



## OFFICIAL BOND AND OATH

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:

Bond Number: **32s163482/6621224**

That we, MARTIN D. RUBLE, of 2501 MALLARD LANE  
TAYLOR, TX as Principal, and, AMERICAN STATES INSURANCE COMPANY  
 a corporation duly licensed to do business in the State of Texas, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto the GOVERNOR OF TEXAS  
 and/or his/her successors in the penal sum of  
Two Thousand Dollars And Zero Cents  
 ( \$2,000.00 ), for the payment of which we hereby bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and  
 severally, firmly by these presents.

SIGNED, SEALED and DATED this 5 day of DECEMBER, 2012

THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS SUCH,

That whereas, the above bounden Principal was on the 1 day of JANUARY, 2013, duly ELECTED  
 (elected/appointed) to the office of CONSTABLE in and for  
WILLIAMSON County in the State of Texas, for a term commencing on the 1ST day of JANUARY,  
2013 and ending JANUARY 1, 2017

NOW, THEREFORE, If the said Principal shall faithfully perform and discharge all the duties required of him/her by law as the aforesaid officer,  
 and shall (conditions)

, then this obligation shall be void; otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that regardless of the number of years this bond may remain in force and the number of claims which may be made against  
 this bond, the liability of the Surety shall not be cumulative and the aggregate liability of the Surety for any and all claims, suits, or actions under this  
 bond shall not exceed the amount stated above. Any revision of the bond amount shall not be cumulative.

PROVIDED, FURTHER, that this bond may be canceled by the Surety by sending written notice to the party to whom this bond is payable stating that,  
 not less than thirty (30) days thereafter, the Surety's liability hereunder shall terminate as to subsequent acts of the Principal.

MARTIN D. RUBLE

BY: [Signature]  
 Principal

AMERICAN STATES INSURANCE COMPANY  
 Surety

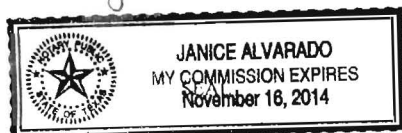
Countersigned  
 BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Texas Resident Agent

BY: [Signature]  
 Attorney-in-Fact LISA ROPELO



## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF PRINCIPAL

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
 County of Williamson } ss  
 Before me, Janice Alvarado, on this day, personally appeared, MARTIN D. RUBLE  
 \_\_\_\_\_, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to  
 me that he/she executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed. Given under my hand and seal of office, at 412 Vance  
Taylor, Texas, this the 17 day of December, 2012.



Janice Alvarado  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Notary Public  
Williamson County, Texas

OFFICIAL	AMOUNT	TO WHOM PAYABLE	CONDITIONS
District Attorney	\$5,000.	Governor	"in the manner prescribed by law, faithfully pay over all money that he collects or that comes into his hands for the state or a county."
County Attorney	\$2,500.	Governor	"faithfully paying over in the manner prescribed by law all money that he collects or receives for any county or the state."
County Judge	*\$1,000. - 10,000.	County Treasurer	"pay all money that comes into his hands as county judge to the person or officer entitled to it; pay to the county all money illegally paid to the judge out of county funds; and not vote or consent to pay out county funds for other than lawful purposes."
County Clerk	Equal to at least 20% of the maximum amount of fees collected in any year during the term of office preceding the term for which the bond is to be given - \$5,000 minimum \$500,000 maximum	County	"faithfully perform the duties of office"
Auditor	\$5,000 or more	County Judge	"faithful performance of the duties of county auditor"
County Treasurer	Established by the Commissioner's Court	County Judge	"faithfully execute the duties of office; remit according to law all funds received as county treasurer; and render an account of all funds received to the commissioners court at each regular term of the court."
District Clerk	Not less than 20% of the maximum amount of fees collected in any year during the term of office immediately preceding the term of office for which the bond is given, except that the bond may not be in an amount less than \$5,000 nor more than \$100,000.	Governor	"faithfully perform the duties of the office."
County Surveyor	Fixed by the Commissioners Court - \$500 minimum \$10,000 maximum	Not Stated (Suggested to County Judge)	"faithful performance of the duties of the office."
Hide and Animal Inspector	Set by the Commissioners Court - \$1,000 minimum \$10,000 maximum	County Judge	"well and truly perform the duties of the office."
Sheriff	Established by the commissioners court. but - \$5,000 minimum. \$30,000 maximum	Governor	"faithfully perform the duties of office established by law; account for and pay to the person authorized by law to receive them the fines, forfeitures, and penalties the sheriff collects for the use of the state or a county; execute and return when due the process and precepts lawfully directed to the sheriff, and pay to the person to whom they are due or to the person's attorney the funds collected by virtue of the process or precept; and pay to the county any funds illegally paid, voluntarily or otherwise, to the sheriff from county funds."
Assessor and Collector of Taxes (State Bond)	"Equal to 5% of the net state collections from motor vehicle sales and use taxes and motor vehicle registration fees in the county during the year ending August 31 preceding the date bond is given - \$2,500 minimum \$100,000 maximum"	Governor	"faithful performance of the person's duties as assessor-collector."
Assessor and Collector of Taxes (County Bond)	Equal to 10% of the total amount of county taxes imposed in the preceding tax year - \$100,000 maximum	County Judge	"faithful performance of the person's duties as assessor-collector."
County Commissioners	\$3,000.	County Treasurer	"faithfully perform the commissioner's official duties; will reimburse the county for all county funds illegally paid to the commissioner; and will not vote or consent to make a payment of county funds except for a lawful purpose."
Justice of the Peace	\$5,000 maximum	County Judge	"faithfully and impartially discharge the duties required by law; and promptly pay to the entitled party all money that comes into the justice's hands during the term of office."
Constable	Set by the Commissioners Court - \$500 minimum \$1,500 maximum	Governor	"faithfully perform the duties imposed by law."

\* Sum to be fixed by the Commissioners Court within the limits prescribed by law.

\*\* In counties where Sheriff performs the duties of the Assessor and Collector of Taxes he shall make the bond required of the Assessor and Collector of Taxes.

**OATH OF OFFICE**

(COUNTY COMMISSIONERS and COUNTY JUDGE)

I, \_\_\_\_\_, do solemnly swear (or affirm), that I will faithfully execute the duties of the office of \_\_\_\_\_ of the State of Texas, and will to the best of my ability preserve, protect, and defend the Constitution and laws of the United States and of this State; and I furthermore solemnly swear (or affirm), that I have not directly nor indirectly paid, offered, or promised to pay, contributed nor promised to contribute any money, or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, as a reward for the giving or withholding a vote at the election at which I was elected; and I furthermore solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will not be, directly or indirectly, interested in any contract with or claim against the County, except such contracts or claims as are expressly authorized by law and except such warrant as may issue to me as fees of office. So help me God.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Sworn to and subscribed before me, at, \_\_\_\_\_ Texas, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

SEAL

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public\_\_\_\_\_  
County, Texas**OATH OF OFFICE**

(GENERAL)

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Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Sworn to and subscribed before me, at, \_\_\_\_\_ Texas, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

SEAL

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public\_\_\_\_\_  
County, Texas**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

County of \_\_\_\_\_ } ss

The foregoing bond of \_\_\_\_\_ as \_\_\_\_\_ in and for \_\_\_\_\_ County and State of Texas, this day approved in open Commissioner's Court.

A TEST:

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk\_\_\_\_\_  
County Judge.

County Court \_\_\_\_\_ County

\_\_\_\_\_  
County, Texas**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

County of \_\_\_\_\_ } ss

I, \_\_\_\_\_, County Clerk, in and for said County, do hereby certify that the foregoing Bond dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, with its certificates of authentication, was filed for record in my office the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock \_\_\_\_\_ M., and duly recorded the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock \_\_\_\_\_ M., in the Records of Official Bonds of said County in Volume \_\_\_\_\_, on page \_\_\_\_\_.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the County Court of said County, at office in \_\_\_\_\_, Texas, the day and year last above written.

By \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk  
County Court \_\_\_\_\_ County



This Power of Attorney limits the acts of those named herein, and they have no authority to bind the Company except in the manner and to the extent herein stated.

AMERICAN STATES INSURANCE COMPANY  
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA  
POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS that American States Insurance Company, an Indiana corporation, does hereby appoint

LISA ROPOLLO

Its true and lawful attorney(s)-in-fact, with full authority to execute on behalf of the company the following surety bond:

Surety Bond Number: **32S163482**

Principal: MARTIN D. RUBLE

Bond Amount: Two Thousand Dollars And Zero Cents

DOLLARS (\$ 2,000.00 )

and to bind AMERICAN STATES INSURANCE COMPANY thereby as fully as if such instruments had been duly executed by its regularly elected officers at its home office.

That this power is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following By-law and Authorization:

ARTICLE IV - Execution of Contracts: Section 12. Surety Bonds and Undertakings.

Any officer or other official of the Corporation authorized for that purpose in writing by the Chairman or the President, and subject to such limitations as the Chairman or the President may prescribe, shall appoint such attorneys-in-fact, as may be necessary to act in behalf of the Corporation to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations. Such attorneys-in-fact, subject to the limitations set forth in their respective powers of attorney, shall have full power to bind the Corporation by their signature and executed, such instruments shall be as binding as if signed by the president and attested by the secretary.

By the following instrument the chairman or the president has authorized the officer or other official named therein to appoint attorneys-in-fact:


Pursuant to Article IV, Section 12 of the By-laws, Gregory W. Davenport, Vice President of American States Insurance Company, is authorized to appoint such attorneys-in-fact as may be necessary to act in behalf of the Corporation to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations.

That the By-law and the Authorization set forth above are true copies thereof and are now in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Power of Attorney has been subscribed by an authorized officer or official of the Corporation and the corporate seal of American States Insurance Company has been affixed thereto in Seattle, Washington this 12th day of July, 2011



AMERICAN STATES INSURANCE COMPANY

By   
Gregory W. Davenport, Vice President

STATE OF WASHINGTON  
COUNTY OF KING ss

On this 12th day of July, 2011, before me, a Notary Public, personally came Gregory W. Davenport, to me known and acknowledged that he is a Vice President; that he knows the seal of said corporation; and that he executed the above Power of Attorney and affixed the corporate seal of American States Insurance Company thereto with the authority and at the direction of said corporation.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my notarial seal at Seattle, Washington, on the day and year first above written.



By   
KD Riley, Notary Public

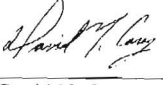
CERTIFICATE

I, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary of American States Insurance Company, do hereby certify that the original power of attorney of which the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy, is in full force and effect on the date of this certificate; and I do further certify that the officer or official who executed the said power of attorney is an Assistant Secretary specially authorized by the chairman or the president to appoint attorneys-in-fact as provided in Article IV, Section 12 of the By-laws of American States Insurance Company.

This certificate and the above power of attorney may be signed by facsimile or mechanically reproduced signatures under and by authority of the following vote of the board of directors of American States Insurance Company at a meeting duly called and held on the 18th day of September, 2009.

VOTED that the facsimile or mechanically reproduced signature of any assistant secretary of the company, wherever appearing upon a certified copy of any power of attorney issued by the company in connection with surety bonds, shall be valid and binding upon the company with the same force and effect as though manually affixed.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the corporate seal of the said company, this 5 day of DECEMBER, 2012

By   
David M. Carey, Assistant Secretary

**FILED AND RECORDED**

OFFICIAL PUBLIC RECORDS 2013001003

*Nancy E. Rister*

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NANCY E. RISTER, COUNTY CLERK

WILLIAMSON COUNTY, TEXAS