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BOOK 1:

PROJECT INFORMATION, INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS, AND EXECUTION DOCUMENTS

CONTRACT NO. C1619

WORKS PROGRESS ADMINISTRATOR ("WPA")
STREET RECONSTRUCTION
(W. BARRY AVENUE)

PBC PROJECT #22681
CDOT PROJECT #B-3-681

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Any Contract entered into as a result of this bid process is governed by: All Volumes (as applicable) of Book 1 "Project Information, Instructions To Bidders, and Execution Documents;" Book 2 "Standard Terms and Conditions for Construction Contracts" and Book 3 - "Technical Specifications" and the Drawings.

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I. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for your interest in bidding on this project, which is being undertaken by the Public Building Commission of Chicago. The Public Building Commission of Chicago (hereafter, the PBC, or Commission) is a municipal corporation with a statutory mandate to procure and award contracts for the construction of public buildings in the City of Chicago, and to oversee the construction of those public buildings until they are turned over to the user agency that will own and operate each new facility.

This is the first page of text of Book 1, which along with Book 2, Book 3, and the project drawings, comprise the PBC's construction contract. The balance of this Book 1 provides a brief description of the project, instructions for completing and submitting your bid, the bid pages, and the forms which must accompany your bid. Book 2 is the Standard Terms and Conditions of the contract. Book 3 is the Technical Specifications for the work to be performed on this project. The architect or engineer for the project will provide the drawings and other documents that may be necessary for you to bid on and/or perform the work. Each of the Books, along with the drawings and any other documents prepared by the architect or engineer, are Contract Documents. Collectively, the Contract Documents comprise the Contract. The Contract Documents are defined in Section 1 of Book 2, Standard Terms and Conditions.

II. PROJECT INFORMATION

A. General Information

1. Bids will be received by the Public Building Commission of Chicago for the following Project in accordance with the Contract Documents set forth below:

CONTRACT NO. C1619

**WORKS PROGRESS ADMINISTRATION ("WPA")
STREET RECONSTRUCTION
(W. BARRY AVENUE)**

**PBC PROJECT #22681
CDOT PROJECT #B-3-681**

2. General Description of Scope of Work:

The project consists of a Works Progress Administration ("WPA") street reconstruction Project, including: full-depth pavement reconstruction of the location indicated above. Work includes but isn't limited to excavation, portland cement concrete base course, hot-mix asphalt surface course, sewer main and drainage structures, water main, concrete curb and gutter, concrete sidewalks, tactile/detectable warning surface system for curb ramps, concrete driveways and alleys, lighting, thermoplastic pavement marking, signs, topsoil, sodding, and tree planting.

Contractor will be required to prepare a Phasing and Logistics Plan within thirty (30) days of issuance of the Notice to Proceed ('NTP') for review and approval by CDOT and PBC, prior to the mobilization and commencement of any Work. The Contractor shall also be responsible for providing critical submittals, as determined by the PBC, within thirty (30) days of issuance of the NTP.

3. Construction Budget for Base Work Only: \$4,100,000.00 – \$4,500,000.00 (*updated via Addendum No. 2*) (excluding Allowances and Commission's Contract Contingency Funds).
4. User Agency: City of Chicago – Department of Transportation (CDOT)
5. Project is located in Ward: 30
6. For purposes of the community hiring requirement, "Project Community Residents" shall mean persons domiciled within the Project Community Areas as designated on "Exhibit# 3 Project Community Area Map."
7. Requests for Information: Bidders are to submit requests for information, in writing, via email to the attention of Mr. James Borkman, PBC Contract Officer at: james.borkman@cityofchicago.org.
8. Contract Documents Availability: Documents are available at: Cross Rhodes Print & Technologies, 50 Eisenhower Lane North, Lombard, Illinois 60148. Contact name: Kristy Weber. Telephone number: (630) 963-4700

Planroom: <https://www.x-rhodesplanroom.com>

9. **Pre-Bid Meeting Date, Time, and Location: Wednesday, January 22, 2025, at 10:00a.m.** via ZOOM virtual meeting platform. For meeting details, refer to Section II.A.20.
10. **Technical Review Meeting Date, Time, and Location: Wednesday, January 22, 2025, at 10:30a.m.** via ZOOM virtual meeting platform. For meeting details, refer to Section II.A.20.
11. **Site Visit Meeting Date, Time, and Location: NONE.**

Bidders shall be responsible for inspecting the Site to become familiar with the conditions relating to the Work to be performed, the facilities involved, and the site logistics required in the successful performance of this Contract. Failure of the Bidders to visit the Site shall not relieve or alter the Bidder's responsibility for completing the Work as required by the Contract Documents.

***NOTES REGARDING MEETINGS:**

- a. Meetings referenced in Items #9, and #10, above are NOT mandatory.
 - b. Subcontractors and Suppliers are encouraged to attend the meetings.
 - c. Proper PPE must be worn at all times on the site.
 - d. Bidders shall comply with all COVID-19 protocols in accordance with City of Chicago and CDC guidelines.
12. **Bid Due Date and Public Bid Opening Date, Time, and Location:** Bids Due: Bids are due **Friday, February 7, 2025 at 11:00a.m.** (updated via Addendum No. 1) and a Public Bid Opening will be held immediately following receipt of bids. The Public Bid Opening will be live streamed on the PBC's YouTube channel: <https://www.youtube.com/@publicbuildingcommissionof8045>
 13. Amount of Bid Deposit: 5% amount of bid
 14. Document Deposit: N/A
 15. Cost for Additional Documents (per set): At the Contractor's own expense.
 16. MBE/WBE Contract Goals: 26% MBE and 6% WBE
 17. Source of Funding: City of Chicago – Department of Transportation (CDOT)
 18. **Pre-Award Meeting Date, Time, and Location:** A Pre-Award is tentatively scheduled for **Monday, February 10, 2025 at 10:30a.m.** (updated via Addendum No. 1) via ZOOM virtual meeting platform. Meeting details will be issued by the Contract Officer to the Lowest Apparent Bidder.

For the Pre-Award Meeting, the Lowest Responsive and Responsible Bidder shall be required to:
 - a. Have, at minimum, the Project Executive, Project Manager (if known), and Cost Estimator in attendance at the meeting
 - b. Invite principals of all MBE/WBE Subcontractors listed on Schedule D
 - c. Provide and be prepared to discuss the Schedule of Values for the project
 - d. Provide a list of Pre-Award meeting attendees in advance of the meeting
 19. **Notice of Award** is anticipated to be issued following February 2025 PBC Board of Commissioners Meeting. The successful General Contractor will be required to return a compliant Certificate of Insurance and Payment and Performance Bond within seven (7) days of the issuance of the Notice of Award.
 20. **Meetings referenced in Items #9 and #10 above will be hosted on ZOOM virtual meeting platform. To join click on the link or call the number below:**

Meeting Link:	WPA Street Reconstruction (W. Barry Avenue)
Meeting Phone Number:	+1 309 205 3325 US • +1 312 626 6799 US (Chicago)
Meeting ID:	845 7968 4282
Meeting Passcode:	None required

B. Mandatory Project Specific Contractor Staffing Requirements

The Contractor shall assign a Project Manager and/or a Superintendent to the Project effective as of the date of Notice to Proceed and effective until Final Acceptance. The Project Manager and/or Superintendent must be at the Project Site full time from the date of commencement of construction activities through Final Completion and Acceptance of the Work, including the completion of all Punch List Work, during Work Activities. Project Manager and Superintendent can be same individual.

C. Scheduling Software Requirements

The Contractor shall utilize Primavera P6 Scheduling Software or other format approved by the Commission.

D. Online Collaboration and Documentation Management System Requirements

The Contractor shall use PBC’s designated On-line Collaboration and Document Management system to track the Work, manage the Project, and follow the Commission’s procedures for electronic submission and receipt of documents as directed by the Commission Representative.

E. Time of Completion

Substantial Completion must be achieved no later than August 8, 2025. Schedule Milestones must be completed as follows:

Milestone Descriptions	Milestone Dates
Schedule Milestone #1: Permitting + Submittal Preparation (Work may not commence sooner than February 11, 2025)	3/31/2025
Schedule Milestone #2: Mobilization + Site Control for Area ‘A’ Only (Work may not commence sooner than March 24, 2025)	3/28/2025
Substantial Completion: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Street Reconstruction and associated work from Narragansett Ave. to west side of Mobile Ave. (Area ‘A’) (Work may not commence sooner than April 1, 2025)	8/8/2025
Schedule Milestone #3: Street restoration and associate work from Mobile to Melvina Ave. (Area ‘B’) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mobilization and Site Control: August 11, 2025 to August 15, 2025 (Work may not commence sooner than August 8, 2025)	11/30/2025
Schedule Milestone #4: New Landscaping (Work may not commence sooner than October 1, 2025)	11/30/2025

F. Commission’s Contract Contingency

- The Commission’s Contract Contingency for this Project is: \$685,000.00. *(updated via Addendum No. 2)*
- The Commission has established a Contract Contingency for the exclusive use of the Commission, at the Commission’s sole discretion. The Commission’s Contract Contingency sum shall be included as an allowance in the Base Bid. In the event that any or all of the Commission’s Contract Contingency remains unused at the completion of the Work, the Commission will issue a deductive Change Order so that any such unused portion of the Commission’s Contract Contingency shall remain with the PBC.

G. Copies of Drawings and Specifications

The Contractor is responsible for obtaining copies of Drawings and Specifications at its own cost.

H. Liquidated Damages

- The Contractor agrees that the Work must be executed regularly and diligently to ensure completion within the time specified in Paragraph E above. The Contractor and the Commission understand and agree that the time for the completion of the Work described herein is reasonable time. If the Contractor neglects, fails or refuses to complete the Work within the time specified, or any proper extension granted by the Commission, then the Contractor and its surety do hereby agree to pay to the Commission the amount of **\$1,500.00 per day** for failure to achieve Substantial Completion by the specified date, and **\$500.00 per day** for failure to achieve each of the milestone dates. Failing to complete the work according to the time stipulated above will result in breach of contract and will result in

Liquidated Damages being assessed each and every Day after the time stipulated in the Contract for completing the Work.

2. The Commission may recover liquidated damages by deducting the amount out of any monies due or that may become due the Contractor. Liquidated damages, if any, will be calculated on completion of the Work and submission of the Contractor's final pay request.
3. Substantial Completion of the Work is defined in Book 2, Section 1.01.37.

I. Prevailing Wage Rates

1. Not less than the prevailing rate of wages as determined by the Illinois Department of Labor shall be paid to all laborers, workers and mechanics performing work under this contract. Prevailing wage rates in effect at the time of issuance of these Contract Documents are attached to Book 1 as Exhibit 1. One resource for determining the current prevailing wage rate is the Internet site <https://www.illinois.gov/idol> maintained by the State of Illinois Department of Labor.

III. INSTRUCTIONS FOR BIDDERS

A. Examination of Documents By Bidder

The Bidder shall, before submitting its bid, carefully examine all Contract Documents, including but not limited to, the Project Information, Instructions to Bidders, and Execution Documents (Book 1); Standard Terms and Conditions (Book 2); Technical Specifications (Book 3); plans; drawings; Addenda (if any); and bonds. The Bidder will be responsible for all errors in its bid resulting from failure or neglect to comply with these instructions.

The PBC requests that all questions related to this solicitation be submitted in writing via email to the attention of James Borkman at james.borkman@cityofchicago.org no later than **Tuesday, January 28, 2025**.

B. Interpretations of Addenda

The Commission will not furnish oral interpretations of Contract Documents, before or subsequent to the award of a contract. If an interpretation is desired by a prospective Bidder, the interpretation should be requested in a letter addressed to the PBC, ATTN: James Borkman, Contract Officer or via email to: james.borkman@cityofchicago.org.

Every interpretation or revision will be in the form of an addendum to the Contract Documents and, when issued, will be on file in the office of the Commission and available on PBC's website at: <http://www.pbcchicago.com>. It shall be the Bidder's responsibility to inquire as to the addenda issued. All such addenda shall become part of the Contract and attached thereto. The Bidder's failure to acknowledge in writing any issued addenda on the Contractor's Bid page, Section IV. A. (Bid and Execution Documents-Contractor's Bid), shall result in the Commission finding the bid non-responsive and rejecting the bid. The Commission shall not allow any Bidder to acknowledge any such addenda, in writing or orally, after Bidder has submitted its bid to the Commission.

C. Pre-Qualification of Bidders

{INTENTIONALLY OMMITTED}

D. Evidence of Continuing Qualifications of Bidder

1. The Commission reserves the right to refuse to award a Contract to any person, firm, or corporation that is in arrears or is in default to the Commission upon any debt or contract, or that is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Commission, or had failed to perform faithfully any previous contract with the Commission, or any of the User Agencies on whose behalf the PBC constructs public buildings.
2. The Bidder, if requested, must present within a reasonable time, as determined by the Commission, evidence satisfactory to the Commission of performance ability and possession of necessary facilities, pecuniary resources, and adequate insurance to comply with the terms of these specifications and Contract Documents.
3. The Bidder must provide the following item(s) with your Bid Submission:
 - a. Copy of current Contractor's General Contractor License.

Failure to submit these items may deem the Bid unresponsive. Licenses may be that of the Prime, Joint Venture Partner (if any), and/or Sub-Contractor performing the work.

E. Preparation of Bid

1. A fully searchable .pdf of Project Information, Instructions, and Execution Documents (Book 1) shall be prepared with original signatures and notarizations wherever required.
2. All bids must be prepared on forms supplied by the Commission and shall be subject to all requirements of the Contract Documents. Unless otherwise stated, all blank spaces on the bid page or pages, applicable to the subject specification, should be correctly filled in. All bids must be regular in every respect and no interlineations, excisions or special conditions shall be made by the Bidder.
3. The Bidder's name, address, telephone and fax number should be clearly written on the front cover of each of the copies of Book 1 submitted.
4. When required by the Contract Documents, the Bidder may attach supporting documentation or additional information to the back of the form to which it refers.
5. The Commission may consider as irregular, and at its option reject, any bid on which there is an alteration of or departure from the bid form hereto attached.
6. The Bid Documents shall include the following:
 - a. Contractor's Bid Form
 - b. Bid Guarantee (Bond)
 - c. Acceptance of the Bid
 - d. Basis of Award (Award Criteria)
 - e. Schedule of Prices
 - f. Affidavit of Non-collusion
 - g. Schedule B – Joint Venture Affidavit with supporting documentation (if applicable)
 - h. Schedule C – Letter of Intent from MBE/WBE
 - i. Schedule D – Affidavit of General Contractor Regarding MBE/WBE Participation
 - j. Schedule E – Request for Waiver from MBE/WBE Participation (if applicable)
 - k. Proof of ability to Provide Payment and Performance Bond
 - l. Proof of ability to Provide Insurance
 - m. General Contractors License
7. The Apparent Low Bidder is required to submit a fully executed Disclosure of Retained Parties within five (5) days after bid opening.

F. Bid Deposit

1. The Bid must be accompanied by a "Bid Deposit" in the amount set forth in Part II.A. "General Project Information" to ensure:
 - a. Non-withdrawal of the bid after date and time of opening.
 - b. The furnishing of the Performance and Payment Bond and evidence of the required insurance coverage by the successful Bidder as required by the Contract Documents.
2. The guarantee shall be made by bid bond, certified check or cashier's check payable to the order of the Public Building Commission of Chicago. No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by the required guarantee. Cash deposits will not be accepted.
3. The bid bonds, certified checks, or cashier's checks of unsuccessful Bidders will be returned as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids; however, the deposits of the three (3) lowest Bidders shall be retained until the Commission awards the Contract to one of them, or for any reason rejects all bids.

G. Bidder's Execution of Bid

1. The Bidder must execute the Bid as an original.

2. Bids must be submitted with original signatures in the space provided on the appropriate Part IV.G. "Acceptance of the Bid." Bids not properly signed shall be rejected.
3. If Bidder is a corporation, the President and Secretary must execute the bid. In the event that this bid is executed by other than the President, attach hereto a certified copy of that section of the Corporate By-Laws or other authorization by the Corporation that permits the person to execute the offer for said corporation.
4. If Bidder is a partnership, all partners must execute the bid, unless one partner has been authorized to sign for the partnership, in which case, evidence of such authority satisfactory to the Commission must be submitted.
5. If Bidder is a sole proprietorship, the sole proprietor must execute the bid.
6. A "Partnership," "Joint Venture," or "Sole Proprietorship" operating under an Assumed Name must be registered with the Illinois county in which it is located, as provided in 805 ILCS 405 (1992).

H. Affidavit of Non-Collusion

Each Bidder shall fully execute an affidavit, in the form provided, to the effect that the Bidder has not colluded with any other person, firm, or corporation in regard to any bid submitted. Such affidavit shall be attached to the bid.

I. MBE and WBE Commitments

Contract specific goals for MBE and WBE participation is a minimum of 26% MBE and 6% WBE, respectively.

Each Bidder, which is a MBE/Non-MBE joint venture, shall submit with its Bid a completed **Schedule D**-Affidavit of General Contractor regarding M/WBE Participation and Schedule B- Affidavit of Joint Venture (if applicable) as found in Book 2 Section 23.05a (2, 3, 4) describing the extent to which Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) and Women Business Enterprise (WBE) firms will participate in the Contract.

The apparent low bidder must provide complete **Schedule C**- Letter of Intent from M/WBE to Perform as a Subcontractor, Subconsultant, or Material Supplier, including current certification letter for each MBE and WBE firm included in its bid, within 5 Days of the date set for bid opening.

Please refer to Exhibit 4 – Assist Agencies. Assist Agencies are comprised of chambers of commerce and not-for-profit agencies that represent the interest of small, minority- and/or women-owned businesses.

J. Local Business Subcontracting Participation and Community Hiring

In order to ensure that local businesses that provide subcontracting work to General Contractors on Commission projects and residents of the project communities are provided with the opportunity to benefit from Commission contracts, the Commission requires the following:

2. Local Subcontracting Requirement
 - a. General Contractors that are Local Businesses (as defined below) are required to award 25% of the Work under their contract with the Commission to subcontractors that are Local Businesses.
 - b. General Contractors that are not Local Businesses are required to award 35% of the Work under their contract with the Commission to subcontractors that are Local Businesses.
 - c. A Local Business is one that: 1) owns or leases a functioning business office and/or operations facilities within the City of Chicago (for City-funded projects) or the County of Cook (for Non-City-funded projects); 2) is registered and licensed to do business in the City of Chicago (for City-funded projects) or the County of Cook (for Non-City-funded projects); 3) employs City of Chicago residents (for City-funded projects) or Cook County residents (for Non-City-funded projects); and 4) is subject to City of Chicago taxes (for City-funded projects) or Cook County taxes (for Non-City-funded projects). In the event that the Commission performs a project for a unit of local government that operates in multiple municipalities, such as the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District, "Local Business" shall be defined in the bid documents for that project. The source of funding for the project is identified in Section II.A.18 above.
3. Community Hiring Requirement. At least 7.5% of the project labor must be performed by "Project Community Residents" as defined in Section II.A.6 and included on the "Project Community Area Map" in Exhibit #3. The aggregate hours of Work to be performed by the Contractor and Subcontractors under this Contract may be complied through residents who are trade or non-trade workers. These positions may include but are not limited to trade workers, field engineer, superintendent, project manager, security, data entry clerks, schedulers, traffic monitoring personnel, and site administrative support staff. In order to comply with the Community Hiring

requirement, the Contractor must hold a minimum of (2) application intake sessions in the designated Project Community as depicted on Exhibit (3) and compile an applicant database.

4. {INTENTIONALLY OMITTED}

K. Disclosure of Retained Parties

The apparent low Bidder shall submit a fully-executed Disclosure of Retained Parties pursuant to the instructions on the document within five (5) days of receipt of notice to provide such Disclosure.

L. Submission of Bid

1. One (1) complete copy of all bid documents, including Bid Deposit in the amount listed in Section II. General Project Information, and with original signatures (signed in blue ink or Digital Signature), shall be submitted electronically, in a single searchable .pdf via email to: psc-procurement@cityofchicago.org and james.borkman@cityofchicago.org.
2. Bidders who are unable to submit their bids electronically may request instructions for submitting a "hard copy" of their bid in writing to James Borkman, Director of Procurement at james.borkman@cityofchicago.org.
3. Bids received prior to the advertised hour of opening will be securely kept by the Commission.
4. Written modifications of bids will be considered only if received prior to the time stated for receipt of Bids. Such modifications must be submitted in a sealed envelope and marked in the same manner as a bid. IN ADDITION, the envelope must state "BID MODIFICATIONS TO SEALED BID" on the lower left-hand corner of the envelope in which the bid modification is enclosed, so that the modification will be recognized to prevent its being opened prior to scheduled public opening of bids. Telephonic or oral modifications will not be considered. Bidders are cautioned that modifications which are not explicit, and which are in any sense subject to misinterpretation shall make the bid so modified or amended subject to rejection.

M. Withdrawal of Bids before Bid Opening

Any Bidder may withdraw its bid by letter, e-mail request, or by personally securing, with proper identification, the submitted bid at any time prior to the time fixed for opening of bids. A telephonic request to withdraw a bid will not be considered.

N. Opening of Bids

At the time and place fixed for the opening of bids, the Commission will cause to be opened and publicly read aloud every bid received within the time set for receiving bids irrespective of any irregularities therein. Bidders and other persons or representatives properly interested may view the bid opening on the [PBC's YouTube channel](#).

O. Evaluation of Bids

1. The Commission reserves the right to check all calculations and to correct all extensions in case of error in order to determine the correct amount of the Total Base Bid and/or the total amount of any other schedule required.
2. Along with reviewing the calculations of each bid, the Commission will evaluate each Bidder's responsiveness to all Bid requirements and responsibility.
3. The Commission may require that the Apparent Low Bidder and any other bidder submit a breakdown of their bids by CSI Division or other appropriate basis. The Commission may also require the Apparent Low Bidder, or any other bidder, to attend a pre-award meeting to review their bids in detail.

P. Basis of Award

1. Award will be made to the Responsible Bidder submitting the Lowest Grand Total Award Criteria Figure (Line 6 of Bid Form) whose corresponding Grand Total Base Bid (Line 5 of Bid Form) is within the Available Funds for each street/avenue and is otherwise responsive to all requirements of the Contract Documents.
2. Firms are required to fill out the entire BID FORM to be considered responsive.

Q. Performance and Payment Bond and Insurance

1. Each Bidder shall furnish proof of its ability to provide the bonds and insurance required by the Contract with its bid. With respect to the payment and performance bonds, a letter from the Bidder's surety affirming the surety's willingness to provide the Bidder's bonds is sufficient. With respect to the insurance, either a letter from the Bidder's insurer, or a certificate showing that the Bidder currently possesses the required coverage, is sufficient.
2. The Contractor must provide and maintain at Contractor's own expense, the minimum insurance coverage and requirements specified in the attached Exhibit 2, insuring all operations related to the Contract. The insurance must remain in effect from the date of the Notice to Proceed until Substantial Completion of the project, during completion of Punch List, as well as any time the Contractor or its Subcontractors return to perform additional work regarding warranties or for any other purpose, unless otherwise noted in the requirements.
3. Upon approval by the Commission to award, and within seven (7) days after being given notice, the successful Bidder must execute and deliver to the Commission the Performance and Payment Bond in the form included in the Contract Documents, and evidence of the required insurance coverage.
4. The Performance and Payment Bond shall be in the form provided herein, in the full amount of the Contract Price and shall be security for the faithful performance of the Contract and payment of all persons, firms, or corporations to whom the Contractor may become legally indebted for labor, material, facilities or services of any nature, employed or used by it in performing the Work. The current power of attorney for the persons who sign for any surety company shall be attached to such bond. Such power of attorney shall be sealed and certified with a "first hand signature" by an officer of the surety. A facsimile signature will not be accepted by the Commission. The Commission reserves the right to approve the surety company.
5. The failure of the successful Bidder to supply the required Performance and Payment Bond or evidence of the required insurance coverage within seven (7) days of notice, or within such extended period as the Commission may grant based upon reasons determined sufficient by the Commission, shall constitute a default and the Commission may either award the Contract to the next lowest responsible bidder or re-advertise for bids. The difference between the amount of its bid and the amount for which a contract for the work is subsequently executed may be charged against the Bidder, irrespective of whether the amount thus due exceeds the amount of the bid security. If a more favorable bid is received by re-advertising, the defaulting Bidder shall have no claim against the Commission for a refund. Because of the difficulty of ascertaining the damage caused to the Commission, such sum shall be considered liquidated damages and shall not constitute a penalty. The election by the Commission to grant an extension to the period allowed for the bidder to provide an acceptable performance and payment bond and/or evidence of insurance coverage shall not entitle the bidder to an extension of time required to complete the Work.

R. Protests

1. The bidder shall submit any protests or claims regarding this solicitation to the office of the Commission's Executive Director located at 50 W. Washington, Room 200, Chicago, Illinois 60602. A pre-bid protest must be filed no later than five calendar (5) days before the bid opening date, a pre-award protest must be filed no later than ten (10) days after the bid opening date, and a post-award protest must be filed no later than ten (10) days after the award of the Contract.

BID PROTEST ACTIONS	TERM
Type of Protests Allowed: Pre-Bid, Pre-Award, Post-Award	All
Pre-Bid Protest Timing	No later than five (5) calendar days before Bid Opening
Pre-Award (Bid Results) Protest Timing	No later than ten (10) calendar days after Bid Opening
Post-Award Protest Timing	No later than ten (10) calendar days after Award
Adjudicator Role	Executive Director

2. All protests or claims must set forth the name and address of the protester, the contract number, the grounds for the protest or claim, and the course of action that the protesting party desires that the Executive Director take.

S. Licensing

In addition to all other applicable licenses and certifications, the general contractor is required to submit a copy of its General Contractor License issued by the Department of Buildings of the City of Chicago.

T. Award of Contract, Cancellation, or Rejection of Bids

1. Award will be made to the responsible Bidder submitting the Lowest Award Criteria Figure as noted in Section III.P. Basis of Award above and otherwise responsive to all the requirements of the Contract Documents.
2. The Bidder agrees its bid shall remain valid for a period of up to 60 days after receipt of bid and the bid cannot be withdrawn until that time.
3. The Bidder to whom the award is made will be notified as soon as practicable after the Commission approves award of the Contract. This written notification constitutes the Notice of Award and acceptance of the bid submitted.
4. If written notice of the acceptance of this Bid is mailed, faxed, e-mailed or otherwise delivered to the undersigned within the time noted herein, or at any time thereafter before this Bid is withdrawn, the undersigned agrees to enter into a Contract with the Public Building Commission of Chicago with the Bid as accepted. The undersigned agrees to give a Performance and Payment Bond as specified in the Contract Documents, with good and sufficient surety or sureties, and to furnish the required insurance, all within five (5) days after given Notice of Award.
5. Upon award of Contract, the Commission will process the Contract for final execution.
6. The Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids wherever such rejection is in the best interest of the Commission.
7. The Commission reserves the right to waive any informality in bids received whenever it determines such waiver is in the best interest of the Commission.
8. The Commission reserves the right to cancel the solicitation whenever it determines such cancellation is in the best interest of the Commission.

U. Alternates

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IV. BID AND EXECUTION DOCUMENTS

A. CONTRACTOR'S BID

The Contractor hereby acknowledges receipt of the Contract Documents for Contract No. C1619, including, but not limited to, a) Project Information, Instructions to Bidders, and Execution Documents (Book 1), b) Standard Terms and Conditions (Book 2), c), Technical Specifications (Book 3), d) Plans and Drawings, and e) Addenda Nos. (None unless indicated here)

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Further, the Contractor, having inspected the Sites and become familiar with the conditions affecting the cost of the Work and with the requirements of the Contract, hereby proposes to furnish all labor, necessary tools, materials and other work necessary to perform and complete in a workmanlike manner the **WPA STREET RECONSTRUCTION (W. BARRY AVENUE)** located at the Sites designated as required by and in strict accordance with the Contract Documents for Total Base Bid indicated on the next page. The Total Base Bid as accepted by the Commission and awarded to the Contractor shall be the Contract Price listed on the next page.

The agreement between the parties includes not only this instrument, but also the remaining Contract Documents as described in the Standard Terms and Conditions, and all of which shall be binding on the parties hereto.

Time is of the essence of this Contract. The Contractor agrees that it will commence the performance of the Work on the date set forth in the Notice to Proceed issued by the Commission and that it will complete the Work within the time set forth in Part II "Project Information".

The Contract Price, as adjusted from time to time pursuant to the Contract Documents, shall be full compensation to the Contractor for having well and faithfully completed the Work, free and clear of all claims, liens, and charges whatsoever, of any kind or nature, and in full compliance with the Contract.

Payment for the Work will be made in the manner set forth in Book 2 the Standard Terms and Conditions.

The Contractor warrants that it has not employed any person to solicit or secure this Contract upon any agreement for a commission, percentage, brokerage, or contingent fee. Breach of this warranty shall give the Commission the right to terminate the Contract, or, at its discretion, to deduct from the Contract Price or consideration the amount of such commission, percentage, brokerage, or contingent fees. This warranty shall not apply to any commission payable by the Contractor upon contracts or sales secured or made through bona fide established commercial or selling agencies maintained by the Contractor for the purpose of securing business.

The Contractor, being duly sworn, deposes and says on oath that no disclosures of ownership interests have been withheld; the information provided therein to the best of its knowledge is current; and the undersigned proposes to furnish the insurance and the Performance and Payment Bond required by the Contract Documents.

B. BID FORM – WPA STREET RECONSTRUCTION (W. BARRY AVENUE)

Bidders MUST use the Excel File available to bidders from the [Cross Rhodes Print & Technologies Planroom](#) or download the same Excel File from the [PBC Current Opportunities Page](#) to ensure accurate calculations for the Total Base Bid and Total Award Criteria. **Please carefully follow instructions on the Bid Form.**

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B. BID FORM - WPA STREET RECONSTRUCTION (Barry Avenue)

PROJECT NAME:	Chicago Department of Transportation Works Progress Administration ("WPA") Street Reconstruction
LOCATION:	W. Barry Avenue
CONTRACT NO:	C1619
PROJECT NO(S):	22681
FIRM NAME:	Benchmark Construction Co. Inc.

BID FORM

Bidders MUST use the Excel File available to bidders from the Cushing Planroom (<https://www.x-rhodesplanroom.com>) or the PBC Website (<https://www.pbcchicago.com/?p=120864>) to ensure accurate calculations for the Total Base Bid and Total Award Criteria. Please follow instructions on the Bid Form (below) for Electronic Submission.

W. BARRY AVENUE	LINE	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
			22681 - W. Barry Avenue
	1	Base Work Only	\$ 4,538,000.00
	2	Commission's Contract Contingency	\$ 685,000.00
	3	Sitework Allowance	\$ 25,000.00
	4	TOTAL BASE BID	\$ 5,248,000.00
		Accepted by the Commission	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	LINE	DESCRIPTION	TOTAL AMOUNTS
	5	GRAND TOTAL BASE BID	\$ 5,248,000.00
	6	GRAND TOTAL AWARD CRITERIA FIGURE	\$ 4,972,480.00

SURETY INFORMATION

(Provide Legal Name and address of Surety)

Name: Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
 Address: 175 Berkeley St Boston MA 02116

BIDDER'S INFORMATION

Firm Name: Benchmark Construction Co., Inc.
 Date: 2.7.25

NOTES/INSTRUCTIONS

- Prior to submitting your bid electronically, please do the following:
1. **Ensure** the Schedule of Prices Worksheet is Complete.
 2. **Ensure** Award Criteria Worksheet is Complete.
 3. **Ensure** Surety Information section, and Bidder's Information section have been populated.
 4. **Save** the file.
 5. **Convert** the file to PDF.
 6. **Include** copy of the Bid Form and Schedule of Prices **within** the scanned copy of the bid.
 7. **Attach** the PDF version AND the Excel file, **along with** the scanned copy of the bid.
 8. **Send email** to: james.borkman@cityofchicago.org and pbc-procurement@cityofchicago.org

Light Gray	Base Work Only	Base Work Only automatically populates from the Schedule of Prices Worksheet (Line 120)
Light Blue	Contingency(ies)	Amount is fixed and will automatically calculate to determine Total Base Bid (Total of all Streets)
Light Yellow	Allowance(s)	Amount is fixed and will automatically calculate to determine Total Base Bid (Total of All Streets)
Maroon	Total Base Bid	Equals Line 1 through 3. Total Base Bid automatically populates.
Blue	Total Award Criteria Figure	Based on Line 5 (Total Base Bid figure). Total Award Criteria Figure (Line 6) automatically populates from Award Criteria Figure Worksheet.

C. SITE WORK ALLOWANCE SCHEDULE

WPA STREET RECONSTRUCTION (W. BARRY AVENUE) - \$25,000.00

Item No.	Description of Work	Unit(s)	Unit Price
1	Loading, transportation and disposal of stockpiled contaminated soil, to an approved Subtitle D disposal site	Tons	\$45.00
2	Excavation, loading, transportation and disposal of contaminated soil, to an approved Subtitle D disposal site	Tons	\$55.00
3	Loading, transportation and disposal of stockpiled clean construction or demolition debris and uncontaminated soil	Tons	\$25.00
4	Excavation, loading, transportation and disposal of in-place, clean construction or demolition debris and uncontaminated soil	Tons	\$30.00
5	Load, place and compact on-site fill material from stockpile	Cubic Yards	\$8.00
6	Excavate, load, place and compact on-site fill material	Cubic Yards	\$12.00
7	Demolition, removal, transportation and disposal of underground concrete footings and remnants. Work includes crushing, as required.	Cubic Yards	\$70.00
8	UST Removal (Tank < 2000 gal capacity), including UST Removal Permit.	Each	\$5,000.00
9	UST Removal (Tank 3,000-5,500 gal capacity), including UST Removal Permit.	Each	\$5,500.00
10	UST Removal (Tank 6,000-10,000 gal capacity), including UST Removal Permit.	Each	\$8,500.00
11	UST Removal (Tank > 10,000-15,000 gal capacity), including UST Removal Permit.	Each	\$9,500.00
12	UST Removal (Tank > 15,000 gal capacity), including UST Removal Permit.	Each	\$12,500.00
13	UST tank sludge removal and disposal (55-gallon drum), including UST Removal Permit.	Drums	\$450.00
14	Bulk UST pump out (Liquids), including transportation	Gallons	\$0.75
15	Waste characterization sample analysis for disposal authorization of soils removed under Allowance Schedule (Including Waste Profile Application)	Sample	\$1,500.00
16	Water analysis for full MWRDGC contaminants List	Each	\$750.00
17	Obtain MWRDGC discharge permit for Bulk disposal of contaminated liquid	Each	\$2,000.00
18	Contaminated water-hauling and disposal of drums	Drums	\$250.00
19	Pumping, transportation and disposal of contaminated water - bulk disposal	Gallons	\$0.75
20	Pumping, storage and disposal of contaminated water - bulk disposal by MWRDGC Permit	Gallons	\$0.15
21	Furnish, place and set base material CA-1 Stone (RECYCLED)	Ton	\$50.00
22	Furnish, place and set base material CA-1 Stone (VIRGIN)	Ton	\$80.00
23	Load on-site base materials, place and set CA-1 Stone	Cubic Yards	\$10.00

Site Work Allowance Schedule - Continued			
Item No.	Description of Work	Unit(s)	Unit Price
24	Furnish, place and compact aggregate material CA-6 (RECYCLED)	Ton	\$55.00
25	Furnish, place and compact aggregate material CA-6 (VIRGIN)	Ton	\$60.00
26	Excavate, place and compact on-site aggregate material CA-6	Cubic Yards	\$10.00
27	Furnish, place and set drainage material CA-7 (RECYCLED)	Tons	\$82.00
28	Furnish, place and set drainage material CA-7 (VIRGIN)	Tons	\$55.00
29	Excavate, place and set on-site drainage material CA-7	Cubic Yards	\$10.00
30	Furnish and place geotextile filter fabric	Square Yard	\$8.00
31	Site Survey - Survey crew for verification of excavation and backfill quantities	Per Day	\$2,000.00
32	Site Survey - Survey crew for verification of excavation and backfill quantities	Half Day	\$1,000.00
33	Concrete bollard (steel pipe, 24" embedment, 36" above surface, painted with waterborne acrylic standard color paint.)	EA	\$2,500

NOTES:

1. All Work associated with the above allowance schedule shall be approved in writing by the Commission Representative prior to proceeding.
2. Authorized additional excavation and replacement material will be paid for in accordance with the above allowance schedule.
3. Authorized additional excavation means excavation below subgrade elevations shown in the Contract Documents, as determined by the Commission Representative.
4. The unit prices in this allowance schedule include all overhead, profit, and schedule impact costs.
5. All unused portions of the allowance funds must be returned to the Commission.

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D. SCHEDULE OF PRICES

The Schedule of Prices must be completed by the bidder and submitted with the bid package. Bidder's pricing for each line item should carry its share of the costs of work, plus its share of overhead and profit. Bidders should avoid nominal pricing for some lines and enhanced pricing for other lines. Bids that the PBC considers to be unbalanced will be rejected.

Bidders must utilize the unit amounts in the Schedule of Prices to calculate their Base Work Only bid (Bid Form Line 4).

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CHICAGO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION WORKS PROGRESS ADMINISTRATION ("WPA") STREET RECONSTRUCTION

LOCATION: W. Barry Ave. (from N. Narragansett Ave. to N. Melvina Ave.)

CDOT PROJECT NO.: B-3-681 PBC PROJECT NO.: 22681

PBC CONTRACT: C1619

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Line	Code Number	Description	Unit	Estimated Quantity	Unit Price	Cost
1	20100010C	TREE REMOVAL (1 TO 6 UNITS DIAMETER)	UNIT	5	\$30.00	\$ 150.00
2	20100110	TREE REMOVAL (6 TO 15 UNITS DIAMETER)	UNIT	10	\$50.00	\$ 500.00
3	20100210	TREE REMOVAL (OVER 15 UNITS DIAMETER)	UNIT	32	\$50.00	\$ 1,600.00
4	20101100C	TREE PROTECTION	EACH	13	\$800.00	\$ 10,400.00
5	20101210C	ROOT PRUNING	FOOT	330	\$40.00	\$ 13,200.00
6	20200100	EARTH EXCAVATION	CU YD	2246	\$75.00	\$ 168,450.00
7	701Z0800C	AGGREGATE FOR TEMPORARY ACCESS	TON	255	\$24.00	\$ 6,120.00
8	20800150	TRENCH BACKFILL	CU YD	1080	\$73.00	\$ 78,840.00
9	208Z0200C	TRENCH BACKFILL, WATERMAIN	CU YD	626	\$150.00	\$ 93,900.00
10	21101615	TOPSOIL FURNISH AND PLACE, 4-INCH	SQ YD	2221	\$6.00	\$ 13,326.00
11	251K0100C	SHREDDED HARDWOOD BARK MULCH	SQ YD	246	\$16.00	\$ 3,936.00
12	CDOT25200110	SODDING, SALT TOLERANT	SQ YD	2221	\$10.50	\$ 23,320.50
13	*****	TREE PLANTING 2-1/2 INCH TO 3-INCH B&B	EACH	41	\$980.00	\$ 40,180.00
14	28000510	INLET FILTERS	EACH	9	\$180.00	\$ 1,620.00
15	31101100	SUBBASE GRANULAR MATERIAL, TYPE B, 6-INCH	CU YD	770	\$42.00	\$ 32,340.00
16	35300200	PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE BASE COURSE, 7-INCH	SQ YD	3364	\$132.00	\$ 444,048.00
17	40600290	BITUMINOUS MATERIALS (TACK COAT)	POUND	2810	\$1.25	\$ 3,512.50
18	40600525	LEVELING BINDER (HAND METHOD), N50	TON	5	\$450.00	\$ 2,250.00
19	40600635	LEVELING BINDER (MACHINE METHOD), N50 1-1/2 INCH	TON	337	\$108.00	\$ 36,396.00
20	40604060	HOT-MIX ASPHALT SURFACE COURSE, IL-19, MIX "D", N50, 2 INCH	TON	458	\$108.00	\$ 49,464.00
21	42001300	PROTECTIVE COAT	SQ YD	1173	\$5.00	\$ 5,865.00
22	42300400	PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE DRIVEWAY AND ALLEY PAVEMENTS, 8-INCH	SQ YD	1173	\$135.00	\$ 158,355.00
23	42400200C	PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALK 5 INCH	SQ FT	14777	\$16.00	\$ 236,432.00
24	42400210C	PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE ADA RAMP 5 INCH	SQ FT	1180	\$18.00	\$ 21,240.00
25	42400410C	PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALK 8 INCH	SQ FT	752	\$18.00	\$ 13,536.00
26	42400420C	PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE ADA RAMP 8 INCH	SQ FT	320	\$20.00	\$ 6,400.00
27	42400800C	LINEAR DETECTABLE WARNING TILES (CAST IRON)	SQ FT	168	\$48.00	\$ 8,064.00
28	44000050C	HOT-MIX ASPHALT SURFACE REMOVAL, VARIABLE DEPTH	SQ YD	598	\$22.00	\$ 13,156.00
29	44000100	PAVEMENT REMOVAL	SQ YD	3364	\$43.00	\$ 144,652.00
30	44000300	CURB REMOVAL	FOOT	120	\$7.00	\$ 840.00
31	44000500	COMBINATION CURB AND GUTTER REMOVAL	FOOT	850	\$8.00	\$ 6,800.00
32	999X0900C	DRILL AND GROUT TIE BARS, No.5, EPOXY COATED	EACH	85	\$9.00	\$ 765.00
33	*****	SAW CUTTING PAVEMENT	FOOT	167	\$5.00	\$ 835.00
34	*****	DRIVEWAY AND ALLEY RETURN PAVEMENT REMOVAL (SPECIAL)	SQ YD	1173	\$32.00	\$ 37,536.00
35	44000600	SIDEWALK REMOVAL	SQ FT	16955	\$3.00	\$ 50,865.00
36	*****	LINER FOR SEWER, 12"	FOOT	495	\$50.00	\$ 24,750.00
37	*****	LINER FOR SEWER, 15"	FOOT	660	\$75.00	\$ 49,500.00
38	550Z0108C	STORM SEWER, EXTRA STRENGTH VITRIFIED CLAY PIPE, TYPE 2, 8 INCH	FOOT	40	\$300.00	\$ 12,000.00
39	550Z0132C	STORM SEWER, DUCTILE IRON PIPE, TYPE 2, 8 INCH	FOOT	70	\$300.00	\$ 21,000.00
40	550Z0166C	STORM SEWER, REINFORCED CONCRETE PIPE, TYPE 2, 36-INCH	FOOT	150	\$620.00	\$ 93,000.00
41	550Z0168C	STORM SEWER, REINFORCED CONCRETE PIPE, TYPE 2, 42-INCH	FOOT	640	\$723.00	\$ 462,720.00
42	*****	STORM SEWER, DUCTILE IRON PIPE, TYPE 2, 48-INCH	FOOT	250	\$905.00	\$ 226,250.00
43	551Z0400C	SEWER CLEANING AND TELEVISIONING	FOOT	1155	\$18.00	\$ 20,790.00
44	56100010	DUCTILE IRON WATER MAIN TEE, 8" X 4"	EACH	2	\$1,200.00	\$ 2,400.00
45	56100020	DUCTILE IRON WATER MAIN TEE, 8" X 8"	EACH	5	\$1,500.00	\$ 7,500.00
46	56102900	DUCTILE IRON WATER MAIN 4"	FOOT	80	\$200.00	\$ 16,000.00
47	56103000	DUCTILE IRON WATER MAIN 6"	FOOT	0		\$ -
48	56105000	WATER VALVES 8"	EACH	2	\$7,900.00	\$ 15,800.00
49	56105200	WATER VALVES 12"	EACH	4	\$8,000.00	\$ 32,000.00
50	56109400	DUCTILE IRON WATER MAIN FITTINGS 8" 11.25 DEGREE BEND	EACH	1	\$800.00	\$ 800.00
51	56109420	DUCTILE IRON WATER MAIN FITTINGS 8" 45 DEGREE BEND	EACH	11	\$800.00	\$ 8,800.00
52	56200300	WATER SERVICE LINE 1"	LF	569	\$18.00	\$ 10,242.00
53	56200500	WATER SERVICE LINE 1 1/2"	LF	46	\$23.00	\$ 1,058.00
54	56400500	FIRE HYDRANTS TO BE REMOVED	EACH	4	\$200.00	\$ 800.00
55	56400600	FIRE HYDRANTS	EACH	4	\$9,500.00	\$ 38,000.00
56	56400700	FIRE HYDRANTS (SPECIAL - FLUSHING HYDRANT)	EACH	1	\$5,000.00	\$ 5,000.00
57	60221100	MANHOLE, 5 FT DIAMETER, TYPE A, FRAME AND CLOSED LID (CITY OF CHICAGO)	EACH	2	\$12,000.00	\$ 24,000.00
58	60500040	REMOVING MANHOLES	EACH	2	\$500.00	\$ 1,000.00
59	X0326901	TRANSITION SLEEVE, 8"	EACH	3	\$400.00	\$ 1,200.00
60	X1200065	WATER MAIN CAP, 8"	EACH	1	\$400.00	\$ 400.00
61	X5620030	WATER SERVICE CONNECTION 1-INCH	EACH	27	\$4,000.00	\$ 108,000.00
62	X5620030	WATER SERVICE CONNECTION 1.5-INCH	EACH	3	\$4,500.00	\$ 13,500.00
63	*****	RESILIENT WEDGE VALVE 4"	EACH	2	\$8,500.00	\$ 17,000.00
64	*****	RESILIENT WEDGE VALVE 8"	EACH	1	\$9,500.00	\$ 9,500.00
65	*****	SERVICE CONTROL VALVE AND BUFFALO BOX	EACH	30	\$1,000.00	\$ 30,000.00

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66	*****	CATCH BASINS, TYPE A, 3'-DIAMETER, TYPE 1 FRAME, CLOSED LID (CITY OF CHICAGO)	EACH	4	\$7,200.00	\$ 28,800.00
67	60200105C	CATCH BASINS, TYPE A, 4'-DIAMETER, TYPE 1 FRAME, OPEN LID (CITY OF CHICAGO)	EACH	5	\$9,000.00	\$ 45,000.00
68	60220110C	MANHOLES, TYPE A, 3'-DIAMETER, TYPE 1 FRAME, CLOSED LID (CITY OF CHICAGO)	EACH	3	\$11,000.00	\$ 33,000.00
69	60218400C	MANHOLES, TYPE A, 4'-DIAMETER, TYPE 1 FRAME, CLOSED LID (CITY OF CHICAGO)	EACH	1	\$12,000.00	\$ 12,000.00
70	*****	TUMBLING BASIN 60" DIAMETER, TYPE 1 FRAME, CLOSED LID (CITY OF CHICAGO)	EACH	2	\$12,000.00	\$ 24,000.00
71	60220140C	TUMBLING BASIN 72" DIAMETER, TYPE 1 FRAME, CLOSED LID (CITY OF CHICAGO)	EACH	1	\$18,000.00	\$ 18,000.00
72	60220700C	ADDITIONAL MASONRY	FOOT	2	\$1,355.00	\$ 2,710.00
73	60234200C	INLETS, TYPE A, TYPE 1 FRAME, OPEN LID (CITY OF CHICAGO)	EACH	4	\$3,500.00	\$ 14,000.00
74	60255800C	MANHOLES TO BE ADJUSTED WITH NEW TYPE 1 FRAME, CLOSED LID	EACH	9	\$1,400.00	\$ 12,600.00
75	604Z0100C	FRAMES	EACH	2	\$200.00	\$ 400.00
76	604Z0200C	LIDS	EACH	2	\$200.00	\$ 400.00
77	60500050C	REMOVING CATCH BASINS	EACH	7	\$640.00	\$ 4,480.00
78	60500060C	REMOVING INLETS	EACH	6	\$300.00	\$ 1,800.00
79	60600605	CONCRETE CURB, TYPE B	FOOT	788	\$54.00	\$ 42,552.00
80	606Z0100C	COMBINATION CONCRETE CURB AND GUTTER, TYPE B-V12	FOOT	2620	\$56.00	\$ 146,720.00
81	*****	CONSTRUCTION SIGN	EACH	2	\$600.00	\$ 1,200.00
82	670Z0100C	ENGINEER'S FIELD OFFICE	CAL MONTH	6	\$2,500.00	\$ 15,000.00
83	66900200	NON-SPECIAL WASTE DISPOSAL	CU YD	1780	\$56.00	\$ 99,680.00
84	66900530	SOIL DISPOSAL ANALYSIS	EACH	1	\$1,450.00	\$ 1,450.00
85	66901001	REGULATED SUBSTANCES PRE-CONSTRUCTION PLAN	L SUM	1	\$2,500.00	\$ 2,500.00
86	66901003	REGULATED SUBSTANCES FINAL CONSTRUCTION REPORT	L SUM	1	\$2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
87	66901006	REGULATED SUBSTANCES MONITORING	CAL DAY	20	\$1,800.00	\$ 36,000.00
88	701Z0300C	TRAFFIC CONTROL COMPLETE	L SUM	1	\$39,851.00	\$ 39,851.00
89	720Z0810C	SIGN PANEL, TYPE 1, RETROREFLECTIVE	SQ FT	53	\$50.00	\$ 2,650.00
90	724Z0100C	REMOVE AND SALVAGE SIGN PANEL	EACH	9	\$125.00	\$ 1,125.00
91	724Z0110C	REMOVE AND SALVAGE SIGN PANEL AND POLE ASSEMBLY	EACH	9	\$200.00	\$ 1,800.00
92	729Z0110C	SIGN SUPPORT POST, DIG METHOD	EACH	13	\$450.00	\$ 5,850.00
93	78000650	THERMOPLASTIC PAVEMENT MARKING, LINE 24 IN	FOOT	574	\$10.00	\$ 5,740.00
94	78008210	POLYUREA PAVEMENT MARKING TYPE 1 - LINE 4"	FOOT	800	\$8.00	\$ 6,400.00
95	810Z0265C	CONDUIT IN TRENCH, PVC (SCHEDULE 80), 2" DIA.	FOOT	21	\$20.00	\$ 420.00
96	810Z0270C	CONDUIT IN TRENCH, PVC (SCHEDULE 80), 3" DIA.	FOOT	58	\$21.00	\$ 1,218.00
97	810Z0280C	CONDUIT, DIRECTIONAL BORED, COILABLE NONMETALLIC CONDUIT, SCHEDULE 80, 1 1/4" DIA.	FOOT	1402	\$41.00	\$ 57,482.00
98	810Z0285C	CONDUIT, DIRECTIONAL BORED, COILABLE NONMETALLIC CONDUIT, SCHEDULE 80, 2" DIA.	FOOT	271	\$51.00	\$ 13,821.00
99	810Z0290C	CONDUIT, DIRECTIONAL BORED, COILABLE NONMETALLIC CONDUIT, SCHEDULE 80, 3" DIA.	FOOT	127	\$71.00	\$ 9,017.00
100	811Z0210C	CONDUIT RISER ATTACHED TO POLE, 2"	EACH	4	\$4,016.00	\$ 16,064.00
101	814Z0120C	HANDHOLE, ELECTRIC, WITH 24" FRAME AND COVER	EACH	2	\$8,031.00	\$ 16,062.00
102	814Z0400C	CLEAN EXISTING CITY MANHOLE OR HANDHOLE	EACH	2	\$1,346.00	\$ 2,692.00
103	814Z0500C	DRILL EXISTING ELECTRIC HANDHOLE OR MANHOLE	EACH	8	\$603.00	\$ 4,824.00
104	814Z0710C	ADJUST ELECTRICAL FRAME AND COVER	EACH	1	\$1,276.00	\$ 1,276.00
105	817Z0220C	ELECTRIC CABLE IN CONDUIT, TRIPLEX, 2-1/C NO. 6, 1-1/C NO. 8 GROUND	FOOT	2244	\$14.00	\$ 31,416.00
106	821Z0300C	LUMINAIRE, LED, ACORN, ARTERIAL, RESIDENTIAL	EACH	16	\$1,637.00	\$ 26,192.00
107	821Z0860C	LUMINAIRE, LED, COBRA HEAD, RESIDENTIAL	EACH	16	\$885.00	\$ 14,160.00
108	825Z0200C	CONTROLLER, STREET LIGHTING, POLE MOUNTED, CONSTANT POWER, 1-PHASE, 120/240V, 60A	EACH	1	\$7,017.00	\$ 7,017.00
109	8300023C	LIGHT POLE, ALUMINUM, DAVIT, 18 FT. M.H., 8 FT DAVIT ARM	EACH	16	\$3,674.00	\$ 58,784.00
110	836Z0210C	LIGHT POLE FOUNDATION, METAL, 10" BOLT CIRCLE, 8 5/8" X 5'	EACH	16	\$1,404.00	\$ 22,464.00
111	851Z0100C	PAINT EXISTING LIGHT POLE, MAST ARM(S), AND LUMINAIRE(S)	EACH	2	\$2,844.00	\$ 5,688.00
112	895Z0100C	REMOVE EXISTING STREET LIGHTING EQUIPMENT	L SUM	1	\$8,074.00	\$ 8,074.00
113	895Z1100C	BREAKDOWN CONCRETE FOUNDATION, LIGHT POLE	EACH	9	\$299.00	\$ 2,691.00
114	159	ELBOW, CONDUIT, STEEL 2" ON STRUCTURE	EACH	4	\$1,340.00	\$ 5,360.00
115	234A	SERVICE ENTRANCE ON POLE TOP, 2-INCH	EACH	4	\$502.00	\$ 2,008.00
116	*****	TYPE II TEMPORARY WATER MAIN SUPPORT	EACH	1	\$7,500.00	\$ 7,500.00
117	550Z0100C	HOUSE DRAIN, "PRIVATE DRAIN", EXTRA STRENGTH VITRIFIED CLAY PIPE, TYPE 1, 6 INCH	FOOT	44	\$600.00	\$ 26,400.00
118	*****	HOUSE DRAIN, "PRIVATE DRAIN", DUCTILE IRON PIPE, TYPE 1, 6 INCH	FOOT	176	\$600.00	\$ 105,600.00
119	56103100	DUCTILE IRON WATER MAIN 8"	FOOT	1318	\$381.00	\$ 502,158.00
120					TOTAL FOR 22681/B-3-681 - Barry Avenue	\$ 4,538,000.00

E. ADDITIONAL ALLOWANCE SCHEDULES

This Project includes the following additional allowance schedules:

1. None.

All Work shall be approved in writing by the Commission Representative prior to proceeding.

All unused portions of the allowance funds must be returned to the Commission.

F. ALTERNATES

{INTENTIONALLY OMMITTED}

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G. ACCEPTANCE OF THE BID

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this instrument to be executed in two (2) original counterparts the 11th day of February, in the year 2025. (Board Date)

PUBLIC BUILDING COMMISSION OF CHICAGO

Mary Pat Witry
Mary Pat Witry, Secretary

[Signature]
Mayor Brandon Johnson, Chairman

CONTRACTING PARTY

BENCHMARK CONSTRUCTION CO., INC.
Contractor Name

3349 S. KEDZIE AVE., CHICAGO IL 60623
Address

IF A CORPORATION:

Name: MARK ATKINS, JR.

Title: PRESIDENT

Signature: [Signature]



ATTEST BY: [Signature]

TIM STREPEK
Secretary

IF A PARTNERSHIP:

Partner (Signature)

Address

Partner (Signature)

Address

Partner (Signature)

Address

IF A SOLE PROPRIETORSHIP:

Signature

Address

NOTARY PUBLIC

County of KANE State of IL

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 7 day of FEBRUARY, 2025.

Molly K. Francesconi (SEAL)
Notary Public Signature

Commission Expires: 2/24/27



APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY

Anne S. Fred Date: 7/28/2025
Neal & Leroy, LLC

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V. BID SUPPORT DOCUMENTS

A. Basis of Award (Award Criteria Figure)

To promote the intended goal of economic opportunity and maximize the use of minority personnel on this project, the Public Building Commission of Chicago has established the Award Criteria Figure formula for the purpose of evaluating bids and awarding the contract. A contract in the amount of the Total Base Bid (or Base Contract Price) will be awarded to the responsible bidder with the lowest Award Criteria Figure pursuant to Section III. P Basis of Award above. The Public Building Commission of Chicago reserves the right to check all calculations for accuracy. The fulfillment of the Award Criteria does not abrogate the responsibilities of the Contractor to comply with federal and state requirements under the Equal Employment Act and the Illinois Human Rights Act.

1. Instructions

The Bidder shall complete an Award Criteria Figure Formula for both Total Base Bid and Total Base Bid with Alternate Scenario(s) and transfer the final Award Criteria Figure - Line 15 (of chart below) to the space provided on the itemized BID FORM. Failure to complete the formula may be cause for rejection of the Bidder's BID. The successful bidder will be held responsible for adhering to the figures submitted in Lines 1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 and 12 during construction of the project.

Lines 2, 4 and 6 in the formula shall not be greater than seventy percent (70%) in each category for the sole purpose of determining award of the contract. Similarly, lines 8, 10 and 12 shall not be greater than fifteen percent (15%) in each category for the purpose of award criteria only. The seventy percent (70%) and fifteen percent (15%) goals are not intended to restrict the total number of minority and female employees to be used on the project, but only to establish limiting figures for use in the formula.

2. Award Criteria Figure Formula

Line 1.	TOTAL BASE BID (Refer to Line 6 of BID FORM), in figures	_____
Line 2.	Percentage of the Journeyworkers hours that the Contractor proposes to be worked by minority Journey workers during construction of the project. (Maximum figure 0.70)	_____
Line 3.	Multiply Line 2 by Line 1 by 0.04	_____
Line 4.	Percentage of total Apprentice hours that the Contractor proposes to be worked by minority Apprentices during construction of the project. (Maximum figure 0.70)	_____
Line 5.	Multiply Line 4 by Line 1 by 0.03	_____
Line 6.	Percentage of the total Laborer hours that the Contractor proposes to be worked by minority Laborers during construction of the project. (Maximum figure 0.70)	_____
Line 7.	Multiply Line 6 by Line 1 by 0.01	_____
Line 8.	Percentage of total Journeyworker hours that the Contractor proposes to be worked by female Journeyworkers during the construction of the project. (Maximum figure 0.15)	_____
Line 9.	Multiply Line 8 by Line 1 by 0.04	_____

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Line 10.	Percentage of total Apprentice hours that the Contractor proposes to be worked by female Apprentices during construction of the project. (Maximum figure 0.15)	_____
Line 11.	Multiply Line 10 by Line 1 by 0.03	_____
Line 12.	Percentage of the total Laborer hours that the Contractor proposes to be worked by female Laborers during construction of the project. (Maximum figure 0.15)	_____
Line 13.	Multiply Line 12 by Line 1 by 0.01	_____
Line 14.	Summation of Lines 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, and 13	_____
Line 15.	Subtract Line 14 from Line 1 (= "Award Criteria Figure")	_____

Award Criteria Figure (Insert Line 15 of Award Criteria Formula): \$ _____

3. Community Hiring Bonuses

In order to encourage maximum employment of interested and available residents of the project community on this project, the following bonus calculations shall apply:

- a. In calculating the hours worked by minority and women Journeyworkers, apprentices, and laborers under the Award Criteria Figure set out in Part V.A. "Basis of Award (Award Criteria Figure)," all hours worked by minority and women Journeyworkers, existing apprentices, and laborers who are residents of the project community shall be multiplied by 1.5.
- b. In calculating the hours worked by minority and women apprentices under the Award Criteria Figure set out in Part V "Bid Support Documents," all hours worked in new apprenticeships by minority and women apprentices who are residents of the project community shall be multiplied by 2.0.

Definitions

"City of Chicago Residents" means persons domiciled within the City of Chicago. Salaried superintendents are excluded from coverage in this section. Domicile is an individual's one and only true, fixed, and permanent home and principal establishment.

"Project Community Residents" means persons domiciled within the "Project Community" as defined in Section II, A.6 above.

"New Apprenticeship" shall mean an apprenticeship begun for a person who has not held an apprenticeship card within ninety (90) days prior to beginning the project.

4. Liquidated Damages

The Contractor hereby consents and agrees that, in the event that it fails to comply with each of the minimum commitments submitted with this Bid on Lines 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, and 12 of the Award Criteria Figure formula, covering minority and female Journeyworkers, apprentices, and laborers respectively, the following shall apply.

If the total hours in any category for which a percentage is assigned in Lines 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, or 12 of the Award Criteria equals zero at the completion of the work, then a net deficiency of the entire percentage assigned will be deemed to exist. For any net deficiency in each category, the following amounts shall be deducted as liquidated damages from monies due the Contractor and the Contract Sum modified accordingly:

- a. For each full one (1%) percent deficiency of minority Journeyworkers not utilized – four cents per each hundred dollars of the base bid calculated as follows:

$$\frac{\text{Line 1} \times 04}{100}$$

Each one (1%) percent deficiency toward the goal for female Journeyworkers (Line 8) shall be calculated in the same way.

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- b. For each full one (1%) percent deficiency of minority apprentices not utilized – three cents per hundred dollars of the base bid calculated as follows:

$$\frac{\text{Line 1} \times 03}{100}$$

Each one (1%) percent deficiency toward the goal for female apprentices (Line 10) shall be calculated in the same way.

- c. For each one (1%) percent deficiency of minority laborers not utilized – one cent per each hundred dollars of the base bid calculated as follows:

$$\frac{\text{Line 1} \times 01}{100}$$

Each one (1%) percent deficiency toward the goal for female laborers (Line 12) shall be calculated in the same way.

- d. Liquidated damages, if any, will be calculated for the first pay requests reflecting fifty percent (50%) completion, seventy-five percent (75%) completion, and ninety percent (90%) completion, respectively, based upon the Contractor's pay request together with all attendant certified payrolls and other required documentation of minority and women employment. The accrued liquidated damages and interest will be added to the retention provided elsewhere in this contract. The amount of liquidated damages due to the Commission under this provision will bear compound interest at the rate of 5% per annum, compounded monthly from the date of the Notice to Proceed to the date of approval of a deductive change order for liquidated damages. Should the total amount of liquidated damages due under all provisions of this contract exceed the amount of the Commission's retainage, compound interest on the amount over and above the retainage will continue to accrue until the entire amount of liquidated damages and compound interest is paid to the Commission.
- e. The Commission is aware that certain subcontract agreements under this contract may require subcontractors to contribute to payment of liquidated damages assessed under this provision. Should enforcement of subcontract liquidated damages provisions result in an aggregate total of subcontractor liquidated damages greater than the liquidated damages assessed hereunder against Contractor, then Contractor must pay the excess pro rata as a bonus to each subcontractor exceeding its subcontract commitments for minority or women employment, or both.

5. Reporting

In accordance with this commitment, the Contractor must submit both the Contractor's Payroll Record Form and the Contractor's Recapitulation of Minority and Female Worker Hours and Percentages Form on a monthly basis. All Subcontractors shall be listed on the Contractor's Recapitulation Form whether active or not. For the purpose of this report, the following group categories will be used:

- a. The classification "White" includes person of Indo-European descent.
- b. The classification "Black" or "African-American" includes persons having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.
- c. The classification "Hispanic" includes persons whose origins are from Mexico, Puerto Rico, Cuba, Central or South America, the Caribbean Islands or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race.
- d. The classification "Native American" includes persons who are Native Americans by virtue of tribal association.
- e. The classification "Asian-Pacific" includes persons whose origins are from East Asia, Southeast Asia, the Pacific Islands or the Indian sub-continent.
- f. The classification "Other" includes qualified individuals with disabilities who meet legitimate skill, experience, education or other requirements of employment positions held or sought and who perform the essential function with or without reasonable accommodation and other groups or other individuals found by the Public Building Commission of Chicago to be socially and economically disadvantaged and to have suffered actual racial or ethnic discrimination and decreased opportunities to compete in Chicago area markets.

PROJECT NAME: Chicago Department of Transportation Works Progress Administration
 ("WPA") Street Reconstruction
LOCATION: W. Barry Avenue
CONTRACT NO: C1619
PROJECT NO(S): 22681

AWARD CRITERIA FIGURE FORMULA

	FORMULA
Line 1. (Based on Grand Total Base Bid)	\$5,248,000.00
Line 2. Minority Journeyman (Maximum figure 0.70)	0.50
Line 3. Multiply Line 2 by Line 1 by 0.04	\$104,960.00
	\$5,248,000.00
Line 4. Minority Apprentice (Maximum figure 0.70)	0.70
Line 5. Multiply Line 4 by Line 1 by 0.03	\$110,208.00
	\$5,248,000.00
Line 6. Minority Laborer (Maximum figure 0.70)	0.70
Line 7. Multiply Line 6 by Line 1 by 0.01	\$36,736.00
	\$5,248,000.00
Line 8. Female Journeyman (Maximum figure 0.15)	0.00
Line 9. Multiply Line 8 by Line 1 by 0.04	\$0.00
	\$5,248,000.00
Line 10. Female Apprentice (Maximum figure 0.15)	0.15
Line 11. Multiply Line 10 by Line 1 by 0.03	\$23,616.00
	\$5,248,000.00
Line 12. Female Laborer (Maximum figure 0.15)	0.00
Line 13. Multiply Line 12 by Line 1 by 0.01	\$0.00
	\$5,248,000.00
Line 14. Total of Lines 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, and 13	\$275,520.00
Line 15. Total Award Criteria	\$4,972,480.00
TOTAL AWARD CRITERIA (Line 15)	\$4,972,480.00

Accepted by the Commission

Accepted

BIDDER'S INFORMATION

Firm Name: Benchmark Construction Co., Inc.
 Date: 2.7.25

NOTES/INSTRUCTIONS

1. Prior to submitting your bid electronically, please do the following:
 - a. **Ensure** Lines 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, and 12 in the Formula column and the Bidder's Information section have been populated.
 - b. **Save** the file.
 - c. **Convert** the file to PDF.
 - d. **Include** copy of the Award Criteria Figure worksheet **within** the scanned copy of the bid.
 - e. **Attach** the PDF AND Excel version, **along with** the scanned copy of the bid.
 - f. **Send email** to: james.borkman@cityofchicago.org and pbc-procurment@cityofchicago.org.
2. Line 1. (Based on Total Base Bid) automatically populates from Bid Form.
3. Bidder is to populate Lines 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, and 12 (fields shaded Light Green).
4. Lines 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, and 12 are to be entered in decimals. (ie 5% participation = 0.05, 15% participation = 0.15, 50% participation = .50)
5. Line 15. **TOTAL AWARD CRITERIA** automatically populates.

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6. Major Trades

The following trades are anticipated to be used in the performance of this contract:

- | | |
|-----------------|-------------------|
| Landscaping | Excavation |
| Carpentry | Pavement Markings |
| Concrete | Asphalt |
| Electrical | Sewer |
| Site Demolition | Signage |

For approval of other trades for consideration in the Award Criteria Figure formula, written approval should be requested from the Commission.

7. Trade Participation - For Information Only

The following information must be supplied by the Contractor for the purposes of evaluating figures supplied in the Award Criteria Figure formula. It is understood that these figures are estimates only and are not to be considered as limiting in any manner actual participation on the project.

Anticipated levels of minority and/or women business enterprise participation, to be expressed as percentages, must be supplied for each trade, whether attributable to the Contractor's work force or any Subcontractor which will be active on this project.

TRADE PARTICIPATION	PERCENT OF MINORITY and/or WOMEN BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PARTICIPATION
<u>Cone Sewer + Water</u>	<u>50</u>
<u>Electrical</u>	<u>25</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
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SCHEDULE B - Joint Venture Affidavit (1 of 3)

This form is not required if all joint venturers are MBE/Non-MBE or WBE/Non-WBE firms. In such case, however, a written joint venture agreement among the MBE/Non-MBE or WBE/Non-WBE firms should be submitted. Each MBE/WBE joint venturer must also attach a copy of their current certification letter.

A. Name of joint venture _____

B. Address of joint venture _____

C. Phone number of joint venture _____

D. Identify the firms that comprise the joint venture

1. Describe the role(s) of the MBE/WBE firm(s) in the joint venture. (Note that a "clearly defined portion of work" must here be shown as under the responsibility of the MBE/WBE firm.)

2. Describe very briefly the experience and business qualifications of each non-MBE/WBE joint venturer.

E. Nature of joint venture's business

F. Provide a copy of the joint venture agreement.

G. Ownership: What percentage of the joint venture is claimed to be owned by MBE/WBE? _____%

H. Specify as to:

1. Profit and loss sharing _____%

2. Capital contributions, including equipment _____%

3. Other applicable ownership interests, including ownership options or other agreements which restrict ownership or control.

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SCHEDULE B - Joint Venture Affidavit (2 of 3)

4. Describe any loan agreements between joint venturers, and identify the terms thereof.

I. Control of and participation in this Contract: Identify by name, race, sex, and "firm" those individuals (and their titles) who are responsible for day-to-day management and policy decision making, including, but not limited to, those with prime responsibility for:

1. Financial decisions

2. Management decisions such as:

a. Estimating

b. Marketing and Sales

c. Hiring and firing of management personnel

d. Other

3. Purchasing of major items or supplies

4. Supervision of field operations

5. Supervision of office personnel

6. Describe the financial controls of the joint venture, e.g., will a separate cost center be established; which venturer will be responsible for keeping the books; how will the expense therefor be reimbursed; the authority of each joint venturer to commit or obligate the other. Describe the estimated contract cash flow for each joint venturer.

7. State approximate number of operational personnel, their craft and positions, and whether they will be employees of the majority firm or the joint venture.

J. Please state any material facts of additional information pertinent to the control and structure of this joint venture.

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SCHEDULE B - Joint Venture Affidavit (3 of 3)

THE UNDERSIGNED SWEAR THAT THE FOREGOING STATEMENTS ARE CORRECT AND INCLUDE ALL MATERIAL INFORMATION NECESSARY TO IDENTIFY AND EXPLAIN THE TERMS AND OPERATIONS OF OUR JOINT VENTURE AND THE INTENDED PARTICIPATION BY EACH JOINT VENTURER IN THE UNDERTAKING. FURTHER, THE UNDERSIGNED COVENANT AND AGREE TO PROVIDE TO THE PUBLIC BUILDING COMMISSION OF CHICAGO CURRENT, COMPLETE AND ACCURATE INFORMATION REGARDING ACTUAL JOINT VENTURE WORK AND THE PAYMENT THEREFOR AND ANY PROPOSED CHANGES IN ANY OF THE JOINT VENTURE AGREEMENTS AND TO PERMIT THE AUDIT AND EXAMINATION OF THE BOOKS, RECORDS, AND FILES OF THE JOINT VENTURE, OR THOSE OF EACH JOINT VENTURER RELEVANT TO THE JOINT VENTURE, BY AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVES OF THE COMMISSION. ANY MATERIAL MISREPRESENTATION WILL BE GROUNDS FOR TERMINATING ANY CONTRACT WHICH MAY BE AWARDED AND FOR INITIATING ACTION UNDER FEDERAL OR STATE LAWS CONCERNING FALSE STATEMENTS.

Note: If, after filing this Schedule B and before the completion of the joint venture's work on this Contract, there is any significant change in the information submitted, the joint venture must inform the Public Building Commission of Chicago, either directly or through the General contractor if the joint venture is a subcontractor.

Name of Joint Venturer

Name of Joint Venturer

Signature

Signature

Name

Name

Title

Title

Date

Date

State of _____ County of _____

State of _____ County of _____

On this _____ day of _____, 20____
before me appeared (Name)

On this _____ day of _____, 20____
before me appeared (Name)

to me personally known, who, being duly sworn,
did execute the foregoing affidavit, and did state

that he or she was properly authorized by
(Name of Joint Venture)

to me personally known, who, being duly sworn,
did execute the foregoing affidavit, and did state

that he or she was properly authorized by
(Name of Joint Venture)

to execute the affidavit and did so as his or her
free act and deed.

to execute the affidavit and did so as his or her
free act and deed.

Notary Public

Notary Public

Commission expires:
(SEAL)

Commission expires:
(SEAL)

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SCHEDULE D - Affidavit of General Contractor Regarding MBE/WBE Participation (1 of 2)

Name of Project: WPA STREET RECONSTRUCTION - W. BARRY AVE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS }
 } SS
COUNTY OF ~~COOK~~ }
 } KANE

In connection with the above-captioned contract, I HEREBY DECLARE AND AFFIRM that I am the

PRESIDENT
Title and duly authorized representative of

BENCHMARK CONSTRUCTION CO., INC.
Name of General Contractor whose address is

3349 S. KEDZIE AVE.

in the City of CHICAGO, State of IL

and that I have personally reviewed the material and facts submitted with the attached Schedules of MBE/WBE participation in the above-referenced Contract, including Schedule C and Schedule B (if applicable), and the following is a statement of the extent to which MBE/WBE firms will participate in this Contract if awarded to this firm as the Contractor for the Project.

Name of MBE/WBE Contractor	Type of Work to be Done in Accordance with Schedule C	Dollar Credit Toward MBE/WBE Goals	
		MBE	WBE
<u>Whitelac Construction</u>	<u>Concrete, road</u>	<u>\$1,381,643</u>	<u>\$</u>
		<u>\$</u>	<u>\$</u>
<u>Horizon</u>	<u>Electrical</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$315,916.89</u>
		<u>\$</u>	<u>\$</u>
Total Net MBE/WBE Credit		<u>\$1,381,643</u>	<u>\$315,916.89</u>
Percent of Total Base Bid		<u>26.33 %</u>	<u>6.02 %</u>

The General Contractor may count toward its MBE/WBE goal a portion of the total dollar value of a contract with a joint venture equal to the percentage of the ownership and control of the MBE/WBE partner.

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SCHEDULE D - Affidavit of General Contractor Regarding MBE/WBE Participation (2 of 2)

The Undersigned will enter into a formal agreement for the above work with the above-referenced MBE/WBE firms, conditioned upon performance as Contractor of a Contract with the Commission, and will do so within five (5) business days of receipt of a notice of Contract award from the Commission.

Additionally, the Undersigned certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief that it, its principals and any subcontractors used in the performance of this contract, meet the Agency requirements and have not violated any City or Sister Agency policy, codes, state, federal or local laws, rules or regulations and have not been subject to any debarment, suspension or other disciplinary action by any government agency. Additionally, if at any time the Contractor becomes aware of such information, it must immediately disclose it to the Commission.

BY:

BENCHMARK CONSTRUCTION CO., INC.

Name of Contractor (Print)

2/7/2025

Date

630-497-1700

Phone

IF APPLICABLE:

BY:

Joint Venture Partner (Print)

Date

Phone/FAX



Signature

MARK ATKINS, JR. - PRESIDENT

Name (Print)

Signature

Name (Print)

MBE ___ WBE ___ Non-MBE/WBE ___

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SCHEDULE C - Letter of Intent from MBE/WBE (2 of 2)
To Perform As
Subcontractor, Subconsultant, and/or Material Supplier

PARTIAL PAY ITEMS

For any of the above items that are partial pay items, specifically describe the work and subcontract dollar amount:

If more space is needed to fully describe the MBE/WBE firm's proposed scope of work and/or payment schedule, attach additional sheet(s).

SUB-SUBCONTRACTING LEVELS*

% of the dollar value of the MBE/WBE subcontract will be sublet to non-MBE/WBE contractors.

% of the dollar value of the MBE/WBE subcontract will be sublet to MBE/WBE contractors.

*If MBE/WBE subcontractor will not be sub-subcontracting any of the work described in this Schedule, a zero (0) must be filled in each blank above. If more than 10% percent of the value of the MBE/WBE subcontractor's scope of work will be sublet, a brief explanation and description of the work to be sublet must be provided.

The Undersigned (Contractor) will enter into a formal agreement for the above work with the Bidder, conditioned upon its execution of a contract with the Public Building Commission of Chicago, and will do so within five (5) working days of receipt of a notice of Contract award from the Commission.

Additionally, the Undersigned certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief that it, its principals and any subcontractors used in the performance of this contract, meet the Agency requirements and have not violated any City or Sister Agency policy, codes, state, federal or local laws, rules or regulations and have not been subject to any debarment, suspension or other disciplinary action by any government agency. Additionally, if at any time the Contractor becomes aware of such information, it must immediately disclose it to the Commission.

BY:

WHITELINE CONSTRUCTION, INC.

Name of MBE/WBE Firm (Print)

Date 2/6/2025

Phone

IF APPLICABLE:

BY:

Joint Venture Partner (Print)

Date

Phone

fernando godinez

Fernando Godinez

Signature FERNANDO GODINEZ / PRESIDENT

Name (Print)

Signature

Name (Print)

MBE ___ WBE ___ Non-MBE/WBE ___

Certified ProfileCLOSE WINDOW [Print](#)**Business & Contact Information**

BUSINESS NAME	Whiteline Construction, Inc., DBA Feranando Godinez
OWNER	Mr. Fernando Godinez
ADDRESS	9737 S, TORRENCE AVE CHICAGO, IL 60617 [map]
PHONE	708-692-0888
FAX	773-376-3778
EMAIL	dean@whitelineconstruction.net
ETHNICITY	Hispanic/Latino

Certification Information

CERTIFYING AGENCY	City of Chicago
CERTIFICATION TYPE	MBE - Minority Business Enterprise
CERTIFICATION DATE	7/15/2024
RENEWAL DATE	6/1/2025
EXPIRATION DATE	6/1/2025
CERTIFIED BUSINESS DESCRIPTION	237110 Sewer construction 237310 Curbs and street gutters, highway, road and street, construction 238110 Concrete finishing

Commodity Codes

Code	Description
NAICS 237110	Sewer construction
NAICS 237310	Curbs and street gutters, highway, road and street, construction
NAICS 238110	Concrete finishing

Additional Information

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COMMUNITY AREA	46 South Chicago
QUALIFIED INVESTMENT AREA	No

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SCHEDULE C - Letter of Intent from MBE/WBE (2 of 2)
To Perform As
Subcontractor, Subconsultant, and/or Material Supplier

PARTIAL PAY ITEMS

For any of the above items that are partial pay items, specifically describe the work and subcontract dollar amount:

If more space is needed to fully describe the MBE/WBE firm's proposed scope of work and/or payment schedule, attach additional sheet(s).

SUB-SUBCONTRACTING LEVELS*

0 % of the dollar value of the MBE/WBE subcontract will be sublet to non-MBE/WBE contractors.

0 % of the dollar value of the MBE/WBE subcontract will be sublet to MBE/WBE contractors.

*If MBE/WBE subcontractor will not be sub-subcontracting any of the work described in this Schedule, a zero (0) must be filled in each blank above. If more than 10% percent of the value of the MBE/WBE subcontractor's scope of work will be sublet, a brief explanation and description of the work to be sublet must be provided.

The Undersigned (Contractor) will enter into a formal agreement for the above work with the Bidder, conditioned upon its execution of a contract with the Public Building Commission of Chicago, and will do so within five (5) working days of receipt of a notice of Contract award from the Commission.

Additionally, the Undersigned certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief that it, its principals and any subcontractors used in the performance of this contract, meet the Agency requirements and have not violated any City or Sister Agency policy, codes, state, federal or local laws, rules or regulations and have not been subject to any debarment, suspension or other disciplinary action by any government agency. Additionally, if at any time the Contractor becomes aware of such information, it must immediately disclose it to the Commission.

BY:

HORIZON CONTRACTORS, INC.

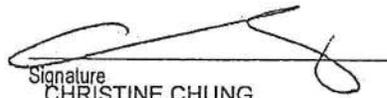
Name of MBE/WBE Firm (Print)

2/6/25

Date

(312) 850-3010

Phone



Signature

CHRISTINE CHUNG

Name (Print)

IF APPLICABLE:

BY:

Joint Venture Partner (Print)

Date

Phone

Signature

Name (Print)

MBE ___ WBE ___ Non-MBE/WBE ___

Certified Profile

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Business & Contact Information

BUSINESS NAME	Horizon Contractors, Inc.
OWNER	Ms. Christine Chung-Hurley
ADDRESS	712 W. Root St. Chicago, IL 60609 [map]
PHONE	312-850-3010
FAX	312-850-3499
EMAIL	horizoncontractors@sbcglobal.net
ETHNICITY	Asian American

Certification Information

CERTIFYING AGENCY	City of Chicago
CERTIFICATION TYPE	WBE - Women Business Enterprise
CERTIFICATION DATE	5/21/2024
RENEWAL DATE	6/1/2025
EXPIRATION DATE	6/1/2025
CERTIFIED BUSINESS DESCRIPTION	NAICS 238210 Electrical contractors

Commodity Codes

Code	Description
NAICS 238210	Electrical contractors

Additional Information

WARD	11
COMMUNITY AREA	68 Englewood

QUALIFIED INVESTMENT AREA

Yes

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N/A

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SCHEDULE E - Request for Waiver from MBE/WBE Participation

Date: _____

Ray Giderof, Executive Director
Public Building Commission of Chicago
Richard J. Daley Center
50 W. Washington Street, Room 200
Chicago, IL 60602

Dear Mr. Giderof:

RE: Contract No. _____

Project Title: _____

In accordance with Section 23.01.7, the undersigned hereby requests a waiver/partial waiver from the MBE/WBE provisions. The undersigned certifies that it/we has/have been diligent in our attempt to identify potential subcontractors certified as MBE/WBE to perform work in this project, that such efforts have not been successful, and that it/we cannot meet the Minority/Women Business Enterprise contract goal. These efforts are described below and are consistent with the "Request for Waiver" provisions of the MBE/WBE Program as detailed in Section 23.01.7 as follows:

Documentation attached: yes____ no____

Based on the information provided above, we request consideration of this waiver request.

Sincerely,

Signature

Print Name

Title

Name of Firm

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Disclosure of Retained Parties

Pursuant to Resolution No. 5339, as amended by Resolution No. 5371, of the Board of the Public Building Commission of Chicago, the apparent low Bidder is required to submit a fully executed Disclosure of Retained Parties within five (5) days of receipt of notice that it is the apparent low bidder.

A. Definitions and Disclosure Requirements

1. As used herein, "Contractor" means a person or entity that has any contract or lease with the Public Building Commission of Chicago ("Commission").
2. Commission contracts and/or qualification submittals must be accompanied by a disclosure statement providing certain information about any lobbyists whom the Contractor has retained or expects to retain with respect to the contract or lease. In particular, the Contractor must disclose the name of each such person, his or her business address, the name of the relationship, and the amount of fees paid or estimated to be paid. The Contractor is not required to disclose employees who are paid solely through the Contractor's regular payroll.
3. "Lobbyists" means any person a) who for compensation or on behalf of any person other than himself undertakes to influence any legislative or administrative action, or b) any part of whose duties as an employee of another includes undertaking to influence any legislative or administrative action.

B. Certification

Contractor hereby certifies as follows:

1. This Disclosure relates to the following transaction: CONTRACT #C1619 / #22681 / #B-3-681
 - a. Description of goods or services to be provided under Contract

STREET RECONSTRUCTION FOR W. BARRY AVE.

2. Name of Contractor: BENCHMARK CONSTRUCTION CO., INC.
3. EACH AND EVERY lobbyist retained or anticipated to be retained by the Contractor with respect to or in connection with the contract or lease is listed below. Attach additional pages if necessary.

Check here if no such persons have been retained or are anticipated to be retained:

Retained Parties:

Name	Business Address	Relationship (Lobbyists, etc.)	Fees (indicate whether paid or estimated)

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- 4. The Contractor understands and agrees as follows:
 - a. The information provided herein is a material inducement to the Commission execution of the contract or other action with respect to which this Disclosure of Retained Parties form is being executed, and the Commission may rely on the information provided herein. Furthermore, if the Commission determines that any information provided herein is false, incomplete, or inaccurate, the Commission may terminate the contract or other transaction; terminate the Contractor's participation in the contract or other transactions with the Commission.
 - b. If the Contractor is uncertain whether a disclosure is required, the Contractor must either ask the Commission whether disclosure is required or make the disclosure.
 - c. This Disclosure of Retained Parties form, some or all of the information provided herein, and any attachments may be made available to the public on the Internet, in response to a Freedom of Information Act request, or otherwise. The Contractor waives and releases any possible rights or claims it may have against the Commission in connection with the public release of information contained in the completed Disclosure of Retained Parties form and any attachments.

Under penalty of perjury, I certify that I am authorized to execute this Disclosure of Retained Parties on behalf of the Contractor and that the information disclosed herein is true and complete.

The Contractor also certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief that it, its principals and any subcontractors used in the performance of this contract, meet the Agency requirements and have not violated any City or Sister Agency policy, codes, state, federal or local laws, rules or regulations and have not been subject to any debarment, suspension or other disciplinary action by any government agency. Additionally, if at any time the Contractor becomes aware of such information, it must immediately disclose it to the Commission.

[Handwritten Signature]
Signature

2/12/2025
Date

MARK ATKINS, JR.
Name (Type or Print)

PRESIDENT
Title

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 12 day of FEBRUARY, 2025

Molly K. Francesconi
Notary Public

Commission expires: 2/24/27

(SEAL)



BOND# 268019989

PUBLIC BUILDING COMMISSION OF CHICAGO

Contract No. C1619

PERFORMANCE AND PAYMENT BOND

Contract No.

Bond No.

C1619

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that we, Benchmark Construction Co., Inc. a Corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Illinois, with offices in the City of Chicago, State of Illinois, as _____ Principal, and Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
175 Berkeley Street
Boston, MA 02116

a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Massachusetts, with offices in the State of IL, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto the Public Building Commission of Chicago, hereinafter called "Commission", in the penal sum of FIVE MILLION TWO HUNDRED FORTY EIGHT THOUSAND DOLLARS AND NO CENTS for the payment of which sum well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, and successors, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

The condition of this obligation is such that whereas the Principal entered into a certain Contract, hereto attached, with the Commission, dated February 11, 2025, for the fabrication, delivery, performance, and installation of:

CDOT Works Progress Administration ("WPA") Street Reconstruction - Contract C1619 - Project# 22681

West Barry Avenue

Chicago, Illinois

In the referenced project area and other miscellaneous work collateral thereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, if the Principal shall well and truly perform and fulfill all the undertakings, covenants, terms, conditions, and agreements of said Contract during the original term of said Contract and any extension thereof that may be granted by the Commission, with or without notice to the Surety, and during the life of any guarantee required under the Contract, and shall also well and truly perform and fulfill all the undertakings, covenants, terms, conditions and agreements of any and all authorized modifications of said Contract that may be made; and also if the Principal shall promptly pay all persons, firms, and corporations supplying labor, materials, facilities, or services in the prosecution of the work provided for in the Contract, and any and all duly authorized modifications of said Contract that may be made, notice of which modifications being hereby waived; and also, if the Principal shall fully secure and protect the said Commission, its legal successor and representative, from all liability in the premises and from all loss or expense of any kind, including all costs of court and attorney's fees, made necessary or arising from the failure, refusal, or neglect of the aforesaid Principal to comply with all the obligations assumed by said Principal or any subcontractors in connection with the performance of said Contract and all such modifications thereof; and also, if the Principal shall deliver all Work called for by said Contract of the Principal with the Commission, free and clear of any and all claims, liens and expenses of any kind or nature whatsoever, and in accordance with the terms and provisions of said Contract, and any and all modifications of said Contract; then, this said Bond shall become null and void; otherwise it shall remain in full force and effect.

The Surety does further hereby consent and yield to the jurisdiction of the State Civil Courts of the County of Cook, City of Chicago, and State of Illinois, and does hereby formally waive any plea of jurisdiction on account of the residence elsewhere of the Surety. The Principal and Surety severally and jointly agree that this Bond, and the undertakings contained herein, are also for the benefit of any and all subcontractors and other persons furnishing materials, labor, facilities, or services to the Principal or for the

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Contract No. C1619

performance by the Principal of said Contract with the Commission as originally executed by said Principal and the Commission or as thereafter modified, and that any such subcontractor or persons furnishing labor, materials, facilities, or services may bring suit on this Bond, or any undertaking herein contained, in the name of the Commission against the said Principal and Surety or either of them.

It is expressly understood and agreed that this Bond, in the penal sum of FIVE MILLION TWO HUNDRED FORTY EIGHT THOUSAND DOLLARS AND NO CENTS shall secure the payment of all sums due of and by the Principal under the Contract and guarantee the faithful performance of the Contract.

No modifications, omissions, or additions, in or to the terms of said Contract, the plans or specifications, or in the manner and mode of payment shall in any manner affect the obligations of the Surety in connection with aforesaid Contract. Notice to the Surety of any and all modifications in said Contract of the Principal with the Commission and of any additions or omissions to or from said Contract are hereby expressly waived by the Surety.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the above bounden parties have executed this instrument under their several seals this 2/12/2025, the name and corporate seal of each corporate party being hereto affixed and these presents duly signed by its undersigned representative pursuant to authority of its governing body.

WITNESS:

Name

BY _____ (Seal)
Individual Principal

Business Address

Individual Principal

City State

CORPORATE SEAL

ATTEST:

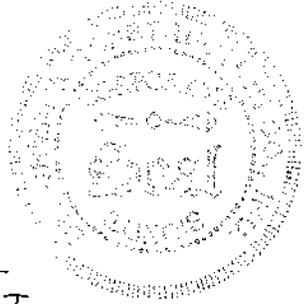
BY 

BENCHMARK CONSTRUCTION CO., INC.
Principal

BY 

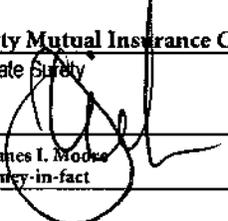
TIM STREPEK - CORP. SECRETARY
Title

MARK ATKINS, JR - PRESIDENT
Title



BY 
Alicia Costello - Witness

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
Corporate Surety

BY 
James I. Moore
Attorney-in-fact
Title

175 Berkeley Street
Business Address
Boston, MA 02116

CORPORATE SEAL

FOR CLAIMS (Please print):

Contact Name: James I. Moore - Agent - HUB International

Business Address: 1411 Opus Place, Suite 450, Downers Grove, IL 60515

Telephone: 630-468-5600 Fax: _____

The rate of premium of this Bond is \$ 14.40/8.70/6.90/6.30 per thousand. **

Total amount of premium charged is \$ 43,412.00 **

* The current power of attorney for the persons who sign for any surety company shall be attached to this Bond. Such power of attorney shall be sealed and certified with a "first-hand signature" by an officer of the surety. The Commission will not accept a facsimile signature.

** Must be filled in by the Corporate Surety.

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BOND APPROVAL

BY

Mary Pat Witry, Secretary
Public Building Commission of Chicago

CERTIFICATE AS TO CORPORATE SEAL

I, TIM STREPEK, certify that I am the CORPORATE Secretary of BENCHMARK CONSTRUCTION CO. INC. corporation named as Principal in the foregoing performance and payment bond, that MARK ATKINS, JR. who signed on behalf of the Principal was then PRESIDENT of said corporation; that I know this person's signature, and the signature is genuine; and that the Bond was duly signed, sealed, and attested, for and in behalf of said corporation by authority of its governing body.

Dated this 13 day of FEBRUARY, 2025

CORPORATE SEAL





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.

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company
West American Insurance Company

Certificate No: 8207427-285144

POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOWN ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS: That The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of New Hampshire, that Liberty Mutual Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Massachusetts, and West American Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana (herein collectively called the "Companies"), pursuant to and by authority herein set forth, does hereby name, constitute and appoint, Amy Wickett; Dawn L. Morgan; Dawn Sallay; Diane M. Rubright; Grace Casaus; James I. Moore; Jennifer J. McComb; Martin Moss; Melissa Schmidt; Sherry Bacskai; Stasha King; Stephen T. Kazmer; Tariese M. Pisciotto

all of the city of Downers Grove state of IL each individually if there be more than one named, its true and lawful attorney-in-fact to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver, for and on its behalf as surety and as its act and deed, any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations, in pursuance of these presents and shall be as binding upon the Companies as if they have been duly signed by the president and attested by the secretary of the Companies in their own proper persons.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Power of Attorney has been subscribed by an authorized officer or official of the Companies and the corporate seals of the Companies have been affixed thereto this 3rd day of March, 2022.



Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company
West American Insurance Company

By: David M. Carey, Assistant Secretary

Not valid for mortgage, note, loan, letter of credit, currency rate, interest rate or residual value guarantees.

State of PENNSYLVANIA
County of MONTGOMERY ss

On this 3rd day of March, 2022 before me personally appeared David M. Carey, who acknowledged himself to be the Assistant Secretary of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, The Ohio Casualty Company, and West American Insurance Company, and that he, as such, being authorized so to do, execute the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained by signing on behalf of the corporations by himself as a duly authorized officer.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my notarial seal at King of Prussia, Pennsylvania, on the day and year first above written.



Commonwealth of Pennsylvania - Notary Seal
Teresa Pastella, Notary Public
Montgomery County
My commission expires March 28, 2025
Commission number 1126044
Member, Pennsylvania Association of Notaries

By: Teresa Pastella, Notary Public

For bond and/or Power of Attorney (POA) verification inquiries, please call 610-832-8240 or email HOSUR@libertymutual.com.

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following By-laws and Authorizations of The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, and West American Insurance Company which resolutions are now in full force and effect reading as follows:

ARTICLE IV - OFFICERS: Section 12. Power of Attorney.

Any officer or other official of the Corporation authorized for that purpose in writing by the Chairman or the President, and subject to such limitation 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 execution of any such instruments and to attach thereto the seal of the Corporation. When so executed, such instruments shall be as binding as if signed by the President and attested to by the Secretary. Any power or authority granted to any representative or attorney-in-fact under the provisions of this article may be revoked at any time by the Board, the Chairman, the President or by the officer or officers granting such power or authority.

ARTICLE XIII - Execution of Contracts: Section 5. Surety Bonds and Undertakings.

Any officer of the Company 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 Company 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 Company by their signature and execution of any such instruments and to attach thereto the seal of the Company. When so executed such instruments shall be as binding as if signed by the president and attested by the secretary.

Certificate of Designation -- The President of the Company, acting pursuant to the Bylaws of the Company, authorizes David M. Carey, Assistant Secretary to appoint such attorneys-in-fact as may be necessary to act on behalf of the Company to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations.

Authorization -- By unanimous consent of the Company's Board of Directors, the Company consents that 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.

I, Renee C. Llewellyn, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary, The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, and West American Insurance Company do hereby certify that the original power of attorney of which the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the Power of Attorney executed by said Companies, is in full force and effect and has not been revoked.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seals of said Companies this 12th day of February, 2025.



By: Renee C. Llewellyn, Assistant Secretary

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Document Submittal Checklist

Two originals of the following documents are required at the time of bid opening. Please ensure that you have completed the forms and indicate such by placing an "X" next to each completed item:

1. Contractor's Bid (Excel Bid Form)
2. Bid Guarantee (Bond)
3. Acceptance of the Bid
4. Basis of Award (Award Criteria)
5. Schedule of Prices (As part of Excel Bid Form)
6. Affidavit of Non-Collusion
7. N/A Schedule B – Affidavit of Joint Venture (if applicable)
8. Schedule C – Letter of Intent from MBE/WBE
9. Schedule D – Affidavit of General Contractor Regarding MBE/WBE Participation
10. N/A Schedule E – Request for Waiver from MBE/WBE Participation (if applicable)
11. Proof of Ability to Provide Payment & Performance Bond – BID BOND
12. Proof of Ability to Provide Insurance
13. General Contractor's License
14. Disclosure of Retained Parties (The apparent low and the apparent 2nd low bidder must submit a fully executed Disclosure of Retained Parties within 5 days after bid opening).

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EXHIBIT #2 INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

**C1619 – WPA STREET RECONSTRUCTION
(W. BARRY AVENUE)
PBC PROJECT #22681
CDOT PROJECT #B-4-681**

The insurance requirements listed below are the minimum requirements that will be required for work issued on a contract resulting from this Procurement. The actual requirements for the project may be higher and will be determined based on the scope and the requirements as determined in collaboration with the User Agency as determined after award. As noted in this Procurement, Respondent is to submit a certificate of insurance evidencing their current insurance program.

The Contractor must provide and maintain at Contractor's own expense, the minimum insurance coverage and requirements specified below, insuring all operations related to the Contract. The insurance must remain in effect from the date of the Notice to Proceed until Completion of the project, including during completion of Punch List, as well as any time Contractor returns to perform additional work regarding warranties or for any other purpose, unless otherwise noted below or agreed by the Public Building Commission.

A. INSURANCE TO BE PROVIDED

1) Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability (Primary and Umbrella)

Workers' Compensation Insurance as prescribed by applicable law covering all employees who are to provide a service under this Contract and Employers Liability coverage with limits of not less than \$1,000,000 each accident, illness or disease. Coverage will include a waiver of subrogation as required below.

2) Commercial General Liability (Primary and Umbrella)

Commercial General Liability Insurance or equivalent with limits of not less than \$2,000,000 per occurrence for bodily injury, personal injury, and property damage liability. Coverage must include the following: All premises and operations, products/completed operations to be maintained for minimum of two (2) years following project completion, explosion, collapse, underground hazards, defense and contractual liability. Contractor and all subcontractors of every tier **will specifically name** the Public Building Commission of Chicago, the City of Chicago, the City of Chicago Department of Transportation, their respective Board members, employees, elected officials, officers, or representatives, and others as may be required by the Public Building Commission of Chicago, as Additional Insured using the ISO CG2010 0704 and CG2037 0704. Additional Insured status will be on a primary, non-contributory basis for any liability arising directly or indirectly from the work, including the two year completed operations periods. Coverage will include a waiver of subrogation as required below.

Subcontractors performing work for Contractor must maintain limits of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence with the same terms herein.

3) Automobile Liability (Primary and Umbrella)

When any motor vehicles (owned, non-owned and hired) are used in connection with work to be performed, the Contractor must provide Automobile Liability Insurance, with limits of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage. The Public Building Commission of Chicago, the City of Chicago, the City of Chicago Department of Transportation, their respective Board members, employees, elected officials, officers, or representatives, and others as may be required by the Public Building Commission of Chicago, are to be named as Additional Insured on a primary, non-contributory basis.

Subcontractors performing work for Contractor must maintain limits of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence with the same terms herein.

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4) Contractors Pollution Liability

Contractors Pollution coverage is required with limits of not less than \$2,000,000 per occurrence for any portion of the services, which may entail, exposure to any pollutants, whether in the course of sampling, remedial work or any other activity under this contract. The contractor pollution liability policy will provide coverage for sums that the insured become legally obligated to pay as loss as a result of claims for bodily injury, property damage and/or clean-up costs caused by any pollution incident arising out of the Work including remediation operations, transportation of pollutants, owned and non-owned disposal sites and any and all other activities of Contractor and its subcontractors. Pollution incidents will include, but not be limited to, the discharge, dispersal, release or escape of any solid, liquid, gaseous or thermal irritant or contaminant, including but not limited to smoke, vapors, soot, fumes, acids, alkalis, toxic chemicals, medical waste, waste materials, lead, asbestos, silica, hydrocarbons and microbial matter, including fungi, bacterial or viral matter which reproduces through release of spores or the splitting of cells or other means, including but not limited to, mold, mildew and viruses, whether or not such microbial matter is living.

The policy will be maintained for a period of three years after final completion and include completed operations coverage. The policy will include the Public Building Commission of Chicago, the City of Chicago, the City of Chicago Department of Transportation, their respective Board members, employees, elected officials, officers, or representatives, and others as may be required by the Public Building Commission of Chicago, as Additional Insured. These entities must be specifically named and endorsed on the policy. Additional Insured coverage must be on a primary and non-contributory basis for ongoing and completed operations. Coverage will include a waiver of subrogation as required below.

Subcontractors performing work for Contractor must maintain limits of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence with the same terms herein. Subcontractors performing environmental work for Contractor must maintain limits of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence.

5) Professional Liability

When Contractor performs professional work in connection with the Agreement, Professional Liability Insurance must be maintained with limits of not less than \$1,000,000 covering acts, errors, or omissions. The policy will include coverage for wrongful acts, including but not limited to errors, acts or omissions, in the rendering or failure to render professional services resulting in a pollution incident. When policies are renewed or replaced, the policy retroactive date must coincide with, or precede the, start of work on the Agreement. Coverage must be maintained for two years after substantial completion. A claims-made policy, which is not renewed or replaced, must have an extended reporting period of two (2) years.

Subcontractors performing professional work for Contractor must maintain limits of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence with the same terms herein.

6) Builders Risk/Installation Floater

Contractor must provide All Risk Builders Risk or Installation Floater insurance on a replacement cost basis including but not limited to all labor, materials, supplies, equipment, machinery and fixtures that are or will be permanent part of the facility, inclusive of prior site-work. Coverage must be on an All Risk or Cause of Loss, Special Form basis including, but not limited to, the following: right to partial or complete occupancy, collapse; water damage including overflow, leakage, sewer backup, or seepage; resulting damage from faulty or defective workmanship or materials; resulting damage from error or omission in design, plans or specifications; debris removal; Ordinance and Law and include damage to, false work, fences, temporary structures and equipment stored off site or in transit. The policy will allow for partial or complete occupancy and include damage to existing property at the site.

The Public Building Commission of Chicago, the City of Chicago, the City of Chicago Department of Transportation, their respective Board members, employees, elected officials, officers, or representatives, and any others as may be required by the Public Building Commission will be Named Insureds on the policy. Coverage must be for the full completed value of the work and must remain in place until at least Substantial Completion and may only be cancelled with the written permission of the Public Building Commission, even if the Project has been put to its intended use.

The Contractor is responsible for all loss or damage to personal property including but not limited to materials, equipment, tools, scaffolding and supplies owned, rented, or used by Contractor.

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7) Railroad Protective Liability (South Homan Avenue)

When work is to be performed within fifty (50) feet of the rail right-of-way, Contractor shall ensure that Railroad Protective Liability insurance be maintained with limits of not less than \$2,000,000.00 per occurrence, and that the name of the railroad or transit entity remains in force during the course of construction of the project entity for losses arising out of injuries to or death of all persons, and for damage to or destruction of property, including the loss of use thereof.

Contractors and subcontractors are required to endorse their liability policies with form CG 24 17 to eliminate the exclusion for work within fifty (50) feet of the rail right-of-way. Contractors and subcontractors must provide copies of this endorsement with the certificate of insurance required below.

B. ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

Contractor must furnish the Public Building Commission Procurement Department, Richard J. Daley Center, Room 200, Chicago, IL 60602, original Certificates of Insurance, or such similar evidence, to be in force on the date of this Contract, and Renewal Certificates of Insurance, or such similar evidence, if any insurance policy has an expiration or renewal date occurring during the term of this Contract. The Contractor must submit evidence of insurance to the Public Building Commission prior to Contract award. The receipt of any certificate does not constitute agreement by the Commission that the insurance requirements in the Contract have been fully met or that the insurance policies indicated on the certificate are in compliance with all Contract requirements. The failure of the Commission to obtain certificates or other insurance evidence from Contractor is not a waiver by the Commission of any requirements for the Contractor to obtain and maintain the specified insurance. The Contractor will advise all insurers of the Contract provisions regarding insurance. Non-conforming insurance does not relieve Contractor of the obligation to provide insurance as specified in this contract. Non-fulfillment of the insurance conditions may constitute a breach of the Contract, and the Commission retains the right to stop work until proper evidence of insurance is provided, or the Contract may be terminated.

The insurance must provide for 30 days prior written notice to be given to the Commission in the event coverage is substantially changed, canceled, or non-renewed.

The Public Building Commission of Chicago reserves the right to obtain copies of insurance policies and records

Any deductibles or self-insured retentions on referenced insurance must be borne by Contractor. All self-insurance, retentions and/or deductibles must conform to these requirements.

The Contractor waives and agrees to cause all their insurers to waive their rights of subrogation against the Public Building Commission of Chicago, the City of Chicago, the City of Chicago Department of Transportation, and any other entity as required by the Public Building Commission of Chicago, their respective Board members, employees, elected officials, officers, or representatives. The Contractor must require each Subcontractor to include similar waivers of subrogation in favor of the Commission, the City of Chicago, the City of Chicago Department of Transportation, and any other entity as required by the Public Building Commission of Chicago.

The insurance coverage and limits furnished by Contractor in no way limit the Contractor's liabilities and responsibilities specified within the Contract or by law.

Any insurance or self-insurance programs maintained by the Public Building Commission of Chicago, the City of Chicago, the City of Chicago Department of Transportation, and any other entity as required by the Public Building Commission of Chicago, will not contribute with insurance provided by the Contractor under the Contract.

The required insurance to be carried is not limited by any limitations expressed in the indemnification language in this Contract or any limitation placed on the indemnity in this Contract given as a matter of law.

If contractor is a joint venture or limited liability company, the insurance policies must name the joint venture or limited liability company as a Named Insured.

The Contractor must require all subcontractors to provide the insurance required herein, or Contractor may provide the insurance for subcontractors. All subcontractors are subject to the same insurance requirements of Contractor unless otherwise specified in this Contract.

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If Contractor or subcontractor desires additional coverage, the party desiring the additional coverage is responsible for the acquisition and cost.

Contractor must submit the following at the time of award:

1. Standard ACORD form Certificate of Insurance issued to the Public Building Commission of Chicago as Certificate Holder including:
 - a. All required entities as Additional Insured
 - b. Evidence of waivers of subrogation
 - c. Evidence of primary and non-contributory status
2. All required endorsements including the CG 20 10 and CG 20 37

The Public Building Commission reserves the right to modify, delete, alter or change these requirements.

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CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
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THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must have ADDITIONAL INSURED provisions or be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER HUB International Midwest Limited 1411 Opus Place Suite 450 Downers Grove IL 60515	CONTACT NAME: CSU Construction PHONE (A/C, No, Ext): 630-468-5600 FAX (A/C, No): E-MAIL ADDRESS: CSUConstruction@hubinternational.com	
	INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE NAIC #	
INSURED Benchmark Construction Co., Inc. 3349 S. Kedzie Ave. Chicago IL 60623	BENCCON-07	INSURER A: Travelers Property Casualty Company of America 25674
		INSURER B: National Fire Insurance Company of Hartford 20478
		INSURER C: The Continental Insurance Company 35289
		INSURER D: Westchester Surplus Lines Insurance Co. 10172
		INSURER E: Evanston Insurance Company 35378
		INSURER F:

COVERAGES **CERTIFICATE NUMBER:** 1171356881 **REVISION NUMBER:**

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

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DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)
RE: C1619- WPA Street Reconstruction (W. Barry Avenue), PBC Project #22681, CDOT Project #B-4-681.
The Public Building Commission of Chicago, the City of Chicago, the City of Chicago Department of Transportation, their respective Board members, employees, elected officials, officers, or representatives, and others as may be required by the Public Building Commission of Chicago are primary and non-contributory additional insured on the G/L, Auto, and Pollution policies if required by written contract, subject to policy terms, conditions, and exclusions.
*Waivers of subrogation apply to G/L, Auto, Workers Comp., and Pollution policies if required by written contract, subject to policy terms, conditions, and exclusions. (Umbrella follows form over G/L, Auto, and Employers Liability policies)

CERTIFICATE HOLDER Public Building Commission of Chicago Richard J. Daley Center 50 West Washington Street Room 200 Chicago IL 60602 United States	CANCELLATION SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE 
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THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

**CONTRACTORS EXTENDED COVERAGE ENDORSEMENT
- BUSINESS AUTO PLUS -**

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

BUSINESS AUTO COVERAGE FORM

I. LIABILITY COVERAGE

A. Who Is An Insured

The following is added to **Section II, Paragraph A.1., Who Is An Insured:**

1. a. Any incorporated entity of which the Named Insured owns a majority of the voting stock on the date of inception of this Coverage Form; provided that,
 - b. The insurance afforded by this provision **A.1.** does not apply to any such entity that is an "insured" under any other liability "policy" providing "auto" coverage.
2. Any organization you newly acquire or form, other than a limited liability company, partnership or joint venture, and over which you maintain majority ownership interest.

The insurance afforded by this provision **A.2.:**

- a. Is effective on the acquisition or formation date, and is afforded only until the end of the policy period of this Coverage Form, or the next anniversary of its inception date, whichever is earlier.
- b. Does not apply to:
 - (1) "Bodily injury" or "property damage" caused by an "accident" that occurred before you acquired or formed the organization; or
 - (2) Any such organization that is an "insured" under any other liability "policy" providing "auto" coverage.
3. Any person or organization that you are required by a written contract to name as an additional insured is an "insured" but only with respect to their legal liability for acts or omissions of a person, who qualifies as an "insured" under Section II – Who Is An Insured and for whom Liability Coverage is afforded under this policy. If required by written contract, this insurance will be primary and non-contributory to insurance on which the additional insured is a Named Insured.

4. An "employee" of yours is an "insured" while operating an "auto" hired or rented under a contract or agreement in that "employee's" name, with your permission, while performing duties related to the conduct of your business.

"Policy," as used in this provision **A. Who Is An Insured**, includes those policies that were in force on the inception date of this Coverage Form but:

1. Which are no longer in force; or
2. Whose limits have been exhausted.

B. Bail Bonds and Loss of Earnings

Section II, Paragraphs A.2. (2) and A.2. (4) are revised as follows:

1. In **a.(2)**, the limit for the cost of bail bonds is changed from \$2,000 to \$5,000; and
2. In **a.(4)**, the limit for the loss of earnings is changed from \$250 to \$500 a day.

C. Fellow Employee

Section II, Paragraph B.5 does not apply.

Such coverage as is afforded by this provision **C.** is excess over any other collectible insurance.

II. PHYSICAL DAMAGE COVERAGE

A. Glass Breakage – Hitting A Bird Or Animal – Falling Objects Or Missiles

The following is added to **Section III, Paragraph A.3.:**

With respect to any covered "auto," any deductible shown in the Declarations will not apply to glass breakage if such glass is repaired, in a manner acceptable to us, rather than replaced.

B. Transportation Expenses

Section III, Paragraph A.4.a. is revised, with respect to transportation expense incurred by you, to provide:

- a. \$60 per day, in lieu of \$20; subject to
- b. \$1,800 maximum, in lieu of \$600.



C. Loss of Use Expenses

Section III, Paragraph A.4.b. is revised, with respect to loss of use expenses incurred by you, to provide:

- a. \$1,000 maximum, in lieu of \$600.

D. Hired "Autos"

The following is added to Section III, Paragraph A.:

5. Hired "Autos"

If Physical Damage coverage is provided under this policy, and such coverage does not extend to Hired Autos, then Physical Damage coverage is extended to:

- a. Any covered "auto" you lease, hire, rent or borrow without a driver; and
- b. Any covered "auto" hired or rented by your "employee" without a driver, under a contract in that individual "employee's" name, with your permission, while performing duties related to the conduct of your business.
- c. The most we will pay for any one "accident" or "loss" is the actual cash value, cost of repair, cost of replacement or \$75,000, whichever is less, minus a \$500 deductible for each covered auto. No deductible applies to "loss" caused by fire or lightning.
- d. The physical damage coverage as is provided by this provision is equal to the physical damage coverage(s) provided on your owned "autos."
- e. Such physical damage coverage for hired "autos" will:
 - (1) Include loss of use, provided it is the consequence of an "accident" for which the Named Insured is legally liable, and as a result of which a monetary loss is sustained by the leasing or rental concern.
 - (2) Such coverage as is provided by this provision will be subject to a limit of \$750 per "accident."

E. Airbag Coverage

The following is added to Section III, Paragraph B.3.:

The accidental discharge of an airbag shall not be considered mechanical breakdown.

F. Electronic Equipment

Section III, Paragraphs B.4.c and B.4.d. are deleted and replaced by the following:

- c. Physical Damage Coverage on a covered "auto" also applies to "loss" to any permanently installed electronic equipment including its antennas and other accessories.
- d. A \$100 per occurrence deductible applies to the coverage provided by this provision.

G. Diminution In Value

The following is added to Section III, Paragraph B.6.:

Subject to the following, the "diminution in value" exclusion does not apply to:

- a. Any covered "auto" of the private passenger type you lease, hire, rent or borrow, without a driver for a period of 30 days or less, while performing duties related to the conduct of your business; and
- b. Any covered "auto" of the private passenger type hired or rented by your "employee" without a driver for a period of 30 days or less, under a contract in that individual "employee's" name, with your permission, while performing duties related to the conduct of your business.
- c. Such coverage as is provided by this provision is limited to a "diminution in value" loss arising directly out of accidental damage and not as a result of the failure to make repairs; faulty or incomplete maintenance or repairs; or the installation of substandard parts.
- d. The most we will pay for "loss" to a covered "auto" in any one accident is the lesser of:
 - (1) \$5,000; or
 - (2) 20% of the "auto's" actual cash value (ACV).

III. Drive Other Car Coverage – Executive Officers

The following is added to Sections II and III:

1. Any "auto" you don't own, hire or borrow is a covered "auto" for Liability Coverage while being used by, and for Physical Damage Coverage while in the care, custody or control of, any of your "executive officers," except:
 - a. An "auto" owned by that "executive officer" or a member of that person's household; or



b. An "auto" used by that "executive officer" while working in a business of selling, servicing, repairing or parking "autos."

Such Liability and/or Physical Damage Coverage as is afforded by this provision.

(1) Equal to the greatest of those coverages afforded any covered "auto"; and

(2) Excess over any other collectible insurance.

2. For purposes of this provision, "executive officer" means a person holding any of the officer positions created by your charter, constitution, by-laws or any other similar governing document, and, while a resident of the same household, includes that person's spouse.

Such "executive officers" are "insureds" while using a covered "auto" described in this provision.

IV. BUSINESS AUTO CONDITIONS

A. Duties In The Event Of Accident, Claim, Suit Or Loss

The following is added to **Section IV, Paragraph A.2.a.:**

(4) Your "employees" may know of an "accident" or "loss." This will not mean that you have such knowledge, unless such "accident" or "loss" is known to you or if you are not an individual, to any of your executive officers or partners or your insurance manager.

The following is added to **Section IV, Paragraph A.2.b.:**

(6) Your "employees" may know of documents received concerning a claim or "suit." This will not mean that you have such knowledge, unless receipt of such documents is known to you or if you are not an individual, to any of your executive officers or partners or your insurance manager.

B. Transfer Of Rights Of Recovery Against Others To Us

The following is added to **Section IV, Paragraph A.5. Transfer Of Rights Of Recovery Against Others To Us:**

We waive any right of recovery we may have, because of payments we make for injury or damage, against any person or organization for whom or which you are required by written contract or agreement to obtain this waiver from us.

This injury or damage must arise out of your activities under a contract with that person or organization.

You must agree to that requirement prior to an "accident" or "loss."

C. Concealment, Misrepresentation or Fraud

The following is added to **Section IV, Paragraph B.2.:**

Your failure to disclose all hazards existing on the date of inception of this Coverage Form shall not prejudice you with respect to the coverage afforded provided such failure or omission is not intentional.

D. Other Insurance

The following is added to **Section IV, Paragraph B.5.:**

Regardless of the provisions of Paragraphs 5.a. and 5.d. above, the coverage provided by this policy shall be on a primary non-contributory basis. This provision is applicable only when required by a written contract. That written contract must have been entered into prior to "Accident" or "Loss."

E. Policy Period, Coverage Territory

Section IV, Paragraph B. 7.(5).(a). is revised to provide:

a. 45 days of coverage in lieu of 30 days.

V. DEFINITIONS

Section V. Paragraph C. is deleted and replaced by the following:

"Bodily injury" means bodily injury, sickness or disease sustained by a person, including mental anguish, mental injury or death resulting from any of these.



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**Blanket Additional Insured - Owners, Lessees or Contractors -
with Products-Completed Operations Coverage Endorsement**

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE PART

It is understood and agreed as follows:

- I. WHO IS AN INSURED** is amended to include as an **Insured** any person or organization whom you are required by **written contract** to add as an additional insured on this **Coverage Part**, but only with respect to liability for **bodily injury, property damage** or **personal and advertising injury** caused in whole or in part by your acts or omissions, or the acts or omissions of those acting on your behalf:
- A.** In the performance of your ongoing operations subject to such **written contract**; or
 - B.** In the performance of **your work** subject to such **written contract**, but only with respect to **bodily injury** or **property damage** included in the **products-completed operations hazard**, and only if:
 - 1.** The **written contract** requires you to provide the additional insured such coverage; and
 - 2.** This **Coverage Part** provides such coverage; and
 - C.** Subject always to the terms and conditions of this policy, including the limits of insurance, the Insurer will not provide such additional insured with:
 - 1.** Coverage broader than what you are required to provide by the **written contract**; or
 - 2.** A higher limit of insurance than what you are required to provide by the **written contract**.

Any coverage granted by this Paragraph I. shall apply solely to the extent permissible by law.

- II.** If the written contract requires additional insured coverage under the 07-04 edition of CG2010 or CG2037, then paragraph I. above is deleted in its entirety and replaced by the following:

WHO IS AN INSURED is amended to include as an **Insured** any person or organization whom you are required by **written contract** to add as an additional insured on this **Coverage Part**, but only with respect to liability for **bodily injury, property damage** or **personal and advertising injury** caused in whole or in part by your acts or omissions, or the acts or omissions of those acting on your behalf:

- A.** In the performance of your ongoing operations subject to such **written contract**; or
- B.** In the performance of **your work** subject to such **written contract**, but only with respect to **bodily injury** or **property damage** included in the **products-completed operations hazard**, and only if:
 - 1.** The **written contract** requires you to provide the additional insured such coverage; and
 - 2.** This **Coverage Part** provides such coverage.

- III.** But if the **written contract** requires:

- A.** Additional insured coverage under the 11-85 edition, 10-93 edition, or 10-01 edition of CG2010, or under the 10-01 edition of CG2037; or
- B.** Additional insured coverage with "arising out of" language;

then paragraph I. above is deleted in its entirety and replaced by the following:

WHO IS AN INSURED is amended to include as an **Insured** any person or organization whom you are required by **written contract** to add as an additional insured on this **Coverage Part**, but only with respect to liability for **bodily injury, property damage** or **personal and advertising injury** arising out of **your work** that is subject to such **written contract**.

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IV. But if the **written contract** requires additional insured coverage to the greatest extent permissible by law, then paragraph 1. above is deleted in its entirety and replaced by the following:

WHO IS AN INSURED is amended to include as an **Insured** any person or organization whom you are required by **written contract** to add as an additional insured on this **Coverage Part**, but only with respect to liability for **bodily injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury** arising out of **your work** that is subject to such **written contract**.

V. The insurance granted by this endorsement to the additional insured does not apply to **bodily injury, property damage, or personal and advertising injury** arising out of:

A. The rendering of, or the failure to render, any professional architectural, engineering, or surveying services, including:

1. The preparing, approving, or failing to prepare or approve maps, shop drawings, opinions, reports, surveys, field orders, change orders or drawings and specifications; and
2. Supervisory, inspection, architectural or engineering activities; or

B. Any premises or work for which the additional insured is specifically listed as an additional insured on another endorsement attached to this **Coverage Part**.

VI. Under **COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY CONDITIONS**, the Condition entitled **Other Insurance** is amended to add the following, which supersedes any provision to the contrary in this Condition or elsewhere in this **Coverage Part**:

Primary and Noncontributory Insurance

With respect to other insurance available to the additional insured under which the additional insured is a named insured, this insurance is primary to and will not seek contribution from such other insurance, provided that a **written contract** requires the insurance provided by this policy to be:

1. Primary and non-contributing with other insurance available to the additional insured; or
2. Primary and to not seek contribution from any other insurance available to the additional insured.

But except as specified above, this insurance will be excess of all other insurance available to the additional insured.

VII. Solely with respect to the insurance granted by this endorsement, the section entitled **COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY CONDITIONS** is amended as follows:

The Condition entitled **Duties In The Event of Occurrence, Offense, Claim or Suit** is amended with the addition of the following:

Any additional insured pursuant to this endorsement will as soon as practicable:

1. Give the Insurer written notice of any **claim**, or any **occurrence** or offense which may result in a **claim**;
2. Send the Insurer copies of all legal papers received, and otherwise cooperate with the Insurer in the investigation, defense, or settlement of the **claim**; and
3. Make available any other insurance, and endeavor to tender the defense and indemnity of any **claim** to any other insurer or self-insurer, whose policy or program applies to a loss that the insurer covers under this **coverage part**. However, if the **written contract** requires this insurance to be primary and non-contributory, this paragraph 3. does not apply to other insurance under which the additional insured is a named insured.

The Insurer has no duty to defend or indemnify an additional insured under this endorsement until the Insurer receives written notice of a **claim** from the additional insured.



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with Products-Completed Operations Coverage Endorsement**

VIII. Solely with respect to the insurance granted by this endorsement, the section entitled **DEFINITIONS** is amended to add the following definition:

Written contract means a written contract or written agreement that requires you to make a person or organization an additional insured on this **Coverage Part**, provided the contract or agreement:

- A. Was executed prior to:
 - 1. The **bodily injury or property damage**; or
 - 2. The offense that caused the **personal and advertising injury**;
 for which the additional insured seeks coverage; and
- B. Is still in effect at the time of the **bodily injury or property damage occurrence or personal and advertising injury** offense.

All other terms and conditions of the Policy remain unchanged.

This endorsement, which forms a part of and is for attachment to the Policy issued by the designated Insurers, takes effect on the effective date of said Policy at the hour stated in said Policy, unless another effective date is shown below, and expires concurrently with said Policy.

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Contractors' General Liability Extension Endorsement

It is understood and agreed that this endorsement amends the **COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE PART** as follows. If any other endorsement attached to this policy amends any provision also amended by this endorsement, then that other endorsement controls with respect to such provision, and the changes made by this endorsement with respect to such provision do not apply.

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Contractors' General Liability Extension Endorsement

1. ADDITIONAL INSURED

- a. **WHO IS AN INSURED** is amended to include as an **Insured** any person or organization described in paragraphs A. through H. below whom a **Named Insured** is required to add as an additional insured on this **Coverage Part** under a written contract or written agreement, provided such contract or agreement:

(1) is currently in effect or becomes effective during the term of this **Coverage Part**; and

(2) was executed prior to:

(a) the **bodily injury or property damage**; or

(b) the offense that caused the **personal and advertising injury**,

for which such additional insured seeks coverage.

- b. However, subject always to the terms and conditions of this policy, including the limits of insurance, the Insurer will not provide such additional insured with:

(1) a higher limit of insurance than required by such contract or agreement; or

(2) coverage broader than required by such contract or agreement, and in no event broader than that described by the applicable paragraph A. through H. below.

Any coverage granted by this endorsement shall apply only to the extent permissible by law.

A. Controlling Interest

Any person or organization with a controlling interest in a **Named Insured**, but only with respect to such person or organization's liability for **bodily injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury** arising out of:

1. such person or organization's financial control of a **Named Insured**; or

2. premises such person or organization owns, maintains or controls while a **Named Insured** leases or occupies such premises;

provided that the coverage granted by this paragraph does not apply to structural alterations, new construction or demolition operations performed by, on behalf of, or for such additional insured.

B. Co-owner of Insured Premises

A co-owner of a premises co-owned by a **Named Insured** and covered under this insurance but only with respect to such co-owner's liability for **bodily injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury** as co-owner of such premises.

C. Lessor of Equipment

Any person or organization from whom a **Named Insured** leases equipment, but only with respect to liability for **bodily injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury** caused, in whole or in part, by the **Named Insured's** maintenance, operation or use of such equipment, provided that the **occurrence** giving rise to such **bodily injury, property damage** or the offense giving rise to such **personal and advertising injury** takes place prior to the termination of such lease.

D. Lessor of Land

Any person or organization from whom a **Named Insured** leases land but only with respect to liability for **bodily injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury** arising out of the ownership, maintenance or use of such land, provided that the **occurrence** giving rise to such **bodily injury, property damage** or the offense giving rise to such **personal and advertising injury** takes place prior to the termination of such lease. The



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coverage granted by this paragraph does not apply to structural alterations, new construction or demolition operations performed by, on behalf of, or for such additional insured.

E. Lessor of Premises

An owner or lessor of premises leased to the **Named Insured**, or such owner or lessor's real estate manager, but only with respect to liability for **bodily injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury** arising out of the ownership, maintenance or use of such part of the premises leased to the **Named Insured**, and provided that the **occurrence** giving rise to such **bodily injury or property damage**, or the offense giving rise to such **personal and advertising injury**, takes place prior to the termination of such lease. The coverage granted by this paragraph does not apply to structural alterations, new construction or demolition operations performed by, on behalf of, or for such additional insured.

F. Mortgagee, Assignee or Receiver

A mortgagee, assignee or receiver of premises but only with respect to such mortgagee, assignee or receiver's liability for **bodily injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury** arising out of the **Named Insured's** ownership, maintenance, or use of a premises by a **Named Insured**.

The coverage granted by this paragraph does not apply to structural alterations, new construction or demolition operations performed by, on behalf of, or for such additional insured.

G. State or Governmental Agency or Subdivision or Political Subdivisions – Permits

A state or governmental agency or subdivision or political subdivision that has issued a permit or authorization but only with respect to such state or governmental agency or subdivision or political subdivision's liability for **bodily injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury** arising out of:

1. the following hazards in connection with premises a **Named Insured** owns, rents, or controls and to which this insurance applies:
 - a. the existence, maintenance, repair, construction, erection, or removal of advertising signs, awnings, canopies, cellar entrances, coal holes, driveways, manholes, marquees, hoistaway openings, sidewalk vaults, street banners, or decorations and similar exposures; or
 - b. the construction, erection, or removal of elevators; or
 - c. the ownership, maintenance or use of any elevators covered by this insurance; or
2. the permitted or authorized operations performed by a **Named Insured** or on a **Named Insured's** behalf.

The coverage granted by this paragraph does not apply to:

- a. **Bodily injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury** arising out of operations performed for the state or governmental agency or subdivision or political subdivision; or
- b. **Bodily injury or property damage** included within the **products-completed operations hazard**.

With respect to this provision's requirement that additional insured status must be requested under a written contract or agreement, the Insurer will treat as a written contract any governmental permit that requires the **Named Insured** to add the governmental entity as an additional insured.

H. Trade Show Event Lessor

1. With respect to a **Named Insured's** participation in a trade show event as an exhibitor, presenter or displayer, any person or organization whom the **Named Insured** is required to include as an additional insured, but only with respect to such person or organization's liability for **bodily injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury** caused by:

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- a. the **Named Insured's** acts or omissions; or
- b. the acts or omissions of those acting on the **Named Insured's** behalf,

in the performance of the **Named Insured's** ongoing operations at the trade show event premises during the trade show event.

2. The coverage granted by this paragraph does not apply to **bodily injury** or **property damage** included within the **products-completed operations hazard**.

2. ADDITIONAL INSURED - PRIMARY AND NON-CONTRIBUTORY TO ADDITIONAL INSURED'S INSURANCE

The **Other Insurance** Condition in the **COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY CONDITIONS** Section is amended to add the following paragraph:

If the **Named Insured** has agreed in writing in a contract or agreement that this insurance is primary and non-contributory relative to an additional insured's own insurance, then this insurance is primary, and the Insurer will not seek contribution from that other insurance. For the purpose of this Provision 2., the additional insured's own insurance means insurance on which the additional insured is a named insured. Otherwise, and notwithstanding anything to the contrary elsewhere in this Condition, the insurance provided to such person or organization is excess of any other insurance available to such person or organization.

3. BODILY INJURY – EXPANDED DEFINITION

Under **DEFINITIONS**, the definition of **bodily injury** is deleted and replaced by the following:

Bodily injury means physical injury, sickness or disease sustained by a person, including death, humiliation, shock, mental anguish or mental injury sustained by that person at any time which results as a consequence of the physical injury, sickness or disease.

4. BROAD KNOWLEDGE OF OCCURRENCE/ NOTICE OF OCCURRENCE

Under **CONDITIONS**, the condition entitled **Duties in The Event of Occurrence, Offense, Claim or Suit** is amended to add the following provisions:

A. BROAD KNOWLEDGE OF OCCURRENCE

The **Named Insured** must give the Insurer or the Insurer's authorized representative notice of an **occurrence**, offense or **claim** only when the **occurrence**, offense or **claim** is known to a natural person **Named Insured**, to a partner, executive officer, manager or member of a **Named Insured**, or an **employee** designated by any of the above to give such notice.

B. NOTICE OF OCCURRENCE

The **Named Insured's** rights under this **Coverage Part** will not be prejudiced if the **Named Insured** fails to give the Insurer notice of an **occurrence**, offense or **claim** and that failure is solely due to the **Named Insured's** reasonable belief that the **bodily injury** or **property damage** is not covered under this **Coverage Part**. However, the **Named Insured** shall give written notice of such **occurrence**, offense or **claim** to the Insurer as soon as the **Named Insured** is aware that this insurance may apply to such **occurrence**, offense or **claim**.

5. BROAD NAMED INSURED

WHO IS AN INSURED is amended to delete its Paragraph 3. in its entirety and replace it with the following:

3. Pursuant to the limitations described in Paragraph 4. below, any organization in which a **Named Insured** has management control:
 - a. on the effective date of this **Coverage Part**; or

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b. by reason of a **Named Insured** creating or acquiring the organization during the **policy period**,

qualifies as a **Named Insured**, provided that there is no other similar liability insurance, whether primary, contributory, excess, contingent or otherwise, which provides coverage to such organization, or which would have provided coverage but for the exhaustion of its limit, and without regard to whether its coverage is broader or narrower than that provided by this insurance.

But this **BROAD NAMED INSURED** provision does not apply to:

- (a) any partnership, limited liability company or joint venture; or
- (b) any organization for which coverage is excluded by another endorsement attached to this **Coverage Part**.

For the purpose of this provision, management control means:

- A. owning interests representing more than 50% of the voting, appointment or designation power for the selection of a majority of the Board of Directors of a corporation; or
 - B. having the right, pursuant to a written trust agreement, to protect, control the use of, encumber or transfer or sell property held by a trust.
4. With respect to organizations which qualify as **Named Insureds** by virtue of Paragraph 3. above, this insurance does not apply to:
- a. **bodily injury or property damage** that first occurred prior to the date of management control, or that first occurs after management control ceases; nor
 - b. **personal or advertising injury** caused by an offense that first occurred prior to the date of management control or that first occurs after management control ceases.
5. The insurance provided by this **Coverage Part** applies to **Named Insureds** when trading under their own names or under such other trading names or doing-business-as names (dba) as any **Named Insured** should choose to employ.

6. BROADENED LIABILITY COVERAGE FOR DAMAGE TO YOUR PRODUCT AND YOUR WORK

- A. Under **COVERAGES, Coverage A – Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability**, the paragraph entitled **Exclusions** is amended to delete exclusions k. and l. and replace them with the following:

This insurance does not apply to:

k. **Damage to Your Product**

Property damage to your product arising out of it, or any part of it except when caused by or resulting from:

- (1) fire;
- (2) smoke;
- (3) collapse; or
- (4) explosion.

l. **Damage to Your Work**

Property damage to your work arising out of it, or any part of it and included in the **products-completed operations hazard**.

This exclusion does not apply:

- (1) If the damaged work, or the work out of which the damage arises, was performed on the **Named Insured's** behalf by a subcontractor; or

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(2) If the cause of loss to the damaged work arises as a result of:

- (a) fire;
- (b) smoke;
- (c) collapse; or
- (d) explosion.

B. The following paragraph is added to **LIMITS OF INSURANCE**:

Subject to 5. above, \$100,000 is the most the Insurer will pay under **Coverage A** for the sum of **damages** arising out of any one **occurrence** because of **property damage to your product and your work** that is caused by fire, smoke, collapse or explosion and is included within the **product-completed operations hazard**. This sublimit does not apply to **property damage to your work** if the damaged work, or the work out of which the damage arises, was performed on the **Named Insured's** behalf by a subcontractor.

C. This **Broadened Liability Coverage For Damage To Your Product And Your Work** Provision does not apply if an endorsement of the same name is attached to this policy.

7. CONTRACTUAL LIABILITY – RAILROADS

With respect to operations performed within 50 feet of railroad property, the definition of **insured contract** is replaced by the following:

Insured Contract means:

- a. A contract for a lease of premises. However, that portion of the contract for a lease of premises that indemnifies any person or organization for damage by fire to premises while rented to a **Named Insured** or temporarily occupied by a **Named Insured** with permission of the owner is not an **insured contract**;
- b. A sidetrack agreement;
- c. Any easement or license agreement;
- d. An obligation, as required by ordinance, to indemnify a municipality, except in connection with work for a municipality;
- e. An elevator maintenance agreement;
- f. That part of any other contract or agreement pertaining to the **Named Insured's** business (including an indemnification of a municipality in connection with work performed for a municipality) under which the **Named Insured** assumes the tort liability of another party to pay for **bodily injury or property damage** to a third person or organization. Tort liability means a liability that would be imposed by law in the absence of any contract or agreement.

Paragraph f. does not include that part of any contract or agreement:

(1) That indemnifies an architect, engineer or surveyor for injury or damage arising out of:

- (a) Preparing, approving or failing to prepare or approve maps, shop drawings, opinions, reports, surveys, field orders, change orders or drawings and specifications; or
- (b) Giving directions or instructions, or failing to give them, if that is the primary cause of the injury or damage;

(2) Under which the **Insured**, if an architect, engineer or surveyor, assumes liability for an injury or damage arising out of the insured's rendering or failure to render professional services, including those listed in (1) above and supervisory, inspection, architectural or engineering activities.

8. ELECTRONIC DATA LIABILITY

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- A. Under **COVERAGES, Coverage A – Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability**, the paragraph entitled **Exclusions** is amended to delete exclusion **p. Electronic Data** and replace it with the following:

This insurance does not apply to:

- p. **Access Or Disclosure Of Confidential Or Personal Information And Data-related Liability**

Damages arising out of:

- (1) any access to or disclosure of any person's or organization's confidential or personal information, including patents, trade secrets, processing methods, customer lists, financial information, credit card information, health information or any other type of nonpublic information; or
- (2) the loss of, loss of use of, damage to, corruption of, inability to access, or inability to manipulate **electronic data** that does not result from physical injury to tangible property.

However, unless Paragraph (1) above applies, this exclusion does not apply to **damages** because of **bodily injury**.

This exclusion applies even if damages are claimed for notification costs, credit monitoring expenses, forensic expenses, public relation expenses or any other loss, cost or expense incurred by the **Named Insured** or others arising out of that which is described in Paragraph (1) or (2) above.

- B. The following paragraph is added to **LIMITS OF INSURANCE**:

Subject to 5. above, \$100,000 is the most the Insurer will pay under **Coverage A** for all **damages** arising out of any one **occurrence** because of **property damage** that results from physical injury to tangible property and arises out of **electronic data**.

- C. The following definition is added to **DEFINITIONS**:

Electronic data means information, facts or programs stored as or on, created or used on, or transmitted to or from computer software (including systems and applications software), hard or floppy disks, CD-ROMS, tapes, drives, cells, data processing devices or any other media which are used with electronically controlled equipment.

- D. For the purpose of the coverage provided by this **ELECTRONIC DATA LIABILITY** Provision, the definition of **property damage** in **DEFINITIONS** is replaced by the following:

Property damage means:

- a. Physical injury to tangible property, including all resulting loss of use of that property. All such loss of use shall be deemed to occur at the time of the physical injury that caused it;
- b. Loss of use of tangible property that is not physically injured. All such loss of use shall be deemed to occur at the time of the **occurrence** that caused it; or
- c. Loss of, loss of use of, damage to, corruption of, inability to access, or inability to properly manipulate **electronic data**, resulting from physical injury to tangible property. All such loss of **electronic data** shall be deemed to occur at the time of the **occurrence** that caused it.

For the purposes of this insurance, **electronic data** is not tangible property.

- E. If Electronic Data Liability is provided at a higher limit by another endorsement attached to this policy, then the \$100,000 limit provided by this **ELECTRONIC DATA LIABILITY** Provision is part of, and not in addition to, that higher limit.

9. ESTATES, LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES, AND SPOUSES

The estates, heirs, legal representatives and **spouses** of any natural person **Insured** shall also be insured under this policy; provided, however, coverage is afforded to such estates, heirs, legal representatives, and **spouses** only for

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claims arising solely out of their capacity or status as such and, in the case of a **spouse**, where such claim seeks **damages** from marital community property, jointly held property or property transferred from such natural person **Insured** to such **spouse**. No coverage is provided for any act, error or omission of an estate, heir, legal representative, or **spouse** outside the scope of such person's capacity or status as such, provided however that the **spouse** of a natural person **Named Insured** and the **spouses** of members or partners of joint venture or partnership **Named Insureds** are **Insureds** with respect to such **spouses'** acts, errors or omissions in the conduct of the **Named Insured's** business.

10. EXPECTED OR INTENDED INJURY – EXCEPTION FOR REASONABLE FORCE

Under **COVERAGES, Coverage A – Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability**, the paragraph entitled **Exclusions** is amended to delete the exclusion entitled **Expected or Intended Injury** and replace it with the following:

This insurance does not apply to:

Expected or Intended Injury

Bodily injury or property damage expected or intended from the standpoint of the **Insured**. This exclusion does not apply to **bodily injury or property damage** resulting from the use of reasonable force to protect persons or property.

11. GENERAL AGGREGATE LIMITS OF INSURANCE - PER PROJECT

A. For each construction project away from premises the **Named Insured** owns or rents, a separate Construction Project General Aggregate Limit, equal to the amount of the General Aggregate Limit shown in the Declarations, is the most the Insurer will pay for the sum of:

1. All **damages** under **Coverage A**, except **damages** because of **bodily injury or property damage** included in the **products-completed operations hazard**; and
2. All medical expenses under **Coverage C**,

that arise from **occurrences** or accidents which can be attributed solely to ongoing operations at that construction project. Such payments shall not reduce the General Aggregate Limit shown in the Declarations, nor the Construction Project General Aggregate Limit of any other construction project.

B. All:

1. **Damages** under **Coverage B**, regardless of the number of locations or construction projects involved;
2. **Damages** under **Coverage A**, caused by **occurrences** which cannot be attributed solely to ongoing operations at a single construction project, except **damages** because of **bodily injury or property damage** included in the **products-completed operations hazard**; and
3. Medical expenses under **Coverage C** caused by accidents which cannot be attributed solely to ongoing operations at a single construction project,

will reduce the General Aggregate Limit shown in the Declarations.

C. The limits shown in the Declarations for Each Occurrence, for Damage To Premises Rented To You and for Medical Expense continue to apply, but will be subject to either the Construction Project General Aggregate Limit or the General Aggregate Limit shown in the Declarations, depending on whether the **occurrence** can be attributed solely to ongoing operations at a particular construction project.

D. When coverage for liability arising out of the **products-completed operations hazard** is provided, any payments for **damages** because of **bodily injury or property damage** included in the **products-completed operations hazard** will reduce the Products-Completed Operations Aggregate Limit shown in the Declarations, regardless of the number of projects involved.

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- E. If a single construction project away from premises owned by or rented to the **Insured** has been abandoned and then restarted, or if the authorized contracting parties deviate from plans, blueprints, designs, specifications or timetables, the project will still be deemed to be the same construction project.
- F. The provisions of **LIMITS OF INSURANCE** not otherwise modified by this endorsement shall continue to apply as stipulated.

12. IN REM ACTIONS

A quasi in rem action against any vessel owned or operated by or for the **Named Insured**, or chartered by or for the **Named Insured**, will be treated in the same manner as though the action were in personam against the **Named Insured**.

13. INCIDENTAL HEALTH CARE MALPRACTICE COVERAGE

Solely with respect to **bodily injury** that arises out of a **health care incident**:

- A. Under **COVERAGES, Coverage A – Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability**, the paragraph entitled **Insuring Agreement** is amended to replace Paragraphs **1.b.(1)** and **1.b.(2)** with the following:
- b. This insurance applies to **bodily injury** provided that the professional health care services are incidental to the **Named Insured's** primary business purpose, and only if:
- (1) such **bodily injury** is caused by an **occurrence** that takes place in the **coverage territory**.
 - (2) the **bodily injury** first occurs during the **policy period**. All **bodily injury** arising from an **occurrence** will be deemed to have occurred at the time of the first act, error, or omission that is part of the **occurrence**; and
- B. Under **COVERAGES, Coverage A – Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability**, the paragraph entitled **Exclusions** is amended to:
- i. add the following to the **Employers Liability** exclusion:

This exclusion applies only if the **bodily injury** arising from a **health care incident** is covered by other liability insurance available to the **Insured** (or which would have been available but for exhaustion of its limits).
 - ii. delete the exclusion entitled **Contractual Liability** and replace it with the following:

This insurance does not apply to:

Contractual Liability

the **Insured's** actual or alleged liability under any oral or written contract or agreement, including but not limited to express warranties or guarantees.
 - iii. add the following additional exclusions:

This insurance does not apply to:

Discrimination

any actual or alleged discrimination, humiliation or harassment, including but not limited to **claims** based on an individual's race, creed, color, age, gender, national origin, religion, disability, marital status or sexual orientation.

Dishonesty or Crime

Any actual or alleged dishonest, criminal or malicious act, error or omission.

Medicare/Medicaid Fraud

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any actual or alleged violation of law with respect to Medicare, Medicaid, Tricare or any similar federal, state or local governmental program.

Services Excluded by Endorsement

Any **health care incident** for which coverage is excluded by endorsement.

C. DEFINITIONS is amended to:

i. add the following definitions:

Health care incident means an act, error or omission by the **Named Insured's employees or volunteer workers** in the rendering of:

- a. **professional health care services** on behalf of the **Named Insured** or
- b. Good Samaritan services rendered in an emergency and for which no payment is demanded or received.

Professional health care services means any health care services or the related furnishing of food, beverages, medical supplies or appliances by the following providers in their capacity as such but solely to the extent they are duly licensed as required:

- a. Physician;
- b. Nurse;
- c. Nurse practitioner;
- d. Emergency medical technician;
- e. Paramedic;
- f. Dentist;
- g. Physical therapist;
- h. Psychologist;
- i. Speech therapist;
- j. Other allied health professional; or

Professional health care services does not include any services rendered in connection with human clinical trials or product testing.

ii. delete the definition of **occurrence** and replace it with the following:

Occurrence means a **health care incident**. All acts, errors or omissions that are logically connected by any common fact, circumstance, situation, transaction, event, advice or decision will be considered to constitute a single **occurrence**;

iii. amend the definition of **Insured** to:

a. add the following:

the **Named Insured's employees** are **Insureds** with respect to:

- (1) **bodily injury** to a co-**employee** while in the course of the co-**employee's** employment by the **Named Insured** or while performing duties related to the conduct of the **Named Insured's** business; and



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- (2) **bodily injury** to a **volunteer worker** while performing duties related to the conduct of the **Named Insured's** business;

when such **bodily injury** arises out of a **health care incident**.

the **Named Insured's** **volunteer workers** are **Insureds** with respect to:

- (1) **bodily injury** to a **co-volunteer worker** while performing duties related to the conduct of the **Named Insured's** business; and

- (2) **bodily injury** to an **employee** while in the course of the **employee's** employment by the **Named Insured** or while performing duties related to the conduct of the **Named Insured's** business;

when such **bodily injury** arises out of a **health care incident**.

- b. delete Subparagraphs (a), (b), (c) and (d) of Paragraph 2.a.(1) of **WHO IS AN INSURED**.

- D. The **Other Insurance** condition is amended to delete Paragraph b.(1) in its entirety and replace it with the following:

Other Insurance

b. Excess Insurance

- (1) To the extent this insurance applies, it is excess over any other insurance, self insurance or risk transfer instrument, whether primary, excess, contingent or on any other basis, except for insurance purchased specifically by the **Named Insured** to be excess of this coverage.

14. JOINT VENTURES / PARTNERSHIP / LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANIES

WHO IS AN INSURED is amended to delete its last paragraph and replace it with the following:

No person or organization is an **Insured** with respect to the conduct of any current or past partnership, joint venture or limited liability company that is not shown as a **Named Insured** in the Declarations, except that if the **Named Insured** was a joint venturer, partner, or member of a limited liability company and such joint venture, partnership or limited liability company terminated prior to or during the **policy period**, such **Named Insured** is an **Insured** with respect to its interest in such joint venture, partnership or limited liability company but only to the extent that:

- any offense giving rise to **personal and advertising injury** occurred prior to such termination date, and the **personal and advertising injury** arising out of such offense first occurred after such termination date;
- the **bodily injury** or **property damage** first occurred after such termination date; and
- there is no other valid and collectible insurance purchased specifically to insure the partnership, joint venture or limited liability company; and

If the joint venture, partnership or limited liability company is or was insured under a **consolidated (wrap-up) insurance program**, then such insurance will always be considered valid and collectible for the purpose of paragraph c. above. But this provision will not serve to exclude **bodily injury**, **property damage** or **personal and advertising injury** that would otherwise be covered under the **Contractors General Liability Extension Endorsement** provision entitled **WRAP-UP EXTENSION: OCIP, CCIP, OR CONSOLIDATED (WRAP-UP) INSURANCE PROGRAMS**. Please see that provision for the definition of **consolidated (wrap-up) insurance program**.

15. LEGAL LIABILITY – DAMAGE TO PREMISES / ALIENATED PREMISES / PROPERTY IN THE NAMED INSURED'S CARE, CUSTODY OR CONTROL

- A. Under **COVERAGES**, **Coverage A – Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability**, the paragraph entitled **Exclusions** is amended to delete exclusion j. **Damage to Property** in its entirety and replace it with the following:

This insurance does not apply to:

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j. Damage to Property

Property damage to:

- (1) Property the **Named Insured** owns, rents, or occupies, including any costs or expenses incurred by you, or any other person, organization or entity, for repair, replacement, enhancement, restoration or maintenance of such property for any reason, including prevention of injury to a person or damage to another's property;
- (2) Premises the **Named Insured** sells, gives away or abandons, if the **property damage** arises out of any part of those premises;
- (3) Property loaned to the **Named Insured**;
- (4) Personal property in the care, custody or control of the **Insured**;
- (5) That particular part of real property on which the **Named Insured** or any contractors or subcontractors working directly or indirectly on the **Named Insured's** behalf are performing operations, if the **property damage** arises out of those operations; or
- (6) That particular part of any property that must be restored, repaired or replaced because **your work** was incorrectly performed on it.

Paragraphs (1), (3) and (4) of this exclusion do not apply to **property damage** (other than damage by fire) to premises rented to the **Named Insured** or temporarily occupied by the **Named Insured** with the permission of the owner, nor to the contents of premises rented to the **Named Insured** for a period of 7 or fewer consecutive days. A separate limit of insurance applies to Damage To Premises Rented To You as described in **LIMITS OF INSURANCE**.

Paragraph (2) of this exclusion does not apply if the premises are **your work**.

Paragraphs (3), (4), (5) and (6) of this exclusion do not apply to liability assumed under a sidetrack agreement.

Paragraph (6) of this exclusion does not apply to **property damage** included in the **products-completed operations hazard**.

Paragraphs (3) and (4) of this exclusion do not apply to **property damage** to:

- i. tools, or equipment the **Named Insured** borrows from others, nor
- ii. other personal property of others in the **Named Insured's** care, custody or control while being used in the **Named Insured's** operations away from any **Named Insured's** premises.

However, the coverage granted by this exception to Paragraphs (3) and (4) does not apply to:

- a. property at a job site awaiting or during such property's installation, fabrication, or erection;
- b. property that is **mobile equipment** leased by an **Insured**;
- c. property that is an **auto**, aircraft or watercraft;
- d. property in transit; or
- e. any portion of **property damage** for which the **Insured** has available other valid and collectible insurance, or would have such insurance but for exhaustion of its limits, or but for application of one of its exclusions.

A separate limit of insurance and deductible apply to such property of others. See **LIMITS OF INSURANCE** as amended below.



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- B.** Under **COVERAGES, Coverage A – Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability**, the paragraph entitled **Exclusions** is amended to delete its last paragraph and replace it with the following:

Exclusions c. through n. do not apply to damage by fire to premises while rented to a **Named Insured** or temporarily occupied by a **Named Insured** with permission of the owner, nor to damage to the contents of premises rented to a **Named Insured** for a period of 7 or fewer consecutive days.

A separate limit of insurance applies to this coverage as described in **LIMITS OF INSURANCE**.

- C.** The following paragraph is added to **LIMITS OF INSURANCE**:

Subject to 5. above, \$25,000 is the most the Insurer will pay under **Coverage A** for **damages** arising out of any one **occurrence** because of the sum of all **property damage** to borrowed tools or equipment, and to other personal property of others in the **Named Insured's** care, custody or control, while being used in the **Named Insured's** operations away from any **Named Insured's** premises. The Insurer's obligation to pay such **property damage** does not apply until the amount of such **property damage** exceeds \$1,000. The Insurer has the right but not the duty to pay any portion of this \$1,000 in order to effect settlement. If the Insurer exercises that right, the **Named Insured** will promptly reimburse the Insurer for any such amount.

- D.** Paragraph 6., **Damage To Premises Rented To You Limit**, of **LIMITS OF INSURANCE** is deleted and replaced by the following:

6. Subject to Paragraph 5. above, (the Each Occurrence Limit), the **Damage To Premises Rented To You Limit** is the most the Insurer will pay under **Coverage A** for **damages** because of **property damage** to any one premises while rented to the **Named Insured** or temporarily occupied by the **Named Insured** with the permission of the owner, including contents of such premises rented to the **Named Insured** for a period of 7 or fewer consecutive days. The **Damage To Premises Rented To You Limit** is the greater of:

- a. \$500,000; or
- b. The **Damage To Premises Rented To You Limit** shown in the Declarations.

- E.** Paragraph 4.b.(1)(a)(ii) of the **Other Insurance Condition** is deleted and replaced by the following:

(ii) That is property insurance for premises rented to the **Named Insured**, for premises temporarily occupied by the **Named Insured** with the permission of the owner; or for personal property of others in the **Named Insured's** care, custody or control;

16. LIQUOR LIABILITY

Under **COVERAGES, Coverage A – Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability**, the paragraph entitled **Exclusions** is amended to delete the exclusion entitled **Liquor Liability**.

This **LIQUOR LIABILITY** provision does not apply to any person or organization who otherwise qualifies as an additional insured on this **Coverage Part**.

17. MEDICAL PAYMENTS

- A. LIMITS OF INSURANCE** is amended to delete Paragraph 7. (the Medical Expense Limit) and replace it with the following:

7. Subject to Paragraph 5. above (the Each Occurrence Limit), the **Medical Expense Limit** is the most the Insurer will pay under **Coverage C – Medical Payments** for all medical expenses because of **bodily injury** sustained by any one person. The **Medical Expense Limit** is the greater of:

- (1) \$15,000 unless a different amount is shown here: \$N,NNN,NNN,NNN; or
- (2) the amount shown in the Declarations for **Medical Expense Limit**.

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B. Under **COVERAGES**, the **Insuring Agreement of Coverage C – Medical Payments** is amended to replace Paragraph 1.a.(3)(b) with the following:

(b) The expenses are incurred and reported to the Insurer within three years of the date of the accident; and

18. NON-OWNED AIRCRAFT

Under **COVERAGES**, **Coverage A – Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability**, the paragraph entitled **Exclusions** is amended as follows:

The exclusion entitled **Aircraft, Auto or Watercraft** is amended to add the following:

This exclusion does not apply to an aircraft not owned by any **Named Insured**, provided that:

1. the pilot in command holds a currently effective certificate issued by the duly constituted authority of the United States of America or Canada, designating that person as a commercial or airline transport pilot;
2. the aircraft is rented with a trained, paid crew to the **Named Insured**; and
3. the aircraft is not being used to carry persons or property for a charge.

19. NON-OWNED WATERCRAFT

Under **COVERAGES**, **Coverage A – Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability**, the paragraph entitled **Exclusions** is amended to delete subparagraph (2) of the exclusion entitled **Aircraft, Auto or Watercraft**, and replace it with the following.

This exclusion does not apply to:

- (2) a watercraft that is not owned by any **Named Insured**, provided the watercraft is:
 - (a) less than 75 feet long; and
 - (b) not being used to carry persons or property for a charge.

20. PERSONAL AND ADVERTISING INJURY –DISCRIMINATION OR HUMILIATION

A. Under **DEFINITIONS**, the definition of **personal and advertising injury** is amended to add the following tort:

Discrimination or humiliation that results in injury to the feelings or reputation of a natural person.

B. Under **COVERAGES**, **Coverage B – Personal and Advertising Injury Liability**, the paragraph entitled **Exclusions** is amended to:

1. delete the Exclusion entitled **Knowing Violation Of Rights Of Another** and replace it with the following:

This insurance does not apply to:

Knowing Violation of Rights of Another

Personal and advertising injury caused by or at the direction of the **Insured** with the knowledge that the act would violate the rights of another and would inflict **personal and advertising injury**. This exclusion shall not apply to discrimination or humiliation that results in injury to the feelings or reputation of a natural person, but only if such discrimination or humiliation is not done intentionally by or at the direction of:

- (a) the **Named Insured**; or
 - (b) any **executive officer**, director, stockholder, partner, member or manager (if the **Named Insured** is a limited liability company) of the **Named Insured**.
2. add the following exclusions:

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This insurance does not apply to:

Employment Related Discrimination

Discrimination or humiliation directly or indirectly related to the employment, prospective employment, past employment or termination of employment of any person by any **Insured**.

Premises Related Discrimination

discrimination or humiliation arising out of the sale, rental, lease or sub-lease or prospective sale, rental, lease or sub-lease of any room, dwelling or premises by or at the direction of any **Insured**.

Notwithstanding the above, there is no coverage for fines or penalties levied or imposed by a governmental entity because of discrimination.

The coverage provided by this **PERSONAL AND ADVERTISING INJURY –DISCRIMINATION OR HUMILIATION** Provision does not apply to any person or organization whose status as an **Insured** derives solely from

Provision 1. **ADDITIONAL INSURED** of this endorsement; or

attachment of an additional insured endorsement to this **Coverage Part**.

This **PERSONAL AND ADVERTISING INJURY –DISCRIMINATION OR HUMILIATION** Provision does not apply to any person or organization who otherwise qualifies as an additional insured on this **Coverage Part**.

21. PERSONAL AND ADVERTISING INJURY - CONTRACTUAL LIABILITY

A. Under **COVERAGES, Coverage B –Personal and Advertising Injury Liability**, the paragraph entitled **Exclusions** is amended to delete the exclusion entitled **Contractual Liability**.

B. Solely for the purpose of the coverage provided by this **PERSONAL AND ADVERTISING INJURY - CONTRACTUAL LIABILITY** provision, the following changes are made to the section entitled **SUPPLEMENTARY PAYMENTS – COVERAGES A AND B**:

1. Paragraph 2.d. is replaced by the following:

d. The allegations in the **suit** and the information the Insurer knows about the offense alleged in such **suit** are such that no conflict appears to exist between the interests of the **Insured** and the interests of the indemnitee;

2. The first unnumbered paragraph beneath Paragraph 2.f.(2)(b) is deleted and replaced by the following:

So long as the above conditions are met, attorneys fees incurred by the Insurer in the defense of that indemnitee, necessary litigation expenses incurred by the Insurer, and necessary litigation expenses incurred by the indemnitee at the Insurer's request will be paid as **defense costs**. Such payments will not be deemed to be **damages for personal and advertising injury** and will not reduce the limits of insurance.

C. This **PERSONAL AND ADVERTISING INJURY - CONTRACTUAL LIABILITY** Provision does not apply if **Coverage B –Personal and Advertising Injury Liability** is excluded by another endorsement attached to this **Coverage Part**.

This **PERSONAL AND ADVERTISING INJURY - CONTRACTUAL LIABILITY** Provision does not apply to any person or organization who otherwise qualifies as an additional insured on this **Coverage Part**.

22. PROPERTY DAMAGE – ELEVATORS

A. Under **COVERAGES, Coverage A – Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability**, the paragraph entitled **Exclusions** is amended such that the **Damage to Your Product** Exclusion and subparagraphs (3), (4) and (6) of the **Damage to Property** Exclusion do not apply to **property damage** that results from the use of elevators.

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- B.** Solely for the purpose of the coverage provided by this **PROPERTY DAMAGE – ELEVATORS** Provision, the **Other Insurance** conditions is amended to add the following paragraph:

This insurance is excess over any of the other insurance, whether primary, excess, contingent or on any other basis that is Property insurance covering property of others damaged from the use of elevators.

23. SUPPLEMENTARY PAYMENTS

The section entitled **SUPPLEMENTARY PAYMENTS – COVERAGES A AND B** is amended as follows:

- A.** Paragraph **1.b.** is amended to delete the \$250 limit shown for the cost of bail bonds and replace it with a \$5,000. limit; and
- B.** Paragraph **1.d.** is amended to delete the limit of \$250 shown for daily loss of earnings and replace it with a \$1,000. limit.

24. UNINTENTIONAL FAILURE TO DISCLOSE HAZARDS

If the **Named Insured** unintentionally fails to disclose all existing hazards at the inception date of the **Named Insured's Coverage Part**, the Insurer will not deny coverage under this **Coverage Part** because of such failure.

25. WAIVER OF SUBROGATION - BLANKET

Under **CONDITIONS**, the condition entitled **Transfer Of Rights Of Recovery Against Others To Us** is amended to add the following:

The Insurer waives any right of recovery the Insurer may have against any person or organization because of payments the Insurer makes for injury or damage arising out of:

1. the **Named Insured's** ongoing operations; or
2. **your work** included in the **products-completed operations hazard**.

However, this waiver applies only when the **Named Insured** has agreed in writing to waive such rights of recovery in a written contract or written agreement, and only if such contract or agreement:

1. is in effect or becomes effective during the term of this **Coverage Part**; and
2. was executed prior to the **bodily injury, property damage or personal and advertising injury** giving rise to the claim.

26. WRAP-UP EXTENSION: OCIP, CCIP, OR CONSOLIDATED (WRAP-UP) INSURANCE PROGRAMS

Note: The following provision does not apply to any public construction project in the state of Oklahoma, nor to any construction project in the state of Alaska, that is not permitted to be insured under a **consolidated (wrap-up) insurance program** by applicable state statute or regulation.

If the endorsement **EXCLUSION – CONSTRUCTION WRAP-UP** is attached to this policy, or another exclusionary endorsement pertaining to Owner Controlled Insurance Programs (O.C.I.P.) or Contractor Controlled Insurance Programs (C.C.I.P.) is attached, then the following changes apply:

- A.** The following wording is added to the above-referenced endorsement:

With respect to a **consolidated (wrap-up) insurance program** project in which the **Named Insured** is or was involved, this exclusion does not apply to those sums the **Named Insured** become legally obligated to pay as **damages** because of:

1. **Bodily injury, property damage, or personal or advertising injury** that occurs during the **Named Insured's** ongoing operations at the project, or during such operations of anyone acting on the **Named Insured's** behalf; nor

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2. **Bodily injury or property damage** included within the **products-completed operations hazard** that arises out of those portions of the project that are not **residential structures**.

B. Condition 4. **Other Insurance** is amended to add the following subparagraph 4.b.(1)(c):

This insurance is excess over:

(c) Any of the other insurance whether primary, excess, contingent or any other basis that is insurance available to the **Named Insured** as a result of the **Named Insured** being a participant in a **consolidated (wrap-up) insurance program**, but only as respects the **Named Insured's** involvement in that **consolidated (wrap-up) insurance program**.

C. **DEFINITIONS** is amended to add the following definitions:

Consolidated (wrap-up) insurance program means a construction, erection or demolition project for which the prime contractor/project manager or owner of the construction project has secured general liability insurance covering some or all of the contractors or subcontractors involved in the project, such as an Owner Controlled Insurance Program (O.C.I.P.) or Contractor Controlled Insurance Program (C.C.I.P.).

Residential structure means any structure where 30% or more of the square foot area is used or is intended to be used for human residency, including but not limited to:

1. single or multifamily housing, apartments, condominiums, townhouses, co-operatives or planned unit developments; and
2. the common areas and structures appurtenant to the structures in paragraph 1. (including pools, hot tubs, detached garages, guest houses or any similar structures).

However, when there is no individual ownership of units, **residential structure** does not include military housing, college/university housing or dormitories, long term care facilities, hotels or motels. **Residential structure** also does not include hospitals or prisons.

This **WRAP-UP EXTENSION: OCIP, CCIP, OR CONSOLIDATED (WRAP-UP) INSURANCE PROGRAMS** Provision does not apply to any person or organization who otherwise qualifies as an additional insured on this **Coverage Part**.

All other terms and conditions of the Policy remain unchanged.

This endorsement, which forms a part of and is for attachment to the Policy issued by the designated Insurers, takes effect on the effective date of said Policy at the hour stated in said Policy, unless another effective date is shown below, and expires concurrently with said Policy.

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**Workers Compensation And Employers Liability Insurance
Policy Endorsement**

WAIVER OF OUR RIGHT TO RECOVER FROM OTHERS ENDORSEMENT

We have the right to recover our payments from anyone liable for an injury covered by this policy. We will not enforce our right against the person or organization named in the Schedule.

This agreement shall not operate directly or indirectly to benefit anyone not named in the Schedule.

Schedule

Any Person or Organization on whose behalf you are required to obtain this waiver of our right to recover from under a written contract or agreement.

The premium charge for the endorsement is reflected in the Schedule of Operations.

All other terms and conditions of the policy remain unchanged.

This endorsement, which forms a part of and is for attachment to the policy issued by the designated Insurers, takes effect on the Policy Effective Date of said policy at the hour stated in said policy, unless another effective date (the Endorsement Effective Date) is shown below, and expires concurrently with said policy unless another expiration date is shown below.

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EXHIBIT #1 COOK COUNTY PREVAILING WAGE RATES – EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 16, 2024
(Current as of January 8, 2025)

Please click on the link below:

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**City of Chicago
Department of Buildings
General Contractor's Licenses**

BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO, THE FOLLOWING LICENSE IS HEREBY GRANTED TO :

BENCHMARK CONSTRUCTION CO., INC
3349 S KEDZIE AVENUE
CHICAGO IL 60623

LICENSE CLASS: (A) ALL PROJECTS - NO RESTRICTIONS



LICENSE NUMBER: TGC04298

CERTIFICATE NUMBER: GC04298-21

FEE: \$ 2000

DATE ISSUED: 03/25/2024

DATE EXPIRES: 04/20/2025

THIS LICENSE IS NON-TRANSFERABLE

THIS LICENSE IS ISSUED AND ACCEPTED SUBJECT TO THE REPRESENTATIONS MADE ON THE APPLICATION FOR SAID LICENSE. THIS LICENSE MAY BE SUSPENDED OR REVOKED FOR CAUSE AS PROVIDED BY LAW. THE ABOVE LICENSEE SHALL OBSERVE AND COMPLY WITH ALL LAWS, ORDINANCES, RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE UNITED STATES, STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY OF COOK AND CITY OF CHICAGO AND ALL AGENCIES THEREOF.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brandon Johnson".

Brandon Johnson
Mayor

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Marlene Hopkins".

Marlene Hopkins
Acting Commissioner



Illinois Department of Transportation

Certificate of Eligibility

Benchmark Construction Co., Inc.
2260 Southwind Blvd. BARTLETT, IL 60103
Contractor No 0362

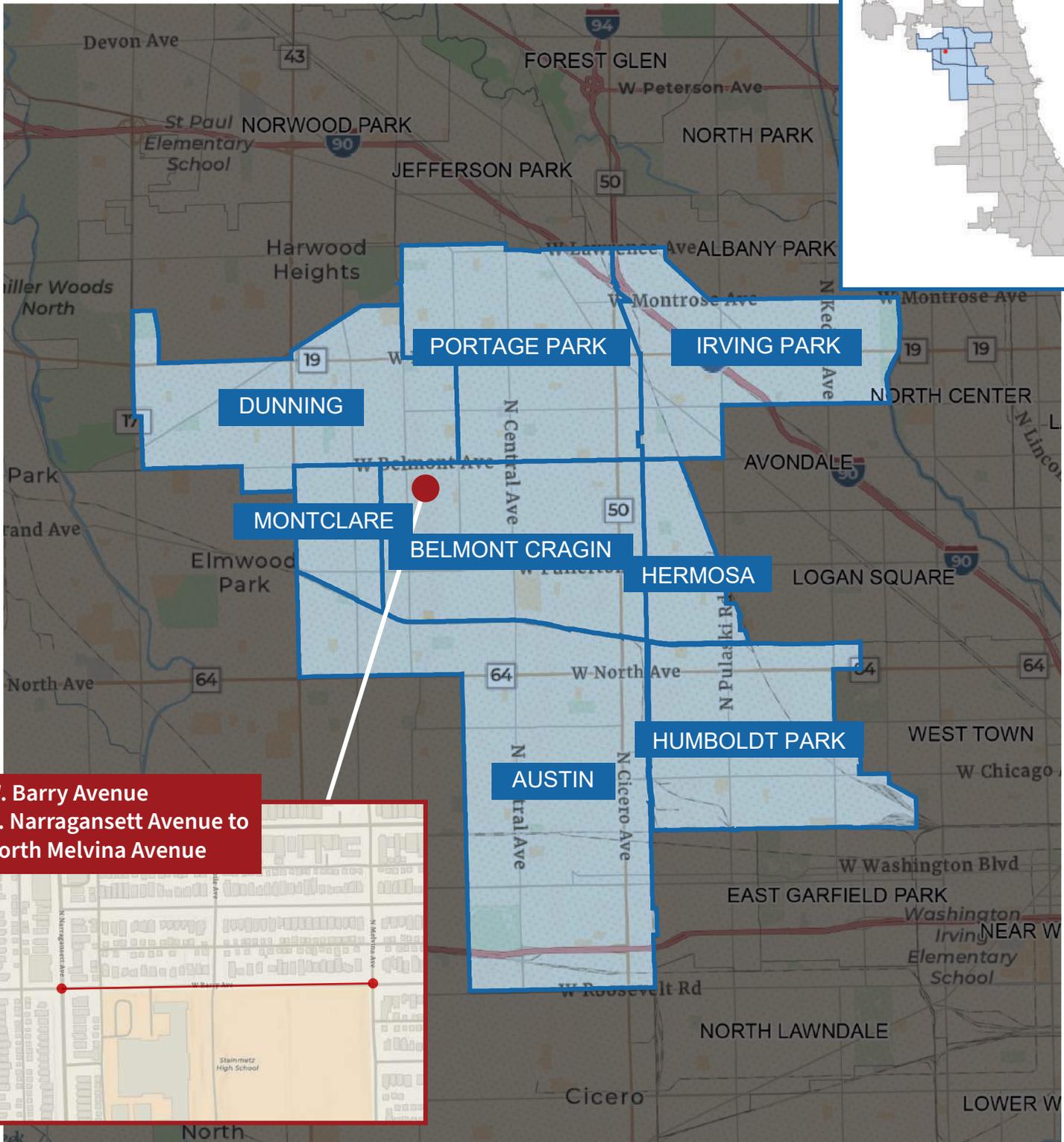
WHO HAS FILED WITH THE DEPARTMENT AN APPLICATION FOR PREQUALIFICATION STATEMENT OF EXPERIENCE, EQUIPMENT AND FINANCIAL CONDITION IS HEREBY QUALIFIED TO BID AT ANY OF DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION LETTINGS IN THE CLASSES OF WORK AND WITHIN THE AMOUNT AND OTHER LIMITATIONS OF EACH CLASSIFICATION, AS LISTED BELOW, FOR SUCH PERIOD AS THE UNCOMPLETED WORK FROM ALL SOURCES DOES NOT EXCEED SUPER UNLIMITED

001	EARTHWORK	Unlimited
002	PCC PAVING	\$12,300,000
005	HMA PAVING	\$1,750,000 B
012	DRAINAGE	Unlimited
017	CONCRETE CONSTRUCTION	\$1,500,000
018	LANDSCAPING	\$2,250,000
022	FENCING	\$700,000
08A	AGGREGATE BASES & SURF. (A)	\$9,050,000
09A	HIGHWAY STRUCTURES	\$8,975,000

THIS CERTIFICATE OF ELIGIBILITY IS VALID FROM 5/2/2024 TO 4/30/2025 INCLUSIVE, AND SUPERSEDES ANY CERTIFICATE PREVIOUSLY ISSUED, BUT IS SUBJECT TO REVISION OR REVOCATION, IF AND WHEN CHANGES IN THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE CONTRACTING FIRM OR OTHER FACTS JUSTIFY SUCH REVISIONS OR REVOCATION. ISSUED AT SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS ON 5/2/2024.

B Restricted to 1200 tons in any 1 contract (Class I and/or BAM) or as specified by local agency

[Signature]
Engineer of Construction



W. Barry Avenue
N. Narragansett Avenue to
North Melvina Avenue

CDOT Works Project Administration ("WPA") Street Reconstruction (Barry Avenue)

-  Project location
-  Project Area
-  Community Areas

PUBLIC BUILDING COMMISSION OF CHICAGO

EXHIBIT #4 ASSIST AGENCIES

PUBLIC BUILDING COMMISSION OF CHICAGO'S
ASSIST AGENCIES

Assist Agencies are comprised of Chamber of Commerce and Not-for-Profit agencies that represent the interests of small, minority- and/or women-owned businesses. If your agency would like to be added to the PBC's Assist Agencies list, please send an email to patricia.montenegro@cityofchicago.org.

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Bid Bond

CONTRACTOR:

(Name, legal status and address)

Benchmark Construction Co., Inc.
2260 Southwind Blvd.
Bartlett, IL 60103

SURETY:

(Name, legal status and principal place of business)

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
175 Berkeley Street
Boston, MA 02116

Mailing Address for Notices

1411 Opus Place, Suite 450
Downers Grove, IL 60515

This document has important legal consequences. Consultation with an attorney is encouraged with respect to its completion or modification.

OWNER:

(Name, legal status and address)

Public Building Commission of Chicago
50 W. Washington St., Room 200
Chicago, IL 60602

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

BOND AMOUNT: \$ 5% Five Percent of Amount Bid

PROJECT:

(Name, location or address, and Project number, if any)

Contract No. C1619 - Works Progress Administration ("WPA")
Street Reconstruction (W. Barry Avenue)
PBC Project #22681
CDOT Project #B-3-681

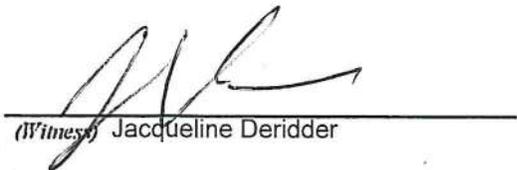
The Contractor and Surety are bound to the Owner in the amount set forth above, for the payment of which the Contractor and Surety bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, as provided herein. The conditions of this Bond are such that if the Owner accepts the bid of the Contractor within the time specified in the bid documents, or within such time period as may be agreed to by the Owner and Contractor, and the Contractor either (1) enters into a contract with the Owner in accordance with the terms of such bid, and gives such bond or bonds as may be specified in the bidding or Contract Documents, with a surety admitted in the jurisdiction of the Project and otherwise acceptable to the Owner, for the faithful performance of such Contract and for the prompt payment of labor and material furnished in the prosecution thereof; or (2) pays to the Owner the difference, not to exceed the amount of this Bond, between the amount specified in said bid and such larger amount for which the Owner may in good faith contract with another party to perform the work covered by said bid, then this obligation shall be null and void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect. The Surety hereby waives any notice of an agreement between the Owner and Contractor to extend the time in which the Owner may accept the bid. Waiver of notice by the Surety shall not apply to any extension exceeding sixty (60) days in the aggregate beyond the time for acceptance of bids specified in the bid documents, and the Owner and Contractor shall obtain the Surety's consent for an extension beyond sixty (60) days.

If this Bond is issued in connection with a subcontractor's bid to a Contractor, the term Contractor in this Bond shall be deemed to be Subcontractor and the term Owner shall be deemed to be Contractor.

When this Bond has been furnished to comply with a statutory or other legal requirement in the location of the Project, any provision in this Bond conflicting with said statutory or legal requirement shall be deemed deleted herefrom and provisions conforming to such statutory or other legal requirement shall be deemed incorporated herein. When so furnished, the intent is that this Bond shall be construed as a statutory bond and not as a common law bond.

Signed and sealed this 7th day of February, 2025


(Witness)


(Witness) Jacqueline Deridder

Benchmark Construction Co., Inc.

(Principal)

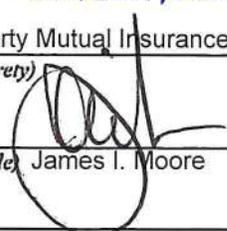
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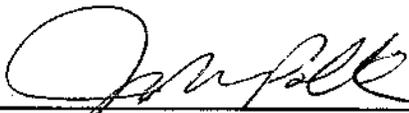
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I, Jennifer M Pollack Notary Public of DuPage County, in the State of Illinois,
do hereby certify that James I. Moore Attorney-in-Fact, of the Liberty Mutual Insurance
Company who is personally known to me to be the same person whose
name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, appeared before me this day in person, and
acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered said instrument, for and on behalf of the
Liberty Mutual Insurance Company for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Given under my hand and notarial seal at my office in the City of Downers Grove in
said County, this 7th day of February, 2025.





Notary Public Jennifer M Pollack
My Commission expires: January 02, 2029



POWER OF ATTORNEY

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company
West American Insurance Company

KNOWN ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS: That The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of New Hampshire, that Liberty Mutual Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Massachusetts, and West American Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana (herein collectively called the "Companies"), pursuant to and by authority herein set forth, does hereby name, constitute and appoint James I. Moore all of the city of Downers Grove, state of IL its true and lawful attorney-in-fact, with full power and authority hereby conferred to sign, execute and acknowledge the following surety bonds, undertakings, recognizances, contracts of indemnity, and all other surety obligations related thereto, the execution of which shall be binding upon the Companies as if it had been duly signed and executed by its own officers:

Principal Name: Benchmark Construction Co., Inc.
Obligee Name: Public Building Commission of Chicago
Surety Bond Number: Bid Bond

Bond Amount: See Bond Form

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Power of Attorney has been subscribed by an authorized officer or official of the Companies and the corporate seals of the Companies have been affixed thereto this 9th day of September, 2024.



Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company
West American Insurance Company

By: [Signature]
Nathan J. Zangerle, Assistant Secretary

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA ss
COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY

On this 9th day of September, 2024, before me personally appeared Nathan J. Zangerle, who acknowledged himself to be the Assistant Secretary of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, The Ohio Casualty Company, and West American Insurance Company, and that he, as such, being authorized so to do, execute the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained by signing on behalf of the corporations by himself as a duly authorized officer.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my notarial seal at Plymouth Meeting, Pennsylvania, on the day and year first above written.



Commonwealth of Pennsylvania - Notary Seal
Teresa Pastella, Notary Public
Montgomery County
My commission expires March 26, 2025
Commission number 1126044
Member, Pennsylvania Association of Notaries

By: [Signature]
Teresa Pastella, Notary Public

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following By-laws and Authorizations of The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, and West American Insurance Company which resolutions are now in full force and effect reading as follows:

ARTICLE IV - OFFICERS: Section 12. Power of Attorney.

Any officer or other official of the Corporation authorized for that purpose in writing by the Chairman or the President, and subject to such limitation 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 execution of any such instruments and to attach thereto the seal of the Corporation. When so executed, such instruments shall be as binding as if signed by the President and attested to by the Secretary. Any power or authority granted to any representative or attorney-in-fact under the provisions of this article may be revoked at any time by the Board, the Chairman, the President or by the officer or officers granting such power or authority.

ARTICLE XIII - Execution of Contracts: Section 5. Surety Bonds and Undertakings.

Any officer of the Company 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 Company 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 Company by their signature and execution of any such instruments and to attach thereto the seal of the Company. When so executed such instruments shall be as binding as if signed by the president and attested by the secretary.

Certificate of Designation - The President of the Company, acting pursuant to the Bylaws of the Company, authorizes Nathan J. Zangerle, Assistant Secretary to appoint such attorneys-in-fact as may be necessary to act on behalf of the Company to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations.

Authorization - By unanimous consent of the Company's Board of Directors, the Company consents that 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.

I, Renee C. Llewellyn, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary, of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, and West American Insurance Company do hereby certify that this power of attorney executed by said Companies is in full force and effect and has not been revoked.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seals of said Companies this 7th day of February, 2025.



By: [Signature]
Renee C. Llewellyn, Assistant Secretary