

00300-LOUISIANA UNIFORM PUBLIC WORK BID FORM

TO: *The City of Gonzales*
120 South Irma Boulevard
Gonzales, Louisiana 70737

BID FOR: *City of Gonzales*
Carver Park Lights

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: MEYER ENGINEERS, LTD. dated: January 21, 2016
(Owner to provide name of entity preparing bidding documents)

Bidders must acknowledge all addenda. The Bidder acknowledges receipt of the following ADDENDA:

No. 1 Dated: 02/29/16 No. 2 Dated: 03/15/16 No. 3 Dated: 03/24/16
No. 4 Dated: 04/01/16 No. _____ Dated: _____ No. _____ Dated: _____

BASE BID: For any and all work required by the Bidding Document:

Two hundred eighty-three thousand five hundred fifty Dollars (\$ 283,550.00)

Additive Alternate No. 1 – Carver School Site for the lump sum of:

One hundred twenty-nine thousand seven hundred ninety Dollars (\$ 129,790.00)

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

N/A Dollars (\$ N/A)

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

N/A Dollars (\$ N/A)

NAME OF BIDDER Diamond Electrical Company, Inc.

ADDRESS OF BIDDER: P. O. Box 15501

Baton Rouge, LA 70895-5501

LOUISIANA CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE NUMBER: 8470

NAME OF AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY OF BIDDER: Chad R. Scallan

TITLE OF AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY OF BIDDER: Vice President

SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY OF BIDDER*: 

DATE: April 5, 2016

*If someone other than a corporate officer signs for the Bidder/Contractor, a copy of a corporate resolution or other signature authorization shall be required for submission of bid. Failure to include a copy of the appropriate signature authorization, if required, may result in the rejection of the bid unless bidder has complied with the La. R.S. 38:2212(A)(1)(c) or RS 28:2212(O).

BID SECURITY in the form of a bid bond, certified check or cashier's check as prescribed by LA RS 28:2218.A is attached to and made a part of this bid. If a bid bond is provided it shall be on the attached form and only on the attached form.

If BIDDER is:

An Individual

By: _____ (SEAL)
(Signature Individual)

Name (typed or printed): _____

Doing business as: _____

Business Address: _____

Phone No.: _____ Fax No.: _____

A Partnership

Partnership Name: _____ (SEAL)

By: _____
(Signature of General Partner)

Name (typed or printed): _____

Business Address: _____

Phone No.: _____ Fax No.: _____

A Corporation

Corporation Name: Diamond Electrical Company, Inc. (SEAL)

State of Incorporation: Louisiana

By: [Signature]
(Signature - attach evidence of authority to sign)

Name (typed or printed): Chad R. Scallan

Business Address: P. O. Box 15501

Baton Rouge, LA 70895-5501

Phone No.: (225) 752-7492 Fax No.: (225) 756-4569

**(A Corporate Resolution Must Be Attached)

If BIDDER is:

A Limited Liability Company

Company Name: _____ (SEAL)

By: _____
(Signature - attach evidence of authority to sign)

Name (typed or printed): _____

Business Address: _____

Phone No.: _____ Fax No.: _____

A Joint Venture

Joint Venture Name: _____ (SEAL)

By: _____
(Signature of Joint Venture Partner)

Name (typed or printed): _____

Address: _____

Phone No.: _____ Fax No.: _____

Joint Venture Name: _____ (SEAL)

By: _____
(Signature of Joint Venture Partner)

Name (typed or printed): _____

Address: _____

Phone No.: _____ Fax No.: _____

Address, Phone Number, and Fax Number for receipt of official communications:

P. O. Box 15501 Baton Rouge, LA 70895-5501

Phone: (225) 752-7492 Fax: (225) 756-4569

(Each joint venture partner must sign. The manner of signing for each individual, partnership, and corporation that is a party to the joint venture should be in the manner indicated above.)

00320-RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING SUBMISSION OF BID,
SIGNATURE OF BID AND SIGNATURE OF CONTRACT

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Directors of Diamond Electrical Company, Inc., a Corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Louisiana, and domiciled in the City of Baton Rouge; that Nancy C. Toomer President of the Corporation and/or Chad R. Scallan, Vice President of the Corporation, be, and are hereby authorized and empowered to submit bids and to execute any and all contracts of whatever kind on behalf of the Corporation and to do all things necessary in the premises.

CERTIFICATE

I, Ronald J. Toomer, Secretary of Diamond Electrical Company, Inc. do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is a true and exact copy unanimously adopted by the Board of Directors of said corporation at a meeting thereof legally held on the 6th day of April 20 16; that said resolution is duly entered into the records of said corporation; that it has not been rescinded or modified; and that it is now in full force and effect.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said corporation this 6th day of April, 20 16.


(Secretary)

00340-BIDDER'S NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT
(FURNISH WITH BID PACKAGE)

STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF East Baton Rouge

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally came and appeared

Chad R. Scallan who after being by me duly sworn, deposed and said that

he is the fully authorized Vice President of

Diamond Electrical Company, Inc. (Herein after referred to as "BIDDER") the party who

submitted a bid for

City of Gonzales, Carver Park Lights

which bid was received by THE CITY OF GONZALES, LOUISIANA on

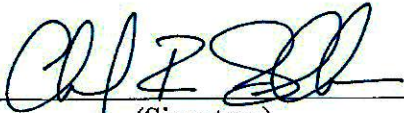
March 21, 2016 and said affiant further said:

- (1) That bidder employed no person, corporation, firm, asocial, or other organization, either directly or indirectly, to secure public contract under which he received payment, other than persons regularly employed by the affiant whose services in connection with the construction, alteration, or demolition of the public building or project or in securing the public contract were in the regular course of their duties for bidder, and
- (2) That no part of the contract price received by bidder was paid or will be paid to any person, corporation, firm, association, or other organization for soliciting the contract, other than the payment of their normal compensation to persons regularly employed by the affiant whose services in connection with the construction, alteration, or demolition of the public building or project were in the regular course of their duties for bidder.
- (3) Said bidder is genuine and the bidder has not colluded, conspired or agreed directly or indirectly with any other bidder to offer a sham or collusive bid.
- (4) Said bidder has not in any manner directly or indirectly agreed with any other person to fix the bid price of affiant or any other bidder, or to fix any overhead profit or cost element of said bid price, of that of any other bidder, or to induce any other person to refrain from bidding.

(5) Said bid is not intended to secure an unfair advantage of benefit from The City of Gonzales, Louisiana or in favor of any persons interested in the proposed contract.

(6) All statement contained in said bid are true and correct.

(7) Neither affiant nor any member of his company has divulged information regarding said bid or any data relative thereto to any person, firm, or corporation.

By: 
(Signature)

Chad R. Scallan


(Type or Print Name)

Vice President

(Type or Print Title)

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME THIS 14th DAY OF
March, 2016.

Charles E. Spedale
Attorney At Law
Bar #12324
My Commission Expires At Death


Notary Public

00360-BID BOND
FOR

Date: March 21, 2016

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That Diamond Electrical Company, Inc. of P.O. Box 15501, Baton Rouge, La 70895, as
Principal, and Western Surety Company, as Surety, are held and
firmly bound unto the City of Gonzales (Obligee), in the full
and just sum of five (5%) percent of the total amount of this bid, 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
that 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:

Carver Park Lights

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.

Diamond Electrical Company, Inc.

PRINCIPAL (BIDDER)

BY: 

AUTHORIZED OFFICER-OWNER-PARTNER

Chad R. Scallan, Vice President

Western Surety Company

SURETY

BY: 

AGENT OR ATTORNEY-IN-FACT (SEAL)

Tawanda Weatherspoon, Attorney in Fact

Western Surety Company

POWER OF ATTORNEY APPOINTING INDIVIDUAL ATTORNEY-IN-FACT

Know All Men By These Presents, That WESTERN SURETY COMPANY, a South Dakota corporation, is a duly organized and existing corporation having its principal office in the City of Sioux Falls, and State of South Dakota, and that it does by virtue of the signature and seal herein affixed hereby make, constitute and appoint

Charlotte L Wright, Markham R Mc Knight, Charles E Reagin III, Dwayne Moore, Thomas M Sandahl, Randall K Bonaventure, P Dwayne David, Wendy Arcement, Brenda G Ortego, Trent J Sandahl, Linda Sue Ray, Tawanda Weatherspoon, Stephanie S McKnight, William G McKnight, Individually

of Baton Rouge, LA, its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact with full power and authority hereby conferred to sign, seal and execute for and on its behalf bonds, undertakings and other obligatory instruments of similar nature

- In Unlimited Amounts -

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

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the By-Law printed on the reverse hereof, duly adopted, as indicated, by the shareholders of the corporation.

In Witness Whereof, WESTERN SURETY COMPANY has caused these presents to be signed by its Vice President and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed on this 11th day of June, 2015.



WESTERN SURETY COMPANY

Paul T. Bruflat, Vice President

State of South Dakota }
County of Minnehaha }

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On this 11th day of June, 2015, before me personally came Paul T. Bruflat, to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that he resides in the City of Sioux Falls, State of South Dakota; that he is the Vice President of WESTERN SURETY COMPANY described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to the said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed pursuant to authority given by the Board of Directors of said corporation and that he signed his name thereto pursuant to like authority, and acknowledges same to be the act and deed of said corporation.

My commission expires

February 12, 2021



S. Eich, Notary Public

CERTIFICATE

I, L. Nelson, Assistant Secretary of WESTERN SURETY COMPANY do hereby certify that the Power of Attorney hereinabove set forth is still in force, and further certify that the By-Law of the corporation printed on the reverse hereof is still in force. In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the said corporation this 21st day of March, 2016.



WESTERN SURETY COMPANY

L. Nelson, Assistant Secretary

Authorizing By-Law

ADOPTED BY THE SHAREHOLDERS OF WESTERN SURETY COMPANY

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following By-Law duly adopted by the shareholders of the Company.

Section 7. All bonds, policies, undertakings, Powers of Attorney, or other obligations of the corporation shall be executed in the corporate name of the Company by the President, Secretary, and Assistant Secretary, Treasurer, or any Vice President, or by such other officers as the Board of Directors may authorize. The President, any Vice President, Secretary, any Assistant Secretary, or the Treasurer may appoint Attorneys in Fact or agents who shall have authority to issue bonds, policies, or undertakings in the name of the Company. The corporate seal is not necessary for the validity of any bonds, policies, undertakings, Powers of Attorney or other obligations of the corporation. The signature of any such officer and the corporate seal may be printed by facsimile.

