


# 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.

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| <b>PRINCIPAL NAME</b><br><br>Otwell Services, LLC                    | <b>PRINCIPAL ADDRESS</b><br><br>10387 River Road, Ama, LA 70031     |
| <b>SURETY NAME</b><br><br>American Alternative Insurance Corporation | <b>SURETY ADDRESS</b><br><br>437 Madison Ave, New York, NY 10022    |
| <b>OBLIGEE NAME</b><br><br>Jefferson Parish                          | <b>OBLIGEE ADDRESS</b><br><br>200 Derbigny Street, Gretna, LA 70053 |

## Bond Information

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| <b>BID DATE</b><br><br>08/20/2024  | <b>CONTRACT ID</b><br><br>50-00145408   | <b>CONTRACT VENDOR ID</b><br><br>336150  |
| <b>PROJECT DESCRIPTION</b><br>Two Year Contract for Truck Rental Including Operator and Fuel for the Jefferson Parish Department of Public Works |   |  |
| <b>AMOUNT OF BID SECURITY</b><br><br>5%  | <b>AMOUNT OF BID SECURITY-SPELLED OUT</b><br>Five Percent of Total Amount Bid |  |
| <b>BOND ENTERED AND EXECUTED BY</b><br><br>Meghann C. Turner   |   | <b>ATTORNEY-IN-FACT SIGNATURE</b><br> |

Know all men by these presents that American Alternative Insurance Corporation, a Corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, 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.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That the AMERICAN ALTERNATIVE INSURANCE CORPORATION, a corporation organized and existing by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware ("Corporation") with offices at 555 College Road East, Princeton, N.J. 08543, has made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents, does make, constitute and appoint:

**Meghann C. Turner**

its true and lawful Attorneys-in-Fact, at Princeton, in the State of New Jersey, each of them alone to have full power to act without the other or others, to make, execute and deliver on its behalf, as Surety or Co-surety, bonds and undertakings given for any and all purposes, also to execute and deliver on its behalf as aforesaid renewals, extensions, agreements, waivers, consents or stipulations relating to such bonds or undertakings provided, however, that no single bond or undertaking so made, executed and delivered shall obligate said Company for any portion of the penal sum thereof in excess of the sum of **One Hundred Million Dollars (\$100,000,000)**.

Such bonds and undertakings for said purposes, when duly executed by said Attorney(s)-in-Fact, shall be binding upon said Company as fully and to the same extent as if signed by the President of said Company under its corporate seal attested by its Secretary.

This appointment is made under and by authority of a certain Resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board of Directors of said Company duly held on the 27th day of August, 1975, a copy of which appears below.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the AMERICAN ALTERNATIVE INSURANCE CORPORATION has caused its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, and these presents to be signed by its duly authorized officers this 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2021.



By:

*Michael G. Kerner*  
Michael G. Kerner  
President

Attest:

*Ignacio Rivera*  
Ignacio Rivera  
Deputy General Counsel & Secretary

#### STATE OF NEW JERSEY, COUNTY OF SOMERSET

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me by means of online notarization this 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2021, by Michael G. Kerner and Ignacio Rivera, who are personally known to me.



*Jillian Sanfilippo*  
Jillian Sanfilippo, Notary Public  
State of New Jersey  
My Commission Expires February 8, 2026

#### SECRETARY'S CERTIFICATE

The undersigned, Ignacio Rivera, hereby certifies:

1. That the undersigned is Secretary of American Alternative Insurance Corporation, a corporation of the State of Delaware;
2. That the original power of attorney of which the foregoing is a copy was duly executed on behalf of said Corporation on the day of its date, and has not since been revoked, amended or modified; that the undersigned has compared the foregoing copy thereof with said original power of attorney, and that the same is a true and correct copy of said original power of attorney and of the whole thereof;
3. That the original resolution of which the following is a copy was duly adopted at, and recorded in the minutes of, a regular meeting of the Board of Directors of said Corporation duly held on August 4, 1998, and has not since been revoked, amended or modified.

RESOLVED, that each of the following officers of this Corporation, namely, the President, the Executive Vice President, the Senior Vice Presidents, and the Vice Presidents, be, and they hereby are, authorized, from time to time in their discretion, to appoint such agent or agents or attorney or attorneys-in-fact as deemed by them necessary or desirable for the purpose of carrying on this Corporation's business, and to empower such agent or agents or attorney or attorneys-in-fact to execute and deliver, in this Corporation's name and on its behalf, and under its seal or otherwise, surety bonds, surety undertakings or surety contracts made by this Corporation as surety thereon.

RESOLVED, that the signature of any authorized officer of the Corporation and the Corporation's seal may be affixed by facsimile to any power of attorney and revocation of any power of attorney or certificate of either given for the execution of any surety bond, surety undertaking, or surety contract, such signature and seal, when so used being hereby adopted by the Corporation as the original signature of such officer and the original seal of the Corporation, to be valid and binding upon the Corporation with the same force and effect as though manually affixed.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that any prior appointments by the Corporation of MGAs are, in all respects, hereby ratified, confirmed and approved.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Secretary or any Assistant Secretary of this Corporation is hereby authorized to certify and deliver to any person to whom such certification and delivery may be deemed necessary and desirable in the opinion of such Secretary or Assistant Secretary, a true copy of the foregoing resolution.

4. The undersigned has compared the foregoing copies of said original resolutions as so recorded, and they are the same true and correct copies of said original resolutions as so recorded and of the whole thereof.

Witness the hand of the undersigned and the seal of said Corporation this **08/05/2024**.



AMERICAN ALTERNATIVE INSURANCE CORPORATION

*Ignacio Rivera*  
Ignacio Rivera (Sep 24, 2021 16:06 EDT)

Ignacio Rivera  
Deputy General Counsel & Secretary

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