

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

C202843

CONTRACT AND
CONTRACT BONDS

FOR CONTRACT NO. C202843

WBS

33510.3.1 BRZ-1432(2)

T.I.P NO.

B-4162

COUNTY OF

JACKSON

THIS IS THE

ROADWAY & STRUCTURE CONTRACT

ROUTE NUMBER

SR 1432

LENGTH

0.138 MILES

LOCATION

BRIDGE OVER SOUTHERN RAILWAY AND APPROACHES ON SR-1432.

CONTRACTOR

SIMPSON CONSTRUCTION CO., INC.

ADDRESS

P.O. BOX 2727

CLEVELAND, TN 373202727

BIDS OPENED

JULY 17, 2012

CONTRACT EXECUTION

SEP 06 2012

**Vendor 1 of 5: SIMPSON CONSTRUCTION CO., INC. (3476)
Call Order 021 (Proposal: C202843)**

Bid Information

County: JACKSON
Address: P.O. Box 2727
178 Durkee Road
Cleveland , TN , 37320

Signature Check: Larry_Eskew_3476
Time Bid Received: July 17, 2012 01:53 PM
Amendment Count: 0

Bid Checksum: FFEBF1DE
Bid Total: \$1,329,340.63
Items Total: \$1,329,340.63 ✓
Time Total: \$0.00

Bidding Errors:

DBE Warning : DBE Warning: DBE Commitment Goal not met

DBE GOAL SET 9.0

DBE GOAL OBT 4.9

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Bid Bond Information

Projects:
Counties:
Bond ID: SNC12518384
Paid by Check: No
Bond Percent: 5%

Bond Maximum:
State of Incorporation:
Agency Execution Date: 7/12/2012 3
Surety Name: surety2000
Bond Agency Name: Liberty Mutual Insurance
Company

Vendor 3476's Bid Information for Call 021, Letting L120717, 07/17/12

Simpson Construction Co., Inc. (3476)
 Call Order 021 (Proposal ID C202843)

LIST OF DBE PARTICIPANTS

VENDOR NUMBER	DBE NAME ADDRESS	WORK CODE TYPE OF WORK	CERT TYPE AMOUNT	
3145	WB WATTS BARRIER WALLS 55 MUSCADINE LANE , MOUNTVILLE, SC 29370		Sub 11,864.79	committed
2759	WB SUPERIOR SEEDING, INC. POST OFFICE BOX 12642 , GASTONIA, NC 280520010		Sub 14,625.00	committed
3376	WB REYNOLDS FENCE & GUARDRAIL INC 9320 MACHADO DRIVE , INDIAN TRAIL, NC 28079		Sub 21,275.00	committed
3765	WB STAY ALERT SAFETY SERVICES INC POST OFFICE BOX 467 , KERNERSVILLE, NC 27285		Sub 6,646.55	committed
8654	MB BENNIE A GASKIN DBA BAG HAULING P.O. BOX 2653 , CANDLER, NC 28715		Sub 10,460.00	committed
			TOTAL: \$64,871.34	
				4.88%

Vendor 3476's Bid Information for Call 021, Letting L120717, 07/17/12

Simpson Construction Co., Inc. (3476)
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Miscellaneous Data Info - Contractor Responses:

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NON-COLLUSION AND DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

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

Explanation:
 NOT ANSWERED
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AWARD LIMITS ON MULTIPLE PROJECTS

By answering YES to this statement, the bidder acknowledges 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
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Bid Bond Data Info - Contractor Responses:

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BondID: SNC12518384
Surety Registry Agency: surety2000
Verified?: Yes
Surety Agency: Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
Bond Execution Date: 7/12/2012 3
Bond Amount: \$66,467.03 (Five Percent of Bid)

Contract ID: C202843 Project(s): BRZ-1432(2)
Letting Date: 07-17-12 Call Order: 021
Bidder: 3476 - Simpson Construction Co., Inc.

Line No.	Item Description	Approx. Quantity and Units	Unit Price Dollars Cts	Bid Amount Dollars Ct
Section 0001 ROADWAY ITEMS				
Alt Group				
0001	0000100000-N MOBILIZATIO N	LUMP	LUMP	66,000.00
0002	0000400000-N CONSTRUCTIO N SURVEYING	LUMP	LUMP	11,000.00
0003	0030000000-N BRIDGE APPROACH FILL - SUB REGIONAL TIER, STATION ***** (18+31.08 -L-)	LUMP	LUMP	6,100.00
0004	0043000000-N GRADING	LUMP	LUMP	50,000.00
0005	0050000000-E SUPPLEMENTA RY CLEARING & GRUB-BING	1.000 ACR	100.00000	100.00
0006	0057000000-E UNDERCUT EXCAVATION	115.000 CY	4.25000	488.75
0007	0195000000-E SELECT GRANULAR MATERIAL	100.000 CY	46.00000	4,600.00
0008	0196000000-E GEOTEXTILE FOR SOIL STABILIZA-TION	200.000 SY	4.00000	800.00
0009	0318000000-E FOUNDATION CONDITIONING MATE- RIAL, MINOR STRUCTURES	10.000 TON	43.00000	430.00
0010	0320000000-E FOUNDATION CONDITIONING GEO- TEXTILE	30.000 SY	3.00000	90.00

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0011	0335200000-E 15" DRAINAGE PIPE	24.000 LF	43.00000		1,032.00	
0012	0343000000-E 15" SIDE DRAIN PIPE	40.000 LF	32.00000		1,280.00	
0013	0995000000-E PIPE REMOVAL	42.000 LF	12.00000		504.00	
0014	1099500000-E SHALLOW UNDERCUT	100.000 CY	11.00000		1,100.00	
0015	1099700000-E CLASS IV SUBGRADE STABILIZATION	200.000 TON	36.00000		7,200.00	
0016	1220000000-E INCIDENTAL STONE BASE	100.000 TON	44.00000		4,400.00	
0017	1489000000-E ASPHALT CONC BASE COURSE, TYPE B25.0B	270.000 TON	135.00000		36,450.00	
0018	1525000000-E ASPHALT CONC SURFACE COURSE, TYPE SF9.5A	225.000 TON	138.00000		31,050.00	
0019	1575000000-E ASPHALT BINDER FOR PLANT MIX	30.000 TON	798.00000		23,940.00	
0020	2022000000-E SUBDRAIN EXCAVATION	23.000 CY	25.00000		575.00	
0021	2033000000-E SUBDRAIN FINE AGGREGATE	17.000 CY	58.00000		986.00	
0022	2044000000-E 6" PERFORATED SUBDRAIN PIPE	100.000 LF	14.00000		1,400.00	

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0023	2070000000-N SUBDRAIN PIPE OUTLET	1.000 EA	300.00000		300.00	
0024	2077000000-E 6" OUTLET PIPE	6.000 LF	31.00000		186.00	
0025	2286000000-N MASONRY DRAINAGE STRUCTURES	2.000 EA	2,500.00000		5,000.00	
0026	2367000000-N FRAME WITH TWO GRATES, STD 840.29	2.000 EA	315.00000		630.00	
0027	2556000000-E SHOULDER BERM GUTTER	325.000 LF	28.00000		9,100.00	
0028	2619000000-E 4" CONCRETE PAVED DITCH	80.000 SY	30.00000		2,400.00	
0029	3030000000-E STEEL BM GUARDRAIL	350.000 LF	15.75000		5,512.50	
0030	3150000000-N ADDITIONAL GUARDRAIL POSTS	5.000 EA	16.00000		80.00	
0031	3317000000-N GUARDRAIL ANCHOR UNITS, TYPE B-77	4.000 EA	1,580.00000		6,320.00	
0032	3389000000-N TEMPORARY GUARDRAIL ANCHOR UNITS, TYPE ***** (TL-2)	4.000 EA	850.00000		3,400.00	
0033	3435000000-N GENERIC GUARDRAIL ITEM EXTRA LENGTH GUARDRAIL POST, 8' STEEL	90.000 EA	79.00000		7,110.00	

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0034	3656000000-E GEOTEXTILE FOR DRAINAGE	525.000 SY	4.00000		2,100.00	
0035	4072000000-E SUPPORTS, 3-LB STEEL U-CHANNEL	30.000 LF	5.50000		165.00	
0036	4102000000-N SIGN ERECTION, TYPE E	2.000 EA	69.00000		138.00	
0037	4155000000-N DISPOSAL OF SIGN SYSTEM, U-CHANNEL	8.000 EA	5.35000		42.80	
0038	4400000000-E WORK ZONE SIGNS (STATIONARY)	382.000 SF	7.00000		2,674.00	
0039	4410000000-E WORK ZONE SIGNS (BARRICADE MOUNTED)	219.000 SF	7.00000		1,533.00	
0040	4445000000-E BARRICADES (TYPE III)	144.000 LF	25.00000		3,600.00	
0041	4810000000-E PAINT PAVEMENT MARKING LINES (4")	5,816.000 LF	0.60000		3,489.60	
0042	4905000000-N SNOWPLOWABLE PAVEMENT MARKERS	61.000 EA	43.00000		2,623.00	
0043	6000000000-E TEMPORARY SILT FENCE	1,150.000 LF	3.75000		4,312.50	
0044	6006000000-E STONE FOR EROSION CONTROL, CLASS A	250.000 TON	38.00000		9,500.00	
0045	6009000000-E STONE FOR EROSION CONTROL, CLASS B	150.000 TON	49.00000		7,350.00	

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0046	6012000000-E SEDIMENT CONTROL STONE	115.000 TON	43.00000		4,945.00	
0047	6015000000-E TEMPORARY MULCHING	0.500 ACR	1,500.00000		750.00	
0048	6018000000-E SEED FOR TEMPORARY SEEDING	50.000 LB	8.50000		425.00	
0049	6021000000-E FERTILIZER FOR TEMPORARY SEED-ING	0.250 TON	2,100.00000		525.00	
0050	6024000000-E TEMPORARY SLOPE DRAINS	200.000 LF	16.00000		3,200.00	
0051	6029000000-E SAFETY FENCE	100.000 LF	10.00000		1,000.00	
0052	6030000000-E SILT EXCAVATION	90.000 CY	3.00000		270.00	
0053	6036000000-E MATTING FOR EROSION CONTROL	2,000.000 SY	1.86000		3,720.00	
0054	6042000000-E 1/4" HARDWARE CLOTH	355.000 LF	8.00000		2,840.00	
0055	6071020000-E POLYACRYLAMIDE (PAM)	50.000 LB	15.00000		750.00	
0056	6084000000-E SEEDING & MULCHING	0.500 ACR	2,100.00000		1,050.00	
0057	6087000000-E MOWING	0.250 ACR	320.00000		80.00	

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0058	6090000000-E SEED FOR REPAIR SEEDING	50.000 LB	11.00000		550.00	
0059	6093000000-E FERTILIZER FOR REPAIR SEEDING	0.250 TON	3,200.00000		800.00	
0060	6096000000-E SEED FOR SUPPLEMENTAL SEEDING	50.000 LB	8.50000		425.00	
0061	6108000000-E FERTILIZER TOPDRESSING	0.500 TON	1,600.00000		800.00	
0062	6114500000-N SPECIALIZED HAND MOWING	10.000 MHR	69.00000		690.00	
0063	6117000000-N RESPONSE FOR EROSION CONTROL	18.000 EA	325.00000		5,850.00	
Section 0001 Total						355,762.15

Section 0003 WALL ITEMS

Alt Group

0064	8847000000-E GENERIC RETAINING WALL ITEM MSE RETAINING WALL NO 1	3,330.000 SF	60.00000		199,800.00	
Section 0003 Total						199,800.00

Section 0004 STRUCTURE ITEMS

Alt Group

0065	8035000000-N REMOVAL OF EXISTING STRUCTURE AT STATION ***** (18+31.08-L-)	LUMP	LUMP		143,000.00	
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0066	8084000000-N FOUNDATION EXCAVATION FOR END BENT ** AT STATION ***** (2,18+31.08-L-)	LUMP	LUMP			10,100.00
0067	8121000000-N UNCLASSIFIED STRUCTURE EXCAVATION AT STATION ***** (18+31.08-L-)	LUMP	LUMP			14,000.00
0068	8147000000-E REINFORCED CONCRETE DECK SLAB	SF 3,815.000	30.10000			114,831.50
0069	8161000000-E GROOVING BRIDGE FLOORS	SF 3,485.000	1.00000			3,485.00
0070	8182000000-E CLASS A CONCRETE (BRIDGE)	CY 84.200	604.00000			50,856.80
0071	8210000000-N BRIDGE APPROACH SLABS, STATION***** (18+31.08-L-)	LUMP	LUMP			21,100.00
0072	8217000000-E REINFORCING STEEL (BRIDGE)	LB 12,413.000	0.96000			11,916.48
0073	8280000000-E APPROX LBS STRUCTURALSTEEL	LUMP	LUMP			356,000.00
0074	8364000000-E HP12X53 STEEL PILES	LF 160.000	58.00000			9,280.00
0075	8503000000-E CONCRETE BARRIER RAIL	LF 279.830	66.50000			18,608.70
0076	8657000000-N ELASTOMERIC BEARINGS	LUMP	LUMP			11,000.00

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			Dollars	Cts	Dollars	Ct
0077	8692000000-N FOAM JOINT SEALS	LUMP	LUMP			9,600.00
	Section 0004 Total					773,778.48
	Bid Total					1,329,340.63

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:

- 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.

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
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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 acknowledges 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:

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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.

DBE COMMITMENT ITEMS

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PROPOSAL: C202843
 LETTING: L120717 CALL: 021
 VENDOR: 3476 Simpson Construction Co., Inc.

LINE NO.	ITEM NO.	ITEM DESC.	UNIT TYPE	SUBCONTRACTOR QUANTITY	SUBCONTRACTOR UNIT PRICE	EXTENDED AMOUNT
DBE SUBCONTRACTOR: 3145 WATTS BARRIER WALLS Will Use Quote: Yes						
0075	8503000000-E	CONCRETE BAR LF		279.830	42.40000	11864.79
DBE COMMITMENT TOTAL FOR SUBCONTRACTOR:						11,864.79 committed
DBE COMMITMENT TOTAL FOR VENDOR (SubContractor)						11,864.

DBE SUBCONTRACTOR: 2759 SUPERIOR SEEDING, INC.
 Will Use Quote: Yes

0047	6015000000-E	TEMPORARY MU ACR		0.500	1400.00000	700.00
0048	6018000000-E	SEED FOR TEM LB		50.000	8.00000	400.00
0049	6021000000-E	FERT FOR TEM TON		0.250	2000.00000	500.00
0053	6036000000-E	MATTING FOR SY		2000.000	1.75000	3500.00
0056	6084000000-E	SEEDING AND ACR		0.500	2000.00000	1000.00
0057	6087000000-E	MOWING ACR		0.250	300.00000	75.00
0058	6090000000-E	SEED FOR REP LB		50.000	10.00000	500.00
0059	6093000000-E	FERT FOR REP TON		0.250	3000.00000	750.00
0060	6096000000-E	SEED FOR SUP LB		50.000	8.00000	400.00
0061	6108000000-E	FERTILIZER T TON		0.500	1500.00000	750.00
0062	6114500000-N	SPECIALIZED MHR		10.000	65.00000	650.00
0063	6117000000-N	RESPONSE FOR EA		18.000	300.00000	5400.00
DBE COMMITMENT TOTAL FOR SUBCONTRACTOR:						14,625.00 committed
DBE COMMITMENT TOTAL FOR VENDOR (SubContractor)						14,625.

DBE SUBCONTRACTOR: 3376 REYNOLDS FENCE & GUARDRAIL INC
 Will Use Quote: Yes

0029	3030000000-E	STL BM GUARD LF		350.000	15.00000	5250.00
0030	3150000000-N	ADDIT GUARDR EA		5.000	15.00000	75.00
0031	3317000000-N	GR ANCHOR TY EA		4.000	1500.00000	6000.00
0032	3389000000-N	TEMP GDRL AN EA		4.000	800.00000	3200.00
0033	3435000000-N	GENERIC GUAR EA		90.000	75.00000	6750.00
DBE COMMITMENT TOTAL FOR SUBCONTRACTOR:						21,275.00 committed
DBE COMMITMENT TOTAL FOR VENDOR (SubContractor)						21,275.

DBE SUBCONTRACTOR: 3765 STAY ALERT SAFETY SERVICES INC
 Will Use Quote: Yes

0001	0000100000-N	MOBILIZATION LS		1.000	250.00000	250.00
0035	4072000000-E	SUPPORT, 3-L LF		30.000	5.25000	157.50
0036	4102000000-N	SIGN ERECTIO EA		2.000	65.00000	130.00
0037	4155000000-N	DISPOSE SIGN EA		8.000	5.00000	40.00
0038	4400000000-E	WORK ZONE SI SF		382.000	5.15000	1967.30

Contract Item Sheets For C202843

Line #	ItemNumber	Sec #	Description	Quantity Unit	Unit Bid Price	Amount Bid
ROADWAY ITEMS						
0001	0000100000-N	800	MOBILIZATION	Lump Sum LS	66,000.00	66,000.00
0002	0000400000-N	801	CONSTRUCTION SURVEYING	Lump Sum LS	11,000.00	11,000.00
0003	0030000000-N	SP	BRIDGE APPROACH FILL - SUB REGIONAL TIER, STATION ***** (18 + 31.08 -L-)	Lump Sum LS	6,100.00	6,100.00
0004	0043000000-N	226	GRADING	Lump Sum LS	50,000.00	50,000.00
0005	0050000000-E	226	SUPPLEMENTARY CLEARING & GRUB- BING	1 ACR	100.00	100.00
0006	0057000000-E	226	UNDERCUT EXCAVATION	115 CY	4.25	488.75
0007	0195000000-E	265	SELECT GRANULAR MATERIAL	100 CY	46.00	4,600.00
0008	0196000000-E	270	GEOTEXTILE FOR SOIL STABILIZA- TION	200 SY	4.00	800.00
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0010	0320000000-E	300	FOUNDATION CONDITIONING GEO- TEXTILE	30 SY	3.00	90.00
0011	0335200000-E	305	15" DRAINAGE PIPE	24 LF	43.00	1,032.00
0012	0343000000-E	310	15" SIDE DRAIN PIPE	40 LF	32.00	1,280.00
0013	0995000000-E	340	PIPE REMOVAL	42 LF	12.00	504.00
0014	1099500000-E	505	SHALLOW UNDERCUT	100 CY	11.00	1,100.00
0015	1099700000-E	505	CLASS IV SUBGRADE STABILIZA- TION	200 TON	36.00	7,200.00
0016	1220000000-E	545	INCIDENTAL STONE BASE	100 TON	44.00	4,400.00
0017	1489000000-E	610	ASPHALT CONC BASE COURSE, TYPE B25.0B	270 TON	135.00	36,450.00
0018	1525000000-E	610	ASPHALT CONC SURFACE COURSE, TYPE SF9.5A	225 TON	138.00	31,050.00

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0026	2367000000-N	840	FRAME WITH TWO GRATES, STD 840.29	2 EA	315.00	630.00
0027	2556000000-E	846	SHOULDER BERM GUTTER	325 LF	28.00	9,100.00
0028	2619000000-E	850	4" CONCRETE PAVED DITCH	80 SY	30.00	2,400.00
0029	3030000000-E	862	STEEL BM GUARDRAIL	350 LF	15.75	5,512.50
0030	3150000000-N	862	ADDITIONAL GUARDRAIL POSTS	5 EA	16.00	80.00
0031	3317000000-N	862	GUARDRAIL ANCHOR UNITS, TYPE B-77	4 EA	1,580.00	6,320.00
0032	3389000000-N	SP	TEMPORARY GUARDRAIL ANCHOR UNITS, TYPE ***** (TL-2)	4 EA	850.00	3,400.00
0033	3435000000-N	SP	GENERIC GUARDRAIL ITEM EXTRA LENGTH GUARDRAIL POST, 8' STEEL	90 EA	79.00	7,110.00
0034	3656000000-E	876	GEOTEXTILE FOR DRAINAGE	525 SY	4.00	2,100.00
0035	4072000000-E	903	SUPPORTS, 3-LB STEEL U-CHANNEL	30 LF	5.50	165.00
0036	4102000000-N	904	SIGN ERECTION, TYPE E	2 EA	69.00	138.00
0037	4155000000-N	907	DISPOSAL OF SIGN SYSTEM, U- CHANNEL	8 EA	5.35	42.80

Contract Item Sheets For C202843

Line #	ItemNumber	Sec #	Description	Quantity Unit	Unit Bid Price	Amount Bid
0038	4400000000-E	1110	WORK ZONE SIGNS (STATIONARY)	382 SF	7.00	2,674.00
0039	4410000000-E	1110	WORK ZONE SIGNS (BARRICADE MOUNTED)	219 SF	7.00	1,533.00
0040	4445000000-E	1145	BARRICADES (TYPE III)	144 LF	25.00	3,600.00
0041	4810000000-E	1205	PAINT PAVEMENT MARKING LINES (4")	5,816 LF	0.60	3,489.60
0042	4905000000-N	1253	SNOWPLOWABLE PAVEMENT MARKERS	61 EA	43.00	2,623.00
0043	6000000000-E	1605	TEMPORARY SILT FENCE	1,150 LF	3.75	4,312.50
0044	6006000000-E	1610	STONE FOR EROSION CONTROL, CLASS A	250 TON	38.00	9,500.00
0045	6009000000-E	1610	STONE FOR EROSION CONTROL, CLASS B	150 TON	49.00	7,350.00
0046	6012000000-E	1610	SEDIMENT CONTROL STONE	115 TON	43.00	4,945.00
0047	6015000000-E	1615	TEMPORARY MULCHING	0.5 ACR	1,500.00	750.00
0048	6018000000-E	1620	SEED FOR TEMPORARY SEEDING	50 LB	8.50	425.00
0049	6021000000-E	1620	FERTILIZER FOR TEMPORARY SEEDING	0.25 TON	2,100.00	525.00
0050	6024000000-E	1622	TEMPORARY SLOPE DRAINS	200 LF	16.00	3,200.00
0051	6029000000-E	SP	SAFETY FENCE	100 LF	10.00	1,000.00
0052	6030000000-E	1630	SILT EXCAVATION	90 CY	3.00	270.00
0053	6036000000-E	1631	MATTING FOR EROSION CONTROL	2,000 SY	1.86	3,720.00
0054	6042000000-E	1632	1/4" HARDWARE CLOTH	355 LF	8.00	2,840.00
0055	6071020000-E	SP	POLYACRYLAMIDE (PAM)	50 LB	15.00	750.00
0056	6084000000-E	1660	SEEDING & MULCHING	0.5 ACR	2,100.00	1,050.00

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Line #	ItemNumber	Sec #	Description	Quantity Unit	Unit Bid Price	Amount Bid
0057	6087000000-E	1660	MOWING	0.25 ACR	320.00	80.00
0058	6090000000-E	1661	SEED FOR REPAIR SEEDING	50 LB	11.00	550.00
0059	6093000000-E	1661	FERTILIZER FOR REPAIR SEEDING	0.25 TON	3,200.00	800.00
0060	6096000000-E	1662	SEED FOR SUPPLEMENTAL SEEDING	50 LB	8.50	425.00
0061	6108000000-E	1665	FERTILIZER TOPDRESSING	0.5 TON	1,600.00	800.00
0062	6114500000-N	1667	SPECIALIZED HAND MOWING	10 MHR	69.00	690.00
0063	6117000000-N	SP	RESPONSE FOR EROSION CONTROL	18 EA	325.00	5,850.00

Contract Item Sheets For C202843

Line #	ItemNumber	Sec #	Description	Quantity Unit	Unit Bid Price	Amount Bid
0064	8847000000-E	SP	GENERIC RETAINING WALL ITEM MSE RETAINING WALL NO 1	3,330 SF	60.00	199,800.00

Contract Item Sheets For C202843

Line #	ItemNumber	Sec #	Description	Quantity Unit	Unit Bid Price	Amount Bid
0065	8035000000-N	402	REMOVAL OF EXISTING STRUCTURE AT STATION ***** (18+31.08-L-)	Lump Sum LS	143,000.00	143,000.00
0066	8084000000-N	410	FOUNDATION EXCAVATION FOR END BENT ** AT STATION ***** (2,18+31.08-L-)	Lump Sum LS	10,100.00	10,100.00
0067	8121000000-N	412	UNCLASSIFIED STRUCTURE EXCAVATION AT STATION ***** (18+31.08-L-)	Lump Sum LS	14,000.00	14,000.00
0068	8147000000-E	420	REINFORCED CONCRETE DECK SLAB	3,815 SF	30.10	114,831.50
0069	8161000000-E	420	GROOVING BRIDGE FLOORS	3,485 SF	1.00	3,485.00
0070	8182000000-E	420	CLASS A CONCRETE (BRIDGE)	84.2 CY	604.00	50,856.80
0071	8210000000-N	422	BRIDGE APPROACH SLABS, STATION ***** (18+31.08-L-)	Lump Sum LS	21,100.00	21,100.00
0072	8217000000-E	425	REINFORCING STEEL (BRIDGE)	12,413 LB	0.96	11,916.48
0073	8280000000-E	440	APPROX LBS STRUCTURAL STEEL	192,700 LS	356,000.00	356,000.00
0074	8364000000-E	450	HP12X53 STEEL PILES	160 LF	58.00	9,280.00
0075	8503000000-E	460	CONCRETE BARRIER RAIL	279.83 LF	66.50	18,608.70
0076	8657000000-N	430	ELASTOMERIC BEARINGS	Lump Sum LS	11,000.00	11,000.00
0077	8692000000-N	SP	FOAM JOINT SEALS	Lump Sum LS	9,600.00	9,600.00

TOTAL AMOUNT OF BID FOR ENTIRE PROJECT

\$1,329,340.63

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County JACKSON

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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, that the Contractor has not been convicted of violating *N.C.G.S. § 133-24* within the last three years, and that the Contractor intends to do the work with its 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

SIMPSON CONSTRUCTION CO., INC.

Full name of Corporation

P.O. BOX 2727; CLEVELAND, TN 37320-2727

Address as Prequalified

Attest *Sharon Bowen*
Secretary/Assistant Secretary
Select appropriate title

SHARON BOWEN

Print or type Signer's name

By *Larry Eskew*
President/Vice President/Assistant Vice President
Select appropriate title

LARRY ESKEW

Print or type Signer's name

CORPORATE SEAL

AFFIDAVIT MUST BE NOTARIZED

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the

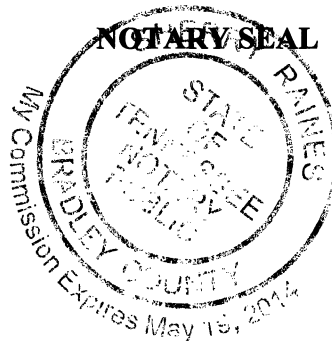
27th day of August 2012.

Sherry Raine
Signature of Notary Public

of Bradley County

State of TN

My Commission Expires: 5/19/14



DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

Conditions for certification:

1. The prequalified bidder shall provide immediate written notice to the Department if at any time the bidder learns that his certification was erroneous when he submitted his debarment certification or explanation filed 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 prequalified bidder 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 prequalified bidder 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 prequalified bidder 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 bidder 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 6 herein, the Department may terminate any contract if the bidder 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 prequalified bidder 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. Will submit a revised Debarment Certification immediately if his status changes and will show in his bid proposal an explanation for the change in status.

If the prequalified bidder 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 prequalified bidder's bid being considered non-responsive.

Check here if an explanation is attached to this certification.

Contract No. . C202843

County (ies): Jackson

ACCEPTED BY THE
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

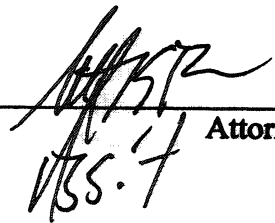


Contract Officer

9/6/12

Date.

Execution of Contract and Bonds
Approved as to Form:



Attorney General

Contract No.
County

C202843

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CONTRACT PAYMENT BOND

Date of Payment Bond Execution August 27, 2012
Name of Principal Contractor Simpson Construction Co., Inc.
Name of Surety: Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
Name of Contracting Body: North Carolina Department of Transportation
Raleigh, North Carolina
Amount of Bond: \$1,329,340.63
Contract ID No.: C202843
County Name: Jackson

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.

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CONTRACT PAYMENT BOND

Affix Seal of Surety Company

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company

Print or type Surety Company Name

By **Frank E. Neal, III**

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



Signature of Attorney-in-Fact



Signature of Witness

Gayle Graves

Print or type Signer's name

P.O. Box 4750, Nashville, Tennessee 37204

Address of Attorney-in-Fact

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CONTRACT PAYMENT BOND

CORPORATION

SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR (Principal)

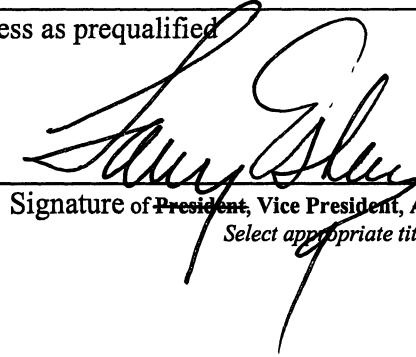
Simpson Construction Co., Inc.

Full name of Corporation

P.O. Box 2727, Cleveland, Tennessee 37320-2727

Address as prequalified

By



Signature of ~~President, Vice President, Assistant Vice President~~
Select appropriate title

Larry Eskew

Print or type Signer's name

Affix Corporate Seal

Attest



Signature of Secretary, ~~Assistant Secretary~~
Select appropriate title

Sharon Bowen

Print or type Signer's name

THIS POWER OF ATTORNEY IS NOT VALID UNLESS IT IS PRINTED ON RED BACKGROUND.

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

THE OHIO CASUALTY INSURANCE COMPANY
FAIRFIELD, OHIO
POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS: That The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company (the "Company"), an Ohio corporation, pursuant to and by authority of the By-law and Authorization hereinafter set forth, does hereby name, constitute and appoint GAYLE GRAVES, BRENT W. NEAL, FRANK E. NEAL, MARK NEAL, FRANK E. NEAL, III, MICHAEL B. MATTOX, ALL OF THE CITY OF NASHVILLE, STATE OF TENNESSEE.....

each individually if there be more than one named, its true and lawful attorney-in-fact to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver, for and on its behalf as surety and as its act and deed, any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations in the penal sum not exceeding TWENTY MILLION AND 00/100 DOLLARS (\$ 20,000,000.00) each, and the execution of such undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations, in pursuance of these presents, shall be as binding upon the Company as if they had been duly signed by the President and attested by the Secretary of the Company in their own proper persons.

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

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

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

Any power or authority granted to any representative or attorney-in-fact under the provisions of this article may be revoked at any time by the Board, the Chairman, the President or by the officer or officers granting such power or authority.

By the following instrument the Chairman or the President has authorized the officer or other official named therein to appoint attorneys-in-fact: Pursuant to Article IV, Section 12 of the By-laws, David M. Carey, Assistant Secretary of The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, is hereby authorized to appoint such attorneys-in-fact as may be necessary to act in behalf of the Company to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations.

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

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Power of Attorney has been subscribed by an authorized officer or official of the Company and the corporate seal of The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company has been affixed thereto in Plymouth Meeting, Pennsylvania, this 30th day of September, 2011



THE OHIO CASUALTY INSURANCE COMPANY

By David M. Carey
David M. Carey, Assistant Secretary

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA SS
COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY

On this 30th day of September, 2011, before me, a Notary Public, personally came David M. Carey, to me known, and acknowledged that he is an Assistant Secretary of The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company; that he knows the seal of said corporation; and that he executed the above Power of Attorney and affixed the corporate seal of The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company thereto with the authority and at the direction of said corporation.

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



Notarial Seal
Teresa Pastella, Notary Public
Plymouth Twp., Montgomery County
My Commission Expires Mar. 28, 2013
Member, Pennsylvania Association of Notaries

By Teresa Pastella
Teresa Pastella, Notary Public

CERTIFICATE

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

This certificate and the above power of attorney may be signed by facsimile or mechanically reproduced signatures under and by authority of the following vote of the board of directors of The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company at a meeting duly called and held on the 15th day of February, 2011:

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

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the corporate seal of the said company, this 27th day of August, 2012.



By Gregory W. Davenport
Gregory W. Davenport, Assistant Secretary

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

To confirm the validity of this Power of Attorney call 1-610-832-8240 between 9:00 am and 4:30 pm EST on any business day.

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CONTRACT PERFORMANCE BOND

Date of Performance Bond Execution: August 27, 2012
Name of Principal Contractor: Simpson Construction Co., Inc.
Name of Surety: Liberty Mutual Insurance Company
Name of Contracting Body: North Carolina Department of Transportation
Raleigh, North Carolina
Amount of Bond: \$1,329,340.63
Contract ID No.: C202843
County Name: Jackson

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 No.
County

C202843

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CONTRACT PERFORMANCE BOND

Affix Seal of Surety Company

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company

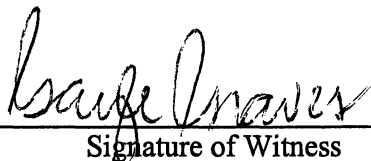
Print or type Surety Company Name

By **Frank E. Neal, III**

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



Signature of Attorney-in-Fact



Signature of Witness

Gayle Graves

Print or type Signer's name

P.O. Box 40507, Nashville, Tennessee 37204

Address of Attorney-in-Fact

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CONTRACT PERFORMANCE BOND

CORPORATION

SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR (Principal)

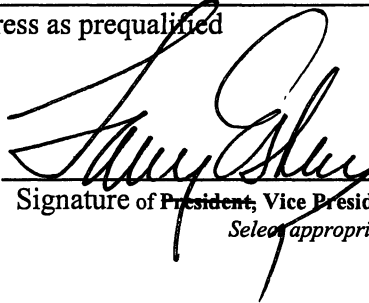
Simpson Construction Co., Inc.

Full name of Corporation

P.O. Box 2727, Cleveland, Tennessee 37320-2727

Address as prequalified

By



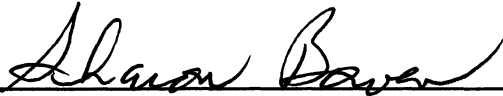
Signature of ~~President, Vice President, Assistant Vice President~~
Select appropriate title

Larry Eskew

Print or type Signer's name

Affix Corporate Seal

Attest



Signature of Secretary, ~~Assistant Secretary~~
Select appropriate title

Sharon Bowen

Print or type Signer's name

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

THE OHIO CASUALTY INSURANCE COMPANY
FAIRFIELD, OHIO
POWER OF ATTORNEY

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each individually if there be more than one named, its true and lawful attorney-in-fact to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver, for and on its behalf as surety and as its act and deed, any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations in the penal sum not exceeding TWENTY MILLION AND 00/100..... DOLLARS (\$ 20,000,000.00.....) each, and the execution of such undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations, in pursuance of these presents, shall be as binding upon the Company as if they had been duly signed by the President and attested by the Secretary of the Company in their own proper persons.

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

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

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

Any power or authority granted to any representative or attorney-in-fact under the provisions of this article may be revoked at any time by the Board, the Chairman, the President or by the officer or officers granting such power or authority.

By the following instrument the Chairman or the President has authorized the officer or other official named therein to appoint attorneys-in-fact Pursuant to Article IV, Section 12 of the By-laws, David M. Carey, Assistant Secretary of The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, is hereby authorized to appoint such attorneys-in-fact as may be necessary to act in behalf of the Company to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Power of Attorney has been subscribed by an authorized officer or official of the Company and the corporate seal of The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company has been affixed thereto in Plymouth Meeting, Pennsylvania, this 30th day of September 2011



THE OHIO CASUALTY INSURANCE COMPANY

By *David M. Carey*
David M. Carey, Assistant Secretary

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA SS
COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY

On this 30th day of September, 2011, before me, a Notary Public, personally came David M. Carey, to me known, and acknowledged that he is an Assistant Secretary of The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company; that he knows the seal of said corporation; and that he executed the above Power of Attorney and affixed the corporate seal of The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company thereto with the authority and at the direction of said corporation.

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



Notarial Seal
Teresa Pastella, Notary Public
Plymouth Twp., Montgomery County
My Commission Expires Mar. 28, 2013
Member, Pennsylvania Association of Notaries

By *Teresa Pastella*
Teresa Pastella, Notary Public

CERTIFICATE

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

This certificate and the above power of attorney may be signed by facsimile or mechanically reproduced signatures under and by authority of the following vote of the board of directors of The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company at a meeting duly called and held on the 15th day of February, 2011:

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

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the corporate seal of the said company, this 27th day of August 2012



By *Gregory W. Davenport*
Gregory W. Davenport, Assistant Secretary

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To confirm the validity of this Power of Attorney call 1-610-832-9240 between 9:00 am and 4:30 pm EST on any business day.