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SECTION 00520

AGREEMENT BETWEEN OWNER AND CONTRACTOR FOR CONSTRUCTION
CONTRACT

This Agreement is by and between the Town of South Hadley, as requested by its Select Board hereinafter called Owner and Hart Engineering Corporation hereinafter called Contractor.

Owner and Contractor hereby agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1 WORK

1.1 Contractor shall complete all Work as specified or indicated in the Contract Documents. The Work is generally described with the following title: "Town of South Hadley, South Hadley Wastewater Treatment Plant Aeration System Upgrade Project".

ARTICLE 2 ENGINEER

- 2.1 The part of the Project that pertains to the Work has been designed by Tighe & Bond, Inc
- 2.2 The Owner has retained Tighe & Bond ("Engineer") to act as Owner's representative, assuming all duties and responsibilities, rights and authority assigned to Engineer in the Contract Documents in connection with the completion of the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.

ARTICLE 3 CONTRACT TIMES

- 3.1 Time of the Essence
 - A. All time limits for Substantial Completion, and completion and readiness for final payment as stated in the Contract Documents are of the essence of the Contract.
- 3.2 Substantial Completion and Final Payment
 - A. The Work will be substantially completed within 270 calendar days from the date of the Notice to Proceed and completed and ready for final payment in accordance with paragraph 15.06 of the General Conditions within 300 calendar days from the date of the Notice to Proceed.
- 3.3 Liquidated Damages
 - A. Contractor and Owner recognize that time is of the essence as stated in Paragraph 3.1 above and that Owner will suffer financial and other losses if the Work is not completed within the times specified in Paragraph 3.2 above, plus any extensions thereof allowed in accordance with the Contract. The parties also recognize the delays, expense, and difficulties involved in proving in a legal or arbitration proceeding the actual loss suffered by Owner if the Work is not completed on time. Accordingly, instead of requiring any such proof, Owner and Contractor agree that as liquidated damages for delay (but not as a penalty):
 - 1. Substantial Completion: Contractor shall pay Owner \$500 for each day that expires after the time (as duly adjusted pursuant to the Contract) specified in Paragraph 3.2 above for Substantial Completion until the Work is substantially complete.

2. Completion of Remaining Work: After Substantial Completion, if Contractor shall neglect, refuse, or fail to complete the remaining Work within the Contract Time (as duly adjusted pursuant to the Contract), for completion and readiness for final payment, Contractor shall pay Owner \$500 for each day that expires after such time until the Work is completed and ready for final payment.
3. Liquidated damages for failing to timely attain Substantial Completion and final completion are not additive and will not be imposed concurrently.

ARTICLE 4 CONTRACT PRICE

- 4.1 Owner shall pay Contractor for completion of the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents an amount equal to the prices stated in Contractor's Bid, attached hereto as an exhibit, subject to adjustment under the Contract.

ARTICLE 5 PAYMENT PROCEDURES

- 5.1 Applications for Payment shall be processed in accordance with Article 15 of the General Conditions and in accordance with Massachusetts General Law.
- 5.2 Owner shall make progress payments on account of the Contract Price on the basis of processed Applications for Payment monthly during construction, provided that such Applications for Payment have been submitted in a timely manner and otherwise meet the requirements of the Contract. All progress payments will be measured by the Schedule of Values established as provided in the General Conditions, or in the event there is no schedule of values, as provided elsewhere in the Contract.
- 5.3 Owner shall retain from progress payments 5 percent of the value of Work completed.
- 5.4 Substantial Completion
 - A. Upon Substantial Completion of the entire construction to be provided under the Contract Documents, Owner shall pay an amount sufficient to increase total payments to Contractor to ninety-nine percent of the Work completed, less such amounts set off by Owner pursuant to Paragraph 15.01.E of the General Conditions, and less Engineer's estimate of the value of Work to be completed or corrected as shown on the punch list of items to be completed or corrected prior to final payment.
- 5.5 Final Payment
 - A. Upon final completion and acceptance of the Work in accordance with Paragraph 15.06 of the General Conditions, Owner shall pay the remainder of the Contract Price as recommended by Engineer as provided in said Paragraph 15.06.

ARTICLE 6 CONTRACTOR'S REPRESENTATIONS

- 6.1 Contractor makes the following representations:
 - A. Contractor has examined and carefully studied the Contract Documents, and any data and reference items identified in the Contract Documents.
 - B. Contractor has visited the Site, conducted a thorough, alert visual examination of the Site and adjacent areas, and become familiar with and is satisfied as to the general, local, and Site conditions that may affect cost, progress, and performance of the Work.
 - C. Contractor is familiar with and is satisfied as to all Laws and Regulations that may affect cost, progress, and performance of the Work.

- D. Contractor has carefully studied all: (1) reports of explorations and tests of subsurface conditions at or adjacent to the Site and all drawings of physical conditions relating to existing surface or subsurface structures at the Site that have been identified in the Supplementary Conditions, especially with respect to Technical Data in such reports and drawings, and (2) reports and drawings relating to Hazardous Environmental Conditions, if any, at or adjacent to the Site that have been identified in the Supplementary Conditions, especially with respect to Technical Data in such reports and drawings.
- E. Contractor has considered the information known to Contractor itself; information commonly known to contractors doing business in the locality of the Site; information and observations obtained from visits to the Site; the Contract Documents; and the Site-related reports and drawings identified in the Contract Documents, with respect to the effect of such information, observations, and documents on (1) the cost, progress, and performance of the Work; (2) the means, methods, techniques, sequences, and procedures of construction to be employed by Contractor; and (3) Contractor's safety precautions and programs.
- F. Based on the information and observations referred to in the preceding paragraph, Contractor agrees that no further examinations, investigations, explorations, tests, studies, or data are necessary for the performance of the Work at the Contract Price, within the Contract Times, and in accordance with the other terms and conditions of the Contract.
- G. Contractor is aware of the general nature of work to be performed by Owner and others at the Site that relates to the Work as indicated in the Contract Documents.
- H. Contractor has given Engineer written notice of all conflicts, errors, ambiguities, or discrepancies that Contractor has discovered in the Contract Documents, and the written resolution thereof by Engineer is acceptable to Contractor.
- I. The Contract Documents are generally sufficient to indicate and convey understanding of all terms and conditions for performance and furnishing of the Work.
- J. Contractor's entry into this Contract constitutes an incontrovertible representation by Contractor that without exception all prices in the Agreement are premised upon performing and furnishing the Work required by the Contract Documents.

ARTICLE 7 CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

7.1 Contents

- A. The Contract Documents consist of the following:
 - 1. This Agreement (pages 00520-1 to 00520-6, inclusive);
 - 2. Performance Bond (pages 1 to 3, inclusive);
 - 3. Payment Bond (pages 1 to 3, inclusive);
 - 4. General Conditions (title pages, table of contents, and pages 1 to 65, inclusive);
 - 5. Supplementary Conditions (pages 00800-1 to 00800-11, inclusive);
 - 6. Specifications (Divisions 1 through 11);

7. Drawings consisting of one sheet bearing the following general title: South Hadley WWTP Aeration System Upgrade Project;
 8. Addenda (numbers 1 to 2, inclusive);
 9. Exhibits to this Agreement (enumerated as follows):
 - a. Contractor's Bid (pages 00410-1 to 00410-5, inclusive);
 10. The following which may be delivered or issued on or after the Effective Date of the Agreement and are not attached hereto:
 - a. Notice to Proceed;
 - b. Work Change Directives;
 - c. Change Order(s);
 - d. Field Orders
- B. The documents listed in Paragraph 7.1.A are attached to this Agreement (except as expressly noted otherwise above).
- C. There are no Contract Documents other than those listed above in this Article 7.
- D. The Contract Documents may only be amended, modified, or supplemented as provided in the General Conditions.

ARTICLE 8 MISCELLANEOUS

8.1 Terms

- A. Terms used in this Agreement will have the meanings indicated in the General Conditions and the Supplementary Conditions.

8.2 Assignment of Contract

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

8.3 Successors and Assigns

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

8.4 Severability

- A. Any provision or part of the Contract Documents held to be void or unenforceable under any Law or Regulation shall be deemed stricken, and all remaining provisions shall continue to be valid and binding upon Owner and Contractor, who agree that the

Contract Documents shall be reformed to replace such stricken provision or part thereof with a valid and enforceable provision that comes as close as possible to expressing the intention of the stricken provision.

8.5 Contractor Certifications

- A. Contractor certifies that it has not engaged in corrupt, fraudulent, collusive, or coercive practices in competing for or in executing the Contract. For the purposes of this Paragraph 8.5:
1. “corrupt practice” means the offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting of any thing of value likely to influence the action of a public official in the bidding process or in the Contract execution;
 2. “fraudulent practice” means an intentional misrepresentation of facts made (a) to influence the bidding process or the execution of the Contract to the detriment of Owner, (b) to establish Bid or Contract prices at artificial non-competitive levels, or (c) to deprive Owner of the benefits of free and open competition;
 3. “collusive practice” means a scheme or arrangement between two or more Bidders, with or without the knowledge of Owner, a purpose of which is to establish Bid prices at artificial, non-competitive levels; and
 4. “coercive practice” means harming or threatening to harm, directly or indirectly, persons or their property to influence their participation in the bidding process or affect the execution of the Contract.

8.6 Other Provisions

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

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

OWNER:
South Hadley Select Board
 By: Mahesh J. Pillay
 Title: Town Administrator
 [CORPORATE SEAL]
 Attest _____
 Title: _____
 Address for giving notices:
Department of Public Works
10 Industrial Drive
South Hadley, MA 01075

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

CONTRACTOR:
Hart Engineering Corporation
 By: [Signature]
 Title: Vice President
 [CORPORATE SEAL]
 Attest [Signature]
 Title: Secretary
 Address for giving notices:
800 Scenic View Drive
Cumberland, RI 02864

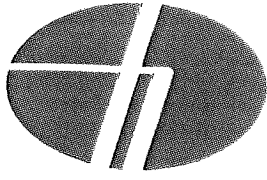
License No. _____
(Where Applicable)

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

Certified as to the availability of funds:
9/11/17
 Date
[Signature]
 Signed
Town Accountant
 Title

END OF SECTION

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ENGINEERING CORPORATION

70 YEARS OF EXCELLENCE

Corporate Resolution

Regarding the Project Title: Aeration System Upgrade Project – South Hadley Wastewater Treatment Plant

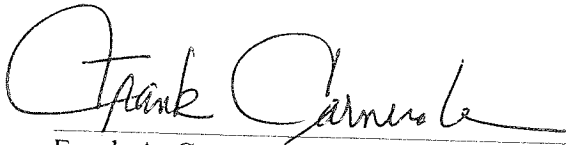
I, Frank A. Carnevale, Secretary of Hart Engineering Corporation, do hereby certify that at a duly constituted meeting of the Stockholders and Directors of the Corporation held at the office of the Corporation on August 28, 2019 it was upon motion duly made and seconded, that it be **Voted**:

Robert E. Mulligan serves as Vice President

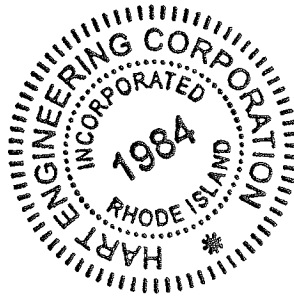
It was upon further motion made and seconded that it be further **Voted**: that Robert E. Mulligan in capacity as Vice President of the Corporation is empowered, authorized and directed to execute, deliver and accept any and all documents and undertake all acts reasonably required or incidental to accomplish the foregoing vote, all on such terms and conditions as he in his discretion deems to be in the best interest of the Corporation.

I further certify that the foregoing votes are in force this date.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and corporate seal this 28th day of August 2019.



Frank A. Carnevale, Secretary



Corporate Seal



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
9/3/2019

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 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).

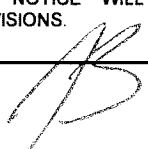
PRODUCER CORMACK ROUTHIER AGENCY INC One Harry St Cranston, RI 02907	CONTACT NAME: Kathleen Marshall
	PHONE (A/C No, Ext): (401) 944-9400 FAX (A/C No): (401) 944-7360
	E-MAIL ADDRESS: kathleen@cormackrouthier.com
INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE	
INSURER A: Travelers Insurance Co. (A++)	25658
INSURER B: Argonaut Insurance Company	24017
INSURER C: Colony Speciality Ins (A)	36927
INSURER D: Crum&Foster Co. (A)	31348
INSURER E: Lloyds of London	32727
INSURER F: Selective Insurance (A)	13730

INSURED **HART ENGINEERING CORPORATION**
800 Scenic View Drive
Cumberland, RI 02864
401-658-4600
X260

COVERAGES CERTIFICATE NUMBER: 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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B	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory in NH) If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below	Y/N <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N	N/A	WC928438343104	10/31/18	10/31/19	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PER STATUTE E.L. EACH ACCIDENT \$ 1,000,000 E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE \$ 1,000,000 E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT \$ 1,000,000
C	Pollution			CPLUS4223373	10/31/18	10/31/19	\$ 5,000,000 occ/agg
D	Excess Liability		Y	5228052219	10/31/18	10/31/19	\$ 20,000,000
E	Professional			S609B00043	10/31/18	10/31/19	\$ 5,000,000

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)
RE: South Hadley Wastewater Treatment Plant Aeration System Upgrade Project, 2 James Street, Chicopee MA 01020. The Town of South Hadley, Tighe & Bond are hereby listed as Additional Insured on a primary and non-contributory basis, as required by written contract.

CERTIFICATE HOLDER Town of South Hadley, MA 10 Industrial Drive South Hadley, MA 01075	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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ADDITIONAL REMARKS SCHEDULE

AGENCY CORMACK ROUTHIER AGENCY INC		NAMED INSURED HART ENGINEERING CORPORATION	
POLICY NUMBER		800 Scenic View Drive	
CARRIER	NAIC CODE	Cumberland, RI 02864	
		EFFECTIVE DATE: 9/3/2019	

ADDITIONAL REMARKS

THIS ADDITIONAL REMARKS FORM IS A SCHEDULE TO ACORD FORM,
FORM NUMBER: _____ FORM TITLE: Town of South Hadley, MA

BUILDERS RISK #99985800 EFF: 9/3/2019 TO 9/3/2020

Selective Insurance

Builders Risk \$250,000 Ded \$5,000

Transit \$ 25,000

Temp Location \$ 25,000

Flood & Earthquake \$250,000 Ded \$25,000

Equipment Breakdown - Included

OWNERS PROTECTIVE LIABILITY (OCP) EFF: 9/3/2019 to 9/3/2020

Each Occurrence \$1,000,000 BI & PD

Aggregate limit \$2,000,000

Document A312™ – 2010

Payment Bond

CONTRACTOR:

(Name, legal status and address)

Hart Engineering Corporation
800 Scenic View Drive
Cumberland, RI 02864

SURETY:

(Name, legal status and principal place of business)

Hartford Fire Insurance Company
One Hartford Plaza
Hartford, CT 06155

OWNER:

(Name, legal status and address)

Town of South Hadley, MA
10 Industrial Drive
South Hadley, MA 01075

CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT

Date:

Amount: \$ 140,000.00 One Hundred Forty Thousand Dollars
Description: and Zero Cents

(Name and location)

South Hadley Wastewater Treatment Plant Aeration System Upgrade Project 2
2 James St
Chicopee, MA 01020

BOND

Date:

(Not earlier than Construction Contract Date)

Amount: \$ 140,000.00 One Hundred Forty Thousand Dollars
Modifications to this Bond: None See Section 8. and Zero Cents

ADDITIONS AND DELETIONS:

The author of this document has added information needed for its completion. The author may also have revised the text of the original AIA standard form. An *Additions and Deletions Report* that notes added information as well as revisions to the standard form text is available from the author and should be reviewed. A vertical line in the left margin of this document indicates where the author has added necessary information and where the author has added to or deleted from the original AIA text.

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

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

CONTRACTOR AS PRINCIPAL

Company: *(Corporate Seal)*

Hart Engineering Corporation

Signature: *[Signature]*

Name and Title: ROBERT MULLIGAN

Title: VICE PRESIDENT

SURETY

Company: *(Corporate Seal)*

Hartford Fire Insurance Company

Signature: *[Signature]*

Name and Title: James J. Bromage Attorney-in-Fact

(For additional signatures appear on the last page of this Payment Bond.)

***FOR INFORMATION ONLY — Name, address and telephone)**

AGENT or BROKER:

OWNER'S REPRESENTATIVE:

(Architect, Engineer or other party:)

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§ 1 The Contractor and Surety, jointly and severally, bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns to the Owner to pay for labor, materials and equipment furnished for use in the performance of the Construction Contract, which is incorporated herein by reference, subject to the following terms.

§ 2 If the Contractor promptly makes payment of all sums due to Claimants, and defends, indemnifies and holds harmless the Owner from claims, demands, liens or suits by any person or entity seeking payment for labor, materials or equipment furnished for use in the performance of the Construction Contract, then the Surety and the Contractor shall have no obligation under this Bond.

§ 3 If there is no Owner Default under the Construction Contract, the Surety's obligation to the Owner under this Bond shall arise after the Owner has promptly notified the Contractor and the Surety (at the address described in Section 13) of claims, demands, liens or suits against the Owner or the Owner's property by any person or entity seeking payment for labor, materials or equipment furnished for use in the performance of the Construction Contract and tendered defense of such claims, demands, liens or suits to the Contractor and the Surety.

§ 4 When the Owner has satisfied the conditions in Section 3, the Surety shall promptly and at the Surety's expense defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Owner against a duly tendered claim, demand, lien or suit.

§ 5 The Surety's obligations to a Claimant under this Bond shall arise after the following:

§ 5.1 Claimants, who do not have a direct contract with the Contractor,

- .1 have furnished a written notice of non-payment to the Contractor, stating with substantial accuracy the amount claimed and the name of the party to whom the materials were, or equipment was, furnished or supplied or for whom the labor was done or performed, within ninety (90) days after having last performed labor or last furnished materials or equipment included in the Claim; and
- .2 have sent a Claim to the Surety (at the address described in Section 13).

§ 5.2 Claimants, who are employed by or have a direct contract with the Contractor, have sent a Claim to the Surety (at the address described in Section 13).

§ 6 If a notice of non-payment required by Section 5.1.1 is given by the Owner to the Contractor, that is sufficient to satisfy a Claimant's obligation to furnish a written notice of non-payment under Section 5.1.1.

§ 7 When a Claimant has satisfied the conditions of Sections 5.1 or 5.2, whichever is applicable, the Surety shall promptly and at the Surety's expense take the following actions:

§ 7.1 Send an answer to the Claimant, with a copy to the Owner, within sixty (60) days after receipt of the Claim, stating the amounts that are undisputed and the basis for challenging any amounts that are disputed; and

§ 7.2 Pay or arrange for payment of any undisputed amounts.

§ 7.3 The Surety's failure to discharge its obligations under Section 7.1 or Section 7.2 shall not be deemed to constitute a waiver of defenses the Surety or Contractor may have or acquire as to a Claim, except as to undisputed amounts for which the Surety and Claimant have reached agreement. If, however, the Surety fails to discharge its obligations under Section 7.1 or Section 7.2, the Surety shall indemnify the Claimant for the reasonable attorney's fees the Claimant incurs thereafter to recover any sums found to be due and owing to the Claimant.

§ 8 The Surety's total obligation shall not exceed the amount of this Bond, plus the amount of reasonable attorney's fees provided under Section 7.3, and the amount of this Bond shall be credited for any payments made in good faith by the Surety.

§ 9 Amounts owed by the Owner to the Contractor under the Construction Contract shall be used for the performance of the Construction Contract and to satisfy claims, if any, under any construction performance bond. By the Contractor furnishing and the Owner accepting this Bond, they agree that all funds earned by the Contractor in the performance of the Construction Contract are dedicated to satisfy obligations of the Contractor and Surety under this Bond, subject to the Owner's priority to use the funds for the completion of the work.

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§ 10 The Surety shall not be liable to the Owner, Claimants or others for obligations of the Contractor that are unrelated to the Construction Contract. The Owner shall not be liable for the payment of any costs or expenses of any Claimant under this Bond, and shall have under this Bond no obligation to make payments to, or give notice on behalf of, Claimants or otherwise have any obligations to Claimants under this Bond.

§ 11 The Surety hereby waives notice of any change, including changes of time, to the Construction Contract or to related subcontracts, purchase orders and other obligations.

§ 12 No suit or action shall be commenced by a Claimant under this Bond other than in a court of competent jurisdiction in the state in which the project that is the subject of the Construction Contract is located or after the expiration of one year from the date (1) on which the Claimant sent a Claim to the Surety pursuant to Section 5.1.2 or 5.2, or (2) on which the last labor or service was performed by anyone or the last materials or equipment were furnished by anyone under the Construction Contract, whichever of (1) or (2) first occurs. If the provisions of this Paragraph are void or prohibited by law, the minimum period of limitation available to sureties as a defense in the jurisdiction of the suit shall be applicable.

§ 13 Notice and Claims to the Surety, the Owner or the Contractor shall be mailed or delivered to the address shown on the page on which their signature appears. Actual receipt of notice or Claims, however accomplished, shall be sufficient compliance as of the date received.

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

§ 15 Upon request by any person or entity appearing to be a potential beneficiary of this Bond, the Contractor and Owner shall promptly furnish a copy of this Bond or shall permit a copy to be made.

§ 16 Definitions

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

§ 18 Modifications to this bond are as follows:

(Space is provided below for additional signatures of added parties, other than those appearing on the cover page.)

CONTRACTOR AS PRINCIPAL

SURETY

Company: _____
(Corporate Seal)

Company: _____
(Corporate Seal)

Signature: _____

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Name and Title: _____

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

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KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS THAT:

Agency Name: CORMACK-ROUTHIER AGENCY, INC
 Agency Code: 02-090569

- Hartford Fire Insurance Company**, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut
- Hartford Casualty Insurance Company**, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana
- Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company**, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut
- Hartford Underwriters Insurance Company**, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut
- Twin City Fire Insurance Company**, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana
- Hartford Insurance Company of Illinois**, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Illinois
- Hartford Insurance Company of the Midwest**, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana
- Hartford Insurance Company of the Southeast**, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Florida

having their home office in Hartford, Connecticut, (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Companies") do hereby make, constitute and appoint, up to the amount of Unlimited :

Michael E. Bromage, Phyllis A. Nigris, James Bromage of CRANSTON, Rhode Island

their true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, each in their separate capacity if more than one is named above, to sign its name as surety(ies) only as delineated above by , and to execute, seal and acknowledge any and all bonds, undertakings, contracts and other written instruments in the nature thereof, on behalf of the Companies in their business of guaranteeing the fidelity of persons, guaranteeing the performance of contracts and executing or guaranteeing bonds and undertakings required or permitted in any actions or proceedings allowed by law.

In Witness Whereof, and as authorized by a Resolution of the Board of Directors of the Companies on May 6, 2015 the Companies have caused these presents to be signed by its Senior Vice President and its corporate seals to be hereto affixed, duly attested by its Assistant Secretary. Further, pursuant to Resolution of the Board of Directors of the Companies, the Companies hereby unambiguously affirm that they are and will be bound by any mechanically applied signatures applied to this Power of Attorney.



John Gray

John Gray, Assistant Secretary

M. Ross Fisher

M. Ross Fisher, Senior Vice President

STATE OF CONNECTICUT }
 COUNTY OF HARTFORD } ss. Hartford

On this 5th day of January, 2018, before me personally came M. Ross Fisher, to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that he resides in the County of Hartford, State of Connecticut; that he is the Senior Vice President of the Companies, the corporations described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seals of the said corporations; that the seals affixed to the said instrument are such corporate seals; that they were so affixed by authority of the Boards of Directors of said corporations and that he signed his name thereto by like authority.



CERTIFICATE

Kathleen T. Maynard

Kathleen T. Maynard
 Notary Public
 My Commission Expires July 31, 2021

I, the undersigned, Assistant Vice President of the Companies, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Power of Attorney executed by said Companies, which is still in full force effective as of Signed and sealed at the City of Hartford.



Kevin Heckman

Kevin Heckman, Assistant Vice President