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SPECIFICATIONS FOR
PROCTOR ACADEMIC HALL
EXTERIOR FAÇADE REPAIRS
NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY
GREENSBORO, NORTH CAROLINA
STATE ID #: 23-26581-01

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#### **ADVERTISEMENT FOR BID**

Sealed proposals will be received until 3:00 p.m. on September 26, 2023, in DeHuguley (Facility) Building Conference Room, 602 N. Benbow Road, Greensboro, NC 27401, for the Proctor Academic Hall, Exterior Façade Repairs Project, North Carolina A & T State University, Greensboro, North Carolina, State ID #:23-26581-01, at which time and place bids will be opened and read. Bids are to be delivered to Shaban Kaji, P.E., at the above address and time.

Complete plans and specifications for this project can be obtained from Terracon Consultants, Inc., Greensboro, North Carolina, Please contact Chris Borgert @ chris.borgert@terracon.com, for a link to the Specifications and Drawings. They will also be available for viewing at the following locations:

- National Institute of Minority Economic Development @ <a href="https://theinstitutenc.org/calendar/category/bid-opportunities/">https://theinstitutenc.org/calendar/category/bid-opportunities/</a>
- Electronic Plan Rooms of: McGraw Hill Dodge, ConstructConnect

A Prebid Meeting will be held in DeHuguley (Facility) Building Conference Room, 602 N. Benbow Road, Greensboro, NC 27401, 3:00 p.m. on September 12, 2023.

Qualified Minority-Owned Contractors are encouraged to bid.

Plan Deposit of \$100.00 is required for hard copies. There is no charge for electronic copies.

The state reserves the unqualified right to reject any and all proposals.

Signed By: Shaban Kaji, P.E.

NC A&T State University DeHugley Building 1601 East Market Street Greensboro, NC 27411 Phone: 336-285-4505

#### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals will be received by North Carolina A&T State University in Greensboro, NC, in the DeHuguley (Facility) Building Conference Room, 602 N. Benbow Road, Greensboro, NC 27401, up to 3:00 p.m. on September 26, 2023 and immediately thereafter publicly opened and read for the furnishing of labor, material and equipment entering into the construction of

Proctor Academic Hall
Exterior Façade Repairs
North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University
State Project ID No. 23-26581-01

Bids will be received for Single Prime Contract. All proposals shall be lump sum.

\*Note: Dual bidding requires separate prime bids be received, but not opened, (1) one hour prior to receiving single prime bids. Upon receipt of single prime bids, all bids will be opened and read. See SBC Guidelines for opening.

# **Pre-Bid Meeting**

An Open Prebid Meeting will be held in DeHuguley (Facility) Building Conference Room, 602 N. Benbow Road, Greensboro, NC 27401, at 3:00 p.m. on September 12, 2023. The meeting will address project specific questions, issues, bidding procedures and bid forms.

The meeting is also to identify preferred brand alternates and their performance standards that the owner will consider for approval on this project.

Complete plans, specifications and contract documents will be open for inspection in the offices of North Carolina A&T State University and Terracon Consultants, Inc. and in the plan rooms of ConstructConnect, and in the Minority Plan Room in Greensboro.

# NCIMED Plan & Resource Center, 114 West Parrish Street, 6th Floor, Durham, NC 27701, 919-956-8889 or 919-287-3036

or may be obtained by those qualified as prime bidders, upon deposit of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) in cash or certified check. The full plan deposit will be returned to those bidders provided all documents are returned in good, usable condition within ten (10) days after the bid date.

**NOTE**: The bidder shall include <u>with the bid proposal</u> the form *Identification of Minority Business Participation* identifying the minority business participation it will use on the project <u>and</u> shall include either *Affidavit A* or *Affidavit B* as applicable. Forms and instructions are included within the Proposal Form in the bid documents. Failure to complete these forms is grounds for rejection of the bid. (GS143-128.2c Effective 1/1/2002.)

All contractors are hereby notified that they must have proper license as required under the state laws governing their respective trades.

General contractors are notified that Chapter 87, Article 1, General Statutes of North Carolina, will be observed in receiving and awarding general contracts. General contractors submitting bids on this project must have license classification for Building or Roofing

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Each proposal shall be accompanied by a cash deposit or a certified check drawn on some bank or trust company, insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, of an amount equal to not less than five percent (5%) of the proposal, or in lieu thereof a bidder may offer a bid bond of five percent (5%) of the bid executed by a surety company licensed under the laws of North Carolina to execute the contract in accordance with the bid bond. Said deposit shall be retained by the owner as liquidated damages in event of failure of the successful bidder to execute the contract within ten days after the award or to give satisfactory surety as required by law.

A performance bond and a payment bond will be required for one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price.

Payment will be made based on ninety-five percent (95%) of monthly estimates and final payment made upon completion and acceptance of work.

No bid may be withdrawn after the scheduled closing time for the receipt of bids for a period of 30 days.

The owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive informalities.

Designer:	Owner:
Terracon Consultants, Inc.	NC A& T State University
7327 W. Friendly Ave., Ste. G	1601 East Market Street
Greensboro, NC 27410	Greensboro, NC 27411
336-854-8135/NC License No. F-0869	

NOTICE TO BIDDERS NTB - 2

#### **INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS**

#### AND

# GENERAL CONDITIONS OF THE CONTRACT

# STANDARD FORM FOR CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

# STATE CONSTRUCTION OFFICE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION

#### Form OC-15

This document is intended for use on State capital construction projects and shall not be used on any project that is not reviewed and approved by the State Construction Office. Extensive modification to the General Conditions by means of "Supplementary General Conditions" is strongly discouraged. State agencies and institutions may include special requirements in "Division 1 – General Requirements" of the specifications, where they do not conflict with the General Conditions.

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#### INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

# For a proposal to be considered it must be in accordance with the following instructions:

#### 1. PROPOSALS

Proposals must be made in strict accordance with the Form of Proposal provided therefor, and all blank spaces for bids, alternates, and unit prices applicable to bidder's work shall be properly filled in. When requested alternates are not bid, the proposer shall so indicate by the words "No Bid". Any blanks shall also be interpreted as "No Bid". The bidder agrees that bid on Form of Proposal detached from specifications will be considered and will have the same force and effect as if attached thereto. Photocopied or faxed proposals will not be considered. Numbers shall be stated both in writing and in figures for the base bids and alternates. If figures and writing differ, the written number will supersede the figures.

Any modifications to the Form of Proposal (including alternates and/or unit prices) will disqualify the bid and may cause the bid to be rejected.

The bidder shall fill in the Form of Proposal as follows:

- a. If the documents are executed by a sole owner, that fact shall be evidenced by the word "Owner" appearing after the name of the person executing them.
- b. If the documents are executed by a partnership, that fact shall be evidenced by the word "Co-Partner" appearing after the name of the partner executing them.
- c. If the documents are executed on the part of a corporation, they shall be executed by either the president or the vice president and attested by the secretary or assistant secretary in either case, and the title of the office of such persons shall appear after their signatures. The seal of the corporation shall be impressed on each signature page of the documents.
- d. If the proposal is made by a joint venture, it shall be executed by each member of the joint venture in the above form for sole owner, partnership or corporation, whichever form is applicable.
- e. All signatures shall be properly witnessed.
- f. If the contractor's license of a bidder is held by a person other than an owner, partner or officer of a firm, then the licensee shall also sign and be a party to the proposal. The title "Licensee" shall appear under his/her signature.

Proposals should be addressed as indicated in the Advertisement for Bids and be delivered, enclosed in an opaque sealed envelope, marked "Proposal" and bearing the title of the work, name of the bidder, and the contractor's license number of the bidder. Bidders should clearly mark on the outside of the bid envelope which contract(s) they are bidding.

Bidder shall identify on the bid, the minority businesses that will be utilized on the project with corresponding total dollar value of the bid and affidavit listing good faith efforts or an affidavit indicating work under contract will be self-performed, as required by G.S. 143-128.2(c) and G.S. 143-128.2(f). Failure to comply with these requirements is grounds for rejection of the bid.

For projects bid in the single-prime alternative, the names and license numbers of major subcontractors shall be listed on the proposal form.

It shall be the specific responsibility of the bidder to deliver his bid to the proper official at the selected place and prior to the announced time for the opening of bids. Later delivery of a bid for any reason, including delivery by any delivery service, shall disqualify the bid.

Unit prices quoted in the proposal shall include overhead and profit and shall be the full compensation for the contractor's cost involved in the work. See General Conditions, Article 19c-1.

#### 2. EXAMINATION OF CONDITIONS

It is understood and mutually agreed that by submitting a bid the bidder acknowledges that he has carefully examined all documents pertaining to the work, the location, accessibility and general character of the site of the work and all existing buildings and structures within and adjacent to the site, and has satisfied himself as to the nature of the work, the condition of existing buildings and structures, the conformation of the ground, the character, quality and quantity of the material to be encountered, the character of the equipment, machinery, plant and any other facilities needed preliminary to and during prosecution of the work, the general and local conditions, the construction hazards, and all other matters, including, but not limited to, the labor situation which can in any way affect the work under the contract, and including all safety measures required by the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970 and all rules and regulations issued pursuant thereto. It is further mutually agreed that by submitting a proposal the bidder acknowledges that he has satisfied himself as to the feasibility and meaning of the plans, drawings, specifications and other contract documents for the construction of the work and that he accepts all the terms, conditions and stipulations contained therein; and that he is prepared to work in cooperation with other contractors performing work on the site.

Reference is made to contract documents for the identification of those surveys and investigation reports of subsurface or latent physical conditions at the site or otherwise affecting performance of the work which have been relied upon by the designer in preparing the documents. The owner will make copies of all such surveys and reports available to the bidder upon request.

Each bidder may, at his own expense, make such additional surveys and investigations as he may deem necessary to determine his bid price for the performance of the work. Any on-site investigation shall be done at the convenience of the owner. Any reasonable request for access to the site will be honored by the owner.

#### 3. BULLETINS AND ADDENDA

Any addenda to specifications issued during the time of bidding are to be considered covered in the proposal and in closing a contract they will become a part thereof. It shall be the bidder's responsibility to ascertain prior to bid time the addenda issued and to see that his bid includes any changes thereby required.

Should the bidder find discrepancies in, or omission from, the drawings or documents or should he be in doubt as to their meaning, he shall at once notify the designer who will send written instructions in the form of addenda to all bidders. Notification should be no later than seven (7) days prior to the date set for receipt of bids. Neither the owner nor the designer will be responsible for any oral instructions.

All addenda should be acknowledged by the bidder(s) on the Form of Proposal. However, even if not acknowledged, by submitting a bid, the bidder has certified that he has reviewed all issued addenda and has included all costs associated within his bid.

#### 4. **BID SECURITY**

Each proposal shall be accompanied by a cash deposit or a certified check drawn on some bank or trust company insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, or a bid bond in an amount equal to not less than five percent (5%) of the proposal, said deposit to be retained by the owner as liquidated damages in event of failure of the successful bidder to execute the contract within ten (10) days after the award or to give satisfactory surety as required by law (G.S. 143-129).

Bid bond shall be conditioned that the surety will, upon demand, forthwith make payment to the obligee upon said bond if the bidder fails to execute the contract. The owner may retain bid securities of any bidder(s) who may have a reasonable chance of award of contract for the full duration of time stated in the Notice to Bidders. Other bid securities may be released sooner, at the discretion of the owner. All bid securities (cash or certified checks) shall be returned to the bidders promptly after award of contracts, and no later then seven (7) days after expiration of the holding period stated in the Notice to Bidders. Standard Form of Bid Bond is included in these specifications and shall be used.

#### 5. RECEIPT OF BIDS

Bids shall be received in strict accordance with requirements of the General Statutes of North Carolina. Bid security shall be required as prescribed by statute. Prior to the closing of the bid, the bidder will be permitted to change or withdraw his bid. Guidelines for opening of public construction bids are available from the State Construction Office.

#### 6. OPENING OF BIDS

Upon opening, all bids shall be read aloud. Once bidding is closed, there shall not be any withdrawal of bids by any bidder and no bids may be returned by the designer to any bidder. After the opening of bids, no bid may be withdrawn, except under the provisions of General Statute 143-129.1, for a period of thirty days unless otherwise specified. Should the successful bidder default and fail to execute a contract, the contract may be awarded to the next lowest and responsible bidder. The owner reserves the unqualified right to reject any and all bids. Reasons for rejection may include, but shall not be limited to, the following:

- a. If the Form of Proposal furnished to the bidder is not used or is altered.
- b. If the bidder fails to insert a price for all bid items, alternate and unit prices requested.
- c. If the bidder adds any provisions reserving the right to accept or reject any award.
- d. If there are unauthorized additions or conditional bids, or irregularities of any kind which tend to make the proposal incomplete, indefinite or ambiguous as to its meaning.
- e. If the bidder fails to complete the proposal form where information is requested so the bid may be properly evaluated by the owner.
- f. If the unit prices contained in the bid schedule are unacceptable to the owner and the State Construction Office.
- g. If the bidder fails to comply with other instructions stated herein.

#### 7. BID EVALUATION

The award of the contract will be made to the lowest responsible bidder as soon as practical. The owner may award on the basis of the base bid and any alternates the owner chooses.

Before awarding a contract, the owner may require the apparent low bidder to qualify himself to be a responsible bidder by furnishing any or all of the following data:

- a. The latest financial statement showing assets and liabilities of the company or other information satisfactory to the owner.
- b. A listing of completed projects of similar size.
- c. Permanent name and address of place of business.
- d. The number of regular employees of the organization and length of time the organization has been in business under present name.
- e. The name and home office address of the surety proposed and the name and address of the responsible local claim agent.
- f. The names of members of the firms who hold appropriate trade licenses, together with license numbers.
- g. If prequalified, contractor info will be reviewed and evaluated comparatively to submitted prequalification package.

Failure or refusal to furnish any of the above information, if requested, shall constitute a basis for disqualification of any bidder.

In determining the lowest responsible, responsive bidder, the owner shall take into consideration the bidder's compliance with the requirements of G.S. 143-128.2(c), the past performance of the bidder on construction contracts for the State with particular concern given to completion times, quality of work, cooperation with other contractors, and cooperation with the designer and owner. Failure of the low bidder to furnish affidavit and/or documentation as required by G.S. 143-128.2(c) shall constitute a basis for disqualification of the bid.

Should the owner adjudge that the apparent low bidder is not the lowest responsible, responsive bidder by virtue of the above information, said apparent low bidder will be so notified and his bid security shall be returned to him.

# 8. PERFORMANCE BOND

The successful bidder, upon award of contract, shall furnish a performance bond in an amount equal to 100 percent of the contract price. See Article 35, General Conditions.

#### 9. **PAYMENT BOND**

The successful bidder, upon award of contract, shall furnish a payment bond in an amount equal to 100 percent of the contract price. See Article 35, General Conditions.

#### 10. PAYMENTS

Payments to the successful bidders (contractors) will be made on the basis of monthly estimates. See Article 31, General Conditions.

#### 11. PRE-BID CONFERENCE

Prior to the date set for receiving bids, the Designer may arrange and conduct a Pre-Bid Conference for all prospective bidders. The purpose of this conference is to review project requirements and to respond to questions from prospective bidders and their subcontractors or material suppliers related to the intent of bid documents. Attendance by prospective bidders shall be as required by the "Notice to Bidders".

#### 12. SUBSTITUTIONS

In accordance with the provisions of G.S. 133-3, material, product, or equipment substitutions proposed by the bidders to those specified herein can only be considered during the bidding phase until ten (10) days prior to the receipt of bids when submitted to the Designer with sufficient data to confirm material, product, or equipment equality. Proposed substitutions submitted after this time will be considered only as potential change order.

Submittals for proposed substitutions shall include the following information:

- a. Name, address, and telephone number of manufacturer and supplier as appropriate.
- b. Trade name, model or catalog designation.
- c. Product data including performance and test data, reference standards, and technical descriptions of material, product, or equipment. Include color samples and samples of available finishes as appropriate.
- d. Detailed comparison with specified products including performance capabilities, warranties, and test results.
- e. Other pertinent data including data requested by the Designer to confirm product equality.

If a proposed material, product, or equipment substitution is deemed equal by the Designer to those specified, all bidders of record will be notified by Addendum.

# GENERAL CONDITIONS OF THE CONTRACT

The use or reproduction of this document or any part thereof is authorized for and limited to use on projects of the State of North Carolina, and is distributed by, through and at the discretion of the State Construction Office, Raleigh, North Carolina, for that distinct and sole purpose.

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#### **ARTICLE 1 - DEFINITIONS**

- a. The **contract documents** consist of the Notice to Bidders; Instructions to Bidders; General Conditions of the Contract; special conditions if applicable; Supplementary General Conditions; the drawing and specifications, including all bulletins, addenda or other modifications of the drawings and specifications incorporated into the documents prior to their execution; the proposal; the contract; the performance bond; the payment bond; insurance certificates; the approval of the attorney general; and the certificate of the Office of State Budget and Management. All of these items together form the contract.
- b. The **owner** is the State of North Carolina through the agency named in the contract.
- c. The **designer(s)** are those referred to within this contract, or their authorized representatives. The Designer(s), as referred to herein, shall mean architect and/or engineer. They will be referred to hereinafter as if each were of the singular number, masculine gender.
- d. The **contractor**, as referred to hereinafter, shall be deemed to be either of the several contracting parties called the "Party of the First Part" in either of the several contracts in connection with the total project. Where, in special instances hereinafter, a particular contractor is intended, an adjective precedes the word "contractor," as "general," "heating," etc. For the purposes of a single prime contract, the term Contractor shall be deemed to be the single contracting entity identified as the "Party of the First Part" in the single Construction Contract. Any references or adjectives that name or infer multiple prime contractors shall be interpreted to mean the single prime Contractor.
- e. A **subcontractor**, as the term is used herein, shall be understood to be one who has entered into a direct contract with a contractor, and includes one who furnishes materials worked to a special design in accordance with plans and specifications covered by the contract, but does not include one who only sells or furnishes materials not requiring work so described or detailed.
- f. Written notice shall be defined as notice in writing delivered in person to the contractor, or to a partner of the firm in the case of a partnership, or to a member of the contracting organization, or to an officer of the organization in the case of a corporation, or sent to the last known business address of the contracting organization by registered mail.
- g. **Work**, as used herein as a noun, is intended to include materials, labor, and workmanship of the appropriate contractor.
- h. The **project** is the total construction work to be performed under the contract documents by the several contractors.
- i. **Project Expediter,** as used herein, is an entity stated in the contract documents, designated to effectively facilitate scheduling and coordination of work activities. See Article 14(f) for responsibilities of a Project Expediter. For the purposes of a single prime contract, the single prime contractor shall be designated as the Project Expediter.
- j. **Change order**, as used herein, shall mean a written order to the contractor subsequent to the signing of the contract authorizing a change in the contract. The change order shall be signed by the contractor, designer and the owner, and approved by the State Construction Office, in that order (Article 19).

- k. **Field Order,** as used herein, shall mean a written approval for the contractor to proceed with the work requested by owner prior to issuance of a formal Change Order. The field order shall be signed by the contractor, designer, owner, and State Construction Office.
- 1. **Time of completion**, as stated in the contract documents, is to be interpreted as consecutive calendar days measured from the date established in the written Notice to Proceed, or such other date as may be established herein (Article 23).
- m. Liquidated damages, as stated in the contract documents [, is an amount reasonably estimated in advance to cover the consequential damages associated with the Owner's economic loss in not being able to use the Project for its intended purposes at the end of the contract's completion date as amended by change order, if any, by reason of failure of the contractor(s) to complete the work within the time specified. Liquidated damages does not include the Owner's extended contract administration costs (including but not limited to additional fees for architectural and engineering services, testing services, inspection services, commissioning services, etc.), such other damages directly resulting from delays caused solely by the contractor, or consequential damages that the Owner identified in the bid documents that may be impacted by any delay caused soley by the Contractor (e.g., if a multi-phased project-subsequent phases, delays in start other projects that are dependent on the completion of this Project, extension of leases and/or maintenance agreements for other facilities).
- n. **Surety**, as used herein, shall mean the bonding company or corporate body which is bound with and for the contractor, and which engages to be responsible for the contractor and his acceptable performance of the work.
- o. Routine written communications between the Designer and the Contractor are any communication other than a "request for information" provided in letter, memo, or transmittal format, sent by mail, courier, electronic mail, or facsimile. Such communications can not be identified as "request for information".
- p. Clarification or Request for information (RFI) is a request from the Contractor seeking an interpretation or clarification by the Designer relative to the contract documents. The RFI, which shall be labeled (RFI), shall clearly and concisely set forth the issue or item requiring clarification or interpretation and why the response is needed. The RFI must set forth the Contractor's interpretation or understanding of the contract documents requirements in question, along with reasons for such an understanding.
- q. **Approval** means written or imprinted acknowledgement that materials, equipment or methods of construction are acceptable for use in the work.
- r. **Inspection** shall mean examination or observation of work completed or in progress to determine its compliance with contract documents.
- s. **"Equal to" or "approved equal"** shall mean materials, products, equipment, assemblies, or installation methods considered equal by the bidder in all characteristics (physical, functional, and aesthetic) to those specified in the contract documents. Acceptance of equal is subject to approval of Designer and owner.
- t. "Substitution" or "substitute" shall mean materials, products, equipment, assemblies, or installation methods deviating in at least one characteristic (physical, functional, or aesthetic) from those specified, but which in the opinion of the bidder would improve competition and/or enhance the finished installation. Acceptance of substitution is subject to the approval of the Designer and owner.

- u. **Provide** shall mean furnish and install complete in place, new, clean, operational, and ready for use.
- v. **Indicated and shown** shall mean provide as detailed, or called for, and reasonably implied in the contract documents.
- w. **Special inspector** is one who inspects materials, installation, fabrication, erection or placement of components and connections requiring special expertise to ensure compliance with the approved construction documents and referenced standards.
- x. **Commissioning** is a quality assurance process that verifies and documents that building components and systems operate in accordance to the owner's project requirements and the project design documents.
- y. **Designer Final Inspection** is the inspection performed by the design team to determine the completeness of the project in accordance with approved plans and specifications. This inspection occurs prior to SCO final inspection.
- z. **SCO Final Inspection** is the inspection performed by the State Construction Office to determine the completeness of the project in accordance with NC Building Codes and approved plans and specifications.
- aa. **Beneficial Occupancy** is requested by the owner and is occupancy or partial occupancy of the building after all life safety items have been completed as determined by the State Construction Office. Life safety items include but not limited to fire alarm, sprinkler, egress and exit lighting, fire rated walls, egress paths and security.
- bb. Final Acceptance is the date in which the State Construction Office accepts the construction as totally complete. This includes the SCO Final Inspection and certification by the designer that all punch lists are completed.

#### ARTICLE 2 - INTENT AND EXECUTION OF DOCUMENTS

- a. The drawings and specifications are complementary, one to the other, and that which is shown on the drawings or called for in the specifications shall be as binding as if it were both called for and shown. The intent of the drawings and specifications is to establish the scope of all labor, materials, transportation, equipment, and any and all other things necessary to provide a bid for a complete job. In case of discrepancy or disagreement in the contract documents, the order of precedence shall be: Form of Contract, specifications, large-scale detail drawings, small-scale drawings.
- b. The wording of the specifications shall be interpreted in accordance with common usage of the language except that words having a commonly used technical or trade meaning shall be so interpreted in preference to other meanings.
- c. The contractor shall execute each copy of the proposal, contract, performance bond and payment bond as follows:
  - 1. If the documents are executed by a sole owner, that fact shall be evidenced by the word "Owner" appearing after the name of the person executing them.
  - 2. If the documents are executed by a partnership, that fact shall be evidenced by the word "Co-Partner" appearing after the name of the partner executing them.

- 3. If the documents are executed on the part of a corporation, they shall be executed by either the president or the vice president and attested by the secretary or assistant secretary in either case, and the title of the office of such persons shall appear after their signatures. The seal of the corporation shall be impressed on each signature page of the documents.
- 4. If the documents are made by a joint venture, they shall be executed by each member of the joint venture in the above form for sole owner, partnership or corporation, whichever form is applicable to each particular member.
- 5. All signatures shall be properly witnessed.
- 6. If the contractor's license is held by a person other than an owner, partner or officer of a firm, then the licensee shall also sign and be a party to the contract. The title "Licensee" shall appear under his/her signature.
- 7. The bonds shall be executed by an attorney-in-fact. There shall be attached to each copy of the bond a certified copy of power of attorney properly executed and dated.
- 8. Each copy of the bonds shall be countersigned by an authorized individual agent of the bonding company licensed to do business in North Carolina. The title "Licensed Resident Agent" shall appear after the signature.
- 9. The seal of the bonding company shall be impressed on each signature page of the bonds.
- 10. The contractor's signature on the performance bond and the payment bond shall correspond with that on the contract. The date of performance and payment bond shall not be prior to the date of the contract.

#### **ARTICLE 3 - CLARIFICATIONS AND DETAIL DRAWINGS**

- a. In such cases where the nature of the work requires clarification by the designer, such clarification shall be furnished by the designer with reasonable promptness by means of written instructions or detail drawings, or both. Clarifications and drawings shall be consistent with the intent of contract documents, and shall become a part thereof.
- b. The contractor(s) and the designer shall prepare, if deemed necessary, a schedule fixing dates upon which foreseeable clarifications will be required. The schedule will be subject to addition or change in accordance with progress of the work. The designer shall furnish drawings or clarifications in accordance with that schedule. The contractor shall not proceed with the work without such detail drawings and/or written clarifications.

# **ARTICLE 4 - COPIES OF DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS**

The designer or Owner shall furnish free of charge to the contractors electronic copies of plans and specifications. If requested by the contractor, paper copies of plans and specifications shall be furnished free of charge as follows:

a. General contractor - Up to twelve (12) sets of general contractor drawings and specifications, up to six (6) sets of which shall include drawings and specifications of all other contracts, plus a clean set of black line prints on white paper of all appropriate drawings, upon which the contractor shall clearly and legibly record all work-in-place that is at variance with the contract documents.

- b. Each other contractor Up to six (6) sets of the appropriate drawings and specifications, up to three (3) sets of which shall include drawings and specifications of all other contracts, plus a clean set of black line prints on white paper of all appropriate drawings, upon which the contractor shall clearly and legibly record all work-in-place that is at variance with the contract documents.
- c. Additional sets shall be furnished at cost, including mailing, to the contractor upon request by the contractor. This cost shall be stated in the bidding documents.
- d. For the purposes of a single-prime contract, the contractor shall receive up to 30 sets of drawings and specifications, plus a clean set of black line prints on white paper of all appropriate drawings, upon which the contractor shall clearly and legibly record all work-in-place that is at variance with the contract documents.

#### ARTICLE 5 - SHOP DRAWINGS, SUBMITTALS, SAMPLES, DATA

- a. Within 15 consecutive calendar days after the notice to proceed, each prime contractor shall submit a schedule for submission of all shop drawings, product data, samples, and similar submittals through the Project Expediter to the Designer. This schedule shall indicate the items, relevant specification sections, other related submittal, data, and the date when these items will be furnished to the designer.
- b. The Contractor(s) shall review, approve and submit to the Designer all Shop Drawings, Coordination Drawings, Product Data, Samples, Color Charts, and similar submittal data required or reasonably implied by the Contract Documents. Required Submittals shall bear the Contractor's stamp of approval, any exceptions to the Contract Documents shall be noted on the submittals, and copies of all submittals shall be of sufficient quantity for the Designer to retain up to three (3) copies of each submittal for his own use plus additional copies as may be required by the Contractor. Submittals shall be presented to the Designer in accordance with the schedule submitted in paragraph (a). so as to cause no delay in the activities of the Owner or of separate Contractors.
- c. The Designer shall review required submittals promptly, noting desired corrections if any, and retaining three (3) copies (1 for the Designer, 1 for the owner and 1 for SCO) for his use. The remaining copies of each submittal shall be returned to the Contractor not later than twenty (20) days from the date of receipt by the Designer, for the Contractor's use or for corrections and resubmittal as noted by the Designer. When resubmittals are required, the submittal procedure shall be the same as for the original submittals.
- d. Approval of shop drawings/submittals by the Designer shall not be construed as relieving the Contractor from responsibility for compliance with the design or terms of the contract documents nor from responsibility of errors of any sort in the shop drawings, unless such lack of compliance or errors first have been called in writing to the attention of the Designer by the Contractor.

#### ARTICLE 6 - WORKING DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS AT THE JOB SITE

a. The contractor shall maintain, in readable condition at his job office, one complete set of working drawings and specifications for his work including all shop drawings. Such drawings and specifications shall be available for use by the designer, his authorized representative, owner or State Construction Office.

- b. The contractor shall maintain at the job office, a day-to-day record of work-in-place that is at variance with the contract documents. Such variations shall be fully noted on project drawings by the contractor and submitted to the designer upon project completion and no later than 30 days after final acceptance of the project.
- c. The contractor shall maintain at the job office a record of all required tests that have been performed, clearly indicating the scope of work inspected and the date of approval or rejection.

#### **ARTICLE 7 - OWNERSHIP OF DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS**

All drawings and specifications are instruments of service and remain the property of the owner. The use of these instruments on work other than this contract without permission of the owner is prohibited. All copies of drawings and specifications other than contract copies shall be returned to the owner upon request after completion of the work.

## ARTICLE 8 - MATERIALS, EQUIPMENT, EMPLOYEES

- a. The contractor shall, unless otherwise specified, supply and pay for all labor, transportation, materials, tools, apparatus, lights, power, heat, sanitary facilities, water, scaffolding and incidentals necessary for the completion of his work, and shall install, maintain and remove all equipment of the construction, other utensils or things, and be responsible for the safe, proper and lawful construction, maintenance and use of same, and shall construct in the best and most workmanlike manner, a complete job and everything incidental thereto, as shown on the plans, stated in the specifications, or reasonably implied therefrom, all in accordance with the contract documents.
- b. All materials shall be new and of quality specified, except where reclaimed material is authorized herein and approved for use. Workmanship shall at all times be of a grade accepted as the best practice of the particular trade involved, and as stipulated in written standards of recognized organizations or institutes of the respective trades except as exceeded or qualified by the specifications.
- c. Upon notice, the contractor shall furnish evidence as to quality of materials.
- d. Products are generally specified by ASTM or other reference standard and/or by manufacturer's name and model number or trade name. When specified only by reference standard, the Contractor may select any product meeting this standard, by any manufacturer. When several products or manufacturers are specified as being equally acceptable, the Contractor has the option of using any product and manufacturer combination listed. However, the contractor shall be aware that the cited examples are used only to denote the quality standard of product desired and that they do not restrict bidders to a specific brand, make, manufacturer or specific name; that they are used only to set forth and convey to bidders the general style, type, character and quality of product desired; and that equivalent products will be acceptable. Request for substitution of materials, items, or equipment shall be submitted to the designer for approval or disapproval; such approval or disapproval shall be made by the designer prior to the opening of bids. Alternate materials may be requested after the award if it can clearly be demonstrated that it is an added benefit to the owner and the designer and owner approves.
- e. The designer is the judge of equality for proposed substitution of products, materials or equipment.

g. If at any time during the construction and completion of the work covered by these contract documents, the language, conduct, or attire of any workman of the various crafts be adjudged a nuisance to the owner or designer, or if any workman be considered detrimental to the work, the contractor shall order such parties removed immediately from grounds.

# **ARTICLE 9 - ROYALTIES, LICENSES AND PATENTS**

It is the intention of the contract documents that the work covered herein will not constitute in any way infringement of any patent whatsoever unless the fact of such patent is clearly evidenced herein. The contractor shall protect and save harmless the owner against suit on account of alleged or actual infringement. The contractor shall pay all royalties and/or license fees required on account of patented articles or processes, whether the patent rights are evidenced hereinafter.

# **ARTICLE 10 - PERMITS, INSPECTIONS, FEES, REGULATIONS**

- a. The contractor shall give all notices and comply with all laws, ordinances, codes, rules and regulations bearing on the conduct of the work under this contract. If the contractor observes that the drawings and specifications are at variance therewith, he shall promptly notify the designer in writing. See Instructions to Bidders, Paragraph 3, Bulletins and Addenda. Any necessary changes required after contract award shall be made by change order in accordance with Article 19. If the contractor performs any work knowing it to be contrary to such laws, ordinances, codes, rules and regulations, and without such notice to the designer, he shall bear all cost arising therefrom. Additional requirements implemented after bidding will be subject to equitable negotiations.
- b. All work under this contract shall conform to the North Carolina State Building Code and other State, local and national codes as are applicable. The cost of all required inspections and permits shall be the responsibility of the contractor and included within the bid proposal. All water taps, meter barrels, vaults and impact fees shall be paid by the contractor unless otherwise noted.
- d. Projects constructed by the State of North Carolina or by any agency or institution of the State are not subject to inspection by any county or municipal authorities and are not subject to county or municipal building codes. The contractor shall, however, cooperate with the county or municipal authorities by obtaining building permits. Permits shall be obtained at no cost.
- e. Projects involving local funding (community colleges) are subject also to county and municipal building codes and inspection by local authorities. The contractor shall pay the cost of these permits and inspections.

## ARTICLE 11 - PROTECTION OF WORK, PROPERTY AND THE PUBLIC

- a. The contractors shall be jointly responsible for the entire site and the building or construction of the same and provide all the necessary protections, as required by the owner or designer, and by laws or ordinances governing such conditions. They shall be responsible for any damage to the owner's property, or of that of others on the job, by them, their personnel, or their subcontractors, and shall make good such damages. They shall be responsible for and pay for any damages caused to the owner. All contractors shall have access to the project at all times.
- b. The contractor shall provide cover and protect all portions of the structure when the work is not in progress, provide and set all temporary roofs, covers for doorways, sash and windows, and all other materials necessary to protect all the work on the building, whether set by him, or any of the subcontractors. Any work damaged through the lack of proper protection or from any other cause, shall be repaired or replaced without extra cost to the owner.
- c. No fires of any kind will be allowed inside or around the operations during the course of construction without special permission from the designer and owner.
- d. The contractor shall protect all trees and shrubs designated to remain in the vicinity of the operations by building substantial boxes around same. He shall barricade all walks, roads, etc., as directed by the designer to keep the public away from the construction. All trenches, excavations or other hazards in the vicinity of the work shall be well barricaded and properly lighted at night.
- e. The contractor shall provide all necessary safety measures for the protection of all persons on the job, including the requirements of the A.G.C. Accident Prevention Manual in Construction, as amended, and shall fully comply with all state laws or regulations and North Carolina State Building Code requirements to prevent accident or injury to persons on or about the location of the work. He shall clearly mark or post signs warning of hazards existing, and shall barricade excavations, elevator shafts, stairwells and similar hazards. He shall protect against damage or injury resulting from falling materials and he shall maintain all protective devices and signs throughout the progress of the work.
- f. The contractor shall adhere to the rules, regulations and interpretations of the North Carolina Department of Labor relating to Occupational Safety and Health Standards for the Construction Industry (Title 29, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 1926, published in Volume 39, Number 122, Part II, June 24, 1974, *Federal Register*), and revisions thereto as adopted by General Statutes of North Carolina 95-126 through 155.
- g. The contractor shall designate a responsible person of his organization as safety officer/inspector to inspect the project site for unsafe health and safety hazards, to report these hazards to the contractor for correction, and whose duties also include accident prevention on the project, and to provide other safety and health measures on the project site as required by the terms and conditions of the contract. The name of the safety inspector shall be made known to the designer and owner at the time of the preconstruction conference and in all cases prior to any work starting on the project.
- h. In the event of emergency affecting the safety of life, the protection of work, or the safety of adjoining properties, the contractor is hereby authorized to act at his own discretion, without further authorization from anyone, to prevent such threatened injury or damage.

- Any compensation claimed by the contractor on account of such action shall be determined as provided for under Article 19(b).
- i. Any and all costs associated with correcting damage caused to adjacent properties of the construction site or staging area shall be borne by the contractor. These costs shall include but not be limited to flooding, mud, sand, stone, debris, and discharging of waste products.

#### **ARTICLE 12 - SEDIMENTATION POLLUTION CONTROL ACT OF 1973**

- a. Any land-disturbing activity performed by the contractor(s) in connection with the project shall comply with all erosion control measures set forth in the contract documents and any additional measures which may be required in order to ensure that the project is in full compliance with the Sedimentation Pollution Control Act of 1973, as implemented by Title 15, North Carolina Administrative Code, Chapter 4, Sedimentation Control, Subchapters 4A, 4B and 4C, as amended (15 N.C.A.C. 4A, 4B and 4C).
- b. Upon receipt of notice that a land-disturbing activity is in violation of said act, the contractor(s) shall be responsible for ensuring that all steps or actions necessary to bring the project in compliance with said act are promptly taken.
- c. The contractor(s) shall be responsible for defending any legal actions instituted pursuant to N.C.G.S. 113A-64 against any party or persons described in this article.
- d. To the fullest extent permitted by law, the contractor(s) shall indemnify and hold harmless the owner, the designer and the agents, consultants and employees of the owner and designer, from and against all claims, damages, civil penalties, losses and expenses, including, but not limited to, attorneys' fees, arising out of or resulting from the performance of work or failure of performance of work, provided that any such claim, damage, civil penalty, loss or expense is attributable to a violation of the Sedimentation Pollution Control Act. Such obligation shall not be construed to negate, abridge or otherwise reduced any other right or obligation of indemnity which would otherwise exist as to any party or persons described in this article.

#### **ARTICLE 13 - INSPECTION OF THE WORK**

- a. It is a condition of this contract that the work shall be subject to inspection during normal working hours and during any time work is in preparation and progress by the designer, designated official representatives of the owner, State Construction Office and those persons required by state law to test special work for official approval. The contractor shall therefore provide safe access to the work at all times for such inspections.
- b. All instructions to the contractor will be made only by or through the designer or his designated project representative. Observations made by official representatives of the owner shall be conveyed to the designer for review and coordination prior to issuance to the contractor.
- c. All work shall be inspected by designer, special inspector and/or State Construction Office prior to being covered by the contractor. Contractor shall give a minimum two weeks notice unless otherwise agreed to by all parties. If inspection fails, after the first reinspection all costs associated with additional reinspections shall be borne by the contractor.

- d. Where special inspection or testing is required by virtue of any state laws, instructions of the designer, specifications or codes, the contractor shall give adequate notice to the designer of the time set for such inspection or test, if the inspection or test will be conducted by a party other than the designer. Such special tests or inspections will be made in the presence of the designer, or his authorized representative, and it shall be the contractor's responsibility to serve ample notice of such tests.
- e. All laboratory tests shall be paid by the owner unless provided otherwise in the contract documents except the general contractor shall pay for laboratory tests to establish design mix for concrete, and for additional tests to prove compliance with contract documents where materials have tested deficient except when the testing laboratory did not follow the appropriate ASTM testing procedures.
- f. Should any work be covered up or concealed prior to inspection and approval by the designer, special inspector, and/or State Construction Office such work shall be uncovered or exposed for inspection, if so requested by the designer in writing. Inspection of the work will be made upon notice from the contractor. All cost involved in uncovering, repairing, replacing, recovering and restoring to design condition, the work that has been covered or concealed will be paid by the contractor involved.

#### ARTICLE 14 - CONSTRUCTION SUPERVISION AND SCHEDULE

- a. Throughout the progress of the work, each contractor shall keep at the job site, a competent superintendent and supervisory staff satisfactory to the designer and the owner. The superintendent and supervisory staff shall not be changed without the consent of the designer and owner unless said superintendent ceases to be employed by the contractor or ceases to be competent as determined by the contractor, designer or owner. The superintendent and other staff designated by the contractor in writing shall have authority to act on behalf of the contractor, and instructions, directions or notices given to him shall be as binding as if given to the contractor. However, directions, instructions, and notices shall be confirmed in writing.
- b. The contractor shall examine and study the drawings and specifications and fully understand the project design, and shall provide constant and efficient supervision to the work. Should he discover any discrepancies of any sort in the drawings or specifications, he shall report them to the designer without delay. He will not be held responsible for discrepancies in the drawings and/or specifications, but shall be held responsible to report them should they become known to him.
- c. All contractors shall be required to cooperate and consult with each other during the construction of this project. Prior to installation of work, all contractors shall jointly prepare coordination drawings, showing locations of various ductworks, piping, motors, pumps, and other mechanical or electrical equipment, in relation to the structure, walls and ceilings. These drawings shall be submitted to the designer through the Project Expediter for information only. Each contractor shall lay out and execute his work to cause the least delay to other contractors. Each contractor shall be financially responsible for any damage to other contractor's work and for undue delay caused to other contractors on the project.
- d. The contractor is required to attend job site progress conferences as called by the designer. The contractor shall be represented at these job progress conferences by both home office and project personnel. These representatives shall have authority to act on behalf of the contractor. These meetings shall be open to subcontractors, material

suppliers and any others who can contribute toward maintaining required job progress. It shall be the principal purpose of these meetings, or conferences, to effect coordination, cooperation and assistance in every practical way toward the end of maintaining progress of the project on schedule and to complete the project within the specified contract time. Each contractor shall be prepared to assess progress of the work as required in his particular contract and to recommend remedial measures for correction of progress as may be appropriate. The designer or his authorized representative shall be the coordinator of the conferences and shall preside as chairman. The contractor shall turn over a copy of his daily reports to the Designer and Owner at the job site progress conference. Owner will determine daily report format.

- e The contractor(s) shall, employ an engineer or a land surveyor licensed in the State of North Carolina to lay out the work and to establish a bench mark in a location where same will not be disturbed and where direct instruments sights may be taken.
- f. The designer shall designate a Project Expediter on projects involving two or more prime contracts. The Project Expediter shall be designated in the Supplementary General Conditions. The Project Expediter shall have at a minimum the following responsibilities.
  - 1. Prepare the project construction schedule and shall allow all prime contractors (multi-prime contract) and subcontractors (single-prime contract) performing general, plumbing, HVAC, and electrical work equal input into the preparation of the initial construction schedule.
  - 2. Maintain a project progress schedule for all contractors.
  - 3. Give adequate notice to all contractors to ensure efficient continuity of all phases of the work.
  - 4. Notify the designer of any changes in the project schedule.
  - 5. Recommend to the owner whether payment to a contractor shall be approved.
- It shall be the responsibility of the Project Expediter to cooperate with and obtain from several prime contractors and subcontractors on the job, their respective work activities and integrate these activities into a project construction schedule in form of a detailed bar chart or Critical Path Method (CPM), schedule. Each prime contractor shall provide work activities within fourteen (14) days of request by the Project Expediter. A "work activity", for scheduling purposes, shall be any component or contractual requirement of the project requiring at least one (1) day, but not more than fourteen (14) days, to complete or fulfill. The project construction schedule shall graphically show all salient features of the work required to construct the project from start to finish and within the allotted time established in the contract. The time (in days) between the contractor's early completion and contractual completion dates is part of the project total float time; and shall be used as such, unless amended by a change order. On a multi-prime project, each prime contractor shall review the proposed construction schedule and approve same in writing. The Project Expediter shall submit the proposed construction schedule to the designer for comments. The complete Project construction schedule shall be of the type set forth in the Supplementary General Condition or subparagraph (1) or (2) below, as appropriate:

- 1. For a project with total contracts of \$500,000 or less, a bar chart schedule will satisfy the above requirement. The schedule shall indicate the estimated starting and completion dates for each major element of the work.
- 2. For a project with total contracts over \$500,000, a Critical Path Method (CPM) schedule shall be utilized to control the planning and scheduling of the Work. The CPM schedule shall be the responsibility of the Project Expediter and shall be paid for by the Project Expediter.

Bar Chart Schedule: Where a bar chart schedule is required, it shall be time-scaled in weekly increments, shall indicate the estimated starting and completion dates for each major element of the work by trade and by area, level, or zone, and shall schedule dates for all salient features, including but not limited to the placing of orders for materials, submission of shop drawings and other Submittals for approval, approval of shop drawings by designers, the manufacture and delivery of material, the testing and the installation of materials, supplies and equipment, and all Work activities to be performed by the Contractor. The Contractor shall allow sufficient time in his schedule for all commissioning, required inspections and completion of final punchlist(s). Each Work activity will be assigned a time estimate by the Contractor. One day shall be the smallest time unit used.

**CPM Schedule**: Where a CPM schedule is required, it shall be in time-scaled precedence format using the Project Expediter's logic and time estimates. The CPM schedule shall be drawn or plotted with activities grouped or zoned by Work area or subcontract as opposed to a random (or scattered) format. The CPM schedule shall be time-scaled on a weekly basis and shall be drawn or plotted at a level of detail and logic which will schedule all salient features of the work to be performed by the Contractor. The Contractor shall allow sufficient time in his schedule for all commissioning, required inspections and completion of final punchlist(s). Each Work activity will be assigned a time estimate by the Contractor. One day shall be the smallest time unit used.

The CPM schedule will identify and describe each activity, state the duration of each activity, the calendar dates for the early and late start and the early and late finish of each activity, and clearly highlight all activities on the critical path. "Total float" and "free float" shall be indicated for all activities. Float time shall not be considered for the exclusive use or benefit of either the Owner or the Contractor, but must be allocated in the best interest of completing the Work within the Contract time. Extensions to the Contract time, when granted by Change Order, will be granted only when equitable time adjustment exceeds the Total Float in the activity or path of activities affected by the change. On contracts with a price over \$2,500,000, the CPM schedule shall also show what part of the Contract Price is attributable to each activity on the schedule, the sum of which for all activities shall equal the total Contract Price.

**Early Completion of Project**: The Contractor may attempt to complete the project prior to the Contract Completion Date. However, such planned early completion shall be for the Contractor's convenience only and shall not create any additional rights of the Contractor or obligations of the Owner under this Contract, nor shall it change the Time

for Completion or the Contract Completion Date. The Contractor shall not be required to pay liquidated damages to the Owner because of its failure to complete by its planned earlier date. Likewise, the Owner shall not pay the Contractor any additional compensation for early completion nor will the Owner owe the Contractor any compensation should the Owner, its officers, employees, or agents cause the Contractor not to complete earlier than the date required by the Contract Documents.

- h. The proposed project construction schedule shall be presented to the designer no later than fifteen (15) days after written notice to proceed. No application for payment will be processed until this schedule is accepted by the designer and owner.
- i. The approved project construction schedule shall be distributed to all contractors and displayed at the job site by the Project Expediter.
- The several contractors shall be responsible for their work activities and shall notify the į. Project Expediter of any necessary changes or adjustments to their work. The Project Expediter shall maintain the project construction schedule, making biweekly adjustments, updates, corrections, etc., that are necessary to finish the project within the Contract time, keeping all contractors and the designer fully informed. Copy of a bar chart schedule annotated to show the current progress shall be submitted by the Contractor(s) to the designer, along with monthly request for payment. For project requiring CPM schedule, the Contractor shall submit a biweekly report of the status of all activities. The bar chart schedule or status report shall show the actual Work completed to date in comparison with the original Work scheduled for all activities. If any activities of the work of several contractors are behind schedule, the contractor must indicate in writing, what measures will be taken to bring each such activity back on schedule and to ensure that the Contract Completion Date is not exceeded. A plan of action and recovery schedule shall be developed and submitted to the designer by the Project Expediter, when (1) the contractor's report indicates delays, that are in the opinion of the designer or the owner, of sufficient magnitude that the contractor's ability to complete the work by the scheduled completion is brought into question; (2) the updated construction schedule is thirty (30) days behind the planned or baseline schedule and no legitimate time extensions, as determined by the Designer, are in process; and (3) the contractor desires to make changes in the logic (sequencing of work) or the planned duration of future activities of the CPM schedule which, in the opinion of the designer or the owner, are of a major nature. The plan of action, when required shall be submitted to the Owner for review within two (2) business days of the Contractor receiving the Owner's written demand. The recovery schedule, when required, shall be submitted to the Owner within five (5) calendar days of the Contractor's receiving the Owner's written demand. Failure to provide an updated construction schedule or a recovery schedule may be grounds for rejection of payment applications or withholding of funds as set forth in Article 33.
- k. The Project Expediter shall notify each contractor of such events or time frames that are critical to the progress of the job. Such notice shall be timely and reasonable. Should the progress be delayed due to the work of any of the several contractors, it shall be the duty of the Project Expediter to immediately notify the contractor(s) responsible for such delay, the designer, the State Construction Office and other prime contractors. The designer shall determine the contractor(s) who caused the delays and notify the bonding company of the responsible contractor(s) of the delays; and shall make a recommendation to the owner regarding further action.
- l. Designation as Project Expediter entails an additional project control responsibility and does not alter in any way the responsibility of the contractor so designated, nor the

responsibility of the other contractors involved in the project. The project expeditor's Superintendent(s) shall be in attendance at the Project site at all times when work is in progress unless conditions are beyond the control of the Contractor or until termination of the Contract in accordance with the Contract Documents. It is understood that such Superintendent shall be acceptable to the Owner and Designer and shall be the one who will be continued in that capacity for the duration of the project unless he ceases to be on the Contractor's payroll or the Owner otherwise agrees. The Superintendent shall not be employed on any other project for or by the Contractor or by any other entity during the course of the Work. If the Superintendent is employed by the Contractor on another project without the Owner's approval, then the Owner may deduct from the Contractor's monthly general condition costs and amount representing the Superintendent's cost and shall deduct that amount for each month thereafter until the Contractor has the Superintendent back on the Owner's Project full-time.

#### ARTICLE 15 - SEPARATE CONTRACTS AND CONTRACTOR RELATIONSHIPS

- a. Effective from January 1, 2002, Chapter 143, Article 8, was amended, to allow public contracts to be delivered by the following delivery methods: single-prime, dual (single-prime and separate-prime), construction manager at risk, and alternative contracting method as approved by the State Building Commission. The owner reserves the right to prepare separate specifications, receive separate bids, and award separate contracts for such other major items of work as may be in the best interest of the State. For the purposes of a single prime contract, refer to Article 1 Definitions.
- b. All contractors shall cooperate with each other in the execution of their work, and shall plan their work in such manner as to avoid conflicting schedules or delay of the work. See Article 14, Construction Supervision.
- c. If any part of contractor's work depends upon the work of another contractor, defects which may affect that work shall be reported to the designer in order that prompt inspection may be made and the defects corrected. Commencement of work by a contractor where such condition exists will constitute acceptance of the other contractor's work as being satisfactory in all respects to receive the work commenced, except as to defects which may later develop. The designer shall be the judge as to the quality of work and shall settle all disputes on the matter between contractors.
- d. Any mechanical or electrical work such as sleeves, inserts, chases, openings, penetrations, etc., which is located in the work of the general contractor shall be built in by the general contractor. The respective mechanical and electrical contractors shall set all sleeves, inserts and other devices that are to be incorporated into the structure in cooperation and under the supervision of the general contractor. The responsibility for the exact location of such items shall be that of the mechanical and/or electrical contractor.
- e. The designer and the owner shall have access to the work whenever it is in preparation and progress and during normal working hours. The contractor shall provide facilities for such access so the designer may perform his functions under the contract documents.
- f. Should a contractor cause damage to the work or property of another contractor, he shall be directly responsible, and upon notice, shall promptly settle the claim or otherwise resolve the dispute.

#### ARTICLE 16 - SUBCONTRACTS AND SUBCONTRACTORS

- a. Within thirty (30) days after award of the contract, the contractor shall submit to the designer, owner and to the State Construction Office a list giving the names and addresses of subcontractors and equipment and material suppliers he proposes to use, together with the scope of their respective parts of the work. Should any subcontractor be disapproved by the designer or owner, the designer or owner shall submit his reasons for disapproval in writing to the State Construction Office for its consideration with a copy to the contractor. If the State Construction Office concurs with the designer's or owner's recommendation, the contractor shall submit a substitute for approval. The designer and owner shall act promptly in the approval of subcontractors, and when approval of the list is given, no changes of subcontractors will be permitted except for cause or reason considered justifiable by the designer or owner.
- b. The designer will furnish to any subcontractor, upon request, evidence regarding amounts of money paid to the contractor on account of the subcontractor's work.
- c. The contractor is and remains fully responsible for his own acts or omissions as well as those of any subcontractor or of any employee of either. The contractor agrees that no contractual relationship exists between the subcontractor and the owner in regard to the contract, and that the subcontractor acts on this work as an agent or employee of the contractor.
- d. The owner reserves the right to limit the amount of portions of work to be subcontracted as hereinafter specified.

# **ARTICLE 17 - CONTRACTOR AND SUBCONTRACTOR RELATIONSHIPS**

The contractor agrees that the terms of these contract documents shall apply equally to each subcontractor as to the contractor, and the contractor agrees to take such action as may be necessary to bind each subcontractor to these terms. The contractor further agrees to conform to the Code of Ethical Conduct as adopted by the Associated General Contractors of America, Inc., with respect to contractor-subcontractor relationships, and that payments to subcontractors shall be made in accordance with the provisions of G.S. 143-134.1 titled Interest on final payments due to prime contractors: payments to subcontractors.

On all public construction contracts which are let by a board or governing body of the state government or any political subdivision thereof, except contracts let by the Department of Transportation pursuant to G.S. 136-28.1, the balance due prime contractors shall be paid in full within 45 days after respective prime contracts of the project have been accepted by the owner, certified by the architect, engineer or designer to be completed in accordance with terms of the plans and specifications, or occupied by the owner and used for the purpose for which the project was constructed, whichever occurs first. Provided, however, that whenever the architect or consulting engineer in charge of the project determines that delay in completion of the project in accordance with terms of the plans and specifications is the fault of the contractor, the project may be occupied and used for the purposes for which it was constructed without payment of any interest on amounts withheld past the 45 day limit. No payment shall be delayed because of the failure of another prime contractor on such project to complete his contract. Should final payment to any prime contractor beyond the date such contracts have been certified to be completed by the designer or architect, accepted by the owner, or occupied by the owner and used for the purposes for which the project was constructed, be delayed by more than 45 days, said prime contractor shall be paid interest, beginning on the 46th day, at the rate of one percent (1%) per month or fraction thereof unless a lower rate is

agreed upon on such unpaid balance as may be due. In addition to the above final payment provisions, periodic payments due a prime contractor during construction shall be paid in accordance with the payment provisions of the contract documents or said prime contractor shall be paid interest on any such unpaid amount at the rate stipulated above for delayed final payments. Such interest shall begin on the date the payment is due and continue until the date on which payment is made. Such due date may be established by the terms of the contract. Funds for payment of such interest on state-owned projects shall be obtained from the current budget of the owning department, institution or agency. Where a conditional acceptance of a contract exists, and where the owner is retaining a reasonable sum pending correction of such conditions, interest on such reasonable sum shall not apply.

- b. Within seven days of receipt by the prime contractor of each periodic or final payment, the prime contractor shall pay the subcontractor based on work completed or service provided under the subcontract. Should any periodic or final payment to the subcontractor be delayed by more than seven days after receipt of periodic or final payment by the prime contractor, the prime contractor shall pay the subcontractor interest, beginning on the eighth day, at the rate of one percent (1%) per month or fraction thereof on such unpaid balance as may be due.
- c. The percentage of retainage on payments made by the prime contractor to the subcontractor shall not exceed the percentage of retainage on payments made by the owner to the prime contractor. Any percentage of retainage on payments made by the prime contractor to the subcontractor that exceeds the percentage of retainage on payments made by the owner to the prime contractor shall be subject to interest to be paid by the prime contractor to the subcontractor at the rate of one percent (1%) per month or fraction thereof.
- d. Nothing in this section shall prevent the prime contractor at the time of application and certification to the owner from withholding application and certification to the owner for payment to the subcontractor for unsatisfactory job progress; defective construction not remedied; disputed work; third-party claims filed or reasonable evidence that claim will be filed; failure of subcontractor to make timely payments for labor, equipment and materials; damage to prime contractor or another subcontractor; reasonable evidence that subcontract cannot be completed for the unpaid balance of the subcontract sum; or a reasonable amount for retainage not to exceed the initial percentage retained by owner.

# **ARTICLE 18 - DESIGNER'S STATUS**

- a. The designer shall provide general administration of the performance of construction contracts, including liaison and necessary inspection of the work to ensure compliance with plans and specifications. He is the agent of the owner only for the purpose of constructing this work and to the extent stipulated in the contract documents. He has authority to direct work to be performed, to stop work, to order work removed, or to order corrections of faulty work, where any such action by the designer may be necessary to assure successful completion of the work.
- b. The designer is the impartial interpreter of the contract documents, and, as such, he shall exercise his powers under the contract to enforce faithful performance by both the owner and the contractor, taking sides with neither.
- c. Should the designer cease to be employed on the work for any reason whatsoever, then the owner shall employ a competent replacement who shall assume the status of the former designer.

- d. The designer and his consultants will make inspections of the project. He will inspect the progress, the quality and the quantity of the work.
- e. The designer and the owner shall have access to the work whenever it is in preparation and progress during normal working hours. The contractor shall provide facilities for such access so the designer and owner may perform their functions under the contract documents.
- f. Based on the designer's inspections and evaluations of the project, the designer shall issue interpretations, directives and decisions as may be necessary to administer the project. His decisions relating to artistic effect and technical matters shall be final, provided such decisions are within the limitations of the contract.

#### **ARTICLE 19 - CHANGES IN THE WORK**

- a. The owner may have changes made in the work covered by the contract. These changes will not invalidate and will not relieve or release the contractor from any guarantee given by him pertinent to the contract provisions. These changes will not affect the validity of the guarantee bond and will not relieve the surety or sureties of said bond. All extra work shall be executed under conditions of the original contract.
- b. Except in an emergency endangering life or property, no change shall be made by the contractor except upon receipt of approved\_change order or written field order from the designer, countersigned by the owner and the state construction office authorizing such change. No claim for adjustments of the contract price shall be valid unless this procedure is followed.

A field order, transmitted by fax, electronically, or hand delivered, may be used where the change involved impacts the critical path\_of the work. A formal change order shall be issued as expeditiously as possible.

In the event of emergency endangering life or property, the contractor may be directed to proceed on a time and material basis whereupon the contractor shall proceed and keep accurately on such form as specified by the designer or owner, a correct account of costs together with all proper invoices, payrolls and supporting data. Upon completion of the work the change order will be prepared as outlined under either Method "c(1)" or Method "c(2)" or both.

- c. In determining the values of changes, either additive or deductive, contractors are restricted to the use of the following methods:
  - 1. Where the extra work involved is covered by unit prices quoted in the proposal, or subsequently agreed to by the Contractor, Designer, Owner and State Construction Office the value of the change shall be computed by application of unit prices based on quantities, estimated or actual as agreed of the items involved, except is such cases where a quantity exceeds the estimated quantity allowance in the contract by one hundred percent (100%) or more. In such cases, either party may elect to proceed under subparagraph c2 herein. If neither party elects to proceed under c2, then unit prices shall apply.
  - 2. The contracting parties shall negotiate and agree upon the equitable value of the change prior to issuance of the change order, and the change order shall stipulate the corresponding lump sum adjustment to the contract price.

- d. Under Paragraph "b" and Methods "c(2)" above, the allowances for overhead and profit combined shall be as follows: all contractors (the single contracting entity (prime), his subcontractors(1st tier subs), or their sub-subcontractors (2nd tier subs, 3rd tier subs, etc)) shall be allowed a maximum of 10% on work they each self-perform; the prime contractor shall be allowed a maximum of 5% on contracted work of his 1st tier sub; 1st tier, 2nd tier, 3rd tier, etc contractors shall be allowed a maximum of 2.5% on the contracted work of their subs.; Under Method "c(1)", no additional allowances shall be made for overhead and profit. In the case of deductible change orders, under Method "c(2)" and Paragraph (b) above, the contractor shall include no less than five percent (5%) profit, but no allowances for overhead.
- e. The term "net cost" as used herein shall mean the difference between all proper cost additions and deductions. The "cost" as used herein shall be limited to the following:
  - 1. The actual costs of materials and supplies incorporated or consumed as part of the work;
  - 2. The actual costs of labor expended on the project site; labor expended in coordination, change order negotiation, record document maintenance, shop drawing revision or other tasks necessary to the administration of the project are considered overhead whether they take place in an office or on the project site.
  - 3. The actual costs of labor burden, limited to the costs of social security (FICA) and Medicare/Medicaid taxes; unemployment insurance costs; health/dental/vision insurance premiums; paid employee leave for holidays, vacation, sick leave, and/or petty leave, not to exceed a total of 30 days per year; retirement contributions; worker's compensation insurance premiums; and the costs of general liability insurance when premiums are computed based on payroll amounts; the total of which shall not exceed thirty percent (30%) of the actual costs of labor;
  - 4. The actual costs of rental for tools, excluding hand tools; equipment; machinery; and temporary facilities required for the work;
  - 5. The actual costs of premiums for bonds, insurance, permit fees, and sales or use taxes related to the work.

Overtime and extra pay for holidays and weekends may be a cost item only to the extent approved by the owner.

- f. Should concealed conditions be encountered in the performance of the work below grade, or should concealed or unknown conditions in an existing structure be at variance with the conditions indicated by the contract documents, the contract sum and time for completion may be equitably adjusted by change order upon claim by either party made within thirty (30) days after the condition has been identified. The cost of such change shall be arrived at by one of the foregoing methods. All change orders shall be supported by a unit cost breakdown showing method of arriving at net cost as defined above.
- g. In all change orders, the procedure will be for the designer to request proposals for the change order work in writing. The contractor will provide such proposal and supporting data in suitable format. The designer shall verify correctness. Delay in the processing of the change order due to lack of proper submittal by the contractor of all required supporting data shall not constitute grounds for a time extension or basis of a claim. Within fourteen (14) days after receipt of the contractor's accepted proposal including all supporting documentation required by the designer, the designer shall prepare the change order and forward to the contractor for his signature or otherwise respond, in writing, to

the contractor's proposal. Within seven (7) days after receipt of the change order executed\_by the contractor, the designer shall, certify the change order by his signature, and forward the change order and all supporting data to the owner for the owner's signature. The owner shall execute the change order and forward to the State Construction Office for final approval, within seven (7) days of receipt. The State Construction Office shall act on the change order within seven (7) days. In case of emergency or extenuating circumstances, approval of changes may be obtained verbally by telephone or field orders approved by all parties, then shall be substantiated in writing as outlined under normal procedure.

h. At the time of signing a change order, the contractor shall be required to certify as follows:

"I certify that my bonding company will be notified forthwith that my contract has been changed by the amount of this change order, and that a copy of the approved change order will be mailed upon receipt by me to my surety."

- i. A change order, when issued, shall be full compensation, or credit, for the work included, omitted or substituted. It shall show on its face the adjustment in time for completion of the project as a result of the change in the work.
- j. If, during the progress of the work, the owner requests a change order and the contractor's terms are unacceptable, the owner, with the approval of the State Construction Office, may require the contractor to perform such work on a time and material basis whereupon the contractor shall proceed and keep accurately on such form as specified by the Designer or owner, a correct account of cost together with all proper invoices, payrolls and supporting data. Upon completion of the work a change order will be prepared with allowances for overhead and profit per paragraph d. above and "net cost" and "cost" per paragraph e. above. Without prejudice, nothing in\_this paragraph shall preclude the owner from performing or to have performed that portion of the work requested in the change order.

#### **ARTICLE 20 - CLAIMS FOR EXTRA COST**

- a. Should the contractor consider that as a result of instructions given by the designer, he is entitled to extra cost above that stated in the contract, he shall give written notice thereof to the designer within seven (7) days without delay. The written notice shall clearly state that a claim for extra cost is being made and shall provide a detailed justification for the extra cost. The contractor shall not proceed with the work affected until further advised, except in emergency involving the safety of life or property, which condition is covered in Article 19(b) and Article 11(h). No claims for extra compensation shall be considered unless the claim is so made. The designer shall render a written decision within seven (7) days of receipt of claim.
- b. The contractor shall not act on instructions received by him from persons other than the designer, and any claims for extra compensation or extension of time on account of such instruction will not be honored. The designer shall not be responsible for misunderstandings claimed by the contractor of verbal instructions which have not been confirmed in writing, and in no case shall instructions be interpreted as permitting a departure from the contract documents unless such instruction is confirmed in writing and supported by a properly authorized change order.
- c. Should a claim for extra compensation that complies with the requirements of (a) above by the contractor and is denied by the designer or owner, and cannot be resolved by a

representative of the State Construction Office, the contractor may request a mediation in connection with GS 143-128(f1) in the dispute resolution rules adopted by the State Building Commission (1 N.C.A.C. 30H .0101 through .1001). If the contractor is unable to resolve its claim as a result of mediation, the contractor may pursue the claim in accordance with the provisions of G.S. 143-135.3, or G.S. 143-135.6 where Community Colleges are the owner, and the following:

- 1. A contractor who has not completed a contract with a board for construction or repair work and who has not received the amount he claims is due under the contract may submit a verified written claim to the director of the State Construction Office of the Department of Administration for the amount the contractor claims is due. The director may deny, allow or compromise the claim, in whole or in part. A claim under this subsection is not a contested case under Chapter 150B of the General Statutes.
- 2. (a) A contractor who has completed a contract with a board for construction or repair work and who has not received the amount he claims is due under the contract may submit a verified written claim to the director of the State Construction Office of the Department of Administration for the amount the contractor claims is due. The claim shall be submitted within sixty (60) days after the contractor receives a final statement of the board's disposition of his claim and shall state the factual basis for the claim.
  - (b) The director shall investigate a submitted claim within ninety (90) days of receiving the claim, or within any longer time period upon which the director and the contractor agree. The contractor may appear before the director, either in person or through counsel, to present facts and arguments in support of his claim. The director may allow, deny or compromise the claim, in whole or in part. The director shall give the contractor a written statement of the director's decision on the contractor's claim.
  - (c) A contractor who is dissatisfied with the director's decision on a claim submitted under this subsection may commence a contested case on the claim under Chapter 150B of the General Statutes. The contested case shall be commenced within sixty (60) days of receiving the director's written statement of the decision.
  - (d) As to any portion of a claim that is denied by the director, the contractor may, in lieu of the procedures set forth in the preceding subsection of this section, within six (6) months of receipt of the director's final decision, institute a civil action for the sum he claims to be entitled to under the contract by filing a verified complaint and the issuance of a summons in the Superior Court of Wake County or in the superior court of any county where the work under the contract was performed. The procedure shall be the same as in all civil actions except that all issues shall be tried by the judge, without a jury.

#### ARTICLE 21 - MINOR CHANGES IN THE WORK

The designer will have the authority to order minor changes in the work not involving an adjustment in the contract sum or time for completion, and not inconsistent with the intent of the contract documents. Such changes shall be effected by written order, copied to the State Construction Office, and shall be binding on the owner and the contractor.

#### ARTICLE 22 - UNCORRECTED FAULTY WORK

Should the correction of faulty or damaged work be considered inadvisable or inexpedient by the owner and the designer, the owner shall be reimbursed by the contractor. A change order will be issued to reflect a reduction in the contract sum.

# ARTICLE 23 - TIME OF COMPLETION, DELAYS, EXTENSION OF TIME

- a. The time of completion is stated in the Supplementary General Conditions and in the Form of Construction Contract. The Project Expediter, upon notice of award of contract, shall prepare a construction schedule to complete the project within the time of completion as required by Article 14.
- b. The contractors shall commence work to be performed under this agreement on a date to be specified in a written Notice to Proceed from the designer and shall fully complete all work hereunder within the time of completion stated. Time is of the essence and the contractor acknowledges the Owner will likely suffer financial damage for failure to complete the work within the time of completion. For each day in excess of the above number of days, the contractor(s) shall pay the owner the sum stated as liquidated damages reasonably estimated in advance to cover the losses to be incurred by the owner by reason of failure of said contractor(s) to complete the work within the time specified, such time being in the essence of this contract and a material consideration thereof.
- c. In the event of multiple prime contractors, the designer shall be the judge as to the division of responsibility between the contractor(s), based on the construction schedule, weekly reports and job records, and shall apportion the amount of liquidated damages to be paid by each of them, according to delay caused by any or all of them.
- d. If the contractor is delayed at any time in the progress of his work solely by any act or negligence of the owner, the designer, or by any employee of either; by any separate contractor employed by the owner; by changes ordered in the work; by labor disputes at the project site; by abnormal weather conditions not reasonably anticipated for the locality where the work is performed; by unavoidable casualties; by any causes beyond the contractor's control; or by any other causes which the designer and owner determine may justify the delay, then the contract time may be extended by change order only for the time which the designer and owner may determine is reasonable.

Time extensions will not be granted for rain, wind, snow or other natural phenomena of normal intensity for the locality where work is performed. For purpose of determining extent of delay attributable to unusual weather phenomena, a determination shall be made by comparing the weather for the contract period involved with the average of the preceding five (5) year climatic range during the same time interval based on the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration National Weather Service statistics for the locality where work is performed and on daily weather logs kept on the job site by the contractor reflecting the effect of the weather on progress of the work and initialed by the designer's representative. No weather delays shall be considered after the building is dried in unless work claimed to be delayed is on the critical path of the baseline schedule or approved updated schedule. Time extensions for weather delays, acts of God, labor disputes, fire, delays in transportation, unavoidable casualties or other delays which are beyond the control of the Owner do not entitle the Contractor to compensable damages for delays. Any contractor claim for compensable damages for delays is limited to delays caused solely by the owner or its agents. Contractor caused delays shall be accounted for before owner or designer caused delays in the case of concurrent delays.

- e. Request for extension of time shall be made in writing to the designer, copies to the owner and SCO, within twenty (20) days following cause of delay. In case of continuing cause for delay, the Contractor shall notify the Designer to the designer, copies to the owner and SCO, of the delay within 20 days of the beginning of the delay and only one claim is necessary.
- f. The contractor shall notify his surety in writing of extension of time granted.
- g. No claim for time extension shall be allowed on account of failure of the designer to furnish drawings or instructions until twenty (20) days after demand for such drawings and/or instructions. See Article 5c. Demand must be in written form clearly stating the potential for delay unless the drawings or instructions are provided. Any delay granted will begin after the twenty (20) day demand period is concluded.

#### ARTICLE 24 - PARTIAL UTILIZATION/BENEFICIAL OCCUPANCY

- a. The owner may desire to occupy or utilize all or a portion of the project prior to the completion of the project.
- b. Should the owner request a utilization of a building or portion thereof, the designer shall perform a designer final inspection of area after being notified by the contractor that the area is ready for such. After the contractor has completed designer final inspection punch list and the designer has verified, then the designer shall schedule a beneficial occupancy inspection at a time and date acceptable to the owner, contractor(s) and State Construction Office. If beneficial occupancy is granted by the State Construction Office, in such areas the following will be established:
  - 1. The beginning of guarantees and warranties period for the equipment necessary to support. in the area.
  - 2. The owner assumes all responsibilities for utility costs for entire building.
  - 2. Contractor will obtain consent of surety.
  - 3. Contractor will obtain endorsement from insurance company permitting beneficial occupancy.
- c. The owner shall have the right to exclude the contractor from any part of the project which the designer has so certified to be substantially complete, but the owner will allow the contractor reasonable access to complete or correct work to bring it into compliance with the contract.
- d. Occupancy by the owner under this article will in no way relieve the contractor from his contractual requirement to complete the project within the specified time. The contractor will not be relieved of liquidated damages because of beneficial occupancy. The designer may prorate liquidated damages based on the percentage of project occupied.

# ARTICLE 25 - FINAL INSPECTION, ACCEPTANCE, AND PROJECT CLOSEOUT

a. Upon notification from the contractor(s) that the project is complete and ready for inspection, the designer shall make a Designer final inspection to verify that the project is complete and ready for SCO final inspection. Prior to SCO final inspection, the contractor(s) shall complete all items requiring corrective measures noted at the Designer

final inspection. The designer shall schedule a SCO final inspection at a time and date acceptable to the owner, contractor(s) and State Construction Office.

- b. At the SCO final inspection, the designer and his consultants shall, if job conditions warrant, record a list of items that are found to be incomplete or not in accordance with the contract documents. At the conclusion of the SCO final inspection, the designer and State Construction Office representative shall make one of the following determinations:
  - 1. That the project is completed and accepted.
  - 2. That the project will be accepted subject to the correction of the list of discrepancies (punch list). All punch list items must be completed within thirty (30) days of SCO final inspection or the owner may invoke Article 28, Owner's Right to Do Work.
  - 4. That the project is not complete and another date for a SCO final inspection will be established.
- c. Within fourteen (14) days of final acceptance per Paragraph b1 or within fourteen (14) days after completion of punch list per Paragraph b2 above, the designer shall certify the work and issue applicable certificate(s) of compliance.
- d. Any discrepancies listed or discovered after the date of SCO final inspection and acceptance under Paragraphs b1 or b2 above shall be handled in accordance with Article 42, Guarantee.
- f. The final acceptance date will establish the following:
  - 1. The beginning of guarantees and warranties period.
  - 2. The date on which the contractor's insurance coverage for public liability, property damage and builder's risk may be terminated.
  - 3. That no liquidated damages (if applicable) shall be assessed after this date.
  - 4. The termination date of utility cost to the contractor.
- g. Prior to issuance of final acceptance date, the contractor shall have his authorized representatives visit the project and give full instructions to the designated personnel regarding operating, maintenance, care, and adjustment of all equipment and special construction elements. In addition, the contractor shall provide to the owner a complete instructional video (media format acceptable to the owner) on the operation, maintenance, care and adjustment of all equipment and special construction elements.

#### ARTICLE 26 - CORRECTION OF WORK BEFORE FINAL PAYMENT

a. Any work, materials, fabricated items or other parts of the work which have been condemned or declared not in accordance with the contract by the designer shall be promptly removed from the work site by the contractor, and shall be immediately replaced by new work in accordance with the contract at no additional cost to the owner. Work or property of other contractors or the owner, damaged or destroyed by virtue of such faulty work, shall be made good at the expense of the contractor whose work is faulty.

- b. Correction of condemned work described above shall commence within twenty-four (24) hours after receipt of notice from the designer, and shall make satisfactory progress, as determined by the designer, until completed.
- c. Should the contractor fail to proceed with the required corrections, then the owner may complete the work in accordance with the provisions of Article 28.

## ARTICLE 27 - CORRECTION OF WORK AFTER FINAL PAYMENT

See Article 35, Performance Bond and Payment Bond, and Article 42, Guarantee. Neither the final certificate, final payment, occupancy of the premises by the owner, nor any provision of the contract, nor any other act or instrument of the owner, nor the designer, shall relieve the contractor from responsibility for negligence, or faulty material or workmanship, or failure to comply with the drawings and specifications. Contractor shall correct or make good any defects due thereto and repair any damage resulting there from, which may appear during the guarantee period following final acceptance of the work except as stated otherwise under Article 42, Guarantee. The owner will report any defects as they may appear to the contractor and establish a time limit for completion of corrections by the contractor. The owner will be the judge as to the responsibility for correction of defects.

## ARTICLE 28 - OWNER'S RIGHT TO DO WORK

If, during the progress of the work or during the period of guarantee, the contractor fails to prosecute the work properly or to perform any provision of the contract, the owner, after seven (7) days' written notice sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the contractor from the designer, may perform or have performed that portion of the work. The cost of the work may be deducted from any amounts due or to become due to the contractor, such action and cost of same having been first approved by the designer. Should the cost of such action of the owner exceed the amount due or to become due the contractor, then the contractor or his surety, or both, shall be liable for and shall pay to the owner the amount of said excess.

## **ARTICLE 29 - ANNULMENT OF CONTRACT**

If the contractor fails to begin the work under the contract within the time specified, or the progress of the work is not maintained on schedule, or the work is not completed within the time above specified, or fails to perform the work with sufficient workmen and equipment or with sufficient materials to ensure the prompt completion of said work, or shall perform the work unsuitably or shall discontinue the prosecution of the work, or if the contractor shall become insolvent or be declared bankrupt or commit any act of bankruptcy or insolvency, or allow any final judgment to stand against him unsatisfied for a period of forty-eight (48) hours, or shall make an assignment for the benefit of creditors, or for any other cause whatsoever shall not carry on the work in an acceptable manner, the owner may give notice in writing, sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the contractor and his surety of such delay, neglect or default, specifying the same, and if the contractor within a period of seven (7) days after such notice shall not proceed in accordance therewith, then the owner shall, declare this contract in default, and, thereupon, the surety shall promptly take over the work and complete the performance of this contract in the manner and within the time frame specified. In the event the surety shall fail to take over the work to be done under this contract within seven (7) days after being so notified and notify the owner in writing, sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, that he is taking the same over and stating that he will diligently pursue and complete the same, the owner shall have full power and authority, without violating the contract, to take the prosecution of the work out of the hands of said contractor, to appropriate or use any or all contract materials and equipment on the grounds as may be suitable and acceptable and may enter into an agreement, either by public letting or negotiation, for the completion of said contract according to the terms and provisions thereof

or use such other methods as in his opinion shall be required for the completion of said contract in an acceptable manner. All costs and charges incurred by the owner, together with the costs of completing the work under contract, shall be deducted from any monies due or which may become due said contractor and surety. In case the expense so incurred by the owner shall be less than the sum which would have been payable under the contract, if it had been completed by said contractor, then the said contractor and surety shall be entitled to receive the difference, but in case such expense shall exceed the sum which would have been payable under the contract, then the contractor and the surety shall be liable and shall pay to the owner the amount of said excess.

# ARTICLE 30 - CONTRACTOR'S RIGHT TO STOP WORK OR TERMINATE THE CONTRACT

- a. Should the work be stopped by order of a court having jurisdiction, or by order of any other public authority for a period of three months, due to cause beyond the fault or control of the contractor, or if the owner should fail or refuse to make payment on account of a certificate issued by the designer within forty-five (45) days after receipt of same, then the contractor, after fifteen (15) days' written notice sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the owner and the designer, may suspend operations on the work or terminate the contract.
- b. The owner shall be liable to the contractor for the cost of all materials delivered and work performed on this contract plus 10 percent overhead and profit and shall make such payment. The designer shall be the judge as to the correctness of such payment.

# **ARTICLE 31 - REQUEST FOR PAYMENT**

- a. Not later than the fifth day of the month, the contractor shall submit to the designer a request for payment for work done during the previous month. The request shall be in the form agreed upon between the contractor and the designer, but shall show substantially the value of work done and materials delivered to the site during the period since the last payment, and shall sum up the financial status of the contract with the following information:
  - 1. Total of contract including change orders.
  - 2. Value of work completed to date.
  - 3. Less five percent (5%) retainage, provided however, that after fifty percent (50%) of the contractor's work has been satisfactorily completed on schedule, with approval of the owner and the State Construction Office and written consent of the surety, further requirements for retainage will be waived only so long as work continues to be completed satisfactorily and on schedule.
  - 4. Less previous payments.
  - 5. Current amount due.
- b. The contractor, upon request of the designer, shall substantiate the request with invoices of vouchers or payrolls or other evidence.
- c. Prior to submitting the first request, the contractor shall prepare for the designer a schedule showing a breakdown of the contract price into values of the various parts of the work, so arranged as to facilitate payments to subcontractors in accordance with Article 17, Contractor and Subcontractor Relationships. The contractor(s) shall list the

- value of each subcontractor and supplier, identifying each minority business subcontractor and supplier as listed in Affidavit C, if applicable.
- When payment is made on account of stored materials and equipment, such materials must be stored on the owner's property, and the requests for payments shall be accompanied by invoices or bills of sale or other evidence to establish the owner's title to such materials and equipment. Such payments will be made only for materials that have been customized or fabricated specifically for this project. Raw materials or commodity products including but not limited to piping, conduit, CMU, metal studs and gypsum board may not be submitted. Responsibility for such stored materials and equipment shall remain with the contractor regardless of ownership title. Such stored materials and equipment shall not be removed from the owner's property. Should the space for storage on-site be limited, the contractor, at his option, shall be permitted to store such materials and/or equipment in a suitable space off-site. Should the contractor desire to include any such materials or equipment in his application for payment, they must be stored in the name of the owner in an independent, licensed, bonded warehouse approved by the designer, owner and the State Construction Office and located as close to the site as possible. The warehouse selected must be approved by the contractor's bonding and insurance companies; the material to be paid for shall be assigned to the owner and shall be inspected by the designer. Upon approval by the designer, owner and SCO of the storage facilities and materials and equipment, payment therefore will be certified. Responsibility for such stored materials and equipment shall remain with the contractor. Such stored materials and equipment shall not be moved except for transportation to the project site. Under certain conditions, the designer may approve storage of materials at the point of manufacture, which conditions shall be approved by the designer, the owner and the State Construction Office prior to approval for the storage and shall include an agreement by the storing party which unconditionally gives the State absolute right to possession of the materials at anytime. Bond, security and insurance protection shall continue to be the responsibility of the contractor(s).
- e. In the event of beneficial occupancy, retainage of funds due the contractor(s) may be reduced with the approval of the State Construction Office to an equitable amount to cover the list of items to be completed or corrected. Retainage may not be reduced to less than two and one-half (2 1/2) times the estimated value of the work to be completed or corrected. Reduction of retainage must be with the consent and approval of the contractor's bonding company.

# ARTICLE 32 - CERTIFICATES OF PAYMENT AND FINAL PAYMENT

- a. Within five (5) days from receipt of request for payment from the contractor, the designer shall issue and forward to the owner a certificate for payment. This certificate shall indicate the amount requested or as approved by the designer. If the certificate is not approved by the designer, he shall state in writing to the contractor and the owner his reasons for withholding payment.
- b. No certificate issued or payment made shall constitute an acceptance of the work or any part thereof. The making and acceptance of final payment shall constitute a waiver of all claims by the owner except:
  - 1. Claims arising from unsettled liens or claims against the contractor.
  - 2. Faulty work or materials appearing after final payment.
  - 3. Failure of the contractor to perform the work in accordance with drawings and specifications, such failure appearing after payment.

- 4. As conditioned in the performance bond and payment bond.
- c. The making and acceptance of final payment shall constitute a waiver of all claims by the contractor except those claims previously made and remaining unsettled (Article 20(c)).
- d. Prior to submitting request for final payment to the designer for approval, the contractor shall fully comply with all requirements specified in the project closeout section of the specifications. These requirements include but not limited to the following:
  - 1. Submittal of Product and Operating Manuals, Warranties and Bonds, Guarantees, Maintenance Agreements, As-Built Drawings, Certificates of Inspection or Approval from agencies having jurisdiction. (The designer must approve the Manuals prior to delivery to the owner).
  - 2. Transfer of Required attic stock material and all keys in an organized manner.
  - 3. Record of Owner's training.
  - 4. Resolution of any final inspection discrepancies.
  - 5. Granting access to Contractor's records, if Owner's internal auditors have made a request for such access pursuant to Article 52.
- e. The contractor shall forward to the designer, the final application for payment along with the following documents:
  - 1. List of minority business subcontractors and material suppliers showing breakdown of contract amounts and total actual payments to subs and material suppliers.
  - 2. Affidavit of Release of Liens.
  - **3.** Affidavit of contractors of payment to material suppliers and subcontractors. (See Article 36).
  - 4. Consent of Surety to Final Payment.
  - 5. Certificates of state agencies required by state law.
- f. The designer will not authorize final payment until the work under contract has been certified by designer, certificates of compliance issued, and the contractor has complied with the closeout requirements. The designer shall forward the contractor's final application for payment to the owner along with respective certificate(s) of compliance required by law.

#### **ARTICLE 33 - PAYMENTS WITHHELD**

- a. The designer with the approval of the State Construction Office may withhold payment for the following reasons:
  - 1. Faulty work not corrected.

- 2. The unpaid balance on the contract is insufficient to complete the work in the judgment of the designer.
- 3. To provide for sufficient contract balance to cover liquidated damages that will be assessed.
- b. The secretary of the Department of Administration may authorize the withholding of payment for the following reasons:
  - 1. Claims filed against the contractor or evidence that a claim will be filed.
  - 2. Evidence that subcontractors have not been paid.
- c. The Owner may withhold all or a portion of Contractor's general conditions costs set forth in the approved schedule of values, if Contractor has failed to comply with: (1) a request to access its records by Owner's internal auditors pursuant to Article 52; (2) a request for a plan of action and/or recovery schedule under Article 14.j or provide The Owner; (3) a request to provide an electronic copies of Contractor's baseline schedule, updates with all logic used to create the schedules in the original format of the scheduling software; and (4) Contractor's failure to have its Superintendent on the Project full-time; (
- d. When grounds for withholding payments have been removed, payment will be released. Delay of payment due the contractor without cause will make owner liable for payment of interest to the contractor in accordance with G.S. 143-134.1. As provided in G.S.143-134.1(e) the owner shall not be liable for interest on payments withheld by the owner for unsatisfactory job progess, defective construction not remedied, disputed work, or third-party claims filed against the owner or reasonable evidence that a third-party claim will be filed.

# **ARTICLE 34 - MINIMUM INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS**

The work under this contract shall not commence until the contractor has obtained all required insurance and verifying certificates of insurance have been approved in writing by the owner. These certificates shall document that coverages afforded under the policies will not be cancelled, reduced in amount or coverages eliminated until at least thirty (30) days after mailing written notice, by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the insured and the owner of such alteration or cancellation. If endorsements are needed to comply with the notification or other requirements of this article copies of the endorsements shall be submitted with the certificates.

## a. Worker's Compensation and Employer's Liability

The contractor shall provide and maintain, until final acceptance, workmen's compensation insurance, as required by law, as well as employer's liability coverage with minimum limits of \$100,000.

# b. Public Liability and Property Damage

The contractor shall provide and maintain, until final acceptance, comprehensive general liability insurance, including coverage for premises operations, independent contractors, completed operations, products and contractual exposures, as shall protect such contractors from claims arising out of any bodily injury, including accidental death, as well as from claims for property damages which may arise from operations under this contract, whether such operations be by the contractor or by any subcontractor, or by

anyone directly or indirectly employed by either of them and the minimum limits of such insurance shall be as follows:

Bodily Injury: \$500,000 per occurrence

Property Damage: \$100,000 per occurrence / \$300,000 aggregate

In lieu of limits listed above, a \$500,000 combined single limit shall satisfy both conditions.

Such coverage for completed operations must be maintained for at least two (2) years following final acceptance of the work performed under the contract.

# c. Property Insurance (Builder's Risk/Installation Floater)

The contractor shall purchase and maintain property insurance until final acceptance, upon the entire work at the site to the full insurable value thereof. This insurance shall include the interests of the owner, the contractor, the subcontractors and subsubcontractors in the work and shall insure against the perils of fire, wind, rain, flood, extended coverage, and vandalism and malicious mischief. If the owner is damaged by failure of the contractor to purchase or maintain such insurance, then the contractor shall bear all reasonable costs properly attributable thereto; the contractor shall effect and maintain similar property insurance on portions of the work stored off the site when request for payment per articles so includes such portions.

## d. **Deductible**

Any deductible, if applicable to loss covered by insurance provided, is to be borne by the contractor.

# e. Other Insurance

The contractor shall obtain such additional insurance as may be required by the owner or by the General Statutes of North Carolina including motor vehicle insurance, in amounts not less than the statutory limits.

## f. **Proof of Carriage**

The contractor shall furnish the owner with satisfactory proof of carriage of the insurance required before written approval is granted by the owner.

## ARTICLE 35 - PERFORMANCE BOND AND PAYMENT BOND

- a. Each contractor shall furnish a performance bond and payment bond executed by a surety company authorized to do business in North Carolina. The bonds shall be in the full contract amount. Bonds shall be executed in the form bound with these specifications.
- b. All bonds shall be countersigned by an authorized agent of the bonding company who is licensed to do business in North Carolina.

## **ARTICLE 36 - CONTRACTOR'S AFFIDAVIT**

The final payment of retained amount due the contractor on account of the contract shall not become due until the contractor has furnished to the owner through the designer an affidavit signed, sworn and notarized to the effect that all payments for materials, services or subcontracted work in connection with his contract have been satisfied, and that no claims or

liens exist against the contractor in connection with this contract. In the event that the contractor cannot obtain similar affidavits from subcontractors to protect the contractor and the owner from possible liens or claims against the subcontractor, the contractor shall state in his affidavit that no claims or liens exist against any subcontractor to the best of his (the contractor's) knowledge, and if any appear afterward, the contractor shall save the owner harmless.

## **ARTICLE 37 - ASSIGNMENTS**

The contractor shall not assign any portion of this contract nor subcontract in its entirety. Except as may be required under terms of the performance bond or payment bond, no funds or sums of money due or become due the contractor under the contract may be assigned.

## **ARTICLE 38 - USE OF PREMISES**

- a. The contractor(s) shall confine his apparatus, the storage of materials and the operations of his workmen to limits indicated by law, ordinances, permits or directions of the designer and owner and shall not exceed those established limits in his operations.
- b. The contractor(s) shall not load or permit any part of the structure to be loaded with a weight that will endanger its safety.
- c. The contractor(s) shall enforce the designer's and owner's instructions regarding signs, advertisements, fires and smoking.
- d. No firearms, any type of alcoholic beverages, or drugs (other than those prescribed by a physician) will be permitted at the job site.

# **ARTICLE 39 - CUTTING, PATCHING AND DIGGING**

- a. The contractor shall do all cutting, fitting or patching of his work that may be required to make its several parts come together properly and fit it to receive or be received by work of other contractors shown upon or reasonably implied by the drawings and specifications for the completed structure, as the designer may direct.
- b. Any cost brought about by defective or ill-timed work shall be borne by the party responsible therefor.
- c. No contractor shall endanger any work of another contractor by cutting, digging or other means. No contractor shall cut or alter the work of any other contractor without the consent of the designer and the affected contractor(s).

## **ARTICLE 40 - UTILITIES, STRUCTURES, SIGNS**

a. The contractor shall provide necessary and adequate facilities for water, electricity, gas, oil, sewer and other utility services which maybe necessary and required for completion of the project including all utilities required for testing, cleaning, balancing, and sterilization of designated plumbing, mechanical and electrical systems. Any permanent meters installed shall be listed in the contractor's name until work has a final acceptance. The contractor will be solely responsible for all utility costs prior to final acceptance. Contractor shall contact all affected utility companies prior to bid to determine their requirements to provide temporary and permanent service and include all costs associated with providing those services in their bid. Coordination of the work of the utility companies during construction is the sole responsibility of the contractor.

- b. Meters shall be relisted in the owner's name on the day following final acceptance of the Project Expediter's work, and the owner shall pay for services used after that date.
- c. The owner shall be reimbursed for all metered utility charges after the meter is relisted in the owner's name and prior to completion and acceptance of the work of all contractors. Reimbursement shall be made by the contractor whose work has not been completed and accepted. If the work of two or more contractors has not been completed and accepted, reimbursement to the owner shall be paid by the contractors involved on the basis of assessments by the designer.
- d Prior to the operation of permanent systems, the Project Expediter will provide temporary power, lighting, water, and heat to maintain space temperature above freezing, as required for construction operations.
- e. All contractors shall have the permanent building systems in sufficient readiness for furnishing temporary climatic control at the time a building is enclosed and secured. The HVAC systems shall maintain climatic control throughout the enclosed portion of the building sufficient to allow completion of the interior finishes of the building. A building shall be considered enclosed and secured when windows, doorways (exterior, mechanical, and electrical equipment rooms), and hardware are installed; and other openings have protection which will provide reasonable climatic control. The appropriate time to start the mechanical systems and climatic condition shall be jointly determined by the contractor(s), the designer and owner. Use of the equipment in this manner shall be subject to the approval of the Designer and owner and shall in no way affect the warranty requirements of the contractor(s).
- f. The electrical contractor shall have the building's permanent power wiring distribution system in sufficient readiness to provide power as required by the HVAC contractor for temporary climatic control.
- g. The electrical contractor shall have the building's permanent lighting system ready at the time the general contractor begins interior painting and shall provide adequate lighting in those areas where interior painting and finishing is being performed.
- h. Each prime contractor shall be responsible for his permanently fixed service facilities and systems in use during progress of the work. The following procedures shall be strictly adhered to:
  - 1. Prior to final acceptance of work by the State Construction Office, each contractor shall remove and replace any parts of the permanent building systems damaged through use during construction.
  - 2. Temporary filters as recommended by the equipment manufacturer in order to keep the equipment and ductwork clean and free of dust and debris shall be installed in each of the heating and air conditioning units and at each return grille during construction. New filters shall be installed in each unit prior to the owner's acceptance of the work.
  - 3. Extra effort shall be maintained to keep the building and the site adjacent to the building clean and under no circumstances shall air systems be operated if finishing and site work operations are creating dust in excess of what would be considered normal if the building were occupied.
  - 4. It shall be understood that any warranty on equipment presented to the owner shall extend from the day of final acceptance by the owner. The cost of warranting the

- equipment during operation in the finishing stages of construction shall be borne by the contractor whose system is utilized.
- 5. The electrical contractor shall have all lamps in proper working condition at the time of final project acceptance.
- i. The Project Expediter shall provide, if required and where directed, a shed for toilet facilities and shall furnish and install in this shed all water closets required for a complete and adequate sanitary arrangement. These facilities will be available to other contractors on the job and shall be kept in a neat and sanitary condition at all times. Chemical toilets are acceptable.
- j. The Project Expediter shall, if required by the Supplementary General Conditions and where directed, erect a temporary field office, complete with lights, telephone, heat and air conditioning. A portion of this office shall be partitioned off, of sufficient size, for the use of a resident inspector, should the designer so direct.
- k. On multi-story construction projects, the Project Expediter shall provide temporary elevators, lifts, or other special equipment for the general use of all contractors. The cost for such elevators, lifts or other special equipment and the operation thereof shall be included in the Project Expediter's bid.
- 1. The Project Expediter will erect one sign on the project if required. The sign shall be of sound construction, and shall be neatly lettered with black letters on white background. The sign shall bear the name of the project, and the names of prime contractors on the project, and the name of the designer and consultants. Directional signs may be erected on the owner's property subject to approval of the owner with respect to size, style and location of such directional signs. Such signs may bear the name of the contractor and a directional symbol. No other signs will be permitted except by permission of the owner.

## **ARTICLE 41 - CLEANING UP**

- a. The contractors shall keep the building and surrounding area reasonably free from rubbish at all times, and shall remove debris from the site on a timely basis or when directed to do so by the designer or Project Expediter. The Project Expediter shall provide an on site refuse container(s) for the use of all contractors. Each contractor shall remove their rubbish and debris from the building on a daily basis. The Project Expediter shall broom clean the building as required to minimize dust and dirt accumulation.
- b. The Project Expediter shall provide and maintain suitable all-weather access to the building.
- c. Before final inspection and acceptance of the building, each contractor shall clean his portion of the work, including glass, hardware, fixtures, masonry, tile and marble (using no acid), clean and wax all floors as specified, and completely prepare the building for use by the owner, with no cleaning required by the owner.

#### **ARTICLE 42 - GUARANTEE**

a. The contractor shall unconditionally guarantee materials and workmanship against patent defects arising from faulty materials, faulty workmanship or negligence for a period of twelve (12) months following the date of final acceptance of the work or beneficial occupancy and shall replace such defective materials or workmanship without cost to the owner.

- b. Where items of equipment or material carry a manufacturer's warranty for any period in excess of twelve (12) months, then the manufacturer's warranty shall apply for that particular piece of equipment or material. The contractor shall replace such defective equipment or materials, without cost to the owner, within the manufacturer's warranty period.
- c. Additionally, the owner may bring an action for latent defects caused by the negligence\_of the contractor which is hidden or not readily apparent to the owner at the time of beneficial occupancy or final acceptance, whichever occurred first, in accordance with applicable law.
- d. Guarantees for roof, equipment, materials, and supplies shall be stipulated in the specifications sections governing such roof, equipment, materials, or supplies.

## **ARTICLE 43 - CODES AND STANDARDS**

Wherever reference is given to codes, standard specifications or other data published by regulating agencies including, but not limited to, national electrical codes, North Carolina state building codes, federal specifications, ASTM specifications, various institute specifications, etc., it shall be understood that such reference is to the latest edition including addenda published prior to the date of the contract documents.

# **ARTICLE 44 - INDEMNIFICATION**

To the fullest extent permitted by law, the contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless the owner, the designer and the agents, consultants and employees of the owner and designer, from and against all claims, damages, losses and expenses, including, but not limited to, attorneys' fees, arising out of or resulting from the performance or failure of performance of the work, provided that any such claim, damage, loss or expense (1) is attributable to bodily injury, sickness, disease or death, or to injury to or destruction of tangible property (other than the work itself) including the loss of use resulting there from, and (2) is caused in whole or in part by any negligent act or omission of the contractor, the contractor's subcontractor, or the agents of either the contractor or the contractor's subcontractor. Such obligation shall not be construed to negate, abridge or otherwise reduce any other right or obligation of indemnity which would otherwise exist as to any party or person described in this article.

## **ARTICLE 45 - TAXES**

- a. Federal excise taxes do not apply to materials entering into state work (Internal Revenue Code, Section 3442(3)).
- b. Federal transportation taxes do not apply to materials entering into state work (Internal Revenue Code, Section 3475(b) as amended).
- c. North Carolina sales tax and use tax, as required by law, do apply to materials entering into state work and such costs shall be included in the bid proposal and contract sum.
- d. Local option sales and use taxes, as required by law, do apply to materials entering into state work as applicable and such costs shall be included in the bid proposal and contract sum.

## e. Accounting Procedures for Refund of County Sales & Use Tax

Amount of county sales and use tax paid per contractor's statements:

Contractors performing contracts for state agencies shall give the state agency for whose project the property was purchased a signed statement containing the information listed in G.S. 105-164.14(e).

The Department of Revenue has agreed that in lieu of obtaining copies of sales receipts from contractors, an agency may obtain a certified statement as of April 1, 1991 from the contractor setting forth the date, the type of property and the cost of the property purchased from each vendor, the county in which the vendor made the sale and the amount of local sales and use taxes paid thereon. If the property was purchased out-of-state, the county in which the property was delivered should be listed. The contractor should also be notified that the certified statement may be subject to audit.

In the event the contractors make several purchases from the same vendor, such certified statement must indicate the invoice numbers, the inclusive dates of the invoices, the total amount of the invoices, the counties, and the county sales and use taxes paid thereon.

Name of taxing county: The position of a sale is the retailer's place of business located within a taxing county where the vendor becomes contractually obligated to make the sale. Therefore, it is important that the county tax be reported for the county of sale rather than the county of use.

When property is purchased from out-of-state vendors and the county tax is charged, the county should be identified where delivery is made when reporting the county tax.

Such statement must also include the cost of any tangible personal property withdrawn from the contractor's warehouse stock and the amount of county sales or use tax paid thereon by the contractor.

Similar certified statements by his subcontractors must be obtained by the general contractor and furnished to the claimant.

Contractors are not to include any tax paid on supplies, tools and equipment which they use to perform their contracts and should include only those building materials, supplies, fixtures and equipment which actually become a part of or annexed to the building or structure.

## **ARTICLE 46 - EQUAL OPPORTUNITY CLAUSE**

The non-discrimination clause contained in Section 202 (Federal) Executive Order 11246, as amended by Executive Order 11375, relative to equal employment opportunity for all persons without regard to race, color, religion, sex or national origin, and the implementing rules and regulations prescribed by the secretary of Labor, are incorporated herein.

## ARTICLE 47 - EMPLOYMENT OF INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES

The contractor(s) agree not to discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of physical or mental disabilities in regard to any position for which the employee or applicant is qualified. The contractor agrees to take affirmative action to employ, advance in employment and otherwise treat qualified individuals with such disabilities without discrimination based upon their physical or mental disability in all employment practices.

## ARTICLE 48 - ASBESTOS-CONTAINING MATERIALS (ACM)

The State of North Carolina has attempted to address all asbestos-containing materials that are to be disturbed in the project. However, there may be other asbestos-containing materials in the work areas that are not to be disturbed and do not create an exposure hazard.

Contractors are reminded of the requirements of instructions under Instructions to Bidders and General Conditions of the Contract, titled Examination of Conditions. Statute 130A, Article 19, amended August 3, 1989, established the Asbestos Hazard Management Program that controls asbestos abatement in North Carolina. The latest edition of *Guideline Criteria for Asbestos Abatement* from the State Construction Office is to be incorporated in all asbestos abatement projects for the Capital Improvement Program.

## **ARTICLE 49 - MINORITY BUSINESS PARTICIPATION**

GS 143-128.2 establishes a ten percent (10%) goal for participation by minority businesses in total value of work for each State building project. The document, *Guidelines for Recruitment and Selection of Minority Businesses for Participation in State Construction Contracts* including Affidavits and Appendix E are hereby incorporated into and made a part of this contract.

## ARTICLE 50 – CONTRACTOR EVALUATION

The contractor's overall work performance on the project shall be fairly evaluated in accordance with the State Building Commission policy and procedures, for determining qualifications to bid on future State capital improvement projects. In addition to final evaluation, interim evaluation may be prepared during the progress of project. The document, Contractor Evaluation Procedures, is hereby incorporated and made a part of this contract. The owner may request the contractor's comments to evaluate the designer.

# **ARTICLE 51 – GIFTS**

Pursuant to N.C. Gen. Stat. § 133-32, it is unlawful for any vendor or contractor (i.e. architect, bidder, contractor, construction manager, design professional, engineer, subcontractor, supplier, vendor, etc.), to make gifts or to give favors to any State employee. This prohibition covers those vendors and contractors who: (1) have a contract with a governmental agency; or (2) have performed under such a contract within the past year; or (3) anticipate bidding on such a contract in the future. For additional information regarding the specific requirements and exemptions, vendors and contractors are encouraged to review G.S. Sec. 133-32.

During the construction of the Project, the Contractor is prohibited from making gifts to any of the Owner's employees, Owner's project representatives (architect, engineers, construction manager and their employees), employees of the State Construction Office and/or any other State employee that may have any involvement, influence, responsibilities, oversight, management and/or duties that pertain to and/or relate to the contract administration, financial administration and/or disposition of claims arising from and/or relating to the Contract and/or Project.

## ARTICLE 52 – AUDITING-ACCESS TO PERSONS AND RECORDS

In accordance with N.C. General Statute 147-64.7, the State Auditor shall have access to Contractor's officers, employees, agents and/or other persons in control of and/or responsible for the Contractor's records that relate to this Contracts for purposes of conducting audits under the referenced statute. The Owner's internal auditors shall also have the right to access and copy the Contractor's records relating to the Contract and Project during the term of the Contract and within two years following the completion of the Project/close-out of the Contract to verify accounts, accuracy, information, calculations and/or data affecting and/or

relating to Contractor's requests for payment, requests for change orders, change orders, claims for extra work, requests for time extensions and related claims for delay/extended general conditions costs, claims for lost productivity, claims for loss efficiency, claims for idle equipment or labor, claims for price/cost escalation, pass-through claims of subcontractors and/or suppliers, and/or any other type of claim for payment or damages from Owner and/or its project representatives.

## ARTICLE 53 – NORTH CAROLINA FALSE CLAIMS ACT

The North Carolina False Claims Act ("NCFCA"), N.C Gen. Stat. § 1-605 through 1-618, applies to this Contract. The Contractor should familiarize itself with the entire NCFCA and should seek the assistance of an attorney if it has any questions regarding the NCFCA and its applicability to any requests, demands and/or claims for payment its submits to the State through the contracting state agency, institution, university or community college.

The purpose of the NCFCA "is to deter persons from knowingly causing or assisting in causing the State to pay claims that are false or fraudulent and to provide remedies in the form of treble damages and civil penalties when money is obtained from the State by reason of a false or fraudulent claim." (Section 1-605(b).) A contractor's liability under the NCFCA may arise from, but is not limited to: requests for payment, invoices, billing, claims for extra work, requests for change orders, requests for time extensions, claims for delay damages/extended general conditions costs, claims for loss productivity, claims for loss efficiency, claims for idle equipment or labor, claims for price/cost escalation, pass-through claims of subcontractors and/or suppliers, documentation used to support any of the foregoing requests or claims, and/or any other request for payment from the State through the contracting state agency, institution, university or community college. The parts of the NCFCA that are most likely to be enforced with respect to this type of contract are as follows:

- A "claim" is "[a]ny request or demand, whether under a contract or otherwise, for money or property and whether or not the State has title to the money or property that (i) is presented to an officer, employee, or agent of the State or (ii) is made to a contractor ... if the money or property is to be spent or used on the State's behalf or to advance a State program or interest and if the State government: (a) provides or has provided any portion of the money or property that is requested or demanded; or (b) will reimburse such contractor ... for any portion of the money or property which is requested or demanded." (Section 1-606(2).)
- "Knowing" and "knowingly." Whenever a person, with respect to information, does any of the following: (a) Has actual knowledge of the information; (b) Acts in deliberate ignorance of the truth or falsity of the information; and/or (c) Acts in reckless disregard of the truth or falsity of the information. (Section 1-606(4).) Proof of specific intent to defraud is not required. (Section 1-606(4).)
- "Material" means having a natural tendency to influence, or be capable of influencing, the payment or receipt of money or property. (Section 1-606(4).)
- Liability. "Any person who commits any of the following acts shall be liable to the State for three times the amount of damages that the State sustains because of the act of that person[:] ... (1) Knowingly presents or causes to be presented a false or fraudulent claim for payment or approval. (2) Knowingly makes, uses, or causes to be made or used, a false record or statement material to a false or fraudulent claim. (3) Conspires to commit a violation of subdivision (1), (2) ..." (Section 1-607(a)(1), (2).)

• The NCFCA shall be interpreted and construed so as to be consistent with the federal False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729, et seq., and any subsequent amendments to that act. (Section 1-616(c).)

Finally, the contracting state agency, institution, university or community college may refer any suspected violation of the NCFCA by the Contractor to the Attorney General's Office for investigation. Under Section 1-608(a), the Attorney General is responsible for investigating any violation of NCFCA, and may bring a civil action against the Contractor under the NCFCA. The Attorney General's investigation and any civil action relating thereto are independent and not subject to any dispute resolution provision set forth in this Contract. (See Section 1-608(a).)

## **ARTICLE 54 – TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE**

Owner may at any time and for any reason terminate Contractor's services and work at Owner's convenience. Upon receipt of such notice, Contractor shall, unless the notice directs otherwise, immediately discontinue the work and placing of orders for materials, facilities and supplies in connection with the performance of this Agreement.

Upon such termination, Contractor shall be entitled to payment only as follows: (1) the actual cost of the work completed in conformity with this Agreement; plus, (2) such other costs actually incurred by Contractor as are permitted by the prime contract and approved by Owner; (3) plus ten percent (10%) of the cost of the work referred to in subparagraph (1) above for overhead and profit. There shall be deducted from such sums as provided in this subparagraph the amount of any payments made to Contractor prior to the date of the termination of this Agreement. Contractor shall not be entitled to any claim or claim of lien against Owner for any additional compensation or damages in the event of such termination and payment.

## SECTION 01000 - SUPPLEMENTARY GENERAL CONDITIONS

PART 1 - GENERAL

## 1.1 GENERAL

A. Refer to "Instructions to Bidders" and "General Conditions" of the Contract, dated January, 2013 (Fourth Edition) provided herein for general conditions.

# 1.2 DEFINITIONS

- A. The following paragraphs are hereby added and shall be a part of <u>Article 1 Definitions</u> of the General Conditions of the Contract.
  - cc. North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University is referred to as "Owner" in these specifications.
  - dd. The Owner has elected to designate Terracon Consultants, Inc., Charlotte, North Carolina, as Engineer for this project.

## 1.3 SUBMITTALS AND SHOP DRAWINGS

- A. The following paragraphs are hereby added and shall be a part of <u>Article 5 Shop</u> Drawings, Submittals, Samples, Data of the General Conditions of the Contract.
  - e. Give the Engineer written notification of the brand name and manufacturer of each material proposed for use and include a statement that all proposed materials meet the specification requirements. Obtain Engineer's approval prior to placing orders.

NOTE: SUBMITTAL OF CATALOG CUT SHEETS, ETC. IN LIEU OF THE MATERIALS LIST REQUIRED ABOVE IS NOT ACCEPTABLE.

f. Furnish Manufacturer's Certificates of Compliance with materials' specifications, for materials incorporated into the work, signed by a responsible officer of the manufacturing firm and notarized. Each certificate shall be an original document printed on the manufacturer's standard letterhead. Each certificate shall specifically reference the project and the applicable compliance standard.

NOTE: APPLICATIONS FOR PAYMENT REQUESTING PAYMENT FOR MATERIALS WILL NOT BE CERTIFIED OR APPROVED UNLESS ACCOMPANIED WITH MANUFACTURER'S CERTIFICATES OF COMPLIANCE FOR THOSE MATERIALS. IT IS SUGGESTED THAT CONTRACTOR REQUEST MATERIAL CERTIFICATES OF COMPLIANCE FROM MATERIAL SUPPLIERS AT THE TIME MATERIALS ARE ORDERED.

- g. Submit Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) for materials proposed for use.
- h. Contractor shall submit to Owner and Engineer a work schedule to meet the contract time limits. Refer to Article 14 of General Conditions of the Contract. A

bona fide schedule must be submitted prior to submittal of the first request for payment. Contractor shall update schedule as required by Article 14.

- i. Prior to start of any work, Contractor must submit to Engineer a Schedule of Values on a copy of AIA Document G703 listing each phase of the work and its scheduled value. Contractor must be prepared to verify all material costs by producing supplier invoices, bills of lading, etc. upon request by Owner or Engineer.
- j. Schedule of Values, shall include labor and material line items for all material components with a material value of more than \$2,000.00 or 5% of the contract amount (whichever is least). The schedule of values must include, as a minimum, line items for any of the following which are applicable to this project including separate labor and material line items where applicable.
  - 1. Mobilization, insurance, bond
  - 2. Demolition
  - 3. New low-slope roof materials
  - 4. Base flashing installation
  - 5. Exterior cladding repair materials
  - 6. Exterior cladding repair labor
  - 7. Sheet metal material
  - 8. Performance and Payment Bonds/
  - 9. Sheet metal labor
  - Sealant installation
  - 11. Manufacturer's inspection
  - 12. Cleanup, demobilization
  - 13. Unit price work in Base Bid (separate line items)
- k. Submit to Owner a roster sheet showing names of the crew. Roster sheet must be updated as necessary.
- I. Shop Drawings are drawings, diagrams, illustrations, schedules, performance charts, brochures and other data prepared by Contractor or any Subcontractor, Subsubcontractor, manufacturer, supplier or distributor which illustrate some portion of the work. Samples are physical examples furnished by Contractor to illustrate materials, equipment or workmanship and establish standards for the work.
- m. Within two weeks after award of Contract, Contractor shall provide Engineer and Owner with a schedule of the dates for submission of each shop drawing and sample required by the Contract. The sequence of submittals shall permit an orderly review by Engineer with reasonable time allowed for checking, correction and rechecking corrections, as well as returning the approved or rejected shop drawings and samples to Contractor and, in turn, to any Subcontractor. Refer to Article 5 of the General Conditions.

NOTE: NO PAY APPLICATIONS WILL BE PROCESSED UNTIL THE SUBMITTALS REQUIRED BY PARAGRAPHS 1.3 A e THROUGH 1.3 A k HAVE BEEN APPROVED BY THE OWNER AND ENGINEER.

n. Contractor shall be responsible for coordinating the schedule for submittal of shop drawings and samples with Contractor's progress schedule and the requirements of the Contract. Failure of Contractor to schedule and submit shop drawings and

samples in ample time for checking, correction and rechecking will not justify any delay in the timely performance of the work. All shop drawings and samples shall bear the following information and shall be submitted by transmittal form:

- 1. Owner's and Engineer's respective project numbers.
- 2. Date of submittal.
- 3. Submittal Number.
- 4. Title of Project.
- 5. Name of Contractor and date of Contractor's approval.
- 6. Name of Subcontractor or supplier and date of submittal to contractor.
- 7. Reference to Specification Section and Paragraph and/or Drawing Number(s).
- 8. The specific location of that portion of the work covered by the submission.
- 9. Any qualification, departure or deviation from the requirements of the Contract
- 10. Any additional information required by the Specifications for the particular material being furnished.
- o. Each shop drawing shall be numbered. The same numbering system shall be retained throughout all revisions. Each drawing shall have a clear space for the approval stamps of Contractor, Engineer and Engineer's consultants, if any.
- p. In submitting shop drawings for approval, all associated shop drawings relating to a complete assembly shall, where possible, be submitted at the same time so that each may be checked in relation to the entire proposed assembly.
- q. Contractor shall prepare composite shop drawings and installation layouts, when required, to depict proposed solutions for tight field conditions. The composite shop drawings and field installation layouts shall be coordinated in the field by Contractor and its Subcontractors for proper relationship to the work of all other trades involved in the work.
- r. Prior to submission, Contractor shall determine and verify field measurements and availability of the material, and shall have coordinated each shop drawing and sample with requirements of the Contract.
- s. With respect to standard manufactured items, Contractor shall submit to Engineer manufacturer's illustrated cuts of the items to be furnished showing details, sizes and dimensions and all other pertinent information. Sufficient copies of cuts shall be furnished so that Engineer may retain a minimum of three (3) copies of such cuts and return to Contractor the number of copies required for Contractor's use and distribution. Simultaneously, Contractor shall submit one copy of the same documents to Owner's Representative and one copy to Owner, using copies of the transmittal to Engineer.
- t. Engineer will review Shop Drawings and Samples to determine conformance with the design concept of the Project and with the information given in the Contract. Engineer's approval of a separate item shall not be construed to mean approval of the assembly of which such item is a part.
- u. Engineer's approval of Shop Drawings or Samples shall not relieve Contractor of responsibility for any deviation from the requirements of the Contract unless

Contractor has informed Engineer in writing of such deviation at the time of submission and Engineer has given written approval to the specific deviation, nor shall Engineer's approval relieve Contractor from responsibility for errors or omissions in the shop drawings or samples.

- v. Contractor shall make any corrections required by Engineer and shall resubmit corrected copies of shop drawings or new samples until approved. Contractor shall direct specific attention in writing, or on resubmitted shop drawings, to revisions other than the corrections required by Engineer. The number and distribution of copies shall be the same as in Contractor's first submission.
- w. In the event that Engineer shall mark shop drawings "approved" or "approved as noted", Contractor shall make such corrections, if any, as may be noted. Correction shall be made on, and prints for final distribution shall be made from, the transparencies bearing Engineer's notations and impress stamps. Final distribution of prints shall be made by Contractor.
- x. No portion of the Work requiring a shop drawing or sample submission shall be commenced until the submission has been approved by Engineer. All such portions of the work shall be in accordance with approved shop drawings and samples.
- y. Any work which will result in structural changes in walls, steel, floors and masonry shall not be commenced by Contractor prior to Engineer's written approval. Contractor's submission for such work shall fully describe all details of methods, shoring and bracing.

## 1.4 PROTECTION OF WORK, PROPERTY AND THE PUBLIC

- A. The following paragraphs are hereby added to and shall be a part of <u>Article 11 Protection of Work, Property and the Public of the General conditions of the Contract.</u>
  - j. Contractor will prevent any work which could reasonably be deemed to be hazardous from taking place over or adjacent to occupied areas. Contractor will be responsible to coordinate with the Owner, through the Engineer, the vacating of such affected areas of all occupants and will give the Owner adequate notice to allow time to comply. Contractor will post a watchman inside the building in the affected area(s) at all times during the work to ensure no one enters or remains in the affected area(s).
  - k. At conclusion of each day's work, Contractor shall carefully inspect work including temporary daily tie-offs to ensure system is completely water tight; all stored materials are suitably protected from the weather and all equipment is stored in such a manner as not to interfere with facility operations.
  - I. Contractor will note that building will remain occupied during work. He is responsible for taking all precautions necessary to protect building, contents, and personnel from damage or injury from his operations, and from water entry into the building during construction. Dirt and dust must be kept to a minimum.

- m. Prior to starting work Contractor shall obtain approval of the Owner for locations of work operations at ground level, such as material storage, hoisting, dumping, etc. Work will be restricted to approved locations.
- n. Contractor will be responsible for any damage to grounds and landscaping. In the event of damage, he shall restore damaged property to a condition equivalent to that at time of start of operations.
- Contractor shall conduct work in a manner that will ensure the least possible obstruction to traffic and inconvenience to the general public, students and school personnel. The Contractor shall take all precautions to ensure the protection of persons and property.
- p. No roads, streets or sidewalks shall be closed to the public except with permission from the Owner. Requests for permission to obstruct roads must be delivered to the Owner 48 hours prior to the time obstruction is required. Fire hydrants on or adjacent to the work shall be kept in operation. Provisions shall be made by the Contractor to ensure the safe use of sidewalks and proper functioning of all gutters, sewer inlets, temporary drainage ditches, etc. which shall not be obstructed except as approved by the Owner and the Engineer.
- q. The Contractor shall protect from damage all trees, shrubs and natural planting beds in and around the construction site.
- r. Contractor shall use whatever means necessary to isolate equipment from non-contractor personnel, including the construction of a six-foot tall chain-link fence with integral lockable gate. Owner reserves the right to judge adequacy of contractor's methods to isolate equipment and may, at any time, demand construction of the fence as compliance with this requirement. Should the Owner demand the construction of the fence, such shall be accomplished at no additional cost to the Owner.
- s. On normal workdays when contractor does not work due to inclement weather or other reasons, Contractor's superintendent shall visit the site no later than his normal start time and verify that the system is completely water tight; all stored materials are suitably protected from the weather and all equipment is stored in such a manner as not to interfere with facility operations. Contractor shall be prepared to implement emergency repairs as necessary to prevent leakage into the facility.
- t. The Contractor will be responsible for initiating, maintaining, and supervising all safety precautions and programs in connection with the work. He will take all necessary precautions for the safety of, and will provide the necessary precaution to prevent damage, injury or loss to:
  - 1. All employees on the work and other persons who may be affected thereby.
  - 2. All the work and all materials or equipment to be incorporated therein, whether in storage on or off the site, and,
  - 3. Other property at the site or adjacent thereto, including trees, shrubs, lawns, walks, pavements, roadways, structures and utilities not designated for removal, relocation or replacement in the course of construction.

- u. The Contractor will comply with all applicable laws, ordinances, rules, regulations and orders of any public body (including the North Carolina Building Code) having jurisdiction for the safety of persons or property or to protect them from damage, injury or loss. He will erect and maintain, as required by the conditions and progress of the work, all necessary safeguards for safety and protection. All damage, injury or loss to any property caused, directly or indirectly in whole or in part, by the Contractor, and Subcontractor or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable, will be remedied by the Contractor.
- v. The Contractor shall be responsible for all repairs of water damage to the building, including furnishings, occurring during the construction phase of the project. The Engineer shall survey, in the presence of the Owner and Contractor, existing water damage prior to construction and prepare a written and photographic record of this survey, with copies distributed to both the Contractor and Owner. The Contractor shall be responsible for all damage not so documented.
- w. Care shall be taken to <u>protect all persons</u> in the vicinity from injury and undue inconvenience.
- x. Where the work overhead interferes with entrances and exits, erect access tunnels in accordance with regulatory agencies including OSHA and the North Carolina Building Code.
- y. Contractor shall provide telephone numbers of at least two (2) responsible persons who could be contacted for emergency inspections in the event of roof leakage or periods of internal precipitation during non-working hours, holidays, etc. while the roofing project is in progress.

## 1.5 INSPECTION OF WORK

- A. The following paragraphs are hereby added and shall be a part of <u>Article 13 Inspection</u> of the Work of the General Conditions of the Contract.
  - g. Work found to be in violation of specifications or not in accordance with established workmanship practices and standards will be subject to complete removal and proper replacement with new materials at Contractor's expense.
  - h. Failure of Owner or Engineer to discover or reject defective work, or work not in accordance with the Contract, shall not be deemed an acceptance thereof, nor a waiver of Owner's rights to Contractor's compliance with the Contract or performance of the work, or any part thereof. No partial or final payment, or partial or entire occupancy, by Owner shall be deemed to be an acceptance of work or of material which is not strictly in accordance with the Contract, nor shall it be deemed to be a waiver by Owner of any of Owner's rights pursuant to this Contract or otherwise.
  - i. The words "supervise" and "inspect" wherever used herein in connection with the duties or activity of the Engineer shall in no way, expressed or implied, relieve the Contractor from his responsibilities for the safety of the workmen, the preservation of the work or proper performance under this Contract. The Engineer shall not be

- responsible for the safety of the workmen, the safeguarding of the work, or the proper performance of the Contractor.
- j. No Inspector shall have the power to waive the obligations resting upon the Contractor to furnish good material and do good work as herein prescribed. Any failure or omission on the part of any Inspector or the Engineer to condemn any defective material or work shall not release the Contractor from the obligation to at once tear out, remove, and properly replace or rebuild the same at any time upon discovery of the defect and upon notice from the Owner or Engineer to do so.
- k. Contractor will be responsible for attending regularly scheduled progress meetings at the site.

## 1.6 CONSTRUCTION SUPERVISION

- A. The following paragraphs are hereby added and shall be a part of <u>Article 14 Construction Supervision and Schedule of the General Conditions of the Contract.</u>
  - m. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to keep accurate and current records of Unit Price Work accomplished. All Unit Price Work must be authorized by the Owner.
  - n. Project Expediter shall post a sign indicating that firearms are prohibited on the job site.
  - o. For the purpose of these Specifications, the designation of "<u>superintendent</u>" is hereby defined as the individual present on the job site at all times work is being performed and whose primary responsibility is to supervise and direct the performance of the work.
  - p. The superintendent shall not be changed except with the consent of the Owner and Engineer, unless the superintendent proves to be unsatisfactory to the Contractor and ceases to be in his employment.
  - q. The superintendent shall be in attendance at the project site at all times during the progress of the work and his duties as superintendent shall be limited to this project only. The superintendent shall supervise and instruct workmen without engaging in the work process. Should the superintendent be absent temporarily from the project at any time, he shall designate a competent foreman to assume his duties. During the superintendent's absence, the foreman shall not engage in the work process but shall supervise and instruct only. Likewise, any communications given to the foreman shall be as binding as if given to the Contractor.
  - r. The superintendent shall have had a minimum of four (4) years continuous experience in supervision and masonry installation as a job superintendent on projects of similar size and scope. References should be furnished to support his/her abilities to perform the scope of work.
  - s. All Contractor personnel shall wear identification badges at all times acceptable to the University. Contractor must submit roster to Owner prior to starting work.

## 1.7 TIME OF COMPLETION

- A. The following paragraphs are hereby added to and shall be a part of <u>Article 23 Time of Completion, Delays, Extension of Time</u> of the General Conditions of the Contract.
  - h. The Contractor(s) shall commence work to be performed under this agreement on a date to be specified in a written order from the Designer and shall fully complete all work hereunder within sixty (60) consecutive calendar days from said date. For each day in excess of the above number of days, the Contractor shall pay to the Owner the sum of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) as liquidated damages reasonably estimated in advance to cover the losses to be incurred by the Owner by reason of failure of said Contractor(s) to complete work within the time specified, such time being in the essence of this contract and a material consideration thereof. The Designer shall be the judge as to division of responsibility between the Contractor(s) and shall apportion the amount of liquidated damages to be paid by each of them, according to delay caused by any or all of them.
  - i. Contractor's working hours shall generally be from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Work schedule is subject to temporary changes due to operational needs of the University. Weekend work is to be coordinated with Owner three (3) days in advance.
  - j. The "5-year average of precipitation" shall be determined only by applying daily amounts greater than one-tenth (0.10) of an inch. Only amounts exceeding 0.10 inch shall be applied in determining the actual number of "rain days" for a given month.
  - k. Saturdays, Sundays and holidays are available to recover lost time due to weather. Time extensions for weather related delays which affect the critical path and exceed the NOAA 5-year average for a particular month, will only be granted provided the contractor makes an effort to make up work on weekends or holidays following the rain event. Exceptions to this requirement may be granted in cases where rain occurs on a make-up day.
  - I. The effect of "rain days" may impact Critical Path work activities for a period more than the average rain days for any period, such as dewatering, cleanup, etc. which would follow a rain event. The Contractor shall include in the Project Schedule, sufficient days to accommodate weather related delays which will result from the 5-year average precipitation for each month.

## 1.8 UTILITIES

- A. The following paragraphs are hereby added and shall be a part of <u>Article 40 Utilities</u>, Structures and Signs of the General Conditions of the Contract.
  - m. Return all utilities disconnected or affected in any way by the demolition and/or construction back into operation that is as good or better than before changes.

## 1.9 PERSONNEL FACILITIES

- A. The following paragraphs are hereby added and shall be a part of <u>Article 41 Cleaning</u> Up of the General Conditions of the Contract.
  - d. Contractor personnel may not use toilet or washroom facilities in existing buildings.
  - e. Contractor will be responsible to provide portable toilet facilities and facilities for washing and clean-up as necessary. Facilities will be located at sites approved by the Owner. Contractor is required to lock portable toilet at the end of each workday on a daily basis.
  - f. On-site lunchroom facilities will not be available to Contractor personnel.
  - g. Contractor vehicles must be registered with the Owner.
  - h. All debris and removed material shall be removed from the site daily to minimize accumulation. Contractor is required to contain all trash and debris and prevent trash and debris from being blown around campus. Contractor is to police trash and debris on a daily basis and place all trash and debris in proper containment. Owner reserves the right to judge whether or not debris is being removed in a timely manner.

## 1.10 GUARANTEES AND WARRANTY

- A. The following paragraphs are hereby added and shall be a part of <u>Article 42 Guarantee</u> of the General Conditions of the Contract.
  - e. Upon completion of the work, and before final payment and/or release of retainage, Contractor shall submit and shall obtain from each subcontractor, material supplier, and equipment manufacturer and submit, an ASBESTOS FREE WARRANTY, properly executed and printed on Contractor's, subcontractors', material suppliers' and equipment manufacturers' standard letterhead form. The ASBESTOS FREE WARRANTY shall be in the form included herein and signed by a responsible officer of the Contractor, subcontractor, material supplier and equipment manufacturer and notarized.
  - f. The Contractor shall guarantee the materials and workmanship associated with the masonry repairs and through-wall flashing work against defects due to faulty materials, workmanship and/or negligence by the Contractor(s) for a period of sixty (60) months following final acceptance of the work. Guarantee shall be in the form included herein.

## 1.11 ASBESTOS PRODUCTS

A. The following paragraph is hereby added and shall be a part of the General Conditions of the Contract.

a. It is the intention of these Specifications that no asbestos bearing materials be incorporated into the work and that, unless specifically designated to remain, no existing asbestos bearing materials incorporated in the existing system will remain subsequent to completion of the work. In the event Contractor should determine asbestos bearing materials to be present in the existing system, Contractor is to stop all work in the affected area, notify the Engineer, and provide temporary protection as required. Costs incurred, if any, due to the presence of hidden and/or unanticipated asbestos bearing materials will be authorized by Owner by a Change Order to this Contract.

#### 1.12 CONTRACTOR EMPLOYEES

- A. None but skilled foremen and workmen shall be employed on work requiring special qualifications. Any person employed on the work who fails, refuses, or neglects to obey the instructions in anything relating to this work, or who appears to be disorderly, insubordinate, unfaithful, or incompetent, shall upon the order of the Owner be at once discharged and not again employed on any part of the work. Any interference with, or abusive or threatening conduct toward the Engineer or his assistants by the Contractor or his employees or agents, shall be authority for the Owner to annul the Contract and re-let the work.
- B. Contractor is advised that fraternization with staff and students is unacceptable and will not be tolerated. Fraternization will result in removal of the Contractor personnel for the remainder of the project.

## 1.13 EXAMINATION OF SITE, PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS

- A. The Bidder is required, before submitting his proposal, to visit the site of the proposed work and familiarize himself with the nature and the extent of the work and any surface and subsurface conditions that may in any manner affect the work to be done, and the equipment, materials, and labor required, and the cost thereof. Bidder is also required to examine carefully the Plans and Specifications and Contract Documents and to inform himself thoroughly regarding any and all conditions and requirements that may in any manner affect the work to be performed under the Contract. Ignorance on the part of the Contractor will in no way relieve him of the obligations and responsibilities assumed under the Contract. No information derived from maps, drawings, specifications, or from Employees of the City, the Engineer, or his assistants, shall relieve the Contractor from any risk or from fulfilling all terms of the Contract.
- B. No interpretation of the meaning of the Drawings, Specifications or other Contract Documents will be made orally to any bidder. Prospective bidders must request such interpretation in writing from the Engineer. To be considered, such request must be received at least seven (7) days prior to the time fixed for the opening of bids. Any and all interpretations and supplemental instructions will be issued in the form of written addenda, not later than seven (7) days prior to the date fixed for the opening of bids. Failure of any bidder to receive any such addenda shall not relieve any bidder from any obligation under his bid as submitted. All addenda so issued shall become a part of the Contract Documents.

#### 1.14 SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION AND CONTRACTOR'S AFFIDAVIT

A. Refer to Section 01770 – Closeout Procedures for required closeout documents. The Contractor is also referred to Articles 24 and 36 of the Instructions to Bidders and General Conditions of the Contract.

## 1.15 TESTING

A. Materials stored on site which are marked by the Inspection, Engineer or Owner as not meeting the requirements of the contract documents are to be removed from the site by the Contractor immediately.

## 1.16 PROJECT RECORD DRAWINGS

- A. Maintain and submit one set of black-line white prints of Contract Drawings and Shop Drawings.
- B. Mark Record Prints to show the actual installation where installation varies from that shown originally. Require individual or entity who obtained record data, whether individual or entity is Installer, subcontractor, or similar entity, to prepare the marked-up Record Prints.
- C. Give particular attention to information on concealed elements that cannot be readily identified and recorded later.
- D. Accurately record information in an understandable drawing technique.
- E. Record data as soon as possible after obtaining it. Record and check the markup before enclosing concealed installations.
- F. Mark Contract Drawings or Shop Drawings, whichever is most capable of showing actual physical conditions, completely and accurately. Where Shop Drawings are marked, show cross-reference on Contract Drawings.
- G. Identify and date each Record Drawing; include the designation "PROJECT RECORD DRAWING" in a prominent location. Organize into manageable sets; bind each set with durable paper cover sheets. Include identification on cover sheets.
- 1.17 GUIDELINES FOR RECRUITMENT AND SELECTION OF MINORITY BUSINESS FOR PARTICIPATION IN STATE CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS
  - A. Refer to Forms Section near end of Specifications.

**END OF SECTION 01000** 

## SECTION 01100 - SUMMARY OF WORK

PART 1 - GENERAL

## 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

## 1.2 WORK COVERED BY CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

- A. Project Identification: The project consists of:
  - 1. Exterior waterproofing, sheet metal and wall and roof repairs:
    - a. Proctor Academic Hall, North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University.
- B. Project Location: 116 Daniel Street, Greensboro, North Carolina 27411.
- C. Furnish all labor, materials, tools, equipment, devices, appliances, utilities, transportation, and other facilities and services necessary to accomplish the work described in these specifications.
- D. **Base Bid**: Work under Base Bid generally consists of the following:
  - 1. Remove existing lightning protection from coping cap and store for re-installation. Install new wood blocking and plywood over existing metal coping at areas designated on drawings. New High Temperature Self-Adhering Membrane shall be applied over the new wood blocking and plywood sheathing. New 22-gauge continuous cleats and 24-gauge coping drive cleat coping cap is to be installed. Coping cap must extend down the face of the existing wall cladding system a minimum of 1-1/2".
  - 2. Remove the existing base flashing, 24 inches of existing roofing membrane and the existing coping cap along High Parapet Wall and discard. Lightning protection along the coping cap is to be removed and stored for re-installation. Installation of new base flashings and roofing membrane shall be installed along the high parapet wall. Wall flashing is to be split into two equal section to help prevent sagging. Install new High Temperature Self-Adhering Membrane over existing wood blocking and new 24-gauge coping cap with drive cleat and 22-gauge continuous cleats. Roofing and parapet wall flashing material and installation methods must be conducted per the System Manufacturer. Roofing is still under warranty.
  - 3. Install new backer rod, silicone sealant and pre-fabricated silicone strip at coping to aluminum header transition at High Parapet Wall.

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- 4. Remove existing sealant at clerestory storefront windows along West and South Elevations and discard. Install new backer rod and silicone sealant.
- 5. Install new slip flashing at existing metal flashing at storefront windows along the West Elevation. Slip flashing is to be installed with pop rivets and extend down the face of the metal panels a minimum of 1-1/2". Flashing is to be installed in a manner to promote positive drainage.
- 6. Remove wall cladding panels adjacent to curtainwall system on the East Elevation to reveal curtainwall perimeter joint. Cut back exposed foam sprayed insulation applied in the joint. Clean and prep substrates to receive new backer rod and sealant. Once sealant has cured, reinstall exterior wall cladding panels.
- Remove wall cladding panels, insulation and metal framing (as required) adjacent to balconies as indicated on drawings. Repair all damaged waterproofing utilizing selfadhering membrane and liquid mastic.
- 8. Remove wall cladding panels, metal framing (as required) and existing insulation along the West and South Elevation above clearstory windows as indicated on drawings. Repair all damaged waterproofing utilizing self-adhering membrane and liquid mastic. Metal leg of flashing is to be stripped in with self-adhering membrane and terminated with liquid mastic.
- 9. Install new sealant and backer rod at all sunshade steel clips on West Elevation.
- 10. Install new cove bead along brick masonry flashing that does not extend past brick face at clearstory window along West and South Elevations.
- 11. Any other miscellaneous work identified in the specifications and drawings.

## E. Unit Prices:

1. Refer to Unit Price Section 01270 for unit price quantities included in the Base Bid.

## 1.3 DESCRIPTION OF THE EXISTING SYSTEM

- A. Exterior Façade is generally comprised of the exterior fiber cement wall panels, brick masonry, curtainwalls and storefront windows.
- B. Roofing system is generally comprised of a built-up bituminous roofing system.
- C. Building height is approximately 55 feet from grade.
- D. Contractor shall be responsible to document all existing damage to facility prior to beginning work and producing documentation acceptable to Engineer prior to starting work. Damage discovered during the project which was not documented, and which is not

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clearly the responsibility of others, may be presumed by the Engineer or Owner as the responsibility of the Contractor. Documentation may be in the form of written statements and/or drawings but must also be supported by photographs and/or video tape supplied by contractor.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS (Not Used)

PART 3 - EXECUTION (Not Used)

**END OF SECTION 01100** 

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## SECTION 01140 - WORK RESTRICTIONS

## PART 1 - GENERAL

## 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

## 1.2 USE OF PREMISES

- A. Use of Site: Limit use of premises to work in areas indicated. Do not disturb portions of site beyond areas in which the Work is indicated.
  - 1. Schedule deliveries per requirements of Owner.
- B. Use of Existing Building: Maintain existing building in a weathertight condition throughout construction period. Repair damage caused by construction operations. Protect building and its occupants during construction period.
- C. Contractor shall abide by all security and badging requirements of the Owner.

# 1.3 OCCUPANCY REQUIREMENTS

- A. Full Owner Occupancy: Owner will occupy site and existing building during entire construction period. Cooperate with Owner during construction operations to minimize conflicts and facilitate Owner usage. Perform the Work so as not to interfere with Owner's operations.
- B. Contractor shall coordinate with Owner on-site personnel on any building shutdowns; 72-hour prior notice required.
- C. Contractor will be stopped if construction operations interfere with facility operations. Contractor must coordinate all operations with Owner's representatives.

#### 1.4 USE OF SUBCONTRACTORS

A. The Contractor may use Subcontractors to accomplish such miscellaneous or associated work as structural modifications, plumbing, relocation of conduit, service piping and/or HVAC equipment, etc.

NOTE: THE ROOFING CONTRACTOR MAY NOT SUBCONTRACT ANY PART OF THE ROOFING WORK SPECIFIED HEREIN WITHOUT THE PRIOR WRITTEN CONSENT OF THE OWNER.

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#### 1.5 SAFETY AND PROTECTION

- A. The Contractor will be responsible for initiating, maintaining, and supervising all safety precautions and programs in connection with the work. He will take all necessary precautions for the safety of, and will provide the necessary precautions to prevent damage, injury or loss to:
  - 1. All employees on the work and other persons who may be affected thereby.
  - 2. All the work and all materials or equipment to be incorporated therein, whether in storage on or off the site, and,
  - 3. Other property at the site or adjacent thereto, including trees, shrubs, lawns, walks, pavement, roadways, structures and utilities not designated for removal, relocation or replacement in the course of construction.
- B. Contractor will prevent any work which could reasonably be deemed to be hazardous from taking place over or adjacent to occupied areas. Contractor will be responsible to coordinate with the Owner the vacating of such affected areas of all occupants and will give the Owner adequate notice to allow time to comply. Contractor will post a watchman inside the building in the affected area(s) at all times during the work to ensure no one enters or remains in the affected area(s).
- C. The Contractor will comply with all applicable laws, ordinances, rules, regulations and orders of any public body having jurisdiction for the safety of persons or property or to protect them from damage, injury or loss. He will erect and maintain, as required by the conditions and progress of the work, all necessary safeguards for safety and protection. All damage, injury or loss to any property caused, directly or indirectly in whole or in part, by the Contractor, and Subcontractor or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable, will be remedied by the Contractor.
- D. Roof access shall be from the facility exterior unless otherwise approved by Owner.
- E. Tobacco products will <u>not</u> be allowed on the site at any time. Contractor is responsible to enforce the tobacco policy of the Owner with regard to Contractor's personnel. Non-compliance by any of Contractor's personnel will be justification for removal of those individuals from this project.
- F. Equipment, materials, etc. shall be cordoned off from the public in a manner acceptable to the Owner and/or Engineer so as to prevent access to this equipment by non-contractor personnel. In the event, Owner and/or Engineer do not approve the methods used by contractor to enclose such equipment, Engineer and/or Owner may instruct contractor to take additional precautions at contractor's expense up to and including a complete enclosure of the work area around the equipment and related work area by a 72 inch high chain link fence with lockable gate. Enclosed area shall be sufficiently large as to allow the storage of materials within the fenced area and any related equipment and personnel necessary to maintain the equipment. Additionally, any related safety provisions imposed by local fire marshals, etc. are to be implemented by contractor at contractor's expense. Contractor is responsible to determine what procedures will be acceptable prior to submitting a bid or proposal.

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- G. Submit plans for removal and reroofing to Owner for his approval prior to starting work so that, if necessary, inside operations can be coordinated with the roofing work.
- H. Safety barricades consisting of orange fencing are to be provided by the Contractor around loading and unloading areas from the rooftop, material and dumpster storage, etc.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS (Not Used)

PART 3 - EXECUTION (Not Used)

**END OF SECTION 01140** 

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## SECTION 01210 - ALLOWANCES

## PART 1 - GENERAL

## 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

## 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes administrative and procedural requirements governing allowances.
  - Certain items are specified in the Contract Documents by allowances. Allowances have been established in lieu of additional requirements and to defer selection of actual materials and equipment to a later date when additional information is available for evaluation. If necessary, additional requirements will be issued by Change Order.
- B. Types of allowances include the following:
  - 1. Unit price allowances.
- C. Related Sections include the following:
  - 1. Division 1 Section "Contract Modification Procedures."
  - 2. Division 1 Section "Unit Prices."
  - 3. Division 1 Section "Quality Control."

## 1.3 SELECTION AND PURCHASE

- A. At the earliest practical date after award of the Contract, advise Engineer of the date when final selection and purchase of each product or system described by an allowance must be completed to avoid delaying the Work.
- B. At Engineer's request, obtain proposals for each allowance for use in making final selections. Include recommendations that are relevant to performing the Work.
- C. Purchase products and systems selected by Engineer from the designated supplier.

## 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit proposals for purchase of products or systems included in allowances, in the form specified for Change Orders.
- B. Submit invoices or delivery slips to show actual quantities of materials delivered to the site for use in fulfillment of each allowance.

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C. Coordinate and process submittals for allowance items in same manner as for other portions of the Work.

## 1.5 COORDINATION

A. Coordinate allowance items with other portions of the Work. Furnish templates as required to coordinate installation.

## 1.6 CONTINGENCY ALLOWANCES

A. No general allowance required.

# 1.7 UNUSED MATERIALS

- A. Return unused materials purchased under an allowance to manufacturer or supplier for credit to Owner, after installation has been completed and accepted.
  - 1. If requested by Engineer, prepare unused material for storage by Owner when it is not economically practical to return the material for credit. If directed by Engineer, deliver unused material to Owner's storage space. Otherwise, disposal of unused material is Contractor's responsibility.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS (Not Used)

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

A. Examine products covered by an allowance promptly on delivery for damage or defects. Return damaged or defective products to manufacturer for replacement.

## 3.2 PREPARATION

A. Coordinate materials and their installation for each allowance with related materials and installations to ensure that each allowance item is completely integrated and interfaced with related work.

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# 3.3 UNIT PRICE QUANTITY ALLOWANCE

A. The lump sum bid amount shall include the following unit price allowance items:

1. Allowance No. 1: Include 250 board feet of damaged or deteriorated wood blocking in Base Bid.

Allowance No. 2: Include 500 linear feet of sealant removal and replacement.
 Allowance No. 3: Include 500 square feet of additional waterproofing repair.

4. Allowance No. 4: Include 25 4'x8' XPS boards for replacement.

**END OF SECTION 01210** 

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## SECTION 01270 - UNIT PRICES

## PART 1 - GENERAL

## 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

## 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This section includes administrative and procedural requirements for unit prices.
- B. Related sections include the following:
  - 1. Division 1 Section "Summary of Work."
  - 2. Division 1 Section "Allowances."

## 1.3 USE OF UNIT PRICES

- A. Unit prices are required for the items listed below. The associated quantity is indicated for each item in Section 01210, Paragraph 3.3. Allowances shall be included in the Base Bid.
- B. Unit prices quoted by the contractor are to be used to increase or decrease the contract amount. Additive amounts will be at 100% of the quoted unit price and deductive amounts will be at 100% of the quoted unit price. Deductive unit prices will apply only to those items for which specific quantities have been included in the scope of work for Base Bid.
- C. The Contractor will be compensated at the unit price bid for the exact quantity of work performed under each unit price item. If allowances are included in the base bid for unit price work, the actual quantity of work paid for under the allowance will be at the unit price established in the proposal. The quantities indicated in the quantity allowance are estimated quantities only for the purpose of comparing bids. The Contract Sum will be adjusted accordingly (up or down) based upon the unit prices to reflect the actual work performed.
- D. All unit prices are to include all costs associated with implementing the unit of work, including but not necessarily limited to all labor, insurance, materials, tools, equipment, devices, appliances, utilities, transportation, profit and overhead necessary to remove, replace and legally dispose of off-site any damaged or deteriorated item.
- E. Prior to performing any work under unit pricing, the Contractor shall notify the Engineer to allow for measurement of the actual quantities of work. Any work performed under these items without prior approval and measurement shall be at the Contractor's expense.

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# 1.4 DAILY LOGS

A. Contractor shall maintain a daily log showing dates, location and exact quantities of unit price work. Copies of log shall be submitted with each application for payment regardless of whether unit price work is accomplished during the period covered by the application. If no unit price work is accomplished during the period, log shall include a statement to that effect. No payment application will be approved unless accompanied by daily logs.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.1 MATERIALS

A. All materials necessary to complete this item shall be in accordance with the Specifications.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.1 LIST OF UNIT PRICES

- A. Unit prices are required for the following items. Provide each unit price on the Bid Form.
  - 1. Unit Price No. 1 Replace wood blocking.
    - a. Description: Replace damaged or deteriorated wood blocking according to Division 6 Section "Rough Carpentry."
    - b. Unit of Measurement: Per board foot.
  - 2. Unit Price No. 2 Remove and replace sealant.
    - a. Description: Remove and replace damaged or deteriorated sealant according to Division 7 Section "Reroofing Preparation."
    - b. Unit of Measurement: Per linear foot.
  - 3. Unit Price No. 3 Installation of new waterproofing membrane.
    - a. Description: Replace additional damaged waterproofing according to Division
       7 Section "Exterior Cladding Repairs."
    - b. Unit of Measurement: Per square foot.
  - 4. Unit Price No. 4 Replacement of damaged XPS boards:
    - a. Description: Replace damaged XPS boards according to Division 7 Section "Exterior Cladding Repairs."
    - b. Unit of Measurement: Per 4'x8' boards.

## **END OF SECTION 01270**

UNIT PRICES 01270 - 2

#### SECTION 01400 - QUALITY REQUIREMENTS

PART 1 - GENERAL

## 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and General Provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

A. This section includes administrative and procedural requirements for quality assurance and quality control.

#### 1.3 INSTALLER QUALIFICATIONS

- A. Installer must be a licensed General Contractor of the class required by North Carolina Statutes for executing the work being bid.
- B. Prior to an award of contract, the apparent successful bidder shall submit to engineer a statement issued by the North Carolina licensing board for general contractors on the board's letterhead certifying that the bidder is currently and appropriately licensed pursuant to the applicable provisions of North Carolina general statutes governing the business of "construction contracting" and such other rules, regulations and/or ordinances as may be applicable to performance of the work specified herein. Failure to provide evidence of an appropriate license by any bidder as described herein shall result in the bid, quotation or proposal of that bidder not being considered.
- C. Bidder must be a General Contractor with at least four (4) years of contracting experience in the type of work involved in this project, and must have performed work similar in scope to the work proposed in this project. Evidence of qualifications must be available upon request by Owner. The contracting firm's experience will be considered in the enforcement of this provision. All experience must have been acquired by bidding contractor names on the Form of Proposal. Firms using alias, or who have changed names during the four-year period are subject to disqualification at the discretion of the Owner. In addition, Bidders must also have successfully completed a minimum of five (5) projects of similar size and scope over the last four (4) years.
- D. The roofing contractor shall submit certification from the roofing materials manufacturer that he is a Contractor who is qualified and certified by the materials manufacturer to install the roofing system specified and issue the warranty required. The roofing contractor shall also submit documentation from the manufacturer listing the foreman or superintendent for the project along with most recent training date for foreman or superintendent.

#### 1.4 WORKMANSHIP

- A. Contractor shall use workmen skilled in the type of installation on this project. Workman shall be same workman employed on previous projects used to demonstrate contractor's experience.
- B. All work shall be consistent and shall be performed with the highest quality and skill for installation

#### 1.5 INSPECTION

- A. Owner will provide inspection during the work. Such inspection may be periodic or daily.
- B. The works "supervise" and "inspect" wherever used herein in connection with the duties or activity of the Engineer shall in no way, expressed or implied, relieve the Contractor from his responsibilities for the safety of the workmen, the preservation of the work or proper performance under this Contract. The Engineer shall not be responsible for the safety of the workmen, the safeguarding of the work, or the proper performance of the Contractor.
- C. No Inspector shall have the power to waive the obligations resting upon the Contractor to furnish good material and do good work as herein prescribed. Any failure or omission on the part of any Inspector or the Engineer to condemn any defective material or work shall not release the Contractor from the obligation to at once tear out, remove, and properly replace or rebuild the same at any time upon discovery of the defect and upon notice from the Owner or Engineer to do so.
- D. Work found to be in violation of specifications or not in accordance with established workmanship practices and standards will be subject to complete removal and proper replacement with new materials at Contractor's expense.
- E. Remove materials stored on site which are marked by the Inspector as not meeting the requirements of the contract documents.
- F. Failure of Owner or Engineer to discover or reject defective work, or work not in accordance with the Contract, shall not be deemed an acceptance thereof, nor a waiver of Owner's rights to Contractor's compliance with the Contract or performance of the work, or any part thereof. No partial or final payment, or partial or entire occupancy, by Owner shall be deemed to be an acceptance or work or of material which is not strictly in accordance with the Contract, nor shall it be deemed to be a waiver by Owner of any of Owner's rights pursuant to this Contract or otherwise.

#### 1.6 SUBCONTRACTORS

A. Use of Subcontractors to accomplish such miscellaneous or associated work as structural modifications, plumbing, relocation of conduit, service piping and/or HVAC equipment, etc. is permitted. Do not subcontract any part of the roofing work specified herein without the prior written consent of the Owner.

#### 1.7 PRECONSTRUCTION CONFERENCE

A. Prior to the start of work there shall be a conference attended by the Contractor, the representative of the Owner, and other parties who may be designated by the Owner, to be convened at the work site for the purpose of reviewing the specifications and job conditions and resolving any questions then arising.

#### 1.8 MANUFACTURER

A. A technical representative of the roof system manufacturer shall conduct periodic inspections throughout the course of the work. The representative shall prepare a written report for each inspection and shall promptly provide a copy of each report to the Owner, Contractor and Engineer. Each report shall note any deficiencies the representative observes which require correction. A minimum of two (2) inspections is required for this project including a final inspection after contractor has completed installation of all roof system components.

## 1.9 FINAL INSPECTION

- A. The Engineer and Owner shall conduct a final inspection of all work included in the contract as soon as possible after receiving written notification from the Contractor that the work is complete and ready for inspection.
- B. A final inspection report shall be prepared by the Engineer listing observed deficiencies and shall be furnished to the Contractor.
- C. Contractor shall prepare in triplicate a Certificate of Substantial Completion, AIA Document G704, and forward to the Engineer for execution.
- D. Upon satisfactory completion of all deficiencies, Contractor shall initial each item on the report certifying his compliance and return to the Engineer.
- E. No portion of the final payment shall be made until all items have been satisfactorily corrected and the project given approval.
- F. All project completion documents are to be submitted within thirty (30) days following acceptance by the Owner.

# 1.10 MATERIAL STORAGE AND TIE-OFFS

- A. Materials stored on site which are marked by the Inspector, Engineer or Owner as not meeting the requirements of the contract documents are to be removed from the site by the contractor immediately.
- B. At conclusion of each day's work, Contractor shall carefully inspect work including temporary daily tie-offs to ensure system is completely watertight; all stored materials are suitably protected from the weather and all equipment is stored in such a manner as not to interfere with facility operations.

**END OF SECTION 01400** 

## SECTION 01500 - TEMPORARY FACILITIES, CONTROLS AND PROTECTION

## PART 1 - GENERAL

# 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

A. This Section includes requirements for temporary facilities, controls, protection and disconnects, including temporary utilities.

#### 1.3 SUBMITTALS

A. Submit plans for work for approval prior to starting work so that, if necessary, inside operations can be coordinated with the work.

## 1.4 TEMPORARY UTILITIES

- A. Contractor personnel may not use toilet or washroom facilities in existing buildings.
- B. Contractor will be responsible to provide portable toilet facilities and facilities for washing and clean-up as necessary. Facilities will be located at sites approved by the Owner.
- C. On-site lunchroom facilities will not be available to Contractor personnel.

#### 1.5 CONTRACTOR'S CONTACT LIST

A. Contractor shall provide telephone numbers of at least two (2) responsible persons who could be contacted for emergency inspections in the event of roof leakage or periods of internal precipitation during non-working hours, holidays, etc. while the roofing project is in progress.

#### 1.6 CONNECTS AND DISCONNECTS

- A. In the event it is necessary to disconnect any electrical wiring or connections, plumbing lines or other building services, notify the Owner. Do not disconnect or connect services unless authorized in writing by Owner.
- B. Include in Base Bid all costs required for modification of existing service piping, wiring and duct work required in connection with the lifting, removal or relocation of roof-mounted equipment.

- C. All associated work is to be accomplished by appropriately licensed personnel in accordance with all applicable codes and regulations.
- D. Review roof-top equipment usage with Owner and facility user at beginning of project. Disable equipment determined to be essential to the operations of the facility only at those times prescribed by the Owner. This may require work to be done at other than normal operating hours.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS (Not Used)

PART 3 - EXECUTION (Not Used)

**END OF SECTION 01500** 

#### SECTION 01530 - TREE AND PLANT PROTECTION

## PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of contract, including General, Supplemental and Special Conditions and other Division 1 specifications sections apply to work of this section.

#### 1.2 DESCRIPTION

- A. Contractor will be responsible for any damage to grounds and landscaping. In the event of damage, the Contractor shall restore damaged property to a condition equivalent to that at time of start of operations.
- B. Removal, replanting, and repairing of damaged plants to be completed by a nurseryman or tree surgeon in a manner acceptable to the owner. Plants designated to be removed and kept alive shall be removed, cared for and replanted by qualified specialist of the plant type involved.
- C. Regrading and seeding or sodding of disturbed areas.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

# 2.1 MATERIALS

- A. <u>Topsoil</u> shall be clean and reasonably free of debris such as clay, stones, roots, or other similar substances. It shall not be excessively acid or alkaline nor contain toxic substances harmful to plant growth.
- B. <u>Peat</u> shall be low in mineral and wood content and consist of partially decomposed vegetable matter, mildly acid.
- C. Pine Bark for soil mixing shall be aged 3/8" or finer, others to be nuggets.
- D. <u>Soil Mixture</u> shall be approximately 50% topsoil, and 25% each of soil mixing pine bark and peat.
- E. <u>Mulch Ground Cover</u> shall be pine bark nuggets, pine straw, or cypress mulch as required to match existing landscaping.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

# 3.1 GRADING

A. Grading of disturbed areas to be smooth and be contoured and compacted so that the ground contour (after rain and natural settlement) will match conditions that existed before the contractor entered the site.

# 3.2 GUARANTEE

A. Replanted, injured or repaired plants shall be guaranteed for one (1) growing season.

**END OF SECTION 01530** 

## SECTION 01600 - PRODUCT STORAGE AND HANDLING REQUIREMENTS

## PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

## 1.2 STORAGE

- A. Materials stored off the site, shall be stored in a bonded warehouse and shall be clearly marked as being for this project. Pay Applications that include amounts for stored materials shall be accompanied by the Supplier's invoices, or other indications of the value of the stored materials, satisfactory to the Owner.
- B. Deliver all materials to site in original containers bearing manufacturers' name and type of material.
- C. Supply and keep all materials dry at all times prior to application.
- D. Store all insulation, sheet metal, and lumber/plywood in dry, covered storage, on platforms, with weatherproof coverings, or in trailers or other approved weather proof enclosures. Coverings shall be waterproof breathable type material such as heavy canvas. Manufacturer's shipping wrappers are <u>not</u> sufficient. Materials which are not stored under specified covers are subject to removal from the site at Engineer's or Owner's discretion.
- E. Store all roll goods on end on clean floors or platforms. Do not use flattened rolls or rolls with ends damaged.
- F. Materials which, in the opinion of the Engineer, have been prematurely exposed to the weather are subject to immediate removal by the contractor and replaced with new materials at contractor's expense. Engineer may, at Engineer's option, mark such materials with paint or other indelible materials while they remain on-site.
- G. Store sealant and other materials in dry, cool storage. Partially used containers shall have sealed lids to prevent escape of solvents.
- H. Store solvent bearing materials in dry, cool storage and keep lids tight on partially used containers to prevent escape of solvents.
  - NOTE: OPEN SOLVENT CONTAINERS SHOULD NOT BE LEFT NEAR BUILDING AIR INTAKE EQUIPMENT.
- I. Store all solvents in dry storage at temperatures above 45°F.

J. Sealants and adhesives must be stored in an area where temperatures are above 40°F. Store insulation adhesives and associated adhesive dispensers in an area where temperatures are between 60°F and 80°F.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS (Not Used)

PART 3 - EXECUTION (Not Used)

**END OF SECTION 01600** 

#### SECTION 01732 - SELECTIVE DEMOLITION

## PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes the following:
  - 1. Pollution controls.
  - 2. Removals.
  - 3. Connects and disconnects.
- B. Related Sections include the following:
  - 1. Division 1 Section 01100 Summary of Work.

#### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Remove: Remove and legally dispose of items except those indicated to be reinstalled, salvaged, or to remain the Owner's property.
- B. Remove and Reinstall: Remove items indicated; clean, service, and otherwise prepare them for reuse; store and protect against damage. Reinstall items in the same locations or in locations indicated.
- C. Existing to Remain: Protect construction indicated to remain against damage and soiling during selective demolition. When permitted by the Engineer, items may be removed to a suitable, protected storage location during selective demolition and then cleaned and reinstalled in their original locations.

#### 1.4 MATERIALS OWNERSHIP

A. Except for items or materials indicated to be reused, salvaged, reinstalled, or otherwise indicated to remain the Owner's property, demolished materials shall become the Contractor's property and shall be removed from the site.

#### 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Regulatory Requirements: Comply with governing EPA notification regulations before starting selective demolition. Comply with hauling and disposal regulations of authorities having jurisdiction.

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#### 1.6 SCHEDULING

A. Arrange selective demolition schedule so as not to interfere with Owner's on-site operations.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.1 REPAIR MATERIALS

- A. Use repair materials identical to existing materials.
  - 1. Where identical materials are unavailable or cannot be used for exposed surfaces, use materials that visually match existing adjacent surfaces to the fullest extent possible.
  - 2. Use materials whose installed performance equals or surpasses that of existing materials.

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.1 POLLUTION CONTROLS

- A. Use water mist, temporary enclosures, and other suitable methods to limit the spread of dust and dirt. Comply with governing environmental protection regulations. Do not use water when it may damage existing construction or create hazardous or objectionable conditions, such as ice, flooding, and pollution.
- B. Remove and transport debris in a manner that will prevent spillage on adjacent surfaces and areas. Remove debris from elevated portions of building by chute, hoist, or other device that will convey debris to grade level.
- C. Clean adjacent structures and improvements of dust, dirt, and debris caused by removal operations. Return adjacent areas to condition existing before start of selective demolition.

#### 3.2 REMOVALS

- A. Carefully relocate all lightning protection, electrical, co-axial, telephone, fiber optic, intercom and miscellaneous wires, cables, etc. as required to accomplish work specified herein. Accomplish such relocation without interrupting the service provided by these lines except as specifically authorized by the Owner. Become familiar with each line and the level of precaution necessary to relocate them or work around them. Upon completion of roofing work, relocate lines to their original positions and secure them as originally secured unless indicated otherwise in these specifications or on the project drawings.
- B. Remove existing roofing, roof insulation, membrane, base sheet, flashing and metal flashings down to existing deck and discard at areas indicated on drawings.

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- C. Contractor is to provide means and methods as necessary to protect adjacent surfaces from damage. Components damaged will be repaired by the contractor at no cost to the owner
- D. Remove sealant at metal coping-to-aluminum drip edge at parapet wall and discard.
- E. Remove sealant at clerestory and discard.
- F. Remove wall cladding at areas indicated on drawings and store for reinstallation.
- G. Remove existing lightning protection and store for reinstallation.
- H. Remove existing metal coping and EPDM cover at high parapet wall and discard.

## 3.3 CONNECTS AND DISCONNECTS

- A. In the event it is necessary to disconnect any electrical wiring or connections, plumbing lines or other building services, notify the Owner. Contractor shall not disconnect or connect services unless authorized in writing by Owner.
- B. Modification of existing service piping, wiring and duct work required in connection with the lifting, removal or relocation of roof-mounted equipment shall be accomplished by this Contractor and is to be included in the Base Bid.
- C. All costs required in connection with electrical and/or mechanical service connections/disconnections are to be included in the Base Bid. All associated work is to be accomplished by appropriately licensed personnel in accordance with all applicable codes and regulations.
- D. All associated work is to be accomplished by appropriately licensed personnel in accordance with all applicable codes and regulations.
- E. Review roof-top equipment usage with Owner and facility user at beginning of project. Disable equipment determined to be essential to the operations of the facility only at those times prescribed by the Owner. This may require work to be done at other than normal operating hours.

END OF SECTION 01732

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## SECTION 01733 - ASBESTOS PRODUCTS

PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

A. This Section includes procedural requirements relating to asbestos-containing materials.

#### 1.3 PROCEDURES

A. It is the intention of these Specifications that no asbestos-bearing materials be incorporated into the work and that, unless specifically designated to remain, no existing asbestos-bearing materials incorporated in the existing roof system will remain subsequent to completion of the work. In the event additional hidden or unanticipated asbestos-bearing materials are present in the existing roof system, stop all work in the affected area, notify the Owner and Engineer and provide temporary protection as required. Costs incurred, if any, due to the presence of hidden and/or unanticipated asbestos-bearing materials will be resolved by Change Order to this Contract.

## 1.4 WARRANTY

A. Upon completion of the work, and before final payment and/or release of retainage, submit, and obtain from each subcontractor, material supplier and equipment manufacturer and submit, a properly executed Asbestos Free Warranty. Provide Warranty in the form included herein. Ensure forms are signed by a responsible officer of the Contractor, subcontractor, material supplier and equipment manufacturer and are notarized.

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PART 2 - PRODUCTS (Not Used)

PART 3 - EXECUTION (Not Used)

END OF SECTION 01733

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#### SECTION 01770 - CLOSEOUT PROCEDURES

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

## 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for contract closeout, including, but not limited to, the following:
  - 1. Inspection procedures.
  - 2. Warranties.
  - 3. Final cleaning.
- B. Related Sections include the following:
  - 1. Division 1 Section "Payment Procedures" for requirements for Applications for Payment for Substantial and Final Completion.

## 1.3 SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION

- A. Preliminary Procedures: Before requesting inspection for determining date of Substantial Completion, complete the following. List items below that are incomplete in request.
  - 1. Prepare a list of items to be completed and corrected (punch list), the value of items on the list, and reasons why the Work is not complete.
  - 2. Complete final cleaning requirements, including touchup painting.
  - 3. Touch up and otherwise repair and restore marred exposed finishes to eliminate visual defects.
- B. Inspection: Submit a written request for inspection for Substantial Completion. On receipt of request, Engineer and Owner will either proceed with inspection or notify Contractor of unfulfilled requirements. Engineer will prepare the Certificate of Substantial Completion after inspection or will notify Contractor of items, either on Contractor's list or additional items identified by Owner, that must be completed or corrected before certificate will be issued.
  - 1. Reinspection: Request reinspection when the Work identified in previous inspections as incomplete is completed or corrected.
  - 2. Results of completed inspection will form the basis of requirements for Final Completion.

#### 1.4 FINAL COMPLETION

- A. Final Inspection shall be conducted as follows:
  - 1. The Engineer and Owner will conduct a final inspection of all work included in the contract as soon as possible after receiving written notification by the Contractor that the work is complete and ready for inspection.
  - 2. The final inspection report shall be prepared by the Engineer and Owner listing observed deficiencies and furnished to the Contractor.
  - 3. Upon satisfactory completion of all deficiencies, Contractor shall initial each item on the report certifying his compliance and return to the Engineer.
  - 4. No portion of the final payment will be made until all items have been satisfactorily corrected and the project closeout documents submitted to the Engineer. Final payment shall be made within thirty (30) days of receipt of closeout documents.
  - 5. All project completion documents are to be submitted within thirty (30) days following acceptance by the Owner.
- B. Refer to Closeout Document Checklist at the end of this Section for all documents to be submitted and approved by Engineer.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.1 MATERIALS

A. Cleaning Agents: Use cleaning materials and agents recommended by manufacturer or fabricator of the surface to be cleaned. Do not use cleaning agents that are potentially hazardous to health or property or that might damage finished surfaces.

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

# 3.1 FINAL CLEANING

- A. General: Provide final cleaning. Conduct cleaning and waste-removal operations to comply with local laws and ordinances and Federal and local environmental and antipollution regulations.
- B. Cleaning: Employ experienced workers or professional cleaners for final cleaning. Clean each surface or unit to condition expected in an average commercial building cleaning and maintenance program. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions.
  - 1. Complete the following cleaning operations before requesting inspection for certification of Substantial Completion for entire Project or for a portion of Project:
    - a. Remove tools, construction equipment, machinery, and surplus material from Project site.
    - b. Clean exposed exterior and interior hard-surfaced finishes to a dirt-free condition, free of stains, films, and similar foreign substances. Avoid disturbing

- natural weathering of exterior surfaces. Restore reflective surfaces to their original condition.
- c. Vacuum carpet and similar soft surfaces, removing debris and excess nap; shampoo if visible soil or stains remain.
- d. Clean transparent materials, including glass in doors and windows. Remove glazing compounds and other noticeable, vision-obscuring materials. Replace chipped or broken glass and other damaged transparent materials. Polish glass, taking care not to scratch surfaces.
- e. Remove labels that are not permanent.
- f. Touch up and otherwise repair and restore marred, exposed finishes and surfaces. Replace finishes and surfaces that cannot be satisfactorily repaired or restored or that already show evidence of repair or restoration.
  - 1) Do not paint over "UL" and similar labels, including mechanical and electrical nameplates.
- g. Leave Project clean and ready for occupancy.
- C. Comply with safety standards for cleaning. Do not burn waste materials. Do not bury debris or excess materials on Owner's property. Do not discharge volatile, harmful, or dangerous materials into drainage systems. Remove waste materials from Project site and dispose of lawfully.

# PROJECT DOCUMENT CHECKLIST

Insurance certificates for products and completed operations where required and proof that taxes, fees, and similar obligations were paid.
Contractor's Affidavit of Payment of Debts and Claims
Contractor's Affidavit of Release of Liens
Consent of Surety to Final Payment
Contractor's Warranty
Sealant Warranty
Contractor's Asbestos Free Warranty
Metal Finish Warranty
Manufacturer's Warranty, including Maintenance Manuals  O Modified Bitumen Roofing
Copy of Final Inspection
Record Drawings
Manufacturer's Inspection Reports
Certification of Completion of Punch List
Manufacturer's Certificates of Compliance

END OF SECTION 01770

## SECTION 06100 - ROUGH CARPENTRY

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### **RELATED DOCUMENTS**

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes the following:
  - 1. Plywood Sheathing.
  - 2. Wood Blocking.
- B. Related Sections include the following:
  - 1. Division 7 Section "Sheet Metal Flashing and Trim."

## 1.3 SUBMITTALS

A. General: Submit each item in this Article according to the Conditions of the Contract and Division 1 General Requirements Sections.

## 1.4 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

A. Keep materials under cover and dry. Protect from weather and contact with damp or wt surfaces. Stack lumber, plywood and other panels. Provide for air circulation within and around stacks and under temporary coverings.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.1 WOOD PRODUCTS, GENERAL

- A. All lumber shall be No. 2 grade (or better) southern yellow pine or douglas fir unless specifically noted otherwise. Each piece of lumber shall bear the inspection stamp of the Southern Pine Inspection Bureau (SPIB) or the Western Wood Products Association (WWPA) indicating the grade and type of lumber.
  - 1. Wood Preservative: Alkaline Copper Quaternary (ACQ) pressure-treatment conforming to AWPA Standard C-2 (above ground). Retention of preservative shall be 0.25 pcf. All material shall be kiln dried to 19 percent or less moisture content. Field cuts and holes shall be treated at job site during construction in accordance with AWPA Standard M-4 when lumber thickness exceeds 2 inches.

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B. Plywood shall be APA Rated Sheathing (CDX) with waterproof glue for exterior applications in thicknesses specified. All plywood shall comply with the requirements of U.S. Product Standard APA PS1 (latest edition) and each sheet shall clearly bear the APA trademark of the American Plywood Association. Minimum span rating for 3/4 inch plywood shall be 48/24 and shall be so marked on each sheet.

#### 2.2 FASTENERS

- A. Stainless Steel Roofing Nails: 11 or 12 gauge stainless steel ring shank roofing nails, minimum 3/8 inch diameter head as manufactured by W. H. Maze Company. Minimum length 1-1/2 inches.
- B. Wood Fasteners: Unless specifically noted otherwise herein or on the drawings, fasteners for securing lumber or plywood to lumber shall be hot dipped galvanized steel ring shank common nails of sufficient length to provide a minimum embedment in the underlying support of 1-1/2 inches. Fastener size for securing plywood to dimensional lumber shall be 8d or larger.
- C. Masonry Anchors: Drive-pin fastener with alloy sleeve and stainless steel nail insert for use in concrete, brick or concrete masonry units, 1/4 inch diameter, 1-1/2 inch length, flat head.
- D. Masonry Anchors: Steel screw anchor for use in concrete, brick or concrete masonry units manufactured with threads for cutting into walls of pre-drilled opening to provide tight friction fit, 1/4 inch diameter, 2-1/2 inch length.
- E. Metal Anchors: Steel screw for use in attaching wood-to-metal or metal-to-metal. 1/4 inch diameter with a minimum of three (3) threads engaged into steel.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.1 GENERAL

- A. Inspect all existing wood blocking and curb carefully. If there is existing wood which requires replacement, notify the Engineer. Do not proceed with removals until directed by Engineer. Install new wood blocking and curb using the same size and thickness as existing where removed.
- B. Remove all existing damaged or deteriorated wood blocking and discard. Install new wood blocking using the same type, size and thickness materials as the existing. Do not proceed with repair or replacement until directed by the Engineer.
- C. Remove or correct any obstructions which might interfere with proper application of new materials.
- D. Secure wood nailers over existing nailers in two rows staggered and spaced not over 24 inches in each row. Secure wood to masonry or precast concrete using drive pins spaced 16 inches on center staggered.
- E. Stagger fasteners when securing nominal 6-inch-wide lumber or wider.

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## 3.2 EXISTING WOOD

- A. Inspect all existing wood carefully. If there is existing wood which requires replacement, notify the Consultant. Do not proceed with removals until directed by Owner. Install new wood using the same size and thickness as existing where removed.
- B. Remove all existing loose, wet, damaged or deteriorated wood blocking and curbs and discard. Install new wood blocking and curbs using the same size and thickness as existing.

## 3.3 PLYWOOD SHEATHING

- A. Install new 3/4-inch-thick plywood sheathing at parapet walls as specified herein.
- B. Refer to Drawings for locations.
- C. Space plywood a minimum of 1/8 inch at ends.
- D. Secure plywood using specified fasteners, in two (2) rows, staggered, spaced 12 inches on center, to wood blocking.

**END OF SECTION 06100** 

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## SECTION 07552 - SBS-MODIFIED BITUMINOUS MEMBRANE ROOFING

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes the following:
  - 1. Two-ply SBS-modified bituminous membrane roofing.
  - 2. Roof insulation.
- B. Related Sections include the following:
  - 1. Division 6 Section "Rough Carpentry."
  - 2. Division 7 Section "Sheet Metal Flashing and Trim."
- C. Unit Prices: Refer to Division 1 Section "Unit Prices and Unit Price Allowances" for description of Work in this Section affected by unit prices and allowances.

## 1.3 DEFINITIONS

A. Roofing Terminology: Refer to ASTM D 1079 and glossary of NRCA's "The NRCA Roofing and Waterproofing Manual" for definition of terms related to roofing work in this Section.

# 1.4 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. General: Provide installed roofing membrane and base flashings that remain watertight; do not permit the passage of water; and resist specified uplift pressures, thermally induced movement, and exposure to weather without failure.
- B. Material Compatibility: Provide roofing materials that are compatible with one another under conditions of service and application required, as demonstrated by roofing manufacturer based on testing and field experience.
- C. Provide a roofing system that complies with the requirements of Underwriters' Laboratories, Inc. for a Class A roof covering. Provide a UL Class A certificate, generated by Roofing System Manufacturer, to Owner at project close-out.

#### 1.5 SUBMITTALS

- A. Materials List: Give written notification of the brand name and manufacturer of each material proposed for use and include a statement that all proposed materials meet the specification requirements. Obtain approval prior to placing orders.
  - 1. Submittal of catalog cut sheets, etc. in lieu of the materials list required above is not acceptable. Do not submit cut sheets unless specifically requested.
- B. Base/Wall Flashing Instructions: Submit manufacturer's base/wall flashing installation instructions.
- C. Installation Instructions: Submit manufacturer's latest written installation instructions.
- D. Installer Certificates: Signed by roofing system manufacturer certifying that Installer is approved, authorized, or licensed by manufacturer to install roofing system.
- E. Manufacturer Certificates: Original document signed by a responsible officer of the manufacturing firm, notarized, on manufacturer's standard letterhead, certifying materials furnished for project comply with the referenced standard. Certificate shall specifically reference the project and applicable compliance standard.
- F. Qualification Data: For Installer and manufacturer.
- G. Product Test Reports: Based on evaluation of comprehensive tests performed by manufacturer and witnessed by a qualified testing agency, for components of roofing system.
- H. Maintenance Data: For roofing system to include in maintenance manuals.
- I. Warranties: Special warranties specified in this Section.
- J. Inspection Report: Copy of roofing system manufacturer's inspection report of completed roofing installation.
- K. Tapered Insulation Shop Drawings: Submit proposed tapered insulation and cricket system for approval prior to start of work.

## 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver roofing materials to Project site in original containers with seals unbroken and labeled with manufacturer's name, product brand name and type, date of manufacture, and directions for storage.
- B. Store liquid materials in their original undamaged containers in a clean, dry, protected location and within the temperature range required by roofing system manufacturer. Protect stored liquid material from direct sunlight.
  - 1. Discard and legally dispose of liquid material that cannot be applied within its stated shelf life.
- C. Handle and store roofing materials and place equipment in a manner to avoid permanent deflection of deck.

- D. Supply and keep all materials dry at all times prior to application.
- E. Store all insulation, insulating board cants, tapered edge strips and lumber/plywood in dry, covered storage, or on platforms, and with weatherproof coverings. Coverings shall be waterproof breathable type material such as heavy canvas. Insulation wrappers are not sufficient. Materials which are not stored under specified covers are subject to removal from the site at Owner's discretion.
- F. Store all roll goods on end on clean floors or platforms. Do not use flattened rolls or rolls with ends damaged.
- G. Materials which, in the opinion of the Owner, have been prematurely exposed to the weather are subject to immediate removal by the contractor and replaced with new materials at contractor's expense. Owner may, at Owner's option, mark such materials with paint or other indelible materials while they remain on-site.
- H. Store solvent bearing materials in dry, cool storage and keep lids tight on partially used containers to prevent escape of solvents.
- I. Store all emulsions in dry storage at temperatures above 40°F.

#### 1.7 PROJECT CONDITIONS

A. Weather Limitations: Proceed with installation only when existing and forecasted weather conditions permit roofing system to be installed according to manufacturer's written instructions and warranty requirements.

#### 1.8 WARRANTY

- A. Special Project Warranty: Submit Roofing Installer's Warranty, on warranty form at end of this Section, signed by Installer, covering Work of this Section, including all components of roofing system such as roofing membrane, base flashing, roof insulation, fasteners, cover boards, substrate boards, and walkway products, for the following warranty period:
  - 1. Warranty Period: Five (5) years from date of Substantial Completion.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.1 GENERAL

- A. Listed in this section are specifications for materials required generally for use in accomplishing the work specified. Materials not listed may also be required.
- B. Except as specifically noted herein, all reference standards included herein are to be presumed to be the latest published editions of such standards available as of the issue date of these specifications.
- C. Brand or manufacturer names are used as standards of quality where no other appropriate reference is available. Submit substitution requests under requirements listed in other Sections.

D. Where a generic product or a general manufacturer's product is specified and more than one such product is offered by the manufacturer, provide the manufacturer's premium materials.

## 2.2 MANUFACTURERS

- A. For purposes of these documents, the roof system manufacturer is defined as the manufacturer of the primary roof membrane. The roof system is intended to encompass, but is not necessarily limited to, all components above the deck including underlayment and/or vapor retarder components, roof insulation, roof membrane, membrane flashings and any proprietary flashing/components of the system manufacturer. Subject to compliance with the material specifications of these documents, all materials are to be supplied by the same manufacturer.
- B. All materials used in systems to be covered by a Manufacturer's Guarantee must be supplied by the same manufacturer, unless the manufacturer issuing the guarantee waives this requirement in writing.
- C. The following material manufacturers are approved for this project. Such approval does not relieve the Contractor from the requirement to supply materials which meet all other requirements of these Specifications.
- D. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. SBS-Modified Bituminous Membrane Roofing:
    - a. Firestone

## 2.3 SBS-MODIFIED ASPHALT-MEMBRANE MATERIALS

- A. Base Ply: ASTM D 5147 and D 6163, Type I or II, Grade S, SBS-modified asphalt sheet with glass fiber mat reinforcing, suitable for application method specified.
- B. Cap Sheet: ASTM D 5147 and D 6163, Type I or II, Grade G, SBS-modified asphalt sheet with glass fiber mat reinforcing, granular surfaced, suitable for application method specified and as follows:
  - 1. Granule Color: White.

## 2.4 BASE PLY MATERIALS

- A. Base Ply: ASTM D 6163, Type I, Grade S, SBS-modified asphalt sheet with glass fiber mat reinforcing, suitable for torching.
- B. Membrane Underlayment: Torch grade modified bitumen membrane approved by roof system manufacturer.

## 2.5 BASE FLASHING SHEET MATERIALS

- A. Backer Sheet: ASTM D 6164, Grade S, Type I, polyester-reinforced, SBS-modified asphalt sheet; granular surfaced; suitable for application method specified.
- B. Flashing Sheet: ASTM D 6164, Grade G, Type I, polyester-reinforced, SBS-modified asphalt sheet; granular surfaced; suitable for application method specified, and as follows:
  - 1. Granular Color: White.

## 2.6 AUXILIARY ROOFING MEMBRANE MATERIALS

- A. General: Auxiliary materials recommended by roofing system manufacturer for intended use and compatible with roofing membrane.
- B. Asphalt Roofing Cement: ASTM D 4586, asbestos free, of consistency required by roofing system manufacturer for application.
- C. Liquid Membrane Flashing System: Seamless liquid membrane with reinforcing polyester fleece to meeting roofing system manufacturer's warranty.
- D. Asphalt Primer: ASTM D 41.
- E. Metal Flashing Sheet: Metal flashing sheet is specified in Division 7 Section "Sheet Metal Flashing and Trim."
- F. Roofing Granules: Ceramic-coated roofing granules, No. 11 screen size with 100 percent passing No. 8 sieve and 98 percent of mass retained on No. 40 sieve, color to match roofing membrane.
- G. Miscellaneous Accessories: Provide miscellaneous accessories recommended by roofing system manufacturer.

## 2.7 INSULATION/BOARD GOODS

- A. General: Roof insulation accessories recommended by insulation manufacturer for intended use and compatible with membrane roofing.
- B. Insulation Cant Strips: ASTM C 208, Type II, Grade 1, wood fiber insulation board.
- C. Tapered Edge Strips: ASTM C 208, wood fiberboard 1-1/2 inch at thick edge.
- D. Polyisocyanurate Roof Insulation: ASTM C 1289, Type II, with felt or glass-fiber mat on both major surfaces, manufactured to meet the following requirements:
  - 1. Nominal Compressive Strength: 20 psi.
  - 2. Dimensional Stability: 2% maximum linear change when conditioned at 158°F and 97% relative humidity.
  - 3. Minimum Curing Time: 24 hrs. plus 24 hrs. for each inch of thickness at a minimum of 60°F before shipment from manufacturer.
  - 4. Maximum Board Thickness: 2 inches.

- 5. Maximum Board Size: 4' x 8' (mechanically attached).
- 6. Maximum Board Size: 4' x 4' (adhered).
- E. Gypsum Cover Board: ASTM C 1177, Type X, glass mat, water-resistant substrate, to be used as cover board, 1/2 inch thick.
  - 1. Product: Subject to compliance with requirements. Provide "Dens-Deck Prime" by Georgia Pacific Corporation.
  - 2. Maximum Board Size: 4' x 4'.
- F. Insulation Adhesive: Two component, low rise polyurethane foam, approved by membrane manufacturer for insulation and substrates on this project.
- G. Termination Bar: Extruded aluminum bar, 1 inch wide, 1/8 inch thick, with pre-punched holes at 6 inches on center.

## 2.8 FASTENING DEVICES

- A. Galvanized Steel Roofing Nails: 11 or 12 gauge hot dipped galvanized steel ring shank roofing nails, minimum 3/8 inch diameter head as manufactured by W. H. Maze Company. Minimum length 1½ inches.
- B. Masonry Anchors: Drive-pin fastener with alloy sleeve and stainless steel nail insert for use in concrete, brick or concrete masonry units, 1/4 inch diameter, 1 inch length, flat head.

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine substrates, areas, and conditions, with Installer present, for compliance with the following requirements and other conditions affecting performance of roofing system:
  - 1. Verify that roof openings and penetrations are in place and set and braced and that roof drains are securely clamped in place.
  - 2. Verify that wood cants, blocking, curbs, and nailers are securely anchored to roof deck at penetrations and terminations and that nailers match thicknesses of insulation.
  - 3. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.
- B. Inspect all surfaces to receive work specified herein. Application of materials constitutes approval of the substrate as being satisfactory.

#### 3.2 PREPARATION

A. Clean substrate of dust, debris, moisture, and other substances detrimental to roofing installation according to roofing system manufacturer's written instructions. Remove sharp projections.

- B. Prevent materials from entering and clogging roof drains and conductors and from spilling or migrating onto surfaces of other construction. Remove roof-drain plugs when no work is taking place or when rain is forecast.
- C. Do not apply bituminous materials when ambient air temperature is below 40°F unless equipment can be operated and materials handled without exceeding maximum allowable temperatures and without damage to materials, and then only with approval of the Engineer.
- D. Do not apply emulsions when ambient air temperature is below 40°F or is expected to be below freezing within 24 hours after application.
- E. Accomplish application of roofing materials so that each area will be complete at the end of each workday.
- F. Protect edges and incomplete flashings against water entry at all times. Remove cut-offs and temporary protection prior to resumption of work.
- G. Prime all concrete, masonry and metal surfaces to receive bituminous materials, using approximately one gallon of primer per 100 square feet of surface. Allow primer to dry thoroughly before application of bituminous materials.
- H. Set insulating board cant strips and tapered edge strips in a generous bed of plastic roof cement so that they are tightly cemented to both horizontal and vertical surfaces.
- I. Apply base ply, cap sheet and base flashings per membrane manufacturer's instructions to maintain existing warranty.
- J. Install roofing system per manufacturer's instructions. Roof is still currently under warranty.

## 3.3 INSULATION APPLICATION (GENERAL)

A. Clean surfaces of all dirt, dust and other foreign matter.

NOTE: CONTRACTOR SHALL FOLLOW ROOFING SYSTEM MANUFACTURER'S INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBSTRATE PREPARATION, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, USE OF PRIMERS AS REQUIRED TO ENSURE PROPER ADHESION.

- B. Install insulation and Dens-Deck overlay using 3/4-inch-wide ribbons of adhesive. Apply adhesive in ribbons at spacings indicated below. In addition, ribbons of adhesive are to be applied along all insulation and Dens-Deck edges. Corners and perimeters are defined as follows:
  - 1. Field: Apply adhesive ribbons 12 inches on center.
  - 2. Perimeters and Corners: Apply adhesive ribbons 6 inches on center at perimeters and 4 inches on center at corners. Corners and perimeters are defined as follows:

NOTE: CONTRACTOR SHALL EMPLOY ALL ADDITIONAL METHODS AND PROCEDURES AS NECESSARY TO ENSURE INSULATION UNITS AND DENS-DECK UNITS ARE FULLY ADHERED TO THE SUBSTRATE INCLUDING APPLYING ADDITIONAL ADHESIVE ALONG EDGES, BALLASTING INSULATION UNITS,

INSTALLING MECHANICAL FASTENERS AT INSULATION AND DENS-DECK CORNERS, ETC. WALK BOARDS INTO THE ADHESIVE AND ROLL USING 30 INCH WIDE, 100-150 POUND WEIGHTED STEEL ROLLER.

- C. Stagger all joints off those of preceding layer.
- D. For multiple layers of insulation, spray adhesive over preceding layers once fully secured and follow procedures, as specified herein, for attachment of each insulation layer.
- E. Apply insulation with end joints staggered approximately one-half the length of units.
- F. Fit all insulation units snugly to each other and to all vertical surfaces.
- G. Remove and replace all damaged units with new insulation or repair to provide a smooth surface and uniform insulation thickness.
- H. Place insulation into adhesive shortly after it has reached its maximum rise and walk into place.

NOTE: WALKING INSULATION BOARDS IN IMMEDIATELY AFTER PLACEMENT INTO ADHESIVE MAY CAUSE SLIPPAGE/MOVEMENT UNTIL ADHESIVE STARTS TO SET.

- I. Install tapered insulation to conform to slopes indicated.
  - 1. Form tapered insulation system using factory tapered polyisocyanurate insulation units and polyisocyanurate insulation fill units.
  - 2. Provide a minimum completed slope of 1/4 inch per foot.
  - 3. Start tapered insulation system at drains and increase insulation thickness toward high points.
    - a. Insulation overlay is not included as a part of the minimum insulation thickness specified above.
- J. Install insulation crickets as follows:
  - 1. Form crickets along the upslope side of all curb mounted equipment with base widths exceeding 12 inches using factory tapered polyisocyanurate insulation and fill units and tapered edge strips.
  - 2. Form crickets between drains using factory tapered polyisocyanurate insulation units, polyisocyanurate insulation fill units and tapered edge strips.
  - 3. Install crickets of sufficient size and slope as required to ensure complete drainage and prevent standing water. Fabricate full crickets between drains with a minimum width-to-length ratio of 0.5. Fabricate partial crickets with dimensions which would result in a minimum width-to-length ratio of 0.5 if they were extended to full size.
  - 4. Fabricate crickets to be sufficiently wide to result in valleys with positive slopes of not less than 1/16:12.
  - 5. At a minimum, fabricate crickets to provide an installed slope matching that of adjacent roof slope.

NOTE: UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE, FABRICATE ALL CRICKETS FROM TAPERED STOCK AS REQUIRED TO PROVIDE AN INSTALLED SLOPE MATCHING THAT OF THE ADJACENT ROOF AREA. FOR EXAMPLE, WHERE THE ROOF SLOPE IS 3/8 INCH PER FOOT, FABRICATE CRICKETS FROM

# TAPERED STOCK TO PROVIDE AN INSTALLED SLOPE OF 3/8 INCH PER FOOT

- 6. Start cricket construction by striking chalk lines for outer edges of tapered edge strips. Install edge strips along chalk lines, mitering and fitting at the points where lines break.
- 7. Provide a minimum tapered polyisocyanurate thickness of 1/2 inch along edges of crickets. Taper edges of crickets down to base insulation using continuous wood fiber board tapered edge strips. Secure tapered edge strips with two (2) rows of insulation adhesive.
- 8. Complete cricket assembly using factory tapered polyisocyanruate insulation.
- 9. Secure cricket insulation in ribbons of insulation adhesive.
- K. Taper insulation down to drains and drain scuppers using tapered edge beginning at a point approximately 24 inches from drain. Provide larger sumps where drains are outside the drain valley. Secure sump insulation using insulation adhesive.
- L. Install cover board over all insulation and crickets. Set in adhesive as described previously.

## 3.4 ROOFING MEMBRANE INSTALLATION, GENERAL

- A. Install roofing membrane system according to roofing system manufacturer's written instructions and applicable recommendations of ARMA/NRCA's "Quality Control Guidelines for the Application of Polymer Modified Bitumen Roofing."
- B. Clean surfaces of all dirt, dust and other foreign matter.

## 3.5 SBS-MODIFIED BITUMINOUS MEMBRANE INSTALLATION

- A. Install modified bituminous roofing membrane sheet and cap sheet according to roofing manufacturer's written instructions, starting at low point of roofing system, installing as follows:
  - 1. Fully adhere membrane to substrate utilizing torch application.
  - 2. Unroll roofing membrane sheets and allow them to relax for minimum time period required by manufacturer.
  - 3. Cut rolls in maximum 18-foot lengths.
  - 4. Apply new SBS modified bitumen material, suitable for application method specified, in strict accordance with manufacturer's latest printed instructions except as modified in this section.
  - 5. Apply pressure on the sheet to ensure full contact with the substrate and complete adhesion.
  - 6. At roof edges and openings, terminate roofing sheets at the outer edge of blocking.
- B. Laps: Accurately align roofing membrane sheets, without stretching, and maintain uniform side and end laps. Stagger end laps a minimum of 36 inches. Completely bond and seal laps, using hot-air welding techniques, leaving no voids.
  - 1. Repair tears and voids in laps and lapped seams not completely sealed.
  - 2. Apply roofing granules to cover exuded bead at laps.

- 3. Lap ends at least 6 inches and sides at least 3 inches.
- C. Install roofing membrane sheets so side and end laps shed water.
- D. At internal roof drains, extend roofing sheets across drain body opening. Do <u>not</u> allow interply bitumen to enter drain bowl. Cut sheets across drain body opening and trim flush with the inside face of the drain body.

#### 3.6 BASE FLASHING INSTALLATION

- A. Install base flashing over cant strips and other sloping and vertical surfaces, at roof edges, and at penetrations through roof, and secure to substrates according to roofing system manufacturer's written instructions and as follows:
  - 1. Prime substrates with asphalt primer if required by roofing system manufacturer.
  - 2. Backer Sheet Application: Install backer sheet to substrate as required by roofing system manufacturer.
  - 3. Flashing Sheet Application: Install flashing sheet to substrate as required by roofing system manufacturer.
- B. Extend base flashing to tops of interior face of parapet walls, a minimum of 8 inches above roofing membrane at other wall locations and 4 inches onto field of roofing membrane.
- C. Mechanically fasten top of base flashing securely at terminations and perimeter of roofing at using specified termination bar fastened 6 inches on center.
  - 1. Provide new sealant to cover termination bar and fasteners immediately after installing termination bar.
  - 2. At masonry substrates, fasten base flashings using drive pins with sealing washers.
- D. Immediately thereafter cover top edge and fasteners with a continuous 1/8 inch thick trowelling of flashing cement.
- E. Check all laps as required by the manufacturer's specifications, reheat and seal as required to obtain full adhesion.

# 3.7 STRIPPING APPLICATION

A. Strip flange of edge metal, etc. with one ply of base ply material in accordance with membrane manufacturer's latest printed instructions. Fit stripping snugly to lip of edge metal. Extend stripping a minimum of 6 inches beyond edge of flange.

## 3.8 LIQUID MEMBRANE FLASHING SYSTEM

- A. Utilize liquid membrane flashing system as alternate flashing means only at locations where specified on drawings and per manufacturer's requirements.
  - 1. Follow manufacturer's latest printed installation instructions. Refer to Drawings. Submit three (3) copies to Engineer prior to start of work.

- 2. Prep surfaces as required by roofing system manufacturer. Install sealant to fill voids where roofing membranes terminate at penetrations.
- Using masking tape, mask the perimeter of the area to receive the flashing system.
   Apply resin primer to substrates requiring additional preparation and allow primer to set.
- 4. Pre-cut fleece to ensure a proper fit at transitions and corners prior to membrane application.
- 5. Apply an even, generous base coat of flashing resin using a roller at the minimum rate specified by the resin manufacturer to prepared surfaces requiring flashing coverage. Work the fleece into the wet, catalyzed resin using a brush or roller to fully embed the fleece in the resin and remove trapped air. Lap fleece layers a minimum of 2 inches and apply an additional coat of catalyzed resin between layers of overlapping fleece. Again using a roller, apply an even top coat of catalyzed resin at the minimum rate specified by the resin manufacturer immediately following embedment of the fleece, ensuring full saturation of the fleece. Ensure that the flashing resin is applied to extend a 0.25 inch beyond the fleece. Remove the tape before the catalyzed resin sets. Make allowances for saturation of roller covers and application equipment.
- 6. Should work be interrupted for more than 12 hours or the surface of the catalyzed resin becomes dirty or contaminated by the elements, wipe the surface to be lapped with new flashing resin using the specified cleaner/solvent. Allow the surface to dry for a minimum 20 minutes and a maximum 60 minutes before continuing work.
- 7. Apply the color finish over the installed field membrane after the membrane is set, dry and has been in place for a minimum 2 hours.
- 8. Using the specified cleaner/solvent, wipe field surfaces to receive the color finish layer. Allow the surface to dry for a minimum 20 minutes before continuing work.
- 9. Apply an even top coat of catalyzed color finish resin at the minimum rate specified by the resin manufacturer. Allow 2 hours cure time prior to exposing the membrane to foot traffic.

**END OF SECTION 07552** 

## SECTION 07620 - SHEET METAL FLASHING AND TRIM

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes the following:
  - 1. Sheet metal flashing and trim.
- B. Related Sections include the following:
  - 1. Division 7 Section "SBS-Modified Bituminous Membrane Roofing."

#### 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Materials List: Give written notification of the brand name and manufacturer of each material proposed for use and include a statement that all proposed materials meet the specification requirements. Obtain approval prior to placing orders.
  - 1. Submittal of catalog cut sheets, etc. in lieu of the materials list required above is not acceptable.
- B. Submit shop drawings of all specified types of metal shapes, showing details of proposed installation where appropriate.
- C. Submit two 6-inch-long samples of each metal shape.
- D. Manufacturer Certificates: Original document signed by a responsible officer of the manufacturing firm, notarized, on manufacturer's standard letterhead, certifying materials furnished for project comply with the referenced standard. Certificate shall specifically reference the project and applicable compliance standard.
- E. Obtain approval of shop drawings, samples and certifications prior to fabrication and installation.
- F. No sheet metal item is to be purchased, fabricated, or installed until all required shop drawings and related submittals for each item are approved. Items purchased, fabricated and/or installed which are not in compliance with approved shop drawings are subject to immediate removal from the project at contractor's expense.

G. Color Chart: Manufacturer's standard range of colors for prefinished metals, including available gauges.

## 1.4 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. General: Sheet metal flashing and trim assemblies as indicated shall withstand wind loads, structural movement, thermally induced movement, and exposure to weather without failure due to defective manufacture, fabrication, installation, or other defects in construction. Completed sheet metal flashing and trim shall not rattle, leak or loosen and shall remain watertight.
- B. Thermal Movements: Provide sheet metal flashing and trim that allows for thermal movements from ambient and surface temperature changes.
  - 1. Temperature Change (Range): 120 deg. F, ambient; 180 deg. F material surfaces.

#### 1.5 STORAGE

A. Restrict on-site storage to minimum for work in progress. Protect all stored metal from exposure to weather and physical damage.

## 1.6 WARRANTIES

A. Upon completion of the work, furnish from manufacturer a standard twenty (20) year finish warranty.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

# 2.1 SHEET METAL MATERIALS

- A. Aluminum-Zinc (Galvalume) Alloy-Coated Steel Sheet: ASTM A 792/A792M, Class AZ50 coating designation, Grade 40 (Class AZM150 coating designation, Grade 275); structural quality.
- B. Aluminum: ASTM B 209.
- C. Solder: ASTM B 32 with 50% lead and 50% tin unless otherwise specified herein.
- D. Exposed Finish: Kynar<sup>®</sup> 500 based fluoropolymer coating, containing not less than 70% polyvinylidene fluoride resin by weight. Mask metal with protective plastic film.
  - 1. Color: As selected by Owner from manufacturer's full range of colors.

## 2.2 AUXILIARY MATERIALS

A. Sealant: ASTM C 920, Type S, Grade NS, Class 25, one-part polyurethane sealant.

- B. Asphalt Roofing Cement: ASTM D 4586, Type II, asbestos-free.
- C. High-Temperature Self-Adhering Underlayment, Polyethylene Faced: ASTM D 1970, minimum of 40 mil thick sheet; slip-resisting, polyethylene-film-reinforced top surface laminated to SBS-modified asphalt adhesive, with release paper backing; cold-applied.

## 2.3 SHEET METAL SCHEDULE

A. Coping Cap: 24 ga. prefinished galvalume

B. Cleat: 22 ga. prefinished galvalume

C. Slip Flashing at Windows: Match existing

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

# 3.1 INSTALLATION, GENERAL

- A. Inspect all surfaces to which metal is to be applied. Do not install metal unless surfaces are even, sound, clean, dry and free from defects that might affect the application.
- B. Follow recommendations of Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Contractors National Association Architectural Sheet Metal Manual (Seventh Edition, 2012) for fabricating inshop and on-site, and for installation, unless otherwise specified herein or on Drawings.
- C. Follow published instructions of the product manufacturer for installation of extruded or proprietary metal products, unless otherwise specified herein or on Drawings.
- D. Use nails, screws, bolts, cleats or other fasteners of the same material or, if approved by Engineer, of material chemically compatible with the contacted metal.
  - 1. Use stainless steel fasteners at all locations in contact with pressure-treated lumber.
- E. Fabricate cleats to be one gauge heavier than metal to be secured by cleat unless otherwise noted.
  - Secure cleats to substrate with fasteners specifically manufactured for the purpose at spacings of 6 inches on center. Fasteners are to be manufactured of metal chemically compatible with the contacted metal. Fasteners to be used in wood substrates are to be ring shank. Fasteners to be used in masonry units are to be self-tapping masonry fasteners. Fasteners are to be located as close to hem of cleat as practical but no more than 2 inches from hem unless specifically indicated otherwise herein or on drawings.
- F. Solder metal, where required, using standard industry techniques in accordance with the requirements of the metal manufacturer and the SMACNA Architectural Sheet Metal Manual for the types of metal to be soldered. Joints shall be thoroughly sweated to ensure full penetration of solder in the joint and to ensure a secure connection. Riveted joints shall be fully soldered to eliminate rivet holes or potential for corrosion.

- G. Do not place dissimilar metals in direct contact or in positions where water sheds across both metals.
- H. Where aluminum is in contact with masonry or concrete, coat the contacting surface with bituminous paint.
- I. Install metal to be water- and weathertight with lines, arrises and angles sharp and true and with plane surfaces free of waves or buckles. All raw edges of exposed or finish sheet metal shall be hemmed.
- J. Install shop-formed flashings in 10-foot lengths maximum and with minimum number of pieces in each straight run.
- K. Miter and seal all inside and outside corners of coping cap. Shop fabricated corner pieces are preferable. Shop fabricated corner pieces are preferable.
- L. Shop form all metal shapes, which are to be formed of prefinished metal, with protective plastic film in place. Do not remove plastic film until just prior to (or, if possible, after) installation.
- M. At all corners, shop form corner pieces of edge metal with 18 inch legs (joints no more than 18 inches from corner). Seal joint of corner piece.
- N. Form faces of edge metal, eave and rake flashings with vertical faces of sufficient width to extend a minimum of 1 inch below wood blocking.
- O. Hem all metal raw edges.

#### 3.2 SLIP FLASHING INSTALLATION

- A. Install new slip flashing at areas indicated on drawings at areas indicated on drawings.
- B. Refer to sheet metal schedule for gauge and metal type.
- C. Extend new slip flashing under existing metal flashing and pop rivet.
- D. At laps, install three (3) rows of sealant and pop rivet.
- E. Install new cove sealant at horizontal-to-vertical transition and install new liquid flashing.
- F. Liquid flashing will provide waterproofing at transition from old to new.

#### 3.3 COPING CAP INSTALLATION

- A. Install new coping cap at locations shown on drawings as specified herein.
- B. Refer to sheet metal schedule for gauge and metal type.
- C. Prior to installation of coping cap, apply a strip of high temperature, self-adhering membrane across the top of the blocking (or other substrate) and extend down the outside and inside face approximately the width of the vertical sections of the coping cap.

- D. Secure both vertical sections with a continuous cleat nailed to wood blocking.
- E. Refer to SMACNA Architectural Sheet Metal Manual, Figure 2-1, Detail 1 for cleat and coping hem dimensions.
- F. Join sections of coping with 6-inch-wide cover plates. Apply two beads of sealant along each side of opening. Ensure cover plates fit snugly to underlying coping sections.

END OF SECTION 07620

#### SECTION 07700 - EXTERIOR WALL CLADDING REPAIRS

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specifications Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes the following:
  - 1. Removals.
  - 2. Preparations.
  - 3. Cladding Repairs.
  - 4. Unit Prices.
- B. Refer to the Plans for approximate locations of the work.

#### 1.3 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Repairs specified herein are to be made utilizing only materials which are compatible with the existing components. Proprietary materials are to be installed in strict compliance with the latest printed instructions of the material manufacturer.
- B. All repairs must be accomplished by tradesmen certified for performing the work.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Materials List: Give written notification of the brand name and manufacturer of each material proposed for use and include a statement that all proposed materials meet the specification requirements. Obtain approval prior to placing orders.
  - 1. Submittal of catalog cut sheets, etc. in lieu of the materials list required above is not acceptable.
- B. Furnish Manufacturer's Certificates of Compliance with materials' specifications, for materials incorporated into the work, signed by a responsible officer of the manufacturing firm and notarized. Each certificate shall be an original document printed on the manufacturer's standard letterhead. Each certificate shall specifically reference the project and the applicable compliance standard.

- C. Manufacturers' Installation Instructions: As follows:
  - 1. Instructions for weather resistant barrier installation.
  - 2. Instructions for sealant and backer rod installation.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 GENERAL

- A. Listed in this section are specifications for materials required generally for use in accomplishing the work specified. Materials not listed may also be required.
- B. Except as specifically noted herein, all reference standards included herein are to be presumed to be the latest published editions of such standards available as of the issue date of these specifications.
- C. Brand or manufacturer names are used as standards of quality where no other appropriate reference is available. Submit substitution requests under requirements listed in other Sections.
- D. Where a generic product or a general manufacturer's product is specified and more than one such product is offered by the manufacturer, provide the manufacturer's premium materials

#### 2.2 REPAIR MATERIALS

- Insulation: Match existing.
- B. Waterproofing Barrier: Bituthene Liquid Membrane, two component, trowel grade, asphalt modified urethane.
- C. Backer Rod: Cylindrical sealant backing, ASTM C 1330, Type B (bi-celluar), of size and density to control sealant depth and otherwise contribute to optimum sealant performance.
- D. Primer: As recommended by sealant manufacturer.
- E. Rigid XPS Boards: ASTM C578.

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 REMOVALS

- A. Remove indicated wall panels and store for reinstallation. Take precautions as necessary to salvage existing wall panels. Wall cladding damaged by contractor are to be replaced to match existing wall cladding panels at the expense of the contractor.
- B. Remove insulation indicated on drawings. Insulation that is discovered to be damaged/deteriorated, should be removed and replaced to match existing. Insulation that

is not indicated on drawings to be removed but inhibits the installation of waterproofing barrier, should be removed and reinstalled to match original placement.

C. Remove or correct any obstruction which might interfere with the proper application of new repair material

#### 3.2 GENERAL INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS

- A. Inspect all surfaces to which repair materials are to be applied. Do not apply repair materials unless surfaces are even, sound, clean, dry and free from defects that might affect the application.
- B. Follow published instructions of the product manufacturer for installation, unless otherwise specified herein or on Drawings
- C. All finish work must be uniform, clean, neat, etc.
- D. Contractor to perform sealant adhesion test to ensure complete and watertight bond to materials.

#### 3.3 BITUTHENE LIQUID MEMBRANE

- A. Apply new bituthene liquid and self-adhering membrane as indicated on the drawings per manufacturer's installation instructions. Once waterproofing barrier has been applied, reinstall existing cladding to match existing.
- B. Visually observe existing weather resistant barrier for any deficiencies including fishmouths, openings, punctures, etc. If deficiencies are observed, repair by applying bituthene liquid membrane into and around deficiencies.

**END OF SECTION 07700** 

#### SECTION 07920 - JOINT SEALANTS

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes the following:
  - 1. Curtainwall Perimeter Joints
  - 2. Clearstory Perimeter Joint
  - 3. Metal Coping to Aluminum Header
- B. Related Sections include the following:
  - 1. Division 1 Section 01732 "Selective Demolition."

#### 1.3 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

A. Provide elastomeric joint sealants that establish and maintain watertight and airtight continuous joint seals without staining or deteriorating joint substrates.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit manufacturer's color charts consisting of strips of cured sealants showing the full range of colors available for each product exposed to view.
- B. Samples for Verification: For each kind and color of joint sealant required, provide samples with joint sealants in 5/8 wide joints.
- C. Installation Instructions: Submit manufacturer's latest written installation instructions.

#### 1.5 WARRANTIES

- A. Materials List: Give written notification of the brand name and manufacturer of each material proposed for use and include a statement that all proposed materials meet the specification requirements.
- B. Installer's Warranty: Installer's warranty, on form at end of this Section, signed by sealant Installer, properly executed and printed on Installer's letterhead form.
  - 1. Warranty Period: Five (5) years from date of Substantial Completion.

- C. Manufacturer's Warranty:
- 1. Warranty Period: Twenty (20) years from date of Substantial Completion.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 SEALANTS

- A. Listed in this section are materials required generally for use in accomplishing the work specified. Materials not listed may also be required.
  - 1. Coping to aluminum header transition and Pre-formed Silicone Strip Installation: Single-component silicone sealant, ASTM C 920, Type S, Grade NS, Class 50, Use T, NT, M, G, A and O.
    - a. Dow 795 Building Sealant
    - b. Percora 895 NST
    - c. Tremco Spectrum 2
  - 2. Color: To be selected by Owner from manufacturer's full range of colors.

#### 2.2 PREFORMED SILICONE STRIP AT COPING-TO-HEADER TRANSITION

- A. Listed in this section are materials required generally for use in accomplishing the work specified. Materials not listed may also be required.
  - 1. Preformed Silicone Seal for waterproofing:
    - a. Dow 123
    - b. Percora SIL-SPAN
    - c. Tremco Spectrum Simple Seal

#### 2.3 CLERESTORY PERIMETER JOINT AND CLADDING-TO-CURTAIN WALL (EAST)

- A. Listed in this section are materials required generally for use in accomplishing the work specified. Materials not listed may also be required.
  - 1. ASTM C920, Type S, Grade NS, Class 100, single compound silicone. Use NT, M, G, A and O.

#### 2.4 MATERIALS

- A. General: Provide sealant backings of materials and type that are non-staining; are compatible with joint substrates, sealants, primers, and other joint filler; and are approved for applications indicated by sealant manufacturer based on field experience and laboratory testing.
- B. Bond-Breaker Tape: Polyethylene tape with adhesive strip on one side.
- C. Cylindrical Sealant Backing: ASTM C 1330, Type B (Bi-Cellular), of size and density to control sealant depth and otherwise contribute to producing optimum sealant performance; do not use materials impregnated with oil, bitumen or similar materials.
- D. Primer: As recommended by sealant manufacturer.

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 GENERAL INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS

- A. Use solvents to clean equipment, tools and smears that are recommended by the sealant manufacturer. Solvents such as mineral spirits, kerosene or paint thinner shall not be used. Such cleaning should be accomplished as work progresses.
- B. Do not apply materials on wet or damp surfaces, over dust, dirt, oils or other contaminants.
- C. Do not apply materials when ambient air temperature is below 40°F without approval of Engineer or Owner.
- D. Store all materials in dry storage at temperatures above 40°F. Wet or damaged materials or containers shall not be used.
- E. Apply new sealant under pressure with power actuated or manual gun. Gun must have correct nozzle size and pressure to fill joint completely. Install backer rod with a blunt object. Damaged backer rod must be replaced with new materials. Size backer rod so that it will compress to 25 percent when installed into joint. Do not lap ends and do not have gaps greater than 1/8 inch between sections. Do not twist backer rod pieces together to fill gap.
- F. Do not place polyurethane sealants in contact with silicone sealants during application.
- G. Do not use an air blower to clean out dust and debris. Only clean rags or brushes are acceptable.
- H. Remove all existing sealant and backer rod down to original substrate. Removal of sealant with knife alone is not acceptable. Grind all concrete or Granite joint and solvent wipe all joints using the two-towel method.
- I. Prime all joints to be sealed with sealant manufacturer's approved primer. Do not apply excessive amounts of primer to joints. Allow primer sufficient time to dry.
- J. Install new closed-cell backer rod in joint to a depth of half the width of joint (minimum).

- K. Tool joints immediately with a rounded wood or metal spatula. Do not use wet tool method. Tooling must be accomplished before sealant begins to skin.
- L. All finished work must be uniform, clean, neat and free of overlapping.
- M. At areas where dimensions do not allow for backer rod, apply cove bead.

#### 3.2 CLERESTORY, CURTAIN WALL, PERIMETER JOINTS

- A. Remove existing sealant at locations specified on drawings.
- B. Clean joints thoroughly to remove sealant from edges. Clean joint with solvent and wipe clean with rags utilizing the two-towel method.
- C. Install new backer rod/bond breaker tape into joint.
- D. Install new sealant and tool.

#### 3.3 METAL COPING-TO-ALUMINUM HEADER TRANSITION

- A. Remove existing sealant at locations specified on drawings.
- B. Clean joints thoroughly to remove sealant from edges. Clean joint with solvent and wipe clean with rags utilizing the two-towel method.
- C. Install new backer rod/bond breaker tape into joint.
- D. Install new sealant and tool.
- E. Clean coping and aluminum header per manufacturer's written instructions.
- F. Install new preformed silicone strip per manufacturer's written instructions.

**END OF SECTION 07920** 

#### SECTION 264113 - LIGHTNING PROTECTION FOR STRUCTURES

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes lightning protection for buildings and structures.
- B. Provide all labor, materials, and equipment as necessary to complete all work as indicated on the drawings, and as specified herein.
- C. The Contractor shall furnish and install a complete lightning protection system with all necessary components for a complete system.
- D. The entire lightning protection system shall be manufactured and installed in complete accordance with Underwriters Laboratories, Inc. Pamphlet No. UL96A Master Labeled Lightning Protection Systems. Upon completion the Contractor shall furnish the Owner with the standard brass master label type C plaque for installation within the structure.

#### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

A. LPI: Lightning Protection Institute.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For air terminals and mounting accessories.
- B. Shop Drawings: Detail lightning protection system, including air-terminal locations, conductor routing and connections, and bonding and grounding provisions. Include indications for use of raceway, data on how concealment requirements will be met, and calculations required by NFPA 780 for bonding of grounded and isolated metal bodies.
- C. Qualification data for firms and persons specified in "Quality Assurance" Article to demonstrate their capabilities and experience. Include data on listing or certification by LPL
- D. Certification, signed by Contractor, that the attachment method for air terminals is approved by manufacturers of both the terminal assembly and the roofing manufacturer.
- E. Field inspection reports indicating compliance with specified requirements.

#### 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Installer Qualifications: Installation of systems shall be performed by fully qualified personnel having had a minimum of five years experience on installing these types of systems. They shall have been certified for installation by a recognized lightning protection school such as the Lightning Protection Institute and recognized by Underwriters Laboratories as a Master Label Lightning Protection System installer.
- B. Listing and Labeling: As defined in NFPA 780, "Definitions" Article.
- C. All materials shall comply in weight size, and composition with the following requirements and whichever is the most stringent shall apply relating to the type of building or structure involved.
  - 1. Lightning Protection Institute
  - 2. National Fire Protection Association
  - 3. Underwriters Laboratories Lightning Protection Master Label System
- D. The design of the systems shall be performed by fully qualified personnel having had a minimum of five years experience in designing these types of systems. They shall have been certified for design by a recognized lightning protection school such as the Lightning Protection Institute.

#### 1.6 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate installation of lightning protection with installation of other building systems and components, including electrical wiring, supporting structures and building materials, metal bodies requiring bonding to lightning protection components, and building finishes.
- B. Coordinate installation of air terminals attached to roof systems with roofing manufacturer and Installer.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 LIGHTNING PROTECTION SYSTEM COMPONENTS

A. Lightning protection system components shall comply with UL 96.

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Install lightning protection components and systems according to UL96A.
- B. In general, the lightning protection system shall be installed per manufacturer's written instruction.

#### 3.2 CORROSION PROTECTION

- A. Do not combine materials that can form an electrolytic couple that will accelerate corrosion in the presence of moisture unless moisture is permanently excluded from junction of such materials.
- B. Use conductors with protective coatings where conditions would cause deterioration or corrosion of conductors.

#### 3.3 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

A. Provide an inspection by an inspector certified by LPI to obtain an LPI certification.

**END OF SECTION 264113** 

## **FORMS**

## FORM OF PROPOSAL

Proctor Academic Hall	Contract:
North Carolina Agricultural & Technical State U	niv. Bidder:
State ID #: 23-26581-01	Date:
as principal or principals is or are named here any interest in this proposal or in the contract connection with any other person, company of respects fair and in good faith without collust examined the site of the work and the contract	nat the only person or persons interested in this proposal in and that no other person than herein mentioned has it to be entered into; that this proposal is made without or parties making a bid or proposal; and that it is in all sion or fraud. The bidder further declares that he has ct documents relative thereto, and has read all special s; that he has satisfied himself relative to the work to be
through North Carolina Agricultural and Tech below, to furnish all necessary materials, transportation and labor necessary to complet full in complete accordance with the plans, spe satisfaction of the State of North Carolina,	al is accepted to contract with the State of North Carolina nical State University in the form of contract specified equipment, machinery, tools, apparatus, means of the the construction of Barbee Hall Roof Replacement in cifications and contract documents, to the full and entire and North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State money will be allowed for extra work except as set forth uments, for the sum of:
SINGLE PRIME CONTRACT:	
Base Bid: Exterior Façade Repairs at Proctor	Academic Hall
	Dollars ( <u>\$</u> )
Electrical Subcontractor:	
	License
Mechanical Subcontractor:	License

GS143-128(d) requires all single prime bidders to identify their subcontractors for the above subdivisions of work. A contractor whose bid is accepted shall not substitute any person as subcontractor in the place of the subcontractor listed in the original bid, except (i) if the listed subcontractor's bid is later determined by the contractor to be non-responsible or non-responsive or the listed subcontractor refuses to enter into a contract for the complete performance of the bid work, or (ii) with the approval of the awarding authority for good cause shown by the contractor.

#### **UNIT PRICES**

Unit prices quoted and accepted shall apply throughout the life of the contract, except as otherwise specifically noted. Unit prices shall be applied, as appropriate, to compute the total value of changes in the base bid quantity of the work all in accordance with the contract documents.

#### **GENERAL CONTRACT:**

	<u>Item</u>	<u>Unit</u>	
1.	Replace damaged or deteriorated wood blocking.	bd. ft.	\$ /bd. ft.
2.	Remove and replace sealant.	ln. ft.	\$ /ln. ft.
3.	Replace additional waterproofing.	sq. ft.	\$ /sq. ft.
4.	Replace damaged XPS boards.	4'x8' board	\$ /4'x8'bd.

The bidder further proposes and agrees hereby to commence work under this contract on a date to be specified in a written order of the designer and shall fully complete all work thereunder within the time specified in the Supplementary General Conditions Article 23. Applicable liquidated damages amount is also stated in the Supplementary General Conditions Article 23.

#### MINORITY BUSINESS PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS

<u>Provide with the bid</u> - Under GS 143-128.2(c) the undersigned bidder shall identify <u>on its bid</u> (Identification of Minority Business Participation Form) the minority businesses that it will use on the project with the total dollar value of the bids that will be performed by the minority businesses. <u>Also</u> list the good faith efforts (Affidavit A) made to solicit minority participation in the bid effort.

NOTE: A contractor that performs all of the work with its <u>own workforce</u> may submit an Affidavit (B) to that effect in lieu of Affidavit (A) required above. The MB Participation Form must still be submitted even if there is zero participation.

<u>After the bid opening</u> - The Owner will consider all bids and alternates and determine the lowest responsible, responsive bidder. Upon notification of being the apparent low bidder, the bidder shall then file within 72 hours of the notification of being the apparent lowest bidder, the following:

An Affidavit (C) that includes a description of the portion of work to be executed by minority businesses, expressed as a percentage of the total contract price, which is <u>equal to or more than the 10% goal</u> established. This affidavit shall give rise to the presumption that the bidder has made the required good faith effort and Affidavit D is not necessary;

\* OR \*

<u>If less than the 10% goal</u>, Affidavit (D) of its good faith effort to meet the goal shall be provided. The document must include evidence of all good faith efforts that were implemented, including any advertisements, solicitations and other specific actions demonstrating recruitment and selection of minority businesses for participation in the contract.

Note: Bidders must always submit with their bid the Identification of Minority Business Participation Form listing all MB contractors, vendors and suppliers that will be used. If there is no MB participation, then enter none or zero on the form. Affidavit A or Affidavit B, as applicable, also must be submitted with the bid. Failure to file a required affidavit or documentation with the bid or after being notified apparent low bidder is grounds for rejection of the bid.

## **Proposal Signature Page**

The undersigned further agrees that in the case of failure on his part to execute the said contract and the bonds within ten (10) consecutive calendar days after being given written notice of the award of contract, the certified check, cash or bid bond accompanying this bid shall be paid into the funds of the owner's account set aside for the project, as liquidated damages for such failure; otherwise the certified check, cash or bid bond accompanying this proposal shall be returned to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted this day of		
(Name of firm or	corporation making bid)	
WITNESS:	Ву:	
	Signature	
	Name:	
(Proprietorship or Partnership)	Print or type	е
	Title	
	(Owner/Partner/Pres.	/V.Pres)
	Address	
ATTEST:		
Ву:	License No	
Title:	Federal I.D. No.	
(Corp. Sec. or Asst. Sec. only)		
(CORPORATE SEAL)		
Addendum received and used in computing bid:		
Addendum No. 1 Addendum No. 3	Addendum No. 5	Addendum No. 6
Addendum No. 2 Addendum No. 4		Addendum No. 7

# GUIDELINES FOR RECRUITMENT AND SELECTION OF MINORITY BUSINESSES FOR PARTICIPATION IN STATE CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS

In accordance with G.S. 143-128.2 (effective January 1, 2002) these guidelines establish goals for minority participation in single-prime bidding, separate-prime bidding, construction manager at risk, and alternative contracting methods, on State construction projects in the amount of \$300,000 or more. The legislation provides that the State shall have a verifiable ten percent (10%) goal for participation by minority businesses in the total value of work for each project for which a contract or contracts are awarded. These requirements are published to accomplish that end.

#### **SECTION A: INTENT**

It is the intent of these guidelines that the State of North Carolina, as awarding authority for construction projects, and the contractors and subcontractors performing the construction contracts awarded shall cooperate and in good faith do all things legal, proper and reasonable to achieve the statutory goal of ten percent (10%) for participation by minority businesses in each construction project as mandated by GS 143-128.2. Nothing in these guidelines shall be construed to require contractors or awarding authorities to award contracts or subcontracts to or to make purchases of materials or equipment from minority-business contractors or minority-business subcontractors who do not submit the lowest responsible, responsive bid or bids.

## **SECTION B: DEFINITIONS**

- 1. <u>Minority</u> a person who is a citizen or lawful permanent resident of the United States and who is:
  - a. Black, that is, a person having origins in any of the black racial groups in Africa;
  - b. Hispanic, that is, a person of Spanish or Portuguese culture with origins in Mexico, South or Central America, or the Caribbean Islands, regardless of race;
  - c. Asian American, that is, a person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia and Asia, the Indian subcontinent, the Pacific Islands;
  - d. American Indian, that is, a person having origins in any of the original peoples of North America; or
  - e. Female
- 2. Minority Business means a business:
  - a. In which at least fifty-one percent (51%) is owned by one or more minority persons, or in the case of a corporation, in which at least fifty-one percent (51%) of the stock is owned by one or more minority persons or socially and economically disadvantaged individuals; and
  - b. Of which the management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more of the minority persons or socially and economically disadvantaged individuals who own it.
- 3. Socially and economically disadvantaged individual means the same as defined in 15 U.S.C. 637. "Socially disadvantaged individuals are those who have been subjected to racial or ethnic prejudice or cultural bias because of their identity as a member of a group without regard to their individual qualities". "Economically disadvantaged individuals are those socially disadvantaged individuals whose ability to compete in the free enterprise system has been impaired due to diminished capital and credit opportunities as compared to others in the same business area who are not socially disadvantaged".
- 4. Public Entity means State and all public subdivisions and local governmental units.
- 5. Owner The State of North Carolina, through the Agency/Institution named in the contract.
- 6. <u>Designer</u> Any person, firm, partnership, or corporation, which has contracted with the State of North Carolina to perform architectural or engineering, work.
- 7. <u>Bidder</u> Any person, firm, partnership, corporation, association, or joint venture seeking to be awarded a public contract or subcontract.

- 8. <u>Contract</u> A mutually binding legal relationship or any modification thereof obligating the seller to furnish equipment, materials or services, including construction, and obligating the buyer to pay for them.
- 9. <u>Contractor</u> Any person, firm, partnership, corporation, association, or joint venture which has contracted with the State of North Carolina to perform construction work or repair.
- 10. <u>Subcontractor</u> A firm under contract with the prime contractor or construction manager at risk for supplying materials or labor and materials and/or installation. The subcontractor may or may not provide materials in his subcontract.

## **SECTION C: RESPONSIBILITIES**

1. Office for Historically Underutilized Businesses, Department of Administration (hereinafter referred to as HUB Office).

The HUB Office has established a program, which allows interested persons or businesses qualifying as a minority business under G.S. 143-128.2, to obtain certification in the State of North Carolina procurement system. The information provided by the minority businesses will be used by the HUB Office to:

- a. Identify those areas of work for which there are minority businesses, as requested.
- b. Make available to interested parties a list of prospective minority business contractors and subcontractors.
- c. Assist in the determination of technical assistance needed by minority business contractors.

In addition to being responsible for the certification/verification of minority businesses that want to participate in the State construction program, the HUB Office will:

- (1) Maintain a current list of minority businesses. The list shall include the areas of work in which each minority business is interested.
- (2) Inform minority businesses on how to identify and obtain contracting and subcontracting opportunities through the State Construction Office and other public entities.
- (3) Inform minority businesses of the contracting and subcontracting process for public construction building projects.
- (4) Work with the North Carolina trade and professional organizations to improve the ability of minority businesses to compete in the State construction projects.
- (5) The HUB Office also oversees the minority business program by:
  - a. Monitoring compliance with the program requirements.
  - b. Assisting in the implementation of training and technical assistance programs.
  - c. Identifying and implementing outreach efforts to increase the utilization of minority businesses.
  - d. Reporting the results of minority business utilization to the Secretary of the Department of Administration, the Governor, and the General Assembly.

#### 2. State Construction Office

The State Construction Office will be responsible for the following:

- a. Furnish to the HUB Office a minimum of twenty-one days prior to the bid opening the following:
  - (1) Project description and location;
  - (2) Locations where bidding documents may be reviewed;
  - (3) Name of a representative of the owner who can be contacted during the advertising period to advise who the prospective bidders are;
  - (4) Date, time and location of the bid opening.
  - (5) Date, time and location of prebid conference, if scheduled.
- b. Attending scheduled prebid conference, if necessary, to clarify requirements of the general statutes regarding minority-business participation, including the bidders' responsibilities.

- c. Reviewing the apparent low bidders' statutory compliance with the requirements listed in the proposal, that must be complied with, if the bid is to be considered as responsive, prior to award of contracts. The State reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive informalities.
- d. Reviewing of minority business requirements at Preconstruction conference.
- e. Monitoring of contractors' compliance with minority business requirements in the contract documents during construction.
- f. Provide statistical data and required reports to the HUB Office.
- g. Resolve any protest and disputes arising after implementation of the plan, in conjunction with the HUB Office.

#### 3. Owner

Before awarding a contract, owner shall do the following:

- a. Develop and implement a minority business participation outreach plan to identify minority businesses that can perform public building projects and to implement outreach efforts to encourage minority business participation in these projects to include education, recruitment, and interaction between minority businesses and non-minority businesses.
- b. Attend the scheduled prebid conference.
- c. At least 10 days prior to the scheduled day of bid opening, notify minority businesses that have requested notices from the public entity for public construction or repair work and minority businesses that otherwise indicated to the Office for Historically Underutilized Businesses an interest in the type of work being bid or the potential contracting opportunities listed in the proposal. The notification shall include the following:
  - 1. A description of the work for which the bid is being solicited.

  - The date, time, and location where bids are to be submitted.
     The name of the individual within the owner's organization who will be available to answer questions about the project.
  - 4. Where bid documents may be reviewed.
  - 5. Any special requirements that may exist.
- d. Utilize other media, as appropriate, likely to inform potential minority businesses of the bid being sought.
- e. Maintain documentation of any contacts, correspondence, or conversation with minority business firms made in an attempt to meet the goals.
- f. Review, jointly with the designer, all requirements of G.S. 143-128.2(c) and G.S. 143-128.2(f) (i.e. bidders' proposals for identification of the minority businesses that will be utilized with corresponding total dollar value of the bid and affidavit listing good faith efforts, or affidavit of self-performance of work, if the contractor will perform work under contract by its own workforce) - prior to recommendation of award to the State Construction Office.
- g. Evaluate documentation to determine good faith effort has been achieved for minority business utilization prior to recommendation of award to State Construction Office.
- h. Review prime contractors' pay applications for compliance with minority business utilization commitments prior to payment.
- i. Make documentation showing evidence of implementation of Owner's responsibilities available for review by State Construction Office and HUB Office, upon request

#### 4. Designer

Under the single-prime bidding, separate prime bidding, construction manager at risk, or alternative contracting method, the designer will:

- a. Attend the scheduled prebid conference to explain minority business requirements to the prospective bidders.
- b. Assist the owner to identify and notify prospective minority business prime and subcontractors of potential contracting opportunities.
- c. Maintain documentation of any contacts, correspondence, or conversation with minority business firms made in an attempt to meet the goals.
- d. Review jointly with the owner, all requirements of G.S. 143-128.2(c) and G.S.143-128.2(f) (i.e. bidders' proposals for identification of the minority businesses that will be utilized with

- corresponding total dollar value of the bid and affidavit listing Good Faith Efforts, or affidavit of self-performance of work, if the contractor will perform work under contract by its own workforce) prior to recommendation of award.
- e. During construction phase of the project, review "MBE Documentation for Contract Payment" (Appendix E) for compliance with minority business utilization commitments. Submit Appendix E form with monthly pay applications to the owner and forward copies to the State Construction Office.
- f. Make documentation showing evidence of implementation of Designer's responsibilities available for review by State Construction Office and HUB Office, upon request.

# 5. <u>Prime Contractor(s), CM at Risk, and Its First-Tier Subcontractors</u> Under the single-prime bidding, the separate-prime biding, construction manager at risk and

alternative contracting methods, contractor(s) will:

- a. Attend the scheduled prebid conference.
- b. Identify or determine those work areas of a subcontract where minority businesses may have an interest in performing subcontract work.
- c. At least ten (10) days prior to the scheduled day of bid opening, notify minority businesses of potential subcontracting opportunities listed in the proposal. The notification will include the following:
  - (1) A description of the work for which the subbid is being solicited.
  - (2) The date, time and location where subbids are to be submitted.
  - (3) The name of the individual within the company who will be available to answer questions about the project.
  - (4) Where bid documents may be reviewed.
  - (5) Any special requirements that may exist, such as insurance, licenses, bonds and financial arrangements.

If there are more than three (3) minority businesses in the general locality of the project who offer similar contracting or subcontracting services in the specific trade, the contractor(s) shall notify three (3), but may contact more, if the contractor(s) so desires.

- d. During the bidding process, comply with the contractor(s) requirements listed in the proposal for minority participation.
- e. Identify on the bid, the minority businesses that will be utilized on the project with corresponding total dollar value of the bid and affidavit listing good faith efforts as required by G.S. 143-128.2(c) and G.S. 143-128.2(f).
- f. Make documentation showing evidence of implementation of PM, CM-at-Risk and First-Tier Subcontractor responsibilities available for review by State Construction Office and HUB Office, upon request.
- g. Upon being named the apparent low bidder, the Bidder shall provide one of the following: (1) an affidavit (Affidavit C) that includes a description of the portion of work to be executed by minority businesses, expressed as a percentage of the total contract price, which is equal to or more than the applicable goal; (2) if the percentage is not equal to the applicable goal, then documentation of all good faith efforts taken to meet the goal. Failure to comply with these requirements is grounds for rejection of the bid and award to the next lowest responsible and responsive bidder.
- h. The contractor(s) shall identify the name(s) of minority business subcontractor(s) and corresponding dollar amount of work on the schedule of values. The schedule of values shall be provided as required in Article 31 of the General Conditions of the Contract to facilitate payments to the subcontractors.
- i. The contractor(s) shall submit with each monthly pay request(s) and final payment(s), "MBE Documentation for Contract Payment" (Appendix E), for designer's review.
- j. During the construction of a project, at any time, if it becomes necessary to replace a minority business subcontractor, immediately advise the owner, State Construction Office, and the Director of the HUB Office in writing, of the circumstances involved. The prime contractor shall make a good faith effort to replace a minority business subcontractor with another minority business subcontractor.

- k. If during the construction of a project additional subcontracting opportunities become available, make a good faith effort to solicit subbids from minority businesses.
- 1. It is the intent of these requirements apply to all contractors performing as prime contractor and first tier subcontractor under construction manager at risk on state projects.

## 6. <u>Minority Business Responsibilities</u>

While minority businesses are not required to become certified in order to participate in the State construction projects, it is recommended that they become certified and should take advantage of the appropriate technical assistance that is made available. In addition, minority businesses who are contacted by owners or bidders must respond promptly whether or not they wish to submit a bid.

## **SECTION 4: DISPUTE PROCEDURES**

It is the policy of this state that disputes that involves a person's rights, duties or privileges, should be settled through informal procedures. To that end, minority business disputes arising under these guidelines should be resolved as governed under G.S. 143-128(g).

<u>SECTION 5</u>: These guidelines shall apply upon promulgation on state construction projects. Copies of these guidelines may be obtained from the Department of Administration, State Construction Office, (physical address) 301 North Wilmington Street, Suite 450, NC Education Building, Raleigh, North Carolina, 27601-2827, (mail address) 1307 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina, 27699-1307, phone (919) 807-4100, Website: www.nc-sco.com

**SECTION 6**: In addition to these guidelines, there will be issued with each construction bid package provisions for contractual compliance providing minority business participation in the state construction program.

#### MINORITY BUSINESS CONTRACT PROVISIONS (CONSTRUCTION)

#### **APPLICATION:**

The Guidelines for Recruitment and Selection of Minority Businesses for Participation in State Construction Contracts are hereby made a part of these contract documents. These guidelines shall apply to all contractors regardless of ownership. Copies of these guidelines may be obtained from the Department of Administration, State Construction Office, (physical address) 301 North Wilmington Street, Suite 450, NC Education Building, Raleigh, North Carolina, 27601-2827, (mail address) 1307 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina, 27699-1307, phone (919) 807-4100, Website: http://www.nc-sco.com

#### MINORITY BUSINESS SUBCONTRACT GOALS:

The goals for participation by minority firms as subcontractors on this project have been set at 10%.

The bidder must identify on its bid, the minority businesses that will be utilized on the project with corresponding total dollar value of the bid and affidavit (Affidavit A) listing good faith efforts <u>or</u> affidavit (Affidavit B) of self-performance of work, if the bidder will perform work under contract by its own workforce, as required by G.S. 143-128.2(c) and G.S. 143-128.2(f).

The lowest responsible, responsive bidder must provide Affidavit C, that includes a description of the portion of work to be executed by minority businesses, expressed as a percentage of the total contract price, which is equal to or more than the applicable goal.

#### OR

Provide Affidavit D, that includes a description of the portion of work to be executed by minority businesses, expressed as a percentage of the total contract price, with documentation of Good Faith Effort, if the percentage is not equal to the applicable goal.

#### OR

Provide Affidavit B, which includes sufficient information for the State to determine that the bidder does not customarily subcontract work on this type project.

The above information must be provided as required. Failure to submit these documents is grounds for rejection of the bid.

#### MINIMUM COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS:

All written statements, affidavits or intentions made by the Bidder shall become a part of the agreement between the Contractor and the State for performance of this contract. Failure to comply with any of these statements, affidavits or intentions, or with the minority business Guidelines shall constitute a breach of the contract. A finding by the State that any information submitted either prior to award of the contract or during the performance of the contract is inaccurate, false or incomplete, shall also constitute a breach of the contract. Any such breach may result in termination of the contract in accordance with the termination provisions contained in the contract. It shall be solely at the option of the State whether to terminate the contract for breach.

In determining whether a contractor has made Good Faith Efforts, the State will evaluate all efforts made by the Contractor and will determine compliance in regard to quantity, intensity, and results of these efforts. Good Faith Efforts include:

- (1) Contacting minority businesses that reasonably could have been expected to submit a quote and that were known to the contractor or available on State or local government maintained lists at least 10 days before the bid or proposal date and notifying them of the nature and scope of the work to be performed.
- (2) Making the construction plans, specifications and requirements available for review by prospective minority businesses, or providing these documents to them at least 10 days before the bid or proposals are due.
- (3) Breaking down or combining elements of work into economically feasible units to facilitate minority participation.
- (4) Working with minority trade, community, or contractor organizations identified by the Office for Historically Underutilized Businesses and included in the bid documents that provide assistance in recruitment of minority businesses.
- (5) Attending any prebid meetings scheduled by the public owner.
- (6) Providing assistance in getting required bonding or insurance or providing alternatives to bonding or insurance for subcontractors.
- (7) Negotiating in good faith with interested minority businesses and not rejecting them as unqualified without sound reasons based on their capabilities. Any rejection of a minority business based on lack of qualification should have the reasons documented in writing.
- (8) Providing assistance to an otherwise qualified minority business in need of equipment, loan capital, lines of credit, or joint pay agreements to secure loans, supplies, or letters of credit, including waiving credit that is ordinarily required. Assisting minority businesses in obtaining the same unit pricing with the bidder's suppliers in order to help minority businesses in establishing credit.
- (9) Negotiating joint venture and partnership arrangements with minority businesses in order to increase opportunities for minority business participation on a public construction or repair project when possible.
- (10) Providing quick pay agreements and policies to enable minority contractors and suppliers to meet cash-flow demands.

## APPENDIX E

## MBE DOCUMENTATION FOR CONTRACT PAYMENTS

Prime Contractor/Architect	t:			
Address & Phone:				
Project Name:				
Pay Application #:		Period:		
The following is a list of parentioned period.	ayments made to	Minority Business l	Enterprises on this pr	roject for the abov
MBE FIRM NAME	* INDICATE TYPE OF MBE	AMOUNT PAID THIS MONTH	TOTAL PAYMENTS TO DATE	TOTAL AMOUNT COMMITTED
*Minority categories: American Indian (I), F				
Date:	Approved/Ce	ertified By:		ame
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SUBMIT WITH EACH PAY REQUEST & FINAL PAYMENT

## **Identification of HUB Certified/ Minority Business Participation**

hereby certify that on this project, we will instruction subcontractors, vendors, supp			business as
rm Name, Address and Phone #	Work Type	*Minority Category	**HUB Certified (Y/N)

\*\* HUB Certification with the state HUB Office required to be counted toward state participation goals.

The total value of minority business contracting will be (\$)\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Attach to Bid Attach to Bid

## State of North Carolina AFFIDAVIT A - Listing of Good Faith Efforts

Co	unty of
	(Name of Bidder)
Aff	idavit of  I have made a good faith effort to comply under the following areas checked:
Ric	Iders must earn at least 50 points from the good faith efforts listed for their bid to be
	nsidered responsive. (1 NC Administrative Code 30 I.0101)
	<b>1 – (10 pts)</b> Contacted minority businesses that reasonably could have been expected to submit a quote and that were known to the contractor, or available on State or local government maintained lists, at least 10 days before the bid date and notified them of the nature and scope of the work to be performed.
	<b>2(10 pts)</b> Made the construction plans, specifications and requirements available for review by prospective minority businesses, or providing these documents to them at least 10 days before the bids are due.
	3 – (15 pts) Broken down or combined elements of work into economically feasible units to facilitate minority participation.
	<b>4 – (10 pts)</b> Worked with minority trade, community, or contractor organizations identified by the Office of Historically Underutilized Businesses and included in the bid documents that provide assistance in recruitment of minority businesses.
	5 – (10 pts) Attended prebid meetings scheduled by the public owner.
	<b>6 – (20 pts)</b> Provided assistance in getting required bonding or insurance or provided alternatives to bonding or insurance for subcontractors.
	<b>7 – (15 pts)</b> Negotiated in good faith with interested minority businesses and did not reject them as unqualified without sound reasons based on their capabilities. Any rejection of a minority business based on lack of qualification should have the reasons documented in writing.
	<b>8</b> – <b>(25 pts)</b> Provided assistance to an otherwise qualified minority business in need of equipment, loan capital, lines of credit, or joint pay agreements to secure loans, supplies, or letters of credit, including waiving credit that is ordinarily required. Assisted minority businesses in obtaining the same unit pricing with the bidder's suppliers in order to help minority businesses in establishing credit.
	<b>9 – (20 pts)</b> Negotiated joint venture and partnership arrangements with minority businesses in order to increase opportunities for minority business participation on a public construction or repair project when possible.
_	10 - (20 pts) Provided quick pay agreements and policies to enable minority contractors and suppliers to meet cash-flow demands.
lde exe	e undersigned, if apparent low bidder, will enter into a formal agreement with the firms listed in the ntification of Minority Business Participation schedule conditional upon scope of contract to be ecuted with the Owner. Substitution of contractors must be in accordance with GS143-128.2(d) lure to abide by this statutory provision will constitute a breach of the contract.
	e undersigned hereby certifies that he or she has read the terms of the minority business nmitment and is authorized to bind the bidder to the commitment herein set forth.
Dat	te:Name of Authorized Officer:
	Signature:
	Title:
	State of County of
(	State of, County of
	My commission expires

Attach to Bid Attach to Bid

# State of North Carolina --AFFIDAVIT B-- Intent to Perform Contract with Own Workforce.

County of	With <u>Own</u> Worklords.
Affidavit of	
	(Name of Bidder) perform 100% of the work required for the
	contract.
(Name o	of Project)
of this type project, and normally per	er states that the Bidder does not customarily subcontract elements forms and has the capability to perform and will perform <u>all</u> with his/her own current work forces; and
	dditional information or documentation requested by the owner in Bidder agrees to make a Good Faith Effort to utilize minority
The undersigned hereby certifies that Bidder to the commitments herein co	at he or she has read this certification and is authorized to bind the ontained.
Date: Name of Authori	zed Officer:
Name of Admon	zed Officer
	Signature:
SEAL	Title:
State of,	County of
State of, ( Subscribed and sworn to before me this Notary Public	day of20

My commission expires\_\_\_\_\_

State of North		<b>AFFIDAV</b>	IT C - I	Portion of the	
Performed by F County of		Minority B	usinesse	es .	
(Note this form is to		ly by the app	parent lowe	st responsible, res	sponsive bidder.)
If the portion of the v 128.2(g) and 128.4(a bidder must complet This affidavit shall be	a),(b),(e) is <u>equal to</u> e this affidavit. e provided by the ap	or greater th	an 10% of th	ne bidders total con	tract price, then the
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Project ID#	(Project		Amount of Bi	d \$	
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Name and Phone No	umber	*Minority Category	**HUB Certified Y/N	Work Description	Dollar Value
*Minority categories: E  ** <b>HUB Certification v</b> Pursuant to GS143-	Female ( <b>F</b> ) Soc with the state HUB C	cially and Econ	nomically Disa I to be count	dvantaged (D) ed toward state par	ticipation goals.
work listed in this so this commitment ma	chedule conditional	upon execu	tion of a cor		
The undersigned he authorized to bind th				ns of this commitme	ent and is
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	Si	gnature:			
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	Notary Public				
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## **State of North Carolina**

## **AFFIDAVIT D – Good Faith Efforts**

County of				
(Note this form is to be submitted	_	apparent l	owest responsible, re	sponsive bidder.)
If the goal of 10% participation by HI provide the following documentation				, the Bidder shall
Affidavit of			I do here	by certify that on the
	(Name of Bidd	ler)		
Project ID#	ject Name)	Amount	of Bid \$	
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Name and Phone Number	*Minority Category	**HUB Certified Y/N	Work Description	Dollar Value

**Examples** of documentation that <u>may</u> be required to demonstrate the Bidder's good faith efforts to meet the goals set forth in these provisions include, but are not necessarily limited to, the following:

- A. Copies of solicitations for quotes to at least three (3) minority business firms from the source list provided by the State for each subcontract to be let under this contract (if 3 or more firms are shown on the source list). Each solicitation shall contain a specific description of the work to be subcontracted, location where bid documents can be reviewed, representative of the Prime Bidder to contact, and location, date and time when quotes must be received.
- B. Copies of quotes or responses received from each firm responding to the solicitation.
- C. A telephone log of follow-up calls to each firm sent a solicitation.
- D. For subcontracts where a minority business firm is not considered the lowest responsible sub-bidder, copies of quotes received from all firms submitting quotes for that particular subcontract.
- E. Documentation of any contacts or correspondence to minority business, community, or contractor organizations in an attempt to meet the goal.
- F. Copy of pre-bid roster
- G. Letter documenting efforts to provide assistance in obtaining required bonding or insurance for minority business.
- H. Letter detailing reasons for rejection of minority business due to lack of qualification.
- I. Letter documenting proposed assistance offered to minority business in need of equipment, loan capital, lines of credit, or joint pay agreements to secure loans, supplies, or letter of credit, including waiving credit that is ordinarily required.

Failure to provide the documentation as listed in these provisions may result in rejection of the bid and award to the next lowest responsible and responsive bidder.

Pursuant to GS143-128.2(d), the undersigned will enter into a formal agreement with Minority Firms for work listed in this schedule conditional upon execution of a contract with the Owner. Failure to fulfill this commitment may constitute a breach of the contract.

<sup>\*</sup>Minority categories: Black, African American (**B**), Hispanic (**H**), Asian American (**A**) American Indian (**I**), Female (**F**) Socially and Economically Disadvantaged (**D**)

<sup>\*\*</sup> HUB Certification with the state HUB Office required to be counted toward state participation goals.

The undersigned hereby certifies that he or she has read the terms of this commitment and is authorized to bind the bidder to the commitment herein set forth.

Date:	Name of Authorized Officer:		
	Signature:		
	Title:		
( SEAL )	State of, County or Subscribed and sworn to before me this	 <u> </u>	
	Notary Public My commission expires		

## FORM OF BID BOND

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principal,	and					, as s	urety, who is duly
licensed	to act as	surety in	North	Carolina, ar	e held and firmly	bound unto t	he State of North
Carolina	through	North Ca	ırolina A	Agricultural a	nd Technical St	ate University	as obligee, in the
penal sur	n of				DO	LLARS, lawfu	I money of the
United St	ates of Ar	merica, fo	r the pa	yment of wh	ich, well and trul	y to be made, v	we bind ourselves,
our heirs,	executor	s, admini	strators,	successors	and assigns, joir	ntly and severa	lly, firmly by these
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and the p	rincipal de	esires to f	ile this b	oid bond in li	eu of making the	cash deposit a	s required by G.S.
143-129.							
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principal	shall be a	warded th	e contra	act for which	the bid is submitt	ed and shall ex	ecute the contract
and give	bond for	the faithfu	ıl perfor	mance there	of within ten day	s after the awa	ard of same to the
principal,	then this	obligation	n shall	be null and	void; but if the p	rincipal fails to	so execute such
contract a	and give p	erforman	ce bond	d as required	by G.S. 143-129	, the surety sh	all, upon demand,
forthwith	pay to the	e obligee	the am	ount set fort	h in the first para	agraph hereof.	Provided further,
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## FORM OF CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT

(ALL PRIME CONTRACTS)

	(ALL FRANCE CONTINUED)
	THIS AGREEMENT, made the day of in the year o
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	hereinafter called the Party of the First Part and the State of North Carolina; through
Nortl	n Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University hereinafter called the Party of the
Seco	nd Part.
	WITNESSETH:
here	That the Party of the First Part and the Party of the Second Part for the consideration named agree as follows:
enun there Supp bond dama	1. Scope of Work: The Party of the First Part shall furnish and deliver all of the rials, and perform all of the work in the manner and form as provided by the following nerated plans, specifications and documents, which are attached hereto and made a part of as if fully contained herein: advertisement; Instructions to Bidders; General Conditions plementary General Conditions; specifications; accepted proposal; contract; performance; payment bond; power of attorney; workmen's compensation; public liability; property age and builder's risk insurance certificates; approval of attorney general; certificate by the e of State Budget and Management, and drawings, titled:
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fully days Supp for the sche part under sche	2. That the Party of the First Part shall commence work to be performed under this ement on a date to be specified in a written order of the Party of the Second Part and shall complete all work hereunder within consecutive calenda from said date. For each day in excess thereof, liquidated damages shall be as stated in elementary. General Conditions. The Party of the First Part, as one of the considerations are awarding of this contract, shall furnish to the Party of the Second Part a construction dule setting forth planned progress of the project broken down by the various divisions of the work and by calendar days. If the Party of the First Part fails to begin the work of the contract within the time specified, or the progress of the work is not maintained or dule, or the work is not completed within the time above specified, or fails to perform the with sufficient workmen and equipment or with sufficient materials to ensure the promption.

completion of said work, or shall perform the work unsuitably or shall discontinue the prosecution of the work, or if the Party of the First Part shall become insolvent or be declared bankrupt or commit any act of bankruptcy or insolvency, or allow any final judgment to stand against him unsatisfied for a period of forty-eight (48) hours, or shall make an assignment for the benefit of creditors, or for any other cause whatsoever shall not carry on the work in an acceptable manner, the Party of the Second Part may give notice in writing, sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the Party of the First Part and his surety of such delay. neglect or default, specifying the same, and if the Party of the First Part within a period of fifteen (15) days after such notice shall not proceed in accordance therewith, then the Party of the Second Part shall, declare this contract in default, and, thereupon, the surety shall promptly take over the work and complete the performance of this contract in the manner and within the time frame specified. In the event the surety shall fail to take over the work to be done under this contract within fifteen (15) days after being so notified and notify the Party of the Second Part in writing, sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, that he is taking the same over and stating that he will diligently pursue and complete the same, the Party of the Second Part shall have full power and authority, without violating the contract, to take the prosecution of the work out of the hands of said Party of the First Part, to appropriate or use any or all contract materials and equipment on the grounds as may be suitable and acceptable and may enter into an agreement, either by public letting or negotiation, for the completion of said contract according to the terms and provisions thereof or use such other methods as in his opinion shall be required for the completion of said contract in an acceptable manner. All costs and charges incurred by the Party of the Second Part, together with the costs of completing the work under contract, shall be deducted from any monies due or which may become due said Party of the First Part and surety. In case the expense so incurred by the Party of the Second Part shall be less than the sum which would have been payable under the contract, if it had been completed by said Party of the First Part, then the said Party of the First Part and surety shall be entitled to receive the difference, but in case such expense shall exceed the sum which would have been payable under the contract, then the Party of the First Part and the surety shall be liable and shall pay to the Party of the Second Part the amount of said excess.

3. The Party of the Second Part hereby agrees to pay to the Party of the First Part for
the faithful performance of this agreement, subject to additions and deductions as provided ir
the specifications or proposal, in lawful money of the United States as follows:

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#### Summary of Contract Award:

- 4. On or before the 20th day of each calendar month, the Party of the Second Part shall make payments to the Party of the First Part on the basis of a duly certified and approved estimate of work performed during the preceding calendar month by the First Party, less five percent (5%) of the amount of such estimate which is to be retained by the Second Party until all work has been performed strictly in accordance with this agreement and until such work has been accepted by the Second Party. The Second Party may elect to waive retainage requirements after 50 percent of the work has been satisfactorily completed on schedule as referred to in Article 31 of the General Conditions.
- 5. Upon submission by the First Party of evidence satisfactory to the Second Party that all payrolls, material bills and other costs incurred by the First Party in connection with the construction of the work have been paid in full, final payment on account of this agreement

shall be made within thirty (30) days after the completion by the First Party of all work covered by this agreement and the acceptance of such work by the Second Party.

6. It is further mutually agreed between the parties hereto that if at any time after the execution of this agreement and the surety bonds hereto attached for its faithful performance, the Second Party shall deem the surety or sureties upon such bonds to be unsatisfactory, or if, for any reason, such bonds cease to be adequate to cover the performance of the work, the First Party shall, at its expense, within five (5) days after the receipt of notice from the Second Party so to do, furnish an additional bond or bonds in such form and amount, and with such surety or sureties as shall be satisfactory to the Second Party. In such event no further payment to the First Party shall be deemed to be due under this agreement until such new or additional security for the faithful performance of the work shall be furnished in manner and form satisfactory to the Second Party.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have executed this agreement on the day and date first above written in <u>four (4)</u> counterparts, each of which shall without proof or accounting for other counterparts, be deemed an original contract.

Witness:			
	Contractor:(Trade or Corporate Name)		
(Proprietorship or Partnership)	By:		
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Attest: (Corporation)	Title:		
	(Owner, Partner, or Corp. Pres. or Vice Pres. only)		
Ву:			
Title:(Corp. Sec. or Asst. Sec. only)			
(CORPORATE SEAL)	The State of North Carolina through		
Witness:	NC Agricultural & Technical State University		
	(Agency, Department or Institution)		
	By:		
	Title		

#### **SECTION 308 FORM OF PAYMENT BOND**

Date of Contract:
Date of Execution:
Name of Principal:(Contractor)
Name of Surety:
Name of Contracting Body: The State of North Carolina through NC Agricultural & Technical State University
Amount of Bond:
Project: <u>Proctor Academic Hall, Exterior Façade Repairs, North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University, Greensboro, North Carolina</u>
KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that we, the principal and surety above named, are held and firmly bound unto the above named contracting body, hereinafter called the contracting body, in the penal sum of the amount stated above 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 with the contracting body identified as shown above and hereto attached:
NOW, THEREFORE, if the principal shall promptly make payment to all persons supplying labor/material in the prosecution of the work provided for in said contract, and any and all duly authorized modifications of said contract that may hereafter be made, notice of which modifications to the surety being hereby waived, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the above-bounden parties have executed this instrument under their several seals on the date indicated above, 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.
Executed in counterparts.

Witness:	
	Contractor: (Trade or Corporate Name)
(Proprietorship or Partnership)	Ву:
Attest: (Corporation)	Title:(Owner, Partner, Corp. Pres. Or Vice Pres. Only)
Ву:	
Title:(Corp. Sec. or Asst. Sec. only)	(Corporate Seal)
	(Surety Company)
Witness:	By:
	Title:(Attorney in Fact)
Countersigned:	(Surety Corporate Seal)
(N.C. Licensed Resident Agent)	
Name and Address – Surety Agency	
Surety Company Name and N.C. Regional of Branch Office Address	or

#### FORM OF PERFORMANCE BOND

Date of Contract:
Date of Execution:
Name of Principal:(Contractor)
Name of Surety:
Name of Contracting Body: The State of North Carolina through NC Agricultural & Technical State University
Amount of Bond:
Project: Proctor Academic Hall, Exterior Façade Repairs, North Carolina Agricultural and Technical
State University, Greensboro, North Carolina

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that we, the principal and surety above named, are held and firmly bound unto the above named contracting body, hereinafter called the contracting body, in the penal sum of the amount stated above 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 with the contracting body, identified as shown above and hereto attached:

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 extensions thereof that may be granted by the contracting body, with or without notice to the surety, and during the life of any guaranty 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 duly authorized modifications of said contract that may hereafter be made, notice of which modifications to the surety being hereby waived, then, this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

being hereto affixed and these presents duly signed by its undersigned representative, pursuant to authority of its governing body. Executed in \_\_\_\_\_ counterparts. Witness: Contractor: (Trade or Corporate Name) (Proprietorship or Partnership) Attest: (Corporation) (Owner, Partner, Corp. Pres. Or Vice Pres. Only) By:\_\_\_\_\_ Title: (Corp. Sec. or Asst. Sec. only) (Corporate Seal) (Surety Company) Witness: Title:\_\_\_\_\_(Attorney in Fact) Countersigned: (Surety Corporate Seal) (N.C. Licensed Resident Agent) Name and Address – Surety Agency

Surety Company Name and N.C. Regional or

Branch Office Address

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the above-bounden parties have executed this instrument under

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## **Sheet for Attaching Power of Attorney**

## **Sheet for Attaching Insurance Certificates**

## APPROVAL OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

# CERTIFICATION BY THE OFFICE OF STATE BUDGET AND MANAGEMENT

	•	payable by theade and is available for the purpose
This	day of	20
	Signed	Budget Officer

## CONTRACTOR'S WARRANTY

Owner:		North Carolina A	Agricultu	ural and Technical State University
Installe	r:			
Locatio	n of Building:	116 Danie	l Street,	, Greensboro, North Carolina
Name o	of Building:	Proct	tor Acad	demic Hall
Roof A	reas:			
Date of	Substantial Complet	ion:		
and sh contract years f flashing	eet metal work, and at between Owner and from date of Substan	having accomplished d Contractor, warrant ntial Completion of so ork, shall be absolute	d certain to Own aid wor	ined above, having installed insulation, roofing, flashings n other work on the roof areas identified above under ner, with respect to said work that for a period of five (5) rk, the roofing including insulation, roofing membrane, entight and free from all leaks, provided however that the
	Defects or failures re	esulting from abuse by	the Ov	wner.
	Defects in design inv	olving failure of (1) st	ructural	frame, (2) load-bearing walls, and (3) foundations.
	Damage caused by	fire, tornado, hail, hurr	ricane, a	acts of God, wars riots or civil commotion.
restore		ht condition by method		ofing we will promptly remedy said leaks in a manner to patible to the system and acceptable under industry
above, but not	we will make repairs limited to blisters, wri	at no expense to the (	Owner, i varped i	irs from date of Substantial Completion referred to to any defects which may develop in the work including insulation and loose flashings in a manner compatible to general practice.
IN WIT		e have caused this ins		nt to be duly executed, this
				(Installer)
WITNE	SS:		by	
			Бy	President
	Notary Pub	lic		

## **SEALANT WARRANTY**

Owner:	North Carolina Agricultur	al and Technical State University
Installer:		
Location of Building: _	116 Daniel Street,	Greensboro, North Carolina
Name of Building:	Proctor Academic	Hall
Areas:		
Date of Substantial Cor	mpletion:	
or supplies, installed ne under contract betweer five (5) years from date related materials shall be following are excluded	www bond breaker, backer rome of Owner and Contractor, was of Substantial Completion be absolutely watertight, air from this warranty:	as defined above, having furnished labor, materials, equipment d, sealant and certain other work on areas identified above arrant to Owner, with respect to said work that for a period of of said work, the joint sealant, bond breaker, backer rod and tight and free from all leaks, provided however that the
Defects or failu	res resulting from abuse by	the Owner.
Defects in desi	gn involving failure of (1) st	ructural frame, (2) load-bearing walls, and (3) foundations.
Damage cause	d by fire, tornado, hail, hur	ricane, acts of God, wars riots or civil commotion.
a manner to restore the		the building joint sealant we will promptly remedy said leaks in rtight condition by methods compatible to the system and practice.
above, we will make reput not limited to cohes	pairs at no expense to the	(5) years from date of Substantial Completion referred to Owner, to any defects which may develop in the work including utgassing, voids and staining in a manner compatible to the and general practice.
	DF, we have caused this in:	strument to be duly executed, this 0
WITNESS.		(Installer)
WITNESS:		by
		President
Noton	/ Public	
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## ASBESTOS FREE WARRANTY

Owner:						
Location of Building:	116 Daniel Street, Greensbor	o, North Carolina				
Name of Building:	•					
Know all men by these	e presents that we,	(Contractor, Subcontractor, Material Supplier or Equipment Manufacturer)				
flashings and/or misc	cellaneous roof system componer	upplies; removed roofing, roof insulation, vapor retarder, its; accomplished certain repairs to existing roof system; ing and/or miscellaneous roof system components;				
from, to and/or on	(9.11. 9.44	as shown on the roof plan below under				
	(Buildings, Roof Areas, etc.)					
contract between		and (Contractor and/or Subcontractor, Material Supplier or Equipment Supplier)				
		als containing asbestos fibers were incorporated into the containing asbestos remain in or are covered by the work.				
Exceptions:	LOCATION—SITE Academic Classroom Building	Exceptions, state "No Exceptions" here				
IN WITNESS WHER	REOF, we have caused this instrument	ent to be duly executed, this day of				
		WITNESS:				
Company						
Ву		Notary Public				

SUBMITTAL TRANSMITTAL		Date:
From:		Terracon Consultants, Inc. 2701 Westport Road Charlotte, NC 28208
Project Name: Proctor Academic Hall		
Owner: North Carolina Agricultural a		
State ID Number: 23-26581-01		-
Terracon Project Number: FY226137		
Submittal Number: No		
		):
Drawing/Detail Reference(s):		
Location of Work:		
Product Manufacturer:		
Date submitted to Contractor:		
Qualifications/Deviations from Specification		
CONTRACTOR'S APPROVAL  THIS SUBMITTAL HAS BEEN PREPAREVIEWED BY THE CONTRACTOR A SUBJECT TO ANY QUALIFICATIONS IN SIGNED:	ND IS A CO	NTRACTOR APPROVED SUBMITTAL
NAME:		
ENGINEER'S APPROVAL		
APPROVED; APPROVED AS NOTE REVIEWED; APPROVED FOR COREVISE AND RESUBMIT; REFER	<b>NSTRUCTION</b>	I ACCORDING TO NOTATIONS.
Checking by Engineer is only for confocompliance with the information given in dimensions to be confirmed and correlated fabrication processes or to techniques of trades.	the contract d at the job site	ocuments. Contractor is responsible for , for information that pertains solely to the
SIGNED:	DATE	<u>:</u>

## PROJECT SUBMITTAL CHECKLIST

Materials List
Materials Certificate of Compliance
<ul> <li>Lumber</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Prefinished Metal</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Sealant</li> </ul>
Base Ply Membrane
O Cap Sheet
<ul><li>Gypsum Board</li><li>Polyisocyanurate Insulation</li></ul>
Base Flashing
Base Flashing Backer Sheet
Wood Fiber Cant Strips
<ul> <li>Waterproofing membrane</li> </ul>
Liquid mastic
Manufacturer's Application Procedures
Modified Bitumen Roofing
Copies of Authorizations and Licenses from Authorities having jurisdiction
AIA Document G703, Schedule of Values
Material Safety Data Sheets
Schedule for Removal and Installation
Written Safety Procedures
Underwriter's Laboratories, Inc. Class A Roof Covering Certificate from Roofing System Manufacturer
Shop Drawings
Metal Samples
Color Chart
Documentation of Existing Conditions
Certification from Manufacturer that Contractor is an Approved Installer
List of Subcontractors
List of Contractor Staff Assignments and Qualifications
Sample Warranties
Certificate from manufacturer of fall protection cable system with Engineer's seal
Certa Training Certificates for employees operating torches