

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

C202737

CONTRACT AND  
CONTRACT BONDS

FOR CONTRACT NO. C202737

WBS 33721.3.1 BRSTP-1006(20)

T.I.P. NO. B-4473

COUNTY OF COLUMBUS

THIS IS THE ROADWAY & STRUCTURE CONTRACT

ROUTE NUMBER SR 1006 LENGTH 0.209 MILES

LOCATION BRIDGES #76 & 78 OVER GRISSETT SWAMP AND APPROACHES  
ON SR-1006.

CONTRACTOR SMITH-ROWE, LLC

ADDRESS 639 OLD US 52 SOUTH  
MOUNT AIRY, NC 27030

BIDS OPENED JANUARY 17, 2012

CONTRACT EXECUTION FEB 09 2012

**Vendor 5 of 5: SMITH-ROWE, LLC (9965)  
Call Order 029 (Proposal: C202737)**

**Bid Information**

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**County:** COLUMBUS

**Address:** 639 Old US 52 South  
Mount Airy , NC , 27030

**Signature Check:** William\_F\_Fulp\_9965

**Time Bid Received:** January 17, 2012 10:11 AM

**Amendment Count:** 0

**Bid Checksum:** B7F23A32

**Bid Total:** \$908,449.26

**Items Total:** \$908,449.26 ✓

**Time Total:** \$0.00

**Bidding Errors:**

None.

DBE GOAL SET 8.0

DBE GOAL MET 8.0

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### Bid Bond Information

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<b>Projects:</b>	<b>Bond Maximum:</b>
<b>Counties:</b>	<b>State of Incorporation:</b>
<b>Bond ID:</b> SNC12318652	<b>Agency Execution Date:</b> 1/11/12
<b>Paid by Check:</b> No	<b>Surety Name:</b> surety2000
<b>Bond Percent:</b>	<b>Bond Agency Name:</b> Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America

Vendor 9965's Bid Information for Call 029, Letting L120117, 01/17/12

Smith-Rowe, LLC (9965)  
Call Order 029 (Proposal ID C202737)

LIST OF DBE PARTICIPANTS

VENDOR NUMBER	DBE NAME ADDRESS	WORK CODE TYPE OF WORK	CERT TYPE AMOUNT	
2008 WB	LYNN THOMAS GRADING INC ROUTE 2, BOX 283C , POLKTON, NC 28135		Sub 78,100.00	✓ arm
			TOTAL: \$78,100.00	✓ arm
			8.60%	

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Smith-Rowe, LLC (9965)  
Call Order 029 (Proposal ID C202737)

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  
NOT ANSWERED  
NOT ANSWERED  
NOT ANSWERED

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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NOT ANSWERED	
NOT ANSWERED	
NOT ANSWERED	
NOT ANSWERED	
NOT ANSWERED	

Bid Bond Data Info - Contractor Responses:

BondID: SNC12318652  
Surety Registry Agency: surety2000  
Verified?: Yes

Surety Agency: Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America  
Bond Execution Date: 1/11/12  
Bond Amount: \$45,422.46 (Five Percent of Bid)

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Project(s): BRSTP-1006(20)

Letting Date: 01-17-12 Call Order: 029

Bidder: 9965 - Smith-Rowe, LLC

Line No.	Item Description	Approx. Quantity and Units	Unit Price		Bid Amount	
			Dollars	Cts	Dollars	Ct
Section 0001 ROADWAY ITEMS						
Alt Group						
0001	0000100000-N MOBILIZATIO N	LUMP		LUMP		45,000.00
0002	0000400000-N CONSTRUCTIO N SURVEYING	LUMP		LUMP		5,000.00
0003	0029000000-N REINFORCED BRIDGE APPROACH FILL, STATION ***** (12+65.75-L-)	LUMP		LUMP		7,500.00
0004	0029000000-N REINFORCED BRIDGE APPROACH FILL, STATION ***** (20+14.00-L-)	LUMP		LUMP		7,500.00
0005	0043000000-N GRADING	LUMP		LUMP		56,500.00
0006	0050000000-E SUPPLEMENTA RY CLEARING & GRUB-BING	ACR	1.000	1.00000		1.00
0007	0057000000-E UNDERCUT EXCAVATION	CY	400.000	7.00000		2,800.00
0008	0195000000-E SELECT GRANULAR MATERIAL	CY	400.000	7.00000		2,800.00
0009	0196000000-E FABRIC FOR SOIL STABILIZATION	SY	400.000	2.00000		800.00
0010	0318000000-E FOUNDATION CONDITIONING MATE- RIAL, MINOR STRS	TON	10.000	46.00000		460.00

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			Dollars	Cts	Dollars	Ct
0011	0320000000-E FOUNDATION CONDITIONING FABRIC	30.000 SY	2.00000		60.00	
0012	0335200000-E 15" DRAINAGE PIPE	32.000 LF	38.00000		1,216.00	
0013	0448200000-E 15" RC PIPE CULVERTS, CLASS IV	56.000 LF	40.00000		2,240.00	
0014	1489000000-E ASPHALT CONC BASE COURSE, TYPE B25.0B	190.000 TON	267.00000		50,730.00	
0015	1525000000-E ASPHALT CONC SURFACE COURSE, TYPE SF9.5A	310.000 TON	153.00000		47,430.00	
0016	1575000000-E ASPHALT BINDER FOR PLANT MIX	30.000 TON	643.37000		19,301.10	
0017	2022000000-E SUBDRAIN EXCAVATION	22.400 CY	4.00000		89.60	
0018	2033000000-E SUBDRAIN FINE AGGREGATE	16.800 CY	14.00000		235.20	
0019	2044000000-E 6" PERFORATED SUBDRAIN PIPE	100.000 LF	2.50000		250.00	
0020	2070000000-N SUBDRAIN PIPE OUTLETS	1.000 EA	175.00000		175.00	
0021	2077000000-E 6" OUTLET PIPE (SUBDRAINS)	6.000 LF	2.50000		15.00	
0022	2286000000-N MASONRY DRAINAGE STRUCTURES	4.000 EA	1,750.00000		7,000.00	

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0023	2367000000-N FRAME WITH TWO GRATES, STD 840.29	4.000 EA	365.00000		1,460.00	
0024	2556000000-E SHOULDER BERM GUTTER	115.000 LF	40.00000		4,600.00	
0025	3030000000-E STEEL BM GUARDRAIL	150.000 LF	14.00000		2,100.00	
0026	3150000000-N ADDITIONAL GUARDRAIL POSTS	5.000 EA	13.00000		65.00	
0027	3215000000-N GUARDRAIL ANCHOR UNITS, TYPE III	8.000 EA	1,380.00000		11,040.00	
0028	3270000000-N GUARDRAIL ANCHOR UNITS, TYPE 350	8.000 EA	1,800.00000		14,400.00	
0029	3649000000-E RIP RAP, CLASS B	2.000 TON	160.00000		320.00	
0030	3656000000-E FILTER FABRIC FOR DRAINAGE	385.000 SY	2.00000		770.00	
0031	4400000000-E WORK ZONE SIGNS (STATIONARY)	435.000 SF	3.88000		1,687.80	
0032	4410000000-E WORK ZONE SIGNS (BARRICADE MOUNTED)	63.000 SF	5.99000		377.37	
0033	4445000000-E BARRICADES (TYPE III)	64.000 LF	19.55000		1,251.20	
0034	4685000000-E THERMOPLAST IC PAVEMENT MARKING LINES (4", 90 MILS)	2,210.000 LF	0.92000		2,033.20	



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0035	4686000000-E THERMOPLASTIC PAVEMENT MARKING LINES (4", 120 MILS)	2,210.000 LF	0.97000		2,143.70	
0036	4900000000-N PERMANENT RAISED PAVEMENT MARKERS	14.000 EA	30.00000		420.00	
0037	6000000000-E TEMPORARY SILT FENCE	1,875.000 LF	2.40000		4,500.00	
0038	6006000000-E STONE FOR EROSION CONTROL, CLASS A	160.000 TON	22.00000		3,520.00	
0039	6009000000-E STONE FOR EROSION CONTROL, CLASS B	5.000 TON	64.00000		320.00	
0040	6012000000-E SEDIMENT CONTROL STONE	45.000 TON	35.00000		1,575.00	
0041	6015000000-E TEMPORARY MULCHING	1.000 ACR	980.00000		980.00	
0042	6018000000-E SEED FOR TEMPORARY SEEDING	50.000 LB	5.00000		250.00	
0043	6021000000-E FERTILIZER FOR TEMPORARY SEED-ING	0.250 TON	2,750.00000		687.50	
0044	6024000000-E TEMPORARY SLOPE DRAINS	200.000 LF	9.50000		1,900.00	
0045	6027000000-N INLET PROTECTION AT TEMPORARY SLOPE DRAINS	4.000 EA	100.00000		400.00	
0046	6029000000-E SAFETY FENCE	1,300.000 LF	2.15000		2,795.00	

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0047	6030000000-E SILT EXCAVATION	10.000 CY	20.00000		200.00	
0048	6036000000-E MATTING FOR EROSION CONTROL	2,400.000 SY	1.15000		2,760.00	
0049	6037000000-E COIR FIBER MAT	140.000 SY	4.00000		560.00	
0050	6042000000-E 1/4" HARDWARE CLOTH	220.000 LF	7.50000		1,650.00	
0051	6071012000-E COIR FIBER WATTLE	165.000 LF	11.00000		1,815.00	
0052	6084000000-E SEEDING & MULCHING	1.500 ACR	2,100.00000		3,150.00	
0053	6087000000-E MOWING	0.500 ACR	50.00000		25.00	
0054	6090000000-E SEED FOR REPAIR SEEDING	50.000 LB	3.50000		175.00	
0055	6093000000-E FERTILIZER FOR REPAIR SEEDING	0.250 TON	3,375.00000		843.75	
0056	6096000000-E SEED FOR SUPPLEMENTAL SEEDING	50.000 LB	7.25000		362.50	
0057	6108000000-E FERTILIZER TOPDRESSING	0.750 TON	2,635.00000		1,976.25	
0058	6114500000-N SPECIALIZED HAND MOWING	25.000 MHR	15.00000		375.00	

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0059	6117000000-N RESPONSE FOR EROSION CONTROL	EA 20.000	1.00000		20.00	
Section 0001 Total						330,611.17
Section 0004 STRUCTURE ITEMS						
Alt Group						
0060	8035000000-N REMOVAL OF EXISTING STRUCTURE AT STATION ***** (12+65.75-L-)	LUMP	LUMP		28,500.00	
0061	8035000000-N REMOVAL OF EXISTING STRUCTURE AT STATION ***** (20+14.00-L-)	LUMP	LUMP		28,500.00	
0062	8112730000-N PDA TESTING	EA 2.000	2,125.00000		4,250.00	
0063	8121000000-N UNCLASSIFIED STRUCTURE EXCAVATION AT STATION ***** (12+65.75-L-)	LUMP	LUMP		1,200.00	
0064	8121000000-N UNCLASSIFIED STRUCTURE EXCAVATION AT STATION ***** (20+14.00-L-)	LUMP	LUMP		1,450.00	
0065	8182000000-E CLASS A CONCRETE (BRIDGE)	CY 88.400	574.39000		50,776.08	
0066	8210000000-N BRIDGE APPROACH SLABS, STATION***** (12+65.75-L-)	LUMP	LUMP		18,700.00	

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0067	8210000000-N BRIDGE APPROACH SLABS, STATION***** (20+14.00-L-)	LUMP	LUMP			19,000.00
0068	8217000000-E REINFORCING STEEL (BRIDGE)	11,274.000 LB		1.03000		11,612.22
0069	8384000000-E HP14X73 STEEL PILES	1,215.000 LF		55.04000		66,873.60
0070	8393000000-N PILE REDRIVES	24.000 EA		1.00000		24.00
0071	8505000000-E VERTICAL CONCRETE BARRIER RAIL	240.500 LF		76.69000		18,443.95
0072	8657000000-N ELASTOMERIC BEARINGS	LUMP	LUMP			4,850.00
0073	8762000000-E 3'-0" X 1'-9" PRESTRESSED CONCCORED SLABS	550.000 LF		119.93000		65,961.50
0074	8763000000-E 3'-0" X 2'-0" PRESTRESSED CONCCORED SLABS	770.000 LF		141.45000		108,916.50
0075	8892000000-E GENERIC STRUCTURE ITEM 18" STEEL SHEET PILES	2,804.000 SF		53.06000		148,780.24
	Section 0004 Total					577,838.09
	Bid Total					908,449.26

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  
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 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

PROPOSAL: C202737  
 LETTING: L120117 CALL: 029  
 VENDOR: 9965 Smith-Rowe, LLC

LINE NO.	ITEM NO.	ITEM DESC.	UNIT TYPE	SUBCONTRACTOR QUANTITY	SUBCONTRACTOR UNIT PRICE	EXTENDED AMOUNT
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DBE SUBCONTRACTOR: 2008 LYNN THOMAS GRADING INC						
Will Use Quote: Yes						
0005	0043000000-N	GRADING	LS	1.000	56500.00000	56500.00
0003	0029000000-N	REINF BRG AP	LS	1.000	7500.00000	7500.00
0004	0029000000-N	REINF BRG AP	LS	1.000	7500.00000	7500.00
0060	8035000000-N	REMOV EXIST S	LS	1.000	6600.00000	6600.00

DBE COMMITMENT TOTAL FOR SUBCONTRACTOR:  ~~am~~ 78,100.00  
 DBE COMMITMENT TOTAL FOR VENDOR (SubContractor )  ~~am~~ 78,100.

TOTAL DBE COMMITMENT FOR VENDOR: Entered: 8.60% or 78100.00  
 Required: 8.00% or 72675.94  
 <GOAL MET>

Line #	ItemNumber	Sec #	Description	Quantity Unit	Unit Bid Price	Amount Bid
<b>ROADWAY ITEMS</b>						
0001	0000100000-N	800	MOBILIZATION	Lump Sum LS	45,000.00	45,000.00
0002	0000400000-N	801	CONSTRUCTION SURVEYING	Lump Sum LS	5,000.00	5,000.00
0003	0029000000-N	SP	REINFORCED BRIDGE APPROACH FILL, STATION ***** (12+65.75-L-)	Lump Sum LS	7,500.00	7,500.00
0004	0029000000-N	SP	REINFORCED BRIDGE APPROACH FILL, STATION ***** (20+14.00-L-)	Lump Sum LS	7,500.00	7,500.00
0005	0043000000-N	226	GRADING	Lump Sum LS	56,500.00	56,500.00
0006	0050000000-E	226	SUPPLEMENTARY CLEARING & GRUB- BING	1 ACR	1.00	1.00
0007	0057000000-E	226	UNDERCUT EXCAVATION	400 CY	7.00	2,800.00
0008	0195000000-E	SP	SELECT GRANULAR MATERIAL	400 CY	7.00	2,800.00
0009	0196000000-E	270	FABRIC FOR SOIL STABILIZATION	400 SY	2.00	800.00
0010	0318000000-E	SP	FOUNDATION CONDITIONING MATE- RIAL, MINOR STRS	10 TON	46.00	460.00
0011	0320000000-E	SP	FOUNDATION CONDITIONING FABRIC	30 SY	2.00	60.00
0012	0335200000-E	SP	15" DRAINAGE PIPE	32 LF	38.00	1,216.00
0013	0448200000-E	SP	15" RC PIPE CULVERTS, CLASS IV	56 LF	40.00	2,240.00
0014	1489000000-E	610	ASPHALT CONC BASE COURSE, TYPE B25.0B	190 TON	267.00	50,730.00
0015	1525000000-E	610	ASPHALT CONC SURFACE COURSE, TYPE SF9.5A	310 TON	153.00	47,430.00
0016	1575000000-E	SP	ASPHALT BINDER FOR PLANT MIX	30 TON	643.37	19,301.10
0017	2022000000-E	SP	SUBDRAIN EXCAVATION	22.4 CY	4.00	89.60
0018	2033000000-E	SP	SUBDRAIN FINE AGGREGATE	16.8 CY	14.00	235.20



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0019	2044000000-E	SP	6" PERFORATED SUBDRAIN PIPE	100 LF	2.50	250.00
0020	2070000000-N	SP	SUBDRAIN PIPE OUTLETS	1 EA	175.00	175.00
0021	2077000000-E	SP	6" OUTLET PIPE (SUBDRAINS)	6 LF	2.50	15.00
0022	2286000000-N	840	MASONRY DRAINAGE STRUCTURES	4 EA	1,750.00	7,000.00
0023	2367000000-N	840	FRAME WITH TWO GRATES, STD 840.29	4 EA	365.00	1,460.00
0024	2556000000-E	846	SHOULDER BERM GUTTER	115 LF	40.00	4,600.00
0025	3030000000-E	862	STEEL BM GUARDRAIL	150 LF	14.00	2,100.00
0026	3150000000-N	862	ADDITIONAL GUARDRAIL POSTS	5 EA	13.00	65.00
0027	3215000000-N	862	GUARDRAIL ANCHOR UNITS, TYPE III	8 EA	1,380.00	11,040.00
0028	3270000000-N	SP	GUARDRAIL ANCHOR UNITS, TYPE 350	8 EA	1,800.00	14,400.00
0029	3649000000-E	876	RIP RAP, CLASS B	2 TON	160.00	320.00
0030	3656000000-E	876	FILTER FABRIC FOR DRAINAGE	385 SY	2.00	770.00
0031	4400000000-E	1110	WORK ZONE SIGNS (STATIONARY)	435 SF	3.88	1,687.80
0032	4410000000-E	1110	WORK ZONE SIGNS (BARRICADE MOUNTED)	63 SF	5.99	377.37
0033	4445000000-E	1145	BARRICADES (TYPE III)	64 LF	19.55	1,251.20
0034	4685000000-E	1205	THERMOPLASTIC PAVEMENT MARKING LINES (4", 90 MILS)	2,210 LF	0.92	2,033.20
0035	4686000000-E	1205	THERMOPLASTIC PAVEMENT MARKING LINES (4", 120 MILS)	2,210 LF	0.97	2,143.70
0036	4900000000-N	1251	PERMANENT RAISED PAVEMENT MARKERS	14 EA	30.00	420.00
0037	6000000000-E	1605	TEMPORARY SILT FENCE	1,875 LF	2.40	4,500.00

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0038	6006000000-E	1610	STONE FOR EROSION CONTROL, CLASS A	160 TON	22.00	3,520.00
0039	6009000000-E	1610	STONE FOR EROSION CONTROL, CLASS B	5 TON	64.00	320.00
0040	6012000000-E	1610	SEDIMENT CONTROL STONE	45 TON	35.00	1,575.00
0041	6015000000-E	1615	TEMPORARY MULCHING	1 ACR	980.00	980.00
0042	6018000000-E	1620	SEED FOR TEMPORARY SEEDING	50 LB	5.00	250.00
0043	6021000000-E	1620	FERTILIZER FOR TEMPORARY SEED- ING	0.25 TON	2,750.00	687.50
0044	6024000000-E	1622	TEMPORARY SLOPE DRAINS	200 LF	9.50	1,900.00
0045	6027000000-N	1622	INLET PROTECTION AT TEMPORARY SLOPE DRAINS	4 EA	100.00	400.00
0046	6029000000-E	SP	SAFETY FENCE	1,300 LF	2.15	2,795.00
0047	6030000000-E	1630	SILT EXCAVATION	10 CY	20.00	200.00
0048	6036000000-E	1631	MATTING FOR EROSION CONTROL	2,400 SY	1.15	2,760.00
0049	6037000000-E	SP	COIR FIBER MAT	140 SY	4.00	560.00
0050	6042000000-E	1632	1/4" HARDWARE CLOTH	220 LF	7.50	1,650.00
0051	6071012000-E	SP	COIR FIBER WATTLE	165 LF	11.00	1,815.00
0052	6084000000-E	1660	SEEDING & MULCHING	1.5 ACR	2,100.00	3,150.00
0053	6087000000-E	1660	MOWING	0.5 ACR	50.00	25.00
0054	6090000000-E	1661	SEED FOR REPAIR SEEDING	50 LB	3.50	175.00
0055	6093000000-E	1661	FERTILIZER FOR REPAIR SEEDING	0.25 TON	3,375.00	843.75
0056	6096000000-E	1662	SEED FOR SUPPLEMENTAL SEEDING	50 LB	7.25	362.50

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0057	6108000000-E	1665	FERTILIZER TOPDRESSING	0.75 TON	2,635.00	1,976.25
0058	6114500000-N	SP	SPECIALIZED HAND MOWING	25 MHR	15.00	375.00
0059	6117000000-N	SP	RESPONSE FOR EROSION CONTROL	20 EA	1.00	20.00

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0060	8035000000-N	402	REMOVAL OF EXISTING STRUCTURE AT STATION ***** (12 + 65.75-L-)	Lump Sum LS	28,500.00	28,500.00
0061	8035000000-N	402	REMOVAL OF EXISTING STRUCTURE AT STATION ***** (20 + 14.00-L-)	Lump Sum LS	28,500.00	28,500.00
0062	8112730000-N	SP	PDA TESTING	2 EA	2,125.00	4,250.00
0063	8121000000-N	412	UNCLASSIFIED STRUCTURE EXCAVA- TION AT STATION ***** (12 + 65.75-L-)	Lump Sum LS	1,200.00	1,200.00
0064	8121000000-N	412	UNCLASSIFIED STRUCTURE EXCAVA- TION AT STATION ***** (20 + 14.00-L-)	Lump Sum LS	1,450.00	1,450.00
0065	8182000000-E	420	CLASS A CONCRETE (BRIDGE)	88.4 CY	574.39	50,776.08
0066	8210000000-N	422	BRIDGE APPROACH SLABS, STATION ***** (12 + 65.75-L-)	Lump Sum LS	18,700.00	18,700.00
0067	8210000000-N	422	BRIDGE APPROACH SLABS, STATION ***** (20 + 14.00-L-)	Lump Sum LS	19,000.00	19,000.00
0068	8217000000-E	425	REINFORCING STEEL (BRIDGE)	11,274 LB	1.03	11,612.22
0069	8384000000-E	SP	HP14X73 STEEL PILES	1,215 LF	55.04	66,873.60
0070	8393000000-N	SP	PILE REDRIVES	24 EA	1.00	24.00
0071	8505000000-E	SP	VERTICAL CONCRETE BARRIER RAIL	240.5 LF	76.69	18,443.95
0072	8657000000-N	430	ELASTOMERIC BEARINGS	Lump Sum LS	4,850.00	4,850.00
0073	8762000000-E	430	3'-0" X 1'-9" PRESTRESSED CONC CORED SLABS	550 LF	119.93	65,961.50
0074	8763000000-E	430	3'-0" X 2'-0" PRESTRESSED CONC CORED SLABS	770 LF	141.45	108,916.50

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0075	8892000000-E	SP	GENERIC STRUCTURE ITEM 18" STEEL SHEET PILES	2,804 SF	53.06	148,780.24

TOTAL AMOUNT OF BID FOR ENTIRE PROJECT

\$908,449.26

1358/Jan31/Q31385.35/D344327142000/E75



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**EXECUTION OF CONTRACT  
NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT, DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION AND GIFT BAN CERTIFICATION  
LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY**

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.

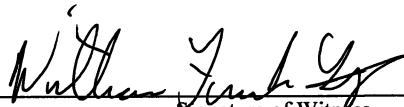
**SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR**

Smith-Rowe, LLC

Full Name of Firm


639 Old US 52 South, Mount Airy, NC 27030

Address as Prequalified

  
Signature of Witness

William Frank Fulp

Print or type Signer's name

  
Signature of Member/Manager/Authorized Agent  
Select appropriate title

David Locke Rowe

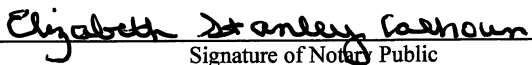
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**AFFIDAVIT MUST BE NOTARIZED**

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the

1st day of February 2012

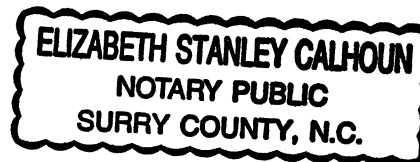
**NOTARY SEAL**

  
Signature of Notary Public

of Surry County

State of North Carolina

My Commission Expires: 03/14/14



**Contract No**     C202737

**County (ies):**   Columbus

**ACCEPTED BY THE  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**



\_\_\_\_\_  
Contract Officer

2/9/12

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Execution of Contract and Bonds  
Approved as to Form:**



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Attorney General

Bond No. 105723953

Contract No. C202737  
County Columbus

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### CONTRACT PAYMENT BOND

Date of Payment Bond Execution February 6, 2012

Name of Principal Contractor Smith-Rowe, LLC

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: (\$908,449.26 ) Nine Hundred Eight Thousand Four  
Hundred Forty Nine Dollars and 26/100

Contract ID No.: C202737

County Name: Columbus

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.  
County

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**CONTRACT PAYMENT BOND**

**LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY**

SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR (Principal)

Name of Contractor

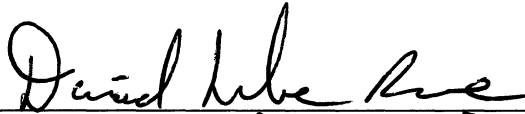
**Smith-Rowe, LLC**

Full name of Firm

**639 Old US 52 South, Mount Airy, NC 27030**

Address as prequalified

By:



Signature of Member, Manager, Authorized Agent  
*Select appropriate title*

**David Locke Rowe**

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

Surety Bond No. 105723953

Principal: Smith-Rowe, LLC

OR

Project Description: Columbus County #C202737 - Bridges #76 & #78 over Grissett Swamp & Approaches on SR1006
Obligee: North Carolina Department of Transportation

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 Donna K. Ashley of the City of Charlotte, State of NC, their true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, 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 and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof on behalf of the Companies in their business of guaranteeing the fidelity of persons, guaranteeing the performance of contracts and executing or guaranteeing bonds and undertakings required or permitted in any actions or proceedings allowed by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Companies have caused this instrument to be signed and their corporate seals to be hereto affixed, this 25th day of April, 2011.

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



State of Connecticut

City of Hartford ss.

By: [Signature]
George W. Thompson, Senior Vice President

On this the 25th day of April, 2011, before me personally appeared George W. Thompson, who acknowledged himself to be the Senior Vice President of 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, and United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, and that he, as such, being authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained by signing on behalf of the corporations by himself as a duly authorized officer.

In Witness Whereof, I hereunto set my hand and official seal.

My Commission expires the 30th day of June, 2016.



[Signature]
Marie C. Tetreault, Notary Public

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 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, 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

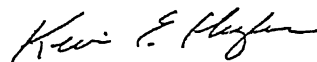
**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman, the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President or any Vice President may delegate all or any part of the foregoing authority to one or more officers or employees of this Company, provided that each such delegation is 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 Secretary, 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, Kevin E. Hughes, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary, of 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, 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 6th day of February, 2012.



Kevin E. Hughes, Assistant Secretary



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Contract No. C202737  
County Columbus

**CONTRACT PERFORMANCE BOND**

Date of Performance Bond Execution: February 6, 2012  
Name of Principal Contractor: Smith-Rowe, LLC  
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: (\$908,449.26 ) Nine Hundred Eight Thousand Four  
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Contract ID No.: C202737  
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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

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**CONTRACT PERFORMANCE BOND**

**LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY**

SIGNATURE OF CONTRACTOR (Principal)

Name of Contractor

**Smith-Rowe, LLC**

Full name of Firm

**639 Old US 52 South, Mount Airy, NC 27030**

Address as prequalified

By:



Signature of ~~Member, Manager, Authorized Agent~~

Select appropriate title

**David Locke Rowe**

Print or type Signer's name



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In Witness Whereof, I hereunto set my hand and official seal.

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[Signature]
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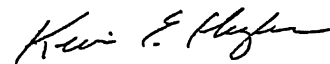
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