

TO: JEFFERSON PARISH
PURCHASING DEPT
200 DERBIGNY ST. SUITE 4400
GRETNA, LA 70053
(Owner to provide name and address of owner)

BID FOR: LABOR, MATERIALS & EQUIPMENT NECESSARY
TO REPLACE THREE (3) RESTROOM ROOFS
LOCATED AT LAFRENIERE PARK
(Owner to provide name of project and
other identifying information)

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: Jefferson Parish Purchasing Department and dated: 6/12/2024
(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)

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:

One hundred forty-five thousand two hundred eighty-five Dollars (\$) 145,285.00

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:
Dollars (\$) _____

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

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

NAME OF BIDDER: B&J ENTERPRISE OF METAIRIE, INC

ADDRESS OF BIDDER: 905 RUE ST. MICHAEL HAMMOND, LA 70403

LOUISIANA CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE NUMBER: 66093

NAME OF AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY OF BIDDER: JASON ARCHAMBAULT

TITLE OF AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY OF BIDDER: AGENT

SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY OF BIDDER **: [Handwritten Signature]

DATE: 7/8/2024

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. 38:2218 (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) is attached to and made a part of this bid.

**LOUISIANA UNIFORM PUBLIC WORK BID FORM
UNIT PRICE FORM**

Bid# 50-00145561

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(Owner to provide name and address of owner)

**LABOR, MATERIALS & EQUIPMENT NECESSARY
TO REPLACE THREE (3) RESTROOM ROOFS
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(Owner to provide name of project and other identifying information)

UNIT PRICES: This form shall be used for any and all work required by the Bidding Documents and described as unit prices. Amounts shall be stated in figures and only in figures.

DESCRIPTION: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid 0010-RESTROOM 1 BERRIDGE ZEE LOCK METAL RELATED METAL FLASHING; STANDARD INSTALLATION DETAILS; 24GA GALVALUME METAL MATERIALS; STANDARD COLOR SELECTIONS; 20 YEAR METAL MATERIAL & FINISH WARRANTY; 20 YEAR WATERTIGHTNESS WARRANTY; 2 YEAR WORKMANSHIP WARRANTY <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#__				
REF NO.	QUANTITY	UNIT OF MEASURE	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
1	1.00	EA	\$51,000.00	\$51,000.00

DESCRIPTION: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid 0020-RESTROOM 2 BERRIDGE ZEE LOCK METAL RELATED METAL FLASHING; STANDARD INSTALLATION DETAILS; 24GA GALVALUME METAL MATERIALS; STANDARD COLOR SELECTIONS; 20 YEAR METAL MATERIAL & FINISH WARRANTY; 20 YEAR WATERTIGHTNESS WARRANTY; 2 YEAR WORKMANSHIP WARRANTY <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#__				
REF NO.	QUANTITY	UNIT OF MEASURE	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
1	1.00	EA	\$60,285.00	\$60,285.00

DESCRIPTION: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid 0030-RESTROOM 4 BERRIDGE ZEE LOCK METAL RELATED METAL FLASHING; STANDARD INSTALLATION DETAILS; 24GA GALVALUME METAL MATERIALS; STANDARD COLOR SELECTIONS; 20 YEAR METAL MATERIAL & FINISH WARRANTY; 20 YEAR WATERTIGHTNESS WARRANTY; 2 YEAR WORKMANSHIP WARRANTY <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#__				
REF NO.	QUANTITY	UNIT OF MEASURE	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
1	1.00	EA	\$34,000.00	\$34,000.00

DESCRIPTION: <input type="checkbox"/> Base Bid <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#__				
REF NO.	QUANTITY	UNIT OF MEASURE	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)

DESCRIPTION: <input type="checkbox"/> Base Bid <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#__				
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DESCRIPTION: <input type="checkbox"/> Base Bid <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#__				
REF NO.	QUANTITY	UNIT OF MEASURE	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)

Wording for "DESCRIPTION" is to be provided by the Owner.
All quantities are estimated. The contractor will be paid based upon actual quantities as verified by the Owner.

CORPORATE RESOLUTION
(OR SUBSTITUTE YOUR ENTITY'S LEGAL EQUIVALENT)

EXCERPT FROM MINUTES OF MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF
B&J ENTERPRISE OF METAIRIE, INCORPORATED.

AT THE MEETING OF THE DIRECTORS OF B&J ENTERPRISE OF METAIRIE,
INCORPORATED, DULY NOTICED AND HELD ON MARCH 20, 2023, A
QUORUM BEING PRESENT, ON MOTION DULY MADE AND SECONDED. IT WAS:

RESOLVED. THAT JASON ARCHAMBAULT, BE AND IS HEREBY APPOINTED,
CONSTITUTED AND DESIGNATED AS AGENT AND ATTORNEY-IN-FACT OF THE
CORPORATION WITH FULL POWER AND AUTHORITY TO ACT ON BEHALF OF THIS
CORPORATION IN ALL NEGOTIATIONS, BIDDING, CONCERNS AND TRANSACTIONS
WITH THE CITY OF KENNER OR ANY OF ITS AGENCIES, DEPARTMENTS, EMPLOYEES
OR AGENTS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE EXECUTION OF ALL BIDS,
PAPERS, DOCUMENTS, AFFIDAVITS, BONDS, SURETIES, CONTRACTS AND ACTS AND
TO RECEIVE AND RECEIPT THEREFOR ALL PURCHASE ORDERS AND NOTICES ISSUED
PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF ANY SUCH BID OR CONTRACT, THIS
CORPORATION HEREBY RATIFYING, APPROVING, CONFIRMING AND ACCEPTING
EACH AND EVERY SUCH ACT PERFORMED BY SAID AGENT AND ATTORNEY-IN-FACT.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THE FOREGOING TO
BE A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF AN
EXCERPT OF THE MINUTES OF THE
ABOVE DATED MEETING OF THE BOARD
OF DIRECTORS OF SAID CORPORATION,
AND THE SAME HAS NOT BEEN
REVOKED OR RESCINDED.

Jerome Brown

SECRETARY-TREASURER

JEROME BROWN

DATE: 3/20/2023

Public Works Bid

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH/COUNTY OF JEFFERSON

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally came and appeared: _____

JASON ARCHAMBAULT, (Affiant) who after being by me duly sworn, deposed and said that

he/she is the fully authorized AGENT of B&J ENTERPRISE OF METAIRIE, INC (Entity),

the party who submitted a bid in response to Bid Number 50-00145561, to the Parish of Jefferson.

Affiant further said:

Campaign Contribution Disclosures

(Choose A or B, if option A is indicated please include the required attachment):

Choice A _____ Attached hereto is a list of all campaign contributions, including the date and amount of each contribution, made to current or former elected officials of the Parish of Jefferson by Entity, Affiant, and/or officers, directors and owners, including employees, owning 25% or more of the Entity during the two-year period immediately preceding the date of this affidavit or the current term of the elected official, whichever is greater. Further, Entity, Affiant, and/or Entity Owners have not made any contributions to or in support of current or former members of the Jefferson Parish Council or the Jefferson Parish President through or in the name of another person or legal entity, either directly or indirectly.

Choice B X there are **NO** campaign contributions made which would require disclosure under Choice A of this section.

Affiant further said:

Debt Disclosures

(Choose A or B, if option A is indicated please include the required attachment):

Choice A _____ Attached hereto is a list of all debts owed by the affiant to any elected or appointed official of the Parish of Jefferson, and any and all debts owed by any elected or appointed official of the parish to the Affiant.

Choice B There are **NO** debts which would require disclosure under Choice A of this section.

Affiant further said:

That Affiant has employed no person, corporation, firm, association, or other organization, either directly or indirectly, to secure the 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 Affiant; and

That no part of the contract price received by Affiant 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 Affiant.

Affiant further said:

Affiant personally has not been convicted of, nor has he/she entered into a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to any of the crimes or equivalent federal crimes listed below. No individual partner, incorporator, director, manager, officer, organizer, or member, who has a minimum of a ten percent ownership in the Bidding Entity, has been convicted of, or has entered a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to any of the crimes or equivalent federal crimes listed below. A conviction of or plea of guilty or nolo contendere to the following state crimes or equivalent federal crimes shall permanently bar any person or the bidding entity from bidding on public projects:

- (a) Public bribery (R.S. 14:118)
- (b) Corrupt influencing (R.S. 14:120)
- (c) Extortion (R.S. 14:66)
- (d) Money laundering (R.S. 14:230)

A conviction of or plea of guilty or nolo contendere to the following state crimes or equivalent federal crimes shall bar any person or the bidding entity from bidding on public projects for a period of five years from the date of conviction or from the date of the entrance of the plea of guilty or nolo contendere:

- (a) Theft (R.S. 14:67)
- (b) Identity Theft (R.S. 14:67, 16)
- (c) Theft of a business record (R.S. 14:67.20)
- (d) False accounting (R.S. 14:70)
- (e) Issuing worthless checks (R.S. 14:71)
- (f) Bank fraud (R.S. 14:71.1)
- (g) Forgery (R.S. 14:72)
- (h) Contractors; misapplication of payments (R.S. 14:202)
- (i) Malfeasance in office (R.S. 14:134)

The five-year prohibition provided for in this section shall apply only if the crime was committed during the solicitation or execution of a contract or bid awarded pursuant to these provisions. If evidence is submitted substantiating that a false attestation has been made and the project must be readvertised or the contract cancelled, the awarded entity making the false attestation shall be responsible to the public entity for the costs of rebidding, additional costs due to increased costs of bids and any and all delay costs due to the rebid or cancellation of this project.

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Affiant further said:

- (1) Entity is registered and participates in a status verification system to verify that all employees in the State of Louisiana are legal citizens of the United States or are legal aliens.
- (2) Entity shall continue, during the term of the contract, to utilize a status verification system to verify the legal status of all new employees in the State of Louisiana.
- (3) Entity shall require all subcontractors to submit to the Entity a sworn affidavit verifying compliance with statements (1) and (2).

Jason Archambault
Signature of Affiant

Jason Archambault
Printed Name of Affiant

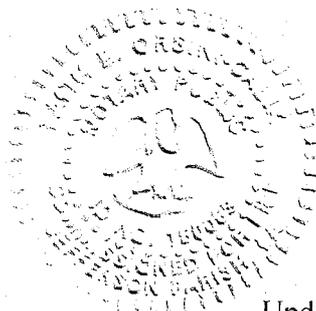
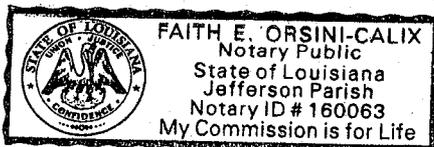
SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED TO BEFORE ME
ON THE 5 DAY OF JULY, 2024.

Faith E. Orsini-Calix
Notary Public

FAITH E. ORSINI-CALIX
Printed Name of Notary

160063
Notary/Bar Roll Number

My commission expires for life.



**Insurance Declaration Affidavit
Automotive**

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH/COUNTY OF JEFFERSON

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally came and appeared, JASON ARCHAMBAULT, (Affiant) who after being duly sworn, deposed and said that he/she is the fully authorized AGENT of B&J ENTERPRISE OF METAIRE, INC. (Entity), the party who submitted a Proposal/Contract/Bid/RFP/SOQ No. 50-00145561, to Jefferson Parish.

Affiant further said:

- (1) That entity does not own automobiles or use automobiles in the furtherance of the services provided under the contract.
- (2) That if the entity obtains automobiles or begins to use automobiles in the furtherance of the services provided under the contract, affiant will notify Jefferson Parish and obtain the proper coverage.



Signature of Affiant

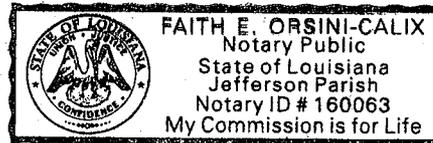
Jason Archambault

Printed Name of Affiant

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED TO BEFORE ME

ON THE 5 DAY OF JULY, 2024.

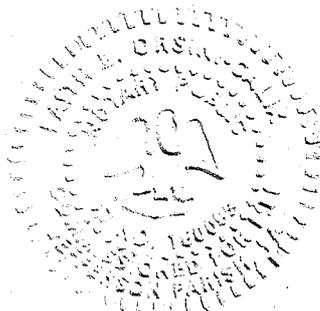

Notary Public



FAITH E. ORSINI-CALIX
Printed Name of Notary

160063
Notary/Bar Roll Number

My commission expires for life



State of Louisiana



State Licensing Board for Contractors

This is to Certify that:

B & J ENTERPRISE OF METAIRIE, INC
905 Rue Saint Michael
Hammond, LA 70403

is duly licensed and entitled to practice the following classifications

SPECIALTY: ROOFING AND SHEET METAL, SIDING



Expiration Date: December 21, 2025

License No: 66093

Witness our hand and seal of the Board dated,
Baton Rouge, LA 22nd day of December 2022

W. S. MacP
Director

See [Signature]
Chairman

This License Is Not Transferrable

[Signature]
Treasurer



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

3/7/2024

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must have ADDITIONAL INSURED provisions or be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER Houchens Insurance Group 109 International Drive, Suite 101 Franklin, TN 37067	CONTACT NAME: Theresa Payne, CISR, CRIS, TRIP, MLIS, QPIS, PCIA PHONE (A/C, No, Ext): (270) 781-2084 4429 FAX (A/C, No): (270) 843-8808 E-MAIL ADDRESS: tpayne@higusa.com
	INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE
INSURED B & J Enterprise Of Metairie, Inc. 905 Rue St. Michael St Hammond, LA 70403	INSURER A : Obsidian Specialty Insurance Company NAIC # 16871
	INSURER B : Silver Oak Casualty, Inc. 26869
	INSURER C :
	INSURER D :
	INSURER E :
	INSURER F :

COVERAGES **CERTIFICATE NUMBER:** **REVISION NUMBER:**

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

INSR LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDL INSD	SUBR WVD	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMITS
A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OCCUR GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER: <input type="checkbox"/> POLICY <input type="checkbox"/> PRO-JECT <input type="checkbox"/> LOC OTHER:			SCBGL000044885	2/19/2024	2/19/2025	EACH OCCURRENCE \$ 1,000,000
							DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (Ea occurrence) \$ 50,000
							MED EXP (Any one person) \$ 5,000
							PERSONAL & ADV INJURY \$ 1,000,000
	AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> ANY AUTO OWNED AUTOS ONLY <input type="checkbox"/> SCHEDULED AUTOS <input type="checkbox"/> HIRED AUTOS ONLY <input type="checkbox"/> NON-OWNED AUTOS ONLY						COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident) \$
							BODILY INJURY (Per person) \$
							BODILY INJURY (Per accident) \$
							PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident) \$
	UMBRELLA LIAB <input type="checkbox"/> OCCUR EXCESS LIAB <input type="checkbox"/> CLAIMS-MADE DED <input type="checkbox"/> RETENTION \$						EACH OCCURRENCE \$
							AGGREGATE \$
							\$
B	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory in NH) <input type="checkbox"/> Y / N <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N / A If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below			SVWCLA3197332023	7/29/2023	7/29/2024	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PER STATUTE <input type="checkbox"/> OTH-ER
							E.L. EACH ACCIDENT \$ 1,000,000
							E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE \$ 1,000,000
							E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT \$ 1,000,000

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)

CERTIFICATE HOLDER Evidence of Insurance for Insured B & J Enterprise Of Metairie, Inc. 905 Rue St. Michael St Hammond, LA 70403	CANCELLATION SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS.
	AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE 

Bid Bond in Accordance with Contract Specifications

Be sure to refer to the actual bond documents referenced in the contract specifications for specific terms before completing this form.

PRINCIPAL NAME B&J Enterprise of Metairie Inc.	PRINCIPAL ADDRESS 905 Rue St Michael, Hammond, LA 70403
SURETY NAME Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company	SURETY ADDRESS 1100 Locust Street, Dept 2006, Des Moines, IA 50391
OBLIGEE NAME Jefferson Parish	OBLIGEE ADDRESS 200 Derbigny Street, Gretna, LA 70053

Bond Information

BID DATE 07/09/2024	CONTRACT ID 50-00145561	CONTRACT VENDOR ID 19096
PROJECT DESCRIPTION LABOR, MATERIALS & EQUIPMENT NECESSARY TO REPLACE THREE (3) RESTROOM ROOFS LOCATED AT LAFRENIERE PARK		
AMOUNT OF BID SECURITY 5%	AMOUNT OF BID SECURITY-SPELLED OUT Five Percent of Amount Bid	
BOND ENTERED AND EXECUTED BY Steven M. Baas		ATTORNEY-IN-FACT SIGNATURE <i>Steven M. Baas</i>

Know all men by these presents that Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company, a Corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Ohio, are held and firmly bound unto the above owner/obligee by the transmission. The surety agrees to waive the statute of fraud defense and further agrees that the owner/obligee is a third party beneficiary of the waiver for the purposes of enforcing this bid bond.



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:

Steven M. Baas

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 \$25000000.00

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.

[Handwritten signature of Antonio C. Albanese]

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.



Sharon Laburda
Notary Public, State of New York
No. 01LA6427697
Qualified in Kings County
Commission Expires January 3, 2026

[Handwritten signature of Sharon Laburda]

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 07/08/2024

[Handwritten signature of Lezlie F. Chimienti]
Assistant Secretary





**Designation of Construction Contractor
as Agent of a Governmental Entity
Sales Tax Exemption Certificate**

_____, an agency of the United States government, or an agency, board, commission, or instrumentality of the State of Louisiana or its political subdivisions, including parishes, municipalities and school boards, does hereby designate the following contractor as its agent for the purpose of making sales tax exempt purchases on behalf of the governmental body:

Name of Contractor		
Address		
City	State	ZIP

This designation of agency shall be effective for purchases of component construction materials, taxable services and leases and rentals of tangible personal property for the following named construction project:

Construction Project	Contract Number
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This designation and acceptance of agency is effective for the period

Beginning Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	End Date (mm/dd/yyyy)
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Purchases for the named project during this period by the designated contractor shall be considered as the legal equivalent of purchases directly by the governmental body. Any materials purchased by this agent shall immediately, upon the vendor's delivery to the agent, become the property of this government entity. This government entity, as principal, assumes direct liability to the vendor for the payment of any property, services, leases, or rentals made by this designated agent. This agreement does not void or supersede the obligations of any party created under any construction contract related to this project, including specifically any contractual obligation of the construction contractor to submit payment to the vendors of materials or services for the project.

This contractor-agent is not authorized to delegate this purchasing agency to others; separate designations of agency by this governmental entity are required for each contractor or sub-contractor who is to purchase on behalf of this governmental entity. The undersigned hereby certify that this designation is the entirety of the agency designation agreement between them. In order for a purchase for an eligible governmental entity through a designated agent to be eligible for sales tax exemption, the designation of agency must be made, accepted, and disclosed to the vendor before or at the time of the purchase transaction.

Designation of Agency		
Signature of Authorized Designator	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	
Name of Authorized Designator		
Name of Governmental Entity		
Address		
City	State	ZIP

Acceptance of Agency		
Signature of Contractor or Subcontractor Authorized Acceptor	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	
Name of Contractor's or Subcontractor's Acceptor		
Name of Contractor		
Address		
City	State	ZIP

This designation of agency form, when properly executed by both the contractor and the governmental entity, shall serve as evidence of the sales tax exempt status that has been conferred onto the contractor. No other exemption certificate form is necessary to claim exemption from sales taxes. The agency agreement evidenced by this sales tax exemption certificate must be implemented at the time of contract execution with the governmental entity. The contract between the governmental entity and his agent must contain provisions to authenticate the conferment of agency.