

LOUISIANA UNIFORM PUBLIC WORK BID FORM

TO: Thibodaux Regional Health System, Inc.
602 N. Acadia Road
Thibodaux, Louisiana 70301

BID FOR: Thibodaux Regional Health System, Inc
Emergency Power System Replacement & Upgrade
Planning and Construction – Phase 1
FP&C # 50-NKQ-23-01

The undersigned bidder hereby declares and represents that she/he: a) has carefully examined and understands the Bidding Documents, b) has not received, relied on, or based his bid on any verbal instructions contrary to the Bidding Documents or any addenda, c) has personally inspected and is familiar with the project site, and hereby proposes to provide all labor, materials, tools, appliances and facilities as required to perform, in a workmanlike manner, all work and services for the construction and completion of the referenced project, all in strict accordance with the Bidding Documents prepared by: Smith Seckman Reid, Inc.

and dated: October 18, 2024
(Owner to provide name of entity preparing bidding documents.)

Bidders must acknowledge all addenda. The Bidder acknowledges receipt of the following **ADDENDA:** (Enter the number the Designer has assigned to each of the addenda that the Bidder is acknowledging) No. 1, No.2, No.3.

TOTAL BASE BID: For all work required by the Bidding Documents (including any and all unit prices designated “Base Bid” * but not alternates) the sum of:

Four Million Seven Hundred Eighty-Seven Thousand Three Hundred Dollars (\$ 4,787,300.00)

ALTERNATES: For any and all work required by the Bidding Documents for Alternates including any and all unit prices designated as alternates in the unit price description.

Alternate No. 1 (Owner to provide description of alternate and state whether add or deduct) for the lump sum of:

One Million Six Hundred Fifty-Eight Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars (\$ 1,658,700.00)

Alternate No. 2 (Owner to provide description of alternate and state whether add or deduct) for the lump sum of:

_____ Dollars (\$ N/A)

Alternate No. 3 (Owner to provide description of alternate and state whether add or deduct) for the lump sum of:

_____ Dollars (\$ N/A)

NAME OF BIDDER: Ernest P. Breaux Electrical, LLC

ADDRESS OF BIDDER: P.O. Box 11640

New Iberia, LA 70562-1640

LOUISIANA CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE NUMBER: 62810

NAME OF AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY OF BIDDER: Tommy Bell

TITLE OF AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY OF BIDDER: President, Commercial Division

SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY OF BIDDER **: 

DATE: 12/10/2024

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE TO BE INCLUDED WITH THE SUBMISSION OF THIS LOUISIANA UNIFORM PUBLIC WORK BID FORM:

* The Unit Price Form shall be used if the contract includes unit prices. Otherwise it is not required and need not be included with the form. The number of unit prices that may be included is not limited and additional sheets may be included if needed.

** **A CORPORATE RESOLUTION OR WRITTEN EVIDENCE** of the authority of the person signing the bid for the public work as prescribed by LA R.S. 38:2212(B)(5).

BID SECURITY in the form of a bid bond, certified check or cashier's check as prescribed by LA R.S. 38:2218(A) attached to and made a part of this bid.



Contractors

Designers

RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Managers of ERNEST P. BREUX ELECTRICAL, L.L.C., a limited liability company organized and existing under the laws of the State of Louisiana, and domiciled in the City of New Iberia that David P. Bell, President and Chief Executive Officer of the Company, and/or, Thomas Bell, President of the Commercial Division of the Company, and/or Michael G. Whaley, President Industrial/Highway Division of the Company, be and are hereby authorized and empowered to execute any and all contracts of whatever kind on behalf of the Company.

David Bell
President, Chief Executive Officer

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Thomas Bell
President – Commercial Division

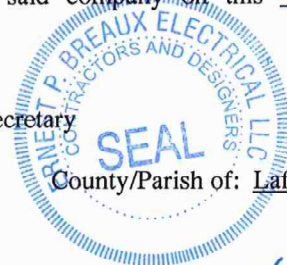
Michael G. Whaley
President – Industrial/Highway Division

CERTIFICATE

I, Meagan Bell, Secretary of ERNEST P. BREUX ELECTRICAL, L.L.C., do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is a true and exact copy unanimously adopted by the Board of Managers of said company at a meeting thereof legally held on the 4th day of November, 2022; that said resolution is duly entered into the records of said company; it has not been rescinded or modified; that it is now in full force and effect.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said company on this 10 day of December, 2024.

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_____, Secretary

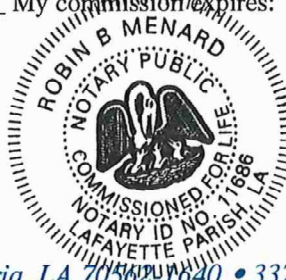


State of: Louisiana

County/Parish of: Lafayette

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of December, 2024.

Notary Public: [Signature] My commission expires: Life Louisiana Notary No.: 11696



BID BOND
FOR
THIBODAUX REGIONAL HEALTH SYSTEM, INC.

Date: December 10, 2024

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That Ernest P. Breaux Electrical, LLC of 2812 Broken Arrow Rd, New Iberia, LA 70560, as Principal, and Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company and Everest Reinsurance Company, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto Thibodaux Regional Health System, Inc. (Obligee), in the full and just sum of five (5%) percent of the total amount of this proposal, including all alternates, lawful money of the United States, for payment of which sum, well and truly be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally firmly by these presents.

Surety represents that it is listed on the current U. S. Department of the Treasury Financial Management Service list of approved bonding companies as approved for an amount equal to or greater than the amount for which it obligates itself in this instrument or that it is a Louisiana domiciled insurance company with at least an A - rating in the latest printing of the A. M. Best's Key Rating Guide. If surety qualifies by virtue of its Best's listing, the Bond amount may not exceed ten percent of policyholders' surplus as shown in the latest A. M. Best's Key Rating Guide.

Surety further represents that it is licensed to do business in the State of Louisiana and that this Bond is signed by surety's agent or attorney-in-fact. This Bid Bond is accompanied by appropriate power of attorney.

THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH that, whereas said Principal is herewith submitting its proposal to the Obligee on a Contract for:

Emergency Power System Replacement and Upgrade Planning and Construction - Phase 1

NOW, THEREFORE, if the said Contract be awarded to the Principal and the Principal shall, within such time as may be specified, enter into the Contract in writing and give a good and sufficient bond to secure the performance of the terms and conditions of the Contract with surety acceptable to the Obligee, then this obligation shall be void; otherwise this obligation shall become due and payable.

Ernest P. Breaux Electrical, LLC

PRINCIPAL (BIDDER)

BY: [Signature]
AUTHORIZED OFFICER-OWNER-PARTNER

Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company and Everest Reinsurance Company

SURETY

BY: [Signature]
AGENT OR ATTORNEY-IN-FACT (SEAL)
Roxanna S. Borer, Attorney In Fact

July 2021

Power of Attorney

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS THAT:

Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company, an Ohio corporation

hereinafter referred to severally as the "Company" and collectively as "the Companies" does hereby make, constitute and appoint: CHARLES E REAGIN, III; CHARLOTTE RAMSEY; CHARLOTTE L WRIGHT; CHRISTOPHER BOONE; DAVID FORTENBERRY; DEBBIE DUNAWAY; DEWEY B MASON; EDWARD L KINNEY JR; JAMES ELEY BRASHIER; JOSEPH BEATTIE; KATHLEEN SCARBOROUGH; KIMBERLY BARHUM; LISA BUTLER; MARKHAM R MCKNIGHT; MARY E KLEINPETER; PATRICK MASON; RHONDA S CROOKS; ROXANNA S BORER; STEPHANIE S MCKNIGHT; SUSAN SKRMETTA; TAWANDA A WEATHERSPOON; THOMAS M SANDAHL; TRENT J SANDAHL; TROY P WAGENER; WILLIAM G MCKNIGHT; each in their individual capacity, its true and lawful attorney-in-fact, with full power and authority to sign, seal, and execute on its behalf any and all bonds and undertakings, and other obligatory instruments of similar nature, in penalties not exceeding the sum of

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and to bind the Company thereby, as fully and to the same extent as if such instruments were signed by the duly authorized officers of the Company; and all acts of said Attorney pursuant to the authority given are hereby ratified and confirmed.

This power of attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following resolution duly adopted by the board of directors of the Company:

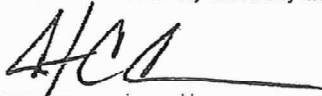
"RESOLVED, that the president, or any vice president be, and each hereby is, authorized and empowered to appoint attorneys-in-fact of the Company, and to authorize them to execute and deliver on behalf of the Company any and all bonds, forms, applications, memorandums, undertakings, recognizances, transfers, contracts of indemnity, policies, contracts guaranteeing the fidelity of persons holding positions of public or private trust, and other writings obligatory in nature that the business of the Company may require; and to modify or revoke, with or without cause, any such appointment or authority; provided, however, that the authority granted hereby shall in no way limit the authority of other duly authorized agents to sign and countersign any of said documents on behalf of the Company."

"RESOLVED FURTHER, that such attorneys-in-fact shall have full power and authority to execute and deliver any and all such documents and to bind the Company subject to the terms and limitations of the power of attorney issued to them, and to affix the seal of the Company thereto; provided, however, that said seal shall not be necessary for the validity of any such documents."

This power of attorney is signed and sealed under and by the following bylaws duly adopted by the board of directors of the Company.

Execution of Instruments. Any vice president, any assistant secretary or any assistant treasurer shall have the power and authority to sign or attest all approved documents, instruments, contracts, or other papers in connection with the operation of the business of the company in addition to the chairman of the board, the chief executive officer, president, treasurer or secretary; provided, however, the signature of any of them may be printed, engraved, or stamped on any approved document, contract, instrument, or other papers of the Company.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Company has caused this instrument to be sealed and duly attested by the signature of its officer the 1st day of April, 2024.

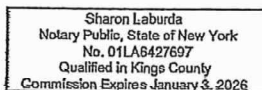


Antonio C. Albanese, Vice President of Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF KINGS: ss

On this 1st day of April, 2024; before me came the above-named officer for the Company aforesaid, to me personally known to be the 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 Company aforesaid, that the seal affixed hereto is the corporate seal of said Company, and the said corporate seal and his signature were duly affixed and subscribed to said instrument by the authority and direction of said Company.

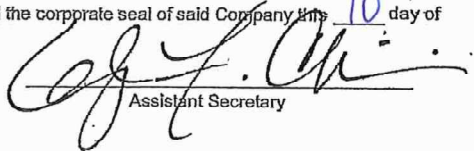


Notary Public
My Commission Expires
January 3, 2026

CERTIFICATE

I, Lezlie F. Chimienti, Assistant Secretary of the Company, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the original power of attorney issued by the Company; that the resolution included therein is a true and correct transcript from the minutes of the meetings of the boards of directors and the same has not been revoked or amended in any manner; that said Antonio C. Albanese was on the date of the execution of the foregoing power of attorney the duly elected officer of the Company, and the corporate seal and his signature as officer were duly affixed and subscribed to the said instrument by the authority of said board of directors; and the foregoing power of attorney is still in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name as Assistant Secretary, and affixed the corporate seal of said Company this 10th day of December, 2024.



Assistant Secretary



POWER OF ATTORNEY
EVEREST REINSURANCE COMPANY

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS: That Everest Reinsurance Company, a corporation of the State of Delaware ("Company") having its principal office located at Warren Corporate Center, 100 Everest Way, Warren, New Jersey, 07059, do hereby nominate, constitute, and appoint:

Tawanda A. Weatherspoon, Mary E. Kleinpeter, Charles E. Reagin III, Charlotte L. Wright, Markham R. McKnight, Thomas M. Sandahl, William G. McKnight, Stephanie S. McKnight, Trent J. Sandahl, Edward L. Kinney Jr., Rhonda S. Crooks, Roxanna S. Borer

its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-fact to make, execute, attest, seal and deliver for and on its behalf, as surety, and as its act and deed, where required, any and all bonds and undertakings in the nature thereof, for the penal sum of no one of which is in any event to exceed UNLIMITED, reserving for itself the full power of substitution and revocation.

Such bonds and undertakings, when duly executed by the aforesaid Attorney(s)-in-fact shall be binding upon the Company as fully and to the same extent as if such bonds and undertakings were signed by the President and Secretary of the Company and sealed with its corporate seal.

This Power of Attorney is granted and is signed by facsimile under and by the authority of the following Resolutions adopted by the Board of Directors of Company ("Board") on April 21, 2016:

RESOLVED, that the President, any Executive Vice President, and any Senior Vice President are hereby appointed by the Board as authorized to make, execute, seal and deliver for and on behalf of the Company, any and all bonds, undertakings, contracts or obligations in surety or co-surety with others and that the Secretary or any Assistant Secretary of the Company be and that each of them hereby is authorized to attest to the execution of any such bonds, undertakings, contracts or obligations in surety or co-surety and attach thereto the corporate seal of the Company.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, that the President, any Executive Vice President, and any Senior Vice President are hereby authorized to execute powers of attorney qualifying the attorney named in the given power of attorney to execute, on behalf of the Company, bonds and undertakings in surety or co-surety with others, and that the Secretary or any Assistant Secretary of the Company be, and that each of them is hereby authorized to attest the execution of any such power of attorney, and to attach thereto the corporate seal of the Company.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, that the signature of such officers named in the preceding resolutions and the corporate seal of the Company may be affixed to such powers of attorney or to any certificate relating thereto by facsimile, and any such power of attorney or certificate bearing such facsimile signatures or facsimile seal shall be thereafter valid and binding upon the Company with respect to any bond, undertaking, contract or obligation in surety or co-surety with others to which it is attached.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Everest Reinsurance Company has caused their corporate seals to be affixed hereto, and these presents to be signed by their duly authorized officers this 10th day of April 2024.



Everest Reinsurance Company

By: Anthony Romano, Senior Vice President

On this 10th day of April 2024, before me personally came Anthony Romano, known to me, who, being duly sworn, did execute the above instrument; that he knows the seal of said Company; that the seal affixed to the aforesaid instrument is such corporate seal and was affixed thereto; and that he executed said instrument by like order.

LINDA ROBINS
Notary Public, State of New York
No 01R06239736
Qualified in Queens County
Term Expires April 25, 2027

Linda Robins, Notary Public

I, Sylvia Semerdjian, Secretary of Everest Reinsurance Company do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy of the Power of Attorney and affidavit, and the copy of the Section of the bylaws and resolutions of said Corporation as set forth in said Power of Attorney, with the ORIGINALS ON FILE IN THE HOME OFFICE OF SAID CORPORATION, and that the same are correct transcripts thereof, and of the whole of the said originals, and that the said Power of Attorney has not been revoked and is now in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Company, this 10th day of December, 2024.



By: Sylvia Semerdjian, Secretary