

SECTION 00300

LOUISIANA UNIFORM PUBLIC WORK BID FORM

TO: West Baton Rouge Parish Government
P. O. Box 757
Port Allen, LA 70767
(Owner to provide name and address of owner)

BID FOR: Sid Richardson Road Extension
PEC Project No. 11142.05
(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: Professional Engineering Consultants Corp. and dated: September 2017
(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) Addendum No. 1 dated November 2, 2017.

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: Two Million Fifty-Five Thousand Four Hundred Two Dollars and Fifty Cents Dollars (\$ 2,055,402.50)

ALTERNATES: For 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:

Not Applicable Dollars (\$ N/A)

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

Not Applicable Dollars (\$ N/A)

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

Not Applicable Dollars (\$ N/A)

NAME OF BIDDER: Merrick, LLC

ADDRESS OF BIDDER: 1332 Front Street
Cottonport, LA 71327

LOUISIANA CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE NUMBER: 55505

NAME OF AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY OF BIDDER: Chad P. Juneau

TITLE OF AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY OF BIDDER: President

SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY OF BIDDER **: 

DATE: November 8, 2017

* 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.

** 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 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 RS 38:2218.A is attached to and made a part of this bid.

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P.O. BOX 757
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BID FOR: SID RICHARDSON ROAD EXTENSION

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.# — Clearing and Grubbing			
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
1	1	Lump Sum	25,000.00
DESCRIPTION:			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.# — Removal of Structures and Obstructions			
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
2	1	Lump Sum	4,000.00
DESCRIPTION:			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.# — General Excavation (To Be Removed Offsite) (6" Stripping); Net Section			
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
3	2,400	Cubic Yard	18,120.00
DESCRIPTION:			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.# — Drainage Excavation (New Side Ditches and Extend Existing Cross Ditches)			
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
4	1	Lump Sum	65,000.00
DESCRIPTION:			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.# — Muck Excavation (Existing Cross Ditches)			
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
5	1	Lump Sum	15,000.00
DESCRIPTION:			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.# — Embankment or Borrow (Under Shoulders and Ditch Fore Slopes)			
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
6	1	Lump Sum	55,000.00
DESCRIPTION:			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.# — Select Fill Under Roadway (Vehicular Measurement)			
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
7	8,000	Cubic Yard	104,000.00

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DESCRIPTION:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt # — Geotextile Fabric (For Class II Base Course)						
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)			
8	11,500	Square Yard	0.90	10,350.00			

DESCRIPTION:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt # — Temporary Sediment Check Dams (Hay)					
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)		
9	8	Each	120.00	960.00		

DESCRIPTION:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt # — Temporary Sediment Check Dams (Stone)					
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)		
10	6	Each	500.00	3,000.00		

DESCRIPTION:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt # — Temporary Silt Fencing					
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)		
11	7,500	Linear Foot	1.60	12,000.00		

DESCRIPTION:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt # — Class II Base Course, 12" Thick (Crushed Stone)					
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)		
12	10,350	Square Yard	24.00	248,400.00		

DESCRIPTION:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt # — Lime (For Working Table)					
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)		
13	240	Ton	220.00	52,800.00		

DESCRIPTION:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt # — Lime Treatment (Type D), 12" Thick (For Working Table)					
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)		
14	14,550	Square Yard	1.30	18,915.00		

DESCRIPTION:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt # — Aggregate Surface Course (Truck Volume) (For Roadway Shoulders)					
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)		
15	900	Cubic Yard	75.00	67,500.00		

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DESCRIPTION:		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt. #	Aggregate Surface Course (Truck Volume) (For Driveways)		
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)	
16	100	Cubic Yard	110.00	11,000.00	
DESCRIPTION:		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt. #	Superpave Asphaltic Concrete, Level 2 Wearing Course, (2" Thick) (0.75" Nominal Aggregate Size)		
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)	
17	1,130	Ton	80.00	90,400.00	
DESCRIPTION:		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt. #	Superpave Asphaltic Concrete, Level 2 Binder Course, (3" Thick) (0.75" Nominal Aggregate Size)		
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)	
18	1,700	Ton	74.00	125,800.00	
DESCRIPTION:		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt. #	Cross Drain Pipe (24" Equivalent RCPA)		
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)	
19	120	Linear Feet	80.00	9,600.00	
DESCRIPTION:		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt. #	Cross Drain Pipe (30" Equivalent RCPA)		
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)	
20	134	Linear Feet	90.00	12,060.00	
DESCRIPTION:		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt. #	Cross Drain Pipe (48" RCP)		
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)	
21	126	Linear Feet	145.00	18,270.00	
DESCRIPTION:		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt. #	Cross Drain Pipe (72" RCP)		
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)	
22	0	Linear Feet	350.00	0.00	
DESCRIPTION:		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt. #	Side Drain Pipe (18" RCP)		
REF. NO.	QUANTITY:	UNIT OF MEASURE:	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)	
23	50	Linear Feet	55.00	2,750.00	

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DESCRIPTION: REF. NO.	■ Base Bid or □ Alt.#	Side Drain Pipe (18" CMP)	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
24	QUANTITY: 152	Linear Feet	70.00	10,640.00

DESCRIPTION: REF. NO.	■ Base Bid or □ Alt.#	Field and Line Fence	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
25	QUANTITY: 4,300	Linear Feet	7.00	30,100.00

DESCRIPTION: REF. NO.	■ Base Bid or □ Alt.#	Incidental Concrete Paving (6" Thick) (For Pipeline Crossing at Ditch)	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
26	QUANTITY: 300	Square Yard	50.00	15,000.00

DESCRIPTION: REF. NO.	■ Base Bid or □ Alt.#	Right-of-Way Monument	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
27	QUANTITY: 12	Each	160.00	1,920.00

DESCRIPTION: REF. NO.	■ Base Bid or □ Alt.#	Rip Rap (Class 30)	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
28	QUANTITY: 1,260	Cubic Yard	80.00	100,800.00

DESCRIPTION: REF. NO.	■ Base Bid or □ Alt.#	Geotextile Fabric (For Class II Base Course, Cross Drain Bedding and Rip Rap)	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
29	QUANTITY: 2,000	Square Yard	0.90	1,800.00

DESCRIPTION: REF. NO.	■ Base Bid or □ Alt.#	Temporary Signs and Barricades	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
30	QUANTITY: 1	Lump Sum	6,500.00	6,500.00

DESCRIPTION: REF. NO.	■ Base Bid or □ Alt.#	Bedding Material For Drainage Structures; Truck Volume	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
31	QUANTITY: 1,650	Cubic Yard	75.00	123,750.00

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DESCRIPTION:	■ Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#	■ Mobilization	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
REF. NO. 32	QUANTITY: 1	Lump Sum	100,000.00	100,000.00

DESCRIPTION:	■ Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#	■ Sign (Type A)	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
REF. NO. 33	QUANTITY: 10	Each	200.00	2,000.00

DESCRIPTION:	■ Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#	■ U-Channel Post	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
REF. NO. 34	QUANTITY: 10	Each	90.00	900.00

DESCRIPTION:	■ Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#	■ Object Marker Assembly (Type 3)	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
REF. NO. 35	QUANTITY: 16	Each	100.00	1,600.00

DESCRIPTION:	■ Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#	■ ReflectORIZED Raised Pavement Markers	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
REF. NO. 36	QUANTITY: 190	Each	5.50	1,045.00

DESCRIPTION:	■ Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#	■ Plastic Pavement Striping (Solid Line) (4" Width)	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
REF. NO. 37	QUANTITY: 14,800	L.F.	0.80	11,840.00

DESCRIPTION:	■ Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#	■ Plastic Pavement Striping (Solid Line) (24" Width)	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
REF. NO. 38	QUANTITY: 50	L.F.	5.75	287.50

DESCRIPTION:	■ Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#	■ Plastic Pavement Legends and Symbols (Railroad)	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
REF. NO. 39	QUANTITY: 1	Each	1,100.00	1,100.00

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DESCRIPTION:	■ Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#	— Rumble Strip	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
REF. NO. 40	QUANTITY: 3,700	Linear Feet	1.25	4,625.00

DESCRIPTION:	■ Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#	— Hydro-Seeding	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
REF. NO. 41	QUANTITY: 4	Acre	1,400.00	5,600.00

DESCRIPTION:	■ Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#	— Construction Layout	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
REF. NO. 42	QUANTITY: 1	Lump Sum	15,000.00	15,000.00

DESCRIPTION:	■ Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#	— Class A Concrete (For 3 - 8' x 8' Box Culvert) Headwall	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
REF. NO. 43	QUANTITY: 2	Each	60,000.00	120,000.00

DESCRIPTION:	■ Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#	— Class A Concrete (For 3 - 6' x 6' Box Culvert) Headwall	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
REF. NO. 44	QUANTITY: 2	Each	35,000.00	70,000.00

DESCRIPTION:	■ Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#	— Class A Concrete (For 2 - 48" RCP Cross Drain) Headwall	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
REF. NO. 45	QUANTITY: 2	Each	12,000.00	24,000.00

DESCRIPTION:	■ Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#	— Class A Concrete (For 1 - 72" RCP Cross Drain) Headwall	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
REF. NO. 46	QUANTITY: 2	Each	12,000.00	24,000.00

DESCRIPTION:	■ Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#	— Reinforced Concrete Box Culverts (8' x 8')	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
REF. NO. 47	QUANTITY: 470	Linear Foot	585.00	274,950.00

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DESCRIPTION: REF. NO.	■ Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#	■ Reinforced Concrete Box Culverts (6' x 6')	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
48	QUANTITY: 230	Linear Foot	425.00	97,750.00
DESCRIPTION: REF. NO.	■ Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#	■ Saw Cutting of Existing Asphalt Road	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
49	QUANTITY: 250	Linear Feet	9.00	2,250.00
DESCRIPTION: REF. NO.	■ Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#	■ Wood Matting Or Protective Aggregate Base Course	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
50	QUANTITY: 1,800	Square Yard	5.90	10,620.00
DESCRIPTION: REF. NO.	■ Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#	■ Rehandled Wood Matting	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
51	QUANTITY: 180	Square Yard	80.00	14,400.00
DESCRIPTION: REF. NO.	■ Base Bid or <input type="checkbox"/> Alt.#	■ Union Pacific Railroad Right of Entry Requirements	UNIT PRICE	UNIT PRICE EXTENSION (Quantity times Unit Price)
52	QUANTITY: 1	Lump Sum	13,000.00	13,000.00

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

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**SECTION 00410 –
BID BOND**

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that we, the undersigned, Merrick, LLC
as PRINCIPAL, and Hartford Fire Insurance Company as SURETY, are hereby held and firmly bound unto
West Baton Rouge Parish Government as OWNER in the penal sum of Five Percent of the
Bid Amount (5%) for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we hereby jointly and severally bind ourselves,
successors and assigns. Signed, this 8th day of November, 2017.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the PRINCIPAL has submitted to _____
West Baton Rouge Parish Government a certain BID, attached hereto and hereby made a part
hereof to enter into a CONTRACT in writing, for Sid Richardson Road Extension.

NOW, THEREFORE,

- (a) If said BID shall be rejected, or
- (b) If said BID shall be accepted and the PRINCIPAL shall execute and deliver a CONTRACT in the
FORM OF CONTRACT attachment hereto properly completed in accordance with said BID and shall
furnish a BOND for faithful performance of said CONTRACT, and for the payment of all persons
performing labor and furnishing materials in connection therewith, and shall in all other respects
perform the AGREEMENT created by the acceptance of said BID.

Then this obligation shall be void, otherwise the same shall remain in force and effect; it being expressly understood and
agreed that the liability of the SURETY for any and all claims hereunder shall, in no event, exceed the penal amount of
this obligation as herein stated.

The SURETY, for value received, hereby stipulates and agrees that the obligations of said SURETY and its BOND shall
be in no way impaired or affected by any extension of the time within which the OWNER may accept such BID; and said
SURETY does hereby waive notice of any such extension.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the PRINCIPAL and the SURETY have hereunto set their hands and seals, and such of them
as are corporations have caused their corporate seals to be hereto affixed and to be signed by their proper officers, the
day and year first set forth above.

Merrick, LLC

Principal

By:

Chad P. Juneau, President

Hartford Fire Insurance Company

Surety

By:

Cathy P. Grace
Cathy P. Grace, Attorney-in-Fact

Darwin Blackledge
Witness

Lan The
Witness

By:

Cathy P. Grace
Cathy P. Grace, LA Resident Agent

IMPORTANT - SURETY companies executing BONDS must appear on the U.S. Treasury Department's most current list
(Circular 570 as amended) and be authorized to transact business in the state where the project is located.

POWER OF ATTORNEY

Direct Inquiries/Claims to:

THE HARTFORD

BOND, T-12

One Hartford Plaza

Hartford, Connecticut 06155

Bond.Claims@thehartford.com

call: 888-266-3488 or fax: 860-757-5835

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS THAT:

Agency Name: C P GRACE & ASSOCIATES INC

Agency Code: 43-483896

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Hartford Fire Insurance Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Hartford Casualty Insurance Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Hartford Underwriters Insurance Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Twin City Fire Insurance Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Hartford Insurance Company of Illinois, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Illinois |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Hartford Insurance Company of the Midwest, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Hartford Insurance Company of the Southeast, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Florida |

having their home office in Hartford, Connecticut, (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Companies") do hereby make, constitute and appoint, **up to the amount of** Unlimited :

Cathy P. Grace of BATON ROUGE, Louisiana

their true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, each in their separate capacity if more than one is named above, to sign its name as surety(ies) only as delineated above by ☒, and to execute, seal and acknowledge any and all bonds, undertakings, contracts and other written instruments 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, and as authorized by a Resolution of the Board of Directors of the Companies on May 6, 2015 the Companies have caused these presents to be signed by its Senior Vice President and its corporate seals to be hereto affixed, duly attested by its Assistant Secretary. Further, pursuant to Resolution of the Board of Directors of the Companies, the Companies hereby unambiguously affirm that they are and will be bound by any mechanically applied signatures applied to this Power of Attorney.



John Gray, Assistant Secretary

M. Ross Fisher, Senior Vice President

STATE OF CONNECTICUT

ss. Hartford

COUNTY OF HARTFORD

On this 11th day of January, 2016, before me personally came M. Ross Fisher, to me known, who being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that he resides in the County of Hartford, State of Connecticut; that he is the Senior Vice President of the Companies, the corporations described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seals of the said corporations; that the seals affixed to the said instrument are such corporate seals; that they were so affixed by authority of the Boards of Directors of said corporations and that he signed his name thereto by like authority.



CERTIFICATE

Nora M. Stranko

Notary Public

My Commission Expires March 31, 2018

I, the undersigned, Assistant Vice President of the Companies, 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 still in full force effective as of November 8, 2017

Signed and sealed at the City of Hartford.



Kevin Heckman, Assistant Vice President

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**SECTION 00420 -
CORPORATE RESOLUTION**

EXCERPT FROM MINUTES OF MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF _
Merrick, LLC _____, INCORPORATED.

AT THE MEETING OF DIRECTORS OF Merick, LLC _____,
INCORPORATED, DULY NOTICED AND HELD ON November 8 _____, 2017 _____,
A QUORUM BEING THERE PRESENT, ON MOTION DULY MADE AND
SECONDED. IT WAS:

RESOLVED THAT Chad P. Juneau _____, 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 West Baton
Rouge Parish Government _____, THE GOVERNING AUTHORITY OF THE West
Baton Rouge Parish Government 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
THEREFORE ALL PURCHASE ORDERS AND NOTICES ISSUED PURSUENT 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.



SECRETARY-TREASURER

Adriane Blackledge

November 8, 2017

DATE