

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

C202534

CONTRACT AND  
CONTRACT BONDS  
FOR CONTRACT NO. C202534

WBS 45326.3.ST1 STM-0069(6)

T.I.P NO. R-5204

COUNTY OF CLAY  
THIS IS THE ROADWAY CONTRACT  
ROUTE NUMBER NC 69 LENGTH 1.004 MILES  
LOCATION NC-69 FROM NORTH OF US-64 TO SOUTH OF SR-1118.

CONTRACTOR WATSON CONTRACTING, INC.  
ADDRESS 3940 OLD MURPHY ROAD  
FRANKLIN, NC 28734

BIDS OPENED FEBRUARY 16, 2010  
CONTRACT EXECUTION MAR 22 2010

**WATSON CONTRACTING, INC. (7896).**

**Vendor 7 of 7 Vendors for Call Order 028 (Proposal ID C202534).**

County: CLAY  
Address: 3940 OLD MURPHY ROAD  
FRANKLIN, NC 28734

Phone Number: 828-524-9849

Signature Check: This bid has been properly signed by KEVIN\_EUGENE\_WATSON\_7896.

Time Bid Received: Tue Feb 16 13:35:30 2010

Bid Checksum: 9C866F8F

DBE GOAL SET 8.0

Amendment Count: 0

Bidding Errors: No bidding errors ✓

DBE GOAL MET 8.0

Bid Total: \$1,354,046.05 ✓

Bond ID: SNC10443700

Bond was Verified: Yes.

Bond Required Percent: 5.00%

Minimum Check Amount: \$67,702.30

Bid Security Maximum: \$

Bond Agency Name:

Agency Execution Date: 2/15/2010 9:56:24 AM

Surety Name: The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company

Surety State of Incorporation:

Bond Company:

Bond Type:

Bond Appr Flag:

Bond Affirm:

Bond was Paid by Check: No.

LIST OF DBE PARTICIPANTS

VENDOR NUMBER	DBE NAME ADDRESS	WORK CODE TYPE OF WORK	CERT TYPE AMOUNT	
5319	WB NEW DIMENSIONS IN PAVEMENT MARK P.O. BOX 9928 , ASHEVILLE, NC 28815		Sub 8,460.00	✓ am.
3765	WB STAY ALERT SAFETY SERVICES INC POST OFFICE BOX 467 , KERNERSVILLE, NC 27285		Sub 3,254.80	✓ am.
3376	WB REYNOLDS FENCE & GUARDRAIL INC 9320 MACHADO DRIVE , INDIAN TRAIL, NC 28079		Sub 31,323.75	✓ am.
12836	MB SKYROCK CONCRETE FINISHING, INC P. O. BOX 2278 , SHELBY, NC 28151		Sub 55,023.75	✓ am.
7876	WB EMERY SEALCO, INC. DBA EMERY AS P.O. BOX 814 , ARDEN, NC 28704		Sub 10,332.00	✓ am.
			TOTAL: \$108,394.30	✓ am.
			8.01%	

Miscellaneous 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  
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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. Yes

It is the desire of the Bidder to be awarded contracts, the value of which will not exceed a total of 3,000,000.00 for those projects indicated herein, for which bids will be opened on 02/16/10 (MM/DD/YY)

The Award Limits shall apply to the following projects:

Contract Number	County
C202251	JACKSON
C202534	CLAY
NOT ANSWERED	

Bid Bond Data Info - Contractor Responses:

BondID: SNC10443700  
 Surety Registry Agency: surety2000

NCDOT/berc

Vendor 7896's Load Output for Call 028, Letting L100216, 2010-02-16

Verified?: Yes

Surety Agency: The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company

Bond Execution Date: 2/15/2010 9:56:24 AM

Bond Amount: \$67,702.30 (Five Percent of Bid)

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			Dollars	Cts	Dollars   Ct
Section 0001 ROADWAY ITEMS					
Alt Group					
0001	0000100000-N MOBILIZATION	LUMP	LUMP		35,000.00
0002	0043000000-N GRADING	LUMP	LUMP		150,000.00
0003	0050000000-E SUPPLEMENTARY CLEARING & GRUB-BING	1.000 ACR	1.00000		1.00
0004	0057000000-E UNDERCUT EXCAVATION	500.000 CY	5.00000		2,500.00
0005	0196000000-E FABRIC FOR SOIL STABILIZATION	1,500.000 SY	1.50000		2,250.00
0006	0223000000-E ROCK PLATING	670.000 SY	34.00000		22,780.00
0007	0320000000-E FOUNDATION CONDITIONING FABRIC	1,080.000 SY	1.50000		1,620.00
0008	0330000000-E GENERIC DRAINAGE ITEM FOUNDATION CONDITIONING MATE- RAIL, MINOR STRS	350.000 TON	21.50000		7,525.00
0009	0335200000-E 15" DRAINAGE PIPE	480.000 LF	24.00000		11,520.00
0010	0335300000-E 18" DRAINAGE PIPE	1,218.000 LF	28.00000		34,104.00

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0011	0335400000-E 24" DRAINAGE PIPE	448.000 LF	30.00000		13,440.00	
0012	0335500000-E 30" DRAINAGE PIPE	780.000 LF	32.00000		24,960.00	
0013	0986000000-E GENERIC PIPE ITEM 15" SIDE DRAIN PIPE	234.000 LF	24.00000		5,616.00	
0014	0986000000-E GENERIC PIPE ITEM 18" SIDE DRAIN PIPE	45.000 LF	30.00000		1,350.00	
0015	0986000000-E GENERIC PIPE ITEM 24" SIDE DRAIN PIPE	40.000 LF	32.00000		1,280.00	
0016	0986000000-E GENERIC PIPE ITEM 60" RC PIPE CULVERTS, CLASS III	20.000 LF	220.00000		4,400.00	
0017	0992000000-E GENERIC PIPE ITEM 15" PIPE END SECTION	12.000 EA	200.00000		2,400.00	
0018	0992000000-E GENERIC PIPE ITEM 18" PIPE END SECTION	1.000 EA	250.00000		250.00	
0019	0992000000-E GENERIC PIPE ITEM 24" PIPE END SECTION	3.000 EA	350.00000		1,050.00	
0020	0995000000-E PIPE REMOVAL	573.000 LF	9.00000		5,157.00	
0021	1121000000-E AGGREGATE BASE COURSE	4,868.000 TON	19.00000		92,492.00	
0022	1220000000-E INCIDENTAL STONE BASE	1,000.000 TON	17.25000		17,250.00	

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0023	1275000000-E PRIME COAT	2,583.000 GAL	4.00000		10,332.00	
0024	1308000000-E MILLING ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ****"TO *****" DEPTH (0" TO 3")	2,200.000 SY	12.50000		27,500.00	
0025	1489000000-E ASPHALT CONC BASE COURSE, TYPE B25.0B	60.000 TON	170.00000		10,200.00	
0026	1498000000-E ASPHALT CONC INTERMEDIATE COURSE, TYPE I19.0B	1,690.000 TON	68.00000		114,920.00	
0027	1519000000-E ASPHALT CONC SURFACE COURSE, TYPE S9.5B	3,490.000 TON	68.00000		237,320.00	
0028	1560000000-E ASPHALT BINDER FOR PLANT MIX, GRADE PG 64-22	290.000 TON	600.00000		174,000.00	
0029	1693000000-E ASPHALT PLANT MIX, PAVEMENT REPAIR	45.000 TON	150.00000		6,750.00	
0030	2022000000-E SUBDRAIN EXCAVATION	224.000 CY	5.00000		1,120.00	
0031	2033000000-E SUBDRAIN FINE AGGREGATE	168.000 CY	30.00000		5,040.00	
0032	2044000000-E 6" PERFORATED SUBDRAIN PIPE	1,000.000 LF	3.00000		3,000.00	
0033	2055000000-E 6" SUBDRAIN PIPE WYES, TEES, & ELBOWS	30.000 EA	15.00000		450.00	
0034	2077000000-E 6" OUTLET PIPE (SUBDRAINS)	12.000 LF	15.00000		180.00	

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0035	2132000000-N CONCRETE PAD FOR SHOULDER DRAIN PIPE OUTLET	2.000 EA	220.00000		440.00	
0036	2220000000-E REINFORCED ENDWALLS	12.000 CY	725.00000		8,700.00	
0037	2264000000-E PIPE PLUGS	0.110 CY	1,200.00000		132.00	
0038	2275000000-E FLOWABLE FILL	4.000 CY	125.00000		500.00	
0039	2286000000-N MASONRY DRAINAGE STRUCTURES	35.000 EA	1,200.00000		42,000.00	
0040	2297000000-E MASONRY DRAINAGE STRUCTURES	10.000 CY	650.00000		6,500.00	
0041	2308000000-E MASONRY DRAINAGE STRUCTURES	7.900 LF	150.00000		1,185.00	
0042	2364000000-N FRAME WITH TWO GRATES, STD 840.16	9.000 EA	350.00000		3,150.00	
0043	2366000000-N FRAME WITH TWO GRATES, STD 840.24	6.000 EA	600.00000		3,600.00	
0044	2367000000-N FRAME WITH TWO GRATES, STD 840.29	19.000 EA	350.00000		6,650.00	
0045	2396000000-N FRAME WITH COVER, STD 840.54	1.000 EA	210.00000		210.00	
0046	2535000000-E ***X*** CONCRETE CURB (9" X 12")	1,870.000 LF	15.00000		28,050.00	

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0047	2577000000-E CONCRETE EXPRESSWAY GUTTER	1,645.000 LF	19.25000		31,666.25	
0048	2830000000-N ADJUSTMENT OF MANHOLES	8.000 EA	350.00000		2,800.00	
0049	3030000000-E STEEL BM GUARDRAIL	825.000 LF	14.75000		12,168.75	
0050	3045000000-E STEEL BM GUARDRAIL, SHOP CURVED	100.000 LF	16.50000		1,650.00	
0051	3150000000-N ADDITIONAL GUARDRAIL POSTS	5.000 EA	15.00000		75.00	
0052	3195000000-N GUARDRAIL ANCHOR UNITS, TYPE AT-1	3.000 EA	450.00000		1,350.00	
0053	3270000000-N GUARDRAIL ANCHOR UNITS, TYPE 350	9.000 EA	1,795.00000		16,155.00	
0054	3360000000-E REMOVE EXISTING GUARDRAIL	1,525.000 LF	1.00000		1,525.00	
0055	3649000000-E RIP RAP, CLASS B	19.000 TON	30.00000		570.00	
0056	3656000000-E FILTER FABRIC FOR DRAINAGE	513.000 SY	1.75000		897.75	
0057	4116100000-N SIGN ERECTION, RELOCATE, TYPE **** (GROUND MOUNTED) (D)	4.000 EA	75.00000		300.00	
0058	4116100000-N SIGN ERECTION, RELOCATE, TYPE **** (GROUND MOUNTED) (E)	4.000 EA	75.00000		300.00	

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0059	4116100000-N SIGN ERECTION, RELOCATE, TYPE **** (GROUND MOUNTED) (F)	EA 3.000	75.00000		225.00	
0060	4400000000-E WORK ZONE SIGNS (STATIONARY)	SF 632.000	5.15000		3,254.80	
0061	4405000000-E WORK ZONE SIGNS (PORTABLE)	SF 128.000	4.00000		512.00	
0062	4410000000-E WORK ZONE SIGNS (BARRICADE MOUNTED)	SF 100.000	6.50000		650.00	
0063	4422000000-N CHANGEABLE MESSAGE SIGN (SHORTTERM)	DAY 3.000	150.00000		450.00	
0064	4430000000-N DRUMS	EA 122.000	25.00000		3,050.00	
0065	4435000000-N CONES	EA 35.000	17.50000		612.50	
0066	4445000000-E BARRICADES (TYPE III)	LF 80.000	19.00000		1,520.00	
0067	4450000000-N FLAGGER	HR 2,700.000	15.00000		40,500.00	
0068	4480000000-N TMIA	EA 1.000	1,500.00000		1,500.00	
0069	4516000000-N SKINNY DRUM	EA 25.000	26.00000		650.00	
0070	4695000000-E THERMOPLAST IC PAVEMENT MARKING LINES (8", 90 MILS)	LF 400.000	2.00000		800.00	

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0071	4710000000-E THERMOPLAST IC PAVEMENT MARKING LINES (24", 120 MILS)	200.000 LF	7.00000		1,400.00	
0072	4725000000-E THERMOPLAST IC PAVEMENT MARKING SYMBOL (90 MILS)	50.000 EA	85.00000		4,250.00	
0073	4810000000-E PAINT PAVEMENT MARKING LINES (4")	18,500.000 LF	0.20000		3,700.00	
0074	4905000000-N SNOWPLOWABLE PAVEMENT MARKERS	275.000 EA	38.00000		10,450.00	
0075	5768000000-N SANITARY SEWER CLEAN-OUT	9.000 EA	2,500.00000		22,500.00	
0076	5882000000-N GENERIC UTILITY ITEM WATER SERVICE STUBOUT	13.000 EA	1,600.00000		20,800.00	
0077	6000000000-E TEMPORARY SILT FENCE	1,200.000 LF	2.50000		3,000.00	
0078	6006000000-E STONE FOR EROSION CONTROL, CLASS A	150.000 TON	19.00000		2,850.00	
0079	6009000000-E STONE FOR EROSION CONTROL, CLASS B	100.000 TON	24.00000		2,400.00	
0080	6012000000-E SEDIMENT CONTROL STONE	75.000 TON	22.00000		1,650.00	
0081	6015000000-E TEMPORARY MULCHING	5.000 ACR	250.00000		1,250.00	
0082	6029000000-E SAFETY FENCE	500.000 LF	2.00000		1,000.00	

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0083	6030000000-E SILT EXCAVATION	500.000 CY	10.00000		5,000.00	
0084	6036000000-E MATTING FOR EROSION CONTROL	200.000 SY	1.75000		350.00	
0085	6042000000-E 1/4" HARDWARE CLOTH	1,000.000 LF	3.00000		3,000.00	
0086	6045000000-E *** TEMPORARY PIPE (36")	134.000 LF	30.00000		4,020.00	
0087	6070000000-N SPECIAL STILLING BASINS	1.000 EA	950.00000		950.00	
0088	6071010000-E WATTLE	168.000 LF	5.00000		840.00	
0089	6071020000-E POLYACRYLAMIDE (PAM)	74.000 LB	10.00000		740.00	
0090	6071030000-E COIR FIBER BAFFLES	136.000 LF	5.00000		680.00	
0091	6084000000-E SEEDING & MULCHING	3.900 ACR	1,400.00000		5,460.00	
0092	6111000000-E IMPERVIOUS DIKE	10.000 LF	60.00000		600.00	
0093	6114500000-N SPECIALIZED HAND MOWING	100.000 MHR	15.00000		1,500.00	
0094	6117000000-N RESPONSE FOR EROSION CONTROL	8.000 EA	50.00000		400.00	

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0095	7444000000-E INDUCTIVE LOOP SAWCUT	400.000 LF	8.00000		3,200.00	
Section 0001 Total					1,354,046.05	
Bid Total					1,354,046.05	

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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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. Yes

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 3,000,000.00 for those projects indicated herein, for which bids will be opened on 02/16/10 (MM/DD/YY)

The Award Limits shall apply to the following projects:

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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  
DBE COMMITMENT ITEMS

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PROPOSAL: C202534  
LETTING: L100216 CALL: 028  
VENDOR: 7896 WATSON CONTRACTING, INC.

LINE NO.	ITEM NO.	ITEM DESC.	UNIT TYPE	SUBCONTRACTOR QUANTITY	SUBCONTRACTOR UNIT PRICE	EXTENDED AMOUNT
DBE SUBCONTRACTOR: 5319 NEW DIMENSIONS IN PAVEMENT MARKING, LLC Will Use Quote: Yes						
0071	4710000000-E	24"WIDE THER LF		200.000	7.00000	1400.00
0072	4725000000-E	THERMO PVT S EA		50.000	80.00000	4000.00
0073	4810000000-E	PAINT PVMT M LF		18500.000	0.16000	2960.00
0070	4695000000-E	THERMO PVT M LF		50.000	2.00000	100.00
DBE COMMITMENT TOTAL FOR SUBCONTRACTOR:						8,460.00
DBE COMMITMENT TOTAL FOR VENDOR (SubContractor )						8,460.0
DBE SUBCONTRACTOR: 3765 STAY ALERT SAFETY SERVICES INC Will Use Quote: Yes						
0060	4400000000-E	WORK ZONE SI SF INSTALL, MAINTAIN, AND REMOVE		632.000	5.15000	3254.80
DBE COMMITMENT TOTAL FOR SUBCONTRACTOR:						3,254.80
DBE COMMITMENT TOTAL FOR VENDOR (SubContractor )						3,254.8
DBE SUBCONTRACTOR: 3376 REYNOLDS FENCE & GUARDRAIL INC Will Use Quote: Yes						
0049	3030000000-E	STL BM GUARD LF		825.000	14.75000	12168.75
0050	3045000000-E	SBGR SHOP CU LF		100.000	16.50000	1650.00
0052	3195000000-N	GR ANCHOR TY EA		3.000	450.00000	1350.00
0053	3270000000-N	GR ANCHOR TY EA		9.000	1795.00000	16155.00
DBE COMMITMENT TOTAL FOR SUBCONTRACTOR:						31,323.75
DBE COMMITMENT TOTAL FOR VENDOR (SubContractor )						31,323.
DBE SUBCONTRACTOR: 12836 SKYROCK CONCRETE FINISHING, INC Will Use Quote: Yes						
0046	2535000000-E	**"X**" CONC LF		1870.000	14.25000	26647.50
0047	2577000000-E	CONC EXPRESS LF		1645.000	17.25000	28376.25
DBE COMMITMENT TOTAL FOR SUBCONTRACTOR:						55,023.75
DBE COMMITMENT TOTAL FOR VENDOR (SubContractor )						55,023.
DBE SUBCONTRACTOR: 7876 EMERY SEALCO, INC. DBA EMERY ASPHALT EMULSION Will Use Quote: Yes						
0023	1275000000-E	PRIME COAT GAL		2583.000	4.00000	10332.00



## Contract Item Sheets For C202534

Line #	ItemNumber	Sec #	Description	Quantity Unit	Unit Bid Price	Amount Bid
<b>ROADWAY ITEMS</b>						
0001	0000100000-N	800	MOBILIZATION	Lump Sum LS	35,000.00	35,000.00
0002	0043000000-N	226	GRADING	Lump Sum LS	150,000.00	150,000.00
0003	0050000000-E	226	SUPPLEMENTARY CLEARING & GRUB- BING	1 ACR	1.00	1.00
0004	0057000000-E	226	UNDERCUT EXCAVATION	500 CY	5.00	2,500.00
0005	0196000000-E	270	FABRIC FOR SOIL STABILIZATION	1,500 SY	1.50	2,250.00
0006	0223000000-E	SP	ROCK PLATING	670 SY	34.00	22,780.00
0007	0320000000-E	SP	FOUNDATION CONDITIONING FABRIC	1,080 SY	1.50	1,620.00
0008	0330000000-E	SP	GENERIC DRAINAGE ITEM FOUNDATION CONDITIONING MATE- RAIL, MINOR STRS	350 TON	21.50	7,525.00
0009	0335200000-E	SP	15" DRAINAGE PIPE	480 LF	24.00	11,520.00
0010	0335300000-E	SP	18" DRAINAGE PIPE	1,218 LF	28.00	34,104.00
0011	0335400000-E	SP	24" DRAINAGE PIPE	448 LF	30.00	13,440.00
0012	0335500000-E	SP	30" DRAINAGE PIPE	780 LF	32.00	24,960.00
0013	0986000000-E	SP	GENERIC PIPE ITEM 15" SIDE DRAIN PIPE	234 LF	24.00	5,616.00
0014	0986000000-E	SP	GENERIC PIPE ITEM 18" SIDE DRAIN PIPE	45 LF	30.00	1,350.00
0015	0986000000-E	SP	GENERIC PIPE ITEM 24" SIDE DRAIN PIPE	40 LF	32.00	1,280.00
0016	0986000000-E	SP	GENERIC PIPE ITEM 60" RC PIPE CULVERTS, CLASS III	20 LF	220.00	4,400.00
0017	0992000000-E	SP	GENERIC PIPE ITEM 15" PIPE END SECTION	12 EA	200.00	2,400.00
0018	0992000000-E	SP	GENERIC PIPE ITEM 18" PIPE END SECTION	1 EA	250.00	250.00

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0019	0992000000-E	SP	GENERIC PIPE ITEM 24" PIPE END SECTION	3 EA	350.00	1,050.00
0020	0995000000-E	340	PIPE REMOVAL	573 LF	9.00	5,157.00
0021	1121000000-E	520	AGGREGATE BASE COURSE	4,868 TON	19.00	92,492.00
0022	1220000000-E	545	INCIDENTAL STONE BASE	1,000 TON	17.25	17,250.00
0023	1275000000-E	600	PRIME COAT	2,583 GAL	4.00	10,332.00
0024	1308000000-E	607	MILLING ASPHALT PAVEMENT, **** TO *****" DEPTH (0" TO 3")	2,200 SY	12.50	27,500.00
0025	1489000000-E	610	ASPHALT CONC BASE COURSE, TYPE B25.0B	60 TON	170.00	10,200.00
0026	1498000000-E	610	ASPHALT CONC INTERMEDIATE COURSE, TYPE I19.0B	1,690 TON	68.00	114,920.00
0027	1519000000-E	610	ASPHALT CONC SURFACE COURSE, TYPE S9.5B	3,490 TON	68.00	237,320.00
0028	1560000000-E	620	ASPHALT BINDER FOR PLANT MIX, GRADE PG 64-22	290 TON	600.00	174,000.00
0029	1693000000-E	654	ASPHALT PLANT MIX, PAVEMENT REPAIR	45 TON	150.00	6,750.00
0030	2022000000-E	815	SUBDRAIN EXCAVATION	224 CY	5.00	1,120.00
0031	2033000000-E	815	SUBDRAIN FINE AGGREGATE	168 CY	30.00	5,040.00
0032	2044000000-E	815	6" PERFORATED SUBDRAIN PIPE	1,000 LF	3.00	3,000.00
0033	2055000000-E	815	6" SUBDRAIN PIPE WYES, TEES, & ELBOWS	30 EA	15.00	450.00
0034	2077000000-E	815	6" OUTLET PIPE (SUBDRAINS)	12 LF	15.00	180.00
0035	2132000000-N	816	CONCRETE PAD FOR SHOULDER DRAIN PIPE OUTLET	2 EA	220.00	440.00
0036	2220000000-E	838	REINFORCED ENDWALLS	12 CY	725.00	8,700.00

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0037	2264000000-E	840	PIPE PLUGS	0.11 CY	1,200.00	132.00
0038	2275000000-E	SP	FLOWABLE FILL	4 CY	125.00	500.00
0039	2286000000-N	840	MASONRY DRAINAGE STRUCTURES	35 EA	1,200.00	42,000.00
0040	2297000000-E	840	MASONRY DRAINAGE STRUCTURES	10 CY	650.00	6,500.00
0041	2308000000-E	840	MASONRY DRAINAGE STRUCTURES	7.9 LF	150.00	1,185.00
0042	2364000000-N	840	FRAME WITH TWO GRATES, STD 840.16	9 EA	350.00	3,150.00
0043	2366000000-N	840	FRAME WITH TWO GRATES, STD 840.24	6 EA	600.00	3,600.00
0044	2367000000-N	840	FRAME WITH TWO GRATES, STD 840.29	19 EA	350.00	6,650.00
0045	2396000000-N	840	FRAME WITH COVER, STD 840.54	1 EA	210.00	210.00
0046	2535000000-E	846	***X *** CONCRETE CURB (9" X 12")	1,870 LF	15.00	28,050.00
0047	2577000000-E	846	CONCRETE EXPRESSWAY GUTTER	1,645 LF	19.25	31,666.25
0048	2830000000-N	858	ADJUSTMENT OF MANHOLES	8 EA	350.00	2,800.00
0049	3030000000-E	862	STEEL BM GUARDRAIL	825 LF	14.75	12,168.75
0050	3045000000-E	862	STEEL BM GUARDRAIL, SHOP CURVED	100 LF	16.50	1,650.00
0051	3150000000-N	862	ADDITIONAL GUARDRAIL POSTS	5 EA	15.00	75.00
0052	3195000000-N	862	GUARDRAIL ANCHOR UNITS, TYPE AT-1	3 EA	450.00	1,350.00
0053	3270000000-N	SP	GUARDRAIL ANCHOR UNITS, TYPE 350	9 EA	1,795.00	16,155.00
0054	3360000000-E	863	REMOVE EXISTING GUARDRAIL	1,525 LF	1.00	1,525.00
0055	3649000000-E	876	RIP RAP, CLASS B	19 TON	30.00	570.00

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0056	3656000000-E	876	FILTER FABRIC FOR DRAINAGE	513 SY	1.75	897.75
0057	4116100000-N	904	SIGN ERECTION, RELOCATE, TYPE **** (GROUND MOUNTED) (D)	4 EA	75.00	300.00
0058	4116100000-N	904	SIGN ERECTION, RELOCATE, TYPE **** (GROUND MOUNTED) (E)	4 EA	75.00	300.00
0059	4116100000-N	904	SIGN ERECTION, RELOCATE, TYPE **** (GROUND MOUNTED) (F)	3 EA	75.00	225.00
0060	4400000000-E	1110	WORK ZONE SIGNS (STATIONARY)	632 SF	5.15	3,254.80
0061	4405000000-E	1110	WORK ZONE SIGNS (PORTABLE)	128 SF	4.00	512.00
0062	4410000000-E	1110	WORK ZONE SIGNS (BARRICADE MOUNTED)	100 SF	6.50	650.00
0063	4422000000-N	1120	CHANGEABLE MESSAGE SIGN (SHORT TERM)	3 DAY	150.00	450.00
0064	4430000000-N	1130	DRUMS	122 EA	25.00	3,050.00
0065	4435000000-N	1135	CONES	35 EA	17.50	612.50
0066	4445000000-E	1145	BARRICADES (TYPE III)	80 LF	19.00	1,520.00
0067	4450000000-N	1150	FLAGGER	2,700 HR	15.00	40,500.00
0068	4480000000-N	1165	TMIA	1 EA	1,500.00	1,500.00
0069	4516000000-N	1180	SKINNY DRUM	25 EA	26.00	650.00
0070	4695000000-E	1205	THERMOPLASTIC PAVEMENT MARKING LINES (8", 90 MILS)	400 LF	2.00	800.00
0071	4710000000-E	1205	THERMOPLASTIC PAVEMENT MARKING LINES (24", 120 MILS)	200 LF	7.00	1,400.00
0072	4725000000-E	1205	THERMOPLASTIC PAVEMENT MARKING SYMBOL (90 MILS)	50 EA	85.00	4,250.00
0073	4810000000-E	1205	PAINT PAVEMENT MARKING LINES (4")	18,500 LF	0.20	3,700.00

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0074	4905000000-N	1253	SNOWPLOWABLE PAVEMENT MARKERS	275 EA	38.00	10,450.00
0075	5768000000-N	1520	SANITARY SEWER CLEAN-OUT	9 EA	2,500.00	22,500.00
0076	5882000000-N	SP	GENERIC UTILITY ITEM WATER SERVICE STUBOUT	13 EA	1,600.00	20,800.00
0077	6000000000-E	1605	TEMPORARY SILT FENCE	1,200 LF	2.50	3,000.00
0078	6006000000-E	1610	STONE FOR EROSION CONTROL, CLASS A	150 TON	19.00	2,850.00
0079	6009000000-E	1610	STONE FOR EROSION CONTROL, CLASS B	100 TON	24.00	2,400.00
0080	6012000000-E	1610	SEDIMENT CONTROL STONE	75 TON	22.00	1,650.00
0081	6015000000-E	1615	TEMPORARY MULCHING	5 ACR	250.00	1,250.00
0082	6029000000-E	SP	SAFETY FENCE	500 LF	2.00	1,000.00
0083	6030000000-E	1630	SILT EXCAVATION	500 CY	10.00	5,000.00
0084	6036000000-E	1631	MATTING FOR EROSION CONTROL	200 SY	1.75	350.00
0085	6042000000-E	1632	1/4" HARDWARE CLOTH	1,000 LF	3.00	3,000.00
0086	6045000000-E	SP	*** TEMPORARY PIPE (36")	134 LF	30.00	4,020.00
0087	6070000000-N	SP	SPECIAL STILLING BASINS	1 EA	950.00	950.00
0088	6071010000-E	SP	WATTLE	168 LF	5.00	840.00
0089	6071020000-E	SP	POLYACRYLAMIDE (PAM)	74 LB	10.00	740.00
0090	6071030000-E	SP	COIR FIBER BAFFLES	136 LF	5.00	680.00
0091	6084000000-E	1660	SEEDING & MULCHING	3.9 ACR	1,400.00	5,460.00
0092	6111000000-E	SP	IMPERVIOUS DIKE	10 LF	60.00	600.00
0093	6114500000-N	SP	SPECIALIZED HAND MOWING	100 MHR	15.00	1,500.00

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0094	6117000000-N	SP	RESPONSE FOR EROSION CONTROL	8 EA	50.00	400.00
0095	7444000000-E	1725	INDUCTIVE LOOP SAWCUT	400 LF	8.00	3,200.00

TOTAL AMOUNT OF BID FOR ENTIRE PROJECT

\$1,354,046.05 ✓

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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**

WATSON CONTRACTING, INC.  
Full name of Corporation

3940 OLD MURPHY ROAD, FRANKLIN, NC 28734  
Address as Prequalified

Attest *Dawn Watson*  
Secretary/Assistant Secretary  
Select appropriate title

By *Kevin E. Watson*  
President/Vice President/Assistant Vice President  
Select appropriate title

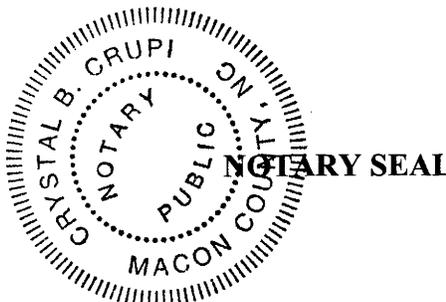
DAWN WATSON  
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KEVIN E. WATSON  
Print or type Signer's name

**CORPORATE SEAL**

**AFFIDAVIT MUST BE NOTARIZED**

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the  
2<sup>nd</sup> day of March, 2010.  
*Crystal B. Crupi*  
Signature of Notary Public  
of Macon County  
State of North Carolina  
My Commission Expires: 2-25-2014.



## 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.

Check here if an explanation is attached to this certification.

**Contract No**     **C202534**

**County (ies):**   **Clay**

ACCEPTED BY THE  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

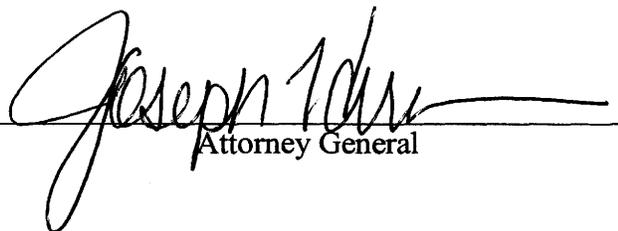


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Contract Officer

3/22/10

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Date

Execution of Contract and Bonds  
Approved as to Form:



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Attorney General

Bond No. 4-039-192

Contract No C202534  
County Clay County

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**CONTRACT PAYMENT BOND**

Date of Payment Bond Execution 03/02/10  
Name of Principal Contractor Watson Contracting, Inc.  
Name of Surety: The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company  
Name of Contracting Body: **North Carolina Department of Transportation**  
**Raleigh, North Carolina**  
Amount of Bond: One Million Three Hundred Fifty four Thousand Forty six and 05/100 (\$1,354,046.05)  
Contract ID No.: C202534  
County Name: Clay County

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.

Contract No C202534  
County Clay County

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**CONTRACT PAYMENT BOND**

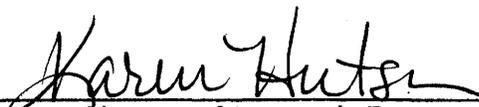
*Affix Seal of Surety Company*

The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company

Print or type Surety Company Name

By Karen Hutson

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

  
Signature of Attorney-in-Fact

  
Signature of Witness

Charles C. Martin

Print or type Signer's name

1900 Winston Road, Ste. 100, Knoxville, TN 37919

Address of Attorney-in-Fact

Contract No.  
County

C202534  
Clay County

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**CONTRACT PAYMENT BOND**

**CORPORATION**

SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR (Principal)

Watson Contracting, Inc.

Full name of Corporation

201 Sloan Road, Franklin, NC 28734

Address as prequalified

By Kevin E. Watson

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

KEVIN E. WATSON

Print or type Signer's name

*Affix Corporate Seal*

Attest

Dawn Watson

Signature of Secretary, Assistant Secretary  
Select appropriate title

DAWN WATSON

Print or type Signer's name

Bond No. 4-039-192

Contract No. C202534  
County Clay County

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### CONTRACT PERFORMANCE BOND

Date of Performance Bond Execution: 03/02/10

Name of Principal Contractor: Watson Contracting, Inc.

Name of Surety: The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company

Name of Contracting Body: North Carolina Department of Transportation  
Raleigh, North Carolina

Amount of Bond: One Million Three Hundred Fifty four Thousand Forty six and 05/100 (\$1,354,046.05)

Contract ID No.: C202534

County Name: Clay County

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. C202534  
County Clay County

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**CONTRACT PERFORMANCE BOND**

*Affix Seal of Surety Company*

The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company  
Print or type Surety Company Name

By Karen Hutson  
Print, stamp or type name of Attorney-in-Fact

  
Signature of Attorney-in-Fact

  
Signature of Witness

Charles C. Martin  
Print or type Signer's name

1900 Winston Road, Ste. 100, Knoxville, TN 37919  
Address of Attorney-in-Fact

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**CONTRACT PERFORMANCE BOND  
CORPORATION**

SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR (Principal)

Watson Contracting, Inc.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Full name of Corporation

201 Sloan Road, Franklin, NC 28734

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Address as prequalified

By Kevin E. Watson  
Signature of President, Vice President, Assistant Vice President  
Select appropriate title

KEVIN E. WATSON  
Print or type Signer's name

*Affix Corporate Seal*

Attest Dawn Watson  
Signature of Secretary, Assistant Secretary  
Select appropriate title

DAWN WATSON  
Print or type Signer's name

CERTIFIED COPY OF POWER OF ATTORNEY  
THE OHIO CASUALTY INSURANCE COMPANY  
WEST AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY

No. 42-156

**Know All Men by These Presents:** That THE OHIO CASUALTY INSURANCE COMPANY, an Ohio Corporation, and WEST AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY, an Indiana Corporation, pursuant to the authority granted by Article III, Section 9 of the Code of Regulations and By-Laws of The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company and West American Insurance Company, do hereby nominate, constitute and appoint: **James F. Oakes, Lavonne Sherrod, Charles C. Martin or Karen Hutson of Knoxville, Tennessee** its true and lawful agent (s) and attorney (s)-in-fact, to make, execute, seal and deliver for and on its behalf as surety, and as its act and deed any and all BONDS, UNDERTAKINGS, and RECOGNIZANCES, not exceeding in any single instance **TEN MILLION (\$10,000,000.00) DOLLARS**, excluding, however, any bond(s) or undertaking(s) guaranteeing the payment of notes and interest thereon

And the execution of such bonds or undertakings in pursuance of these presents, shall be as binding upon said Companies, as fully and amply, to all intents and purposes, as if they had been duly executed and acknowledged by the regularly elected officers of the Companies at their administrative offices in Fairfield, Ohio, in their own proper persons.

The authority granted hereunder supersedes any previous authority heretofore granted the above named attorney(s)-in-fact.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned officer of the said The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company and West American Insurance Company has hereunto subscribed his name and affixed the Corporate Seal of each Company this **4th day of March, 2009**.



*Mark E. Schmidt*  
Mark E. Schmidt, Assistant Secretary

STATE OF OHIO,  
COUNTY OF BUTLER

On this **4th day of March, 2009** before the subscriber, a Notary Public of the State of Ohio, in and for the County of Butler, duly commissioned and qualified, came **Mark E. Schmidt, Assistant Secretary** of THE OHIO CASUALTY INSURANCE COMPANY and WEST AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY, to me personally known to be the individual and officer described in, and who executed the preceding instrument, and he acknowledged the execution of the same, and being by me duly sworn deposes and says that he is the officer of the Companies aforesaid, and that the seals affixed to the preceding instrument are the Corporate Seals of said Companies, and the said Corporate Seals and his signature as officer were duly affixed and subscribed to the said instrument by the authority and direction of the said Corporations.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal at the City of Hamilton, State of Ohio, the day and year first above written.



*Audria M. Dickens*  
Notary Public in and for County of Butler, State of Ohio  
My Commission expires August 17, 2013.

This power of attorney is granted under and by authority of Article III, Section 9 of the Code of Regulations and By-Laws of The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company and West American Insurance Company, extracts from which read:

Article III, Section 9. **Appointment of Attorneys-in-Fact.** The Chairman of the Board, the President, any Vice-President, the Secretary or any Assistant Secretary of the corporation shall be and is hereby vested with full power and authority to appoint attorneys-in-fact for the purpose of signing the name of the corporation as surety to, and to execute, attach the seal of the corporation to, acknowledge and deliver any and all bonds, recognizances, stipulations, undertakings or other instruments of suretyship and policies of insurance to be given in favor of any individual, firm, corporation, partnership, limited liability company or other entity, or the official representative thereof, or to any county or state, or any official board or boards of any county or state, or the United States of America or any agency thereof, or to any other political subdivision thereof

This instrument is signed and sealed as authorized by the following resolution adopted by the Boards of Directors of the Companies on October 21, 2004:

**RESOLVED**, That the signature of any officer of the Company authorized under Article III, Section 9 of its Code of Regulations and By-laws and the Company seal may be affixed by facsimile to any power of attorney or copy thereof issued on behalf of the Company to make, execute, seal and deliver for and on its behalf as surety any and all bonds, undertakings or other written obligations in the nature thereof; to prescribe their respective duties and the respective limits of their authority; and to revoke any such appointment. Such signatures and seal are hereby adopted by the Company as original signatures and seal and shall, with respect to any bond, undertaking or other written obligations in the nature thereof to which it is attached, be valid and binding upon the Company with the same force and effect as though manually affixed.

CERTIFICATE

I, the undersigned Assistant Secretary of The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company and West American Insurance Company, do hereby certify that the foregoing power of attorney, the referenced By-Laws of the Companies and the above resolution of their Boards of Directors are true and correct copies and are in full force and effect on this date.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the seals of the Companies this **2** day of **MARCH**, **2010**



*Justin D. Erwin*  
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 1-513-867-3471 between 9:00 am and 4:30 pm EST on any business day.