Solicitation 1712-207

Roof Reconstruction / Improvements for Jail

Bid Designation: Public



Williamson County, Texas

Bid 1712-207 Roof Reconstruction / Improvements for Jail

Bid Number 1712-207

Bid Title Roof Reconstruction / Improvements for Jail Expected Expenditure \$1,000,000.00 (This price is expected - not guaranteed)

Bid Start Date In Held

Bid End Date Feb 2, 2018 3:00:00 PM CST

Question & Answer

End Date

Jan 26, 2018 5:00:00 PM CST

Bid Contact Blake Skiles

Purchasing Specialist III

512-943-1478

blake.skiles@wilco.org

Contract Duration One Time Purchase
Contract Renewal Not Applicable

Prices Good for 365 days

Pre-Bid Conference Jan 17, 2018 2:00:00 PM CST

Attendance is optional Location: 901 S. Austin Ave. Georgetown, TX 78626

Bid Comments Williamson County seeks qualified roofing contractors to complete the roof improvements to the

Williamson County Jail / Sheriff's Office, located at 508 Rock St. Georgetown, Texas 78626.

Item Response Form

Item 1712-207--01-01 - Total Proposal Price

Quantity 1 each

Unit Price

Delivery Location Williamson County, Texas

No Location Specified

Qty 1

Description

Please enter your total proposal price here.

Item 1712-207--01-02 - Please Attach All Documents To This Line

Quantity 1 each

Prices are not requested for this item.

Delivery Location Williamson County, Texas

No Location Specified

Qty 1

DescriptionPlease Attach All Documents To This Line



PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT AND GENERAL INFORMATION

WILLIAMSON COUNTY PURCHASING DEPARTMENT SOLICITATION NUMBER 1712-207

Roof Reconstruction / Improvements for Jail

PROPOSALS MUST BE RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE: Feb 2, 2018 3:00:00 PM CST

PROPOSALS WILL BE PUBLICLY OPENED: Feb 2, 2018 3:00:00 PM CST

Notice is hereby given that Competitive Sealed Proposals for the above-mentioned construction services will be accepted by the Williamson County Purchasing Department. Williamson County uses BidSync to distribute and receive Proposals. Specifications for this RFCSP may be obtained by registering at www.bidsync.com.

Williamson County prefers and requests electronic submittal of this **Proposal.**

All electronic proposals must be submitted via: www.bidsync.com

Electronic Proposals are requested, however paper proposals will currently still be received, until further notice and may be mailed or delivered to the address listed below.

Respondents are strongly encouraged to carefully read this entire RFCSP.

All interested Respondents are invited to submit a Proposal in accordance with the Instructions and General Requirements, Proposal Format, Proposal Specifications, and Definitions, Terms and Conditions stated in this RFCSP.

Please note that a complete package must be submitted choosing one of the above two methods. Split packages where a partial submittal is received in paper and a partial submittal is received via BidSync will be considered "unresponsive" and will not be accepted or evaluated.

Williamson County will not accept any Proposals received after the submittal deadline, and shall return such Proposals unopened to the Respondent.

General Information:

 If mailed or delivered in person, Proposal and Proposal addenda are to be delivered in sealed envelope on or before the submittal deadline, as noted in the Public Announcement and General Information listed above for this RFCSP, to:

> Williamson County Purchasing Department Attn: **PROPOSAL NAME AND NUMBER** 901 South Austin Avenue Georgetown, Texas 78626

- Respondents should list the Proposal Number, Proposal Name, Name and Address of Respondent, and the Date of the Proposal opening on the outside of the box or envelope and note "Competitive Sealed Proposal Enclosed."
- o Respondent should submit one (1) original.
- Williamson County will NOT be responsible for unmarked or improperly marked envelopes.
- Williamson County will not accept any responsibility for Proposals being delivered by third party carriers.
- o Facsimile transmittals will NOT be accepted.
- Proposals will be opened publicly and the names of the offerors and any monetary Proposals made by the offerors, will be read aloud.
- All submitted questions with their answers will be posted and updated on www.bidsync.com.
- It is the Respondent's responsibility to review all documents in BidSync, including any Addenda that may have been added after the document packet was originally released and posted.
 - Any Addenda and/or other information relevant to the RFCSP will be posted on www.bidsync.com.
 - The Williamson County Purchasing Department takes no responsibility to ensure any interested Respondent has obtained any outstanding addenda or additional information.



<u>Williamson County – Request for Competitive Sealed</u> <u>Proposal (RFCSP)</u>

SECTION 1 - DEFINITIONS

Addendum/Addenda – means any written or graphic instruments issued by the County prior to the consideration of Proposals which modify or interpret the Proposal Documents by additions, deletions, clarifications, or corrections.

Agreement/Ensuing Agreement(s) – means the Successful Respondent may be required by the County to sign an additional Agreement containing terms necessary to ensure compliance with the RFCSP and the Respondent's Proposal. Such Ensuing Agreement(s) shall contain the Proposal specifications, terms and conditions that are derived from the RFCSP.

Contract – means this RFCSP and the Proposal of the Successful Respondent shall become a Contract between the Successful Respondent and the County once the Successful Respondent Proposal is properly accepted by the Williamson County Commissioners Court (sometimes referred to herein as the Commissioner's Court").

Commissioner's Court – means the Williamson County Commissioners Court.

County – means Williamson County, a political subdivision of the State of Texas.

Executive Summary – means the document submitted by Respondent that represents a concise summary of the contents of the Proposal. It does not include any information concerning costs.

Proposal Documents – means the Legal Notice, RFCSP including attachments, and any Addenda issued by the County prior to the consideration of any Proposals.

Proposal – means the complete, properly signed document, and ALL required forms and documentation listed in the proposal package which have been submitted in accordance with this RFCSP package. A Proposal submitted in accordance with this RFCSP is irrevocable during the specified time period for evaluation and acceptance of Proposals, unless a waiver is obtained from the Williamson County Purchasing Agent.

Respondent – means a person or entity who submits a Proposal in response to this RFCSP.

Request for Competitive Sealed Proposals (RFCSP) – means this document, together with the attachments thereto and any future Addenda issued by the County.

Successful Respondent – means the responsible Respondent who, in the County's sole opinion, submits the Proposal which is in the best interest of the County, taking into account factors identified herein, and to whom the County intends to award the Contract.

SECTION 2 - RESPONSE FORMAT AND SUBMISSION

2.1 INTRODUCTION

Each Proposal submitted in response to this RFCSP should clearly reference the numbered sections of this RFCSP that require a response. Failure to arrange the Proposal as requested may result in the disqualification of the Proposal.

Though there is not a page limit for Proposals, to save natural resources including paper, and to allow the County staff to efficiently evaluate all submitted Proposals, the County requests that Proposals be orderly, concise, but comprehensive in providing the requested information. Conciseness and clarity of content are emphasized and encouraged. If mailed or delivered in person, please limit additional, non requested information.

Please provide your Proposal response using:

- A. 8 ½" x 11" pages, inclusive of any cover letter or supporting materials.
- B. The least amount of plastic/laminate or other non-recyclable binding materials.
- C. Single-sided printing.

Vague and general Proposals will be considered non-responsive, and may, at the County's sole discretion, result in disqualification. Proposals must be legible and complete. Failure to provide the required information may result in the disqualification of the Proposal. All pages of the Proposal should be numbered and the Proposal should contain an organized, paginated table of contents corresponding to the sections and pages of the Proposal.

2.2 ORGANIZATION OF PROPOSAL CONTENTS AND TABLE OF CONTENTS

Each Proposal should be submitted with a table of contents that clearly identifies and denotes the location of all enclosures of the Proposal. The table of contents should follow the RFCSP's structure as much as is practical.

Each Proposal should be organized in the manner described below:

- A. Transmittal Letter. Please see Section 2.3, Transmittal Letter, for more information.
- B. Table of Contents.
- C. Executive Summary. Please see Section 2.4, Executive Summary.
- D. Proposal Response to Criteria. (Please see the sections in this RFCSP package that list the Specifications & Cost Proposal, Experience and Qualifications, References, and Implementation Strategy to respond to our criteria in a clear and concise manner)
- E. Price Sheet.
- F. References: Identification of three (3) references within the last four (4) years, for which the Respondent is providing, or has provided, the goods and/or services (public sector) of the type requested in this RFCSP. Include the name, position/title, and telephone number of a contact person at each entity.
- G. Conflict of Interest Questionnaire.

- H. Proposal Affidavit (Signature Page).
- Attach your entities sample Contract, if applicable, for the County's review and consideration. This should include any additional terms or conditions. The County is not required to use the sample Contract submitted.

2.3 TRANSMITTAL LETTER

The Respondent should submit a Transmittal Letter that provides the following information:

- A. Name and address of individual or business entity submitting the Proposal.
- B. Respondent's type of business entity (i.e., Corporation, General Partnership, Limited Partnership, LLC, etc.). See Section 3.5, Signature of Respondent, for more information.
- C. Place of incorporation or organization, if applicable.
- D. Name and location of major offices and other facilities that relate to the Respondent performance under the terms of this RFCSP.
- E. Name, physical address, email address, business and fax number of the Respondent's principal contact person regarding all contractual matters relating to this RFCSP.
- F. The Respondent's Federal Employer Identification Number.
- G. A commitment by the Respondent to provide the services required by the County;
- H. A statement that the Proposal is valid for the time specified on page three (3), under the section named *Prices Good for*, of this Proposal packet. Any Proposal containing a term of less than required amount, may at the County's sole discretion, be rejected as non-responsive.
- I. If the Proposal being submitted will have an effect on air quality for the County (as it relates to any state, federal, or voluntary air quality standard), then the Respondent is encouraged to provide information in narrative indicating the anticipated air quality impact. See Section 4.40, Air Quality for more information.

The Transmittal Letter should be signed by a person legally authorized to bind the Respondent to representations in the Transmittal Letter and the Proposal. In the case of a joint Proposal, each party must sign the Transmittal Letter.

2.4 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Respondent should provide an Executive Summary of its Proposal that asserts that the Respondent is providing in its response all of the requirements of this RFCSP. The Executive Summary should not include any information concerning the cost of the Proposal, but instead must represent a full and concise summary of the contents of the Proposal. It is recommended the Executive Summary include the following information:

A. Identify any goods and/or services that are provided beyond those specifically requested. If the Respondent is providing services and/or goods that do not meet the specific requirements of this RFCSP, but in the opinion of the Respondent are equivalent or superior to those specifically requested, any such differences should be noted in the Executive Summary. However, the Respondent must realize that failure to provide the goods and/or services specifically required, at the County's sole discretion, may result in disqualification of the Proposal.

- B. Indicate why the Respondent believes that it is the most qualified Respondent to provide the services described in this RFCSP. The Successful Respondent must demonstrate extensive experience and understanding of the intent of this project. The Respondent should describe in detail the current and historical experience the Respondent and its subcontractors have that would be relevant to completing the project. References must contain the name of key personnel and telephone numbers for each contact, as described in Section 3.14, References.
- C. Briefly state why the Respondent believes its proposed goods and/or services best meet County's needs and RFCSP requirements, and the Respondent also should concisely describe any additional features, aspects, or advantages of its goods and/or services in any relevant area not covered elsewhere in its Proposal.

2.5 CONFLICT OF INTEREST

No public official shall have interest in a contract, in accordance with Vernon's Texas Codes Annotated, Local Government Code, Title 5, Subtitle C, Chapter 171, as amended.

As of January 1, 2006, all Respondents are responsible for complying with Local Government Code, Title 5, Subtitle C, Chapter 176. Additional information may be obtained from the County's website at the following link:

http://www.wilco.org/CountyDepartments/Purchasing/ConflictofInterestDisclosure/tabid/689/language/en US/Default.aspx

Each Respondent must disclose any existing or potential conflict of interest relative to the performance of the requirements of this RFCSP. Examples of potential conflicts of interest may include an existing business or personal relationship between the Respondent, its principal, or any affiliate or subcontractor with the County or any other entity or person involved in any way with the project that is subject to this RFCSP. Similarly, any personal or business relationship between the Respondent, the principals, or any affiliate or subcontractor with any employee, or official of the County or its suppliers must be disclosed. Any such relationship that might be perceived or represented as a conflict must be disclosed. Failure to disclose any such relationship or reveal personal relationships with the County employees or officials may be cause for termination.

The County will decide if an actual or perceived conflict should result in Proposal disqualification.

By submitting a Proposal in response to this RFCSP, all Respondents affirm they have not given, nor intend to give, at any time hereafter, any economic opportunity, future employment, gift, loan, gratuity, special discount, trip, favor, or service to a County public servant or any employee, official or representative of same, in connection with this procurement.

Each Respondent must provide a Conflict of Interest Statement.

2.6 CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PARTIES – FORM 1295

As of January 1, 2016, all Respondents are responsible for complying with the Texas Government Code, Section 2252.908. The law states that the County may not enter into certain contracts with a Respondent unless the Respondent submits a disclosure of interested parties to the County at the time the Respondent submits the signed contract. The law applies only to a contract of the County on or after January 1, 2016 that either:

A. Requires an action or vote by the Commissioners Court before the contract may be signed (all contracts that fall under the jurisdiction of the Commissioners Court approval, such as contracts resulting from an Initiation for Bid (IFB), RFCSP, Request for Qualifications (RFQ), etc., excluding, but not limited to, certain Juvenile Service contracts, contracts funded with Sheriff

- seized fun monies, etc.); or
- B. Has a value of at least \$1,000,000.

By January 1, 2016, the Texas Ethics Commission will make available on its website, a new filing application that must be used to file Form 1295. Information regarding how to use the filing application is available on the Texas Ethics Commission website at the following link:

https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/whatsnew/elf_info_form1295.htm

A Respondent must:

- A. Use the online application to process the required information on Form 1295.
- B. Print a copy of the form which will contain a unique certification number.
- C. An authorized agent of the Respondent must sign the printed copy of the form.
- D. Have the form notarized.
- E. File the completed Form 1295 and certification of filing (scanning and emailing form is sufficient) with Williamson County Purchasing Agent at the time the signed Contract is submitted for approval.

After the Commissioners Court award of the contract, the County shall notify the Texas Ethics Commission, using the Texas Ethics Commission's filing application, of the receipt of the filed Form 1295 and certification of filing not later than the 30th day after the date the contract binds all parties to the contract. The Texas Ethics Commission will post the completed Form 1295 to its website within seven business days after receiving notice from the County.

2.7 PROPOSAL SUBMITTAL DEADLINE

The Proposal is due no later than the submittal date and time set forth in the Public Announcement and General Information listed in this RFCSP package. Contents of each Proposal shall be submitted in accordance with this RFCSP.

2.8 ETHICS

The Respondent shall not accept or offer gifts or anything of value, nor enter into any business arrangement with any employee, official or agent of the County.

2.9 DELIVERY OF PROPOSALS

The County uses BidSync to distribute and receive bids and Proposals. It is preferred that Proposals be submitted electronically through BidSync; however, Respondents can submit a hard copy.

Refer to www.bidsync.com_for further information on how to submit electronically.

If mailed or delivered in person, Proposal and Proposal Addenda are to be delivered in sealed envelope on or before the submittal deadline, as noted in the Public Announcement and General Information listed in this RFCSP package, to:

Williamson County Purchasing Department Attn: **Proposal Name and Number** 901 South Austin Avenue Georgetown, Texas 78626

Also, all Respondents should list their Name and Address, and the Date of the Proposal opening on a outside of the box or envelope and note "Competitive Sealed Proposal Enclosed." Williamson County will not accept any Proposals after the submittal deadline, and shall return such Proposals unopened to the Respondent. The County will not accept any responsibility for Proposals being delivered by third party carriers.

Proposals will be opened publicly and the names of the offerors and any monetary proposals made by the offerors, will be read aloud.

SECTION 3 - INSTRUCTIONS AND GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

3.1 INSTRUCTIONS

Read this document carefully, and follow all instructions and requirements. All Respondents are responsible for fulfilling all requirements and specifications. Be sure to have a clear understanding of this RFCSP.

General requirements apply to all advertised RFCSPs; however, these may be superseded, in whole or in part, by the proposal specifications, Addenda and modifications issued as a part of this RFCSP. Be sure your Proposal package is complete.

3.2 AMBIGUITY, CONFLICT, OR OTHER ERRORS IN THIS RFCSP

If a Respondent discovers any ambiguity, conflict, discrepancy, omission or other error in this RFCSP, the Respondent shall immediately notify the County Purchasing Department of such error in writing at request modification or clarification of the document.

Modifications will be made by issuing Addenda. If the Respondent fails to notify the County prior to a date and time fixed for submission of Proposals of an error or ambiguity in the RFCSP known to the Respondent, or an error or ambiguity that reasonably should have been known to the Respondent, then the Respondent shall be deemed to have waived the error or ambiguity or its later resolution.

The County may also modify the RFCSP, no later than forty-eight (48) hours prior to the date and me fixed for submission of Proposals, by issuance of an Addendum. All Addenda will be numbered consecutively, beginning with one (1).

3.3 NOTIFICATION OF MOST CURRENT ADDRESS

All Respondents in receipt of this RFCSP shall notify the Williamson County Purchasing Department any address changes, contact person changes, and/or telephone number changes no later than forty eight (48) hours prior to the date and time fixed for submission of Proposals.

3.4 SIGNATURE OF RESPONDENT

A Transmittal Letter, which shall be considered an integral part of the Proposal as stated in Section 2.3, Transmittal Letter, shall be signed by an individual who is authorized to bind the Respondent contractually.

- A. If the Respondent is a Corporation or Limited Liability Company, the legal name of the Corporation or Limited Liability Company shall be provided together with the signature of the officer or officers authorized to sign on behalf of such entity.
- B. If the Respondent is a General Partnership, the true name of the firm shall be provided with signature of each partner authorized to sign.
- C. If the Respondent is a Limited Partnership, the name of the Limited Partner's General Partner shall be provided with the signature of the officer authorized to sign on behalf of the General Partner.
- D. If the Respondent is a Sole Proprietor(s) (individual), each Sole Proprietor(s) shall sign.
- E. If signature is by an agent, other than the Sole Proprietor(s) or an officer of a Corporation, Limited Liability Company, General Partner or a member of a General Partnership, a power of attorney equivalent document must be submitted to the Williamson County Purchasing Department.

3.5 ASSUMED BUSINESS NAME

If the Respondent operates business under an Assumed Business Name, the Respondent must have file with the Williamson County Clerk a current Assumed Name Certificate and provide a file marked copy of same prior to contract award.

3.6 ECONOMY OF PRESENTATION

Proposals should not contain promotional or display materials, except as they may directly answer in whole or in part questions contained in the RFCSP. Such exhibits shall be clearly marked with the applicable reference number of the question in the RFCSP. Proposals must address the technical requirements as specified in the RFCSP. All questions posed by the RFCSP must be answered concisely and clearly. Proposals that do not address each criterion may be, at the sole discretion of the County, rejected and not considered.

3.7. REJECTION OR ACCEPTANCE

It is understood that the Commissioners Court of Williamson county, Texas, reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all proposals for any or all materials and/or services covered in the RFP, and to waive informalities or defects in the proposal or to accept such proposal it shall deem to be in the best interest of Williamson County.

3.8 PROPOSAL OBLIGATION

The contents of the RFCSP, Proposal, and any clarification thereof submitted by the Successful Respondent shall become part of the contractual obligation and incorporated by reference into the Contract and any Ensuing Agreement(s).

3.9 COMPLIANCE WITH RFCSP SPECIFICATIONS

It is intended that this RFCSP describe the requirements and the Proposal format in sufficient detail to secure comparable Proposal. Failure to comply with all provisions of the RFCSP may, at the sole discretion of the County, result in disqualification.

3.10 EVALUATION

The County reserves the right to use all pertinent information (also learned from sources other than disclosed in the RFCSP process) that might affect the County's judgment as to the appropriateness an award to the best evaluated Respondent. This information may be appended to the Proposal evaluation process results. Information on a Respondent from reliable sources, and not within the Respondent's Proposal, may also be noted and made part of the evaluation file. The County shall have sole discretion for determining the reliability of the source. The County reserves the right to conduct written and/or oral discussions/interviews after the Proposal opening. The purpose of such discussions/interviews is to provide clarification and/or additional information to make an award that is in the best interest of the County.

3.11 WITHDRAWAL OF PROPOSAL

The Respondent may withdraw its Proposal by submitting a written request with the company letterhead and the signature of an authorized individual, as described in Section 3.4, Signature of Respondent, to the Williamson County Purchasing Department any time prior to the submission deadline.

The Respondent may submit a new Proposal prior to the deadline. Alterations of the Proposal in any manner will not be considered if submitted after the deadline. Withdrawal of a Proposal after the deadline will be subject to written approval of the Williamson County Purchasing Agent.

3.12 RESPONSIBILITY

It is expected that a Respondent will be able to affirmatively demonstrate responsibility. A prospective Respondent should be able to meet the following requirements:

- A. Have adequate financial resources, or the ability to obtain such resources as required;
- B. Be able to comply with the required or proposed delivery schedule;
- C. Have a satisfactory record of performance that can be determined thru references provided; and
- D. Be otherwise qualified and eligible to receive an award.

The County may request representation and other information sufficient to determine the Respondent ability to meet these minimum standards listed above.

3.13 PURCHASE ORDERS

If required by the Williamson County Purchasing Department, a purchase order(s) may be generated to the Successful Respondent for goods and/or services. If a purchase order is issued, the purchase order number must appear on all itemized invoices and/or requests for payment.

3.14 SILENCE OF SPECIFICATIONS

The apparent silence of any RFCSP specifications as to any detail or to the apparent omission from it of a detailed description concerning any point, shall be regarded as meaning that only the best practices are to prevail. All interpretations of these specifications shall be made on the basis of this statement.

3.15 REFERENCES

Respondents shall furnish a list of contracts where similar responsibilities and goods and/or services have been required and/or performed for the past five (5) years, to include names, titles, phone numbers and email addresses of reference contacts, contract numbers and dates of performance.

Also, Respondents shall include a list of any contracts that have been cancelled or terminated within the last five (5) years, along with an explanation of the cancellation and the names, email address and phone number of a reference person with that institution.

The County may contact some or all of the references in order to determine the Respondent performance record on work similar to that described in this RFCSP. The County reserves the right to contact references other than those provided in the response and to use the information gained from them in the evaluation process.

References should be provided in accordance with this RFCSP. Proposal may not be deemed complete without the inclusion of requested references.

SECTION 4 - TERMS AND CONDITIONS

4.1 VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The Respondent hereby agrees and acknowledges that venue and jurisdiction of any suit, right, or cause of action arising out of or in connection with this RFCSP, the Contract and any Ensuing Agreement(s), shall lie exclusively in either Williamson County, Texas or in the Austin Division of the Western Federal District of Texas, and the parties hereto expressly consent and submit to such jurisdiction. Furthermore, except to the extent that this RFCSP, the Contract and any Ensuing Agreement(s) is governed by the laws of the United States, this RFCSP, the Contract and any Ensuing Agreement(s) shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas, excluding, however, its choice of law rules.

4.2 INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE AND PRECEDENCE

- A. The Contract shall be derived from the RFCSP and its Addenda (if applicable), and the Respondent's Proposal. In the event of a dispute under the Contract, applicable documents will be referred to for the purpose of clarification or for additional detail in the following order of precedence:
 - 1. The RFCSP and its Addenda (if applicable); and
 - 2. The Respondent's Proposal.
- B. In the event the County requires that an Ensuing Agreement be executed following award and a dispute arises between the terms and conditions of the Ensuing Agreement, the RFCSP and its Addenda (if applicable), and the Respondent's Proposal, applicable documents will be referred to for the purpose of clarification or for additional detail in the following order of precedence:
 - 1. The terms and conditions of the Ensuing Agreement;
 - 2. The RFCSP and its Addenda; and
 - 3. The Respondent's Proposal.

4.3 OWNERSHIP OF PROPOSAL

Each Proposal shall become the property of the County upon submittal and will not be returned to Respondents unless received after the submittal deadline.

4.4 DISQUALIFICATION OF RESPONDENT

Upon signing and submittal of the Proposal, a Respondent offering to sell supplies, materials, services, or equipment to the County, certifies that the Respondent has not violated the antitrust laws of the State of Texas codified in Business & Commerce Code, Section 15.01, or the Federal Antitrust Laws, and has not communicated directly or indirectly the offer made to any competitor or any other person engaged such line of business. Any or all Proposals may be rejected if the County believes that collusion exists among the Respondents.

4.5 FUNDING

The County intends to budget and make sufficient funds available and authorize funds for expenditure to finance the costs of the Contract. All Respondents understand and agree that the County's payment of amounts under the Contract shall be contingent on the County receiving appropriations or other expenditure authority sufficient to allow the County, in the exercise of reasonable administrative discretion, to make payments under this Contract.

A. ASSIGNMENT, SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS

The Successful Respondent may not assign, sell, or otherwise transfer the Contract or any other rights or interests obtained under the Contract without written permission of the Williamson County the Commissioners Court. The Contract and any Ensuing Agreement(s) shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the contracting parties hereto and their respective successors and permitted assigns.

4.6 IMPLIED REQUIREMENTS

Products or services not specifically described or required in the RFCSP, but are necessary to provide the functional capabilities described by the Respondent, shall be implied and deemed to be included in the Proposal.

4.7 TERMINATION

- A. Termination for Cause: The County reserves the right to terminate the Contract and/or any Ensuing Agreement(s) for default if the Successful Respondent breaches any of the Proposal specifications, terms and conditions, including warranties of the Respondent, if any, or if the Successful Respondent becomes insolvent or commits acts of bankruptcy. Such right of termination is in addition to and not in lieu of any other remedies the County may have at law or equity or as may otherwise be provided hereunder. Default may be construed as, but not limited to, failure to deliver the proper goods and/or services within the proper amount of time, and/or to properly perform any and all other requirements to the County's satisfaction, and/or to meet all other obligations and requirements.
- **B.** Termination for Convenience: The County may terminate the Contract and/or any Ensuing Agreement(s) for convenience and without cause or further liability, upon no less than thirty (30) calendar days written notice to the Successful Respondent. The County reserves the right to extend this period if it is in the best interest of the County. In the event the County exercises its right to terminate without cause, it is understood and agreed that only the amounts due to the Successful Respondent for goods, commodities and/or services provided and expenses incurred to and including the date of termination, will be due and payable. No penalty will be assessed for the County's termination for convenience.

4.8 NON-PERFORMANCE

It is the objective of the County to obtain complete and satisfactory performance of the requirements set forth herein. In addition to any other remedies available at law, in equity or that may be set out herein, failure to perform may result in a deduction of payment equal to the amount of the goods and/or services that were not provided and/or performed to the County's satisfaction.

In the event of such non-performance, the County shall have the right, but shall not be obligated, to complete the services itself or by others and/or purchase the goods from other sources. If the County elects to acquire the goods or perform the services itself or by others, pursuant to the foregoing, the Successful Respondent shall reimburse the County, within ten (10) calendar days of demand, for all costs incurred by the County (including, without limitation, applicable, general, and administrative expenses, and field overhead, and the cost of necessary equipment, materials, and field labor) in correcting the nonperformance which the Successful Respondent fails to meet pursuant to the requirements set out herein. In the event the Successful Respondent refuses to reimburse the County as set out in this provision, the County shall have the right to deduct such reimbursement amounts from any amounts that may be then owing or that may become owing in the future to the Successful Respondent.

4.9 PROPRIETARY INFORMATION AND THE TEXAS PUBLIC INFORMATION ACT

All material submitted to the County shall become public property and subject to the Texas Public Information Act upon receipt. If a Respondent does not desire proprietary information in the Proposal to be disclosed, each page must be clearly identified and marked proprietary at time of submittal or, more preferably, all proprietary information may be placed in a folder or appendix and be clearly identified marked as being proprietary. Failure to clearly identify and mark information as being proprietary as set forth under this provision will result in all unmarked information being deemed non-proprietary and available to the public. For all information that has not been clearly identified and marked as proprietary by the Respondent, the County may choose to place such information on the County's website and/or a similar public database without obtaining any type of prior consent from the Respondent.

The County will, to the extent allowed by law, endeavor to protect from public disclosure the information that has been identified and marked as proprietary. The final decision as to what information must be disclosed, however, lies with the Texas Attorney General.

To the extent, if any, that any provision in this RFCSP or in the Respondent's Proposal is in conflict with Texas Government Code, Chapter 552, as amended (the "Public Information Act"), the same shall be of no force or effect. Furthermore, it is expressly understood, and agreed, that the County, and its officers and employees, may request advice, decisions and opinions of the Attorney General of the State of Texas in regard to the application of the Public Information Act to any items or data furnished to the County as to whether or not the same are available to the public. It is further understood that that the County, and its officers and employees, shall have the right to rely on the advice, decisions and opinions of the Attorney General, and that the County, its officers and employees shall have no liability or obligation to any party hereto for the disclosure to the public, or to any person or persons, of any items or data furnished to the County by a party hereto, in reliance of any advice, decision or opinion of the Attorney General of the State of Texas.

4.10 RIGHT TO AUDIT

The Successful Respondent agrees that the County or its duly authorized representatives shall, until the expiration of three (3) years after termination or expiration of the services to be performed, have access to and the right to examine and photocopy any and all books, documents, papers and records of the Successful Respondent, which are directly pertinent to the services to be performed or goods to delivered for the purposes of making audits, examinations, excerpts and transcriptions. The Successful Respondent agrees that the County shall have access during normal working hours to all necessary facilities and shall be provided adequate and appropriate work space in order to conduct audits in compliance with the provisions of this section. The County shall give the Successful Respondent reasonable advance notice of intended audits.

4.11 TESTING AND INSPECTIONS

The County reserves the right to inspect and test equipment, supplies, materials and goods for quality and compliance with this RFCSP, and ability to meet the needs of the user. Demonstration units must be available for review. Should the goods or services fail to meet requirements and/or be unavailable for evaluation, the County can deem the Respondent to be in breach and terminate the Contract and/or any Ensuing Agreement(s).

4.12 PROPOSAL PREPARATION COSTS

The cost of developing Proposals is the sole responsibility of the Respondents and shall not be charged to the County. There is no expressed or implied obligation for the County to reimburse the Respondents for any expense incurred in preparing a Proposal in response to this RFCSP and the County will not reimburse the Respondents for such expenses.

4.13 INDEMNIFICATION

The Successful Respondent shall indemnify, defend and save harmless, the County, its officials, employees, agents and agent's employees from, and against, all claims, liability, and expenses including reasonable attorneys' fees, arising from activities of the Respondent, its agents, servants or employees, performed hereunder that result from the negligent act, error, or omission of the Respondent or any of the Respondent's agents, servants or employees, as well as all claims of loss or damage to the Respondent's and the County's property, equipment, and/or supplies.

Furthermore, the County, its officials, employees, agents and agents' employees shall not be liable for damages to the Successful Respondent arising from any act of any third party, including, but not limited to, theft. The Successful Respondent further agrees to indemnify, defend and save harmless, the County from its officials, employee, agents and agents' employees against all claims of whatever nature arising from any accident, injury, or damage whatsoever, caused to any person, or the property of any person, occurring in relation to the Successful Respondent's performance of any services requested hereunder during the term of the Contract and/or any Ensuing Agreement(s).

The Successful Respondent shall timely report all claims, demands, suits, actions, proceedings, liens or judgements to the County and shall, upon the receipt of any claim, demand, suit, action, proceeding, lien or judgement, not later than the fifteenth (15th) day of each month; provide the County with a written report on each such matter, setting forth the status of each matter, the schedule or planned proceedings with respect to each matter and the cooperation or assistance, if any, of the County required by the Successful Respondent in the defense of each matter. The Successful Respondent's duty to defend, indemnify and hold the County harmless shall be absolute. It shall not abate or end by reason of the expiration or termination of the Contract and/or any Ensuing Agreement(s), unless otherwise agreed by the County in writing. The provisions of this section shall survive the termination of the Contract and shall remain in full force and effect with respect to all such matters no matter when they arise.

In the event of any dispute between the parties, as to whether a claim, demand, suit, action, proceeding, lien or judgement, that appears to have been caused by or appears to have arisen out of or in connection with acts or omissions of the County, the Respondent shall nevertheless fully defend such claim, demand, suit or action, proceeding, lien or judgement, until and unless there is a determination by a court of competent jurisdiction that the acts and omissions of the Respondent are not an issue in the matter.

The Successful Respondent's indemnification shall cover, and the Successful Respondent agrees to, indemnify the County, in the event the County is found to have been negligent for having selected the Successful Respondent to perform the work described in this request. The provision by the Successful Respondent of insurance shall not limit the liability of the Successful Respondent under the Contract and/or any Ensuing Agreement(s).

4.14 WAIVER OF SUBROGATION

The Successful Respondent and the Successful Respondent's insurance carrier waive any and all rights whatsoever with regard to subrogation against the County as an indirect party to any suit arising out of personal or property damages resulting from the Respondent's performance under this Contract and any Ensuing Agreement(s).

4.15 RELATIONSHIP OF THE PARTIES

The Successful Respondent shall be an independent contractor and shall assume all of the rights, obligations, liabilities, applicable to it as such independent contractor hereunder and any provisions herein which may appear to give the County the right to direct the Successful Respondent as to details of doing work herein covered, or to exercise a measure of control over the work, shall be deemed to mean that the Successful Respondent shall follow the desires of the County in the results of the work only. The County shall not retain or have the right to control the Successful Respondent's means, methods or details pertaining to the Successful Respondent's performance of the work. The County and the Successful Respondent hereby agree and declare that the Successful Respondent is an independent contractor and as such meets the qualifications of an "Independent Contractor" under Texas Workers Compensation Act, Texas Labor Code, Section 406.141, that the Successful Respondent is not an employee of the County, and that the Successful Respondent and its employees, agents and subcontractors shall not be entitled to workers compensation coverage or any other type of insurance coverage held by the County.

4.16 SOLE PROVIDER

The Successful Respondent agrees and acknowledges that it shall not be considered a sole provider of the goods and/or services described herein and that the County may contract with other providers of such goods and/or services if the County deems, at its sole discretion, that multiple providers of the same goods and/or services will serve the best interest of the County.

4.17 FORCE MAJEURE

If the party obligated to perform is prevented from performance by an act of war, order of legal authority, act of God, or other unavoidable cause not attributable to the fault or negligence of said party, the other party shall grant such party relief from the performance. The burden of proof for the need of such relief shall rest upon the party obligated to perform. To obtain release based on force majeure, the party obligated to perform shall file a written request with the other party.

4.18 SEVERABILITY

If any provision of this RFCSP, the Contract or any Ensuing Agreement(s) shall be held invalid or unenforceable by any court of competent jurisdiction, such holding shall not invalidate or render unenforceable any other provision thereof, but rather the entire RFCSP, Contract or any Ensuing Agreement(s) will be construed as if not containing the particular invalid or unenforceable provision or provisions, and the rights and obligation of the parties shall be construed and enforced in accordance therewith. The parties acknowledge that if any provision of this RFCSP, the Contract or any Ensuing Agreement(s) is determined to be invalid or unenforceable, it is the desire and intention of each that such provision be reformed and construed in such a manner that it will, to the maximum extent practicable, give effect to the intent of this RFCSP, the Contract or any Ensuing Agreement(s) and be deemed to be validated and enforceable.

4.19 EQUAL OPPORTUNITY

Neither party shall discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, sex, religion or national origin.

4.20 NOTICE

Any notice to be given shall be in writing and may be distributed by personal delivery, or by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested, addressed to the proper party, at the following address:

The County: Williamson County Purchasing Department

Attn: Purchasing Agent 901 South Austin Avenue Georgetown, Texas 78626

The Respondent: Address set out in Respondent's Transmittal Letter

Notices given in accordance with this provision shall be effective upon (1) receipt by the party to which notice is given, or (2) on the third (3rd) calendar day following mailing, whichever occurs first.

4.21 SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION

The County is a body, corporate and politic, under the laws of the State of Texas and claims exemption from sales and use taxes under Texas Tax Code, Section 151.309, as amended, and the services and/or goods subject hereof are being secured for use by the County.

4.22 COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS

The County and the Successful Respondent shall comply with all federal, state, and local laws, statutes, ordinances, rules and regulations, and the orders and decrees of any courts or administrative bodies or tribunals in any matter affecting the performance of the Contract and any Ensuing Agreement(s), including, without limitation, Workers' Compensation laws, salary and wage statutes and regulations, licensing laws and regulations. When required, the Successful Respondent shall furnish the County with certification of compliance with said laws, statues, ordinances, rules, regulations, orders, and decrees above specified.

4.23 INCORPORATION OF EXHIBITS, APPENDICES AND ATTACHMENTS

All of the Exhibits, Appendices and Attachments referred to herein are incorporated by reference as if set forth verbatim herein. Any conflicting terms in the Contract documents will be resolved at the sole discretion of the Commissioners Court.

4.24 NO WAIVER OF IMMUNITIES

Nothing herein shall be deemed to waive, modify or amend any legal defense available at law or in equity to the County, its past or present officers, employees, or agents, nor to create any legal rights or claim on behalf of any third party. The County does not waive, modify, or alter to any extent whatsoever the availability of the defense of governmental immunity under the laws of the State of Texas and of the United States.

4.25 NO WAIVER

The failure or delay of any party to enforce at any time or any period of time any of the provisions of this RFCSP, the Contract or any Ensuing Agreement(s) shall not constitute a present or future waiver of such provisions nor the right of either party to enforce each and every provision. Furthermore, no term or provision hereof shall be deemed waived and no breach excused unless such waiver or consent shall be in writing and signed by the party claimed to have waived or consented. Any consent by any party to, or waiver of, a breach by the other, whether expressed or implied, shall not constitute a consent to, waiver of or excuse for any other, different or subsequent breach.

4.26 CURRENT REVENUES

The obligations of the parties under the Contract and any Ensuing Agreement(s) do not constitute a general obligation or indebtedness of the County for which the County is obligated to levy, pledge, or collect any of taxation. It is understood and agreed that the County shall have the right to terminate the Contract and any Ensuing Agreement(s) at the end of any the County fiscal year if the governing body of the County does not appropriate sufficient funds as determined by the County's budget for the fiscal year in question. The County may effect such termination by giving written notice of termination to Successful Respondent at the end of its then-current fiscal year.

4.27 BINDING EFFECT

This Contract and any Ensuing Agreement(s) shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties and their respective permitted assigns and successors.

4.28 SAFETY

The Successful Respondent is responsible for initiating, maintaining, and supervising all safety precautions and programs in connection with any services to be provided hereunder. The safety program shall comply with all applicable requirements of the current federal Occupational Safety and Health Act and all other applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations.

4.29 GENERAL OBLIGATIONS AND RELIANCE

The Successful Respondent shall perform all services and/or provide all goods, as well as those reasonably inferable and necessary for completion and provision of services and/or goods required hereunder. The Successful Respondent shall keep the County informed of the progress and quality the services. The Successful Respondent agrees and acknowledges that the County is relying on the Successful Respondent's represented expertise and ability to provide the goods and/or services described herein. The Successful Respondent agrees to use its best efforts, skill, judgment, and abilities to perform its obligations in accordance with the highest standards used in the profession and to further the interests of the County in accordance with the County's requirements and procedures. The Successful Respondent's duties, as set forth herein, shall at no time be in any way diminished by reason of any approval by the County, nor shall the Successful Respondent be released from any liability reason of such approval by the County, it being understood that the County at all times is ultimately relying upon the Successful Respondent's skill and knowledge in performing the services and providing any goods required hereunder.

4.30 CONTRACTUAL DEVELOPMENT

The Commissioners Court may award the Contract on the basis of the initial Proposals received, without any further or additional discussions. Therefore, each initial Proposal should contain the Respondent best terms and offer. The contents of the RFCSP and the selected Proposal will become an integral part of the Contract, but may be modified, at Williamson County's sole discretion, by provisions of an Ensuing Agreement. Therefore, the Respondent must agree to inclusion in an Ensuing Agreement of Proposal specifications, terms and conditions of this RFCSP. Williamson County and its architect or engineer may discuss with the Successful Respondent options for a scope or time modification and any price change associated with the modification. In the event such discussions are conducted and Williamson County and the Successful Respondent cannot agree to scope or time modifications and any price change associated with such modifications, County may still opt to contract with the Successful Respondent based on selected Respondent's original Proposal to the RFCSP.

The Successful Respondent shall be required to execute a formal contract at Williamson County offices in Georgetown, Texas within ten (10) days after the award. Said contract shall be in the same form as the Agreement Between Owner and Contractor which begins on the following page. The only anticipated changes in the contract will be to include additional exhibits, to fill in blanks to identify the contractor, and terms relating to the compensation, or to revise the contract to accommodate corrections, changes in the scope of services, or changes pursuant to addenda issued. Respondents should raise any questions regarding the terms of the contract, or submit requested changes in said terms, in the form of written questions or submittals. Because the signed contract will be substantively and substantially derived from the attached contract, each Respondent is urged to seek independent legal counsel as to any questions about the terms, conditions or provisions contained in the attached contract before submitting a Proposal. Again, the attached contract contains important legal provisions and is considered part and parcel of this RFCSP. Failure or refusal to sign aforesaid contract shall be grounds for Williamson County to revoke any award which has been issued, forfeit security, if applicable, and select another Respondent.

4.31 ENTIRE AGREEMENT

The Contract and any Ensuing Agreement(s) shall supersede all prior Agreements, written or oral between the Successful Respondent and the County and shall constitute the entire Agreement and understanding between the parties with respect to the services and/or goods to be provided. Each of the provisions herein shall be binding upon the parties and may not be waived, modified, amended or altered, except by writing signed by the Successful Respondent and the County.

4.32 SURVIVABILITY

All applicable agreements that were entered into between the Successful Respondent and the County, under the terms and conditions of the Contract and/or any Ensuing Agreement(s), shall survive the expiration or termination thereof for ninety (90) days unless a new contract has been awarded.

The County may exercise, by written notice to the Successful Respondent no later than ten (10) calendar days of the Contract expiration, this clause for emergency cases only.

4.33 PAYMENT

The County's payment for goods and services shall be governed by the Texas Government Code, Chapter 2251. An invoice shall be deemed overdue the thirty-first (31 st) day after the later of the following:

- A. The date the County receives the goods under the Contract;
- B. The date the performance of the service under the Contract is completed; or
- C. The date the Williamson County Auditor receives an invoice for the goods or services.

Interest charges for any overdue payments shall be paid by the County in accordance with Texas Government Code, Section 2251.025. More specifically, the rate of interest that shall accrue on a late payment is the rate in effect on September 1 of the County's fiscal year in which the payment becomes due. The said rate in effect on September 1 shall be equal to the sum of one (1) percent and the prime rate published in the Wall Street Journal on the first (1st) day of July of the preceding fiscal year that does not fall on a Saturday or Sunday.

In the event that an error appears in an invoice submitted by the Successful Respondent, the County shall notify the Successful Respondent of the error not later than the twenty-first (21st) day after the date the County receives the invoice. If the error is resolved in favor of the Successful Respondent, the Successful Respondent shall be entitled to receive interest on the unpaid balance of the invoice submitted by the Successful Respondent beginning on the date that the payment for the invoice became overdue. If the error is resolved in favor of the County, the Successful Respondent shall submit a corrected invoice that must be paid in accordance within the time set forth above. The unpaid balance accrues interest as provided by the Texas Government Code, Chapter 2251, if the corrected invoice is not paid by the appropriate date.

As a minimum, invoices shall include:

- A. Name, address, and telephone number of the Successful Respondent and similar information in the event the payment is to be made to a different address.
- B. The County Contract, Purchase Order.
- C. Identification of items or service as outlined in the Contract.
- D. Quantity or quantities, applicable unit prices, total prices and total amount.
- E. Any additional payment information which may be called for by the Contract.

Payment inquiries should be directed to the following address:

Williamson County Auditor's Office, Accounts Payable Department

Email: accountspayable@wilco.org

Phone: 512-943-1500

4.34 CONTRACTUAL FORMATION AND ENSUING AGREEMENT

The RFCSP and the Respondent's Proposal, when properly accepted by the Commissioners Court, shall constitute a Contract equally binding between the Successful Respondent and the County. The Successful Respondent may be required by Williamson County to sign an additional Agreement containing terms necessary to ensure compliance with the RFCSP and Respondent's Proposal.

4.35 LEGAL LIABILITY INFORMATION

The Successful Respondent shall disclose all legal liability information by listing any pending litigation anticipated litigation that your firm is involved in including, but not limited to, potential or actual matters with private parties and any local, state, federal or international governmental entities. The County reserves the right to consider legal liability information in the recommendation of any proposed contract to the Commissioners Court.

4.36 CONFIDENTIALITY

Respondent expressly agrees that it will not use any direct or incidental confidential information that may be obtained while working in a governmental setting for its own benefit, and agrees that it will not access unauthorized areas or confidential information and it will not disclose any information to unauthorized third parties, and will take care to guard the security of the information at all times.

4.37 INCLEMENT WEATHER

In case of inclement weather or any other unforeseen event causing the County to close for business on the date of a Proposal submission deadline, the Proposal closing will automatically be postponed until the next business day the County is open. If inclement weather conditions or any other unforeseen event causes delays in carrier service operations, the County may issue an Addendum to all known Respondents interested in the project to extend the deadline. It will be the responsibility of the Respondent to notify the County of their interest in the project if these conditions are impacting their ability to turn in a submission within the stated deadline. The County reserves the right to make the final judgement call to extend any deadline.

4.38 AIR QUALITY

In determining the overall best Proposal, the County may, to the extent applicable, exercise the option granted to local governments under the Texas Local Government Code, Section 271.907.

This option allows the County to evaluate Proposals and give preference to goods and/or services of Respondent that demonstrates that the Respondent meets or exceeds any and all state or federal environmental standards, including voluntary standards, relating to air quality. If the Proposal being submitted will have an effect on air quality for the County (as it relates to any state, federal, or voluntary air quality standard), then the Respondent is encouraged to provide information in narrative indicating anticipated air quality impact. All Respondents are expected to meet all mandated state and federal air quality standards.

4.39 COOPERATIVE PURCHASING PROGRAM

During the term of the Contract resulting from this RFCSP, the County would like to afford the same prices, terms and conditions to other political subdivisions or public entities. Another entity's participation in the Contract resulting from this RFCSP is subject to a properly authorized Purchasing Cooperative Inter-local Agreement (ILA) with the County. Any liability created by purchase orders issued against the Contract shall be the sole responsibility of the governmental agency placing the order.

4.40 PREVAILING WAGE RATES

To the extent this procurement is for the construction of a public work, including a building, highway, road, excavation, and repair work or other project development or improvement, paid for in whole or in part from public funds, without regard to whether the work is done under public supervision or direction, Texas Government Code, Chapter 2258, shall apply and the contractor shall pay not less than the wage scale of the various classes of labor as shown on the "Prevailing Wage Schedule" provided by the County. Pursuant to Texas Government Code, Section 2258.022(a)(2), the County has determined the general prevailing rate of the "Prevailing Wage Schedule" in the locality in which the public work is to be performed for each craft or type of worker needed to execute the contract and the prevailing rate for legal holiday and overtime work by using the prevailing wage rate as determined by the United States Department of Labor in accordance with the United States Code, Section 276a (Davis-Bacon Act).

The specified wage rates are minimum rates only, and are not representations that qualified labor adequate to perform the work is available locally at the prevailing wage rates. The County is not bound to pay—and will not consider—any claims for additional compensation made by any contractor because the contractor pays wages in excess of the applicable minimum rate contained in the Contract Documents. The "Prevailing Wage Schedule" is not a representation that quantities of qualified labor adequate to perform the work may be found locally at the specified wage rates.

For classifications not shown, workers shall not be paid less than the wage indicated for laborers. The contractor shall notify each worker commencing work on the project the worker's job classification and the established minimum wage rate required to be paid, as well as the actual amount being paid. The notice must be delivered to and signed in acknowledgement of receipt by the employee and must list both the monetary wages and fringe benefits to be paid or furnished for each classification in which the worker is assigned duties. When requested by the County, competent evidence of compliance with the Texas Prevailing Wage Law shall be furnished by contractor. A copy of each worker wage rate notification shall be submitted to the County with the Application for Payment for the period during which the worker began on-site activities.

Should the contractor at any time become aware that a particular skill or trade not reflected on the County's "Prevailing Wage Schedule" will be or is being employed in the work, whether by the contractor or by a subcontractor, the contractor shall promptly inform the County and shall specify a wage rate for that skill or trade, which shall bind the contractor.

The contractor and any subcontractor shall pay to the County a penalty of sixty dollars (\$60.00) for each worker employed for each calendar day, or portion thereof, that the worker is paid less than the wage rates stipulated in the "Prevailing Wage Schedule" or any supplement thereto. The contractor and each subcontractor shall keep, or cause to be kept, an accurate record showing the names and occupations of all workers employed in connection with the work, and showing the actual per diem wages paid to each worker, which records shall be open at all reasonable hours for the inspection by the County.

Within thirty-one (31) days of receipt of information concerning a violation of the Texas Government Code Chapter 2258, the County shall make an initial determination as to whether good cause exists to believe a violation occurred. The County's decision on the initial determination shall be reduced to writing and sent to the contractor or subcontractor against whom the violation was alleged, and to the affected worker. When a good cause finding is made, the County shall retain the full amounts claimed by the claimant or claimants as the difference between wages paid and wages due under the "Prevailing Wage Schedule" and any supplements thereto, together with the applicable penalties, such amounts being subtracted from successive progress payments pending a final decision on the violation.

After the County makes its initial determination, the affected contractor or subcontractor and worker have fourteen (14) calendar days in which to resolve the issue of whether a violation occurred, including the amount that should be retained by the County or paid to the affected worker. If the contractor or subcontractor and affected worker reach an agreement concerning the worker's claim, the contractor shall promptly notify the County in a written document signed by the worker. It the contractor or Subcontractor and affected worker do not agree before the fifteenth (15th) calendar day after the County determination, the contractor or subcontractor and affected worker must participate in binding arbitration in accordance with the Texas General Arbitration Act, Chapter 171, (Texas Civil Practice and Remedies Code). The parties to the arbitration have ten (10) calendar days after the expiration of the fifteen (15) calendar days referred to above, to agree on an arbitrator; if by the eleventh (11th) calendar day there is no agreement to an arbitrator, a district court shall appoint an arbitrator on the petition of any of the parties to the arbitration.

If an arbitrator determines that a violation has occurred, the arbitrator shall assess and award against the contractor or subcontractor the amount of penalty as provided above and the amount owed the worker. The County may use any amounts retained hereunder to pay the worker the amount as designated in the arbitration award. If the County has not retained enough from the contractor or subcontractor to pay the worker in accordance with the arbitration award, the worker has a right of action against the contractor and subcontractor as appropriate, and the surety of either to receive the amount owed, attorneys' is and court costs. The contractor shall promptly furnish a copy of the arbitration award to the County.

Money retained pursuant to the provisions above shall be used to pay the claimant or claimants the

difference between the amount the worker received in wages for labor on the project at the rate paid by the contractor or subcontractor and the amount the worker would have received at the general prevailing wage rate as provided by the agreement of the claimant and the contractor or subcontractor affected, or in the arbitrator's award. The full statutory penalty of sixty dollars (\$60.00) per calendar day of violation per worker shall be retained by Williamson County to offset its administrative costs, pursuant to Texas Government Code, Section, 2258.023. Any retained funds in excess of these amounts shall be paid to the contractor on the earlier of the next progress payment or final payment. Provided, however, that the County shall have no duty to release any funds to either the claimant or the contractor until it has received the notices of agreement or the arbitration award as provided under the provision herein-above.

4.41 CONFIDENTIALITY

The Respondent expressly agrees that it will not use any direct or incidental confidential information that may be obtained while working in a governmental setting for its own benefit, and agrees that it will not access unauthorized areas or confidential information and it will not disclose any information to unauthorized third parties, and will take care to guard the security of the information at all times.





Additional Stipulations

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1.1 Introduction

The Proposal evaluation and selection process is detailed in this section, as are other factors, and the format in which the Price Proposal of each Proposal should be submitted.

1.2 Price Proposal

The Respondent must utilize the price sheet form as provided which will be attached to this RFCSP. The Price Proposal should be included in each copy of the Proposal if submitted in paper form.

Note: Any reworked version of the price sheet that is intended to be a substitute and that is provided by a Respondent may be determined as non-responsive, and may, at the County's sole discretion, result in the Respondent's disqualification.

1.3 Proposal Evaluation and Selection

1.3.1 Evaluation/Selection Criteria

No later than the 45th day after the date on which the Proposals are opened, all Proposals received by the designated date and time will be evaluated based on the Respondent's Proposal and the published evaluation Criteria. Other information may be taken into consideration when that information potentially provides an additional benefit to the County, and further helps the County in receiving the services listed in the RFCSP.

Respondents' Proposals must meet all mandatory (minimum) requirements in order to be scored. Scoring may also be based on total information gathered by the County at its discretion, including but not limited to respondent's ability to perform "without delay or interference, character, responsibility, integrity, and experience or demonstrated capability; quality of prior work; compliance with laws; and noncompliance with requirements as to submission of relevant information."

1.3.2 Evaluation Committee and Selection Process

Williamson County will conduct a comprehensive, fair and impartial evaluation of all proposals received in response to the RFCSP. All Proposals will be evaluated by a County appointed Evaluation Committee. The Evaluation Committee may be composed of County Staff that may have expertise, knowledge or experience with the services and/or goods being procured hereunder. Those Respondents meeting all requirements and deemed most qualified may receive further evaluation via telephone or in-person interviews with members of the Evaluation Committee. Respondents may be interviewed and re-scored based upon the same criteria or other criteria, to be determined by the Evaluation Committee. The County will select a Respondent determined best and most responsible Respondent meeting minimum specifications and qualifications.

Respondents are advised that the Evaluation Committee, at its option, may recommend an award strictly on the basis of the initial RFCSP responses, or in addition, may have interviews with firms to determine its final recommendation. Williamson County then selects the proposal that offers the best value based on the published selection criteria and its ranking evaluation. Following the selection, the contract negotiation process begins. The County negotiates first with the highest ranked offeror. At this stage, the County and its architect or engineer may discuss modifications to the proposed score, time and price. Modifications are not required, and if they are discussed and not agreed to by the County and the offeror, a final contract may still be negotiated and agreed upon based on the original response to the RFCSP.

If the two parties are unable to reach a final agreement, the County must inform the offeror in writing that negotiations are ended. The County may then negotiate with the next ranked offeror. This continues in the order of the selection ranking until a contract is reached or all proposals are rejected. In this form of contract procurement, the County is not restricted to considering price alone in its selection, but may consider any other factor from among the established selection criteria to determine which offeror offers the County the best value. The Evaluation Committee will present its recommendation to the Williamson County Commissioners Court for approval and award of contract.

1.3.3 Mandatory Criteria

Minimum requirements (if applicable) must be passed in order to be considered for scoring as described in section 1.3.4.

- Be currently approved and certified by the manufacturer of the roofing materials to be used. Use only skilled roofers completely familiar with the products and manufacturer's current recommended methods of installation.
- Provide a letter from a minimum of three major roofing materials manufacturers stating that your company has been an approved or certified applicator for a minimum of five (5) years and that your company is approved to install those manufacturer's twenty year no dollar limit (NDL) Guarantee.
- Provide a sample manufacturer's twenty year no dollar limit (NDL) Guarantee.
- Submit a list of a minimum of three (3) projects of similar size and scope including the contact information of the Owner, Architect/Roof Consultant, and General Contractor if applicable.
- Evidence of Bidder's qualification to do business in the State of Texas where the project is located or covenant to obtain such qualification prior to award of the contract
- The Bidder acknowledges the right of the Owner to request further information pertaining to the qualifications of Bidder and the sole right of the Owner to evaluate the qualifications of Bidder.
- Bidder shall submit with Bid a letter from Bidder's bonding company registered to issue bonds in the State of Texas, stating the ability of the Bidder to obtain a Performance and Payment Bond for the Project.
- Bidder shall submit with Bid a letter stating that Bidder's company agrees to commence work on the Project immediately upon receipt of Notice of Award and Notice to Proceed.

1.3.4 Graded Evaluation Factors

The following graded evaluation factors will be used to determine how well a Respondent(s) meet(s) the desired performance.

- Qualifications (30 Points) / Only skilled roofers that are completely familiar with the products and manufacturer's current recommended methods of installation will be considered. Respondent must include qualifications of the roofers that will install the products.
- Manufacturer References (20 Points) / Respondent shall provide letters from a minimum
 of three major roofing materials manufacturers stating that your company has been an
 approved or certified applicator for a minimum of five (5) years, and that your company
 is approved to install those manufacturer's products with a 20 twenty year, no dollar
 limit, (NDL) Warranty and Guarantee.
- 3. Project References (20 Points) / Respondent must submit a list of a minimum of three (3) projects their respondent completed within the last 10 years that are of similar size, scope and value. List shall include a description of the project, location of the project, contact information of the Owner, Architect/Roof Consultant, and General Contractor if applicable.

4. Price (30 Points)

1.3.5 Interviews

Interview scoring (if applicable) will be provided along with invitation to interview candidates.

1.3.6 Additional Evaluation Information

The County reserves the right to award a contract for any or all areas of this RFCSP.

It is the responsibility of the Respondent to provide sufficient information/data in a convincing manner to the County to assure all of the terms, conditions and expectations for satisfactory performance of the services requested herein will be met.

All contact during the evaluation phase shall be through the Williamson County Purchasing Department only. The Respondent shall neither contact nor lobby evaluators during the evaluation process. Attempts by the Respondent to contact and/or influence members of the Evaluation Committee may result in disqualification of Proposal.

1.4 Technical Contact

Dwayne Gossett (or successor), Project Manager II, Williamson County Facilities, shall serve as the County's Technical Contact with designated responsibility to ensure compliance with the requirements of the Contract and any Ensuing Agreement, such as, but not limited to, acceptance, inspection and delivery. The Technical Contact together with the Purchasing Department will serve as a liaison between the Williamson County Commissioners Court and the Successful Respondent.

1.5 Time for Performance

A time frame of one hundred twenty (120) days (ninety (90) to substantial completion and an additional thirty (30) to final completion) is given for completion of plans on this proposal. This may begin at the time specified by the County within the three hundred sixty-five (365) days of the pricing quoted on this proposal, starting on the day of award. The Contractor will be given written notice to begin work on this project. The Work on this project shall begin within ten (10) calendar days after such notification.

Liquidated damages for failure to substantially complete the work within the allotted time will be applied. Liquidated damages are \$500.00 per working day.

The Contractor will be given written notice to begin work on this project. Work on this project shall begin within ten (10) working days after such notification. Failure to begin work within the allotted time will result in liquidated damages being incurred at the rate of \$500.00 per working day

1.6 Insurance Requirements

By signing its Proposal, the Respondent agrees to maintain at all times during any term of the Contract and any ensuing Agreement at Respondent's cost, insurance in accordance with this provision.

Respondent will be required to submit Certificates of Insurance prior to commencing work.

All certificates of insurance coverage as specified below must be provided to the following location:

Williamson County Purchasing Department 901 S Austin Ave Georgetown, Texas 78626

Failure to comply with these Insurance Requirements may result in the termination of the Contract and any ensuing Agreement(s) between the Successful Respondent and County.

The following coverage limits shall be required at a minimum:

A. Worker's Compensation Statutory – Texas Law

B. Employer's Liability:

Bodily Injury by Accident \$500,000 Ea. Accident Bodily Injury by Disease \$500,000 Ea. Employee Bodily Injury by Disease \$500,000 Policy Limit

C. Comprehensive general liability including completed operations and contractual liability insurance for bodily injury, death, or property damages in the following amounts:

COVERAGE PER PERSON PER OCCURRENCE

Comprehensive General Liability \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000

Aggregate policy limits: \$1,000,000

Successful Respondent's property will not be covered by any insurance that may be carried by Williamson County. Successful Respondent assumes the risk of loss on its contents and property that are situated on/in/around the County property. The Successful Respondent is strongly encouraged to obtain insurance on its property to the extent deemed necessary by the Successful Respondent.

The deductible for an insurance policy required hereunder shall not exceed \$100,000. The County shall be named as an additional insured under any policy of insurance required hereunder.

Successful Respondent shall not commence any work until it has obtained all required insurance and such insurance has been approved by County. Successful Respondent shall not allow any subcontractor(s) to commence work to be performed until all required insurance has been obtained by such subcontractor(s) and approved by County. Approval of the insurance by County shall not relieve or decrease the liability of Successful Respondent or its subcontractor(s) hereunder.

The required insurance must be written by a company approved to do business in the State of Texas with a financial standing of at least an A- rating, as reflected in Best's insurance ratings or by a similar rating system recognized within the insurance industry at the time the policy is issued. Successful Respondent shall furnish County with a certificate of coverage issued by the insurer. Successful Respondent shall not cause any insurance to be canceled nor permit any insurance to lapse. ALL INSURANCE CERTIFICATES SHALL INCLUDE A CLAUSE TO THE EFFECT THAT THE POLICY SHALL NOT BE CANCELED OR REDUCED, RESTRICTED OR LIMITED UNTIL TEN (10) CALENDAR DAYS AFTER COUNTY HAS RECEIVED WRITTEN NOTICE AS EVIDENCED BY RETURN RECEIPT OF REGISTERED OR CERTIFIED LETTER.

It is the intention of the County, and agreed to and hereby acknowledged by the Successful Respondent, that no provision of this Contract or any ensuing Agreement shall be construed to require the County to submit to mandatory arbitration or mediation in the settlement of any claim, cause of action or dispute, except as specifically required in direct connection with an insurance claim or threat of claim under an insurance policy required hereunder which absolutely requires arbitration or mediation of such claim, or as otherwise required by law or a court of law with jurisdiction over the provisions of this Contract or any ensuing Agreement.

Workers' Compensation Coverage Requirements

The Texas Labor Code, Section 406.096, requires workers' compensation insurance coverage for all persons providing services on a building or construction project for a governmental entity such as the County. The rule requires the County to timely obtain certificates of coverage and retain them for the duration of the project. The rule also sets out the language to be included in the Bid specifications and in contracts awarded by a governmental entity and the information required to be in the posted notice to employees. The rule is adopted under the Texas Labor Code, Section 402.061.

The information provided below is a result of this rule. By submitting your Bid to the County, you are acknowledging that this rule is a part of these Bid specifications, and that you will observe and abide by all of the requirements outlined in the rule. You are further agreeing that should your Bid be accepted by the Williamson County Commissioners Court, the necessary certificates of coverage showing workers' compensation coverage, will be provided to the following name and address prior to beginning work:

Williamson County Purchasing Department 901 S. Austin Ave. Georgetown, TX 78626

Failure to comply with this request may result in termination of the Contract and any ensuing Agreement. If you have any questions related to this ruling and/or requirement, you are encouraged to contact either the Williamson County Purchasing Department at (512) 943-1546, or you may call the Texas Workers' Compensation Commission at (800) 372-7713.

- A. The following words and terms, when used in this provision, shall have the following meanings. Terms not defined in this rule shall have the meaning defined in the Texas Labor Code, if so defined.
 - Certificate of coverage (certificate) A copy of a certificate of insurance, a certificate of authority to self-insure issued by the commission, or a workers' compensation coverage agreement (TWCC-81, TWCC-82, TWCC-83, or TWCC-84), showing statutory workers' compensation insurance coverage for the person's or entity's employees (including those subject to a coverage agreement) providing services on a project, for the duration of the project.
 - 2. Building or Construction Has the meaning defined in the Texas Labor Code, Section 406.096(e)(1).
 - 3. Contractor A person bidding for or awarded a building or construction project by Williamson County.
 - 4. Coverage Workers' compensation insurance meeting the statutory requirements of the Texas Labor Code, Section 401.011(44).
 - 5. Coverage agreement A written agreement on form TWCC-81, form TWCC-82, form TWCC-83, or form TWCC-84, filed with the Texas Workers' Compensation Commission which establishes a relationship between the parties for purposes of the Texas Workers' Compensation Act, pursuant to the Texas Labor Code, Chapter 406, Subchapters F and G, as one of employer/employee and establishes who will be responsible for providing workers' compensation coverage for persons providing services on the project.
 - 6. Duration of the project--Includes the time from the beginning of work on the project until the work on the project has been completed and accepted by the County.
 - 7. Persons providing services on the project ("subcontractor" in the Texas Labor Code, Section 406.096) includes all persons or entities performing all or part of the services the contractor has undertaken to perform on the project, regardless of whether that person contracted directly with the contractor and regardless of whether that person has employees. This includes, without limitation, independent contractors, subcontractors, leasing companies, motor carriers, owner-operators, employees of any such entity, or employees of any entity which furnishes persons to provide services on the project. "Services" include, without limitation, providing, hauling, or delivering equipment or materials, or providing labor, transportation, or other service related to a project. "Services" does not include activities unrelated to the project, such as food/beverage vendors, office supply deliveries, and delivery of portable toilets.
 - 8. Project Includes the provision of all services related to a building or construction contract for the County.

- B. The contractor shall provide coverage, based on proper reporting of classification codes and payroll amounts and filing of any coverage agreements, which meets the statutory requirements of the Texas Labor Code, Section 401.011(44), for all employees of the contractor providing services on the project, for the duration of the project.
- C. The Contractor must provide a certificate of workers compensation coverage to Williamson County prior to being awarded the Contract.
- D. If the coverage period shown on the contractor's current certificate of coverage ends during the duration of the project, the contractor must, prior to the end of the coverage period, file a new certificate of coverage with Williamson County showing that coverage has been extended.
- E. The contractor shall obtain from each person providing services on a project, and provide to the County:
 - A certificate of coverage, prior to that person beginning work on the project, so Williamson County will have on file certificates of coverage showing coverage for all persons providing services on the project; and
 - No later than seven days after receipt by the contractor, a new certificate of coverage showing extension of coverage, if the coverage period shown on the current certificate of coverage ends during the duration of the project.
- F. The contractor shall retain all required certificates of coverage for the duration of the project and for one year thereafter.
- G. The contractor shall notify the County in writing by certified mail or personal delivery, within ten (10) days after the contractor knew or should have known, of any change that materially affects the provision of coverage of any person providing services on the project.
- H. The contractor shall post on each project site a notice, in the text, form and manner prescribed by the Texas Workers' Compensation Commission, informing all persons providing services on the project that they are required to be covered, and stating how a person may verify coverage and report lack of coverage.
- I. The contractor shall contractually require each person with whom it contracts to provide services on a project, to:
 - 1. Provide coverage, based on proper reporting of classification codes and payroll amounts and filing of any coverage agreements, which meets the statutory requirements of Texas Labor Code, Section 401.011(44), for all of its employees providing services on the project, for the duration of the project;

- Provide to the contractor, prior to that person beginning work on the project, a
 certificate of coverage showing that coverage is being provided for all
 employees of the person providing services on the project, for the duration of
 the project;
- 3. Provide the contractor, prior to the end of the coverage period, a new certificate of coverage showing extension of coverage, if the coverage period shown on the current certificate of coverage ends during the duration of the project;
- 4. Obtain from each other person with whom it contracts, and provide to the contractor:
 - i. (a) a certificate of coverage, prior to the other person beginning work on the project; and
 - ii. (b) a new certificate of coverage showing extension of coverage, prior to the end of the coverage period, if the coverage period shown on the current certificate of coverage ends during the duration of the project;
- 5. Retain all required certificates of coverage on file for the duration of the project and for one year thereafter;
- 6. Notify the County in writing by certified mail or personal delivery, within ten (10) days after the person knew or should have known, of any change that materially affects the provision of coverage of any person providing services on the project; and
- 7. Contractually require each person with whom it contracts, to perform as required by paragraphs 1 7, with the certificates of coverage to be provided to the person for whom they are providing services
- J. By signing this Contract or providing or causing to be provided a certificate of coverage, the contractor is representing to Williamson County that all employees of the contractor who will provide services on the project will be covered by workers' compensation coverage for the duration of the project, that the coverage will be based on proper reporting of classification codes and payroll amounts, and that all coverage agreements will be filed with the appropriate insurance carrier or, in the case of a self-insured, with the commission's Division of Self-Insurance Regulation. Providing false or misleading information may subject the contractor to administrative penalties, criminal penalties, civil penalties, or other civil actions.
- K. The contractor's failure to comply with any of these provisions is a breach of Contract by the contractor which entitles the County to declare the contract void if the contractor does not remedy the breach within ten (10) days after receipt of notice of breach from the County.



Specifications

1 Proposal Specifications

1.1 Background Information

You must specify any and all deviations in your Proposal and the RFCSP on the "Statement of Compliance". <u>It will be assumed that your Proposal is in compliance if deviations</u> <u>are not noted in the "Statement of Compliance".</u> This RFCSP has outlined the services the County expects as a minimum requirement.

It is not the intent of the County that commissions are built into the Proposals. Commissions, fees or other reimbursement arrangements are prohibited. Each Respondent must sign the **Proposal Affidavit enclosed or their Proposal will not be considered.**

If you have any technical questions about the specifications, please submit all questions in writing to BidSync at www.bidsync.com.

1.2 Scope of Work

Williamson County seeks qualified roofing contractors to complete the roof improvements to the Williamson County Jail / Sheriff's Office, located at 508 Rock St. Georgetown, Texas 78626.

The existing roof assemblies are gravel surfaced insulated asphalt multi-ply built-up roofing (BUR).

A general summary of the roof improvement scope of work, in part, consists of:

- 1. Removal and disposal of loose gravel from the multi-ply built-up roof membrane.
- 2. Replace needed insulation materials.
- Install retrofit roof drains.
- 4. Install coated metal scuppers.
- 5. Additional rigid board insulation to obtain a total LTTR Value of 20.
- 6. Furnish and install fully adhered 60 mil TPO Membrane System and associated flashings, UL Class A fire-rated that meets the applicable codes of the City of Georgetown and qualifies for the Manufacturer's 20-year NDL Guarantee.
- 7. Furnish and install asphalt, gravel replacement.
- 8. Furnish and install new 24 gauge pre-finished metal flashings and counter-flashings.

The building will include selected exterior wall sealant joint and caulking work, abd the recertification of the lightning arrestor system.

Note: The work to be performed shall comply with all the specifications and requirements provided by Jim Whitten Roof Consultants, and as directed by the County.

1.3 Minimum Requirements

- Be currently approved and certified by the manufacturer of the roofing materials to be used.
 Use only skilled roofers completely familiar with the products and manufacturer's current recommended methods of installation.
- Provide a letter from a minimum of three major roofing materials manufacturers stating that your company has been an approved or certified applicator for a minimum of five (5) years and that your company is approved to install those manufacturer's twenty year no dollar limit (NDL) Guarantee.
- Provide a sample manufacturer's twenty year no dollar limit (NDL) Guarantee.
- Submit a list of a minimum of three (3) projects of similar size and scope including the contact information of the Owner, Architect/Roof Consultant, and General Contractor if applicable.
- Evidence of Bidder's qualification to do business in the State of Texas where the project is located or covenant to obtain such qualification prior to award of the contract
- The Bidder acknowledges the right of the Owner to request further information pertaining to the qualifications of Bidder and the sole right of the Owner to evaluate the qualifications of Bidder.
- Bidder shall submit with Bid a letter from Bidder's bonding company registered to issue bonds in the State of Texas, stating the ability of the Bidder to obtain a Performance and Payment Bond for the Project.
- Bidder shall submit with Bid a letter stating that Bidder's company agrees to commence work on the Project immediately upon receipt of Notice of Award and Notice to Proceed.

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508 ROCK STREET GEORGETOWN, TEXAS 78626



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END OF SECTION

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SECTION 011100 SUMMARY OF WORK

PART I - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings, provisions of the, and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

1.2 WORK COVERED BY CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

- A. Project: Roof Improvements 2016
- B. Williamson County Jail and Sheriff's Office 508 Rock Street, Georgetown, Texas
- C. Contract Documents dated December 1, 2016

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- D. Base and Alternate Bids –Gravel Surfaced Roofs (Areas A, B, C as indicated in Project Drawings): Scope of Work covered by the Contract Documents includes the following roof improvements at the Project:
 - 1. Vacuum and dispose existing loose gravel from the multi-ply built-up roof membrane.
 - 2. Identify and replace any wet insulation material on a per-unit cost basis as specified.
 - 3. Furnish and fully adhere two (2) layers 1.5" polyisocyanurate (ISO) insulation.
 - 4. Furnish and fully adhere one (1) layer 1/2" High Density ISO insulation.
 - 5. Furnish and fully adhere 60-mil TPO roof membrane and associated flashings.
 - Roof system shall be U.L. Class a fire-rated, and shall qualify for the roof membrane manufacturer's 20-year No Dollar Limit (NDL) Guarantee, and meet all applicable City of Georgetown, TX codes.
 - 7. Install new retrofit primary and overflow roof drains.
 - 8. Install new 24-guage TPO coated metal scuppers.
 - 9. Install wood nailers over the existing stone coping at the parapet walls and install new sheet metal coping cap system as specified.
 - 10. Joint Sealants:

Base Bid: Replace Control Joint Masonry sealants at all exterior walls Alternate Bid: Replace Control Joint Masonry sealants at all interior walls of Recreation Area

- 11. Coordinate with Lightning Protection Company the dis-connect, re-connect and re-certification of the existing lightning arrestor system.
- E. Contingency Allowance
 - 1. Owner Contingency Allowance: An Owner's Contingency Allowance of \$5,000 is to be included in the Total Bid.
- F. Unit Prices: A unit price is a price per unit of measurement for materials or services added to or deducted from the Contract Sum by appropriate modification, if estimated quantities of Work required by the Contract Documents are increased or decreased. Unit prices include all necessary material, plus cost for delivery, installation, insurance, overhead, and profit.

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1.3 SCOPE OF WORK

- A. The Contract Documents, to the best of Owner's and Roof Consultant's knowledge, reflect existing conditions. Should minor conditions be encountered which are not exactly as indicated, modify the scope of Work as required, at no additional cost to Owner.
- B. To achieve satisfactory performance from the Work, it may be necessary to perform unanticipated, minor work items encountered during the course of the Work. Consultant and Owner will suggest additional work items as appropriate. Contractor shall assist Owner in applying for and obtaining any available rebates from electrical power provider.
- C. No Change Orders for additional payment will be considered for such additional Work items, unless they represent a substantial change to the Scope of Work.
- D. The Contractor shall assume full responsibility and liability for the compliance with all applicable Federal, State, and local regulations pertaining to work practices, hauling, disposal, and protection of workers, visitors to the site, and persons occupying areas adjacent to the site.

1.4 TIMING OF WORK

A. Work is to be performed within an operating facility space. Owner intends for work to be performed in such a manner that disruption of operations is to be minimized.

1.5 GUARANTEE AND WARRANTY

- A. Roofing: Provide Manufacturer's Twenty Year No Dollar (NDL) System Warranty and Two-Year Contractor's Warranty for materials and installation.
 - Manufacturer's Warranty and Contractor's Warranty effective date shall be the Date of Substantial Completion.
- B. Joint Sealants: Provide Manufacturer's Five (5) Year Warranty for Joint Sealants.

Both the Manufacturer's Warranty and Contractor's Warranty shall cover damage to Work resulting from failure to resist penetration of moisture and replacement of assembly components that fail due to material failure or faulty workmanship.

END OF SECTION

SUMMARY OF WORK 011100-2

SECTION 013100 PROJECT MANAGEMENT AND COORDINATION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 PROJECT COORDINATION, SEQUENCING AND SCHEDULING

- A. Coordinate Work with Owner to minimize interference with normal building and inconvenience to facility users, and to expedite the Work.
- B. The facility spaces adjacent to the work are to be occupied for the conduct of normal operations.
- C. Coordinate Work to assure efficient and orderly sequence of application of construction elements, with provisions for accommodating items installed later.
- D. Coordinate Work to allow observations by the Owner and Consultant.
- E. Provide sufficient and adequate materials, personnel and equipment to facilitate rapid completion of the Work without undue delays.

1.2 USE OF THE PREMISES

- A. Before beginning work, Contractor must verify in writing to Owner that all Owner security measures are understood and followed, and secure approval from the Owner for access to the following:
 - 1. Site: No parking or storage on the designated parking areas.
 - 2. Areas permitted for personnel parking.
 - 3. Areas permitted for storage of materials and debris.
 - 4. Areas permitted for the location of cranes, hoists and chutes for loading and unloading materials to and from the roof.
- B. Roof Areas not included in this Contract (designated by "NIC" on the Roof Plan) may not be used for personnel or equipment rooftop traffic, including removing debris or delivering materials, except as authorized by the Owner and Consultant, and only after adequate protection covering over the existing roof surfaces is approved and provided.
- C. The Owner reserves the right to have criminal background checks performed on all Contractor personnel to be onsite.

1.3 EXISTING CONDITIONS

- A. Review the existing conditions of the facility, prior to commencing the Work, for access, clearances, existing mechanical and electrical equipment, plumbing, structural components and interior finishes that will require removal, replacement or relocation to complete the Work of this Contract.
- B. Notify Owner and Consultant of any additional required work not included in the Contract Documents.
 - C. Notify Owner and Consultant upon discovery of any items that differ or conflict

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with the Contract Documents.

1.4 PRE-JOB DAMAGE SURVEY OF FACILITY

- A. Perform a thorough survey of property and all affected areas of the buildings with Owner prior to starting the Work to document existing damage and operational status of existing rooftop equipment. Non-functional or damaged items identified on this survey will not be the responsibility of Contractor to repair or replace unless further damaged by Contractor during execution of the Work.
- Include with Pre-Job Submittals, both written description and digital documentation (CD with digital photos or DVD with video) of all items considered to be previously damaged.
- C. Consider any damage to buildings or property not identified in the pre-job damage survey as having resulted from execution of this Contract and correct at no additional expense to Owner.

1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Limited storage area will be provided by Owner where available. Provide lockable temporary storage containers for storage of equipment and materials. Coordinate with Owner for areas designated for temporary storage.
- B. Deliver roofing materials to Project site in original containers with seals unbroken and labeled with manufacturer's name, product brand name and type, date of manufacture, and directions for storing and mixing with other components.
- C. Store membrane rolls lying down on pallets and fully protected from the weather with clean canvas tarpaulins. Un-vented polyethylene tarpaulins are prohibited. Secure all stored materials at roof level in a manner to resist high wind speeds.
- D. Store liquid materials in their original undamaged containers in a clean, dry, protected location and within the temperature range required by roofing system manufacturer. Protect stored liquid material from direct sunlight.
 - Discard and legally dispose of liquid material that cannot be applied within its stated shelf life.
- E. Protect roof insulation materials from physical damage and from deterioration by sunlight, moisture, soiling, and other sources. Store in a dry location. Comply with insulation manufacturer's written instructions for handling, storing, and protecting during installation.
- F. Handle and store roofing materials and place equipment in a manner to avoid permanent deflection of deck.

1.6 PROTECTION

A. Contractor shall take necessary and adequate precautions to avoid damaging windows, doors, grass, trees, shrubs, walks, drives, etc.

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- B. Contractor shall be responsible for damage to adjacent buildings, property, and vehicles near the building resulting from its operations. Clean, repair or replace any surfaces, materials or equipment which are marked, soiled or otherwise damaged as a result of the Work to the satisfaction of the Owner to the extent that it is returned to its condition prior to commencement of the work.
- C. Furnish and erect barricades to protect building occupants and vehicles and to prevent pedestrian or vehicular traffic adjacent to any area affected by construction activities.
- D. Protect finished Work from damage, traffic and adverse weather conditions until proper curing, drying and/or finishing are complete. Do not use finished roof membrane as a working surface. Provide temporary means of roof membrane protection.

E. Existing Drawings and Utilities:

- Some original drawings may be available from the Owner. The Owner has not verified
 the information contained on those Drawings. Those Drawings are not a part of the
 Contract Documents.
- Repair or replace damaged utilities to a condition equivalent to that before damage occurred. Negligently damaged utilities to be repaired or replaced at no cost to the Owner.

1.7 WORKING HOURS AND SCHEDULE

- A. Working hours shall be between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m., Monday through Saturday, except holidays and black-out dates and times assigned by Owner.
- B. The Contract Time will be adjusted by Change Order in the event Owner initiated work stoppages are required.
- C. Alternate work schedules will be considered by Owner with prior notification and approval by Owner.
- D. Obtain approval from Owner prior to altering Workschedule.

1.8 INTERIOR ACCESS

- A. Restrict access to interior spaces of the building to Contractor's Project Superintendent and only those workers required to perform work inside the building.
- B. Coordinate with Owner and obtain Owner approval prior to accessing interior space.

1.9 CLEANING

- A. Maintain areas free of waste materials, debris and rubbish. Maintain site at all times in a clean and orderly fashion.
- B. Remove waste materials, debris, and rubbish from site periodically and dispose off-site in a legal manner. Do not use Owner's trash containers for disposal of waste materials, debris and rubbish.
- C. Periodically clean interior areas affected by the Work to provide suitable conditions for occupied

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areas.

D. Restore existing facilities used during construction to their condition prior to commencement of work.

1.10 USE OF UTILITIES

- A. Coordinate use of utilities with Owner.
 - B. Provide temporary electric feeder from electrical service at location as directed by Owner. Provide temporary wiring and hardware as required for execution of the Work. Ground fault interruption devices and similar protection measures required by authorities having jurisdiction are the responsibility of the Contractor. All such work shall be performed by a licensed electrician.
- C. Connect to existing water sources for temporary use of water. Furnish and maintain all necessary adapters and hoses required to complete the Work.
- D. Restore electrical and water service to original condition at completion of each day's activities, and at the completion of the Work to Owner's approval.

1.11 MONITORING

A. Owner and Roof Consultant intend to observe the quality and progress of the Work for substantial compliance with the design contract documents. This does not relieve Contractor of his own quality control, testing and supervision responsibilities.

1.12 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Review all Drawings and Specifications before commencing and performing the Work.
- B. Provide at least one copy of the final Drawings and Specifications, Addenda and Modifications for permanent use at the site whenever work is in progress.
- C. Maintain workmanship of the highest quality in accordance with the best trade practices.
- D. Obtain all materials specified in the Contract Documents from the same source throughout the Work. Notify Owner if plans are made to change sources.
- E. Possess a minimum of five years experience, installing/applying the respective materials described in each section of the Specification.
- F. Possess current written approval as an applicator of each material used in the Work.
- G. Provide workmen, engaged in the respective items of the Work, which have satisfactorily completed a program of certification by the manufacturers of materials described in the Specifications, or can demonstrate significant experience on similar projects to verify their qualifications to perform this Work.
- G. Perform quality control test and verifications as required by manufacturers or other

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entities to comply with the requirements of this Contract. Do not use Owner's site observations and testing in lieu of Contractor's own quality control.

H. Contractor shall have a full-time English speaking non-working superintendent on site when workers are present.

1.13 PARKING

A. Park only in spaces approved by Owner.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

PART 3 - EXECUTION

END OF SECTION

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SECTION 013300 SUBMITTAL PROCEDURES

PART I - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and provisions of the Documents including the Statement of Work and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

A. Submittals:

- 1. Provide submittals required by the Contract Documents in a timely manner and at appropriate times in the execution of the Work to allow for sufficient and prompt review by Owner and Consultant.
- 2. Provide submittals, all in form and substance satisfactory to the Consultant and Owner.
- Revise and re-submit submittals as necessary to establish compliance with specified requirements.
- B. Related Sections: Individual requirements for submittals are described in the pertinent Sections of these Specifications.
- C. Color selections and any other aesthetic material approvals shall be in writing by Owner.

1.3 PROCEDURES

- A. Submit complete sets of the Pre-Construction, Progress and Post-Construction Submittals that are available in electronic format or other Windows compatible format if transmitted on a compact disk to Owner and Consultant for review. Submit product samples concurrently with electronic submittals.
- B. Owner and Consultant will review submittals for compliance with Contract Documents. Consultant will compile Owner and Consultant's review comments and issue to Contractor for coordination prior to Contractor distribution of reviewed submittals.
- C. Provide three complete bound sets of reviewed submittals and product samples to Owner; provide one complete bound set of reviewed submittals and product samples to Consultant.

1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Coordination of submittals:
 - 1. Carefully review and coordinate all aspects of each item being submitted.
 - 2. Verify that each item and its appropriate submittal conform in all respects with the specified requirements.
 - 3. Certify that this coordination has taken place by affixing Contractors' stamp, signature and date to the corner of each submittal package.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS (Not Applicable)

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PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 IDENTIFICATION OF SUBMITTALS

- A. Submittals shall be identified by applicable Specification Section. Number individual submittal items within a specification section consecutively. Provide a table of contents for each specification section. Show on at least the first page of each submittal and elsewhere as required for positive identification, the applicable submittal section and number.
- B. Identify submittal data applicable to the Work of this Contract when submittal lists more than one option.
- C. Strike through submittal data that does not apply to the Work of this Contract.
- D. Accompany each submittal package with a letter of transmittal showing all information required for identification checking.

3.2 GROUPING OF SUBMITTALS

- A. Group submittals into packages identified as Pre-Construction Submittals, Progress Submittals, and Post- Construction Submittals.
- B. Partial submittals may be rejected as not complying with the provisions of the Contract.

3.3 TIMING OF SUBMITTALS

- A. Make submittals far enough in advance of scheduled dates for commencement, execution or installation to provide time required for reviews, for securing necessary approvals, for possible revisions and re-submittals, and for placing orders and securing delivery.
- B. Allow at least 5 working days for review by the Owner following his/her receipt of submittals.
- C. Contractor will be held responsible for delays occasioned by incomplete or tardy submittal packages.
- D. Pre-construction Submittals: Submit within 5 business days following Notice of Award.
- E. Progress Submittals: Submit, as required, throughout the performance of the Work of the Contract.
- F. Post-Construction Submittals: Submit with final payment request.

3.4 PRE-CONSTRUCTION SUBMITTALS

- A. The Contractor's Pre-Construction Submittal package shall include the following:
 - 1. Contract Execution Package executed by Contractor, containing:
 - a. Standard Form of Agreement between Owner and Contractor
 - b. Certificates of Insurance, properly endorsed.
 - c. Supplementary Conditions

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- d. Addenda
- e. Bonds
- 2. Certification of insurance for all subcontractors.
- 3. Proposed Progress Schedule.
- 4. Proposed Schedule of Values, with subdivisions for costs associated with requirements stated in the General Services Agreement and Statement of Work, material and labor broken out by phases of the Work, including but not limited to demolition, insulation, membrane, sheet metal, plumbing and closeout.
- 5. Names of supervisory personnel and their qualifications.
- Scaled Roof Plans indicating tapered insulation slope, flashing Details, perimeter edge conditions, and proposed gutter and downspout size and locations.
- 7. Product data for materials proposed to be used.
- 8. Subcontractor list.
- 9. Any required building/construction permits.
- 10. Sample of No-Dollar Limit Guarantee.
- 11. Copy of blank Daily Report to be utilized.

3.5 PROGRESS SUBMITTALS

- A. Daily Reports: Prepare daily reports and submit to Owner and Roof Consultant no later than 10:00 AM of the following work day as a single attachment to an email. Include in report, the following minimum items:
 - 1. Description of Work completed by area, include sketch of area on 8.5" x 11" schematic roof plan, six (6) photos in PDF format of work in progress.
 - 2. Number of personnel present, including names, phone numbers, and Texas Drivers' License numbers.
 - 3. Description and estimated quantity of materials removed and materials installed.
 - 4. Description, quantity and location of unit priced items, if any.
 - 5. Estimate of remaining quantity of tear off remaining.
 - 6. Planned activity for following work day.
 - 7. Reason and justification for not working if no work was performed.
 - 8. Report to include weather conditions at start of work, noon and end of work.
 - 9. Report to include name of supervisory person overseeing the work.
- B. Applications for payment: The Contractor's applications for payment shall include the following:
 - 1. An invoice on the contractor's companyletterhead.
 - 2. An Application for Payment, and Waiver of Lien.
 - Unconditional, notarized Waiver of Liens from the Contractor for the amount of Work performed for which payment less retainage was requested in the previous payment request.
 - 4. Unconditional, notarized Waivers of Liens from Subcontractors, and material and equipment suppliers for the Work performed or materials and equipment supplied during the period covered by the previous payment request. Data for materials proposed to be used.
 - 5. Updated, current progress schedule.
- C. Other Submittals required by the Contract Documents.

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3.6 OWNER AND CONSULTANT REVIEW

- A. Review by Owner and Consultant does not relieve Contractor from responsibility for errors that may exist in the submitted data.
- B. Make revisions if required by Owner and Consultant and resubmit for review.
- C. "Or equivalent":
 - Do not assume where the phrase "or equivalent", or "or equivalent as approved by the Owner", occurs in the Contract Documents, that particular materials, equipment, or methods will be approved as equivalent unless the item has been specifically approved for this Work by the Owner.
 - 2. Decision of the Owner shall be final.

END OF SECTION

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SECTION 015000 TEMPORARY FACILITIES AND CONTROLS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the General Services Agreement, including the Statement of Work and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Provide temporary facilities and controls as needed and as specified for the Work.
- B. Maintain temporary facilities and controls in proper and safe condition throughout progress of the Work.
- C. Related Sections: Additional requirements may also be prescribed in other Sections of these Specifications.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS (NOT USED)

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 TELEPHONE SERVICE

- A. Contractor shall provide his own telephone service as required. Contractor's Project Manager and Superintendent shall have a cell phone available at all times.
- B. Use of Owner's private phones is not allowed unless authorized by Owner.

3.2 TOILET FACILITIES

- A. Contractor shall provide and maintain an adequate number of temporary toilets with proper enclosures as necessary for use of workmen during construction. Keep toilets clean and comply with all local and state health requirements and sanitary regulations.
- B. Locate toilet facilities in Parking/Staging storage area as approved by Owner.

3.3 FIRST AID SUPPLIES

A. Provide medical supplies and equipment at the site for first-aid service to persons injured in connection with the Work.

3.4 FIRE PROTECTION

A. Fire Protection:

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- 1. Provide temporary fire protection as required by federal, state, as local laws, codes, and ordinances.
- 2. Provide minimum two (2) charged and functioning fire extinguishers of appropriate size, within 10'- 0" of combustible materials. Ensure that all personnel are fully trained in operation of provided extinguishers.
- Reasonable precautions against fire shall be taken throughout Operations.
 Flammable material shall be properly handled and stored in accordance with governing code requirements.
- 4. Open fires are prohibited at the site.

3.5 DRAINS AND SEWERS

- A. Contractor shall keep drains and sewers clean and free of construction debris during all phases of Work.
- B. Do not permit debris or other contaminants deleterious to the City sewer system to be washed down drains or sewers.
- C. Protect City of Georgetown storm drainage facilities that are adjacent to or affected by the Work of this Contract. Comply with City of Georgetown requirements for protecting storm sewer system from construction generated waste water.

3.6 TRAFFIC CONTROL AND PROTECTION

- A. Provide signs, flagmen, lights, or other warning devices as required to control pedestrian traffic around the building and to prevent pedestrians from entering areas of the Work.
- B. All sidewalks shall remain open and accessible at all times. Protective canopies or other appropriate means shall be installed over building entrances when work is occurring overhead or adjacent to those areas.
- C. Furnish and erect barricades to protect building occupants and vehicles and to prevent pedestrian or vehicular traffic adjacent to any area affected by construction activities.
- D. Contractor shall be responsible for maintaining any means of egress required by governing building codes for continual public use of the building.
- E. Provide barricades as necessary at building entrances to protect occupants during work in these areas.

3.7 SPECIAL CONTROLS

- A. Parking: Park only in areas approved by Owner.
- B. Dust, Debris and Water Control:
 - 1. Contractor shall take precautions as necessary to prevent dust, dirt, construction-related water and particles, etc. from leaving the immediate work area.
 - 2. Contractor shall take appropriate means if dust or debris exceeds levels established by City laws and ordinances.

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C. Construction Warning Signs: Provide and maintain suitable signs at each building entrance to warn guests and public of work while repair work is inprogress.

3.8 MAINTENANCE

A. Maintain temporary facilities and controls as long as necessary for safe and proper completion of the Work.

3.9 REMOVAL

A. Remove temporary facilities and controls as rapidly as progress of the Work will safely permit.

3.10 CLEANING

- A. Maintain areas free of waste materials, debris and rubbish. Maintain site at all times in a clean and orderly fashion.
- B. Remove waste materials, debris, and rubbish from site periodically and dispose off-site in a legal manner. Do not use Owner's trash containers for disposal of waste materials, debris and rubbish.
- C. Periodically clean interior areas affected by the Work to provide suitable conditions for occupied areas.
- D. Restore existing facilities used during construction to their condition prior to commencement of work.

END OF SECTION

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SECTION 015113 TEMPORARY HEATING, COOLING, AND VENTILATING

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 DESCRIPTION

A. For those Projects requiring incidental Mechanical Work; includes installation of temporary mechanical work, disconnects, reconnects, and other incidental mechanical, and plumbing work, not specified herein but necessary for the successful execution of the Work as set forth in the Contract Documents.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MATERIAL AND WORKMANSHIP

- A. All materials and equipment required shall be:
 - 1. Installed by mechanics skilled in their trades, working under the direct supervision of competent experienced foremen or superintendents.
 - 2. Installed in compliance with all applicable Occupational Safety and Health Administration Rules and Regulations.
 - Installed in compliance with all applicable local, Ventilating, Air Conditioning, and Plumbing Codes.
- B. Prior to conducting any mechanical work, perform a complete survey of all roof top mechanical equipment with the Owner's representative to verify the functional condition of the equipment. Document the survey in writing, signed by the Owner's representative and the Contractor. Provide a copy to the Roof Consultant.

2.2 TIMELY PLACEMENT OF MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT

A. Install items specified in Paragraph 2.01 of this Section at the proper time during progress of construction. Coordinate work operations with other trades as necessary.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 GENERAL

- A. Install temporary mechanical work necessary to comply with the work of other Sections.
- B. Remove temporary mechanical work necessary to comply with other Sections at completion of Project and correct any damage to property.
- C. At the end of the Project, any non-functional mechanical equipment (not noted on the survey list) will be the responsibility of the Contractor to restore to functional working order.

END OF SECTION

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SECTION 015123 TEMPORARY ELECTRICITY

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 DESCRIPTION

A. For those Projects requiring incidental Electrical Work: Included installation of temporary power, disconnects, reconnects, lightning arrestor systems, and other incidental electrical work necessary to perform the Work of the Contract Documents.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MATERIALS AND WORKMANSHIP

- A. All materials and equipment required shall be:
 - 1. Approved by Underwriters Laboratories and so labeled.
 - 2. For wire and cable, marked as required by Article 310-1- National Electrical Code.
 - 3. Installed by mechanics skilled in their trades, working under the direct supervision of competent experience foremen or superintendents.
 - 4. Installed in compliance with all applicable Occupational Safety and Health Administration and applicable local electrical codes.
- B. Prior to conducting any electrical work, perform a complete survey of all roof top electrical lines and service with the Owner's representative to verify the functional condition of the electrical service. Document the survey in writing, signed by the Owner's representative and the Contractor. Provide a copy to the Roof Consultant.

2.2 TIMELY PLACEMENT OF MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT

A. Install items specified in Paragraph 2.01 of this Section at the proper time during progress of construction. Coordinate work operations with other trades as necessary.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 GENERAL

- A. Provide temporary electrical power as required to perform the Work of the Contract Documents.
- B. Remove all temporary electrical items at completion of Project and correct any damage to property.
- C. At the end of the Project, any non-functional electrical service (not noted on the survey list) will be the responsibility of the Contractor to restore to functional working order.

END OF SECTION

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SECTION 016000 PRODUCT REQUIREMENTS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the General Services Agreement, including the Statement of Work and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for handling requests for substitutions made after award of the Contract.
- B. Related Sections: The following Sections contain requirements that relate to this Section:
 - 1. Section 013300 "Submittal Procedures" specifies requirements for submitting the Contractor's Construction Schedule and the Submittal Schedule.

1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Definitions in this Article do not change or modify the meaning of other terms used in the Contract Documents.
- B. Substitutions: Changes in products, materials, equipment, and methods of construction required by the Contract Documents proposed by the Contractor after award of the Contract are considered to be requests for substitutions. The following are not considered to be requests for substitutions:
 - 1. Substitutions requested during the bidding period, and accepted by Addendum prior to award of the Contract, are included in the Contract Documents and are not subject to requirements specified in this Section for substitutions.
 - 2. Revisions to the Contract Documents requested by the Owner.
 - 3. Specified options of products and construction methods included in the Contract Documents.
 - 4. The Contractor's determination of and compliance with governing regulations and orders issued by governing authorities.

1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Substitution Request Submittal: The Owner will consider requests for substitution if received within 10 days after commencement of the Work. Requests received more than 10 days after commencement of the Work may be considered or rejected at the discretion of the Owner.
 - 1. Submit 3 copies of each request for substitution for consideration. Submit requests in the form and according to procedures required for change-order proposals.
 - 2. Identify the product or the fabrication or installation method to be replaced in each request. Include related Specification Section and Drawing numbers.
 - 3. Provide complete documentation showing compliance with the requirements for substitutions, and the following information, as appropriate:

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- a. Coordination information, including a list of changes or modifications needed to
 other parts of the Work and to construction performed by the Owner and
 separate contractors that will be necessary to accommodate the proposed
 substitution.
- b. A detailed comparison of significant qualities of the proposed substitution with those of the Work specified. Significant qualities may include elements, such as performance, weight, size, durability, and visual effect.
- c. Product Data, including Drawings and descriptions of products and fabrication and installation procedures.
- d. Samples, where applicable or requested.
- e. A statement indicating the substitution effect on the Contractor's Construction Schedule compared to the schedule without approval of the substitution. Indicate the effect of the proposed substitution on overall Contract Time.
- f. Cost information, including a proposal of the net change, if any in the Contract Sum.
- g. The Contractor's certification that the proposed substitution conforms to requirements in the Contract Documents in every respect and is appropriate for the applications indicated.
- The Contractor's waiver of rights to additional payment or time that may subsequently become necessary because of the failure of the substitution to perform adequately.
- 4. Owner's Action: If necessary, the Owner will request additional information or documentation for evaluation within one week of receipt of a request for substitution. The Owner will notify the Contractor of acceptance or rejection of the substitution within two weeks of receipt of the request, or one week of receipt of additional information or documentation, whichever is later. Acceptance will be in the form of a change order.
 - a. Use the product specified if the Owner cannot make a decision on the use of a proposed substitute within the time allocated.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 SUBSTITUTIONS

- A. Conditions: The Owner will receive and consider the Contractor's request for substitution when one or more of the following conditions are satisfied, as determined by the Owner. If the following conditions are not satisfied, the Owner will return the requests without action except to record noncompliance with these requirements.
 - 1. Extensive revisions to the Contract Documents are not required.
 - 2. Proposed changes are in keeping with the general intent of the Contract Documents,
 - 3. The request is timely, fully documented, and properly submitted.
 - 4. The specified product or method of construction cannot be provided within the ContractTime. The Owner will not consider the request if the product or method cannot be provided as a result of failure to pursue the Work promptly or coordinate activities properly.
 - 5. The request is directly related to an "or-equivalent" clause or similar language in the Contract Documents.
 - 6. The requested substitution offers the Owner a substantial advantage, in cost,

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time, energy conservation, or other considerations, after deducting additional responsibilities the Owner must assume.

7. The specified product or method of construction cannot receive necessary approval by a governing authority, and the requested substitution can be approved.

The specified product or method of construction cannot be provided in a manner that is compatible with other materials and where the Contractor certifies that the substitution will overcome the incompatibility.

- 8. The specified product or method of construction cannot be coordinated with other materials and where the Contractor certifies that the proposed substitution can be coordinated.
- 9. The specified product or method of construction cannot provide a warranty required by the Contract Documents and where the Contractor certifies that the proposed substitution provides the required warranty.
- B. The Contractor's submittal and the Owner's acceptance of Shop Drawings, Product Data, or Samples for construction activities not complying with the Contract Documents do not constitute an acceptable or valid request for substitution, nor do they constitute approval.

PART 3 – EXECUTION (Not Applicable)

END OF SECTION

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SECTION 017100 CLEANING

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 DESCRIPTION

- A. Work included: Maintain the building and site in a standard of cleanliness throughout the construction period as described in this Section.
- B. Clean roof upon completion of all Work to satisfaction of Owner and Roof Consultant.

1.2 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Conduct daily inspections, and more often if necessary, to verify that requirements for cleanliness are being met.
- B. In addition to the standards described in this Section, comply with pertinent requirements of governmental agencies having jurisdiction.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 CLEANING MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT

A. Provide required personnel, equipment and materials needed to maintain the specified standard of cleanliness.

2.2 COMPATIBILITY

A. Use only the cleaning materials and equipment, which are compatible with the surface being cleaned, as recommended by the manufacturer of the materials.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 PROGRESS CLEANING

- A. Do not allow accumulation of scrap, debris, waste material, and other items not required for construction of the Work to remain overnight on the roof.
- B. Daily, and more often if necessary, inspect the site and pick up all scrap, debris, and waste material. Remove such items to the place designated for their storage.
- C. Provide adequate storage for all items awaiting removal from the job site, observing requirements for fire protection and protection of the ecology.
- D. At least once each week, and more often if necessary, completely remove all scrap, debris, and waste material from the job site.

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3.2 FINAL CLEANING

- A. "Clean", for the purpose of this Article, and except as may be specifically provided otherwise, shall be interpreted as meaning the level of cleanliness generally provided by skilled cleaners using commercial quality materials.
- B. Prior to completion of the Work remove from the job site all tools, surplus materials, equipment, scrap, debris and waste. Conduct final progress cleaning as described in Article 3.01 above.
- C. Membrane: Power wash roof membrane per manufacturer's instructions upon completion of substantial completion punch list to provide a roof membrane surface that is free of stains (adhesives, dirt, etc.) incurred during completion of the work.
- D. Site:
 - 1. Unless otherwise specifically directed by the Owner, broom clean paved areas on the site and public paved areas adjacent to the site.
 - 2. Completely remove resultant debris.
 - 3. Remove evidence of construction operations from all landscaped and pervious surfaces.
- E. Interior: remove all evidence of construction operations; surfaces ground smooth; finishes replaced.
- F. Schedule final cleaning as approved by Owner.

END OF SECTION

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SECTION 017700 CLOSEOUT PROCEDURES

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 DESCRIPTION

A. Work Included: Provide an orderly and efficient transfer of the completed Work to the Owner.

1.2 OUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Prior to requesting Substantial and Final Completion Inspections, use adequate means to assure that the Work is completed in accordance with the specified requirements and is ready for the requested inspection.

1.3 PROCEDURES

- A. Final Completion:
 - 1. Verify in writing by written request to Owner and Consultant.
 - 2. Certify that:
 - a. Contract Documents have been reviewed.
 - b. Work has been inspected for compliance with the Contract Documents.
 - c. Work has been completed in accordance with the Contract Documents.
 - d. Work is completed and ready for Final Punchlist Inspection.
 - 3. The Owner and Consultant will observe the Work to document status of completion. Provide Owner and Consultant access to the Work, as required to perform Inspection.
 - 4. Should the Owner and Consultant determine that the Work is incomplete or defective:
 - a. The Owner promptly will so notify the Contractor, in writing, listing the incomplete or defective work.
 - b. Remedy the deficiencies promptly, and notify the Owner when ready for reinspection. Provide the Owner with access to the Work, as required to perform reinspection.
 - 5. When the Owner determines that the Work is acceptable under the Contract Documents, he will request the Contractor to make closeout submittals.
- B. Closeout submittals include, but are not necessarily limited to:
 - 1. Manufacturer's product literature for all proprietary products used in the Work.
 - 2. As-built drawings and specifications, indicating changes (Change Orders, RFIs, Field Directives, etc.) in construction affecting the contract documents.
 - 3. Operation and maintenance data for items so listed in pertinent other Sections of these Specifications, and for other items when so directed by the Owner.
 - 4. Warranties and bonds.
 - 5. Evidence of compliance with requirements of governmental agencies having jurisdiction including but not necessarily limited to Certificate of Inspection.

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- 6. Certificates of Insurance for products and completed operations.
- 7. Evidence of payment and release of liens.
- 8. List of subcontractors, service organizations, and principal vendors, including names, addresses, email addresses, and telephone numbers where they can be reached.

C. Final Adjustment of Accounts:

- 1. Submit a final statement of accounting to the Owner, showing all adjustments to the Contract Sum.
- 2. If so required, the Contractor will prepare final Charge Order showing adjustments to the Contract Sum, which was not made previously by Change Orders.
- 3. Final payment may be withheld if warranties and other closeout submittals do not comply with requirements of the Contract Documents.

1.4 INSTRUCTION

A. Instruct the Owner's personnel in proper operation and maintenance of all applicable items provided as part of the Work.

1.5 WARRANTIES

- B. Joint Sealant Manufacturer's Warranty
- C. Contractor's Two Year Warranty: Warranty shall be assigned to Owner and submitted on the form provided in Section 017836
- D. Warranties shall be fully transferable.

END OF SECTION

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SECTION 024100 DEMOLITION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Removal of existing surface gravel from built-up roof to accept the new re-cover system.
- B. Removal of any wet or otherwise non-functional existing insulation.
- C. Contractor shall dispose of all materials in a licensed landfill and provide the Owner with signed documentation of all materials disposed.

1.2 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit demolition and removal procedures and schedule under provisions of Division 1.
- B. Submit record documents under provisions of Division 1.

1.3 SEQUENCING AND SCHEDULING

A. Sequence and schedule work to accommodate Owner's use of premises.

1.4 EXISTING CONDITIONS

- A. Conduct demolition to minimize interference with adjacent roofing, roof-mounted equipment, and roof deck and structure to remain.
- B. Provide, erect, and maintain temporary barriers and security devices.
- C. Conduct operations with minimum interference to public or private thoroughfares. Maintain egress and access at all times.
- D. Do not close or obstruct roadways or sidewalks without Owner's written consent.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

Not Used

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify that areas to be demolished are clear of encumbrances.
- B. Beginning of demolition means acceptance of existing conditions.

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3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Protect existing landscaping materials, appurtenances, structures, paving, roofing and siding, roof mounted equipment, roof deck and structure, which are not to be demolished.
- B. Verify abandoned equipment and penetrations to be removed and obtain written confirmation from Owner's representative prior to removal and repair of deckopening.

3.3 EXECUTION

- A. Contractor shall only perform demolition at areas that can be recovered watertight in the same day. Contractor shall not leave demolished materials in a non-watertight condition overnight.
- B. Evenly cut edges of existing materials that are to be expanded, replaced, or modified.
- C. Cease operations and notify Owner immediately if adjacent structures or materials appear to be endangered. Do not resume operations until corrective measures have been taken.
- D. Except when instructed otherwise, immediately remove demolished material from site daily.
- E. Remove materials to be re-installed or retained by Owner in a manner to prevent damage.
- F. Do not burn or bury materials on site.
- G. Remove demolished materials from site daily as the work progresses. Keep common areas free of debris at all times. Leave site in clean condition.
- H. Stop demolition work and notify the Owner and Roof Consultant immediately if suspected hazardous or unknown materials are encountered.
- Exercise care in demolition work to prevent damage to interior finishes.

END OF SECTION

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SECTION 061050 ROUGH CARPENTRY

PART I - GENERAL

1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

A. All materials and labor for work requiring new lumber such as nailers and curbs will be provided and installed by Contractor.

1.2 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Rough Carpentry Lumber: Visible grade stamp of agency certified by SFPA.
- B. Provide Underwriters' Laboratories (UL) approved identification for fire resistant treated materials.

1.3 REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

- A. Conform to applicable building code, latest edition, for fire retardant requirements of wood.
- B. Conform to FM Loss Data Bulletin I-49 for securement requirements.

1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit shop drawings and product data under provisions of Section 013300.
- B. Indicate materials, fastening methods, accessories, and locations.
- C. Submit manufacturer's certifications under provisions of Section 013300 that wood treatment is in accordance with applicable requirements.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MATERIALS

- A. Lumber and Wood Cants: No. 2 Grade Yellow Pine, Standard Douglas Fir.
- B. Curbs and curb extensions: No. 2 grade yellow pine, Standard Douglas Fir, pressure treated, KDAT 19%.
- C. Plywood: Wolmanized, 5/8-inch, exterior grade CDX or better, APA grade marked.

2.2 WOOD TREATMENT

A. Wood Preservative (Pressure Treatment): Shop pressure treatment using waterborne preservatives; 0.25 pounds per cubic foot of preservative, kiln dried after treatment (KDAT) to maximum 19 percent moisture content, meeting Federal Specification TT-W-550, or the latest Federal approval for wood preservative pressure treatment.

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2.3 SCHEDULE OF FASTENERS

A. Fasteners – General:

- 1. Exposed fasteners: non-ferrous stainless steel with bonded neoprene washers.
- 2. Fasteners compatible to all materials to which they come in contact so that dielectric corrosion does not occur.

B. Wood Nailer Fasteners:

- 1. Wood Substrate: Non-ferrous stainless steel screws, gauge and length to suit application and as necessary to penetrate underlying wood support members a minimum of 1-1/4 inch. Each screw to have a minimum pull out resistance of 100 pounds.
- 2. Metal Substrate: A No. 12 Factory Mutual approved, fluorocarbon coated roofing screw.
- 3. Concrete or masonry surfaces: Non-ferrous stainless steel anchor with expansion shank, length as recommended by manufacturer for minimum 1,000 pound pull-outresistance.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify that surfaces are ready to receive work.
- B. Verify mechanical, electrical, and building items affecting work of this Section are placed and ready to receive this work.
- C. Beginning of installation means acceptance of existing conditions.

3.2 PREPARATION

A. Before installation, prime paint wood surfaces of items or assembles to be in contact with cementitious materials.

3.3 INSTALLATION

- A. Set and secure materials and components in place, plumb and level.
- B. Install components with approved fasteners suited to materials.

C. Curbs:

- 1. Install new wood to provide total height of a minimum of 8 inches above the finished roof surface, and to allow for height of tapered insulation system and crickets, as applicable.
- 2. Fasten securely to substrate.
- 3. Treat surfaces exposed by cutting as recommended by preservative manufacturer.
- 4. Fasten wood curb to nailer prior to installation with appropriate wood nailer fasteners on 12-inch centers.
- D. Wood Nailer Installation: Attach nailers to wood substrates with two rows of appropriate fasteners on 12-inch centers, or as shown in Drawings. Offset fasteners from underlying wood nailerfasteners.

END OF SECTION

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SECTION 07220 ROOF AND DECKINSULATION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

A. Roof and Deck Insulation.

1.2 RELATED WORK

- A. Section 06100 Rough Carpentry
- B. Section 07530 Fully Adhered Single-Ply Membrane System
- C. Section 07600 Flashing and Sheet Metal

SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

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- A. New Roof System Insulation: Rigid insulation board consisting of two (2) layers (1.5") inch polyiso rigid insulation board as specified to achieve a complete and proper substrate for the specified roof membrane system.
- B. ½" High Density polyiso board.
- C. Tapered Polyisocyanurate Insulation for crickets, saddles and sumps: ASTM C1289, closed cell foam core bonded to fiberglass facers top and bottom, slope as required to achieve minimum two times the opposing slope per foot; minimum ¾-inch starting thickness and maximum thickness of 2": 4'x4' maximum board dimension.

1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit manufacturer's installation instructions, samples and product data, in accordance with the provisions of Section 01300.
- B. Submit two full size samples of each insulation board type and thickness.
- C. Submit manufacturer's certificate, in accordance with the provisions of Section 01300, that products meet or exceed specified requirements.
- D. Submit certification from roof membrane manufacturer that board insulation materials are acceptable for use with roof membrane materials.

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- E. For mechanically attached systems, submit results of the fastener pull-out resistance testing. Provide fastener pull-out resistance test results. Pull-out resistance testing is to be performed by a technical representative of the fastener manufacturer. A minimum number resistance tests shall be performed and documented. Any pull tests falling below the value required by the system manufacturer shall be re-tested in the same vicinity of the low value test.
- F. For fully adhered systems, submit manufacturer's latest published installation instructions for their two-component, low-rise polyurethane insulation adhesive applied in beads for adhesive attachment of approved roof insulations to acceptable substrates.

1.5 STORAGE AND HANDLING

- A. Store products of this Section in lockable watertight storage containers.
- B. Rooftop storage shall be limited to quantities of material that can be installed daily. No overnight rooftop storage of materials is permitted.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 INSULATION BOARD

A. Polyiso Rigid Insulation Board: , closed cell foam core bonded to fiberglass facers top and bottom, in compliance with ASTM C 1289

Thickness: Two (2) layers of 1.5" polyiso.

One (1) layer of 1/2" HD polyiso.

B. Tapered Polyisocyanurate Insulation for crickets, saddles and sumps: ASTM C1289, closed cell foam core bonded to fiberglass facers top and bottom, slope as required to achieve minimum two times the opposing slope per foot; minimum ¾-inch starting thickness and maximum thickness of 2"; 4'x4' maximum board dimension.

2.2 FASTENERS

- A. Fasteners and Plates: Polymer coated case-hardened steel screw with pre-assembled galvanized steel plate, as approved by the insulation and membrane manufacturer to be included in their SystemWarranty.
- B. Bead Adhesive: Insulation manufacturer's recommended bead adhesive, two-component, low-rise polyurethane insulation adhesive, in accordance with the manufacturer's latest published installation requirements, applied in beads for adhesive attachment of insulation with bead spacing as recommended by manufacturer.
- C. Provide adhesive manufacturer's Insulation Adhesive Test Report.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 PREPARATION

A. Clean deck. If necessary, repair deteriorated or non-serviceable steel deck in accordance with Section 07015.

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3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Verify and document in Daily Report that the existing deck/substrate is functional; insulation board is free from moisture and suitable as substrate for roof membrane.
- B. Install insulation in accordance with the primary roofing materials manufacturer's latest published recommendations.

END OF SECTION

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SECTION 07530 THERMOPLASTIC TPOMEMBRANE SYSTEM

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 DESCRIPTION

- A. <u>Base Bid</u>: Installation of fully adhered TPO roof membrane and flashings.
- B. The roof system (membrane, flashings, accessories, and insulation) shall qualify for the Manufacturer's Twenty (20) Year No Dollar Limit (NDL) System Guarantee. The Warranty shall be fully transferable.

1.2 RELATED SECTIONS

- A. Section 06100 Rough Carpentry
- B. Section 07220 Roof and Deck Insulation
- C. Section 07600 Flashings and Sheet Metal

1.3 EXTENT OF WORK

- A. Provide all labor, material, tools, equipment, and supervision necessary to complete the installation of a .060" (60-mil) thick, white, reinforced TPO (Thermoplastic Polyolefin) membrane, and flashings as specified herein and as indicated on the Drawings in accordance with the manufacturer's most current specifications, details, and the Specifications and Drawings, whichever is more stringent.
- B. Contractor shall be fully knowledgeable of all requirements of the Contract Documents and shall make themselves aware of all job site conditions that will affect their work.
- C. Contractor shall confirm all given information and advise the Roof Consultant and Architect, prior to bid, of any conflicts that will affect their cost proposal.
- D. Any Contractor who intends to submit a bid using a roofing system other than the approved manufacturers must submit for pre-qualification in writing a minimum of four calendar days prior to the bid date. Any Contractor who fails to submit all information as requested will be subject to rejection. Bids stating "as per plans and specs" will be unacceptable.

1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Prior to starting work, the Contractor must submit the following:
 - 1. Shop drawings showing layout, details of construction and identification of materials.

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- 2. Sample of the manufacturer's Twenty (20) Year NDL Membrane System Warranty, and copy of the Application for Warranty.
- 3. Submit a letter of certification from the manufacturer, which certifies that the Contractor has been authorized a minimum of 5 years to install the manufacturer's Twenty Year NDL System Warranty and list foremen who have received training from the manufacturer along with the dates training was received.
- 4. For mechanically fastened systems, certification from the membrane manufacturer indicating the fasteners are capable of providing a static back out resistance of 300 pounds minimum.
- 5. Certification from the membrane manufacturer indicating the membrane thickness over the reinforcing scrim (top ply membrane thickness) is nominal .015" (15-mil).
- 6. Certification of the manufacturer's warranty reserve.
- 7. Copy of the Energy Star Rebate Application to the primary electric power provider for the Project, as applicable.
- 8. Copy of the pre-existing damage documentation.
- B. Upon completion of the installed work, submit:
 - 1. Copies of the manufacturer's final inspection prior to the issuance of the manufacturer's warranty.

1.5 PRODUCT DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver materials to the job site in the manufacturer's original, unopened containers or wrappings with the manufacturer's name, brand name and installation instructions intact and legible. Deliver in sufficient quantity to permit work to continue without interruption.
- B. No overnight rooftop storage will be permitted.
- C. Comply with the manufacturer's written instructions for proper material storage.
 - 1. Store membrane in the original undisturbed plastic wrap in a cool, shaded area and cover with light-colored, breathable, waterproof tarpaulins. Membrane that has been exposed to the elements for approximately 7 days must be prepared with manufacturer's membrane cleaner prior to hot air welding.
 - 2. Store curable materials (adhesives and sealants) between 60 degrees F and 80 degrees F in dry areas protected from water and direct sunlight. If exposed to lower temperature, restore to 60 degrees F minimum temperature before using.
 - 3. Store materials containing solvents in dry, well-ventilated spaces with proper fire and safety precautions. Keep lids on tight. Use before expiration of their shelf life.

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D. Any materials which are found to be damaged shall be removed and replaced at the applicator's expense.

1.6 WORK SEQUENCE

- A. Schedule and execute work to prevent leaks and excessive traffic on completed roof sections. Care should be exercised to provide protection for the interior of the building and to ensure water does not flow beneath any completed sections of the membrane system.
- B. Furnish and install temporary membrane protection for all foot and equipment traffic required over newly installed completed roofing sections.
- C. Do not disrupt activities in occupied spaces.

1.7 USE OF THE PREMISES

- A. Before beginning work, the Contractor must secure approval from the building owner's representative for the following:
 - 1. Areas permitted for personnel parking.
 - 2. Access to the site.
 - 3. Areas permitted for storage of materials and debris.
 - 4. Areas permitted for the location of cranes, hoists and chutes for loading and unloading materials to and from the roof.

1.8 EXISTING CONDITIONS

A. If discrepancies are discovered between the existing conditions and those noted on the drawings, immediately notify the Architect and Roof Consultant by phone and solicit the manufacturer's approval prior to commencing with the work. Necessary steps shall be taken to make the building watertight until the discrepancies are resolved.

1.9 TEMPORARY FACILITIES AND CONTROLS

- A. Temporary Utilities:
 - 1. Water, power for construction purposes and lighting are available at the site and will be made available to the Contractor, by prior approval of the Owner; and said use will not interfere with the building's operations.
 - 2. Provide all hoses, valves and connections for water from source designated by the owner when made available.
 - 3. When available, electrical power should be extended as required from the source. Provide all trailers, connections and fused disconnects.

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B. Temporary Sanitary Facilities

1. Sanitary facilities will not be available at the job site. The Contractor shall be responsible for the provision and maintenance of portable toilets or their equal.

C. Building Site:

- 1. Contractor shall use reasonable care and responsibility to protect the building and site against damages. The contractor shall be responsible for the correction of any damage incurred as a result of the performance of the Contract.
- A pre-roof construction walk-through of the interior and exterior of the building shall be performed by the Contractor's Project Manager and a representative of the Owner to document all pre-existing damage by digital photographs or by video, to be submitted to the Architect and Roof Consultant. At the end of the Project, the correction of all roof related damages not previously documented, shall be the responsibility of the Contractor to correct.
- 3. The Contractor shall remove all debris from the job site in a timely and legally acceptable manner so as to not detract from the aesthetics or the functions of the building.

D. Security:

1. Comply with the owner's requirements for personnel identification, inspection and other security measures.

1.10 JOB SITE PROTECTION

- A. The Contractor shall adequately protect building, paved areas, service drives, lawn, shrubs, trees, etc. from damage while performing the required work. Provide canvas, boards and sheet metal (properly secured) as necessary for protection and remove protection material at completion. The contractor shall repair or be responsible for costs to repair all property damaged during the roofing application.
- B. During the Contractor's performance of the work, the building owner will continue to occupy the existing building. The contractor shall take precautions to prevent the spread of dust and debris, particularly where such material may sift into the building. The Contractor shall provide labor and materials to construct, maintain and remove necessary temporary enclosures to prevent dust or debris in the construction area(s) from entering the remainder of the building.
- C. Do not overload any portion of the building, either by use of or placement of equipment, storage of debris, or storage of materials.
- D. Protect against fire and flame spread. Maintain proper and adequate fire extinguishers.
- E. Take precautions to prevent drains, gutters and downspouts from clogging during the roofing application. Remove debris at the completion of each day's work and clean drains and gutters if required. At completion, test drains and gutters to ensure the system is free running and drains are watertight. Remove strainers and plug drains in areas

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Where work is in progress. Install flags or other telltales on plugs. Remove plugs each night and replace strainers.

F. Remove all traces of piled bulk materials and return the job site to its original condition upon completion of the work.

1.11 WORKMANSHIP

- A. Applicators installing new roof, flashing and related work shall be factory trained and approved by the manufacturer they are representing.
- B. All work shall be of highest quality and in strict accordance with the manufacturer's published specifications and to the building owner's and Roof Consultant's satisfaction.
- C. Provide at least one thoroughly trained and experienced, non-working English speaking superintendent on the job at all times roofing work is in progress.

1.12 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. The roofing system must achieve a UL Class A and fastening pattern equal to FM 1-75 rating.
- B. Unless otherwise noted in this specification, the Contractor must strictly comply with the manufacturer's current specifications and details.
- C. The roofing system must be installed by an applicator authorized and trained by the manufacturer in compliance with shop drawings as approved by the manufacturer.
- D. Provide an adequate number of experienced workmen regularly engaged in this type of work who are skilled in the application techniques of the materials specified.
- E. There shall be no deviations made from this specification or the approved shop drawings without the prior written approval of the Architect and Roof Consultant. Any deviation from the manufacturer's installation procedures must be supported by a written certification on the manufacturer's letterhead and presented for the Architect and Roof Consultant's consideration.
- F. Before commencement of the roof construction, the Contractor shall arrange for inspections to be made by a non-sales technical representative of the membrane manufacturer, as follows:
 - 1. On the first day of roof membrane installation;
 - 2. A minimum of one interim inspection;
 - 3. A final inspection in order to determine whether or not corrective work will be required before the warranty will be issued.
 - 4. Notify the Architect and Roof Consultant seventy-two (72) hours prior to the manufacturer's inspections, and coordinate the inspection visits to coincide with visits by the Contractor's Project Manager, and the Roof Consultant.
 - 5. Provide copies of the membrane manufacturer's inspection reports to the Architect and

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Roof Consultant not later than five (5) calendar days following the inspection.

1.13 JOB CONDITIONS, CAUTIONS AND WARNINGS

- A. Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) must be on location at all times during the transportation, storage and application of materials.
- B. When positioning membrane sheets, locate all field splices away from low spots and out of drain sumps. All field splices shall be shingled to prevent bucking of water.
- C. When loading materials onto the roof, the installer must comply with the requirements of the building owner to prevent overloading and possible disturbance to the building structure.
- D. Proceed with roofing work only when weather conditions are in compliance with the manufacturer's recommended limitations, and when conditions will permit the work to proceed in accordance with the manufacturer's requirements and recommendations.
- E. Proceed with work so new roofing materials are not subject to construction traffic. When necessary, new roof sections shall be protected and inspected upon completion for possible damage.
- F. Provide temporary protection, such as 3/4 inch thick plywood over minimum 1-inch thick rigid insulation board, for all roof areas exposed to traffic during construction. Plywood must be smooth and free of fasteners and splinters. Ensure temporary protection is weighed down to prevent wind uplift.
- G. The surface on which the insulation or roofing membrane is to be applied shall be clean, smooth, dry, and free of projections or contaminants that would prevent proper application of or be incompatible with the new installation, such as fins, sharp edges, foreign materials, oil and grease.
- H. New roofing shall be complete and weathertight at the end of each workday.
- I. Contaminants such as grease, fats and oils shall not be allowed to come in direct contact with the roofing membrane.
- J. Pro-rated System Warranties shall not be accepted. The System Warranty shall be fully transferable, and transfer of the Warranty shall not be unreasonably withheld.

Evidence of the manufacturer's warranty reserve shall be included as part of the project submittals for the Roof Consultant's approval.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

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2.1 GENERAL

- A. All components of the specified roofing system shall be products of the following approved manufacturers:
 - Carlisle-Syntec
 - 2. GAF Mfr.
 - 3. Firestone Building Products
 - 4. Pre-bid approved equivalent.
- B. All products (including insulation, fasteners, fastening plates and edgings) must be manufactured and supplied by the roofing system manufacturer and covered by the warranty. Any products required by the Project not manufactured by the roofing system manufacturer shall be approved for use, in writing, by the roofing systems manufacturer.

2.2 MEMBRANE

A. Furnish .060" (60-mil) thick, white reinforced TPO (Thermoplastic Polyolefin) membrane as needed to complete the roofing system. Membrane thickness over the reinforcing scrim (top-ply thickness) shall be nominal .015" thick (15-mil).

2.3 INSULATION/UNDERLAYMENT

A. The rigid insulation board shall be as specified in Section 07220.

2.4 ADHESIVES AND CLEANERS

All products shall be furnished by the primary membrane manufacturer, and specifically formulated for the intended purpose.

- A. Bonding Adhesive
- B. Edge Sealant
- C. Water Cut-Off Mastic and Sealant
- D. Pocket Sealant
- E. Membrane Cleaner

2.5 FASTENERS AND PLATES

A. Seam Fastening Plates at Concrete Walls: 1-1/4" long expansion anchor with a zinc plated steel drive pin, 8 inches on center maximum, with 3" diameter round galvanized plate.

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PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 GENERAL

- A. Inspect the deck/existing spudded roof assembly and verify preparation to provide an acceptable installation of the membrane system.
- B. Comply with the manufacturer's published instructions for the installation of the membrane roofing system including proper substrate preparation, jobsite considerations and weather restrictions.
- C. Position sheets to accommodate contours of the roof deck and shingle splices to avoid bucking water.

3.2 MEMBRANE PLACEMENT AND ATTACHMENT

- A. Unroll and position membrane without stretching. Provide and secure both perimeter and field membrane sheets in accordance with the manufacturer's most current specifications, details, the Contract Document Specifications and Drawings, and FM 1-75.
- B. Secure the membrane with bonding adhesive, in strict accordance with the manufacturer's requirements to qualify for a Twenty (20) Year NDL system warranty.
- C. Install adjoining membrane sheets in the same manner in accordance with the manufacturer's specifications. Using a heavy roller, recommended by the membrane manufacturer, roll the membrane into the bed of adhesive to insure solid adhesion.

3.3 MEMBRANE SPLICING/HOT AIR WELDING PROCEDURES

- A. Perform calibration test of the automatic hot air welding machine or hot air hand welder in accordance with the manufacturer's specifications, with Roof Consultant present prior to commencing installation. Record calibration test in Daily Logs.
- B. Hot air weld the membrane using the calibrated automatic hot air welding machine or hot air hand welder in accordance with the manufacturer's specifications. At all splice intersections, roll the seam with a silicone roller prior to membrane seam cooling.
- C. Probe all seams once the hot air welds have thoroughly cooled (approximately 30 minutes). Document in Daily Log that all seams have been probed and the results of probes.
- Provide a minimum of two (2) side lap seam "tear" samples, indicating compliant seaming as indicated by exposed scrim in lap "tear".
- D. by exposed scrim in lap "tear".Date and retain samples including one (1) dated sample for Roof Consultant's Field Observer.
- E. Repair all seam deficiencies the same day they are discovered. Document in Daily Log when deficient seams are discovered and repaired.
- F. Apply cut edge sealant on all cut edges of reinforced membrane (where the scrim reinforcement is exposed) after seam probing is complete.

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3.4 FLASHING

- A. Flashing of parapets, curbs, expansion joints and other parts of the roof must be performed using reinforced TPO membrane.
- B. Non-reinforced TPO membrane can be used for flashing pipe and tube penetrations, sealant pockets, scuppers, as well as inside and outside corners, only when the use of pre-fabricated accessories is not feasible, in accordance with the membrane manufacturer, Contract Document requirements, and if approved by Roof Consultant in writing.

3.5 WALKWAYS

- A. Install walkway pads where shown in the Drawings, and as required by the membrane manufacturer.
- B. Hot air weld walkway pads to the membrane in accordance with the manufacturer's specifications.

3.6 DAILY SEAL

- A. On phased roofing, when the completion of flashings and terminations is not achieved by the end of the work day, a daily seal must be performed to temporarily close the membrane to prevent water infiltration.
- B. Complete an acceptable membrane seal in accordance with the manufacturer's requirements.

3.7 CLEAN UP

- A. Perform daily clean-up to collect all wrappings, empty containers, paper, and other debris from the project site. Remove all debris from roof on a daily basis. Overnight storage of debris is prohibited. Upon completion, all debris must be disposed of in a legally acceptable manner.
- B. Prior to the manufacturer's inspection for warranty and request for Substantial Completion site visit, the applicator must perform a pre-inspection to review all work and to verify all flashing has been completed as well as the application of all caulking. Submit pre-inspection report to Architect and Roof Consultant no later than three (3) calendar days following inspection.

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SECTION 076000 FLASHING AND SHEET METAL

PART I - GENERAL

1.1 WORK INCLUDED

- A. Install flashing and sheet metal as indicated on Drawings and in these specifications as required for a complete and proper installation. The following items are included:
 - 1. Curb Flashing.
 - 2. Counter flashing.
 - 3. Counter flashing and termination bars, roof mounted mechanical equipment, vent stacks, and other terminations.
 - 4. Coping cap metal.

1.2 RELATED WORK

- A. Section 07015 Preparation for Reroofing
- B. Section 06100 Rough Carpentry
- C. Section 07220 Roof and Deck Insulation
- D. Section 07530 Fully Adhered Single Ply Membrane System

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit shop drawings and product data under provisions of Section 01300.
- B. Describe material profile, jointing pattern, jointing details, fastening methods, and installation details.
- C. Submit samples under provisions of Section 01300.
- D. Provide full sized sample of metal flashing and post supports illustrating typical seam, external corner, internal corner, material, and finish.

1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Perform work in accordance with SMACNA and NRCA standard details and requirement.

1.5 QUALIFICATIONS

A. Company specializing in sheet metal flashing work with a minimum of 10-years documented experience.

1.6 STORAGE AND HANDLING

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A. Stack pre-formed materials to prevent twisting, bending, or abrasion, and to provide ventilation.

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- B. Prevent contact with materials during storage that may cause discoloration, staining, or damage. "White rust" is considered damage and is cause for rejection.
- C. Deliver materials to the job site in the manufacturer's original, unopened packages and containers bearing manufacturer's name and label.

1.7 WARRANTY

- A. Sheet Metal work and accessories to be included in Two-Year Contractor's Warranty.
- B. Provide pre-finished metal manufacturer's twenty-year coating guarantee.
- C. Provide pre-finished metal manufacturer's twenty-year galvanized steel guarantee.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 SHEET METALS

- A. Sheet metal flashing: 24-gauge galvanized steel.
- B. Sheet metal flashing:
 - 1. Base Bid: 24-gauge galvanized steel, TPO coated metal.
- C. Pre-finished metal: 24-gauge galvanized steel, Kynar 500.
- D. Lead: FS QQ-L-171e, hard lead, containing no less than 4 percent or more than 6 percent antimony.
- E. Copper: 16 oz. sheet

2.2 SHEET METAL COMPONENTS (as applicable)

- A. Counterflashing: 24-gauge galvanized steel.
- B. Edge flashing, Expansion Joint Covers, Coping, Conductor heads, Gutters, and Downspouts: Prefinished 24-gauge galvanized steel.
- C. Two-piece fascia extension is required whenever fascia vertical height exceeds 8 inches.
- D. Downspout Hangers: Minimum 1/8-inch by 1-inch galvanized steel.
- E. Cover Plates, End Caps and Miscellaneous Sheet Metal: Same materials, gauge and profile as edge metal or expansion joint material.
- F. Cleats: 22-gauge galvanized steel.
- G. Tubular Penetration Sleeves and Rain Hoods: Minimum 24-gauge galvanized steel.
- H. Lead Sleeves: Minimum 2 1/2-pound lead.

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- I. Splash Block: Pre-cast concrete at ground level, where downspout discharges on surfaces other than asphalt or concrete only.
- J. Termination Bar: 1/8-inch by 1-inch galvanized bar with pre-drilled holes minimum 8- inches on center.

2.3 ACCESSORIES

- A. Solder: ANSI/ASTM B 32 50/50 type.
- B. Elastomeric Membrane: 30 mil-thick PVC vinyl water barrier.
- C. Ice and Water Shield: as manufactured by W. R. Grace and Company, or approved equivalent.
- D. Clamping Collar: Stainless steel of size necessary to fit over vent or pipe circumference, as applicable.
- E. Self-Sealing Moisture Barrier Sheet: Heat resistant, self –adhering moisture barrier.

2.4 SEALANT

- A. Type I: Application exposures to sunlight, ASTM C-920-87, Federal Specification TT-S-00230-C one component gun-grade polyurethane sealant suitable for continuous immersion and resistant to asphalt products.
- B. Type II: Applications not exposed to sunlight, butyl rubber based.
- C. Hot vent sealant: one component neutral moisture curing silicone sealant.

2.5 SCHEDULE OF FASTENERS

- A. Exposed fasteners: Shall be non-ferrous stainless steel with stainless steel bonded neoprene or EPDM washers.
- B. Fasteners shall be compatible to all materials to which they come in contact.
- C. Cleat, Counter-flashing, and Surface Fastened Components.
 - 1. Wood Substrate: No. 10 non-ferrous stainless steel wood screws with stainless steel bonded neoprene washers of length necessary to penetrate wood substrate one inch.
 - 2. Metal Substrate: Minimum No. 10 non-ferrous stainless steel sheet metal screws or as necessary to suit application with stainless steel bonded neoprene washers.
- D. Blind Pop-Rivets: Non-ferrous Stainless steel.

2.6 FABRICATION

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- A. Form sections to match existing profiles, true to shape, accurate in size, square, and free from distortion or defects.
- B. Fabricate continuous cleats and starter strips of same material as sheet, inter-lockable with sheet.

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- C. Form pieces in longest practical lengths.
- D. Hem exposed edges of metal 1/2-inch; miter and seam corners.
- E. Form materials with cover plate seam.
- F. Fasten and seal metal joints.
- G. Fabricate corners from one piece with minimum 18-inch and maximum 36-inch long legs; fasten for rigidity, seal with sealant.
- H. Fabricate vertical faces with bottom edge formed outward 1/4-inch and hemmed to form drip.
- I. Form edge metal/fascia as existing profiles as specified herein and as shown on Drawings.
- J. Form sections square, true, and accurate in size, in maximum possible lengths and free of distortion or defects detrimental to appearance or performance. Allow for expansion at joints
- K. Enlarge holes for fastening counter flashing, coping, and pressure bars as necessary to allow for thermal expansion and contraction. Cover exposed holes with appropriate washers.
- L. All fabrication and installation of sheet metal shall be in accordance with the latest published SMACNA and NRCA guidelines and recognized roofing and sheet metal industry standards.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify roof openings, curbs, pipes, sleeves, ducts, or vents through roof are solidly set, and cant strips in place, and nailing strips located.
- B. Verify membrane termination and base flashings are in place, sealed, and secure.
- C. Beginning of installation means acceptance of existing conditions.

3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Field measure site conditions prior to fabricatingwork.
- B. Apply bituminous protective backing on surfaces in contact with dissimilar materials.
- C. Tie-ins or contact with dissimilar metals: Install separation layer of elastomeric membrane between metal surfaces.

3.3 INSTALLATION - GENERAL

- A. Provide flashings of materials indicated on Drawings at all junctures of the roof with perimeters, curbs, mechanical, electrical equipment, etc., that a completely watertight installation is achieved.
- B. Fabricate and install sheet metal work with lines, arises and angles sharp and true, and plane surfaces free from warps and buckles. Bead or return all exposed edges. Tin metal for full area of contact on soldered seams and joints. Do soldering slowly with well heated coppers, thoroughly

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heating seams and completely filling them with solder.

- C. Prime all sheet metal to receive roofing plies or to be set in mastic.
- D. Submit details not covered in Drawings for approval by Owner or Roof Consultant.
- E. Install starter and edge strips, and cleats before starting installation.
- F. Secure flashings in place using concealed fasteners. Use exposed fasteners only in locations approved by Roof Consultant.
- G. Lock and seal all joints.
- H. Fit flashings tight in place. Make corners square, surfaces true and straight in planes, and lines accurate to profiles.
- I. Fasten sheet metal with approved fasteners at a minimum of 12 inches on centers unless otherwise specified in these Specifications or the Drawings.

3.4 TWO-PIECE COUNTERFLASHING INSTALLATION

- A. Secure counterflashing receiver over base flashing to substrate with appropriate fasteners. Secure counterflashing to receiver with stainless steel screws with bonded neoprene washers spaced 12-inches on centers.
- B. Pop-rivet and solder all seams.

3.5 CLEAT INSTALLATION

A. Install cleats for edge/coping flashing with appropriate fasteners on eight-inch centers.

3.4 COPING CAP INSTALLATION

- A. Fabricate and install these flashings according to the latest published SMACNA and NRCA guidelines and in accordance with recognized roofing and sheet metal industry standards.
- B. All horizontal joints shall have a 1" standing seam as shown in the Drawings.
- C. Vertical flanges shall have a minimum height of three (3) inches. High side (outside) shall be cleated continuously; other side mechanically fastened as shown on the drawings.
- D. All corners shall be shop mitered, and all shall not be more than two feet beyond a corner in either direction.

END OF SECTION

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JOINT SEALANTS

PART I - GENERAL

1.01 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

- A. Miscellaneous sealant work related to new roof system, flashing installation, perimeter joints, control and expansion joints. Control and expansion joints in Courtyard masonry walls above 6' (ALTERNATE BID).
- B. Security sealant work up to 6' at control and expansion joints in Courtyard masonry walls (ALTERNATE BID).

1.02 GENERAL PERFORMANCE

A. Joint sealers are required to establish and maintain airtight and waterproof continuous seals on a permanent basis, within recognized limitations of wear and aging for each application. Failures of installed sealers to comply with this requirement will be recognized as failures of materials and workmanship.

1.03 SUBMITTALS

A. Submit manufacturer's product specifications, handling/installation/curing instructions, and performance tested data sheets for each product required.

1.04 **JOB CONDITIONS**

A. Do not proceed with installation of sealants under unfavorable weather conditions. Install elastomeric sealants when temperature is in lower third of temperature range recommended by manufacturer for installation.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.01 MATERIALS

- A. Miscellaneous sealant: Single-component, moisture-cured urethane sealant suitable for exterior applications meeting the following criteria: ASTM C 920, Type S, Grade NS, Class 25, Use T, NT, M, A, G and O.
 - 1. Sonneborn NP-1
 - 2. Approved equivalent.
- B. Security Sealant: Single-component, pick-resistant, moisture-curing, aliphatic, non-sag, polyurethane sealant for security, ASTM C920 Type S, Grade NS, Class 25, Use NT, T, M, A, G and O.
 - 1. Acceptable Product: MasterSeal CR 195 (Formally Sonolastic Ultra) by BASF.
 - 2. Approved equivalent.

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- C. Provide type of joint primer/sealer recommended by sealant manufacturer for joint surfaces to be primed or sealed.
- D. Provide polyethylene bond breaker tape or other plastic tape as recommended by sealant manufacturer, to be applied to sealant-contact surfaces where bond to substrate or joint filler must be avoided for proper performance of sealant. Provide self-adhesive tape where applicable.
- E. Provide compressible backer rod stock of polyethylene foam, polyurethane foam polyethylene jacketed polyurethane foam, butyl rubber foam, neoprene foam or other flexible, permanent, durable non-absorptive material as recommended by sealant manufacturer for back-up of and compatibility with sealant. Where used with hot-applied sealant, provide heat-resistant type that will not be deteriorated by sealant application temperature as indicated.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 INSPECTION

A. Installer must examine substrates, (joint surfaces) and conditions under which joint sealer work is to be performed, and must notify Contractor in writing of unsatisfactory conditions.
 Do not proceed with joint sealer work until unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected in a manner acceptable to Installer.

3.02 **JOINT PREPARATION**

- A. Clean joint surfaces immediately before installation of gaskets, sealants or caulking compounds. Remove all dirt, all old sealants, insecure coatings, moisture and other substrates that could interfere with seal of gasket or bond of sealant or caulking compound. Etch joint bonding surfaces as recommended by sealant manufacturer. Roughen vitreous and glazed joint surfaces as recommended by sealant manufacturer.
- B. Prime or seal joint surfaces where indicated, and where recommended by sealant manufacturer. Confine primer/sealer to areas of sealant bond; do not allow spillage or migration onto adjoining surfaces.

3.03 INSTALLATION

- A. Comply with manufacturer's printed instruction except where more stringent requirements are shown or specified, and except where manufacturer's technical representative directs otherwise.
- B. Set joint filler units at depth or position in joint as indicated to coordinate with other work, including installation of bond breakers, backer rods and sealants. Do not leave voids or gaps between ends of joint filler units.
- C. Install sealant backer rod for liquid-applied sealants, except where shown to be omitted or recommended to be omitted by sealant manufacturer for application indicated.

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- D. Install bond breaker tape where required by manufacturer's recommendations to ensure that liquid-applied sealants will perform as intended.
- E. Employ only proven installation techniques, which will ensure that sealants are deposited in uniform, continuous ribbons without gaps or air pockets, with complete "wetting" of joint bond surfaces equally on opposite sides. Except as otherwise indicated, fill sealant rabbet to a slightly concave surface, slightly below adjoining surfaces. Where horizontal joints are between a horizontal surface and vertical surface, fill joint to form a slight cove, so that joint will not trap moisture and dirt.
- F. Install liquid-applied sealant to depths as shown or, if not shown, as recommended by sealant manufacturer but within the following general limitations, measured at center (thin) section of beads; (not applicable to sealants in lapped joints):
 - 1. For normal moving joints sealed with elastomeric sealants but not subject to traffic, fill joints to a depth equal to 50% of joint width, but neither more than 1/2" deep nor less than 1/4" deep.
 - 2. For joints sealed with non-elastomeric sealants and caulking compounds, fill joints to a depth in range of 75% to 125% of joint width.
- G. Do not allow sealants or compounds to overflow from confines of joints, or to spill onto adjoining work, or to migrate into voids of exposed finishes. Clean adjoining surfaces by whatever means may be necessary to eliminate evidence of spillage.

3.04 CURE AND PROTECTION

A. Cure sealants and caulking compounds in compliance with manufacturer's instructions and recommendations, to obtain high early bond strength, internal cohesive strength and surface durability. Cure and protect sealants in a manner that will minimize increases in modulus of elasticity and other accelerated aging effects. Replace or restore sealants that are damaged or deteriorated during construction period.

3.05 TESTING

- A. Contractor shall notify A/E when joint sealants have cured sufficiently to allow A/E to perform a minimum of three (3) pull tests, at locations selected by A/E.
- B. In the event that pull test results are not satisfactory, Contractor shall remove and replace failed sealants as directed by A/E, at no additional cost to Owner.

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SECTION 15000 INCIDENTAL MECHANICAL WORK

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 DESCRIPTION

For those Projects requiring incidental Mechanical Work; includes installation of temporary mechanical work, disconnects, reconnects, and other incidental mechanical, and plumbing work, not specified herein but necessary for the successful execution of the Work as set forth in the Contract Documents.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MATERIAL AND WORKMANSHIP

- A. All materials and equipment required shall be:
 - 4. Installed by mechanics skilled in their trades, working under the direct supervision of competent experienced foremen or superintendents.
 - 5. Installed in compliance with all applicable Occupational Safety and Health Administration Rules and Regulations.
 - 6. Installed in compliance with all applicable local, Ventilating, Air Conditioning, and Plumbing Codes.
- B. Prior to conducting any mechanical work, perform a complete survey of all roof top mechanical equipment with the Owner's representative to verify the functional condition of the equipment. Document the survey in writing, signed by the Owner's representative and the Contractor. Provide a copy to the Roof Consultant.

2.2 TIMELY PLACEMENT OF MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT

A. Install items specified in Paragraph 2.1 of this Section at the proper time during progress of construction. Coordinate work operations with other trades as necessary.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 GENERAL

- A. Install temporary mechanical work necessary to comply with the work of other Sections.
- B. Remove temporary mechanical work necessary to comply with other Sections at completion of Project and correct any damage to property.
- C. At the end of the Project, any non-functional mechanical equipment (not noted on the survey list) will be the responsibility of the Contractor to restore to functional working order.

 END OF SECTION

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SECTION 16010 INCIDENTAL ELECTRICAL WORK

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 DESCRIPTION

A. For those Projects requiring incidental Electrical Work: Included installation of temporary power, disconnects, reconnects, lightning arrestor systems, and other incidental electrical work necessary to perform the Work of the Contract Documents.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MATERIALS AND WORKMANSHIP

- A. All materials and equipment required shall be:
 - 5. Approved by Underwriters Laboratories and solabeled.
 - 6. For wire and cable, marked as required by Article 310-1- National Electrical Code.
 - 7. Installed by mechanics skilled in their trades, working under the direct supervision of competent experience foremen or superintendents.
 - 8. Installed in compliance with all applicable Occupational Safety and Health Administration and applicable local electrical codes.
- B. Prior to conducting any electrical work, perform a complete survey of all roof top electrical lines and service with the Owner's representative to verify the functional condition of the electrical service. Document the survey in writing, signed by the Owner's representative and the Contractor. Provide a copy to the Roof Consultant.

2.2 TIMELY PLACEMENT OF MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT

A. Install items specified in Paragraph 2.01 of this Section at the proper time during progress of construction. Coordinate work operations with other trades as necessary.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 GENERAL

- A. Provide temporary electrical power as required to perform the Work of the Contract Documents.
- B. Remove all temporary electrical items at completion of Project and correct any damage to property.

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C. At the end of the Project, any non-functional electrical service (not noted on the survey list) will be the responsibility of the Contractor to restore to functional working order.

END OF SECTION

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SECTION 16670 LIGHTNING PROTECTION SYSTEM FOR REROOFING STRUCTURES

PART I. GENERAL

- **1.01 Objective:** To provide safety for the building and occupants by preventing damage to building structure caused by lightning.
- **1.02 Standards**: The following specifications and standards of the latest issue form a part of this specification:
 - (1) Lightning Protection Institute Installation Standard, LPI 175
 - (2) National Fire Protection Association Lightning Protection Standard, NFPA 780
 - (3) Underwriters Laboratories, Inc. Installation Requirements, UL96A
- **1.03 System Design:** The work covered by this section of the specifications consists of furnishing all labor, materials, and items of service required for the completion of a functional and unobtrusive lightning protection system as approved by the architect, engineer, and in strict accordance with this section of the specifications and the applicable contract drawings.

If any departure from the contract drawings or submittal drawings covered below are deemed necessary by the Contractor, details of such departures and reasons therefore shall be submitted as soon as practical to the architect/engineer for approval.

Submittals: Complete catalog cut sheets showing the type, and size of all conductors, through roof/through wall

assemblies, roof conductors, and air terminals shall be submitted to the architect and engineer for approval.

1.05 Quality Assurance: The lightning protection system shall conform to the requirements and standards for lightning protection systems of the LPI, UL, and NFPA. Upon completion, a certification letter and warranty by the installation company will be delivered to the owner. The certification letter and warranty ensures the system has been installed by a company who employs LPI certified Master Designers and Installers and the building structure is protected by a lightning protection system meeting current standards. The lightning protection contractor is required to provide a LPI Master Certification, LPI Re-conditioned Certification or LPI Limited Scope Report from Lightning Protection Institute – Inspection Program (LPI-IP), depending on the lightning protection scope of work.

PART II. PRODUCTS

- **2.01 Standard:** The system to be furnished under this specification shall be the standard product of manufacturers regularly engaged in the production of lightning protection equipment and shall be the manufacturer's latest approved design. The equipment shall be UL listed and properly UL labeled.
- 2.02 The lightning protection contractor will be required to remove the existing lightning protection system and will reinstall any salvageable and new lightning protection components. During the lightning protection removal, the removed equipment must be deemed acceptable to suit the application where it is used in accordance with accepted industry standards and LPI, UL, and NFPA standard requirements, in order for the equipment to be utilized for the reinstallation process.

QUALIFIED MANUFACTURERS:

(1) Advanced Lightning Technology

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(2) East Coast Lightning Equipment

- 2.03 Lightning Protection Equipment: All materials shall be copper and bronze and of the size, weight, and construction to suit the application and used in accordance with LPI, UL, and NFPA code requirements. Class I sized components may be utilized on roof levels 75 feet and below in height. Class II sized components are required for roof levels over 75 feet in height. Bolt type connectors and splicers shall be utilized on Class I and Class II structures. Pressure squeeze clamps are not acceptable. All mounting hardware shall be stainless steel to prevent corrosion.
- **2.04 Aluminum Components:** Aluminum materials may not be used except on roofs that utilize aluminum, galvalume or galvanized metal roofing components. On aluminum, galvalume or galvanized metal roofs or where aluminum, galvalume or galvanized metal parapet caps exist, the entire roof lightning protection equipment shall utilize aluminum components to insure compatibility. However, the down leads and grounding are to utilize copper with the bimetal transition occurring at the through roof assembly with an approved bimetal through roof assembly.
- **2.05 Surge Protection Devices:** A surge protection device at the main electrical service entrance is required by lightning protection standards. The surge protection device must comply with UL Standard 1449 as a Type 1 or Type 2 lightning rated unit of 20kA or more. It shall be the responsibility of the Electrical Contractor to install or verify that a surge protection device is installed on the main electrical service.

PART III. EXECUTION

3.01.1 Installation: The installation shall be accomplished by an experienced installation company that is UL listed,

A member of the Lightning Protection Institute (LPI) and an employer of LPI Certified Master Installers of lightning protection systems and UL listed. A Certified Master Installer shall supervise the work. All equipment shall be installed in a neat, workmanlike manner. The system shall consist of a complete conductor network at the roof and include air terminals, connectors, splicers, bonds, copper down leads, and proper ground terminals. Copper down lead conductors shall be utilized even when aluminum is required on the roof. Down lead conductors in conduit shall not be brought directly through the roof. Through roof assemblies with solid brass or stainless steel rods shall be utilized for this purpose. Structural steel may be utilized in the installation as outlined by UL, NFPA, and LPI.

3.01.2 Coordination: The lightning protection installer will work with other trades to insure a correct, neat and Unobtrusive installation. The roofing contractor will be responsible for sealing and flashing all lightning protection roof penetrations as per the roof manufacturer's recommendations. However, the lightning protection contractor will be required to coordinate locations of through roofs as required. The lightning protection contractor will be required to remove the existing lightning protection system and will reinstall any salvageable and new lightning protection components.

The lightning protection contractor shall use a compatible adhesive to adhere lightning protection components to the roof when required. The lightning protection contractor shall furnish and install the adhesive and obtain an approval of the compatible adhesive from the roof manufacturer/contractor prior to the installation. Should the roofing contractor/manufacturer require any special walk pads, membrane patches, pavers, etc. under the components of the lightning protection system, it shall be the responsibility of the roofing contractor to furnish and install such items. The lightning protection installer shall be responsible for marking the roof with all conductor and/or pad locations.

It shall be the responsibility of the lightning protection installer to assure a sound bond to the main water service and to assure interconnection with other ground systems.

3.02 Completion: Upon completion of the installation, the lightning protection installer shall conform to the Requirements and standards for lightning protection systems of the LPI, UL, and NFPA. Upon completion the following certifications shall be delivered to the owner; a certification letter and warranty by the installation company, and a LPI

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Master Certification, LPI Re-conditioned Certification or LPI Limited Scope Report from Lightning Protection Institute – Inspection Program (LPI-IP), depending on the lightning protection scope of work.

NOTE: FOR PROJECT CLARIFICATION, USE ONE PARAGRAPH OF PART IV IF PROJECT CONNECTS TO AN EXISTING STRUCTURE.

PART IV. CLARIFICATION

4.01 Clarification: This specification recognizes that additions that are attached to a structure which does not fully comply with current lightning protection standards. Therefore, all attached structures shall be reviewed for compliance. The attached structure(s) not fully complying because of damaged systems, missing systems or improperly installed systems shall be fully protected and/or repaired in order to obtain all completion certifications and warranties for the owner.

4.02 Clarification: This specification recognizes additions that are attached to a structure may not fully comply with current lightning protection standards. Therefore, lightning protection shall be provided for new buildings only. Upon completion of the installation, the installer shall furnish a completion certificate and warranty for the new addition only. In addition, a written report of findings and change request will be given on attached structure(s) in order for the facility to comply with current lightning protection standards. If no work is necessary, the completion certifications and warranties shall be provided for the entire structure.

NOTE: SPECIFYING PERSONNEL SHOULD USE ONLY ONE PARAGRAPH 4.01 IN ORDER TO CLARIFY PROJECT REQUIREMENTS AT BID TIME. IF, THE PROJECT IS NOT ATTACHED TO EXISTING STRUCTURE (S), DELETE PART IV.

NOTE: LIGHTNING PROTECTION PENETRATIONS AND/OR ATTACHMENT PROCEDURES SHOULD BE ADDRESSED IN THE ROOFING SECTION OF THE SPECIFICATIONS.

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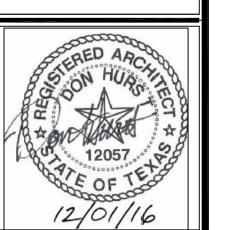
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2. VERIFY ALL DIMENSIONS AND COORDINATE ALL DRAWINGS WITH ACTUAL FIELD CONDITIONS PRIOR TO BIDDING ON THE PROJECT. NOTIFY ROOF CONSULTANT OF ANY DISCREPANCIES PRIOR TO BIDDING.

3. COMPLY WITH THE CURRENT EDITION OF THE APPLICABLE BUILDING, PLUMBING, ELECTRIC OR FIRE CODES, OR OTHER LOCAL APPLICABLE CODE, WHICHEVER IS THE MORE STRINGENT.

4. FASTENING OR ATTACHMENT OF WOOD BLOCKING, NAILERS, STEEL ANGLES, DECKING AND SHEET METAL SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE LATEST EDITION OF FACTORY MUTUAL BULLETIN 1-49.

5. ALL WOOD BLOCKING AND LUMBER SHALL BE KILN-DRIED AFTER TREATMENT (KDAT) AND SHALL BE SCREWED TO ANCHORING SUBSTRATE. STAGGER JOINTS WHEN STACKING LUMBER IN MULTIPLE LAYERS.

6. INSTALL A 1/2" PER FOOT MINIMUM BEVELED OR SLOPED KDAT WOOD SURFACE TO THE TOP OF COPINGS AND EXPANSION JOINTS FOR DRAINAGE. SLOPE THE TOP OF THE COPING TOWARDS THE ROOF SIDE OF THE BUILDING.

7. USE HOT DIPPED GALVANIZED FASTENERS FOR TREATED LUMBER, UNLESS SPECIFIED OTHERWISE.

8. FURNISH AND INSTALL PLYWOOD IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AMERICAN PLYWOOD ASSOCIATION.

9. SHEET METAL WORK SHALL COMPLY WITH SMACNA.

10. PROVIDE CONTINUOUS 22 GA. GALVANIZED STEEL CLEATS WITH FASTENERS SPACED 8" 0.C. AT ALL SHEET METAL GRAVEL GUARD, FASCIA AND COPING. FOR METALS OTHER THAN GALVANIZED STEEL, INSTALL CONTINUOUS CLEAT ONE GAUGE HEAVIER THAN SHEET METAL COMPONENT BEING ATTACHED. STAGGER CLEAT JOINTS FROM JOINTS OF ATTACHED COMPONENTS.

11. PROVIDE BACK-UP PLATES AND COVER PLATES AT ALL GRAVEL GUARD/FASCIA JOINTS.

12. PROVIDE CONTINUOUS WATERPROOFING MEMBRANE BETWEEN SHEET METAL AND TREATED LUMBER.

13. HEM ALL EXPOSED SHEET METAL EDGES A MINIMUM OF 1/2".

14. PROVIDE SHEET METAL COMPONENT CORNERS, INTERSECTIONS, AND TERMINATIONS WITH JOINTS SPACED A MINIMUM OF 18" IN EITHER DIRECTION.

15. SOLDER ALL VERTICAL GALVANIZED STEEL SHEET METAL JOINTS, EXCEPT FOR PRE-FINISHED GALVANIZED STEEL. POP-RIVET AND SEAL ALL VERTICAL JOINTS OF PRE-FINISHED GALVANIZED

16. DO NOT INSTALL WATER DISCHARGE POINTS OVER DOORS, WINDOWS OR SIDEWALKS. IF THE DRAWINGS CONFLICT WITH THE ABOVE REQUIREMENT, CONTRACTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR NOTIFYING ROOF CONSULTANT FOR DIRECTION PRIOR TO INSTALLING.

17. PROVIDE TAPERED CRICKETS ON THE UP-SLOPE SIDE OF ALL CURBS WIDER THAN 18" PERPENDICULAR TO THE ROOF SLOPE DIRECTION.

18. MINIMUM INSULATION THICKNESS IS 1.5", UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED OR SHOWN IN DRAWINGS.

19. PROVIDE A MINIMUM BASE FLASHING HEIGHT OF 8" ABOVE THE PLANE OF THE FINISHED ROOF FOR ALL CURBS. CONTRACTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR VERIFYING IF GREATER THAN 8" BASE FLASHING HEIGHT IS SPECIFIED OR SHOWN IN DRAWINGS.

20. PROVIDE TWO-PIECE COUNTERFLASHING AND RECEIVER FOR ALL ROOFTOP EQUIPMENT CURBS.

21. PROVIDE WOOD BLOCKING BENEATH ALL EMBEDDED METAL FLASHINGS. WOOD BLOCKING SHALL EXTEND A MINIMUM OF 1-1/2" PAST THE METAL FLANGE OF THE FLASHING.

GENERAL NOTES FOR MECHANICAL ROOF PENETRATIONS:

1. INSTALL MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT OR ACCESSORY CURBS TO BEAR ON STRUCTURAL ROOF DECK. ALL ROOFTOP MEP EQUIPMENT SHALL BE SUPPORTED BY KDAT WOOD CURBS WITH MINIMUM 8" BASE FLASHING HEIGHT.

2. INSTALL MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT CURB BASE FLASHING AND SHEET METAL COUNTERFLASHING PRIOR TO SETTING EQUIPMENT ON CURB. PROVIDE MINIMUM 1" CLEARANCE BETWEEN OUTSIDE SURFACE OF CURB AND INSIDE SURFACE OF EQUIPMENT FLANGE. DO NOT INSTALL EQUIPMENT PRIOR TO OBSERVATION AND ACCEPTANCE BY ROOF CONSULTANT.

3. SCOPE OF WORK FOR RAISING MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT CURBS TO SPECIFIED HEIGHTS INCLUDES MODIFYING ALL MECHANICAL, ELECTRICAL AND PLUMBING ASSOCIATED WITH THE EQUIPMENT FOR A COMPLETE OPERATIONAL ASSEMBLY THAT MEETS CURRENT CODE REQUIREMENTS. WORK SHALL BE PERFORMED BY LICENSED INSTALLERS FOR THE APPLICABLE TRADE.

4. SUPPORT ALL ROOF MOUNTED PIPING AND CONDUIT WITH SPECIFIED PIPE HANGERS OR APPROVED EQUIVALENT, SPACED MAXIMUM 10 FEET O.C. COMPLY WITH MANUFACTURER'S INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS. SUPPORT PIPE AND CONDUIT SO THAT BOTTOM ELEVATION OF PIPE OR CONDUIT IS A MINIMUM OF 6" ABOVE THE PLANE OF THE FINISHED ROOF.

Note: the below list is intended as a general description. Contractor shall refer to all drawings and specifications for scope items not listed below.

A. BASE AND ALTERNATE BIDS -GRAVEL SURFACED ROOFS (AREAS A, B, C AS INDICATED IN PROJECT DRAWINGS): SCOPE OF WORK COVERED BY THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING ROOF IMPROVEMENTS AT THE PROJECT:

1. VACUUM AND DISPOSE EXISTING LOOSE GRAVEL FROM THE MULTI-PLY BUILT-UP ROOF MEMBRANE.

2. IDENTIFY AND REPLACE ANY WET INSULATION MATERIAL ON A PER-UNIT COST BASIS AS SPECIFIED.

3. FURNISH AND FULLY ADHERE TWO (2) LAYERS 1.5" POLYISOCYANURATE (ISO) INSULATION.

4. FURNISH AND FULLY ADHERE ONE (1) LAYER 1/2" HIGH DENSITY ISO INSULATION.

5. FURNISH AND FULLY ADHERE 60-MIL TPO ROOF MEMBRANE AND ASSOCIATED FLASHINGS.

6. ROOF SYSTEM SHALL BE U.L. CLASS A FIRE-RATED, AND SHALL QUALIFY FOR THE ROOF MEMBRANE MANUFACTURER'S 20-YEAR NO DOLLAR LIMIT (NDL) GUARANTEE.

7. INSTALL NEW RETROFIT PRIMARY AND OVERFLOW ROOF DRAINS.

8. INSTALL NEW 24-GUAGE TPO COATED METAL SCUPPERS.

9. INSTALL WOOD NAILERS OVER THE EXISTING STONE COPING AT THE PARAPET WALLS AND INSTALL NEW SHEET METAL COPING CAP SYSTEM AS SPECIFIED.

BASE BID: REPLACE CONTROL JOINT MASONRY SEALANTS AT ALL EXTERIOR WALLS ALTERNATE BID: REPLACE CONTROL JOINT MASONRY SEALANTS AT ALL INTERIOR WALLS OF RECREATION AREA

11. COORDINATE WITH LIGHTNING PROTECTION COMPANY THE DIS-CONNECT, RE-CONNECT AND RE-CERTIFICATION

OF THE EXISTING LIGHTNING ARRESTOR SYSTEM.

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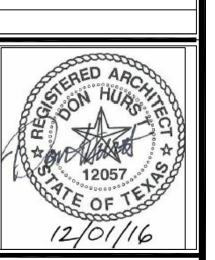
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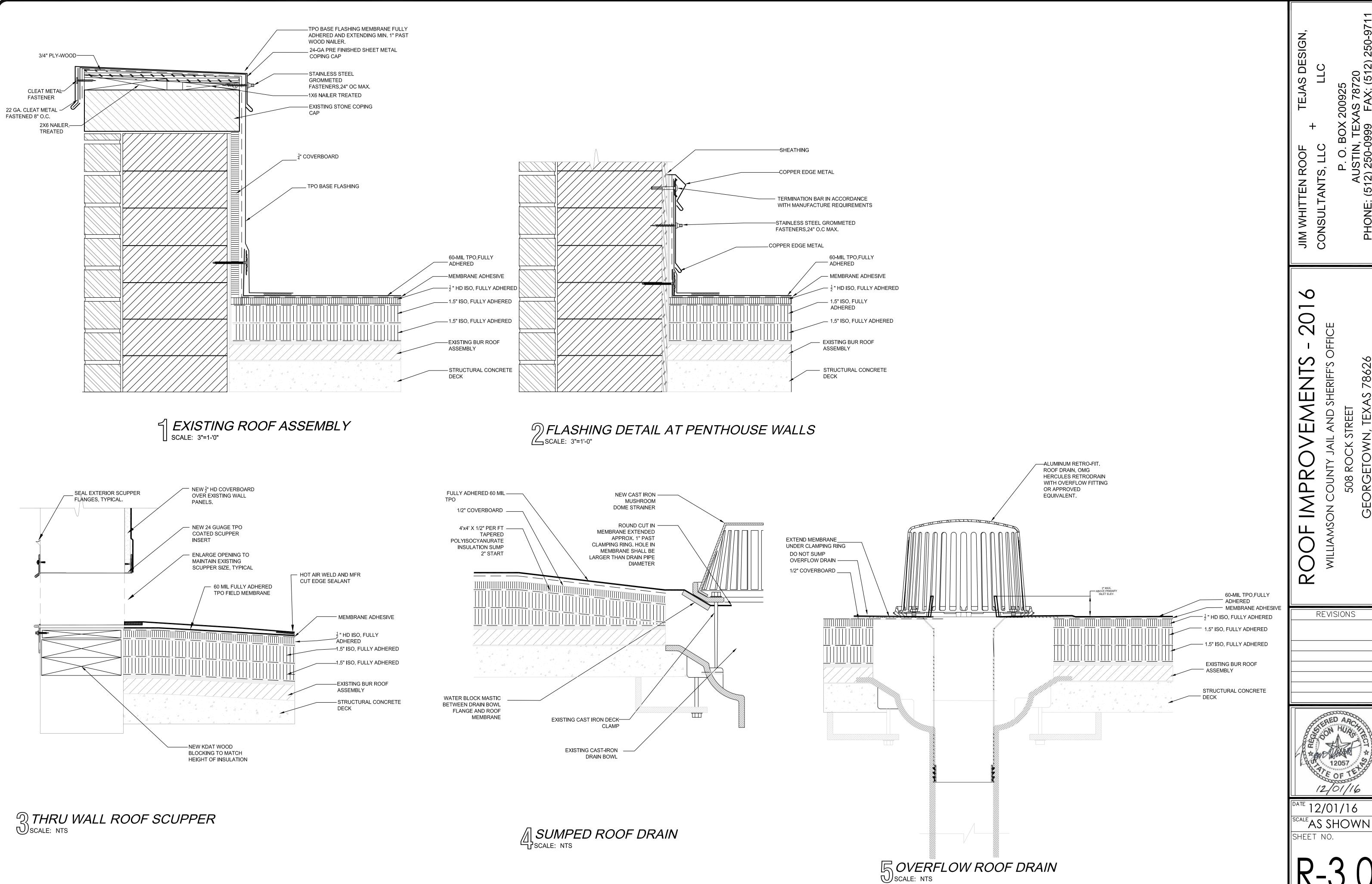
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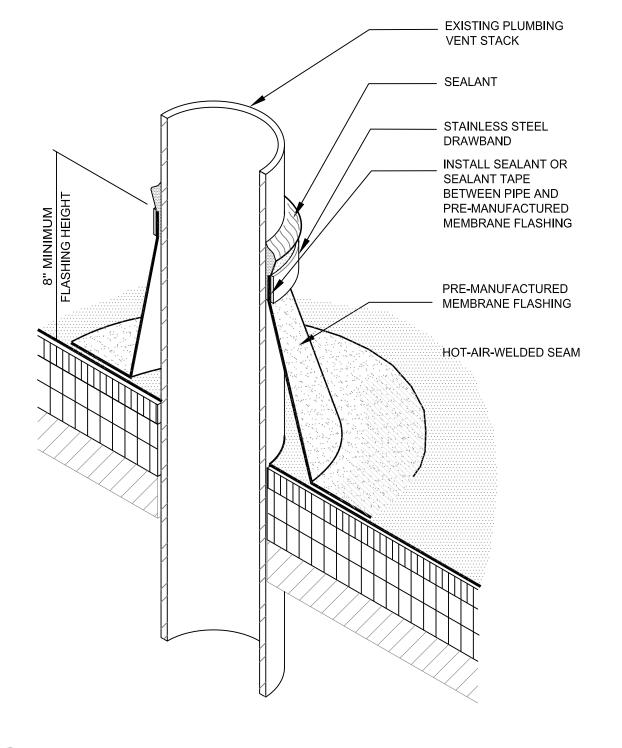
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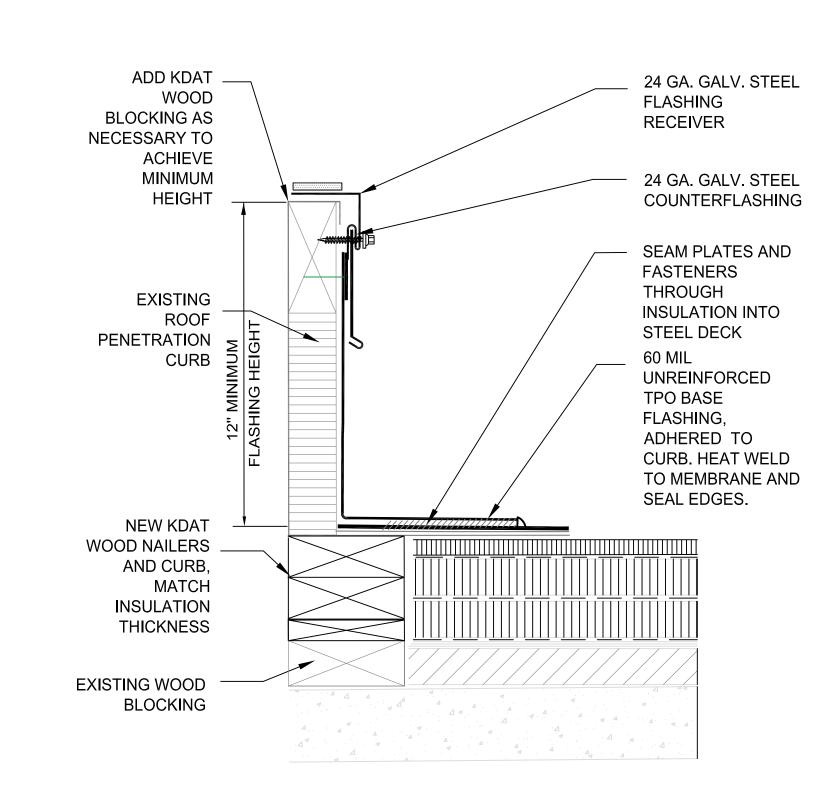


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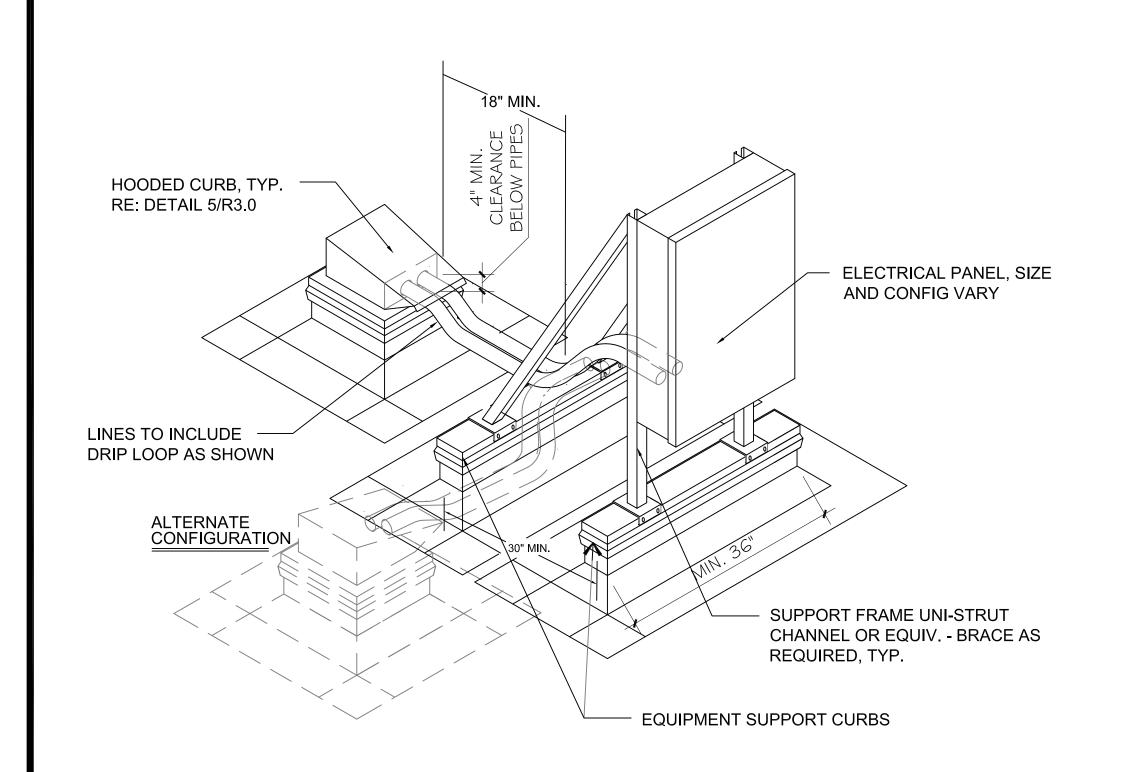
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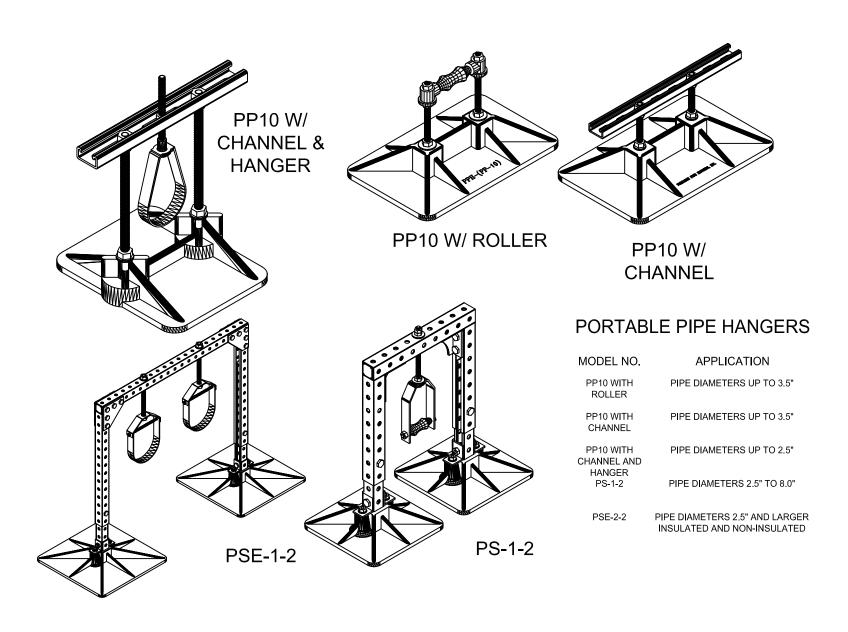
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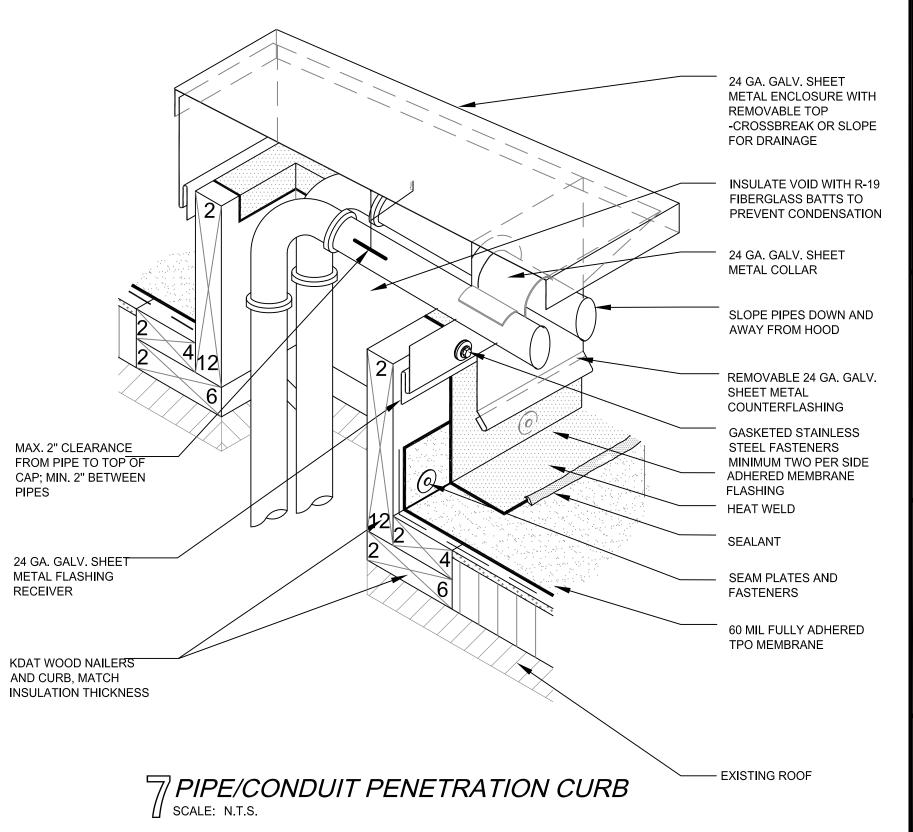
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ROOFTOP PIPE SUPPORTS
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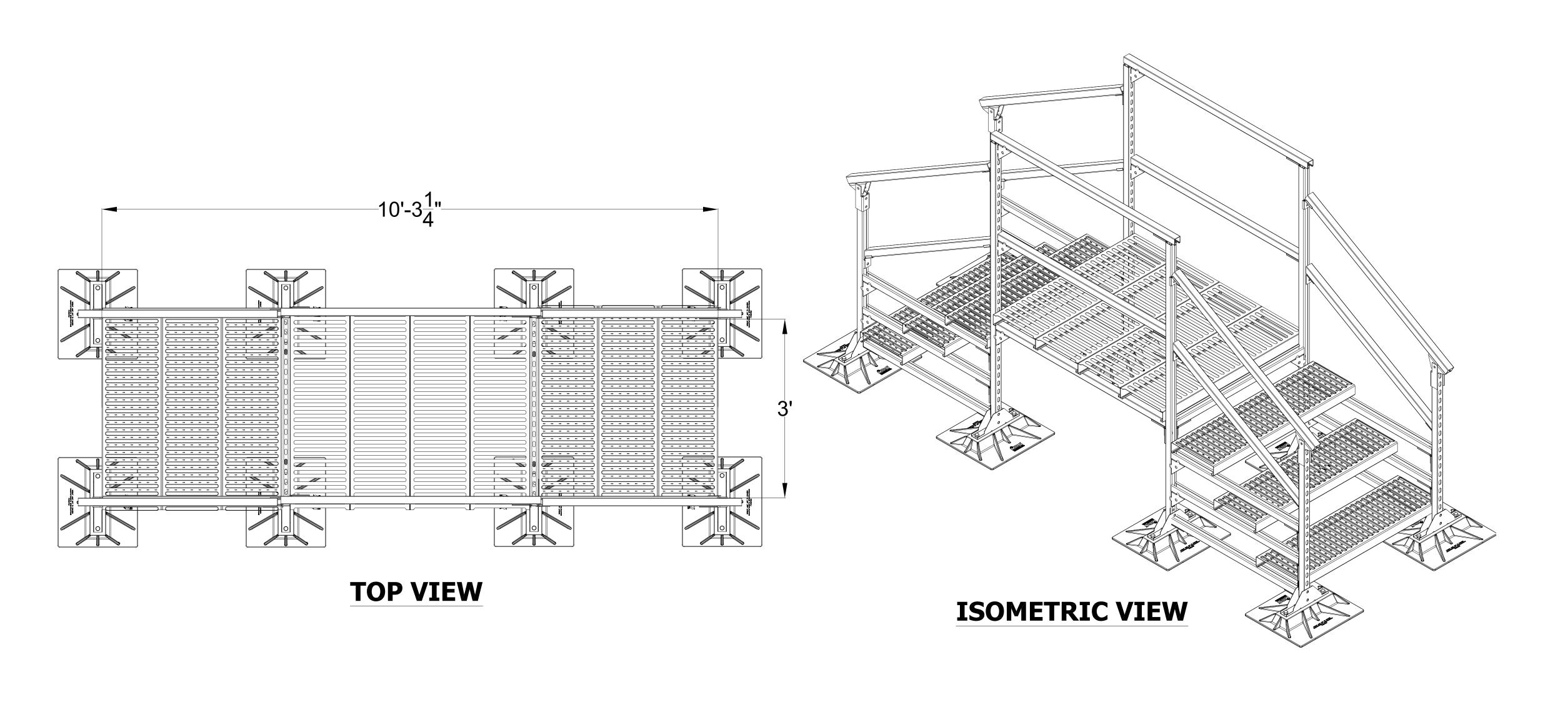
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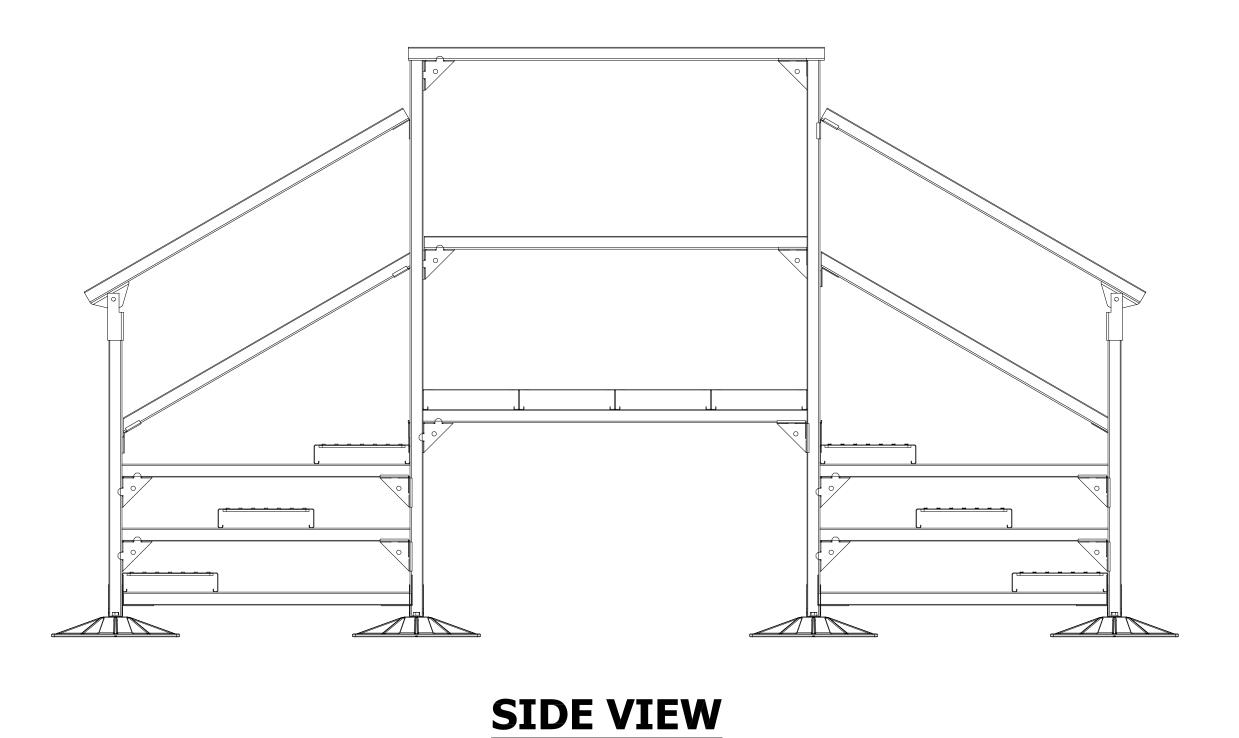
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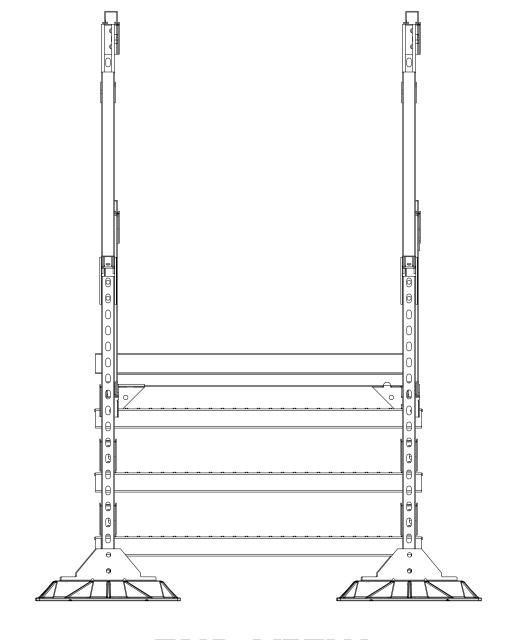
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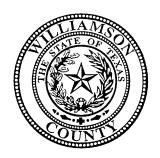
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NO.	ITEM	DESCRIPTION	Total Costs
1.0	SHERIFF'S OFFICE/JAIL		
1.1	Total Costs for roof improvements per specifications for Sheriff's Office/Jail Facility (See 2.3 and 2.4 for separate pricing	Per all specifications provided by Jim Whitten Roof Consultants	¢
1.1	element) Contingency Fee for Sheriff's Office/Jail		\$
1.2			\$ 10,000
1.3	Additional costs for Sheriff's Office roof improvements: Lightning Arrestor System		\$
1.4	Additional costs for Sheriff's Office roof improvements: Joint sealants, exterior walls		¢
1.4	Sub-Total for all costs for Sheriff's Office roof improvements, per specifications	Cost to include any and all labor, materials, equipment, insurance, bonds administration,	\$
1.5		overhead and other expenditures.	\$
2.0	TOTAL PROPOSAL COSTS	TOTAL PROPOSAL COSTS	\$
3.0	Optional/Alternative Costs: joint Sealants, interior walls, recreational center	Reference Summary of Work, Specifications Section 1.2D (10) for alternative bid items to be priced out separately (Sheriff's Office roofing improvements)	
4.0	Payment and Performance Bonds	Cost as a percentage of Contract Cost	

6.0. Unit Prices: A unit price is a price per unit of measurement for materials or services added to or deducted from the Contract Sum by appropriate modification, if estimated quantities of Work required by the Contract Documents are increased or decreased. Unit prices include all necessary material, plus cost for delivery, installation, insurance, overhead, and profit. Bidder to round off Unit Prices to the nearest dollar (**no cents**).

(a)	Pressure treated lumber, nominal 2x6, per linear foot:	\$
(b)	Metal decking, 22 ga. per square foot:	\$
(c)	Lightweight insulation Fill, 2" depth, per sq. ft.	\$
(d)	Wall Joint Backer Rod and Sealant, per linear foot	\$
(e)	Misc. Work on a Time/Material Basis:	
	(1.) Lead man and Helper, per hour:	\$
	(2.) Mark-up for material, percentage:	%
(f)	Base Bids include 10 If of manufacturer's walk tread for each roof top HVAC Unit. Additional walk tread per If.	\$



AGREEMENT BETWEEN OWNER AND CONTRACTOR

The Owner :	Williamson Co 710 Main Stre Georgetown,	et, Ste. 101		
and Contractor				
for the Project :				
Architect:				
AGREEMENT, this A "Agreement") is enter attachments (the "Eff subdivision of the	ed into effective a fective Date"), by State of Texa	as of the date i and between	ndicated herein b Williamson Coun called the "C	elow and al ty a politica
WHEREAS, the	Owner desires	to retain	a Contractor (hereinafter	
"Project"),			(Horomator	canoa tric

WHEREAS, the Owner desires a Contractor who will render, diligently and competently in accordance with the highest standards used in the profession, all Contractor services which shall be necessary or advisable for the expeditious, economical and satisfactory completion of the Project, and

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual undertakings herein contained, the parties hereto agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1 SCOPE OF WORK

The Contractor has overall responsibility for and shall provide complete construction services and furnish all materials, equipment, tools and labor as necessary or reasonably inferable to complete the Work, or any phase of the Work, in accordance with the Specifications and Drawings for the Project and the Owner's requirements. The Specifications and Drawings were prepared for Williamson County by the Architect. The Contractor shall do everything required by the Contract Documents.

ARTICLE 2 CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

- **2.1** The Contract Documents consist of the following, which are incorporated by reference for all purposes:
 - a. This Agreement and all exhibits and attachments listed, contained or referenced in this Agreement;
 - b. The Uniform General Conditions for Williamson County ("General Conditions");
 - c. The Supplementary or Special Conditions, if any;
 - d. All Addenda issued prior to the Effective Date of this Agreement;
 - e. The Bid/Proposal Documents as defined by the Invitation for Bidders/Request for Proposals;
 - f. All Change Orders issued after the Effective Date of this Agreement;
 - g. Minimum Insurance Coverages and Minimum Coverage Amounts, which is attached here to as **Exhibit 1**; and
 - h. The Drawings, Specifications, details and other documents developed by Architect to describe the Project and accepted by Owner, which are attached hereto **Exhibit 2**.
- **2.2** The Contract Documents form the entire and integrated Contract and Agreement between Owner and Contractor and supersede all prior negotiations, representations or agreements, written or oral. Contractor acknowledges receipt of all Contract Documents as of the date of its execution hereof.
- **2.3** The term "Contractor" shall be interchangeable with the terms "Proposer," "Bidder," Respondent" and "General Contractor" or other similar terms as appropriate in the Contract Documents.

ARTICLE 3 CONTRACT TIME

The Ow	vner shall provide a Notice to Proceed	in which a	date for cor	nmence	ement o	of the
work sh	nall be started. The Contractor shall ac	hieve Sub	stantial Com	pletion	of the	Work
within) calendar	days	after	such
comme	ncement date, as such completion date	e may be	extended by	approv	ved Ch	ange
Orders.	Unless otherwise specified in writing,	Contractor	shall achiev	∕e Final	Compl	etion
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Comple	etion. The time set forth for completion	of the wor	k is an esse	ntial ele	ement o	of the
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ARTICLE 4 CONTRACTOR REPRESENTATIONS

- In order to induce Owner to enter into this Agreement, Contractor makes the following representations:
 - A. Contractor has examined and carefully studied the Contract Documents and the other related data identified in the Bid/Proposal Documents.
 - B. Contractor has visited the Site 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 federal, state, and local laws and regulations that may affect cost, progress, and performance of the Work.
 - D. Contractor has considered the information known to Contractor; information commonly known to contractors doing business in the locality of the Site; information and observations obtained from visits to the Site; the Contract Documents; and the Site-related reports and drawings identified in the Contract 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 Contractor, including any specific means, methods, techniques, sequences, and procedures of construction expressly required by the Contract Documents; and (3) Contractor's safety precautions and programs.

- E. Based on the information and observations referred to in Paragraph 4.1.D above, Contractor does not consider that further examinations, investigations, explorations, tests, studies, or data are necessary for the performance of the Work at the Contract Price, within the Contract Times, and in accordance with the other terms and conditions of the Contract Documents.
- F. Contractor 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 Contract Documents.
- G. Contractor has given Architect written notice of all conflicts, errors, ambiguities, or discrepancies that Contractor has discovered in the Contract Documents, and the written resolution thereof by Architect is acceptable to Contractor.
- H. The Contract Documents are generally sufficient to indicate and convey understanding of all terms and conditions for performance and furnishing of the Work.

ARTICLE 5 THE CONTRACT PRICE; OWNER'S CONSTRUCTION CONTINGENCY

- **5.1 Contract Price.** Owner shall pay Contractor for completion of the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents the amount of \$
- **5.2 Contract Payments.** Method and terms of payment of the Contract Price shall be in accordance with the Contract Documents.
- **5.3 Owner's Construction Contingency.** The following lump sum amount shall serve as the Owner's Construction Contingency from which changes in the Work are to be paid in accordance with the General Conditions:



The Owner's Construction Contingency is controlled solely by the Owner and such amount is not included in the Contract Price set out in 5.1 above. Expenditures from the Owner's Construction Contingency must be made by Change Order issued by the Architect and approved by the Owner in accordance with the General Conditions. Contractor shall not be entitled to any compensation from the any unused amounts of the Owner's Construction Contingency.

- **5.4** Allowable Overhead and Profit Markup on Changes in the Work. In case of an increase in the Contract Price due to a change in the Work and in accordance with § 7.3.7 of the General Conditions, the amounts Contractor may add to the pricing of a change for overhead and profit are as follows:
 - a. For Work performed directly by Contractor with its Own Employees: Contractor may add up to 15% for Work performed directly by Contractor for any specific change.
 - b. For Managing Subcontracted Work: Contractor may add up to 10% for managing subcontracted Work for any specific change.

Only one percentage, referenced above, shall be used for the purpose of calculating the markup for a specific change amount. On changes involving both additions and deletions, the allowed markup will be allowed only on the net addition. The allowed markup shall cover all overhead expenses and profit of any kind relating to the specific change.

ARTICLE 6 TIME

- 6.1 TIME LIMITS STATED IN THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS ARE OF THE ESSENCE OF THIS AGREEMENT.
- **6.2** Unless otherwise approved in writing, the Owner and the Contractor shall perform their respective obligations under the Contract Documents as expeditiously as is consistent with reasonable skill and care and the orderly progress of the Work.
- **6.3 Liquidated Damages.** Contractor and Owner recognize that time is of the essence and that Owner will suffer financial loss if the Work is not completed within the times specified in Article 3 above, plus any extensions thereof allowed in accordance with the General Conditions. The parties also recognize the delays, expense, and difficulties involved in proving in a legal proceeding the actual loss suffered by Owner if the Work is not completed on time. Accordingly, instead of requiring any such proof, for each consecutive calendar day after the date of Substantial Completion that the Work is not substantially completed, the Owner may deduct the amount of:

Five Hundred Dollars per calendar day (\$500.00/calendar day)

from any money due or that becomes due the Contractor, not as a penalty but as liquidated damages representing the parties' estimate at the time of contract execution of the damages that the Owner will sustain for late completion. The parties stipulate and agree that calculating Owner's actual damages for late completion of the Project would be impractical, unduly burdensome, and cause unnecessary delay and that the amounts of daily liquidated damages set forth are reasonable. Contractor expressly agrees that the amounts of daily liquidated damages are a reasonable forecast of the actual damages Owner will incur due to any such delay.

ARTICLE 7 NOTICES

Notices of claims, disputes or other legal notices shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been given when delivered in person to the representative of the Contractor or Owner for whom it is intended, as set out below or sent by U. S. Mail to the representative of the Contractor or Owner for whom it is intended, as set out below. Mail notices are deemed effective upon receipt or on the third business day after the date of mailing, whichever is sooner.

Williamson County Judge
710 Main Street, Ste. 101
Georgetown, Texas 78626

with copy to:

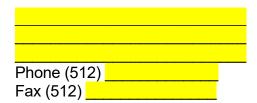
Hal C. Hawes
General Counsel to the
Williamson County Commissioners Court
710 Main Street, Suite 102
Georgetown, Texas 78626

If to Contractor:

The parties may make reasonable changes in the person or place designated for receipt of notices upon advance written notice to the other party.

ARTICLE 8 PARTY REPRESENTATIVES

The Owner's Designated Representative (sometimes referred to as the "ODR") authorized to act in the Owner's behalf with respect to the Project is:



The Contractor's designated representative authorized to act on the Contractor's behalf and bind the Contractor with respect to the Project is:

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Phone (512	(1)		-
Fax (512)			

The parties may make reasonable changes in their designated representatives upon advance written notice to the other party.

ARTICLE 9 ENTIRE AGREEMENT

This Agreement supersedes all prior agreements, written or oral, between Contractor and Owner and shall constitute the entire agreement and understanding between the parties with respect to the Project. This Agreement and the terms of the Contact Documents shall be binding upon the parties and may not be waived, modified, amended or altered except by a writing signed by Contractor and Owner.

BY SIGNING BELOW, the Parties have executed and bound themselves to this Agreement to be effective as of the date of the last party's execution below (the "Effective Date").

WILLIAMSON COUNTY Williamson County, Texas,		Texas	, a
Ву:		Ву:	
Printed Name:		Printed Name:	
Title:		Title:	
Date:	. 20	Date:	. 20

EXHIBIT 1

Minimum Insurance Coverages and

Minimum Coverage Amounts

- A. All policies of insurance provided by the Contractor must comply with the requirements of this Exhibit, the Contract Documents and the laws of the State of Texas.
- B. The Contractor shall provide and maintain, until the Work covered in the Agreement Between Owner and Contractor is completed and accepted by the Owner, the minimum insurance coverages in the minimum amounts as described below. Coverage shall be written on an occurrence basis by companies authorized and admitted to do business in the State of Texas and rated A- or better by A.M. Best Company, or otherwise acceptable to Owner.

Type of Coverage Limits of Liability

1. Worker's Compensation Statutory

2. Employer's Liability

Bodily Injury by Accident \$500,000 Ea. Accident Bodily Injury by Disease \$500,000 Ea. Employee Bodily Injury by Disease \$500,000 Policy Limit

3. Comprehensive general liability including completed operations and contractual liability insurance for bodily injury, death, or property damages in the following amounts:

COVERAGE PER OCCURRENCE

Comprehensive

General Liability \$1,000,000

(including premises, completed operations and contractual)

Aggregate policy limits: \$2,000,000

4. Comprehensive automobile and auto liability insurance (covering owned, hired, leased and non-owned vehicles):

COVERAGE	PER PERSON	PER OCCURRENCE
Bodily injury (including death)	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000
Property damage	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000
Aggregate policy limits	No aggreg	ate limit

- 5. Builder's Risk Insurance (all risks)
 - An all risk policy, in the amount equal at all times to 100% of the Contract Price or Contract Sum. The policy shall be issued in the name of the Contractor and shall name its Subcontractors as additional insureds. The Owner shall be named as a loss payee on the policy. The builders risk policy shall have endorsements as follow:
 - a. This insurance shall be specific as to coverage and not considered as contributing insurance with any permanent insurance maintained on the present premises. If off-site storage is permitted, coverage shall include transit and storage in an amount sufficient to protect property being transported or stored.
 - b. This insurance shall be on an "all-risk" or equivalent policy form and shall include, without limitation, insurance against the perils of fire (with extended coverage) and physical loss or damage including, without duplication of coverage, caused by certified acts of terrorism as defined in the Terrorism Risk Insurance Act, theft, vandalism, malicious mischief, collapse, earthquake, flood, windstorm, falsework, testing and startup, temporary buildings and debris removal including demolition occasioned by enforcement of any applicable legal requirements, and shall cover reasonable compensation for Architect's and Contractor's services and expenses required as a result of such insured loss as well as coverage for building materials while in transit or building materials suitably stored at a temporary location. Property insurance provided by the Contractor shall not cover any tools, apparatus, machinery, scaffolding, hoists, forms, staging, shoring, and other similar items commonly referred to as construction equipment that may be on the site and the capital value of which is not included in the Work. The Contractor shall make its own arrangements for any insurance it may require on such construction equipment. Any such policy obtained by the Contractor under this section shall include a waiver of subrogation in accordance with the requirements of Section 11.3.4 of the General Conditions.

- C. For renovation projects and or portions of work contained within an existing structure, the Owner waives subrogation for damage by fire to existing building structure(s), if the Builder's Risk Policy has been endorsed to include coverage for existing building structure(s) in the amount described in the Special Conditions. However, Contractor shall not be required to obtain such an endorsement unless specifically required by the Special Conditions in the Contract Documents. The aforementioned waiver of subrogation shall not be effective unless such endorsement is obtained.
- 6. Flood insurance when specified in Supplementary General Conditions or Special Conditions.
- 7. Umbrella coverage in the amount of not less than \$5,000,000.

C. Workers' Compensation Insurance Coverage:

a. Definitions:

- (1) Certificate of coverage ("certificate") A copy of a certificate of insurance, a certificate of authority to self-insure issued by the Texas Workers' Compensation Commission, or a coverage agreement (TWCC-81, TWCC-82, TWCC-83, or TWCC-84), showing statutory workers' compensation insurance coverage for the person's or entity's employees providing services on a project, for the duration of the Project.
- (2) Duration of the Project includes the time from the beginning of the work on the Project until the Contractor's/person's work on the Project has been completed and accepted by the Owner.
- (3) Coverage Workers' compensation insurance meeting the statutory requirements of the Texas Labor Code, §401.011(44).
- (4) Persons providing services on the Project ("subcontractor") includes all persons or entities performing all or part of the services the Contractor has undertaken to perform on the Project, regardless of whether that person contracted directly with the Contractor and regardless of whether that person has employees. This includes, without limitation, independent contractors, subcontractors, leasing companies, motor carriers, owner-operators, employees of any such entity, or employees of any entity which furnishes persons to provide services on the Project. "Services" include, without limitation, providing, hauling, or delivering equipment or materials, or providing labor, transportation, or other service related to a project. "Services" does not include activities unrelated to the Project, such as food/beverage vendors, office supply deliveries, and delivery of portable toilets.

- b. The Contractor shall provide coverage, based on proper reporting of classification codes and payroll amounts and filing of any coverage agreements, which meets the statutory requirements of Texas Labor Code, §401.011(44) for all employees of the Contractor providing services on the Project, for the duration of the Project.
- c. The Contractor must provide a certificate of coverage prior to execution of the Agreement Between Owner and Contractor, and in no event later than ten (10) days from Notice of Award. Failure to provide the insurance in a timely fashion may result in loss of Contractor's bid bond.
- d. If the coverage period shown on the Contractor's current certificate of coverage ends during the duration of the Project, the Contractor must, prior to the end of the coverage period, file a new certificate of coverage with the Owner showing that coverage has been extended.
- e. The Contractor shall obtain from each person providing services on a project, and provide to the Owner:
 - (1) a certificate of coverage, prior to that person beginning work on the Project, so the Owner will have on file certificates of coverage showing coverage for all persons providing services on the Project; and
 - (2) no later than seven days after receipt by the Contractor, a new certificate of coverage showing extension of coverage, if the coverage period shown on the current certificate of coverage ends during the duration of the Project.
- f. The Contractor shall retain all required certificates of coverage for the duration of the Project and for one year thereafter.
- g. The Contractor shall notify the Owner in writing by certified mail or personal delivery, within 10 days after the Contractor knew or should have known, of any change that materially affects the provision of coverage of any person providing services on the Project.
- h. The Contractor shall post on each project site a notice, in the text, form and manner prescribed by the Texas Workers' Compensation Commission, informing all persons providing services on the Project that they are required to be covered, and stating how a person may verify coverage and report lack of coverage.
- i. The Contractor shall contractually require each person with who it contracts to provide services on a project, to:
 - (1) provide coverage, based on proper reporting of classification codes and payroll amounts and filing of any coverage agreements, which meets the statutory requirements of Texas labor Code, Section 401.011(44) for all of its employees providing services on the Project, for the duration of the Project;

- (2) provide to the Contractor, prior to that person beginning work on the Project, a certificate of coverage showing that coverage is being provided for all employees of the person providing services on the Project, for the duration of the Project;
- (3) provide the Contractor, prior to the end of the coverage period, a new certificate of coverage showing extension of coverage, if the coverage period shown on the current certificate of coverage ends during the duration of the Project;
- (4) obtain from each other person with whom it contracts, and provide to the Contractor:
 - a. a certificate of coverage, prior to the other person beginning work on the Project; and
 - b. a new certificate of coverage showing extension of coverage, prior to the end of the coverage period, if the coverage period shown on the current certificate of coverage ends during the duration of the Project;
- (5) retain all required certificate of coverage on file for the duration of the Project and for one year thereafter;
- (6) notify the Owner in writing by certified mail or personal delivery, within 10 days after the person knew or should have known, of any change that materially affects the provision of coverage of any person providing services on the Project; and
- (7) contractually require each person with whom it contracts, to perform as required by paragraphs (1)-(7), with the certificates of coverage to be provided to the person for whom they are providing services.
- j. By signing the Agreement Between Owner and Contractor or providing or causing to be provided a certificate of coverage, the Contractor is representing to the Owner that all employees of the Contractor who will provide services on the Project will be covered by workers' compensation coverage for the duration of the Project, that the coverage will be based on proper reporting of classification codes and payroll amounts, and that all coverage agreements will be filed with the appropriate insurance carrier or, in the case of a self-insured, with the commission's Division of Self-Insurance Regulation. Providing false or misleading information may subject the Contractor to administrative penalties, criminal penalties, civil penalties, or other civil actions.
- k. The Contractor's failure to comply with any of these provisions is a breach of contract by the Contractor which entitles the Owner to declare the Agreement Between Owner and Contractor void if the Contractor does not remedy the breach within ten days after receipt of notice of breach from the Owner.

- D. If insurance policies are not written for the amounts specified in this Exhibit, Contractor shall carry Umbrella or Excess Liability Insurance for any differences in amounts specified. If Excess Liability Insurance is provided, it shall follow the form of primary coverage.
- E. The furnishing of the above listed insurance coverage, as may be modified by the Contract Documents, must be tendered prior to execution of the Agreement Between Owner and Contractor, and in no event later than ten (10) days from Notice of Award. Failure to provide the insurance in a timely fashion may result in loss of Contractor's bid bond.
- F. Owner shall be entitled, upon request and without expense, to receive copies of the policies and all endorsements as they apply to the limits set out in this Exhibit.
- G. Contractor shall be responsible for payment of premiums for all of the insurance coverages required under this Exhibit. Contractor further agrees that for each claim, suit or action made against insurance provided hereunder, with respect to all matters for which the Contractor is responsible hereunder, Contractor shall be solely responsible for all deductibles and self-insured retentions. Any deductibles or selfinsured retentions over \$75,000 in the Contractor's insurance must be declared and approved in writing by Owner in advance.



UNIFORM GENERAL CONDITIONS FOR WILLIAMSON COUNTY

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ARTICLE 1 GENERAL PROVISIONS

§ 1.1 BASIC DEFINITIONS

§ 1.1.1 THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

The Contract Documents are enumerated in the Agreement between the Owner and Contractor (hereinafter the Agreement) and consist of the Agreement, Conditions of the Contract as revised, Drawings, Specifications, Addenda issued prior to execution of the Contract, other documents listed in the Agreement and Modifications issued after execution of the Contract. A Modification is (1) a written amendment to the Contract signed by both parties, (2) a Change Order, (3) a Construction Change Directive or (4) a written order for a minor change in the Work issued by the Owner or the Architect. Unless specifically enumerated in the Agreement, the Contract Documents do not include the advertisement or invitation to bid, Instructions to Bidders, sample forms, other information furnished by the Owner in anticipation of receiving bids or proposals, the Contractor's bid or proposal, or portions of Addenda relating to bidding requirements.

§ 1.1.2 THE CONTRACT

The Contract Documents form the Contract for Construction. The Contract represents the entire and integrated agreement between the parties hereto and supersedes prior negotiations, representations or agreements, either written or oral. The Contract may be amended or modified only by a Modification. The Contract Documents shall not be construed to create a contractual relationship of any kind (1) between the Contractor and the Architect or the Architect's consultants, (2) between the Owner and a Subcontractor or a Sub-subcontractor, (3) between the Owner and the Architect or the Architect's consultants or (4) between any persons or entities other than the Owner and the Contractor.

§ 1.1.3 THE WORK

The term "Work" means the construction and services required by the Contract Documents, whether completed or partially completed, and includes all other labor, materials, equipment and services provided or to be provided by the Contractor to fulfill the Contractor's obligations. The Work may constitute the whole or a part of the Project.

§ 1.1.4 THE PROJECT

The Project is the total construction of which the Work performed under the Contract Documents may be the whole or a part and which may include construction by the Owner and by separate contractors.

§ 1.1.5 THE DRAWINGS

The Drawings are the graphic and pictorial portions of the Contract Documents showing the design, location and dimensions of the Work, generally including plans, elevations, sections, details, schedules and diagrams.

§ 1.1.6 THE SPECIFICATIONS

The Specifications are that portion of the Contract Documents consisting of the written requirements for materials, equipment, systems, standards and workmanship for the Work, and performance of related services.

§ 1.1.7 INSTRUMENTS OF SERVICE

Instruments of Service are representations, in any medium of expression now known or later developed, of the tangible and intangible creative work performed by the Architect and the Architect's consultants under their respective professional services agreements. Instruments of Service may include, without limitation, studies, surveys, models, sketches, drawings, specifications, and other similar materials.

- § 1.1.8 KNOWLEDGE: The terms "knowledge," "recognize," and "discover," their respective derivatives, and similar terms in the Contract Documents, as used in reference to the Contractor, shall be interpreted to mean that which the Contractor knows (or should know), recognizes (or should recognize), and discovers (or should discover) in exercising the care, skill, and diligence required by the Contract Documents. Analogously, the expression "reasonably inferable" and similar terms in the Contract Documents shall be interpreted to mean reasonably inferable by a contractor familiar with the Project and exercising the care, skill, and diligence required of the Contractor by the Contract Documents.§1.1.10 PRODUCT: Materials, systems, and equipment incorporated or to be incorporated in the Work.
- §1.1.9 PROVIDE: Furnish and install and shall include, without limitation, labor, materials, equipment, transportation, services and other items required to complete the referenced tasks.
- §1.1.02 FURNISH: Pay for, deliver (or receive), unload, inspect, and store products, materials, equipment, and accessories as specified while retaining care, custody and control until received for installation based on a signed receipt.
- § 1.1.11 INSTALL: Receive, unload, inspect, and store as specified while retaining care, custody and control; set or place in position, make required connections; and adjust and test as specified in the Contract Documents for satisfactory performance and operation.

§ 1.2 CORRELATION AND INTENT OF THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

§ 1.2.1 The intent of the Contract Documents is to include all items necessary for the proper execution and completion of the Work by the Contractor. The Contract Documents are complementary, and what is required by one shall be as binding as if required by all; performance by the Contractor shall be required only to the extent consistent with the Contract Documents and reasonably inferable from them as being necessary to produce the intended results. In the event of inconsistencies within or between parts of the Contract Documents, or between the Contract Documents and applicable standards, codes, and ordinances, the Contractor shall (i) provide the better quality or greater quantity of Work or (ii) comply with the more stringent requirement; either or both in accordance with the Owner or the Architect's

interpretation. The terms and conditions of this Section 1.2.1, however, shall not relieve the Contractor of any of the obligations set forth in the Contract Documents.

- § 1.2.2 Organization of the Specifications into divisions, sections and articles, and arrangement of Drawings shall not control the Contractor in dividing the Work among Subcontractors or in establishing the extent of Work to be performed by any trade.
- § 1.2.3 Unless otherwise stated in the Contract Documents, words that have well-known technical or construction industry meanings are used in the Contract Documents in accordance with such recognized meanings.
- § 1.2.3.1 Whenever a product is specified in accordance with a Federal Specification, an ASTM Standard, an American National Standards Institute Specification, or other Association Standard, the Contractor, if required by the Specifications or if requested by the Owner, shall present evidence from the manufacture, certifying the product complies with the particular Standard or Specification. When required by the Contract Documents, supporting data shall be submitted to substantiate compliance.
- § 1.2.3.2 Whenever a product is specified or shown by describing proprietary items, model numbers, catalog numbers, manufacturer, trade names, or similar reference, no substitutions may be made unless accepted in strict accordance with the Substitution requirements stated in the Specifications or, if no Substitution requirements are stated in the Specifications, in accordance with the requirements stated elsewhere in the Contract Documents. Where two or more products are shown or specified, the Contractor has the option to use either of those shown or specified.

§ 1.3 CAPITALIZATION

Terms capitalized in these General Conditions include those that are (1) specifically defined, (2) the titles of numbered articles or (3) the titles of other documents published by the American Institute of Architects.

§ 1.4 INTERPRETATION

In the interest of brevity the Contract Documents frequently omit modifying words such as "all" and "any" and articles such as "the" and "an," but the fact that a modifier or an article is absent from one statement and appears in another is not intended to affect the interpretation of either statement.

§ 1.5 USE OF DRAWINGS AND OTHER INSTRUMENTS OF SERVICE

- § 1.5.1 The Architect and the Architect's consultants shall be deemed the authors and owners of their respective Instruments of Service, including the Drawings and Specifications, and will retain all common law, statutory and other reserved rights, including copyrights, except as provided in the Owner-Architect Agreement. The Contractor, Subcontractors, Sub-subcontractors, and material or equipment suppliers shall not own or claim a copyright in the Instruments of Service. Submittal or distribution to meet official regulatory requirements or for other purposes in connection with this Project is not to be construed as publication in derogation of the Architect's or Architect's consultants' reserved rights.
- § 1.5.2 The Contractor, Subcontractors, Sub-subcontractors and material or equipment suppliers are authorized to use and reproduce the Instruments of Service provided to them solely and exclusively for execution of the Work. All copies made under this authorization shall bear the copyright notice, if any, shown on the Instruments of Service. The Contractor, Subcontractors, Sub-subcontractors, and material or equipment suppliers may not use the Instruments of Service on other projects or for additions to this Project outside the scope of the Work without the specific written consent of the Owner, Architect and the Architect's consultants.

§ 1.6 TRANSMISSION OF DATA IN DIGITAL FORM

If the parties intend to transmit Instruments of Service or any other information or documentation in digital form, they shall establish the necessary protocols governing such transmissions in writing, unless otherwise already provided in the Agreement or the Contract Documents.

ARTICLE 2 OWNER

§ 2.1 GENERAL

The Owner means Williamson County acting through any duly authorized representative as provided in the Agreement, and is referred to throughout the Contract Documents as if singular in number. The Owner shall designate in writing a representative who shall have express authority to bind the Owner with respect to all matters requiring the Owner's approval or authorization ("Owner's Designated Representative"). The term "Owner" means the Owner or the Owner's authorized representative.

§ 2.2 OWNER

- § 2.2.1 <u>Appropriation of Funds by Owner</u>. Owner believes it has sufficient funds currently available and authorized for expenditure to finance the costs of the Agreement between Owner and Contractor. Contractor understands and agrees that the Owner's payment of amounts under the Agreement between Owner and Contractor is contingent on the Owner receiving appropriations or other expenditure authority sufficient to allow the Owner, in the exercise of reasonable administrative discretion, to continue to make payments under the Agreement.
- § 2.2.2 Unless specifically stated otherwise in the Contract Documents, Contractor shall secure and pay for necessary permits, approvals, assessments, and charges required for construction, use or occupancy of permanent structures or for permanent changes in existing facilities.
- § 2.2.3 The Owner shall furnish surveys describing physical characteristics, legal limitations and utility locations for the site of the Project, and a legal description of the site. Except for surveys or grade information, the Contractor shall compare the information furnished by the Owner, including, but not limited to, soil tests, with visibly observable physical conditions and the Contract Documents and, on the basis of such review, promptly report to the Owner and the Architect any known conflicts, errors or omissions. The Contractor shall be entitled to rely on the accuracy of information furnished by the Owner but shall exercise proper precautions relating to the safe performance of the Work.
- § 2.2.4 The Owner shall furnish information or services required of the Owner by the Contract Documents with reasonable promptness. The Owner shall also furnish any other information or services under the Owner's control and relevant to the Contractor's performance of the Work with reasonable promptness after receiving the Contractor's written request for such information or services.
- § 2.2.5 Unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents, the Owner shall furnish to the Contractor one copy of the Contract Documents for purposes of making reproductions.

§ 2.3 OWNER'S RIGHT TO STOP THE WORK

If the Contractor fails to correct Work that is not in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents as required by Section 12.2 or repeatedly fails to carry out Work in accordance with the Contract Documents, the Owner may issue a written order to the Contractor to stop the Work, or any portion thereof, until the cause for such order has been eliminated; however, the right of the Owner to stop the Work shall not give rise to a duty on the part of the Owner to exercise this right for the benefit of the Contractor or any other person or entity.

§ 2.4 OWNER'S RIGHT TO CARRY OUT THE WORK

If the Contractor defaults or neglects to carry out the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents and fails within a ten-day period after receipt of written notice from the Owner to commence and continue correction of such default or neglect with diligence and promptness, the Owner may, without prejudice to other remedies the Owner may have, correct such deficiencies. In such case an appropriate Change Order shall be issued deducting from payments then or thereafter due the Contractor the reasonable cost of correcting such deficiencies, including Owner's expenses and compensation for the Architect's additional services made necessary by such default, neglect or failure. Such action by the Owner and amounts charged to the Contractor are both subject to prior approval of the Architect. If payments then or thereafter due the Contractor are not sufficient to cover such amounts, the Contractor shall pay the difference to the Owner.

§2.5 EXTENT OF OWNER RIGHTS

- § 2.5.1 The rights stated in this Article 2 and elsewhere in the Contract Documents are cumulative and not in limitation of any rights of the Owner (i) granted in the Contract Documents, (ii) at law, or (iii) in equity.
- § 2.5.2 In no event shall the Owner have control over, charge of, or any responsibility for construction means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures or for safety precautions and programs in connection with the Work, notwithstanding any of the rights and authority granted the Owner in the Contract Documents.

§ 2.6 OWNER'S RIGHT TO RECORDS

- § 2.6.1 The Contractor's records, which shall include but not be limited to accounting records, written policies and procedures, subcontractor files (including proposals of successful bidders), original estimates, estimating work sheets, correspondence, schedules, change order files (including documentation covering negotiated settlements), and any other supporting evidence necessary to substantiate charges related to this contract (all foregoing hereinafter referred to as "records") and shall be open to inspection and subject to audit and/or reproduction, during normal working hours, by Owner's agent or its authorized representative to the extent necessary to adequately permit evaluation and verification of any invoices, payments or claims submitted by the Contractor or any of his payees. Such records subject to examination shall also include, but not be limited to, those records necessary to evaluate and verify direct and indirect costs (including overhead allocations) as they may apply to costs associated with this Contract.
- § 2.6.2 For the purpose of such audits, inspections, examinations and evaluations, the Owner's agent, or authorized representatives shall have access to said records from the effective date of this Contract for the duration of Work and until three (3) years (or longer if required by law) after the date of final payment by Owner to Contractor.
- § 2.6.3 Owner's agent or its authorized representative shall have access during normal business hours to the Contractor's facilities, shall have access to all necessary records and shall be provided adequate and appropriate work space, in order to conduct audits in compliance with this Article 2.6. Owner's agent or authorized representative shall give auditees reasonable advance notice of intended audits.
- § 2.6.4 Contractor shall require all subcontractors, insurance agents, and material suppliers (payees) with cost plus contracts, if permitted, and not fixed price contracts to comply with the provisions of this Article by insertion of the requirements hereof in a written contract agreement between Contractor and payee. Failure to obtain such written contracts which include such provisions shall be reason to exclude some or all of the related payee's costs from amounts payable to the Contractor pursuant to this contract.

ARTICLE 3 CONTRACTOR

§ 3.1 GENERAL

- § 3.1.1 The Contractor is the person or entity identified as such in the Agreement and is referred to throughout the Contract Documents as if singular in number. The Contractor shall be lawfully licensed, if required in the jurisdiction where the Project is located. The Contractor shall designate in writing a representative who shall have express authority to bind the Contractor with respect to all matters under this Contract. The term "Contractor" means the Contractor or the Contractor's authorized representative, and if these General Conditions are used in conjunction with the Agreement between Owner and Construction Manager-At-Risk, the term "Contractor" shall mean the Construction Manager.
- § 3.1.2 The Contractor shall perform the Work in strict accordance with the Contract Documents.
- § 3.1.3 The Contractor shall not be relieved of obligations to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents either by activities or duties of the Architect in the Architect's administration of the Contract, or by tests, inspections or approvals required or performed by persons or entities other than the Contractor.

§ 3.2 REVIEW OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS AND FIELD CONDITIONS BY CONTRACTOR

§ 3.2.1 Execution of the Contract by the Contractor is a representation that the Contractor has visited the site, become generally familiar with local conditions under which the Work is to be performed and correlated personal observations with requirements of the Contract Documents. Prior to execution of the Agreement, the Contractor and each Subcontractor shall have evaluated and satisfied themselves as to the observable conditions and limitations under which the Work is to be performed, including, without limitation, (i) the location, condition, layout, and nature of the Project site and surrounding areas, (ii) generally prevailing climatic conditions, (iii) anticipated labor supply and costs, (iv) availability and cost of materials, tools, and equipment, and (v) other similar issues. The Owner assumes no responsibility or liability for the physical condition or safety of the Project site or any improvements located on the Project site. Except as set forth in Section 10.3, the Contractor shall be solely responsible for providing a safe place for the performance of the Work. The Owner shall not be required to make any adjustment in either the Contract Sum or the Contract Time in connection with any failure by the Contractor or any Subcontractor to have complied with the requirements of this Section 3.2.1.

§ 3.2.2 Because the Contract Documents are complementary, the Contractor shall, before starting each portion of the Work, carefully study and compare the various Contract Documents relative to that portion of the Work, as well as the information furnished by the Owner pursuant to Section 2.2.3, shall take field measurements of any existing conditions related to that portion of the Work, and shall observe any conditions at the site affecting it. These obligations are for the purpose of facilitating coordination and construction by the Contractor and are not for the purpose of discovering errors, omissions, or inconsistencies in the Contract Documents; however, the Contractor shall promptly report to the Owner and Architect any errors, inconsistencies or omissions discovered by or made known to the Contractor as a request for information. It is recognized that the Contractor's review is made in the Contractor's capacity as a contractor and not as a licensed design professional, unless otherwise specifically provided in the Contract Documents. 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. Any labor, documentation, services, materials, or equipment that reasonably may be inferred from the Contract Documents or from prevailing custom or trade usage as being required to produce the indicated result will be provided whether or not specifically called for, at no additional cost to Owner. The Contractor shall verify the accuracy of elevations, dimensions, locations, and field measurements. In all cases of the interconnection of its Work with existing or other Work, the Contractor shall verify at the site all dimensions relating to such existing or other Work.

- .1 All of Contractor's work shall conform to the Contract Documents. Contractor shall be responsible for the details of the Work necessary to carry out the intent of the drawings and specifications, or which are customarily performed. When more detailed information is required for performance of the Work or when an interpretation of the Contract Documents is requested, the Contractor shall submit a written request for information to the Architect or Owner (as required), and the Owner or Architect shall furnish such information or interpretation. Where only part of the Work is indicated, similar parts shall be considered repetitive. Where any detail is shown and components thereof are fully described, similar details not fully described shall be considered to incorporate the fully described details and components.
- .2 The Contractor has had an opportunity to examine, and has carefully examined, all of the Contract Documents and Project site, and has fully acquainted itself with the scope of work, design, availability of materials, existing facilities, access, general topography, soil structure, subsurface conditions, obstructions, and all other conditions pertaining to the Work, the site of the Work, and its surrounding; that it has made necessary investigations to a full understanding of the difficulties which may be encountered in performing the Work; and that anything in any Contract Documents, or in any representations, statements, or information made or furnished by Owner or its representatives notwithstanding, Contractor will complete the Work for the compensation stated in the Agreement. In addition thereto, Contractor represents that it is fully qualified to do the Work in accordance with the terms of this Agreement in the time specified.

- § 3.2.3 The Contractor is not required to ascertain that the Contract Documents are in accordance with applicable laws, statutes, ordinances, codes, rules and regulations, or lawful orders of public authorities, but the Contractor shall promptly report to the Owner and the Architect any nonconformity discovered by or made known to the Contractor as a request for information.
- § 3.2.4 If the Contractor believes that additional cost or time is involved because of clarifications or instructions the Architect issues in response to the Contractor's notices or requests for information pursuant to Sections 3.2.2 or 3.2.3, the Contractor shall make Claims as provided in Article 15.

§ 3.3 SUPERVISION AND CONSTRUCTION PROCEDURES

- § 3.3.1 The Contractor shall supervise and direct the Work, using the Contractor's best skill and attention. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for, and have control over, construction means, methods, techniques, sequences and procedures and for coordinating all portions of the Work under the Contract, unless the Contract Documents give other specific instructions concerning these matters. If the Contract Documents give specific instructions concerning construction means, methods, techniques, sequences or procedures, the Contractor shall evaluate the jobsite safety thereof and, except as stated below, shall be fully and solely responsible for the jobsite safety of such means, methods, techniques, sequences or procedures. If the Contractor determines that such means, methods, techniques, sequences or procedures may not be safe, the Contractor shall give timely written notice to the Owner and Architect and shall not proceed with that portion of the Work without further written instructions from the Architect. If the Contractor is then instructed to proceed with the required means, methods, techniques, sequences or procedures without acceptance of changes proposed by the Contractor, the Owner shall be solely responsible for any loss or damage arising solely from those Owner-required means, methods, techniques, sequences or procedures.
- § 3.3.2 The Contractor shall be responsible to the Owner for acts and omissions of the Contractor's employees, Subcontractors and their agents and employees, and other persons or entities performing portions of the Work for, or on behalf of, the Contractor or any of its Subcontractors.
- § 3.3.3 The Contractor shall be responsible for inspection of portions of Work already performed to determine that such portions are in proper condition to receive subsequent Work.
- § 3.3.4 Inspection of the progress, quantity, or quality of the Work done by the Owner, any Owner's representative, any governmental agency, or the Architect, or any inspector, shall not relieve the Contractor of any responsibility for the compliance of the Work with the Contract Documents. The Owner or its approved representative (heretofore referred to as Owner's representative) shall have access to the worksite and all Work. No supervision or inspection by the Owner's representative, nor the authority to act nor any other actions taken by the Owner's representative shall relieve the Contractor of any of its obligations under the Contract Documents nor give rise to any duty on the part of the Owner.

§ 3.4 LABOR AND MATERIALS

- § 3.4.1 Unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall provide and pay for labor, materials, equipment, tools, construction equipment and machinery, water, heat, utilities, transportation, and other facilities and services necessary for proper execution and completion of the Work, whether temporary or permanent and whether or not incorporated or to be incorporated in the Work.
- § 3.4.1.1 Duty to Pay Prevailing Wage Rates. The Contractor shall pay not less than the wage scale of the various classes of labor as shown on the "Prevailing Wage Schedule" provided by the Owner. The specified wage rates are minimum rates only, and are not representations that qualified labor adequate to perform the Work is available locally at the prevailing wage rates. The Owner is not bound to pay—and will not consider—any claims for additional compensation made by any Contractor because the Contractor pays wages in excess of the applicable minimum rate contained in the Contract Documents. The "Prevailing Wage Schedule" is not a representation that quantities of qualified labor adequate to perform the Work may be found locally at the specified wage rates.

- .1 For classifications not shown, workers shall not be paid less than the wage indicated for Laborers. The Contractor shall notify each worker commencing work on the Project the worker's job classification and the established minimum wage rate required to be paid, as well as the actual amount being paid. The notice must be delivered to and signed in acknowledgement of receipt by the employee and must list both the monetary wages and fringe benefits to be paid or furnished for each classification in which the worker is assigned duties. When requested by Owner, competent evidence of compliance with the Texas Prevailing Wage Law shall be furnished by Contractor.
- A copy of each worker wage rate notification shall be submitted to the Owner with the Application for Payment for the period during which the worker began on-site activities.
- § 3.4.1.2 <u>Prevailing Wage Schedule</u>. The "Prevailing Wage Schedule" shall be determined by the Owner in compliance with Chapter 2258, Texas Government Code. Should the Contractor at any time become aware that a particular skill or trade not reflected on the Owner's Prevailing Wage Schedule will be or is being employed in the Work, whether by the Contractor or by a subcontractor, the Contractor shall promptly inform the Owner and shall specify a wage rate for that skill or trade, which shall bind the Contractor.
- § 3.4.1.3 <u>Penalty for Violation</u>. The Contractor and any Subcontractor shall pay to the Owner a penalty of sixty dollars (\$60.00) for each worker employed for each calendar day, or portion thereof, that the worker is paid less than the wage rates stipulated in the Prevailing Wage Schedule or any supplement thereto pursuant to §3.4.1.2. The Contractor and each Subcontractor shall keep, or cause to be kept, an accurate record showing the names and occupations of all workers employed in connection with the Work, and showing the actual per diem wages paid to each worker, which records shall be open at all reasonable hours for the inspection by the Owner.
- § 3.4.1.4 <u>Complaints of Violations of Prevailing Wage Rates</u>. Within 31 days of receipt of information concerning a violation of Chapter 2258 of the Texas Government Code, the Owner shall make an initial determination as to whether good cause exists to believe a violation occurred. The Owner's decision on the initial determination shall be reduced to writing and sent to the Contractor or Subcontractor against whom the violation was alleged, and to the affected worker. When a good cause finding is made, the Owner shall retain the full amounts claimed by the claimant or claimants as the difference between wages paid and wages due under the Prevailing Wage Schedule and any supplements thereto, together with the applicable penalties, such amounts being subtracted from successive progress payments pending a final decision on the violation.
- § 3.4.1.5 <u>Arbitration Required if Violation not Resolved</u>. After the Owner makes its initial determination, the affected Contractor or Subcontractor and worker have 14 days in which to resolve the issue of whether a violation occurred, including the amount that should be retained by Owner or paid to the affected worker. If the Contractor or Subcontractor and affected worker reach an agreement concerning the worker's claim, the Contractor shall promptly notify the Owner in a written document signed by the worker. It the Contractor or Subcontractor and affected worker do not agree before the 15th day after the Owner's determination, the Contractor or Subcontractor and affected worker must participate in binding arbitration in accordance with the Texas General Arbitration Act, Chapter 171, Tex. Civ. Prac. & Rem. Code. The parties to the arbitration have 10 days after the expiration of the 15 days referred to above, to agree on an arbitrator; if by the 11th day there is no agreement to an arbitrator, a district court shall appoint an arbitrator on the petition of any of the parties to the arbitration.
- § 3.4.1.6 <u>Arbitration Award</u>. If an arbitrator determines that a violation has occurred, the arbitrator shall assess and award against the Contractor or Subcontractor the amount of penalty as provided in this Article 3.4 and the amount owed the worker. The Owner may use any amounts retained hereunder to pay the worker the amount as designated in the arbitration award. If the Owner has not retained enough from the Contractor or Subcontractor to pay the worker in accordance with the arbitration award, the worker has a right of action against the Contractor and Subcontractor as appropriate, and the surety of

either to receive the amount owed, attorneys' fees and court costs. The Contractor shall promptly furnish a copy of the arbitration award to the Owner.

- § 3.4.1.7 <u>Prevailing Wage Retainage</u>. Money retained pursuant to this Article 3.4 shall be used to pay the claimant or claimants the difference between the amount the worker received in wages for labor on the Project at the rate paid by the Contractor or Subcontractor and the amount the worker would have received at the general prevailing wage rate as provided by the agreement of the claimant and the Contractor or Subcontractor affected, or in the arbitrator's award. The full statutory penalty of \$60.00 per day of violation per worker shall be retained by the Owner to offset its administrative costs, pursuant to Texas Government Code §2258.023. Any retained funds in excess of these amounts shall be paid to the Contractor on the earlier of the next progress payment or final payment. Provided, however, that the Owner shall have no duty to release any funds to either the claimant or the Contractor until it has received the notices of agreement or the arbitration award as provided under §§3.4.2 and 3.4.3.
- § 3.4.1.8 <u>No Extension of Time</u>. If the Owner determines that good cause exists to believe a violation has occurred, the Contractor shall not be entitled to an extension of time for any delay arising directly or indirectly from of the procedures set forth in this Article 3.4.
- § 3.4.2 Except in the case of minor changes in the Work authorized by the Owner or Architect in accordance with Sections 3.12.8 or 7.4, the Contractor may make substitutions only with the consent of the Owner, after evaluation by the Architect and in accordance with a Change Order or Construction Change Directive. If the Contractor desires to submit an alternate product or method in lieu of what has been specified or shown in the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall comply with the Substitution requirements listed in the Specifications, or if there are no Substitution requirements listed in the Specifications, then the following provisions apply:
- § 3.4.2.1 The Contractor must submit to the Architect and the Owner (i) a full explanation of the proposed substitution and submittal of all supporting data, including technical information, catalog cuts, warranties, test results, installation instructions, operating procedures, and other like information necessary for a complete evaluation of the substitution; (ii) the adjustment, if any, in the Contract Sum, in the event the substitution is acceptable; (iii) the adjustment, if any, in the time of completion of the Contract and the construction schedule in the event the substitution is acceptable; and (v) a statement indicating Contractor accepts the warranty and correction obligations in connection with the proposed substitution as if originally specified by the Architect. Proposals for substitutions shall be to the Architect in sufficient time to allow the Architect no less than ten (10) working days for review. No substitutions will be considered or allowed without the Contractor's submittal of complete substantiating data and information as stated hereinbefore.
- § 3.4.3 The Contractor shall enforce strict discipline and good order among the Contractor's employees and other persons carrying out the Work. The Contractor shall not permit employment of unfit persons or persons not properly skilled in tasks assigned to them.
- § 3.4.4 The Contractor shall only employ or use labor in connection with the Work capable of working harmoniously with all trades, crafts, and any other individuals associated with the Project.
- § 3.4.5. In case the progress of the Work is affected by any undue delay in furnishing or installing any items or materials or equipment required under the Contract Documents because of such conflict involving any such labor agreement or regulation, the Owner may require that other material or equipment of equal kind and quality be provided pursuant to a Change Order or Construction Change Directive.

§ 3.5 WARRANTY

§ 3.5.1 The Contractor warrants to the Owner: (1) that materials and equipment furnished under the Contract will be of good quality and new unless the Contract Documents require or permit otherwise; (2) that the Work will conform to the requirements of the Contract Documents and will be free from defects, except for those inherent in the quality of the Work the Contract Documents require or permit; (3) that the Work will be done strictly in accordance with the Contract Documents; (4) that all products are installed

per the manufacturer's instructions, and in such a way that the manufacturer's warranties are preserved, including the use of a manufacturer-certified installer, if required by the manufacturer; (5) and that the Work, when finally completed, will provide a complete Project that meets the intent of the Contract Documents. The Contractor represents and warrants to the Owner that its materials and workmanship, including without limitation, construction means, methods, procedures and techniques necessary to perform the Work, use of materials, selection of equipment and requirements of product manufacturers are and shall be consistent with: (1) good and sound practices within the construction industry; (2) generally prevailing and accepted industry standards applicable to the Work; (3) requirements of any warranties applicable to the Work subject to Paragraph 3.2.3. Work, materials, or equipment not conforming to these requirements shall be considered defective, and promptly after written notification of non-conformance shall be repaired or replaced by Contractor with Work conforming to this warranty. The Contractor's warranty excludes remedy for damage or defect caused by abuse, alterations to the Work not executed by the Contractor, improper or insufficient maintenance, improper operation, or normal wear and tear and normal usage. If required by the Owner or Architect, the Contractor shall furnish satisfactory evidence as to the kind and quality of materials and equipment.

- § 3.5.1.1 Contractor further warrants that all materials or equipment of a category or classification will be a product of the same manufacturer and such materials or equipment shall be of the same lot, batch or type and that such materials and equipment will be as specified.
- § 3.5.2 The Contractor agrees to assign to the Owner at the time of final completion of the Work any and all manufacturer's warranties relating to materials and labor used in the Work and further agrees to perform the Work in such manner so as to preserve any and all such manufacturer's warranties.

§ 3.6 TAXES

State Sales and Use Taxes. Sales, use or similar taxes imposed by a governmental authority that are related to the Work and for which the Contractor is liable; provided, however, Owner is a body corporate and politic under the laws of the State of Texas and claims exemption from sales and use taxes under Texas Tax Code Ann. § 151.309, as amended, and the services and materials subject of the Agreement are being secured for use by Owner. Exemption certificates will be provided to Contractor upon request. As a precondition to the Owner reimbursing Contractor for allowable sales and use taxes, Contractor must, on its own, first attempt to use such tax exemption certificates in order to assert the exemption. In the event Contractor's efforts to use the tax exemption certificate is unsuccessful and provided that under the laws of the State of Texas an exemption from sales and use taxes is allowed, Owner will reimburse Contractor for such sales and use taxes upon Contractor providing sufficient and satisfactory documentation to the Williamson County Auditor.

§ 3.7 PERMITS, FEES, NOTICES, AND COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS

- § 3.7.1 Unless otherwise provided, the Contractor shall secure, pay for, and, as soon as practicable, furnish the Owner with copies or certificates of all permits and fees, licenses, and inspections necessary for the proper execution and completion of the Work, including, without limitation, all building permits. All connection charges, assessments, or inspection fees as may be imposed by any municipal agency or utility company are included in the Contract Sum and shall be the Contractor's responsibility.
- § 3.7.2 The Contractor shall comply with and give notices required by applicable laws, statutes, ordinances, codes, rules and regulations, and lawful orders of public authorities applicable to performance of the Work.
- § 3.7.3 If the Contractor performs Work knowing it to be contrary to applicable laws, statutes, ordinances, codes, rules and regulations, or lawful orders of public authorities, the Contractor shall assume appropriate responsibility for such Work and shall bear the costs attributable to correction and damages resulting therefrom.
- § 3.7.4 Concealed or Unknown Conditions. If the Contractor encounters conditions at the site that are (1) subsurface or otherwise concealed physical conditions that differ materially from those indicated in the Contract Documents or (2) unknown physical conditions of an unusual nature, that differ materially from

those ordinarily found to exist and generally recognized as inherent in construction activities of the character provided for in the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall promptly provide notice to the Owner and the Architect before conditions are disturbed and in no event later than 21 days after first observance of the conditions. The Owner will promptly investigate such conditions and, if the Owner determines that they differ materially and cause an increase or decrease in the Contractor's cost of, or time required for, performance of any part of the Work, will authorize an equitable adjustment in the Contract Sum or Contract Time, or both. If the Owner determines that the conditions at the site are not materially different from those indicated in the Contract Documents and that no change in the terms of the Contract is justified, the Owner shall promptly notify the Contractor in writing, stating the reasons. If the Contractor disputes the Owner's determination, the Contractor party may assert a Claim as provided in Article 15.

§ 3.7.5 If, in the course of the Work, the Contractor encounters human remains or recognizes the existence of burial markers, archaeological sites or wetlands not indicated in the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall immediately suspend any operations that would affect them and shall notify the Owner and Architect. Upon receipt of such notice, the Owner shall promptly take any action necessary to obtain governmental authorization required to resume the operations. The Contractor shall continue to suspend such operations until otherwise instructed by the Owner but shall continue with all other operations that do not affect those remains or features. Requests for adjustments in the Contract Sum and Contract Time arising from the existence of such remains or features may be made as provided in Article 15.

§ 3.8 ALLOWANCES

§ 3.8.1 The Contractor shall include in the Contract Sum all allowances stated in the Contract Documents. Items covered by allowances shall be supplied for such amounts and by such persons or entities as the Owner may direct, but the Contractor shall not be required to employ persons or entities to whom the Contractor has reasonable objection.

§ 3.8.2 Unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents.

- .1 allowances shall cover the cost to the Contractor of materials and equipment delivered at the site and all required taxes, less applicable trade discounts;
- .2 Contractor's costs for unloading and handling at the site, labor, installation costs, overhead, profit and other expenses contemplated for stated allowance amounts shall be included in the Contract Sum but not in the allowances; and
- .3 whenever costs are more than or less than allowances, the Contractor shall, prior to purchasing any such materials, notify the Owner in writing of the cost and whether such cost will exceed the amount of the allowance. If Owner authorizes Contractor to proceed, after receiving the Contractor's estimate of the total cost, then the Contract Sum shall be adjusted accordingly by Change Order. The amount of the Change Order shall reflect (1) the difference between actual costs and the allowances under Section 3.8.2.1 and (2) changes in Contractor's costs under Section 3.8.2.2.

§ 3.9 SUPERINTENDENT

§ 3.9.1 The Contractor shall employ a competent superintendent and necessary assistants who shall be in attendance at the Project site during performance of the Work. The superintendent shall represent the Contractor, and communications given to the superintendent or Contractor's project manager shall be as binding as if given to the Contractor. Important oral communications shall be immediately confirmed in writing.

§ 3.9.2 The Contractor, as soon as practicable after award of the Contract, shall furnish in writing to the Owner through the Architect the name and qualifications of a proposed superintendent. The Owner or Architect may reply within 14 days to the Contractor in writing stating (1) whether the Owner or the Architect has reasonable objection to the proposed superintendent or (2) that the Owner and Architect require additional time to review. Failure of the Owner or Architect to reply within the 14 day period shall constitute notice of no reasonable objection.

§ 3.9.3 The Contractor shall not employ a proposed superintendent to whom the Owner or Architect has made reasonable and timely objection. The Contractor shall not change the superintendent without the Owner's consent, which shall not unreasonably be withheld or delayed.

§ 3.10 CONTRACTOR'S CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULES

§ 3.10.1 The Contractor, as provided in the Agreement, shall prepare and submit for the Owner's and Architect's information a Contractor's construction schedule for the Work. The schedule shall not exceed time limits current under the Contract Documents, shall be revised at appropriate intervals as required by the conditions of the Work and Project, shall be related to the entire Project to the extent required by the Contract Documents, and shall provide for expeditious and practicable execution of the Work.

§ 3.10.2 The Contractor shall prepare a submittal schedule, promptly after being awarded the Contract and thereafter as necessary to maintain a current submittal schedule, and shall submit the schedule(s) for the Architect's approval. The Architect's approval shall not unreasonably be delayed or withheld. The submittal schedule shall (1) be coordinated with the Contractor's construction schedule, and (2) allow the Architect reasonable time to review submittals. If the Contractor fails to submit a submittal schedule, the Contractor shall not be entitled to any increase in Contract Sum or extension of Contract Time based on the time required for review of submittals.

§ 3.10.3 The Contractor shall perform the Work in general accordance with the most recent schedules submitted to the Owner and Architect.

§ 3.10.4 The construction schedule shall be a detailed precedence-style critical path management ("CPM") schedule in a format satisfactory to the Owner that shall (i) provide a graphic representation of all activities and events that will occur during performance of the Work; (ii) identify each phase of construction and occupancy; and (iii) set forth dates that are critical in ensuring the timely and orderly completion of the Work in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents (hereinafter referred to as the "Milestone Date"). Upon review and acceptance by the Owner of the Milestone Dates, the construction schedule shall be deemed part of the Contract Documents. If not accepted, the construction schedule shall be promptly revised by the Contractor in accordance with the recommendations of the Owner and resubmitted for acceptance. The Contractor shall monitor the progress of the Work for conformance with the requirements of the construction schedule and shall promptly advise the Owner of any delays or potential delays. The accepted construction schedule shall be updated to reflect actual conditions as set forth in section 3.10.1 or if requested by the Owner. In the event any progress report indicates any delays, the Contractor shall propose an affirmative plan to correct the delay, including overtime and/or additional labor, if necessary. In no event shall any progress report constitute an adjustment in the Contract Time, any Milestone date, or the Contract Sum unless any such adjustment is agreed to by the Owner and authorize pursuant to a Change Order.

§ 3.10.5 In the event the Owner determines that the performance of the Work, as of a Milestone Date, has not progressed or reach the level of completion required by the Contract Documents, the Owner shall have the right to order the Contractor to take corrective measures necessary to expedite the progress of construction, including without limitation, (i) working additional shifts or overtime, (ii) supplying additional manpower, equipment, and facilities, and (iii) other similar measures. Such measures so continue until the progress of the Work complies with the stage of completion required by the Contract Documents. The Owner's right to require such measures is solely for the purpose of ensuring the Contractors compliance with the construction schedule.

§ 3.11 DOCUMENTS AT THE SITE

The Contractor shall maintain at the site for the Owner one copy of the Drawings, Specifications, Addenda, Change Orders and other Modifications, in good order and marked currently to indicate field changes and selections made during construction, and one copy of approved Shop Drawings, Product Data, Samples and similar required submittals. These shall be available to the Architect and shall be delivered to the Architect for submittal to the Owner upon completion of the Work as a record of the Work as constructed.

- § 3.12 SHOP DRAWINGS, PRODUCT DATA AND SAMPLES
- § 3.12.1 Shop Drawings are drawings, diagrams, schedules and other data specially prepared for the Work by the Contractor or a Subcontractor, Sub-subcontractor, manufacturer, supplier or distributor to illustrate some portion of the Work.
- § 3.12.2 Product Data are illustrations, standard schedules, performance charts, instructions, brochures, diagrams and other information furnished by the Contractor to illustrate materials or equipment for some portion of the Work.
- § 3.12.3 Samples are physical examples that illustrate materials, equipment or workmanship and establish standards by which the Work will be judged.
- § 3.12.4 Shop Drawings, Product Data, Samples and similar submittals are not Contract Documents. Their purpose is to demonstrate the way by which the Contractor proposes to conform to the information given and the design concept expressed in the Contract Documents for those portions of the Work for which the Contract Documents require submittals. Review by the Architect is subject to the limitations of Section 4.2.7. Informational submittals upon which the Architect is not expected to take responsive action may be so identified in the Contract Documents. Submittals that are not required by the Contract Documents may be returned by the Architect without action.
- § 3.12.5 The Contractor shall review for compliance with the Contract Documents, approve and submit to the Architect Shop Drawings, Product Data, Samples and similar submittals required by the Contract Documents in accordance with the submittal schedule approved by the Architect or, in the absence of an approved submittal schedule, with reasonable promptness and in such sequence as to cause no delay in the Work or in the activities of the Owner or of separate contractors.
- § 3.12.6 By submitting Shop Drawings, Product Data, Samples and similar submittals, the Contractor represents to the Owner and Architect that the Contractor has (1) reviewed and approved them, (2) determined and verified materials, field measurements and field construction criteria related thereto, or will do so and (3) checked and coordinated the information contained within such submittals with the requirements of the Work and of the Contract Documents.
- § 3.12.7 The Contractor shall perform no portion of the Work for which the Contract Documents require submittal and review of Shop Drawings, Product Data, Samples or similar submittals until the respective submittal has been approved by the Architect.
- § 3.12.8 The Work shall be in accordance with approved submittals except that the Contractor shall not be relieved of responsibility for deviations from requirements of the Contract Documents by the Architect's approval of Shop Drawings, Product Data, Samples or similar submittals unless the Contractor has specifically informed the Architect in writing of such deviation at the time of submittal and (1) the Architect has given written approval to the specific deviation as a minor change in the Work, or (2) a Change Order or Construction Change Directive has been issued authorizing the deviation. The Contractor shall not be relieved of responsibility for errors or omissions in Shop Drawings, Product Data, Samples or similar submittals by the Architect's approval thereof.
- § 3.12.9 The Contractor shall direct specific attention, in writing or on resubmitted Shop Drawings, Product Data, Samples or similar submittals, to revisions other than those requested by the Architect on previous submittals. In the absence of such written notice, the Architect's approval of a resubmission shall not apply to such revisions.
- § 3.12.10 The Contractor shall not be required to provide professional services that constitute the practice of architecture or engineering unless such services are specifically required by the Contract Documents for a portion of the Work or unless the Contractor needs to provide such services in order to carry out the Contractor's responsibilities for construction means, methods, techniques, sequences and procedures. The Contractor shall not be required to provide professional services in violation of applicable law. If professional design services or certifications by a design professional related to systems, materials or

equipment are specifically required of the Contractor by the Contract Documents, the Owner and the Architect will specify all performance and design criteria that such services must satisfy. The Contractor shall cause such services or certifications to be provided by a properly licensed design professional, whose signature and seal shall appear on all drawings, calculations, specifications, certifications, Shop Drawings 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 the Architect. The Owner and the Architect shall be entitled to rely upon the adequacy, accuracy and completeness of the services, certifications and approvals performed or provided by such design professionals, provided the Owner and Architect have specified to the Contractor all performance and design criteria that such services must satisfy. Pursuant to this Section 3.12.10, the Architect will review, approve or take other appropriate action on submittals only for the limited purpose of checking for conformance with information given and the design concept expressed in the Contract Documents. The Contractor shall not be responsible for the adequacy of the performance and design criteria specified in the Contract Documents.

§ 3.13 USE OF SITE

The Contractor shall confine operations at the site to areas permitted by applicable laws, statutes, ordinances, codes, rules and regulations, and lawful orders of public authorities and the Contract Documents and shall not unreasonably encumber the site with materials or equipment.

§ 3.14 CUTTING AND PATCHING

- § 3.14.1 The Contractor shall be responsible for cutting, fitting or patching required to complete the Work or to make its parts fit together properly as required by the Contract Documents. All areas requiring cutting, fitting and patching shall be restored to the condition existing prior to the cutting, fitting and patching, unless otherwise required by the Contract Documents.
- § 3.14.2 The Contractor shall not damage or endanger a portion of the Work or fully or partially completed construction of the Owner or separate contractors by cutting, patching or otherwise altering such construction, or by excavation. The Contractor shall not cut or otherwise alter such construction by the Owner or a separate contractor except with written consent of the Owner and of such separate contractor; such consent shall not be unreasonably withheld. The Contractor shall not unreasonably withhold from the Owner or a separate contractor the Contractor's consent to cutting or otherwise altering the Work.

§ 3.15 CLEANING UP

- § 3.15.1 The Contractor shall keep the premises and surrounding area free from accumulation of waste materials or rubbish caused by operations under the Contract. At completion of the Work, the Contractor shall remove waste materials, rubbish, the Contractor's tools, construction equipment, machinery and surplus materials from and about the Project.
- § 3.15.2 If the Contractor fails to clean up as provided in the Contract Documents, the Owner may do so and Owner shall be entitled to reimbursement from the Contractor.

§ 3.16 ACCESS TO WORK

The Owner and Architect shall, at all times, have access to the Work in preparation and progress wherever located.

§ 3.17 ROYALTIES, PATENTS AND COPYRIGHTS

The Contractor shall pay all royalties and license fees. The Contractor shall defend suits or claims for infringement of copyrights and patent rights and shall hold the Owner and Architect harmless from loss on account thereof, but shall not be responsible for such defense or loss when a particular design, process or product of a particular manufacturer or manufacturers is required by the Contract Documents, or where the copyright violations are contained in Drawings, Specifications or other documents prepared by the Owner or Architect. However, if the Contractor has reason to believe that the required design, process or product is an infringement of a copyright or a patent, the Contractor shall be responsible for such loss unless such information is promptly furnished to the Architect.

§ 3.18 INDEMNIFICATION

§ 3.18.1 INDEMNITY - OTHER THAN EMPLOYEE PERSONAL INJURY CLAIMS. TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, CONTRACTOR SHALL INDEMNIFY, DEFEND, AND HOLD HARMLESS OWNER, ITS EMPLOYEES, AND ASSIGNS (THE "INDEMNIFIED PARTIES" OR "INDEMNITEES") FROM AND AGAINST CLAIMS, DAMAGES, LOSSES AND EXPENSES, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO ATTORNEYS' FEES. ARISING OUT OF OR ALLEGED TO BE RESULTING FROM THE PERFORMANCE OF THIS AGREEMENT, TO THE EXTENT CAUSED BY NEGLIGENT OR WILLFUL ACTS OR OMISSIONS OF THE CONTRACTOR, SUBCONTRACTORS, SUB-SUBCONTRACTORS, OR ANYONE DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY EMPLOYED BY THEM OR ANYONE FOR WHOSE ACTS THEY MAY BE LIABLE. CONTRACTOR SHALL NOT BE REQUIRED TO INDEMNIFY, HOLD HARMLESS OR DEFEND THE INDEMNIFIED PARTIES AGAINST A CLAIM CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE OR FAULT, OR THE BREACH OR VIOLATION OF A STATUTE, ORDINANCE, GOVERNMENTAL REGULATION, STANDARD, OR RULE OF THE INDEMNITEE, OR OTHER PARTY OTHER THAN CONTRACTOR OR ITS AGENT, EMPLOYEE, OR SUBCONTRACTOR OF ANY TIER, EXCEPT THAT CONTRACTOR SHALL INDEMNIFY, HOLD HARMLESS AND DEFEND THE INDEMNIFIED PARTIES AGAINST ANY CLAIMS FOR THE BODILY INJURY OR DEATH OF AN EMPLOYEE OF CONTRACTOR, ITS AGENTS, OR IT SUBCONTRACTORS OF ANY TIER.

§3.18.2 INDEMNITY - EMPLOYEE PERSONAL INJURY CLAIMS. TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, CONTRACTOR SHALL INDEMNIFY, DEFEND, AND HOLD HARMLESS THE INDEMNIFIED PARTIES AND SHALL ASSUME ENTIRE RESPONSIBILITY AND LIABILITY (OTHER THAN AS A RESULT OF AN INDEMNIFIED PARTY'S GROSS NEGLIGENCE) FOR ANY CLAIM OR ACTION BASED ON OR ARISING OUT OF THE PERSONAL INJURY, INCLUDING THE DEATH, OF ANY EMPLOYEE OF THE CONTRACTOR, SUBCONTRACTORS, OR ANY SUB-SUBCONTRACTOR, OR OF ANY OTHER ENTITY FOR WHOSE ACTS THEY MAY BE LIABLE, WHICH OCCURRED OR WAS ALLEGED TO HAVE OCCURRED ON THE PROJECT SITE OR IN CONNECTION WITH THE PERFORMANCE OF THE WORK OF THIS AGREEMENT. CONTRACTOR HEREBY INDEMNIFIES THE INDEMNIFIED PARTIES EVEN TO THE EXTENT THAT SUCH PERSONAL INJURY WAS CAUSED OR ALLEGED TO HAVE BEEN CAUSED BY THE COMPARATIVE OR CONCURRENT NEGLIGENCE OF THE STRICT LIABILITY OF ANY INDEMNIFIED PARTY. THIS INDEMNIFICATION SHALL NOT BE LIMITED TO DAMAGES, COMPENSATION, OR BENEFITS PAYABLE UNDER INSURANCE POLICIES, WORKERS COMPENSATION ACTS, DISABILITY BENEFITS ACTS, OR OTHER EMPLOYEES BENEFIT ACTS.

§3.18.3 THE CONTRACTOR'S INDEMNITY OBLIGATIONS UNDER THIS SECTION 3.18 SHALL ALSO SPECIFICALLY INCLUDE, WITHOUT LIMITATION, ALL FINES, PENALTIES, DAMAGES, LIABILITY, COSTS, EXPENSES (INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, REASONABLE ATTORNEYS' FEES) ARISING OUT OF, OR IN CONNECTION WITH, ANY (I) VIOLATION OF OR FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH ANY LAW, STATUTE, ORDINANCE, RULE, REGULATION, CODE OR REQUIREMENT OF A PUBLIC AUTHORITY THAT BEARS UPON THE PERFORMANCE OF THE WORK BY THE CONTRACTOR, A SUBCONTRACTOR, OR ANY PERSON OR ENTITY FOR WHOM EITHER IS RESPONSIBLE, (II) MEANS, METHODS, PROCEDURES, TECHNIQUES, OR SEQUENCES OF EXECUTION OR PERFORMANCE OF THE WORK, AND (III) FAILURE TO SECURE AND PAY FOR PERMITS, FEES, APPROVALS, LICENSES, AND INSPECTIONS AS REQUIRED UNDER THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS, OR ANY VIOLATION OF ANY PERMIT OR OTHER APPROVAL OF A PUBLIC AUTHORITY APPLICABLE TO THE WORK, BY THE CONTRACTOR, A SUBCONTRACTOR, OR ANY PERSON OR ENTITY FOR WHOM EITHER IS RESPONSIBLE.

ARTICLE 4 ARCHITECT

§ 4.1 GENERAL

§ 4.1.1 The Owner shall retain an architect lawfully licensed to practice architecture or an entity lawfully practicing architecture in the jurisdiction where the Project is located. That person or entity is identified as the Architect in the Agreement and is referred to throughout the Contract Documents as if singular in number.

§ 4.1.2 Duties, responsibilities and limitations of authority of the Architect as set forth in the Contract Documents shall not be restricted, modified or extended without written consent of the Owner, Contractor and Architect. Consent shall not be unreasonably withheld.

§ 4.2 ADMINISTRATION OF THE CONTRACT

- § 4.2.1 The Architect will provide administration of the Contract as described in the Owner-Architect Agreement. The Architect will have authority to act on behalf of the Owner only to the extent provided in the Contract Documents.
- § 4.2.2 The Architect will visit the site at intervals appropriate to the stage of construction, or as otherwise agreed with the Owner, to become generally familiar with the progress and quality of the portion of the Work completed, and to determine in general if the Work observed is being performed in a manner indicating that the Work, when fully completed, will be in accordance with the Contract Documents. However, the Architect will not be required to make exhaustive or continuous on-site inspections to check the quality or quantity of the Work. The Architect will not have control over, charge of, or responsibility for, the construction means, methods, techniques, sequences or procedures, or for the safety precautions and programs in connection with the Work, since these are solely the Contractor's rights and responsibilities under the Contract Documents, except as provided in Section 3.3.1.
- § 4.2.3 On the basis of the site visits, the Architect will keep the Owner reasonably informed about the progress and quality of the portion of the Work completed, and report to the Owner (1) known deviations from the Contract Documents and from the most recent construction schedule submitted by the Contractor, and (2) defects and deficiencies observed in the Work. The Architect will not be responsible for the Contractor's failure to perform the Work in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents. The Architect will not have control over or charge of and will not be responsible for acts or omissions of the Contractor, Subcontractors, or their agents or employees, or any other persons or entities performing portions of the Work.

§ 4.2.4 COMMUNICATIONS AND CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION

Except as otherwise provided in the Contract Documents or when direct communications have been specially authorized, the Owner and Contractor shall endeavor to relate relevant communications between Owner and Architect to the Architect. Communications by and with the Architect's consultants shall be through the Architect. Communications by and with Subcontractors and material suppliers shall be through the Contractor. Communications by and with separate contractors shall be through the Owner.

- § 4.2.5 If included in Architect's scope of work, the agreement between Owner and Architect, or if requested by the Owner, the Architect will review and certify the amounts due the Contractor and will issue Certificates for Payment in such amounts based on the Architect's evaluations of the Contractor's Applications for Payment.
- § 4.2.6 To the extent permitted by the agreement between Owner and Architect, the Architect has authority to reject Work that does not conform to the Contract Documents. Whenever the Architect considers it necessary or advisable, the Architect, in consultation with the Owner, will have authority to require inspection or testing of the Work in accordance with Sections 13.5.2 and 13.5.3, whether or not such Work is fabricated, installed or completed. However, neither this authority of the Architect nor a decision made in good faith either to exercise or not to exercise such authority shall give rise to a duty or responsibility of the Architect or the Owner to the Contractor, Subcontractors, material and equipment suppliers, their agents or employees, or other persons or entities performing portions of the Work.
- § 4.2.7 To the extent provided in the agreement between Owner and Architect, the Architect will review and approve, or take other appropriate action upon, the Contractor's submittals such as Shop Drawings, Product Data and Samples, but only for the limited purpose of checking for conformance with information given and the design concept expressed in the Contract Documents. The Architect's action will be taken in accordance with the submittal schedule approved by the Owner and Architect or, in the absence of an approved submittal schedule, with reasonable promptness while allowing sufficient time in the Architect's professional judgment to permit adequate review. Review of such submittals is not conducted for the

purpose of determining the accuracy and completeness of other details such as dimensions and quantities, or for substantiating instructions for installation or performance of equipment or systems, all of which remain the responsibility of the Contractor as required by the Contract Documents. The Architect's review of the Contractor's submittals shall not relieve the Contractor of the obligations under Sections 3.3, 3.5 and 3.12. The Architect's review shall not constitute approval of safety precautions or, unless otherwise specifically stated by the Architect, of any construction means, methods, techniques, sequences or procedures. The Architect's approval of a specific item shall not indicate approval of an assembly of which the item is a component.

- § 4.2.8 If requested by Owner, the Architect will prepare Change Orders and Construction Change Directives with the Owner's prior written consent, but the Architect may authorize minor changes in the Work as provided in the agreement between Owner and Architect, or in Section 7.4 of these General Conditions. If requested by Owner, the Architect will investigate and make determinations and recommendations regarding concealed and unknown conditions as provided in Section 3.7.4.
- § 4.2.9 If requested by Owner, the Architect will conduct inspections to determine the date or dates of Substantial Completion and the date of final completion; issue Certificates of Substantial Completion pursuant to Section 9.8; receive and forward to the Owner, for the Owner's review and records, written warranties and related documents required by the Contract and assembled by the Contractor pursuant to Section 9.10; and issue a final Certificate for Payment pursuant to Section 9.10.
- § 4.2.10 If the Owner and Architect agree, the Architect will provide one or more project representatives to assist in carrying out the Architect's responsibilities at the site. The duties, responsibilities and limitations of authority of such project representatives shall be as set forth in an exhibit to be incorporated in the Contract Documents.
- § 4.2.11 If requested by Owner, the Architect will interpret and decide matters concerning performance under, and requirements of, the Contract Documents on written request of either the Owner or Contractor. The Architect's response to such requests will be made in writing within any time limits agreed upon or otherwise with reasonable promptness.
- § 4.2.12 Interpretations and decisions of the Architect will be consistent with the intent of, and reasonably inferable from, the Contract Documents and will be in writing or in the form of drawings.
- § 4.2.13 The Architect's decisions on matters relating to aesthetic effect will be final if consistent with the intent expressed in the Contract Documents, and if approved by Owner.
- § 4.2.14 The Architect will review and respond to requests for information about the Contract Documents. The Architect's response to such requests will be made in writing within any time limits agreed upon or otherwise with reasonable promptness. If appropriate, the Architect will prepare and issue supplemental Drawings and Specifications in response to the requests for information.

ARTICLE 5 SUBCONTRACTORS

§ 5.1 DEFINITIONS

- § 5.1.1 A Subcontractor is a person or entity who has a direct contract with the Contractor to perform a portion of the Work at the site. The term "Subcontractor" is referred to throughout the Contract Documents as if singular in number and means a Subcontractor or an authorized representative of the Subcontractor. The term "Subcontractor" does not include a separate contractor or subcontractors of a separate contractor.
- § 5.1.2 A Sub-subcontractor is a person or entity who has a direct or indirect contract with a Subcontractor to perform a portion of the Work at the site. The term "Sub-subcontractor" is referred to throughout the Contract Documents as if singular in number and means a Sub-subcontractor or an authorized representative of the Sub-subcontractor.

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- § 5.2.1 For Construction Manager-At-Risk Agreements. The Construction Manager shall publicly advertise for bids or proposals and receive bids or proposals from trade contractors or Subcontractors for the performance of all major elements of the work other than the minor work that may be included in the general conditions. The Construction Manager may seek to perform portions of the work itself if:
 - (A) the Construction Manager submits its bid or proposal for those portions of the Work in the same manner as all other trade contractors or Subcontractors; and
 - (B) the Owner determines that the Construction Manager's bid or proposal provides the best value for the Owner.
- § 5.2.1.1 REVIEW OF BIDS OR PROPOSALS. Construction Manager shall review all trade contractor or Subcontractor bids or proposals in a manner that does not disclose the contents of the bid or proposal during the selection process to a person not employed by the Construction Manger, Architect, Engineer, or Owner. All bids or proposals shall be made available to the Owner on request and to the public after the later of the award of the contract or the seventh day after the date of final selection of bids or proposals. If the Construction Manager reviews, evaluates, and recommends to the Owner a bid or proposal from a trade contractor or subcontractor but the Owner requires another bid or proposal to be accepted, the Owner shall compensate the Construction Manager by a change in the Contract Sum, Contract Time, or Cost of the Work for any additional cost and risk that the Construction manager incurs because of the Owner's requirement that another bid or proposal be accepted.
- § 5.2.2 The Contractor shall not contract with a proposed Subcontractor, person, or entity to whom the Owner has made reasonable objection. The Contractor shall not be required to contract with anyone to whom the Contractor has made a reasonable objection.
- § 5.2.3 If the Owner has reasonable objection to a person or entity proposed by the Contractor, the Contractor shall propose another to whom the Owner has no reasonable objection. If the proposed but rejected Subcontractor was reasonably capable of performing the Work, the Contract Sum and Contract Time may be increased or decreased by the difference, if any, occasioned by such change, and an appropriate Change Order shall be issued before commencement of the substitute Subcontractor's Work. However, no increase in the Contract Sum or Contract Time shall be allowed for such change unless the Contractor has acted promptly and responsively in submitting names as required.
- § 5.2.4 The Contractor shall not substitute a Subcontractor, person, or entity previously selected if the Owner makes reasonable objection to such substitution.

§ 5.3 SUBCONTRACTUAL RELATIONS

§ 5.3.1 By appropriate written agreement, the Contractor shall require each Subcontractor, to the extent of the Work to be performed by the Subcontractor, to be bound to the Contractor by terms of the Contract Documents, and to assume toward the Contractor all the obligations and responsibilities, including the responsibility for safety of the Subcontractor's Work, which the Contractor, by these Documents, assumes toward the Owner. Each subcontract agreement shall preserve and protect the rights of the Owner and Architect under the Contract Documents with respect to the Work to be performed by the Subcontractor so that subcontracting thereof will not prejudice such rights, and shall allow to the Subcontractor, unless specifically provided otherwise in the subcontract agreement, the benefit of all rights, remedies and redress against the Contractor that the Contractor, by the Contract Documents, has against the Owner. Where appropriate, the Contractor shall require each Subcontractor to enter into similar agreements with Sub-subcontractors. The Contractor shall make available to each proposed Subcontractor, prior to the execution of the subcontract agreement, copies of the Contract Documents to which the Subcontractor will be bound, and, upon written request of the Subcontractor, identify to the Subcontractor terms and conditions of the proposed subcontract agreement that may be at variance with the Contract Documents. Subcontractors will similarly make copies of applicable portions of such documents available to their respective proposed Sub-subcontractors.

§ 5.3.2 All subcontracts shall be in writing and, if requested, Contractor shall provide Owner with copies of executed subcontracts.

§ 5.4 CONTINGENT ASSIGNMENT OF SUBCONTRACTS

- § 5.4.1 This Contract is for Owner's benefit, its successors and assigns who, as well as Contractor, may directly enforce all rights and warranties, express or implied herein, but Subcontractors shall have recourse only against Contractor and not against Owner. Owner may rely solely upon Contractor for enforcement of all Subcontracts. To effect such purpose, Contractor assigns to Owner all right to bring any actions against subcontractors and material vendors without waiver by Owner of his right against Contractor because of defaults, delays and effects for which a subcontractor or material vendor may also be liable, said assignment being effective only if:
 - .1 Contractor is in default under the Contract Documents; or
 - .2 Owner has terminated the Contract in accordance with the Contract Documents; and
 - .3 Only for those subcontract agreements which the Owner accepts by notifying the Subcontractor and Contractor in writing; and
 - .4 The assignment is subject to the prior rights of the surety, if any, obligated under any bond relating to the Contract.
- § 5.4.2 Upon such assignment, if the Work has been suspended for more than 30 days, the Subcontractor's compensation may be equitably adjusted for increases in cost resulting from the suspension.
- § 5.4.3 Upon such assignment to the Owner under this Section 5.4, the Owner may further assign the subcontract to a successor contractor or other entity. If the Owner assigns the subcontract to a successor contractor or other entity, the Owner shall nevertheless remain legally responsible for all of the successor contractor's obligations under the subcontract.
- §5.4.4 The Architect and the Owner shall have the right to request from any Subcontractor at any time during the course of construction, a notarized affidavit stating the amount of monies which have been paid to the Subcontractor as of any certain stipulated date.

ARTICLE 6 CONSTRUCTION BY OWNER OR BY SEPARATE CONTRACTORS

- § 6.1 OWNER'S RIGHT TO PERFORM CONSTRUCTION AND TO AWARD SEPARATE CONTRACTS
- § 6.1.1 The Owner reserves the right to perform construction or operations related to the Project with the Owner's own forces, and to award separate contracts in connection with other portions of the Project or other construction or operations on the site under Conditions of the Contract identical or substantially similar to these including those portions related to insurance and waiver of subrogation. If the Contractor claims that delay or additional cost is involved because of such action by the Owner, the Contractor shall make such Claim as provided in Article 15.
- § 6.1.2 When separate contracts are awarded for different portions of the Project or other construction or operations on the site, the term "Contractor" in the Contract Documents in each case shall mean the Contractor who executes each separate Owner-Contractor Agreement.
- § 6.1.3 The Contractor shall participate with other separate contractors and the Owner in reviewing their construction schedules. The Contractor shall make any revisions to the construction schedule deemed necessary after a joint review and mutual agreement. The construction schedules shall then constitute the schedules to be used by the Contractor, separate contractors and the Owner until subsequently revised.

§ 6.2 MUTUAL RESPONSIBILITY

§ 6.2.1 The Contractor shall afford the Owner and separate contractors reasonable opportunity for introduction and storage of their materials and equipment and performance of their activities, and shall

connect and coordinate the Contractor's construction and operations with theirs as required by the Contract Documents.

- § 6.2.2 If part of the Contractor's Work depends for proper execution or results upon construction or operations by the Owner or a separate contractor, the Contractor shall, prior to proceeding with that portion of the Work, promptly report to the Architect and the Owner apparent discrepancies or defects in such other construction that would render it unsuitable for such proper execution and results. Failure of the Contractor so to report shall constitute an acknowledgment that the Owner's or separate contractor's completed or partially completed construction is fit and proper to receive the Contractor's Work, except as to defects not then reasonably discoverable.
- § 6.2.3 The Contractor shall reimburse the Owner for costs the Owner incurs that are payable to a separate contractor because of the Contractor's delays, improperly timed activities or defective construction. The Owner shall be responsible to the Contractor for costs the Contractor incurs because of a separate contractor's delays, improperly timed activities, damage to the Work or defective construction.
- § 6.2.4 The Contractor shall promptly remedy damage the Contractor wrongfully causes to completed or partially completed construction or to property of the Owner, separate contractors as provided in Section 10.2.5.
- § 6.2.5 The Owner and each separate contractor shall have the same responsibilities for cutting and patching as are described for the Contractor in Section 3.14.

§ 6.3 OWNER'S RIGHT TO CLEAN UP

If a dispute arises among the Contractor, separate contractors and the Owner as to the responsibility under their respective contracts for maintaining the premises and surrounding area free from waste materials and rubbish, the Owner may clean up and allocate the cost among those responsible.

ARTICLE 7 CHANGES IN THE WORK § 7.1 GENERAL

- § 7.1.1 Changes in the Work may be accomplished after execution of the Contract, and without invalidating the Contract, by Change Order, Construction Change Directive or order for a minor change in the Work, subject to the limitations stated in this Article 7 and elsewhere in the Contract Documents.
- § 7.1.2 A Change Order shall be based upon agreement among the Owner, Contractor and Architect; a Construction Change Directive requires agreement by the Owner and Architect and may or may not be agreed to by the Contractor; an order for a minor change in the Work may be issued by the Owner or Architect alone.
- § 7.1.3 Changes in the Work shall be performed under applicable provisions of the Contract Documents, and the Contractor shall proceed promptly, unless otherwise provided in the Change Order, Construction Change Directive or order for a minor change in the Work. Except as permitted in Section 7.3 and Section 9.7.2, a change in the Contract Sum or the Contract Time shall be accomplished only by Change Order. Accordingly, no course of conduct or dealings between the parties, nor express or implied acceptance of alterations or additions to the Work, and no claim that Owner has been unjustly enriched by any alteration of or addition to the Work, whether or not there is, in fact, any unjust enrichment to the Work, shall be the basis of any Claim to an increase in any amounts due under the Contract Documents or a change in any time period provided for in the Contract Documents.

§ 7.2 CHANGE ORDERS

- § 7.2.1 A Change Order is a written instrument signed by the Owner, Contractor and Architect stating their agreement upon all of the following:
 - .1 The change in the Work;
 - .2 The amount of the adjustment, if any, in the Contract Sum; and
 - .3 The extent of the adjustment, if any, in the Contract Time.

- § 7.2.2 Contractor's Change Order shall set forth in clear and precise detail breakdowns of labor and materials for all trades involved and the estimated impact on the dates of Substantial Completion. Contractor shall furnish supporting data as reasonably requested by Owner.
- § 7.2.3 Agreement on any Change Order shall constitute a final settlement of all matters relating to the change in the Work that is the subject of the Change Order, including, but not limited to, all direct and indirect costs associated with such change and any and all adjustments to the Contract Sum and the construction schedule.

§ 7.3 CONSTRUCTION CHANGE DIRECTIVES

- § 7.3.1 A Construction Change Directive is a written order signed by the Owner and Architect, directing a change in the Work prior to agreement on adjustment, if any, in the Contract Sum or Contract Time, or both. The Owner may by Construction Change Directive, without invalidating the Contract, order changes in the Work within the general scope of the Contract consisting of additions, deletions or other revisions, the Contract Sum and Contract Time being adjusted accordingly.
- § 7.3.2 A Construction Change Directive shall be used in the absence of total agreement on the terms of a Change Order.
- § 7.3.3 If the Construction Change Directive provides for an adjustment to the Contract Sum, the adjustment shall be based on one of the following methods:
 - .1 Mutual acceptance of a lump sum properly itemized and supported by sufficient substantiating data to permit evaluation;
 - .2 Unit prices stated in the Contract Documents or subsequently agreed upon;
 - .3 Cost to be determined in a manner agreed upon by the parties and a mutually acceptable fixed or percentage fee; or
 - .4 As provided in Section 7.3.7.
- § 7.3.4 If unit prices are stated in the Contract Documents or subsequently agreed upon, and if quantities originally contemplated are materially changed in a proposed Change Order or Construction Change Directive so that application of such unit prices to quantities of Work proposed will cause substantial inequity to the Owner or Contractor, the applicable unit prices shall be equitably adjusted.
- § 7.3.5 Upon receipt of a Construction Change Directive, the Contractor shall promptly proceed with the change in the Work involved and advise the Architect of the Contractor's agreement or disagreement with the method, if any, provided in the Construction Change Directive for determining the proposed adjustment in the Contract Sum or Contract Time.
- § 7.3.6 A Construction Change Directive signed by the Contractor indicates the Contractor's agreement therewith, including adjustment in Contract Sum and Contract Time or the method for determining them. Such agreement shall be effective immediately and shall be recorded as a Change Order.
- § 7.3.7 If the Contractor does not respond promptly or disagrees with the method for adjustment in the Contract Sum, the Owner shall determine the method and the adjustment on the basis of reasonable expenditures and savings of those performing the Work attributable to the change, including, in case of an increase in the Contract Sum, an amount for overhead and profit as set forth in the Agreement, or if no such amount is set forth in the Agreement, a reasonable amount. In such case, and also under Section 7.3.3.3, the Contractor shall keep and present, in such form as the Owner or Architect may prescribe, an itemized accounting together with appropriate supporting data. Unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents, costs for the purposes of this Section 7.3.7 shall be limited to the following:
 - .1 Costs of labor, including social security, old age and unemployment insurance, fringe benefits required by agreement or custom, and workers' compensation insurance;
 - .2 Costs of materials, supplies and equipment, including cost of transportation, whether incorporated or consumed;
 - .3 Rental costs of machinery and equipment, exclusive of hand tools, whether rented from the Contractor or others;

- .4 Costs of premiums for all bonds and insurance, permit fees, and sales, use or similar taxes related to the Work; and
- .5 Additional costs of supervision and field office personnel directly attributable to the change.
- § 7.3.8 The amount of credit to be allowed by the Contractor to the Owner for a deletion or change that results in a net decrease in the Contract Sum shall be actual net cost as confirmed by the Owner or the Architect. When both additions and credits covering related Work or substitutions are involved in a change, the allowance for overhead and profit shall be figured on the basis of net increase, if any, with respect to that change.
- § 7.3.9 Pending final determination of the total cost of a Construction Change Directive to the Owner, the Contractor may request payment for Work completed under the Construction Change Directive in Applications for Payment. The Owner will make an interim determination for purposes of monthly certification for payment for those costs and certify for payment the amount that the Owner determines to be reasonably justified. The Owner's interim determination of cost shall adjust the Contract Sum on the same basis as a Change Order, subject to the right of Contractor to disagree and assert a Claim in accordance with Article 15.
- § 7.3.10 When the Owner and Contractor agree with a determination made concerning the adjustments in the Contract Sum and Contract Time, or otherwise reach agreement upon the adjustments, such agreement shall be effective immediately and the Architect will prepare a Change Order. Change Orders may be issued for all or any part of a Construction Change Directive.

§ 7.4 MINOR CHANGES IN THE WORK

If permitted in the agreement between Owner and Architect, the Architect has authority to order minor changes in the Work not involving adjustment in the Contract Sum or extension of the Contract Time and not inconsistent with the intent of the Contract Documents.

ARTICLE 8 TIME

§ 8.1 DEFINITIONS

- § 8.1.1 Unless otherwise provided, Contract Time is the period of time, including authorized adjustments, allotted in the Contract Documents for Substantial Completion of the Work.
- § 8.1.2 The date of commencement of the Work is the date established in the Agreement.
- § 8.1.3 The date of Substantial Completion is the date certified by the Architect in accordance with Section 9.8.
- § 8.1.4 The term "day" as used in the Contract Documents shall mean calendar day unless otherwise specifically defined.

§ 8.2 PROGRESS AND COMPLETION

- § 8.2.1 Time limits stated in the Contract Documents are of the essence of the Contract and are a material element of the Contract. By executing the Agreement the Contractor confirms that the Contract Time is a reasonable period for performing the Work.
- § 8.2.2 The Contractor shall not knowingly, except by agreement or instruction of the Owner in writing, prematurely commence operations on the site or elsewhere prior to the effective date of insurance required by Article 11 to be furnished by the Contractor and Owner. The date of commencement of the Work shall not be changed by the effective date of such insurance.
- § 8.2.3 The Contractor shall proceed expeditiously with adequate forces and shall achieve Substantial Completion within the Contract Time.

§ 8.3 DELAYS AND EXTENSIONS OF TIME

- § 8.3.1 If the Contractor is delayed at any time in the commencement or progress of the Work by an act or neglect of the Owner or Architect, or of an employee of either, or of a separate contractor employed by the Owner; or by changes ordered in the Work; or by labor disputes, fire, unusual delay in deliveries, unavoidable casualties or other causes beyond the Contractor's control; or by delay authorized by the Owner pending mediation and arbitration; or by other causes that the Architect and Owner determines may justify delay, then the Contract Time shall be extended by Change Order to the extent such delay will prevent the Contractor from achieving Substantial Completion within the Contract Time and if the performance of the Work is not, was not, or would not have been delayed by any other cause for which the Contractor is not entitled to an extension in the Contract Time under the Contract Documents. The Contractor further acknowledges and agrees that adjustments in the Contract Time will be permitted for a delay only to the extent such delay (i) is not caused, or could not have been anticipated, by the Contractor, and (ii) could not be limited or avoided by the Contractor's timely notice to the Owner of the delay or reasonable likelihood that a delay will occur.
- § 8.3.2 Claims relating to time shall be made in accordance with applicable provisions of Article 15.
- § 8.3.3 Notwithstanding anything contained in the Contract Documents to the contrary, the Contractor's sole remedy for any (1) delay in the commencement, prosecution or completion of the Work, (2) hindrance or obstruction in the performance of the Work, (3) loss of productivity, or (4) other similar claims (collectively referred in this Subparagraph 8.3.3 as "Delay or Delays"), whether or not such Delays are foreseeable, shall be an extension of time in which to complete the Work. In no event shall the Contractor be entitled to any other compensation or recovery of any damages, costs, or attorneys' fees, caused by any Delays, unknown site conditions, errors, inconsistencies, or omissions in the Drawings and Specifications, or concealed or unknown conditions, including, without limitation, consequential damages, lost opportunity costs, impact damages or other similar damages; provided however that Contractor may be entitled to additional time as provided under Section 8.3.1.
- § 8.3.4 If the Contractor submits a progress report indicating, or otherwise expresses an intention to achieve, completion of the Work prior to any completion date required by the Contract Documents or expiration of the Contract Time, no liability of the Owner to the Contractor for any failure of the Contractor to so complete the Work shall be created or implied.
- § 8.3.5 Owner shall have the right to occupy, without prejudice to rights of either party, any completed or substantially completed portions of the Work, notwithstanding the fact that time for completion of entire Work, or portions thereof, may not be expired. Occupancy and use by Owner shall not constitute, in itself, acceptance of the Work.

ARTICLE 9 PAYMENTS AND COMPLETION § 9.1 CONTRACT SUM

The Contract Sum is stated in the Agreement and, including authorized adjustments, is the total amount payable by the Owner to the Contractor for performance of the Work under the Contract Documents.

§ 9.2 SCHEDULE OF VALUES

Where the Contract is based on a stipulated sum or Guaranteed Maximum Price, the Contractor shall submit to the Owner and Architect, before the first Application for Payment, a schedule of values allocating the entire Contract Sum to the various portions of the Work and prepared in such form and supported by such data to substantiate its accuracy as the Owner may require. This schedule, unless objected to by the Owner, shall be used as a basis for reviewing the Contractor's Applications for Payment.

§ 9.3 APPLICATIONS FOR PAYMENT

§ 9.3.1 As provided in the Agreement and in the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall submit to the Owner and Architect an itemized Application for Payment prepared in accordance with the schedule of values, if required under Section 9.2., for completed portions of the Work. Such application shall be notarized, if required, and supported by such data substantiating the Contractor's right to payment as the

Owner or Architect may require, such as copies of requisitions from Subcontractors and material suppliers, and shall reflect retainage if provided for in the Contract Documents.

- § 9.3.1.1 As provided in Section 7.3.9, such applications may include requests for payment on account of changes in the Work that have been properly authorized by Construction Change Directives, or by interim determinations of the Owner or the Architect, but not yet included in Change Orders.
- § 9.3.1.2 Applications for Payment shall not include requests for payment for portions of the Work for which the Contractor does not intend to pay a Subcontractor or material supplier, unless such Work has been performed by others whom the Contractor intends to pay.
- § 9.3.1.3 If requested by Owner or required elsewhere in the Contract Documents, Each Application for Payment shall be accompanied by the following, all in a form and substance satisfactory to the Owner:
 - (i) With each Application for Payment: a current Sworn Statement from the Contractor setting forth all Subcontractors and all material suppliers with whom the Contractor has subcontracted, the amount of each such subcontract, the amount requested for any Subcontractor or material supplier in the Application for Payment, and the amount to be paid to the Contractor from such progress payment:
 - (ii) With each Application for Payment: a duly executed Conditional Waiver and Release on Progress Payment from the Contractor and Subcontractors establishing receipt of payment or satisfaction of the payment requested by the Contractor in the current Application for Payment;
 - (iii) Commencing with the second Application for Payment submitted by the Contractor, a duly executed Unconditional Waiver and Release on Progress Payment from Contractor and all Subcontractors, material suppliers and, where appropriate, lower tier subcontractors that have billed more than \$5,000 on a single application of payment, establishing receipt of payment or satisfaction of payment of all amounts requested on behalf of such entities and disbursed prior to submittal by the Contractor of the current Application for Payment;
 - (iv) With the Final Application for Payment: Contractor shall submit a Conditional Waiver and Release on Final Payment as required by Texas Property Code 53.284. Upon receipt of final payment, Contractor shall submit an Unconditional Waiver and Release on Final Payment as required by Texas Property Code 53.284; and
 - (v) Such other information, documentation, and materials as the Owner, or the title insurer may require in order to ensure that Owner's property is free of lien claims. Such other documents may include, without limitation, original copies of lien or bond claim releases suitable for filing with the County Clerk in Williamson County, Texas.
- § 9.3.2 Unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents, payments shall be made on account of materials and equipment delivered and suitably stored at the site for subsequent incorporation in the Work. If approved in advance by the Owner, payment may similarly be made for materials and equipment suitably stored off the site at a location agreed upon in writing. Payment for materials and equipment stored on or off the site shall be conditioned upon compliance by the Contractor with procedures satisfactory to the Owner to establish the Owner's title to such materials and equipment or otherwise protect the Owner's interest, and shall include the costs of applicable insurance, storage and transportation to the site for such materials and equipment stored off the site.
- § 9.3.3 The Contractor warrants that title to all Work covered by an Application for Payment will pass to the Owner no later than the time of payment. The Contractor further warrants that upon submittal of an Application for Payment all Work for which Certificates for Payment have been previously issued and payments received from the Owner shall, to the best of the Contractor's knowledge, information and belief, be free and clear of liens, bond claims, claims, security interests or encumbrances in favor of the Contractor, Subcontractors, material suppliers, or other persons or entities making a claim by reason of having provided labor, materials and equipment relating to the Work.

- § 9.3.3.1 The Contractor further expressly undertakes to defend Owner, at the Contractor's sole expense, against any actions, lawsuits, or proceedings brought against Owner as a result of liens filed against the Work, the site of any of the Work, the Project site and any improvements thereon, or any portion of the property of any of Owner (referred to collectively as "liens" in this Section 9.3.3), provide the Owner has paid Contractor pursuant to the requirements of the Contract Documents. The Contractor hereby agrees to indemnify and hold Owner harmless against any such liens or claims of lien and agrees to pay any judgment or lien resulting from any such actions, lawsuits, or proceedings.
- § 9.3.3.2 The Owner shall release any payments withheld due to a lien or bond claims if the Contractor obtains security acceptable to the Owner, however, the Contractor shall not be relieved of any responsibilities or obligations under this Section 9.3.3, including, without limitation, the duty to defend and indemnify Owner.
- § 9.3.3.3 Retainage. The Owner shall withhold from each progress payment, as retainage, five percent (5%) of the total earned amount. Retainage so withheld shall be managed in conformance with Subchapter B, Chapter 2252 of the Texas Government Code. Any request for reduction or release of retainage shall be accompanied by written consent of the Contractor's Surety. No such request shall be made until the Contractor has earned at least sixty-five percent (65%) of the total Contract Price.
- § 9.3.3.4 For purposes of Texas Government Code § 2251.021 (a)(2), the date the performance of service is completed is the date when the Owner's representative approves the Application for Payment.

§ 9.4 CERTIFICATES FOR PAYMENT

- § 9.4.1 The Architect will, within seven days after receipt of the Contractor's Application for Payment, either issue to the Owner a Certificate for Payment, with a copy to the Contractor, for such amount as the Architect determines is properly due, or notify the Contractor and Owner in writing of the Architect's reasons for withholding certification in whole or in part as provided in Section 9.5.1.
- § 9.4.2 The issuance of a Certificate for Payment will constitute a representation by the Architect to the Owner, based on the Architect's evaluation of the Work and the data comprising the Application for Payment, that, to the best of the Architect's knowledge, information and belief, the Work has progressed to the point indicated and that the quality of the Work is in accordance with the Contract Documents. The foregoing representations are subject to an evaluation of the Work for conformance with the Contract Documents upon Substantial Completion, to results of subsequent tests and inspections, to correction of minor deviations from the Contract Documents prior to completion and to specific qualifications expressed by the Architect. The issuance of a Certificate for Payment will further constitute a representation that the Contractor is entitled to payment in the amount certified. However, the issuance of a Certificate for Payment will not be a representation that the Architect has (1) made exhaustive or continuous on-site inspections to check the quality or quantity of the Work, (2) reviewed construction means, methods, techniques, sequences or procedures, (3) reviewed copies of requisitions received from Subcontractors and material suppliers and other data requested by the Owner to substantiate the Contractor's right to payment, or (4) made examination to ascertain how or for what purpose the Contractor has used money previously paid on account of the Contract Sum.

§ 9.5 DECISIONS TO WITHHOLD CERTIFICATION

§ 9.5.1 The Owner or Architect may withhold a Certificate for Payment in whole or in part, to the extent reasonably necessary to protect the Owner, if in the Owner or Architect's opinion the representations to the Owner required by Section 9.4.2 cannot be made. If the Owner or Architect is unable to certify payment in the amount of the Application, the Owner or Architect will notify the Contractor. If the Contractor and Architect, or Contractor and Owner, as the case may be, cannot agree on a revised amount, the Architect will promptly issue a Certificate for Payment for the amount that can be certified. The Owner or Architect may also withhold a Certificate for Payment or, because of subsequently discovered evidence, may nullify the whole or a part of a Certificate for Payment previously issued, to such extent as may be necessary in the Owner or Architect's opinion to protect the Owner from loss for which the Contractor is responsible, including loss resulting from acts and omissions described in Section 3.3.2, because of

- .1 defective Work not remedied;
- .2 third party claims filed or reasonable evidence indicating probable filing of such claims;
- .3 failure of the Contractor to make payments properly to Subcontractors or for labor, materials or equipment;
- .4 reasonable evidence that the Work cannot be completed for the unpaid balance of the Contract Sum;
- .5 damage to the Owner or a separate contractor;
- .6 failure to maintain the scheduled progress, or reasonable evidence that the Work will not be completed within the Contract Time;
- .7 failure to comply with the requirements of Texas Government Code Chapter 2258 (Prevailing Wage Law);
- .8 failure to include sufficient documentation to support the amount of payment requested for the Project;
- .9 failure to obtain, maintain, or renew insurance coverage, payment/performance bonds or warranty bond required by the Contract Documents; or
- .10 repeated failure to carry out the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.
- § 9.5.2 When the above reasons for withholding certification are removed, certification will be made for amounts previously withheld.

§ 9.6 PROGRESS PAYMENTS

- § 9.6.1 The Owner shall make payment in the manner and within the time provided in the Contract Documents and in accordance with Chapter 2251 of the Texas Government Code.
- § 9.6.2 The Contractor shall pay each Subcontractor no later than 10 days after receipt of payment from the Owner the amount to which the Subcontractor is entitled, reflecting percentages actually retained from payments to the Contractor on account of the Subcontractor's portion of the Work. The Contractor shall, by appropriate agreement with each Subcontractor, require each Subcontractor to make payments to Sub-subcontractors in a similar manner.
- § 9.6.3 The Owner has the right to request written evidence from the Contractor that the Contractor has properly paid Subcontractors and material and equipment suppliers amounts paid by the Owner to the Contractor for subcontracted Work. If the Contractor fails to furnish such evidence within seven days, the Owner shall have the right to contact Subcontractors to ascertain whether they have been properly paid. Neither the Owner nor Architect shall have an obligation to pay or to see to the payment of money to a Subcontractor, except as may otherwise be required by law.
- § 9.6.4 Contractor payments to material and equipment suppliers shall be treated in a manner similar to that provided in Sections 9.6.2.
- § 9.6.5 A Certificate for Payment, a progress payment, or partial or entire use or occupancy of the Project by the Owner shall not constitute acceptance of Work not in accordance with the Contract Documents.

§ 9.7 FAILURE OF PAYMENT

- § 9.7.1 If the Architect is required to issue Certificates for Payment and, through no fault of the Contractor, the Architect fails to timely issue Certificates for Payment in the time permitted in the Contract Documents, or if the Owner does not pay the Contractor by the date established in the Contract Documents, then the Contractor may, upon twenty-one days' written notice to the Owner and Architect, stop the Work until payment of the amount owing has been received.
- § 9.7.2 If the Owner is entitled to reimbursement or payment from the Contractor under or pursuant to the Contract Documents, such payment shall be made promptly upon demand by the Owner. Notwithstanding anything contained in the Contract Documents to the contrary, if the Contractor fails to promptly make any payment due the Owner, or if the Owner incurs any costs and expenses to cure any default of the Contractor or to correct defective work, the Owner shall have an absolute right to offset such amount against the Contract Sum and may, in the Owner's sole discretion, elect either to (i) deduct

an amount equal to that which the Owner is entitled from any payment then or thereafter due the Contractor from the Owner, or (ii) issue a written notice to the Contractor reducing the Contract Sum by an amount equal to that which the Owner is entitled.

§ 9.8 SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION

- § 9.8.1 Substantial Completion is the stage in the progress of the Work when the Work or designated portion thereof is sufficiently complete in accordance with the Contract Documents so that the Owner can occupy or utilize the Work for its intended use; provided, however, that as a condition precedent to Substantial Completion, the Owner has received all certificates of occupancy and any other permits, approvals, licenses, and other documents from any governmental authority having jurisdiction thereof necessary for the beneficial occupancy of the Project.
- § 9.8.2 When the Contractor considers that the Work, or a portion thereof which the Owner agrees to accept separately, is substantially complete, the Contractor shall prepare and submit to the Owner and Architect a comprehensive list of items to be completed or corrected prior to final payment (punch list). Failure to include an item on the punch list does not alter the responsibility of the Contractor to complete all Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.
- § 9.8.3 Upon receipt of the Contractor's punch list, the Owner and Architect will examine the Work to determine whether the Work or designated portion thereof is substantially complete. If the Owner and/or Architect's examination discloses any item, whether or not included on the Contractor's punch list, that is not sufficiently complete in accordance with the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall, before issuance of the Certificate of Substantial Completion, complete or correct such item upon notification by the Owner or Architect. In such case, the Contractor shall then submit a request for another examination by the Owner or Architect to determine Substantial Completion.
- § 9.8.4 When the Work or designated portion thereof is substantially complete, the Architect, if required by the Contract Documents, or Owner will prepare a Certificate of Substantial Completion that shall establish the date of Substantial Completion, shall establish responsibilities of the Owner and Contractor for security, maintenance, heat, utilities, damage to the Work and insurance, and shall fix the time within which the Contractor shall finish all items on the list accompanying the Certificate. Unless otherwise provided, Contractor shall complete all items on the punch list within 30 days of Substantial Completion. Warranties required by the Contract Documents shall commence on the date of Substantial Completion of the Work or designated portion thereof unless otherwise provided in the Certificate of Substantial Completion.
- § 9.8.5 The Certificate of Substantial Completion shall be submitted to the Owner and Contractor for their written acceptance of responsibilities assigned to them in such Certificate. Upon such acceptance and consent of surety, if any, the Owner shall make payment of retainage.

§ 9.9 PARTIAL OCCUPANCY OR USE

- § 9.9.1 The Owner may occupy or use any completed or partially completed portion of the Work at any stage when such portion is designated by separate agreement with the Contractor, provided such occupancy or use is consented to by the insurer as required under Section 11.3.1.5, the surety, and authorized by public authorities having jurisdiction over the Project. Such partial occupancy or use may commence whether or not the portion is substantially complete, provided the Owner and Contractor have accepted in writing the responsibilities assigned to each of them for payments, retainage, if any, security, maintenance, heat, utilities, damage to the Work and insurance, and have agreed in writing concerning the period for correction of the Work and commencement of warranties required by the Contract Documents. When the Contractor considers a portion substantially complete, the Contractor shall prepare and submit a list to the Architect as provided under Section 9.8.2. Consent of the Contractor to partial occupancy or use shall not be unreasonably withheld.
- § 9.9.2 Immediately prior to partial occupancy or use, the Owner, Contractor and Architect shall jointly inspect the area to be occupied or portion of the Work to be used in order to determine and record the condition of the Work.

§ 9.9.3 Partial occupancy or use of a portion or portions of the Work shall not constitute acceptance of Work not complying with the requirements of the Contract Documents.

§ 9.10 FINAL COMPLETION AND FINAL PAYMENT

§ 9.10.1 Upon receipt of the Contractor's written notice that the Work is ready for final inspection and acceptance and upon receipt of a final Application for Payment, the Owner and Architect will make such inspection and, when the Owner and Architect find the Work acceptable under the Contract Documents and the Contract fully performed, the Architect will issue a final Certificate for Payment stating that to the best of the Architect's knowledge, information and belief, and on the basis of the Architect's on-site visits and inspections, the Work has been completed in accordance with terms and conditions of the Contract Documents and that the entire balance found to be due the Contractor and noted in the final Certificate is due and payable. The Architect's final Certificate for Payment will constitute a further representation that conditions listed in Section 9.10.2 as precedent to the Contractor's being entitled to final payment have been fulfilled. All warranties and guarantees required under or pursuant to the Contract Documents shall be assembled and delivered by the Contractor to the Architect as part of the final Application for Payment. The final Certificate for Payment will not be issued by the Architect until all warranties and guarantees have been received and accepted by the Owner.

§ 9.10.2 Neither final payment nor any remaining retained percentage shall become due until the Contractor submits to the Owner and Architect (1) an affidavit that payrolls, bills for materials and equipment, and other indebtedness connected with the Work have been paid or otherwise satisfied, within the period of time required by Chapter 2251 of the Texas Government Code, (2) a certificate evidencing that insurance required by the Contract Documents to remain in force after final payment is currently in effect and will not be canceled or allowed to expire until at least 30 days' prior written notice has been given to the Owner, (3) a written statement that the Contractor knows of no substantial reason that the insurance will not be renewable to cover the period required by the Contract Documents, (4) consent of surety to final payment, (5) a warranty bond in a form acceptable to Owner, and (6) other data establishing payment or satisfaction of obligations, such as receipts, unconditional full and final releases and waivers of liens, claims, security interests or encumbrances arising out of the Contract, to the extent and in such form as may be designated by the Owner.

§ 9.10.3 The making of final payment shall constitute a waiver of Claims by the Owner except those arising from

- .1 Claims, security interests or encumbrances arising out of the Contract and unsettled;
- .2 failure of the Work to comply with the requirements of the Contract Documents: or
- .3 terms of warranties required by the Contract Documents.

§ 9.10.4 Acceptance of final payment by the Contractor, a Subcontractor or material supplier shall constitute a waiver of claims by that payee except those previously made in writing and identified by that payee as unsettled at the time of final Application for Payment.

ARTICLE 10 PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY § 10.1 SAFETY PRECAUTIONS AND PROGRAMS

The Contractor shall be responsible for initiating, maintaining and supervising all safety precautions and programs in connection with the performance of the Contract.

§ 10.2 SAFETY OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

- § 10.2.1 The Contractor shall take reasonable precautions for safety of, and shall provide reasonable protection to prevent damage, injury or loss to
 - .1 employees on the Work and other persons who may be affected thereby;
 - .2 the Work and materials and equipment to be incorporated therein, whether in storage on or off the site, under care, custody or control of the Contractor or the Contractor's Subcontractors or Sub-subcontractors; and

- .3 other property at the site or adjacent thereto, such as trees, shrubs, lawns, walks, pavements, roadways, structures and utilities not designated for removal, relocation or replacement in the course of construction.
- § 10.2.2 The Contractor shall comply with and give notices required by applicable laws, statutes, ordinances, codes, rules and regulations, and lawful orders of public authorities bearing on safety of persons or property or their protection from damage, injury or loss. Notwithstanding any language to the contrary, the Owner shall not have any responsibility for job site inspections or safety recommendations. Any inspections or observations by the Owner or the Architect are solely for the benefit of the Owner and shall not create any duties or obligations to anyone else.
- § 10.2.3 The Contractor shall erect and maintain, as required by existing conditions and performance of the Contract, reasonable safeguards for safety and protection, including posting danger signs and other warnings against hazards, promulgating safety regulations and notifying owners and users of adjacent sites and utilities.
- § 10.2.4 When use or storage of explosives or other hazardous materials or equipment or unusual methods are necessary for execution of the Work, the Contractor shall exercise utmost care and carry on such activities under supervision of properly qualified personnel.
- § 10.2.5 The Contractor shall promptly remedy damage and loss (other than damage or loss insured under property insurance required by the Contract Documents) to property referred to in Sections 10.2.1.2 and 10.2.1.3 caused in whole or in part by the Contractor, a Subcontractor, a Sub-subcontractor, or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them, or by anyone for whose acts they may be liable and for which the Contractor is responsible under Sections 10.2.1.2 and 10.2.1.3, except damage or loss attributable to acts or omissions of the Owner or Architect or anyone directly or indirectly employed by either of them, or by anyone for whose acts either of them may be liable, and not attributable to the fault or negligence of the Contractor. The foregoing obligations of the Contractor are in addition to the Contractor's obligations under Section 3.18.
- § 10.2.6 The Contractor shall designate a responsible member of the Contractor's organization at the site whose duty shall be the prevention of accidents. This person shall be the Contractor's superintendent unless otherwise designated by the Contractor in writing to the Owner and Architect.
- § 10.2.7 The Contractor shall not permit any part of the construction or site to be loaded so as to cause damage or create an unsafe condition.

§ 10.2.8 INJURY OR DAMAGE TO PERSON OR PROPERTY

If either party suffers injury or damage to person or property because of an act or omission of the other party, or of others for whose acts such party is legally responsible, written notice of such injury or damage, whether or not insured, shall be given to the other party within a reasonable time not exceeding 21 days after discovery. The notice shall provide sufficient detail to enable the other party to investigate the matter.

- § 10.2.9 When all or a portion of the Work is suspended for any reason, the Contractor shall securely fasten down all covering and fully protect the Work, as necessary, from injury or damage by any cause.
- § 10.2.10 The Contractor shall promptly report in writing to the Owner and Architect all accidents arising out of or in connection with the Work that cause death, personal injury, or property damage.

§ 10.3 HAZARDOUS MATERIALS

§ 10.3.1 The Contractor is responsible for compliance with any requirements included in the Contract Documents regarding hazardous materials. If the Contractor encounters a hazardous material or substance not addressed in the Contract Documents and if reasonable precautions will be inadequate to prevent foreseeable bodily injury or death to persons resulting from a material or substance, including but not limited to asbestos or polychlorinated biphenyl (PCB), encountered on the site by the Contractor, the

Contractor shall, upon recognizing the condition, immediately stop Work in the affected area and report the condition to the Owner and Architect in writing.

§ 10.3.2 Upon receipt of the Contractor's written notice, the Owner shall obtain the services of a licensed laboratory to verify the presence or absence of the material or substance reported by the Contractor and, in the event such material or substance is found to be present, to cause it to be rendered harmless. When the material or substance has been rendered harmless, Work in the affected area shall resume upon written notice from the Owner.

§ 10.3.4 The Owner shall not be responsible under this Section 10.3 for materials or substances the Contractor brings to the site unless such materials or substances are expressly required by the Contract Documents. The Owner shall be responsible for materials or substances expressly required by the Contract Documents, except to the extent of the Contractor's fault or negligence in the use and handling of such materials or substances.

§ 10.3.5 The Contractor shall indemnify the Owner for the cost and expense the Owner incurs (1) for remediation of a material or substance the Contractor brings to the site or negligently handles, or (2) where the Contractor fails to perform its obligations under Section 10.3.1, except to the extent that the cost and expense are due to the Owner's fault or negligence.

§ 10.4 EMERGENCIES

In an emergency affecting safety of persons or property, the Contractor shall act, at the Contractor's discretion, to prevent threatened damage, injury or loss. Additional compensation or extension of time, if any, claimed by the Contractor on account of an emergency shall be determined as provided in Article 15 and Article 7.

ARTICLE 11 INSURANCE AND BONDS

§ 11.1 CONTRACTOR'S LIABILITY INSURANCE

§ 11.1.1 The Contractor shall purchase from and maintain in a company or companies lawfully authorized to do business in the jurisdiction in which the Project is located such insurance as will protect the Contractor from claims set forth below which may arise out of or result from the Contractor's operations and completed operations under the Contract and for which the Contractor may be legally liable, whether such operations be by the Contractor or by a Subcontractor or by anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them, or by anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable:

- .1 Claims under workers' compensation, disability benefit and other similar employee benefit acts that are applicable to the Work to be performed;
- .2 Claims for damages because of bodily injury, occupational sickness or disease, or death of the Contractor's employees;
- .3 Claims for damages because of bodily injury, sickness or disease, or death of any person other than the Contractor's employees;
- .4 Claims for damages insured by usual personal injury liability coverage;
- .5 Claims for damages, other than to the Work itself, because of injury to or destruction of tangible property, including loss of use resulting therefrom;
- .6 Claims for damages because of bodily injury, death of a person or property damage arising out of ownership, maintenance or use of a motor vehicle;
- .7 Claims for bodily injury or property damage arising out of completed operations, which coverage shall be maintained for no less than four (4) years following final payment; and
- .8 Claims involving contractual liability insurance applicable to the Contractor's obligations under Section 3.18.

§ 11.1.2 The insurance required by Section 11.1.1 shall be written for not less than limits of liability specified in the Agreement or the Contract Documents. Coverages, whether written on an occurrence or claims-made basis, shall be maintained without interruption from the date of commencement of the Work until the date of final payment and termination of any coverage required to be maintained after final payment, and, with respect to the Contractor's completed operations coverage, until the expiration of the

period for correction of Work or for such other period for maintenance of completed operations coverage as specified in the Contract Documents.

§ 11.1.3 Unless otherwise provided, copies of the insurance policies, in form acceptable to the Owner, shall provided to Owner within 30 days of Owner's request. Except as otherwise provided, all of the policies provided shall name Owner as an additional insured, and such policies shall immediately deliver to Owner copies of all such insurance policies, together with certificates by the insurer evidencing Owner's coverage there under. Each policy of insurance obtained by Contractor pursuant to the Contract Documents shall provide, by endorsement or otherwise (i) that such policy shall not be canceled, endorsed, altered or reissued to effect a change in coverage for any reason or to any extent whatsoever unless the insurer shall have first given Owner and Lender at least thirty (30) days prior written notice thereof, and (ii) that Owner may, but shall not be obligated to, make premium payments to prevent the cancellation, endorsement, alteration or reissuance of such policy and such payments shall be accepted by the insurer to prevent the same. Such policies shall provide, by endorsement or otherwise, that Contractor shall be solely responsible for the payment of all premiums under the policies, and that Owner shall have no obligation for the payment thereof, notwithstanding that Owner is named as additional insured under the policy. Any insured loss or claim of loss shall be adjusted to the Owner, and any settlement payments shall be made payable to the Owner as a trustee for the insureds, as their interests may appear. Upon the occurrence of an insured loss or claim of loss, monies received will be held by Owner who shall make distribution in accordance with an agreement to be reached in such event between Owner and Contractor. If the parties are unable to agree between themselves on the settlement of the loss, such dispute shall be resolved in accordance with section 15, below, but the Work of the Project shall nevertheless progress during any such period of dispute without prejudice to the rights of any party to the dispute. The Contractor shall be responsible for any loss within the deductible area of the policy. If Owner is damaged by the failure of Contractor to purchase or maintain such insurance, then Contractor shall bear all costs properly attributable thereto. The Contractor shall affect and maintain similar property insurance on portions of the Work stored off the site or in transit when such portions of the Work are to be included. Such property insurance shall be maintained, unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents or otherwise agreed in writing by all persons and entities who are beneficiaries of such insurance, until Final Completion of the Project.

§ 11.1.4 The Contractor shall cause the commercial liability coverage required by the Contract Documents to include (1) the Owner as additional insureds for claims caused in whole or in part by the Contractor's negligent acts or omissions during the Contractor's operations; and (2) the Owner as an additional insured for claims caused in whole or in part by the Contractor's negligent acts or omissions during the Contractor's completed operations.

§ 11.2 OWNER'S LIABILITY INSURANCE

The Owner shall be responsible for purchasing and maintaining the Owner's usual liability insurance.

§ 11.3 PROPERTY INSURANCE

§ 11.3.1 Unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall purchase and maintain, in a company or companies lawfully authorized to do business in the jurisdiction in which the Project is located, property insurance written on a builder's risk "all-risk" or equivalent policy form in the amount of the initial Contract Sum, plus value of subsequent Contract Modifications and cost of materials supplied or installed by others, comprising total value for the entire Project at the site on a replacement cost basis without optional deductibles. Such property insurance shall be maintained, unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents or otherwise agreed in writing by all persons and entities who are beneficiaries of such insurance, until final payment has been made as provided in Section 9.10 or until no person or entity other than the Owner has an insurable interest in the property required by this Section 11.3 to be covered, whichever is later. This insurance shall include interests of the Owner, the Contractor, Subcontractors and Sub-subcontractors in the Project.

§ 11.3.1.1 Property insurance shall be on an "all-risk" or equivalent policy form and shall include, without limitation, insurance against the perils of fire (with extended coverage) and physical loss or damage including, without duplication of coverage, theft, vandalism, malicious mischief, collapse, earthquake,

flood, windstorm, falsework, testing and startup, temporary buildings and debris removal including demolition occasioned by enforcement of any applicable legal requirements, and shall cover reasonable compensation for Architect's and Contractor's services and expenses required as a result of such insured loss as well as coverage for building materials while in transit or building materials suitably stored at a temporary location. Property insurance provided by the Contractor shall not cover any tools, apparatus, machinery, scaffolding, hoists, forms, staging, shoring, and other similar items commonly referred to as construction equipment that may be on the site and the capital value of which is not included in the Work. The Contractor shall make its own arrangements for any insurance it may require on such construction equipment. Any such policy obtained by the Contractor under this Section 11.3.1 shall include a waiver of subrogation in accordance with the requirements of Section 11.3.4.

- § 11.3.1.2 If the Contractor does not intend to purchase such property insurance required by the Contract and with all of the coverages in the amount described above, the Contractor shall so inform the Owner in writing prior to commencement of the Work. If the Owner is damaged by the failure or neglect of the Contractor to purchase or maintain insurance as described above, without so notifying the Owner in writing, then the Contractor shall bear all reasonable costs properly attributable thereto.
- § 11.3.1.3 Contractor shall be responsible for any deductibles to the extent that the loss arose out of or was cause by Contractor's negligence or breach of the Agreement.
- § 11.3.1.4 This property insurance shall cover portions of the Work stored off the site, and also portions of the Work in transit.
- § 11.3.1.5 Partial occupancy or use in accordance with Section 9.9 shall not commence until the insurance company or companies providing property insurance have consented to such partial occupancy or use by endorsement or otherwise. The Owner and the Contractor shall take reasonable steps to obtain consent of the insurance company or companies and shall, without mutual written consent, take no action with respect to partial occupancy or use that would cause cancellation, lapse or reduction of insurance.

§ 11.3.4 WAIVERS OF SUBROGATION

The Owner and Contractor waive all rights against (1) each other and any of their subcontractors, subsubcontractors, agents and employees, each of the other, and (2) the Architect, Architect's consultants, separate contractors described in Article 6, if any, and any of their subcontractors, sub-subcontractors, agents and employees, for damages caused by fire or other causes of loss to the extent of actual recovery of any insurance proceeds under any property insurance obtained pursuant to this Section 11.3 or other property insurance applicable to the Work, except such rights as they have to proceeds of such insurance. However, this waiver shall not apply to property insurance purchased by Owner after completion of the Work or Final Payment, whichever comes first. The Owner or Contractor, as appropriate, shall require of the Architect, Architect's consultants, separate contractors described in Article 6, if any, and the subcontractors, sub-subcontractors, agents and employees of any of them, by appropriate agreements, written where legally required for validity, similar waivers each in favor of other parties enumerated herein. The policies shall provide such waivers of subrogation by endorsement or otherwise. A waiver of subrogation shall be effective as to a person or entity even though that person or entity would otherwise have a duty of indemnification, contractual or otherwise, did not pay the insurance premium directly or indirectly, and whether or not the person or entity had an insurable interest in the property damaged.

§ 11.3.5 A loss insured under the property insurance shall be adjusted in good faith and made payable to the Owner in good faith for the insureds, as their interests may appear. The Contractor shall pay Subcontractors their just shares of insurance proceeds received by the Contractor, and by appropriate agreements, written where legally required for validity, shall require Subcontractors to make payments to their Sub-subcontractors in similar manner.

§ 11.4 BONDS

§ 11.4.1 The Contractor is required to tender to Owner, prior to commencing the Work, performance and payment bonds, as required by law. In the event Contractor fails to provide such bonds within the time

provided by the Agreement, Owner may immediately, upon notice of such failure, or within a reasonable time thereafter, at its sole option and discretion: (1) void this Agreement in its entirety; or (2) procure such bonds on behalf of the Contractor, deducting such amounts from the Contract Price. In the event Owner voids the Agreement under this section, Contractor may forfeit its bid bond.

- § 11.4.2 A Performance Bond is required if the Contract Price is in excess of \$50,000. The performance bond is solely for the protection of the Owner, in the full amount of the Contract Price and conditioned on the faithful performance of the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents. The form of the bond shall be approved by the Owner.
- § 11.4.3 A Payment Bond is required if the Contract Price is in excess of \$25,000. A payment bond is payable to the Owner, in the full amount of the Contract Price and solely for the protection and use of payment bond beneficiaries who have a direct contractual relationship with the Contractor or a supplier of required materials or labor. The form of bond shall be approved by the Owner.
- § 11.4.4 Warranty Bond. Upon Substantial Completion and prior to final completion and final payment, Contractor shall provide Owner with a Warranty Bond in the sum of 10% of the Contact Price or 10% of the Guaranteed Maximum Price for Construction Manager-At-Risk Agreements for the entire warranty period set out in the Contract Documents. The form of bond shall be approved by the Owner.
- § 11.4.5 Corporate sureties authorized to issue bonds shall be qualified and comply with relevant provisions of the Texas Insurance Code.
- § 11.4.6 Each bond shall be executed by a corporate surety or sureties authorized to do business in the State of Texas and acceptable to the Owner. If any bond is for more than 10 percent of the surety's capital and surplus, the Owner may require certification that the company has reinsured the excess portion with one or more reinsurers authorized, accredited, or trusteed to do business in the State. A reinsurer may not reinsure for more than 10 percent of its capital and surplus. If a surety upon a bond loses its authority to do business in the State, the Contractor shall within thirty (30) days after such loss furnish a replacement bond at no added cost to the Owner.
- § 11.4.7 Each bond shall be accompanied by a valid Power-of-Attorney (issued by the surety company and attached, signed and sealed with the corporate embosses seal, to the bond) authorizing the attorney in fact who signs the bond to commit the company to the terms of the bond, and stating any limit in the amount for which the attorney can issue a single bond.
- § 11.4.8 The process of requiring and accepting bonds and making claims thereunder shall be conducted in compliance with Chapter 2253, Texas Government Code. If for any reason a statutory payment or performance bond is not honored by the surety, the Contractor shall fully indemnify and hold the Owner harmless of and from any costs, losses, obligations or liabilities it incurs as a result.
- § 11.4.9 Owner shall furnish certified copies of a payment bond and the related Agreement between Owner and Contractor to any qualified person seeking copies who complies with §2253.026, Texas Government Code.
- § 11.4.10 Claims on Payment Bonds. Claims on payment bonds must be sent directly to the Contractor and its surety in accordance with § 2253.041, Texas Government Code. All Payment Bond claimants are cautioned that no lien exists on the funds unpaid to the Contractor on such contract, and that reliance on notices sent to the Owner may result in loss of their rights against the Contractor and/or its surety. The Owner is not responsible in any manner to a claimant for collection of unpaid bills, and accepts no such responsibility because of any representation by any agent or employee.
- § 11.4.11 Payment Claims when Payment Bond not Required. When the value of the Agreement between Owner and the Contractor is less than \$25,000.00, claimants and their rights are governed by Texas Property Code, §§ 53.231 53.239. These provisions set out the requirements for filing a valid

lien on funds unpaid to the Contractor as of the time of filing the claim, actions necessary to release the lien and satisfaction of such claims.

§11.4.12 Sureties shall be listed on the Department of the Treasury's Listing of Approved Sureties stating companies holding Certificates of Authority as acceptable sureties on Federal Bonds and acceptable reinsuring companies (Department Circular 570).

§ 11.5 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- § 11.5.1 Unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents, all insurance coverage procured by the Contractor shall be provided by insurance companies having policy holder ratings no lower than "A" and financial ratings not lower than "XII" in the Best's Insurance Guide, the latest edition in effect as of the date of the Contract, and subsequently in effect at the time of renewal of any policies required by the Contract Documents.
- § 11.5.2 If the Owner is damaged by failure of the Contractor to purchase or maintain insurance required under Article 11, then the Contractor shall bear all reasonable costs (including attorneys' fees and court and settlement expenses) properly attributable thereto.

ARTICLE 12 UNCOVERING AND CORRECTION OF WORK

§ 12.1 UNCOVERING OF WORK

- § 12.1.1 If a portion of the Work is covered contrary to the Owner or Architect's request or to requirements specifically expressed in the Contract Documents, it must, if requested in writing by the Owner or Architect, be uncovered for examination and be replaced at the Contractor's expense without change in the Contract Time. If prior to the date of Substantial Completion the Contractor, a Subcontractor, or anyone for whom either is responsible uses or damages any portion of the Work (other than start-up), including, without limitation, mechanical, electrical, plumbing, and other building systems, machinery, equipment, or other mechanical device, the Contractor shall cause such item to be restored to "like new" condition at no expense to the Owner.
- § 12.1.2 If a portion of the Work has been covered that the Owner or Architect has not specifically requested to examine prior to its being covered, the Owner or Architect may request to see such Work and it shall be uncovered by the Contractor. If such Work is in accordance with the Contract Documents, costs of uncovering and replacement shall, by appropriate Change Order, be at the Owner's expense. If such Work is not in accordance with the Contract Documents, such costs and the cost of correction shall be at the Contractor's expense unless the condition was caused by the Owner or a separate contractor in which event the Owner shall be responsible for payment of such costs.

§ 12.2 CORRECTION OF WORK

§ 12.2.1 The Contractor shall promptly correct Work rejected by the Owner or Architect or failing to conform to the requirements of the Contract Documents, whether discovered before or after Substantial Completion and whether or not fabricated, installed or completed. Costs of correcting such rejected Work, including additional testing and inspections, the cost of uncovering and replacement, and compensation for the Architect's services and expenses made necessary thereby, shall be at the Contractor's expense.

§ 12.2.2 AFTER SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION

§ 12.2.2.1 In addition to the Contractor's obligations under Section 3.5, if, within one year after the date of Substantial Completion of the Work or designated portion thereof or after the date for commencement of warranties established under Section 9.9.1, or by terms of an applicable special warranty required by the Contract Documents, any of the Work is found to be not in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall correct it promptly after receipt of written notice from the Owner to do so. The Owner shall give such notice promptly after discovery of the condition. If the Contractor fails to correct nonconforming Work within a reasonable time during that period after receipt of notice from the Owner or Architect, the Owner may, without prejudice to any other remedies, correct it in accordance with Section 2.4 or file a claim with the surety of any applicable warranty bond.

- § 12.2.2.2 The one-year period for correction of Work shall be extended with respect to portions of Work first performed after Substantial Completion by the period of time between Substantial Completion and the actual completion of that portion of the Work.
- § 12.2.3 The Contractor shall remove from the site portions of the Work that are not in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents and are neither corrected by the Contractor nor accepted by the Owner.
- § 12.2.4 The Contractor shall bear the cost of correcting destroyed or damaged construction, whether completed or partially completed, of the Owner or separate contractors caused by the Contractor's correction or removal of Work that is not in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents.
- § 12.2.5 Nothing contained in this Section 12.2 shall be construed to establish a period of limitation with respect to other obligations the Contractor has under the Contract Documents. Establishment of the one-year period for correction of Work as described in Section 12.2.2 relates only to the specific obligation of the Contractor to correct the Work, and has no relationship to the time within which the obligation to comply with the Contract Documents may be sought to be enforced, nor to the time within which proceedings may be commenced to establish the Contractor's liability with respect to the Contractor's obligations other than specifically to correct the Work.

§ 12.3 ACCEPTANCE OF NONCONFORMING WORK

If the Owner prefers to accept Work that is not in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents, the Owner may do so instead of requiring its removal and correction, in which case the Contract Sum will be reduced as appropriate and equitable. Such adjustment shall be effected whether or not final payment has been made.

ARTICLE 13 MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

§ 13.1 GOVERNING LAW

The Contract shall be governed by the law of Williamson County, Texas.

§ 13.2 SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS

§ 13.2.1 The Owner and Contractor respectively bind themselves, their partners, successors, assigns and legal representatives to covenants, agreements and obligations contained in the Contract Documents. Except as provided in the Contract Documents or by law, neither party to the Contract shall assign the Contract as a whole without written consent of the other. If either party attempts to make such an assignment without such consent, that party shall nevertheless remain legally responsible for all obligations under the Contract.

§ 13.3 WRITTEN NOTICE

Written notice shall be deemed to have been duly served if delivered in person to the individual, to a member of the firm or entity, or to an officer of the corporation for which it was intended; or if delivered at, or sent by registered or certified mail or by courier service providing proof of delivery to, the last business address known to the party giving notice.

§ 13.4 RIGHTS AND REMEDIES

- § 13.4.1 Except as expressly provided in the Contract Documents, duties and obligations imposed by the Contract Documents and rights and remedies available thereunder shall be in addition to and not a limitation of duties, obligations, rights and remedies otherwise imposed or available by law.
- § 13.4.2 No action or failure to act by the Owner, Architect or Contractor shall constitute a waiver of a right or duty afforded them under the Contract, nor shall such action or failure to act constitute approval of or acquiescence in a breach there under, except as may be specifically agreed in writing.

§ 13.5 TESTS AND INSPECTIONS

§ 13.5.1 Tests, inspections and approvals of portions of the Work shall be made as required by the Contract Documents and by applicable laws, statutes, ordinances, codes, rules and regulations or lawful

orders of public authorities. Unless otherwise provided, the Contractor shall make arrangements for such tests, inspections and approvals with an independent testing laboratory or entity acceptable to the Owner, or with the appropriate public authority. The Contractor shall give the Owner and Architect timely notice of when and where tests and inspections are to be made so that the Owner and Architect may be present for such procedures. The Owner shall bear costs of tests, inspections, or approvals where building codes or applicable laws or regulations prohibit the Owner from delegating their cost to the Contractor.

- § 13.5.2 If the Architect, Owner, or public authorities having jurisdiction determine that portions of the Work require additional testing, inspection or approval not included under Section 13.5.1, the Architect will, upon written authorization from the Owner, instruct the Contractor to make arrangements for such additional testing, inspection or approval by an entity acceptable to the Owner, and the Contractor shall give timely notice to the Owner and Architect of when and where tests and inspections are to be made so that the Owner and Architect may be present for such procedures.
- § 13.5.3 If such procedures for testing, inspection or approval under Sections 13.5.1 and 13.5.2 reveal failure of the portions of the Work to comply with requirements established by the Contract Documents, all costs made necessary by such failure including those of repeated procedures and compensation for the Architect's services and expenses shall be at the Contractor's expense. The Contractor also agrees the cost of testing services related to remedial operations performed to correct deficiencies in the Work, shall be borne by the Contractor.
- § 13.5.4 Required certificates of testing, inspection or approval shall, unless otherwise required by the Contract Documents, be secured by the Contractor and promptly delivered to the Owner and Architect.
- § 13.5.5 If the Architect is to observe tests, inspections or approvals required by the Contract Documents, the Architect will do so promptly and, where practicable, at the normal place of testing.
- § 13.5.6 Tests or inspections conducted pursuant to the Contract Documents shall be made promptly to avoid unreasonable delay in the Work.

§ 13.6 INTEREST

The rate of interest that accrues on an overdue payment is the rate in effect on September 1 of the fiscal year in which the payment becomes overdue. The rate in effect on September 1 is equal to the sum of:

- (1) one percent; and
- (2) the prime rate as published in the Wall Street Journal on the first day of July of the preceding fiscal year that does not fall on a Saturday or Sunday pursuant to §2251.025 of the Texas Government Code.

§ 13.7 TIME LIMITS ON CLAIMS

The Owner and Contractor shall commence all claims and causes of action, whether in contract, tort, breach of warranty or otherwise, against the other arising out of or related to the Contract in accordance with the time limits provided by law. Nothing herein shall be construed as shortening the period of time Owner has for commencing claims to less than what is required by law.

§ 13.8 Application To Subcontracts

Any specific requirement in this Contract that the responsibilities or obligations of Contractor also apply to a Subcontractor is added for emphasis and are also hereby deemed to include a Subcontractor of any tier. The omission of a reference to a Subcontractor in connection with any of Contractor's responsibilities or obligations shall not be construed to diminish, abrogate or limit any responsibilities or obligations of a Subcontractor of any tier under the Contract Documents or the applicable subcontract.

§ 13.10 GENERAL PROVISIONS

§ 13.10.1 All personal pronouns used in this Contract, whether used in the masculine, feminine, or neuter gender, shall include all other genders; and the singular shall included the plural and vice versa. Titles of articles, sections, and subsections are for convenience only and neither limit nor amplify the provisions of this Contract. The use herein of the word "including," when following any general statement, term, or matter, shall not be construed to limit such statement, term, or matter to the specific items or matters set

forth immediately following such word or to similar items or matters, whether or not non-limiting language (such words as "without limitation," or "but not limited to," or words of similar import) is used with reference thereto, but rather shall be deemed to refer to all other items or matters that could reasonably fall within the broadest possible scope of such general statement, term, or matter.

§ 13.10.2 Wherever possible, each provision of this Agreement shall be interpreted in a manner as to be effective and valid under applicable law. If, however, any provision of this Agreement, or portion thereof, is prohibited by law or found invalid under any law, only such provision or portion thereof shall be ineffective, without in any manner invalidating or affecting the remaining provisions of this Agreement or valid portions of such provision, which are hereby deemed servable.

§ 13.11 NO ORAL WAIVER

The Provisions of the Contract Documents shall not be changed, amended, waived, or otherwise modified in any respect except by a writing signed by Owner. No person is authorized on behalf of Owner to orally change, amend, waive, or otherwise modify the terms of the Contract Documents or any of the Contractor's duties or obligations under or arising out of the Contract Documents. Any change, waiver, approval, or consent granted to the Contractor shall be limited to the specific matters stated in the writing signed by Owner, and shall not relieve Contractor of any other of the duties and obligations under the Contract Documents. No "constructive" changes shall be allowed.

§ 13.12 <u>Texas Public Information Act</u>. To the extent, if any, that any provision in the Contract Documents is in conflict with Tex. Gov't Code 552.001 et seq., as amended (the "Public Information Act"), the same shall be of no force or effect. Furthermore, it is expressly understood and agreed that Owner, its officers and employees may request advice, decisions and opinions of the Attorney General of the State of Texas in regard to the application of the Public Information Act to any information or data furnished to Owner whether or not the same are available to the public. It is further understood that Owner, its officers and employees shall have the right to rely on the advice, decisions and opinions of the Attorney General, and that Owner, its officers and employees shall have no liability or obligation to Contractor for the disclosure to the public, or to any person or persons, of any software or a part thereof, or other items or data furnished to Owner by Contractor in reliance of any advice, decision or opinion of the Attorney General of the State of Texas.

§ 13.13 <u>Equal Opportunity in Employment</u>. The Contractor agrees that during the performance of the Agreement it will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin. The Parties will take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their race, color, religion, sex or national origin. Such action shall include, but not be limited to the following: employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation, and selection for training, including apprenticeship.

ARTICLE 14 TERMINATION OR SUSPENSION OF THE CONTRACT § 14.1 TERMINATION BY THE CONTRACTOR

§ 14.1.1 The Contractor may terminate the Contract if the Work is stopped for a period of 90 consecutive days through no act or fault of the Contractor or a Subcontractor, Sub-subcontractor or their agents or employees or any other persons or entities performing portions of the Work under direct or indirect contract with the Contractor, for any of the following reasons:

- .1 Issuance of an order of a court or other public authority having jurisdiction that requires all Work to be stopped;
- .2 An act of government, such as a declaration of national emergency that requires all Work to be stopped; or
- .3 Because the Architect has not issued a Certificate for Payment and has not notified the Contractor of the reason for withholding certification as provided in Section 9.4.1, or because the Owner has not made payment on an undisputed Certificate for Payment within the time stated in the Contract Documents.

- § 14.1.2 The Contractor may terminate the Contract if, through no act or fault of the Contractor or a Subcontractor, Sub-subcontractor or their agents or employees or any other persons or entities performing portions of the Work under direct or indirect contract with the Contractor, repeated suspensions, delays or interruptions of the entire Work by the Owner as described in Section 14.3 constitute in the aggregate more than 100 percent of the total number of days scheduled for completion, or 120 days in any 365-day period, whichever is less.
- § 14.1.3 If one of the reasons described in Section 14.1.1 or 14.1.2 exists, the Contractor may, upon 30 days' written notice to the Owner and Architect, terminate the Contract and recover from the Owner payment for Work executed, including reasonable overhead and profit, costs incurred by reason of such termination, and damages.

§ 14.2 TERMINATION BY THE OWNER FOR CAUSE

- § 14.2.1 The Owner may terminate the Contract if the Contractor
 - .1 fails to commence the Work in accordance with the provisions of this Contract,
 - .2 fails to prosecute the Work to completion thereof in a diligent, efficient, timely, workmanlike, skillful and careful manner and in strict accordance with the provisions of the Contract.
 - .3 fails to use an adequate amount or quality of personnel or equipment to complete the Work without undue delay,
 - .4 fails to perform any of its obligations under the Contract,
 - .5 fails to make prompt payments when due to its Subcontractors and Suppliers, or as required by Texas Government Code 2251,
 - files any petition or other pleading seeking any relief under any provisions of the Federal Bankruptcy Act, as amended, or any other federal or state statute or law providing for reorganization of debts or other relief from creditors, permits a receiver or other person to be appointed on account of its insolvency or financial condition, or becomes insolvent,
 - .7 creates any situation or state of facts which would authorize or permit an involuntary petition in bankruptcy to be filed against Contractor, or
 - .8 has not met or in Owner's opinion will not meet the dates of Substantial Completion set forth in the Contract Documents.
- § 14.2.2 When any of the above reasons exist, the Owner, in its sole and absolute discretion, may without prejudice to any other rights or remedies of the Owner and after giving the Contractor and the Contractor's surety, if any, 30 days' written notice, terminate employment of the Contractor and may, subject to any prior rights of the surety:
 - .1 Exclude the Contractor from the site and take possession of all materials, equipment, tools, and construction equipment and machinery thereon owned by the Contractor;
 - .2 Accept assignment of subcontracts pursuant to Section 5.4; and
 - .3 Finish the Work by whatever reasonable method the Owner may deem expedient. Upon written request of the Contractor, the Owner shall furnish to the Contractor a detailed accounting of the costs incurred by the Owner in finishing the Work.
- § 14.2.3 When the Owner terminates the Contract for one of the reasons stated in Section 14.2.1, the Contractor shall not be entitled to receive further payment until the Work is finished. In the event that a final decision under section 15, below, is rendered that sufficient cause did not exist for termination under this section 14.2, then the termination shall be considered a termination for convenience, under section 14.4, below.
- § 14.2.4 If the unpaid balance of the Contract Sum exceeds costs of finishing the Work, including compensation for the Architect's services and expenses made necessary thereby, and other damages and costs incurred by the Owner in finishing the Work and not expressly waived, such excess shall be paid to the Contractor. If such costs and damages exceed the unpaid balance, the Contractor shall pay the difference to the Owner.

§ 14.3 SUSPENSION BY THE OWNER FOR CONVENIENCE

§ 14.3.1 The Owner may, without cause, order the Contractor in writing to suspend, delay or interrupt the Work in whole or in part for such period of time as the Owner may determine.

§ 14.3.2 The Contract Sum and Contract Time shall be adjusted for increases in the cost and time caused by suspension, delay or interruption as described in Section 14.3.1. Adjustment of the Contract Sum shall include profit. No adjustment shall be made to the extent

- .1 that performance is, was or would have been so suspended, delayed or interrupted by another cause for which the Contractor is responsible; or
- .2 that an equitable adjustment is made or denied under another provision of the Contract.

§ 14.4 TERMINATION BY THE OWNER FOR CONVENIENCE

§ 14.4.1 The Owner may, at any time, terminate the Contract for the Owner's convenience and without cause.

§ 14.4.2 Upon receipt of written notice from the Owner of such termination for the Owner's convenience, the Contractor shall

- .1 cease operations as directed by the Owner in the notice;
- .2 take actions necessary, or that the Owner may direct, for the protection and preservation of the Work; and
- .3 except for Work directed to be performed prior to the effective date of termination stated in the notice, terminate all existing subcontracts and purchase orders and enter into no further subcontracts and purchase orders.

§ 14.4.3 Upon such termination, the Contractor shall recover the amounts provided in Section 10.1.3 of the Agreement.

ARTICLE 15 CLAIMS AND DISPUTES

§ 15.1 CLAIMS

§ 15.1.1 DEFINITION

A Claim is a demand or assertion by one of the parties seeking, as a matter of right, payment of money, or other relief with respect to the terms of the Contract. The term "Claim" also includes other disputes and matters in question between the Owner and Contractor arising out of or relating to the Contract. The responsibility to substantiate Claims shall rest with the party making the Claim.

§ 15.1.2 NOTICE OF CLAIMS

Claims for events arising during the performance of the Work by Contractor must be initiated by written notice to the other party with a copy sent to the Architect; provided, however, that the claimant shall use its best efforts to furnish the other party, as expeditiously as possible, with notice of any Claim including, without limitation, those in connection with concealed or unknown conditions, once such claim is recognized, and shall take steps to mitigate the alleged or potential damages, delay, or other adverse consequences arising out of the condition that is the cause of such a Claim. Claims by Contractor must be initiated within 10 business days after occurrence of the event giving rise to such Claim or within 10 business days after the claimant first recognizes the condition giving rise to the Claim, whichever is later. Claims may also be reserved in writing within the time limits set forth in this Section 15.1.2. Any notice of Claim or reservation of Claim must clearly identify the alleged cause and the nature of the Claim and include data and information available to the claimant that will facilitate prompt verification and evaluation of the Claim.

§ 15.1.3 CONTINUING CONTRACT PERFORMANCE

Pending final resolution of a Claim, except as otherwise agreed in writing or as provided in Section 9.7 and Article 14, the Contractor shall proceed diligently with performance of the Contract and the Owner shall continue to make payments in accordance with the Contract Documents. The Architect will prepare Change Orders and issue Certificates for Payment in accordance with the Contract Documents.

§ 15.1.4 CLAIMS FOR ADDITIONAL COST

If the Contractor wishes to make a Claim for an increase in the Contract Sum, written notice as provided herein shall be given before proceeding to execute the Work. Prior notice is not required for Claims relating to an emergency endangering life or property arising under Section 10.4.

§ 15.1.5 CLAIMS FOR ADDITIONAL TIME

- § 15.1.5.1 If the Contractor wishes to make a Claim for an increase in the Contract Time, written notice as provided herein shall be given. The Contractor's Claim shall include an estimate of cost and of probable effect of delay on progress of the Work. In the case of a continuing delay, only one Claim is necessary.
- § 15.1.5.2 If adverse weather conditions are the basis for a Claim for additional time, such Claim shall be documented by data substantiating that weather conditions were abnormal for the period of time, could not have been reasonably anticipated and had an adverse effect on the scheduled construction.

§ 15.3 MEDIATION

- § 15.3.1 Claims, disputes, or other matters in controversy arising out of or related to the Contract except those waived shall be subject to mediation as a condition precedent to seeking redress in a court of competent jurisdiction.
- § 15.3.2 The parties shall endeavor to resolve their Claims by mediation, which shall consist of a single mediator who is knowledgeable about the subject matter of the Agreement. A request for mediation shall be made in writing, delivered to the other party to the Contract.
- § 15.3.3 The parties shall share the mediator's fee and any filing fees equally. The mediation shall be held in Williamson County, Texas. Agreements reached in mediation shall be enforceable as settlement agreements in any court having jurisdiction thereof.
- §15.3.4 All disputes not resolved through mediation shall be decided in litigation in Williamson County, Texas.
- § 15.3.5 No waiver of Immunity. Nothing in the Contract Documents shall be deemed to waive, modify or amend any legal defense available at law or in equity to Owner, its past or present officers, employees, or agents, nor to create any legal rights or claim on behalf of any third party. Owner does not waive, modify, or alter to any extent whatsoever the availability of the defense of governmental immunity under the laws of the State of Texas and of the United States.

PROPOSAL AFFIDAVIT

This form must be completed, signed, notarized and returned with Proposal package

The undersigned attests that the company named below, under the provisions of Subtitle F, Title 10, Texas Government Code Chapter 2270:

- 1. Does not boycott Israel currently; and
- 2. Will not boycott Israel during the term of the contract.

Pursuant to Section 2270.001, Texas Government Code:

- "Boycott Israel" means refusing to deal with, terminating business activities with, or otherwise taking any action that is intended to penalize, inflict economic harm on, or limit commercial relations specifically with Israel, or with a person or entity doing business in Israel or in an Israeli-controlled territory, but does not include an action made for ordinary business purposes; and
- "Company" means a for-profit sole proprietorship, organization, association, corporation, partnership, joint venture, limited partnership, or any limited liability company, including a wholly owned subsidiary, majority-owned subsidiary, parent company or affiliate of those entities or business associations that exist to make a profit

The undersigned certifies that the RFSCP and the Respondent's Proposal have been carefully reviewed and are submitted as correct and final. Respondent further certifies and agrees to furnish any and/or all goods and/or services upon which prices are extended at the price Proposal, and upon the conditions contained in the RFSCP.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Proposal has not been prepared in collusion with any other Respondent or other person or persons engaged in the same line of business prior to the official opening of this Proposal. Further, I certify that the Respondent is not now, nor has been for the past six (6) months, directly or indirectly concerned in any pool or agreement or combination, to control the price of services/commodities Proposal on, or to influence any person or persons to submit a Proposal or not to submit a Proposal thereon."

Name of Respondent:	
Address of Respondent:	
Email:	
Telephone:	
Printed Name of Person	
Submitting Affidavit:	
Signature of Person Submitting	
Affidavit:	

Cooperative Purchasing Program

Check one of the following options below. A non-affirmative Proposal will in no way have a negative impact on the County's evaluation of the Proposal.

I will offer the quoted prices to all authorized entities during the term of the County's Contract.
I will not offer the quoted prices to all authorized entities.

*If no box is checked, the Respondent agrees to make best efforts in good faith to offer the quoted prices to all authorized entities. *

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, a Notary Public, personally appeared		
(Name of Signer), who after being by me duly sworn, did depose		
and say: "I,, (Name of Signer) am a duly authorized officer		
of/agent for (Name of Respondent) and have been duly authorized		
to execute the foregoing on behalf of the said (Name of		
Respondent).		
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me by the above-named on this the day of , 20 . Notary Public in and for The State of		
The County of		

SIGNATURE AND NOTARY NOT REQUIRED IF COMPLETING IN BIDSYNC ELECTRONICALLY.

	CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE For vendor or other person doing business with local governmental entity CIQ				
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3	(The law requires that you file an updated completed questionnaire with the appropriate filing authority not later than September 1 of the year for which an activity described in Section 176.006(a), Local Government Code, is pending and not later than the 7th business day after the date the originally filed questionnaire becomes incomplete or inaccurate.) Describe each affiliation or business relationship with an employee or contractor of the local governmental entity who makes recommendations to a local government officer of the local governmental entity with respect to expenditure of money.				
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4	Describe each affiliation or business relationship with a person who is a local government officer and who appoints or employs a local government officer of the local governmental entity that is the subject of this questionnaire.				
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CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE

For vendor or other person doing business with local governmental entity

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5	Name of local government officer with whom filer has affiliation or business relationship. (Complete this section only if the answer to A, B, or C is YES.)		
	This section, item 5 including subparts A, B, C & D, must be completed for each officer with whom the filer has affiliation or other relationship. Attach additional pages to this Form CIQ as necessary.		
	A. Is the local government officer named in this section receiving or likely to receive taxable income from the filer of the questionnaire?		
	☐ Yes ☐ No		
	B. Is the filer of the questionnaire receiving or likely to receive taxable income from or at th local government officer named in this section AND the taxable income is not fro governmental entity?		
	☐ Yes ☐ No		
	C. Is the filer of this questionnaire affiliated with a corporation or other business entity that the local government officer serves as an officer or director, or holds an ownership of 10 percent or more?		
	☐ Yes ☐ No D. Describe each affiliation or business relationship.		
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	6. Describe any other affiliation or business relationship that might cause conflict of interest:		
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	Signature of person doing business with the governmental entity	Date	
	Signature not required if completing in BIDSYNC electronically.		

Proposal References

Reference 1

List the last three (3) companies or governmental agencies, where the same or similar goods and/or services as contained in this RFP package, were recently provided by Respondent.

Client Name:		Location:
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Phone:		E-mail
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Reference 3

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Question and Answers for Bid #1712-207 - Roof Reconstruction / Improvements for Jail

Overall Bid Questions

There are no questions associated with this bid.