STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION RALEIGH, N.C.

CONTRACT AND CONTRACT BONDS

FOR CONTRACT NO. C202758

WBS <u>2CR.10071.2 STATE FUNDED</u>

COUNTY OF BEAUFORT

THIS IS THE ROADWAY CONTRACT

ROUTE NUMBER NC 264 LENGTH 7.900 MILES LOCATION NC-264 FROM SR-1714 TO CEMETERY ROAD.

CONTRACTOR BARNHILL CONTRACTING COMPANY

ADDRESS P.O. BOX 1529

TARBORO, NC 278861529

BIDS OPENED APRIL 19, 2011

CONTRACT EXECUTION MAY 2 3 2011

Barnhill Contracting Company (3516).

Vendor 2 of 3 Vendors for Call Order 004 (Proposal ID C202758).

County: BEAUFORT Address: PO Box 399

Kinston, NC 28502

Phone Number: 252-527-8021

Signature Check: This bid has been properly signed by CAREY_M. SWANN_III_3516.

Time Bid Received: Tue Apr 19 11:25:34 2011

Bid Checksum: 0EDD5DE7 MBE GOAL SET 3.0

Amendment Count: 0

Bidding Errors: This bid contains errors.

Bid Total: \$2,741,497.40 / MBE GOAL OBT 0.0

Bond ID: SNC11397616

Bond was Verified: Yes. WBE GOAL SET 3.0

Bond Required Percent: 5.00%

Minimum Check Amount: \$137,074.87

Bid Security Maximum: \$ WBE GOAL OBT 1.3

Bond Agency Name:

Agency Execution Date: 4/18/2011 9:30:19 AM

Surety Name: Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of Ame

Surety State of Incorporation:

Bond Company: Bond Type: Bond Appr Flag:

Bond Affirm:

Bond was Paid by Check: No.

LIST OF MBE PARTICIPANTS

TOTAL:

\$0.00 **arm**

LIST OF WBE PARTICIPANTS

VENDOR DBE NAME NUMBER ADDRESS

WORK CODE TYPE OF WORK CERT

TYPE AMOUNT

1.31%

______ 4247 WB SEAL BROTHERS CONTRACTING LLC

Sub

35,950.00

131 W. CLEVE STREET , MOUNT AIRY, NC 27030

TOTAL:

\$35,950.00

Miscelleneous Data Info - Contractor Responses:

NON-COLLUSION AND DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

Explanation of the prospective bidder that is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification:

Explanation:

NOT ANSWERED

NOT ANSWERED

NOT ANSWERED

NOT ANSWERED

AWARD LIMITS ON MULTIPLE PROJECTS

By answering YES to this statement, the bidder acknowleges that they are using the award limits on multiple projects. No

It is the desire of the Bidder to be awarded contracts, the value of which will not exceed a total of NOT ANSWERED for those projects indicated herein, for which bids will be opened on (MM/DD/YY)

The Award Limits shall apply to the following projects:

Contract Number

County

NOT ANSWERED

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NOT ANSWERED

Bid Bond Data Info - Contractor Responses:

BondID: SNC11397616 Surety Registry Agency: surety2000

Verified?: Yes

Surety Agency: Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America

Bond Execution Date: 4/18/2011 9:30:19 AM

Bond Amount. \$137,074.87 (Five Percent of Bid)

Dept of Transportation State of NC

Date. 03-21-11 Revised.

Contract ID. C202758 Project(s): STATE FUNDED
Letting Date: 04-19-11 Call Order: 004
Bidder. 3516 - Barnhill Contracting Company

Line	Item	Approx.	Unit Price	Bid Amount	
No.	Description	Quantity and Units	Dollars Cts	Dollars Ct	

Section 0001 ROADWAY ITEMS

Alt Group

		0104				
	0001	0000100000-N MOBILIZATIO	LUMP		LUMP	100,000.00
1	0002	0106000000-E BORROW EXCAVATION	CY	1,188.000	10.00000	11,880.00
	0003	1220000000-E INCIDENTAL STONE BASE	TON	485.000	28.00000	13,580.00
1	0004	1245000000-E SHOULDER RECONSTRUCTION	SMI	19.800	1,000.00000	19,800.00
	0005	1489000000-E ASPHALT CONC BASE COURSE, TYPE B25.0B	TON	6,418.000	38.00000	243,884 00
-	0006	1498000000-E ASPHALT CONC INTERMEDIATE COURSE, TYPE I19 0B	TON	20,493.000	37.00000	758,241.00
•	0007	1519000000-E ASPHALT CONC SURFACE COURSE, TYPE S9 5B	TON	12,044.000	32.00000	385,408.00
•	0008	1560000000-E ASPHALT BINDER FOR PLANT MIX, GRADE PG 64-22	TON	1,961.000	547.00000	1,072,667.00
•	0009	4589000000-N GENERIC TRAFFIC CONTROL ITEM TRAFFIC CONTROL	LUMP		LUMP	5,000.00
•	0010	4685000000-E THERMOPLAST IC PAVEMENT MARKINGLINES (4", 90 MILS)	LF	85,004.000	0.44000	37,401 76
	0011	4686000000-E THERMOPLAST IC PAVEMENT MARKING LINES (4", 120 MILS)	1	52,140.000	0.52000	27,112.80
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State of NC Dept of Transportation

Revised

Contract ID: C202758 Project(s) STATE FUNDED
Letting Date. 04-19-11 Call Order. 004
Bidder 3516 - Barnhill Contracting Company

Line		 	Approx.	Unit Price	Bid Amount
No.	Description		uantity nd Units	Dollars Cts	Dollars Ct
0012	4810000000-E PAINT PAVEMENT MARKING LINES (4")	LF	79,856.000	0.14000	11,179.84
0013	4905000000-N SNOWPLOWABL E PAVEMENT MARKERS	EA	654.000	27.00000	17,658.00
0014	6000000000-E TEMPORARY SILT FENCE	LF	1,300.000	2.00000	2,600.00
0015	6012000000-E SEDIMENT CONTROL STONE	TON	20.000	50.00000	1,000.00
0016	6042000000-E 1/4" HARDWARE CLOTH	LF	1,000.000	3.15000	3,150.00
0017	6071010000-E WATTLE	LF	200.000	6.00000	1,200.00
0018	6084000000-E SEEDING & MULCHING	ACR	19.000	1,565.00000	29,735 00
ļ +	 Section 0001 Total				2,741,497 40
+	 Bid Total				2,741,497 40 +

Date: 03-21-11

NON-COLLUSION AND DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

The bidder certifies that neither he, nor any official, agent or employee of the bidder has entered into any agreement, participated in any collusion, or otherwise taken any action which is in restraint of free competitive bidding in connection with this bid, and that the bidder intends to do the work with its own bonafide employees or subcontractors and is not bidding for the benefit of another contractor. In addition, submitting this electronic bid constitutes the bidder's certification of Status under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States and in accordance with the Debarment Certification on file with the Department.

By submitting this bid, the bidder certifies to the best of his knowledge and belief that he and his principals.

- Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency,
- b. Have not within a three-year period preceding this proposal been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements; or receiving stolen property;
- c. Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph b. of this certification; and
- Have not within a three-year period preceding this proposal had one or more public transactions (Federal, State or local) terminated for cause or default

Where the prospective bidder is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, the bidder shall submit an explanation in the blanks provided herein. The explanation will not necessarily result in denial of participation in a contract.

Explanation. NOT ANSWERED NOT ANSWERED NOT ANSWERED NOT ANSWERED

If the prequalified bidder's status changes, he shall immediately submit a new fully executed non-collusion affidavit and debarment certification with an explanation of the change to the Contract Office prior to submitting the bid.

Failure to furnish a certification or an explanation will be grounds for rejection of a bid

AWARD LIMITS ON MULTIPLE PROJECTS

By answering YES to this statement, the bidder acknowleges that they are using the award limits on multiple projects. No

A bidder who desires to bid on more than one project on which bids are to be opened on the same date, and who also desires to avoid receiving an award of more projects than he is equipped to handle, may bid on any number of projects but may limit the total amount of work awarded to him on selected projects by completing the AWARD LIMITS ON MULTIPLE PROJECTS.

The Award Limits on Multiple Projects must be filled in on each project bid for which the Bidder desires protection.

It is the desire of the Bidder to be awarded contracts, the value of which

will not exceed a total of NOT ANSWERED for those

projects indicated herein, for which bids will be opened on

(MM/DD/YY)

The Award Limits shall apply to the following projects:

Contract Number

County

NOT ANSWERED

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NOT ANSWERED

It is agreed that if I am (we are) the low Bidder(s) on indicated projects, the total value of which is more than the above stipulated award limits, the Board of Transportation will award me (us) projects from among those indicated that have a total value not to exceed the award limit and will result in the lowest total bids to the Department of Transportation.

NORTH CAROLINA STATE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION MBE COMMITMENT ITEMS

DATE:03-21-11

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PROPOSAL: C202758

LETTING: L110419 CALL: 004 VENDOR: 3516 Barnhill Contracting Company

TOTAL MBE COMMITMENT FOR VENDOR:

0.00 **arm** Entered: 0.00% or 0.00 Required: 3.00% or 82244.92

<GOAL NOT MET>

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NORTH CAROLINA STATE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION WBE COMMITMENT ITEMS DATE:03-21-11 PAGE: 6

PROPOSAL: C202758 LETTING: L110419

CALL: 004

VENDOR: 3516 Barnhill Contracting Company

LINE ITEM NO. NO.	ITEM DESC.	UNIT TYPE	SUBCONTRACTOR QUANTITY	SUBCONTRACTOR UNIT PRICE	EXTENDED AMOUNT	
WBE SUBCONTRACTOR Will Use Quote: Yo		OTHERS	S CONTRACTING L	rc		
0018 6084000000-E	SEEDING AND	ACR	19.000	1565.00000	29735.00	
0014 6000000000-E	TEMPORARY SI	LF	1150,000	2.00000	2300.00	
0016 6042000000-E	1/4" HARDWAR	LF	900.000	3.15000	2835.00	
0017 6071010000-E	WATTLE	LF	180.000	6.00000	1080.00	2
WBE COMMITM	ENT TOTAL FOR	SUBCO	NTRACTOR:	3	35,950.00	ārm
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TOTAL WBE COMMITM	ENT FOR VENDOR	.:	Entered:	1.31% or	35950.00	▼
			Required:		82244.92 OAL NOT MET>	

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Contract Item Sheets For	C202758		
Description	Quantity	Unit Bid	Amount
	Unit	Price	Bid
ROADWAY ITEMS			

Line #	ItemNumber	Sec #	Description	Quantity Unit	Unit Bid Price	Amount Bid
		"	ROADWAY ITEMS	Ont	Frice	
0001	0000100000-N	800	MOBILIZATION	Lump Sum LS	100,000.00	100,000.00
0002	0106000000-E	230	BORROW EXCAVATION	1,188 CY	10.00	11,880.00
0003	1220000000-E	545	INCIDENTAL STONE BASE	485 TON	28.00	13,580.00
0004	1245000000-E	SP	SHOULDER RECONSTRUCTION	19.8 SMI	1,000.00	19,800.00
0005	1489000000-E	610	ASPHALT CONC BASE COURSE, TYPE B25.0B	6,418 TON	38.00	243,884.00
0006	1498000000-E	610	ASPHALT CONC INTERMEDIATE COURSE, TYPE I19.0B	20,493 TON	37.00	758,241.00
0007	1519000000-E	610	ASPHALT CONC SURFACE COURSE, TYPE S9.5B	12,044 TON	32.00	385,408.00
0008	1560000000-E	620	ASPHALT BINDER FOR PLANT MIX, GRADE PG 64-22	1,961 TON	547.00	1,072,667.00
0009	4589000000-N	SP	GENERIC TRAFFIC CONTROL ITEM TRAFFIC CONTROL	Lump Sum LS	5,000.00	5,000.00
0010	4685000000-E	1205	THERMOPLASTIC PAVEMENT MARKING LINES (4", 90 MILS)	85,004 LF	0.44	37,401.76
0011	4686000000-E	1205	THERMOPLASTIC PAVEMENT MARKING LINES (4", 120 MILS)	52,140 LF	0.52	27,112.80
0012	4810000000-E	1205	PAINT PAVEMENT MARKING LINES (4")	79,856 LF	0.14	11,179.84
0013	4905000000-N	1253	SNOWPLOWABLE PAVEMENT MARKERS	654 EA	27.00	17,658.00
0014	6000000000-E	1605	TEMPORARY SILT FENCE	1,300 LF	2.00	2,600.00
0015	6012000000-E	1610	SEDIMENT CONTROL STONE	20 TON	50.00	1,000.00
0016	6042000000-E	1632	1/4" HARDWARE CLOTH	1,000 LF	3.15	3,150.00
0017	6071010000-E	SP	WATTLE	200 LF	6.00	1,200.00

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North Carolina Department Of Transportation

Contract Item Sheets For C202758

TOTAL AMOUNT OF BID FOR ENTIRE PROJECT

Line #	ItemNumber	Sec #	Description	Quantity Unit	Unit Bid Price	Amount Bid
0018	6084000000-E	1660	SEEDING & MULCHING	19 ACR	1,565.00	29,735.00

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\$2,741,497 40

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EXECUTION OF CONTRACT NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT, DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION AND GIFT BAN CERTIFICATION

CORPORATION

The Contractor being duly sworn, solemnly swears (or affirms) that neither he, nor any official, agent or employee has entered into any agreement, participated in any collusion, or otherwise taken any action which is in restraint of free competitive bidding in connection with this Contract, and that the Contractor intends to do the work with his own bonafide employees or subcontractors and did not bid for the benefit of another contractor.

By submitting this Execution of Contract, Non-Collusion affidavit and Debarment Certification, the Contractor is certifying his status under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States in accordance with the Debarment Certification attached, provided that the Debarment Certification also includes any required statements concerning exceptions that are applicable.

N.C.G.S. § 133-32 and Executive Order 24 prohibit the offer to, or acceptance by, any State Employee of any gift from anyone with a contract with the State, or from any person seeking to do business with the State. By execution of any response in this procurement, you attest, for your entire organization and its employees or agents, that you are not aware that any such gift has been offered, accepted, or promised by any employees of your organization.

SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR

Barnhill Contracting Company	
Full name of C	orporation
P O. Box 1529, Tarboro, NC 27886	
Address as Properties Address as Properties Address as Properties By Secretary/Assistant Secretary Select appropriate title	
Sophia B. Hardy	Allen Barnhill
Print or type Signer's name	Print or type Signer's name
	CORPORATE SEAL
AFFIDAVIT M	UST BE NOTARIZED
Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 5th day of May 20 11 (Helen W. Spain) Signature of Notary Public of Edgecombe County State of North Carolina	NOTARY SEAL
My Commission Expires: 4/14/2013	

DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION OF CONTRACTOR

Conditions for certification:

- 1. The Contractor shall provide immediate written notice to the Department if at any time the Contractor learns that his certification was erroneous when he submitted his debarment certification or explanation that is on file with the Department, or has become erroneous because of changed circumstances.
- 2. The terms covered transaction, debarred, suspended, ineligible, lower tier covered transaction, participant, person, primary covered transaction, principal, proposal, and voluntarily excluded, as used in this provision, have the meanings set out in the Definitions and Coverage sections of the rules implementing Executive Order 12549. A copy of the Federal Rules requiring this certification and detailing the definitions and coverages may be obtained from the Contract Officer of the Department.
- 3 The Contractor agrees by submitting this form, that he will not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in NCDOT contracts, unless authorized by the Department.
- 4. For Federal Aid projects, the Contractor further agrees that by submitting this form he will include the Federal-Aid Provision titled *Required Contract Provisions Federal-Aid Construction Contract (Form FHWA PR 1273)* provided by the Department, without subsequent modification, in all lower tier covered transactions.
- 5 The Contractor may rely upon a certification of a participant in a lower tier covered transaction that he is not debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless he knows that the certification is erroneous. The Contractor may decide the method and frequency by which he will determine the eligibility of his subcontractors.
- 6. Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this provision. The knowledge and information of a participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.
- 7. Except as authorized in paragraph 3 herein, the Department may terminate any contract if the Contractor knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available by the Federal Government.

DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

The Contractor certifies to the best of his knowledge and belief, that he and his principals:

- a. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
- b. Have not within a three-year period preceding this proposal been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records; making false statements; or receiving stolen property;
- c. Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph b. of this certification; and
- d. Have not within a three-year period preceding this proposal had one or more public transactions (Federal, State or local) terminated for cause or default.
- e. If status changes, will submit a revised Debarment Certification immediately.

If the Contractor cannot certify that he is not debarred, he shall provide an explanation with this submittal. An explanation will not necessarily result in denial of participation in a contract.

Failure to submit a non-collusion affidavit and debarment certification will result in the Contractor's bid being considered non-responsive.

Contract No C202758

County (ies): Beaufort

ACCEPTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Contract Officer

7/29/1

Execution of Contract and Bonds

Approved as to Form:

Signature Sheet (Bid - Acceptance by Department)

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CONTRACT PAYMENT BOND

Date of Payment Bond Execution	5/2/2011
Name of Principal Contractor	Barnhill Contracting Company
Name of Surety:	Travelers Casualty And Surety Company Of America
Name of Contracting Body	North Carolina Department of Transportation
-	Raleigh, North Carolina
Amount of Bond:	TWO MILLION SEVEN HUNDRED FORTY-ONE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED NINETY-SEVEN AND 40/100THS
Contract ID No.:	C202758
County Name:	BEAUFORT

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, the PRINCIPAL CONTRACTOR (hereafter, 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, numbered as shown above and hereto attached:

NOW THEREFORE, if the principal shall promptly make payment to all persons supplying labor and 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-bound 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.

C202758	•
BEAUFORT	

CONTRACT PAYMENT BOND

Affix Seal of Surety Company

Travelers Casualty And Surety Company Of America
Print or type Surety Company Name

By H. Thomas Dawkins

Print, stamp or type name of Attorney-in-Fact

Signature of Attorney-in-Fact

PAT GRIGGS

Print or type Signer's name

2820 Selwyn Avenue, Suite 375 Charlotte, NC 28209

CONTRACT PAYMENT BOND

CORPORATION

SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR (Principal)

Barnhill Contracting Company
Full name of Corporation
P.O. Box 1529, Tarboro, NC 27886
Address as prequalified
Dv
Signature of President, Vice President, Assistant Vice President Vice President Select appropriate title
3
Print or type Signer's name
Affix Corporate Seal
Attest Signature of Secretary, Assistant Secretary Select appropriate title

Print or type Signer's name

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CONTRACT PERFORMANCE BOND

Date of Performance Bond Execution:	Sarnhill Contracting Company		
Name of Principal Contractor:			
Name of Surety:	Travelers Casualty And Surety Company Of America		
Name of Contracting Body:	North Carolina Department of Transportation		
	Raleigh, North Carolina		
Amount of Bond:	TWO MILLION SEVEN HUNDRED FORTY-ONE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED NINETY-SEVEN AND 40/100THS		
Contract ID No.:	C202758		
County Name:	BEAUFORT		

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, the PRINCIPAL CONTRACTOR (hereafter, 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, numbered 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.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the above-bound 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.

CONTRACT PERFORMANCE BOND

Affix Seal of Surety Company

Travelers Casualty And Surety Company Of America
Print or type Surety Company Name

By H. Thomas Dawkins

Print, stamp or type name of Attorney-in-Fact

Signature of Attorney-in-Fact

PAT GRIGGS

Print or type Signer's name

2820 Selwyn Avenue, Suite 375 Charlotte, NC 28209

CONTRACT PERFORMANCE BOND

CORPORATION

SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR (Principal)

Barnhill Contracting Company	
	Full name of Corporation
P.O. Box 1529, Tarboro, NC 27886	
	Address as prequalified
	By Men Barmfull
	Signature of President, Vice President, Assistant Vice President Select appropriate title
	Ragional Select appropriate title
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	allew Barnhill
	Print or type Signer's name

Affix Corporate Seal

Attest

Signature of Secretary, Assistant Secretary

Select appropriate title

Print or type Signer's name



POWER OF ATTORNEY

Farmington Casualty Company
Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company
Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Underwriters, Inc.
St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company
St. Paul Guardian Insurance Company

St. Paul Mercury Insurance Company Travelers Casualty and Surety Company Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company

Marie C. Tetreault, Notary Public

Attorney-In Fact No.

222006

Certificate No. 003944730

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company, St. Paul Guardian Insurance Company and St. Paul Mercury Insurance Company are corporations duly organized under the laws of the State of Minnesota, that Farmington Casualty Company, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company, and Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America are corporations duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut, that United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Maryland, that Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Iowa, and that Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Underwriters, Inc., is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Wisconsin (herein collectively called the "Companies"), and that the Companies do hereby make, constitute and appoint

H. Thomas Dawkins, Hunter T Dawkins, and Patricia Griggs

of the City of, State of, North Carolina, their true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-I	³act
each in their separate capacity if more than one is named above, to sign, execute, seal and acknowledge any and all bonds, recognizances, conditional undertakings other writings obligatory in the nature thereof on behalf of the Companies in their business of guaranteeing the fidelity of persons, guaranteeing the performance contracts and executing or guaranteeing bonds and undertakings required or permitted in any actions or proceedings allowed by law.	and
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Companies have caused this instrument to be signed and their corporate seals to be hereto affixed, this	
day of January , 2010	
Farmington Casualty Company St. Paul Mercury Insurance Company	
Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Underwriters, Inc. Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America	
St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company St. Paul Guardian Insurance Company	
St. Faul Guartuan Insurance Company	
1951 SEAL/S SEAL	
State of Connecticut City of Hartford ss. By: George W Thompson, Senior Vice President	
On this the 13th day of January , 2010 , before me personally appeared George W. Thompson, who acknowle himself to be the Senior Vice President of Farmington Casualty Company, Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company, Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company, Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company, Travelers Casualty and S Company, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America, and United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, and that he, as such, being authorized so the executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained by signing on behalf of the corporations by himself as a duly authorized officer.	iters uret

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In Witness Whereof, I hereunto set my hand and official seal. My Commission expires the 30th day of June, 2011.

WARNING: THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY IS INVALID WITHOUT THE RED BORDER

This Power of Attorney is granted under and by the authority of the following resolutions adopted by the Boards of Directors of Farmington Casualty Company, Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company, Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company, St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company, St. Paul Guardian Insurance Company, St. Paul Mercury Insurance Company, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America, and United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, which resolutions are now in full force and effect, reading as follows:

RESOLVED, that the Chairman, the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President, any Vice President, any Second Vice President, the Treasurer, any Assistant Treasurer, the Corporate Secretary or any Assistant Secretary may appoint Attorneys-in-Fact and Agents to act for and on behalf of the Company and may give such appointee such authority as his or her certificate of authority may prescribe to sign with the Company's name and seal with the Company's seal bonds, recognizances, contracts of indemnity, and other writings obligatory in the nature of a bond, recognizance, or conditional undertaking, and any of said officers or the Board of Directors at any time may remove any such appointee and revoke the power given him or her; and it is

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Chairman, the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President or any Vice President may delegate all or any part of the foregoing authority to one or more officers or employees of this Company, provided that each such delegation is in writing and a copy thereof is filed in the office of the Secretary; and it is

FURTHER RESOLVED, that any bond, recognizance, contract of indemnity, or writing obligatory in the nature of a bond, recognizance, or conditional undertaking shall be valid and binding upon the Company when (a) signed by the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President or any Vice President, any Second Vice President, the Treasurer, any Assistant Treasurer, the Corporate Secretary or any Assistant Secretary and duly attested and sealed with the Company's seal by a Secretary or Assistant Secretary; or (b) duly executed (under seal, if required) by one or more Attorneys-in-Fact and Agents pursuant to the power prescribed in his or her certificate or their certificates of authority or by one or more Company officers pursuant to a written delegation of authority; and it is

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the signature of each of the following officers: President, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President, any Vice President, any Assistant Vice President, any Assistant Secretary, and the seal of the Company may be affixed by facsimile to any Power of Attorney or to any certificate relating thereto appointing Resident Vice Presidents, Resident Assistant Secretaries or Attorneys-in-Fact for purposes only of executing and attesting bonds and undertakings and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, and any such Power of Attorney or certificate bearing such facsimile signature or facsimile seal shall be valid and binding upon the Company and any such power so executed and certified by such facsimile signature and facsimile seal shall be valid and binding on the Company in the future with respect to any bond or understanding to which it is attached.

I, Kori M. Johanson, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary, of Farmington Casualty Company, Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company, Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company, Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company, St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company, St. Paul Guardian Insurance Company, St. Paul Mercury Insurance Company, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America, and United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Power of Attorney executed by said Companies, which is in full force and effect and has not been revoked.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seals of said Companies this Oulday of

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Kori M. Johanson Assistant Secretary



















To verify the authenticity of this Power of Attorney, call 1-800-421-3880 or contact us at www.travelersbond.com. Please refer to the Attorney-In-Fact number, the above-named individuals and the details of the bond to which the power is attached.