maintain embankments in satisfactory condition until final acceptance.
- B. Preparation of surfaces to receive fill:
After stripping of organic material or foreign matter, proof-roll areas to receive fill as described in article "Earth Excavation."
If unsuitable or unstable material is encountered under embankment area, remove material and replace with suitable material prior to placing embankment material.
- C. Moisture control:
Moisture content of embankment materials prior to, and during compaction shall be uniform throughout each layer of material.
Place earth materials at or within 2% of optimum moisture content as determined by ASTM D698; wet granular materials thoroughly during or immediately prior to compaction.
Add supplementary water to materials on embankment by sprinkling and mixing uniformly throughout layer as required.
Spread temporarily excavated materials too wet for placing until moisture content is acceptable.
- D. Placing:
Place embankment materials in manner permitting drainage, and in continuous, approximately horizontal layers, not exceeding 8" (200 mm) loose thickness.
Avoid abrupt changes in embankment levels.
If surface of previously placed materials is too dry or smooth to provide satisfactory bonding surface with new material, moisten and/or scarify in manner and to depths required to avoid shear plane.
If compacted surface of any layer of fill is too wet for proper compaction of next succeeding layer to be placed:
 - a. Allow materials to dry or work with suitable equipment.
 - b. Compact to provide satisfactory bonding surface for next succeeding layer of fill to be placed.When each layer of material has been conditioned to moisture content specified, compact as follows:
 - c. Compact following embankments to minimum of 95% of maximum dry density as determined by ASTM D698:
 - 1) Embankments for substation pad.
 - 2) Embankments for driveway.
 - d. Compact other embankments to minimum of 90% of maximum dry density as determined by ASTM D698.
- E. Grade areas disturbed by construction operations to smooth, uniformly sloping surfaces.

3.05 FINISH GRADING

- A. Finish fill, excavated areas, and other disturbed areas to uniform grade and section normally obtainable with blade grader.
- B. Allowable template tolerances: +/- 0.10' (30 mm).
- C. Finish grade to neat appearance and to provide positive drainage.

3.06 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Moisture-density laboratory tests: Minimum of one test on each type of soil to be used in embankment construction; conform to ASTM D698. Perform tests prior to placement of embankment materials.
- B. In-place density tests for embankments: Perform tests on driveway embankments during course of work on subgrade for each successive 8" (200 mm) layer at approximate 50' (15 m) intervals conforming to ASTM D1556 or ASTM D2922.

3.07 PROTECTION

- A. Water shall be used as controlling agent to prevent operations from polluting air with dust.
- B. Regulations as set forth by OSHA and appropriate state and local agencies, shall govern.

END OF SECTION

- 1) Patrick M. Johnson
- 2) Greg S. Shuger

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Soil and material testing.
- B. Excavation, backfilling, and grading for structures.
- C. Excavation and backfilling for conduit and cable.
- D. Dewatering, sheeting, shoring and bracing, and associated work.
- E. Importing backfill and fill materials.
- F. Disposal of excess or unsatisfactory materials.
- G. Underground obstructions.

1.02 RELATED REQUIREMENTS

- A. Section 01 45 29 - Testing Laboratory Services.

1.03 DEFINITIONS

- A. Support system (per OSHA): Structure such as underpinning, bracing, or shoring, which provides support to adjacent structure, underground installation, or sides of an excavation.
- B. Protective system (per OSHA): Method of protecting employees from cave-ins, from materials that could fall or roll from an excavation face or into an excavation, or from collapse of adjacent structures. Protective systems include support systems, sloping and benching systems, and other systems that provide necessary protection.

1.04 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

- A. If quantities of following items are changed from those required by Contract Documents, lump sum Contract Price will be adjusted on basis of unit adjustment prices set forth in Agreement.
 - 1. Structural Earth Excavation, cubic yards (CY): Unit adjustment prices for structural earth excavation includes removal of material; obtaining, placing and compacting backfill as specified; dewatering; sheeting, shoring and bracing; disposal of excavated material as specified; grading; and all other incidental work. Cubic yards of structural earth excavation defined as volume of earth in its original space within neat lines of foundations and footing projections.
 - 2. Granular Fill, cubic yards (CY): Unit adjustment price for granular fill includes furnishing, placing, and compacting as specified. Cubic yards of granular fill defined as volume of material, in final place, as determined by calculation based on customary methods of computation of earthwork quantities within limits specified. Fill materials required by overexcavations or excavations made for Contractor's convenience will not be measured for payment.
 - 3. Structural Fill, cubic yards (CY): Unit adjustment price for structural fill includes furnishing, placing, and compacting as specified. Cubic yards of structural fill defined as volume of material in final place, as determined by calculation based on customary methods of computation of earthwork quantities within limits specified. Fill materials required by overexcavations or excavations made for Contractor's convenience will not be measure for payment.
 - 4. Flowable Fill, cubic yards (CY): Unit adjustment price for flowable fill includes furnishing and placing as specified. Cubic yards of flowable fill defined as volume of material, in final place, as determined by calculation based on customary methods of computation of earthwork quantities within limits specified. Fill materials required by overexcavations or excavations made for Contractor's convenience will not be measured for payment.

1.05 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Quality assurance data:
 - 1. Material test reports on samples of fill and backfill.
 - 2. Laboratory compaction test reports establishing moisture-density relationships and maximum densities for all fill and backfill.
 - 3. Field in-situ compaction test reports.
 - 4. Test reports and records used to determine adequacy of soils at bottom of excavations.
 - 5. Recommendations for corrections where deviations from Specifications occur or where conditions are considered undesirable.

1.06 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Contractor shall retain services of qualified testing laboratory.
- B. Responsibilities of testing laboratory shall include:
 - 1. Sampling and testing of fill or backfill materials prior to and during placement.
 - 2. Sampling and testing to determine moisture-density and maximum density characteristics of materials in accordance with ASTM D1557.
 - 3. Observation of placement, selection of test locations, and testing of material during placement to determine that uniformity of compaction and specified compaction requirements are met. Determine in-place densities in accordance with ASTM D1556, D2167, or D2922.
 - a. Perform tests in areas of backfill and where compaction requirements are specified.
 - b. Provide equipment necessary and perform field density tests during course of Work.
 - c. Perform tests for fill or backfill at following interval: One test per 500 yd³ (380 m³) at random depths.
 - 4. Inspection and approval of soil at bottom of excavation, under foundations, considering settlement and load-bearing characteristics of soil and design bearing capacity.
 - 5. Providing reports to Owner's Representative giving information on materials and testing performed.
 - 6. Making recommendations to Owner's Representative where deviation from Specifications occur or conditions are considered undesirable.
- C. Drilled caisson inspection:
 - 1. Each drilled caisson shall be inspected by Owner's Representative at completion of shaft, and completion of reinforcing steel placement before next stage of construction is continued.
 - 2. Furnish equipment and personnel and assist in inspection of bottoms of shaft.
 - 3. Drilled caissons will be inspected from surface.

1.07 EXISTING CONDITIONS

- A. Known underground piping, foundations, and other underground obstructions in vicinity of new construction are shown on Drawings.
- B. Protect underground facilities encountered during excavation until it is determined whether they are active or inactive. Repair, without compensation, existing active facilities damaged during operations.
- C. Notify Owner's Representative of unexpected subsurface conditions and discontinue Work in area until Owner's Representative provides notification to resume Work.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 MATERIAL - GENERAL

- A. Use suitable material removed from excavations or obtained from off-site borrow areas unless shown or specified otherwise.
- B. Exclude debris, stones larger than 1" (25 mm), roots, organic or frozen material, expansive material and other deleterious materials.

- C. Type: Excavated or imported material conforming to one of following ASTM D2487 (Unified Soil Classification System) classifications: GW, GP, SW, or SP.
- D. Use for all backfill except where specified otherwise.

2.02 GRANULAR FILL

- A. Type: Material conforming to one of the following ASTM D2487 (Unified Soil Classification System) classifications: SW or SP.
- B. Material shall be free of earth, clay, or other foreign substances.
- C. Use where shown on Drawings.

2.03 STRUCTURAL FILL

- A. Type: Material conforming to one of the following ASTM D2487 (Unified Soil Classification System) classifications: GW, GP, SW, or SP.
- B. Structural fill shall consist of non-frost susceptible material when used as backfill adjacent to or below foundations. Material that becomes unstable when wet shall not be used.
- C. Submit material source and classification to Engineer for review. Use of expansive material is prohibited.
- D. Borrow materials proposed shall be tested by Contractor's testing agency and approved by Engineer prior to use on site.
- E. Use for all backfill except where specified otherwise.

2.04 FLOWABLE FILL

- A. Controlled low strength grout mix using Portland cement, fly ash, fine aggregates, water, and specified admixture:
 - 1. Water content of mix should be adjusted to obtain maximum 3" (75 mm) initial slump prior to incorporating admixture.
 - 2. Slump after incorporating admixture: great than or equal to 8" (200 mm).
 - 3. Air content: 15 – 35%.
 - 4. 3-day age compressive strength: Not less than 70 psi.
 - 5. 28-day age compressive strength: 100 to 200 psi.
- B. Admixture: Rheocell Rheofill by Master Builders Technologies, or equal.
- C. Use:
 - 1. For oil/water separator drain pipe trench backfill or other locations noted on Drawings.
 - 2. At Contractor's option, for pipe bedding material for all pipes, all locations.
- D. Contractor shall prevent pipe from floating.

2.05 SUPPORT AND PROTECTION SYSTEMS

- A. Provide support and protection systems where shown and where required to protect public, workers, and existing and new utilities, property and structures.
- B. Design of support and protection systems shall be responsibility of Contractor and shall conform to OSHA requirements.

- C. Design of system shall include:
 - 1. Loading effects from:
 - a. Soil.
 - b. Ground water.
 - c. Surcharge loading (construction and public traffic on adjacent roadways).
 - d. Existing structures dead load and live load.
 - 2. Consideration of effects on existing structures including vibration and settlement. Installation and removal of support systems shall not cause damage to existing facilities.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 EARTH EXCAVATION

- A. Excavate as required for construction work.
- B. Use special care when excavating under and around existing facilities. Support existing facilities and earth under facilities to prevent settlement resulting from construction operations.
- C. Excavation for soil supported foundations (where required):
 - 1. Excavate to elevations shown. Owner's Representative shall inspect and approve soil at foundation levels shown.
 - 2. Additional payment will be made to Contractor for excavation of unsuitable soils on basis of unit adjustment price set forth in Agreement.
 - 3. Fill with concrete, at no expense to Owner, unauthorized excavations carried below bottoms of foundation levels shown.
 - 4. Trim excavations by hand to remove material disturbed by machine excavation; produce neat, plane surface at elevation of bottom of footing.
- D. Excavation for conduit and cable:
 - 1. Excavate to depths indicated or specified.
 - 2. Use special care when excavating near existing foundations and utilities. Excavate by hand in such areas.
 - 3. After installation of conduit or cable, backfill with materials from excavation. Exclude large stones, organic material, rubbish, and frozen material from backfill.
 - 4. Compact to density of adjacent soil.

3.02 DRILLED CAISSON EXCAVATION

- A. Excavate drilled caissons in manner that will produce depths and diameters shown. Furnish and install temporary steel casing in hole as necessary for protection of personnel and adjacent construction, to prevent cave-ins and displacement of earth, and for exclusion of ground water. Casings shall be smooth steel cylinders having an outside diameter greater than or equal to required diameter of caisson shaft. Wall thickness shall be sufficient to withstand collapsing pressures.
- B. Diameter of drilled caissons at Contractor's option, may be larger diameter, provided there is no additional cost to Owner.
- C. Seal off groundwater by seating casing below bottom of wet strata into impervious material.
- D. Remove ground water and drilling debris to produce clean hole for determination of depth, examination of bearing material, and condition of casing.
- E. Should it be determined during inspection that hole drilled to estimated elevation has not reached suitable material, perform additional Work to provide required drilled caisson capacity.
- F. Holes shall be drilled in sequence to avoid damage to previously completed work and minimize delay or interruptions to work by others.

- G. Fill with concrete, at no additional expense to Owner, unauthorized excavations carried below required bottoms of drilled caisson.
- H. Provide cover for caisson shafts for protection of personnel and to prevent entrance of foreign materials.
- I. Dispose of excavated material as specified.
- J. Do not allow personnel to enter caisson excavation. Perform inspections from surface.

3.03 FILL AND BACKFILL

- A. Backfilling around structures:
 - 1. Backfill after concrete has attained sufficient strength to withstand backfill pressures without detrimental effects.
 - 2. Prevent displacement of construction during backfilling operations; backfill opposite sides simultaneously.
- B. Fill to elevations or grades shown on Drawings and required for drainage. Maintain surface and slopes for drainage during operations.
- C. Placement:
 - 1. Maintain surfaces free of water, debris and excessively wet, frozen, and other deleterious materials.
 - 2. Place backfill and fill materials in successive horizontal layers not more than 9" (225 mm) in loose depth.
 - 3. Place materials at proper moisture content for obtaining densities as specified. Generally maintain within 2% of optimum.
 - 4. Material too dry or too wet to compact properly shall be moistened or aerated to extent necessary to produce desired results.
- D. Compaction:
 - 1. Compact backfill and fill to at least 95% of maximum density as determined by ASTM D1557.
 - 2. Sampling and testing shall be performed in each layer of fill and backfill placed to confirm adequacy of compaction.
 - 3. Pneumatic tired rollers, sheepsfoot type heavy mechanical tamping rollers or heavy vibratory compactors shall not be used within 6' of structure, walls, pipes, or other construction which might be damaged by compaction equipment.

3.04 DEWATERING

- A. Furnish, install, and remove dewatering equipment necessary to drain and keep excavations free of water under all circumstances.
- B. Prevent surface water from flowing into excavations; promptly remove any water accumulated.
- C. Maintain dewatering operations until Work area is accepted as complete.

3.05 SHEETING, SHORING AND BRACING

- A. Provide sheeting, shoring and bracing where required to hold walls of excavation and to protect workers and property. Contractor shall be responsible for proper sizing and placement of Work.
- B. Remove sheeting, shoring and bracing in manner to avoid damage or disturbance to Work. Leave sheeting and shoring in place, where removal will endanger Work, adjacent construction or personnel.

3.06 SITE GRADING

- A. Grade areas disturbed by construction operations.
- B. Finish grade to smooth, uniformly sloping surfaces to elevations shown and required for drainage.
- C. Fill depressions and provide for positive drainage away from buildings and structures.

3.07 DISPOSAL OF MATERIAL

- A. Dispose of excess and unsuitable excavated material off site in disposal area obtained by Contractor.
- B. Dispose of debris, large stones, rocks, roots, and organic materials off site in disposal area obtained by Contractor.

END OF SECTION

- 1) Jason L. Varone
- 2) Aaron M. Klimisch

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Aggregate surfacing including subgrade preparation, hauling, spreading, compacting, and material tests.

1.02 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Provide testing of materials and field compaction.
- B. Refer to Section 01 45 29.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 MATERIALS

- A. Surface aggregate shall be gravel, crushed gravel, crushed stone, or crushed slag, meeting Illinois Department of Transportation (DOT) gradation CA-7.
- B. Base aggregate shall be gravel, crushed gravel, crushed stone, or crushed slag, meeting Illinois DOT gradation CA-1.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 CONSTRUCTION

- A. Prior to placing aggregate, prepare subgrade in accordance with Section 31 22 00.
- B. Deposit aggregate in its final position with spreader. Compact surface of aggregate with a pneumatic-tired roller. Surface shall be rolled at least four times and compacted to minimum of 95% of maximum dry density as determined by ASTM D698. If moisture content of aggregate is insufficient to permit specified compaction during rolling operations, add sufficient water to obtain specified compaction.
- C. Provide laboratory test results indicating conformance to article "Materials."
- D. Provide moisture density laboratory test conforming to ASTM D698.
- E. In-place density tests: Perform at least 10 tests conforming to ASTM D1556 on aggregate surfacing during course of work.

END OF SECTION

- 1) Patrick M. Johnson
- 2) Greg S. Shuger

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Fencing.
- B. Grounding.

1.02 RELATED REQUIREMENTS

- A. Section 03 00 10 - Concrete Work.

1.03 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Product data on dimensions, materials, and finishes.

1.04 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Fencing shall meet or exceed minimum standards established by Chain Link Fence Manufacturers Institute Product Manual for materials, finishes, and installation.
- B. Perform installation with experienced fence erectors under supervision of factory-authorized representative.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

- A. Members of the Chain Link Fence Manufacturers Institute.

2.02 FENCE MATERIALS

- A. Fence height: 8' (2.44 m) to top of mesh and framing. Barbed wire shall be in addition to this height.
- B. Fabric:
 - 1. 2" (50 mm) diamond mesh, 9-gage (4 mm).
 - 2. Tensile strength: 80,000 psi (550,000 kPa) minimum.
 - 3. Top selvage: Twisted and barbed.
 - 4. Bottom selvage: Knuckled.
- C. Barbed wire:
 - 1. Composed of 3 lengths of barbed wire attached to 45° extension arms away from the protected side of the fence.
 - 2. Each wire shall consist of 2 strands of 12-1/2 gage (2 mm), zinc-coated wire with 14-gage (1.6 mm) wire barbs in 4-point pattern on 5" (125 mm) centers.
- D. Framework: ASTM F1043, Group 1A steel pipe; or ASTM F1043, Group 1C high-strength steel pipe. Pipe shall conform to following sizes and weights:

Sizes and Description	Outside Diameter, in (mm)	Weight, Group 1A lb/ft (kg/m)	Weight, Group 1C lb/ft (kg/m)
Top rail	1.660 (42)	2.27 (3.38)	1.40 (2.10)
Line post	2.375 (60)	3.65 (5.44)	3.12 (4.65)
End, corner, and pull post	2.875 (73)	5.79 (8.63)	4.64 (6.91)
Brace rail	1.660 (42)	2.27 (3.38)	1.40 (2.08)

Sizes and Description	Outside Diameter, in (mm)	Weight, Group 1A lb/ft (kg/m)	Weight, Group 1C lb/ft (kg/m)
Gate post:			
Up to 6' (1.8 m) wide	2.875 (73)	5.79 (8.63)	4.64 (6.91)
7' to 12' (2.1 m to 3.6 m) wide	4.000 (100)	9.11 (13.57)	6.56 (9.77)

- E. Post tops: Post tops shall be so designed as to exclude moisture from post. C-section posts shall not require tops.
- F. Tension wire: 6- or 7-gage, zinc-coated wire.
- G. Truss rods: 3/8" (10 mm) diameter, zinc-coated steel rod, adjustable.
- H. Gate frame: Pipe, joined at corners by welding or fittings. Provide fabric and any necessary bracing and adjustable truss rods.
- I. Gates: ASTM F900 swing type, or ASTM F1184 sliding type, as required, complete with necessary latches, stops, keepers, hinges or rollers and roller tracks, and provision for padlocking.
- J. Fittings: Galvanized press steel, malleable, or ASTM F626 cast steel.
- K. Finishes:
 - 1. Chain link fabric: Steel galvanized after weaving by hot-dip process to give a minimum of 1.2 oz of zinc/sq ft (450 mg/m²) of wire surface distributed over entire fabric, including cut ends, in accordance with ASTM A392 Class 1.
 - 2. Framework:
 - a. External coating:
 - 1) Steel pipe, ASTM F1043, Group 1A: Zinc-coated in accordance with paragraph 7.1.1.
 - 2) Steel pipe, ASTM F1043, Group 1C: Zinc with organic overcoat in accordance with paragraph 7.1.2.
 - b. Internal coating:
 - 1) Steel pipe, ASTM F1043, Group 1A: Zinc-coated in accordance with paragraph 7.2.1.
 - 2) Steel pipe, ASTM F1043, Group 1C: Zinc-coated in accordance with paragraph 7.2.2.

2.03 SPECIAL GROUNDING MATERIALS

- A. Ground rods: 3/4" (19 mm) diameter x 10'-0" (3 m) copper-clad steel, sectional.
- B. Ground bus: No. 4/0 AWG (120 mm²) standard soft-drawn bare copper.
- C. Connections; high conductivity copper alloy, nonferrous, noncorrosive:
 - 1. Single cable to tubular member: Burndy Type GAR, or equal.
 - 2. Double cable to tubular member: Burndy Type GD, or equal.
 - 3. Flexible braid to tubular member: Burndy Type GD, or equal.
 - 4. Double cable to H-beam member: Burndy Type GD-H, or equal.
 - 5. Cable to barbed wire: Compression type high conductivity aluminum H-shape line tap, Burndy Type YHO, or equal.
- D. Cable for fence connections to ground bus: No. 2 AWG (35 mm²) solid tinned copper.
- E. Connections to ground bus: Copper compression connectors; Burndy or exothermic welded; ERICO.
- F. Gate to gate post connection: Flexible tinned copper braid.

2.04 GROUNDING MATERIALS

- A. Ground rods: 3/4" (19 mm) diameter x 10'-0" (3 m) copper-clad steel, sectional.

- B. Cable from fence connection to ground rod: Minimum No. 6 AWG (16 mm²) solid copper.
- C. Gate to gate post connection: Flexible tinned copper braid.
- D. Clamp connectors: High conductivity copper alloy, nonferrous, noncorrosive; suitable for fence member and conductor. Burndy, or equal.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 FENCE INSTALLATION

- A. Spacing of posts:
 - 1. Space posts evenly for distance required unless specific spacing is shown.
 - 2. Maximum spacing: 10' (3 m) c to c.
- B. Set each post in concrete as follows:
 - 1. Diameter: 10" (250 mm) for line posts, 12" (300 mm) for corner posts, 18" (450 mm) for gate posts; crown concrete tops to shed water.
 - 2. Depth: Extend gate posts 5'-0" (1,500 mm) into 5'-6" (1,650 mm) foundation; other posts 3'-0" (900 mm) into 3'-6" (1,050 mm) foundation.
 - 3. Concrete: Class B as specified in Section 03 00 10.
 - 4. Form top 6" (150 mm) with "Sonotube," or equal.
 - 5. Line posts may be set with 1-1/2" x 1-1/2" x 30" (38 mm x 38 mm x 760 mm), drive anchors at Contractor's option.
- C. Where fence turns corner or bends in excess of 30° horizontally or vertically, provide corner post complete with bracing.
- D. Connect fabric securely to line posts and top rails using tie wires every 12" (300 mm) on posts and 24" (600 mm) on rails.
- E. Provide necessary tie wires, clips, angles, and fastening devices to erect fence and gates to structural supporting elements.
- F. Gates shall swing freely to open 120° upon completion of installation.
- G. Install 1 extension arm with barbed wire on top of fence.
- H. Install gates plumb, level, and secure for full opening without interference. Anchor center stops and keepers in concrete.

3.02 SPECIAL GROUNDING INSTALLATION

- A. Buried ground bus:
 - 1. Depth: 3'-0" (900 mm)
 - 2. Location: as shown on Drawings.
 - 3. Allow sufficient slack to prevent breakage during backfilling or due to ground movement.
 - 4. Leave taps, connections, and splices uncovered until observed by Engineer.
 - 5. Backfill around bus completely, thoroughly tamping to provide good contact between backfill materials and ground bus.
- B. Ground rods:
 - 1. Complete ground rod consists of a 10'-0" (3 m) length.
 - 2. Location: As shown on Drawings.
 - 3. Drive top of rod to a depth of 2'-0" (600 mm) below finished grade.
 - 4. Use driving studs or other means to prevent damage to threaded ends of rods.
- C. Ground gates using flexible, tinned copper braid.

- D. Connect ground to maximum of every third post unless indicated otherwise on Drawings.
- E. Install connectors in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.
- F. Connect fence to ground bus at locations shown on Drawings.
- G. Bond ground bus to fence at post and weave No. 2 AWG (35 mm²) tinned copper through fence fabric and barbed wire. Connect to fence fabric at two points and to each strand of barbed wire. If fence has polyvinyl chloride coating, remove coating for ground connection.

END OF SECTION

- 1) Patrick M. Johnson
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PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Finish grading.
- B. Seeding and fertilizing.
- C. Erosion control.
- D. Maintaining seeded areas until acceptance.

1.02 TEMPORARY FACILITIES

- A. Water supply:
 - 1. Make necessary arrangements, at own expense, to ensure an adequate supply of potable water.
 - 2. Owner will supply adequate supply of potable water on site.
 - 3. Furnish necessary hose, equipment, attachments, and accessories for adequate watering of turf areas, as needed.

1.03 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Supply producer's guaranteed statement of analysis for percentages of mixtures, purity, germination, weed seed content, inert material, net weight, year of production, and date and location of packaging of seed.
- B. Supply manufacturer's guaranteed statement of analysis, types of nutrients, and weight of fertilizer.
- C. Test topsoil in accordance with Section 01 45 29.
- D. Supply written analysis stating N, P, and K requirements, organic matter content, and pH value of soil.

1.04 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver grass seed in original sealed packages bearing producer's guaranteed statement of analysis for percentages of mixtures, purity, germination, weed seed content, inert material, year of production, date and location of packaging, and net weight. Packages shall be labeled in conformance to U.S. Department of Agriculture Rules and Regulations under the Federal Seed Act, and seed laws of the State of Illinois. Seed that has become wet, moldy, or otherwise damaged will be rejected.
- B. Fertilizer supplied in closed containers shall be delivered in waterproof bags showing weight, types of nutrients, and manufacturer's guaranteed statement of analysis.
- C. Fertilizer supplied in bulk shall be accompanied by bill-of-lading giving weight, types of nutrients, and certificate of manufacturer's guaranteed statement of analysis, for each shipment.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 GROWING MEDIA

- A. Fertilizer:
 - 1. Preplanting fertilizer: Dry commercial ready-mixed material, produced in pelleted or granular form; uniform in composition and free flowing. Fertilizer shall be applied at a rate of 270 lb per acre at a 1:1:1 ratio as follows: nitrogen fertilizer nutrients (90 lb/acre); phosphorus fertilizer nutrients (90 lb/acre); potassium fertilizer nutrients (90 lb/acre).

2.02 SEED

- A. Seed shall be seed of latest season's crop, State Certified by the State of Illinois.
- B. Seed mixture: Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) type 1B Low Maintenance Lawn Mixture.

2.03 ACCESSORIES

- A. Excelsior blanket: Mat of interlocking curled wood excelsior, with consistent thickness, and fiber evenly distributed. One side of blanket shall be covered with mesh of woven cotton cord, twisted paper cord, or biodegradable extruded plastic mesh, with openings not less than 5/8" x 5/8" (16 mm x 16 mm), and not exceeding 1" by 2" (25 mm by 50 mm). Minimum weight of blanket shall be 0.63 lb/sq yd. American Excelsior Co., or equal. Staples shall be 11-gage wire, "U" shaped, with minimum crown width of 1" (25 mm) and minimum leg length of 8" (200 mm).

PART 3 EXECUTION**3.01 FINISH GRADING**

- A. Grade to uniformly sloping surfaces and to elevations shown on Drawings.
- B. Slope finish grade to provide positive surface drainage away from buildings and other structures.
- C. Thoroughly till soil to a minimum depth of 4" (100 mm) by roto-tilling, disking, harrowing, or other method. Soil shall not be tilled when it is frozen, excessively wet or dry, or otherwise untillable.
- D. Remove from site, all rocks, clods, roots, or other foreign materials larger than 1" (25 mm) in any dimension.
- E. Finish grade shall be free of all holes, rills, or gullies caused by erosion or construction operations.
- F. Finished ground level shall be firm to prevent sinkage pockets when watered.

3.02 FERTILIZING

- A. Uniformly apply preplanting fertilizer at rate of 270 lb/acre.
- B. Incorporate amendments into soil to an average depth of 1" (25 mm) by raking, rototilling, disking, harrowing, or other method.
- C. Do not apply grass seed and fertilizer at same time, in same machine.

3.03 SEEDING

- A. Turfed area: Establish turf to limits of graded areas not to be covered by buildings or structures, planting areas, paving, or other surfacing; and on any original turf areas disturbed by new construction.
- B. Planting time:
 - 1. Sow seed only at times of year when temperature, moisture, and climatic conditions will promote germination and plant growth.
 - 2. Sow seed during periods from April 1 to June 15 or from August 1 to November 1.
 - 3. No seed shall be sown during high winds, when soil is frozen or snow covered, or when soil is excessively wet or dry, or in any other condition unsatisfactory for planting.
 - 4. Sow seed immediately after preparation of seedbed. At time of seeding, soil shall be friable, and moist but not muddy, with top 2" (50 mm) cleaned of stones or debris over 1" (25 mm) in any dimension. Soil surface shall be smooth and free of irregularities.

- C. Sowing:
1. Sow seed at rate of 200 lb/acre.
 2. Method of sowing shall be Contractor's option.
 3. When broadcast seeder is used, seed shall be uniformly distributed and then covered to an average depth of 1/4" (6 mm) by means of light harrow, cultipacker, hand rake, or other device.
 4. When grass seed drill is used, drill shall be operated generally perpendicular to direction of surface drainage whenever practical. Seed shall be drilled uniformly to average depth of 1/4" (6 mm).
 5. When drop seeder is used, seed shall be uniformly distributed with no gaps. If seeder is not equipped with means to cover seed, seed shall be covered to average depth of 1/4" (6 mm) by means of light harrow, cultipacker, hand rake, or other device.
 6. When hydraulic planter/mulcher is used, it shall have continuous agitation action which keeps seed mixed in uniform distribution in water slurry until pumped from tank.
 - a. Apply slurry within one hour after seed is added to tank. Seed which is allowed to remain mixed in slurry for longer than one hour will not be accepted for use.
 - b. Application of prilled fertilizer with seed in single operation may be substituted for application of preplanting and postplanting fertilizer.
- D. Apply slurry at rate of 1,000 gal/acre evenly in 2 intersecting directions.

3.04 EROSION CONTROL

- A. Immediately after seeding has been performed, apply erosion control matting to areas designated on Drawings.
- B. Excelsior blanket:
1. Lay either parallel or perpendicular to slope, with netting on top and fibers in contact with soil.
 2. Stapling:
 - a. Strip ends: 1' (300 mm) centers.
 - b. Adjoining strip ends: Butted snugly, common row of staples on 1' (300 mm) centers.
 - c. Edges: 6' (1,800 mm) centers.
 - d. Adjoining edges: Butted snugly, common row of staples on 6' (1,800 mm) centers.
 - e. Strip centers: 6' (1,800 mm) centers.

3.05 CLEANUP

- A. Clean up daily during progress of Work and at completion.
- B. Remove from Project site surplus materials and any debris resulting from turfing Work.
- C. Turfed areas shall be neatly dressed and finished. Walks, paved areas, and adjacent walls and windows shall be flushed clean.

3.06 MAINTENANCE

- A. Remove excelsior blanket after the seed has germinated (approximately 4-6 weeks after installation), if it is not breaking down and disintegrating. If the seed has not germinated, contractor shall seed again, install new fertilizer, and blanket, and return in 4-6 weeks or as directed by Owner's Representative.
- B. Costs of reseeded or remulching required because of faulty operations or negligence on part of Contractor shall be borne by Contractor. Any areas reseeded shall have turf establishment period beginning upon reseeded or resodding and of duration as hereinbefore specified. Owner will assume risk for loss or damage due to beneficial occupancy of Project in any part, vandalism, damage by animals or fire, or losses due to curtailment of water by local authority, or due to "Acts of God" (floods, winds of 60 mph (100 kmph) or more, or heavy hail).

- C. Watering: Water turfed areas immediately after planting and thereafter as necessary to maintain adequate moisture for promotion of deep root growth. Water shall be applied in such a way that ruts will not be made in soil surface.
- D. Protection: Provide temporary protective fences, barriers, and signs where deemed necessary by Owner's Representative.
- E. Reseeding: When directed by Owner's Representative, reseed areas on which original seed has failed to grow. Reseeding shall be performed as specified herein for seeding, and in manner that will cause minimum disturbance to existing stand of grass.
- F. Remulching: When directed by Owner's Representative, remulch areas on which original mulch has eroded, washed, or blown off. Remulching shall be performed as specified herein for mulching, and in manner that will cause minimum disturbance to existing stand of grass.

3.07 ACCEPTANCE

- A. Final walkthrough acceptance of landscaping will be performed a minimum of 6 weeks after completion to ensure grass has taken.
- B. At time of inspection, turf shall exhibit healthy, vigorous growth, shall be uniform in color and quality, and shall be reasonably free of weeds, diseases, or other visible imperfections.
- C. At time of inspection, grassed area shall contain no bare spots greater than 2 sq ft (0.20 m²) in size.
- D. Any turf areas not accepted by Owner's Representative shall be replanted.
- E. Upon final acceptance of turf area, remove temporary fences, barriers, and signs installed for protection of that area. Contractor will be relieved of further responsibility for care and maintenance of accepted area.

END OF SECTION

- 1) Patrick M. Johnson
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PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Medium-voltage cable and related splices, terminations, and accessories for cables rated at or above 2001 volts and at or below 35 kV.

1.02 Quality assurance data:

- A. Pulling tension and side wall pressure calculations if requested by Engineer.
- B. Submit documented installer experience if requested by Engineer.

1.03 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit with Bid for each cable type supplied: List of recommended cable pulling lubricants.

1.04 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Shop Drawings: Detailed drawings and manufacturer information for accessories.

1.05 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Operation and maintenance manuals. Provide at a minimum:
 - 1. General description and technical data.
 - 2. List accessories supplied, listing manufacturer, model number and operating ranges.
 - 3. Receiving, storage, installation, and testing instructions.
 - 4. Complete documentation of inspections and tests performed, including logs, curves, and certificates.

1.06 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Installer qualifications: Installer shall have minimum of 10 years documented experience as an installer of medium-voltage electrical systems, medium-voltage cable, and medium-voltage terminations and splices.
- B. Regulatory requirements:
 - 1. Cables and accessories shall be in accordance with applicable standards
 - a. Armored and unarmored shielded power cable ICEA S-93-639 and NEMA WC74.
 - b. IEEE 383, ASTM B3 and B8, UL 1072.
 - c. NETA Acceptance Testing Specifications for Electrical Power Distribution Equipment and Systems.
 - d. AIEC CS6.
 - e. IEEE 48 and IEEE 386.
 - 2. Standards of foreign organizations shall not be used without written approval from Engineer.
- C. Testing services: Employ and pay for services of qualified independent testing agency to perform field quality control testing. Test equipment shall be calibrated within 3 months prior to cable test date. Certified test reports shall be furnished to Owner. Interpretation of test results with regards to compliance to this specification shall accompany test reports.

1.07 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Coordinate transportation with Owner and requirements of pertinent authorities.
- B. Cover and protect cable and accessories from damage during shipment.

- C. Dispose of nonreturnable reels. Return recyclable reels to cable manufacturer.
- D. Ensure reel lengths accommodate continuous pull lengths required. Splicing not allowed unless specifically shown on Drawings.
- E. Cable ends on cable reels shall be available for testing. Cable ends, whether exposed or concealed, shall be sealed with heat shrinkable caps. Cap sizes shall be as recommended by cap manufacturer for cable OD and insulation. Caps shall contain sufficient adhesive so shrinkage of cap during application result in formation of positive water seal capable of withstanding complete immersion or totally exposed storage over a period of several months without permitting entrance of moisture.
- F. Prepare detailed packing lists and shipping notification for items shipped.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

- A. Components may include, but are not limited to:
 - 1. Tape.
 - 2. Break out boots.
 - 3. Lugs and termination kits.
 - 4. Strain relief devices.
 - 5. Splices.
- B. Asbestos in any form is prohibited from cable, including fillers and binding tapes even if encapsulated or if asbestos fibers are impregnated with binder material.

2.02 SPLICING

- A. Splices not allowed unless specifically shown on Drawings.
- B. Splice kits: 3M "Cold Shrink" for shielded cable or as recommended by manufacturer for specific application.
- C. Use compression-type, 2-hole lugs with corrosion-resistant bolting material or compression barrel connectors.
- D. Shield shall be appropriately connected at splice to provide continuous shield for complete cable installation.

2.03 TERMINATIONS

- A. Design terminations for shielded cables and include shield ground strap. Only Class 1 terminations acceptable.
- B. Termination kits: 3M "Cold Shrink" silicon rubber; compression-type connectors and lugs. Field-verify lug type and arrangement with equipment configurations.

2.04 UNDERGROUND WARNING TAPE

- A. Use: Underground installation including direct-buried cable, direct-buried conduit and concrete-encased duct banks.
- B. Type and size: Permanent, vinyl; not less than 6" wide x 4 mils thick (150 mm wide x 0.102 mm thick).
- C. Compounded for permanent direct-burial service.

- D. Embedded continuous metallic strip or core.
- E. Printed legend shall indicate type of underground line.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 INSTALLATION

- A. Install in accordance with drawings, manufacturer's recommendations, IEEE 576 and Section 26 05 00.
- B. Perform pulling tension and side wall pressure calculations for each pull. If requested by Engineer, submit data verifying compliance with manufacturer's recommendations.
- C. Support cables in accordance with requirements of NEC.
- D. Direct-buried cables not allow.
- E. Place underground warning tape 6" to 12" (150 mm to 300 mm) above electrical lines.
- F. Install underground cables with minimum earth cover to final grade in accordance with NEC requirements.
- G. Terminations and shields.
 - 1. Install terminations at ends of conductors with standard kits. Comply with kit manufacturer's written instructions and with classes of terminations indicated.
 - 2. Provide break out boots for multiconductor cables.
 - 3. Connect shield ground strap to cable shield after cable passes through ground sensors. Route ground shield strap back through ground sensor to cancel effect of circulating currents.
 - 4. Connect shields to ground on both ends of cable. Connection of shield to a shield ground strap shall be with solder and mechanical clamp.
- H. Provide cable tagging including phase indication and cable number identification in accordance with Section 26 05 00.
- I. In manholes, handholes, pull boxes, junction boxes, and cable vaults, train cable through walls by longest route from entry and exit. Coil sufficient cable as noted on the drawings in the bottom of the vault for future termination by others. Support cables at intervals adequate to prevent sag.
- J. Install cable accessories in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations and as shown on Drawings.
- K. Use heat shrinkable caps for storing unused cable.

3.02 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Cable insulation test: Conductors with insulation rated 5,000 volts and above shall be given high-voltage dc insulation test (Hi-Pot).
 - 1. Ampacity of direct current testing equipment shall be at least 2,500 microamperes.
 - 2. Final test voltages and duration of test shall be in accordance with cable manufacturer's recommendations.
 - 3. Test procedures shall conform to IEEE STD 400.
 - 4. Competent personnel specializing in electrical cable testing shall perform tests.
 - 5. Perform test on completed cable installation. Perform test done after installation of termination kits and splice kits. Cable shall be isolated from equipment.

- B. If equipment or system fails to function properly, make necessary corrections, including replacement, at no cost to Owner, and after such corrections are completed, demonstrate to Engineer that equipment or system functions properly.

END OF SECTION

- 1) Philip E. Schulz
- 2) Eric M. Cole

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Substation equipment and hardware including switches and surge arresters.

1.02 WORK BY OTHERS

- A. Design and delivery of equipment.

1.03 RECEIVE, STORAGE AND HANDLING

- A. Receive, unloaded.
- B. Handle equipment to prevent damage, denting, or scoring during unloading and storage.
- C. Protect from weather, dirt, water, construction debris, and physical damage in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify site conditions.

3.02 INSTALLATION

- A. Install in accordance with manufacturer's installation instructions.

3.03 MANUFACTURER FIELD SERVICES

- A. Provide manufacturer's service representative to support installation and construction as required.

DATA SHEET SUBSTATION CHARACTERISTICS (APPLIES TO ALL DATA SHEETS)		Substation Name: Business Park III	
		REV. #	
DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SPEC DATA	VENDOR DATA
Voltages;			
High Voltage	kV	34.5	
Low Voltage	kV		
24 Hr. Avg. Ambient Design Temperature	°C	30	
Maximum Ambient Temperature	°C	40	
Minimum Ambient Temperature	°C	-30	
Site Elevation Above Sea Level	ft	Less than 3,300 ft	
Specific local Building Code and specific sections on seismic requirements used in equipment design	---	By Manufacturer	
Symmetrical short circuit current	kA	40	
Operating Frequency	Hz	60	

END OF SECTION

- 1) Philip E. Schulz
- 2) Seth G. Weiss

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Receive, and install:
 - 1. Substation steel structures required for mounting equipment located above ground or at foundation level.
 - 2. Substation bus system, including buses, connectors, insulators, and accessories.
 - 3. Anchor bolt assemblies for structures.
 - 4. Hardware and assemblies as required to install specified structures and equipment.
 - 5. Electrical connectors for equipment unless specified otherwise.
 - 6. Grounding for equipment mounted on structures.
 - 7. Switch operator grounding platforms.

1.02 WORK BY CONTRACTOR

- A. Receipt, unloading, and storage of structures, equipment, anchor bolts, and hardware.
- B. Erection and installation of structures including side and load side flexible bus connections to other equipment and lines.
- C. Install anchor bolts for structures and stands.
- D. Install substation equipment.

1.03 STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Handle structural steel with care to avoid bending or damage to coating system.
 - 1. Pieces or structures bent in handling may be used only if they can be straightened without injury to galvanizing or pieces or structures.
- B. During receipt and storage, handle equipment to prevent damage, denting, or scoring.
- C. Store equipment and components in clean, dry place. Protect from weather, dirt, water, construction debris, and physical damage in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

1.04 SITE CONDITIONS

- A. Environmental requirements shall be as determined for location indicated on Data Sheets.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 TOUCH-UP OF GALVANIZING

- A. Galvanizing damaged prior to or during shipment shall be regalvanized by painting with a zinc-rich paint containing either 65% to 69% metallic zinc by weight or a minimum of 92% metallic zinc by weight in dry film. Galvanizing damaged prior to or during shipment shall be regalvanized by painting with "Galvanox" Type 1 by Carboline-Subox Div., or equal.
- B. For damage not repairable by use of zinc-rich paints, zinc-rich solders shall be used in accordance with ASTM A780.
- C. Apply in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify Site conditions.

3.02 INSTALLATION

- A. Install in accordance with manufacturer's installation instructions.
- B. Handle and transport structural steel with care to avoid bending or damage to coating system.
- C. Pieces bent in handling may be used only if they can be straightened without injury to coating system.
- D. Material on which coating system has been damaged shall be returned to fabrication shop and repaired unless, in opinion of Owner's inspector, damage is local and can be repaired in the field in accordance with provisions of Specifications.
- E. Cost for repair of damage to steel, including coating system, that occurs prior to delivery to site shall be borne by supplier of structures.
- F. Structures shall be stored on cribbing off of the ground and in a manner that permits easy access for inspection.
- G. Hardware shall be shipped and stored in containers suitable for exterior storage.

3.03 ERECTION

- A. Erect plumb and level; introduce temporary bracing required to support erection loads.
- B. Plumb columns within a tolerance of AISC Code of Standard Practice for Steel Buildings and Bridges.
- C. Use light drifting necessary to draw holes together. Drifting to match unfair holes is not allowed. Use of twist drills to enlarge holes to make connections is only permitted for slip-critical connections and is subject to Engineer's review. If diameter of enlarged hole exceeds original bolt diameter by 1/4" (6.4 mm) or more, provide a larger bolt so final hole does not exceed bolt diameter by more than 3/16" (4.8 mm).
- D. Provide washers, install, and tighten high-strength bolts in accordance with "Specification for Structural Joints Using ASTM F3125 Grade A325 or A490," as approved by Research Council on Structural Connections of the Engineering Foundation, and published by AISC.
- E. Welding: AWS D1.1. Provide Engineer with proof of qualification of welders. Proof of qualification not required for tack welds or welds not carrying stress.
- F. Slings or other equipment used for picking up members or portions of structures shall be of such material or protected in such a way as not to cut into corners or edges of the members, damage the finish, or distort or overstress members. Use of chains is not permitted. Members or portions of structures shall be raised in such a manner that no dragging on the ground or against portions of structures already erected will occur.
- G. When portions of structures are being ground assembled, such assembly shall be on surfaces or blocking which will provide support to prevent distortion or damage to structure steel. All bolts shall be installed in all connections of ground assembled portions of the structures before erection.

- H. Mud, dirt, and other foreign matter shall be removed from the members before erection, with special attention given to cleaning the contact surfaces at joints before bolting up bolts and nuts. Power washing the structures not permitted.

3.04 INSPECTION OF BOLTED CONNECTIONS

- A. Verify appropriate test certificates have been furnished by manufacturer for bolts, nuts, and washers according to ASTM specification requirements.
- B. Verify certificate lot numbers coincide with lot numbers on containers at job site.
- C. Verify bolting crews are installing bolts in accordance with references specified.
- D. Verify bearing-type connection bolts are snug tight bringing all plies into contact.
- E. After installation and verification of all bolted connections, the nut and mounting steel shall be marked with a line to indicate the installed position of the nut. Marks shall be visible from the ground whenever possible. Red or white paint pen shall be used.

3.05 INSPECTION AND REPAIR OF WELDS

- A. Visually inspect all field welds.
- B. Repair welds shown by inspections or testing to have discontinuities that would reduce weld strength in accordance with AWS D1.1. Cost of reworking welds and follow-up inspections and tests shall be borne by Contractor.

DATA SHEETS STEEL STRUCTURES, BUSES AND INSULATORS		Equipment Name: xxxxxx	
		Tag No.: xxx-#####	REV. #
DESCRIPTION	UNITS	SPEC DATA	VENDOR DATA
Manufacturer	N/a		
Catalog/Serial No.	N/a		
System Data:			
Substation Name	---	Business Park	
Location	---	Geneva, IL	
Substation Voltage Levels			
High Voltage	kV	34.5	
Low Voltage	kV	12.47	
Ambient High Temperature	°C	40	
Minimum ambient temperature	°C	-30	
Altitude	Ft	Less than 3,300'	

END OF SECTION

- 1) Jason L. Varone
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PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Grounding system requirements providing protection of equipment and personnel.

1.02 SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

- A. Grounding system includes, but is not limited to, rods, cable, connectors and miscellaneous hardware and materials.
- B. Engineer will provide outline, arrangement, and detail drawings for grounding system.

1.03 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data:
 - 1. Final product data sheets for each type of component.
 - 2. Accessories list.
 - 3. Ratings and nameplate information.
 - 4. Special installation tools list.
- B. Quality assurance data:
 - 1. Certified shop test reports.
 - 2. Certified field installation data and reports.
 - 3. Manufacturer's installation information.
 - 4. Copies of component warranties.

1.04 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Manufacturer qualifications:
 - 1. Grounding assembly manufacturer shall be manufacturer of major components of ground system.
 - 2. Manufacturer shall be ISO certified.
 - 3. When requested by Engineer, provide acceptable list of similar equipment installations complying with this Specification.
- B. Regulatory requirements:
 - 1. Design, manufacture, and test ground system and accessories in accordance with applicable requirements of NFPA 70, IEEE STD 80, IEEE STD 81, IEEE STD 142, IEEE STD 837, and applicable state and local codes and regulations.
 - 2. Standards of foreign organizations shall not be used without written approval from Engineer.

1.05 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Prepare detailed packing lists and shipping notification for items shipped.
- B. During delivery and storage, handle equipment to prevent damage.
- C. Store equipment in clean, dry place. Protect from weather, dirt, water, construction debris, and physical damage in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

1.06 MAINTENANCE

- A. Grounding system shall not require maintenance after final installation, testing, and acceptance.
- B. Provide complete set of special tools as necessary for installation for each piece of equipment. Tools and their intended use shall be identified in assembly instructions.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

- A. FCI-Burndy
- B. Erico
- C. Galvan Industries
- D. Southern Grounding Products
- E. Harger Lightning & Grounding
- F. Thompson Lightning Protection, Inc.

2.02 MATERIALS

- A. Grounding materials shall be new and undamaged.
- B. Ground rods: Copper-clad steel not less than 3/4" (19 mm) in diameter and 10' (3 m) in length unless noted larger on Drawings. Ground rods shall be UL listed with not less than 10 mils of Copper cladding and stamped near top of rod to show manufacturer, diameter, and length with one end pointed to facilitate driving. If ground rod is longer than 10' (3 m), use sectional, threaded ground rods.
- C. Bare ground cable: Soft drawn copper in accordance with ASTM B3, Class B stranding, not less than No. 4/0 AWG (120 mm²) in accordance with ASTM B8.
- D. Insulated ground conductors shall have green colored insulation.
- E. Ground conductors shall be bare or have green colored insulation or marked with green colored tape or adhesive labels at each end and at every point where conductor is accessible.
- F. Connections shall be made using an exothermic welded process.
 - 1. Exothermic molds and weld metal shall be selected for connection and be made in strict accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
 - 2. Where compression type connections are used, provide tools and proper dies as recommended by manufacturer.
 - 3. Where flush ground plates are to be embedded in concrete, ground cable shall be exothermally welded to plate and plate firmly secured to concrete forms.
- G. Above-grade connections shall be provided as shown on Drawings.
- H. Above-grade clamps and other hardware used with grounding system shall be bronze or copper alloy.
- I. Above ground bolts, washers, and nuts shall be silicon bronze alloy or approved type of cadmium-plated steel.
- J. Connections to ground rods and ground cables to be buried in earth or concrete shall be suitable for direct burial and shall be identified for such use.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify Site conditions are acceptable for installation.
- B. Verify grounding system components are in good condition and undamaged.

3.02 INSTALLATION

- A. Install at locations shown on Drawings and in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.
- B. Coordinate interface installation with existing grounding systems.
- C. Connect electrical equipment to ground grid with ground conductor. Electrical equipment shall be designated as metallic structures including equipment mounted thereon, instrument transformers, surge arrestors, overhead shield wires, transformers, breakers, voltage regulators, enclosures, switchgear, raceways, junction boxes, outlet boxes, cabinets, machine frames, and other conductive items in close proximity with electrical circuits, operate continuously at ground potential, and provide low impedance path for possible ground fault currents.
- D. Install separate, green-insulated equipment grounding conductor in conduit with related phase and neutral conductor.
- E. Multiconductor power cables shall have dedicated grounding conductor integrated within cable construction.
- F. Ground medium-voltage cable shields at each end using cable termination shield grounding kits supplied with medium voltage terminations. Install in strict accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- G. Ground motors with ground conductor originating at ground lug in equipment where motor power is supplied and connected to motor frame inside motor terminal conduit box. Where motor has separately mounted starter or disconnect switch, ground conductor shall be bonded to starter and disconnect device enclosures and motor frame.
- H. Above-grade connections to permanent and removable equipment shall be exothermic-weld, bolted, or compression-connection type.
- I. Connections to exposed structural steel within buildings or plants shall be exothermic-welded type, unless noted otherwise. Connections to structural steel within substations shall be bolted type. Connections to galvanized steel shall be by bolting.
- J. Above-grade conductors:
 - 1. Install exposed conductors inconspicuously in vertical or horizontal positions on supporting structures.
 - 2. When located on irregular supporting surfaces or equipment, conductors shall run parallel to or normal to dominant surfaces.
 - 3. Conductors routed over concrete, steel, or equipment surfaces shall be kept in close contact with surfaces by using fasteners located at intervals not to exceed 3' (1 m).
- K. Conduits extending into equipment shall be grounded through grounding bushings in enclosure where terminated. Grounding bushings shall be wired together and connected internally to enclosure ground lug or ground bus with bare copper conductors.

- L. Conduits connected to metal enclosures shall be grounded to enclosure by either grounding bushing or double locknuts, with one conduit locknut on each side of enclosure, to provide continuous ground path back to source voltage. Provide grounding bushing for knockout holes in metal enclosures that are oversized, elongated, or deformed.
- M. Install ground conductor below grade around building perimeters, foundations, and equipment skids as indicated on Drawings. Repair or replace damaged ground system conductors.
- N. Exothermic welds shall encompass 100% of cable end being welded and shall resist moderate hammer blows.
- O. Connect building and pipe support columns to grid with No. 4/0 AWG (120 mm²) cable. Equipment skid frames, switchgear and motor control center ground bars, dry-type transformer cases, and other required solid grounds shall be connected to site grid by "stingers" extended from grid. Where indicated on Drawings, stingers shall be same diameter as ground cable. Provide 5' (1.5 m) of coiled cable above grade for equipment connection.
- P. Extend plant ground grid system to utility substation ground grid or adjacent grounding systems where indicated. Care shall be taken when exposing and connecting to existing grounding systems to maintain continuity and backfill correctly.
- Q. Excavate for grid conductor to depths of 18" (50 mm) minimum or as indicated on Drawings. Use special care for excavation near existing foundations and utilities. Excavate by hand in such areas. After installation of grid conductor, backfill with material from excavation, excluding large stones and organic material. Backfill around conductor completely, thoroughly tamping to provide good contact between earth and ground conductor.
- R. Install ground rods in firm soil outside of excavated areas. Drive top of rod to depth of 18" below grade as a minimum to match conductor depth, unless otherwise shown on Drawings. Use driving studs or other suitable means to prevent damage to threaded ends of sectional rods.
- S. Maximum resistance-to-ground of single driven ground rod shall not exceed 25 ohms. Maximum resistance-to-ground of ground grid system shall not exceed 2 ohms. If measured resistance exceeds above values, add rods and bond together to achieve desired resistance. Measurements shall be made and data recorded in presence of Owner's Representative.
- T. Install ground conductor near top and on each side of concrete encased duct bank. Connect duct bank ground conductor to plant grounding system. Install duct bank ground conductors through manhole walls to provide grounding for metallic noncurrent-carrying cable supports, metallic sheaths of cable, and enclosures. Metallic conduits within duct bank shall be provided with grounding bushings within manholes. Connect grounding bushings to grid conductor with minimum No. 8 AWG (10 mm²) conductor.

END OF SECTION

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