# **New Masonry Perimeter Wall &**

# **New Iron Fencing and Gates**

for:

# Maintenance, Operations, Facilities & Transportation

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Project Number 22244.00-73-MD

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#### **NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

1. Notice is hereby given that the governing board ("Board") of the Bakersfield City School District ("District") will receive sealed bids for the following project:

Project No. 22244.00-73-MD: Installation of concrete masonry walls, iron fencing and operable access gates at the perimeter of the District's Maintenance and Transportation yard.

2. The Project consists of the following:

Bid Package 1 – Demo of existing perimeter fencing, excavation for new concrete footings and installation of new concrete masonry walls. Bid Package 2 – New iron fencing and new electrically operated iron access gates.

This project is anticipated to start on approximately March 27, 2023 and is anticipated to have a duration of ninety-five (95) calendar days for completion. Complete on or before June 30, 2023.

- 3. To bid on this Project. Bidders are required to possess a valid State of California contractors' license(s) for the following bid packages:
  - Bid Package 1; A or B
  - Bid Package 2; C-23

The Bidder's license(s) must remain active and in good standing throughout the term of the Contract.

- 4. To bid on this Project, the Bidder is required to be registered as a public works contractor with the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to the Labor Code.
- 5. Contract Documents will be available on or after December 28, 2022, for review at the District Facilities Office, and may be downloaded from the District's website link. <u>http://mot.bcsd.com/Construction%20Consultants/MOT%20Yard%20-</u> <u>%20Perimeter%20Wall%20and%20Iron%20Fencing/</u>

In addition, Contract Documents are available for bidders' review at the following builders' exchanges:

- A. Builder's Exchange of Kern County 661-324-4921
- B. Tulare-Kings Counties Builders Exchange, Inc. 559-732-4568
- C. Central Coast Builders Association, 831-758-1624
- D. Construction Bidboard (eBidboard) 800-479-5314

It is the responsibility of the bidding contractor to secure all construction documents and print as they deem necessary. The cost of printing for all documents to be paid for by bidder.

6. Sealed bids will be received until 10:00 a.m., January 26, 2023, at the District Facilities Office, 1501 Feliz Drive, Bakersfield, California 93307 at or after which time the bids will be opened and publicly read aloud. Any bid that is submitted after this time shall be nonresponsive and returned to the bidder. Any claim by a bidder of error in its bid must be made in compliance with section 5100 et seq. of the Public Contract Code.

- 7. All bids shall be on the form provided by the District. Each bid must conform and be responsive to all pertinent Contract Documents, including, but not limited to, the Instructions to Bidders.
- 8. A bid bond by an admitted surety insurer on the form provided by the District a cashier's check or a certified check, drawn to the order of the Bakersfield City School District, in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the total bid price, shall accompany the Bid Form and Proposal, as a guarantee that the Bidder will, within seven (7) calendar days after the date of the Notice of Award, enter into a contract with the District for the performance of the services as stipulated in the bid.
- 9. A mandatory pre-bid conference and site visit will be held on January 5, 2023, at 10 a.m. at 1501 Feliz Drive, Bakersfield, CA. 93307. All participants are required to sign in front of the MOF Building. Failure to attend or tardiness will render bid ineligible.
- 10. The successful Bidder shall be required to furnish a 100% Performance Bond and a 100% Payment Bond if it is awarded the Contract for the Work.
- 11. The successful Bidder may substitute securities for any monies withheld by the District to ensure performance under the Contract, in accordance with the provisions of section 22300 of the Public Contract Code.
- 12. The Contractor and all Subcontractors under the Contractor shall pay all workers on all Work performed pursuant to this Contract not less than the general prevailing rate of per diem wages and the general prevailing rate for holiday and overtime work as determined by the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations, State of California, for the type of work performed and the locality in which the work is to be performed within the boundaries of the District, pursuant to section 1770 et seq. of the California Labor Code. Prevailing wage rates are also available from the District or on the Internet at: <a href="http://www.dir.ca.gov">http://www.dir.ca.gov</a>.
- 13. This Project is subject to labor compliance monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code section 1771.4 and subject to the requirements of Title 8 of the California Code of Regulations. The successful Bidder shall comply with all requirements of Division 2, Part 7, Chapter 1, Articles 1-5 of the Labor Code.
- 14. The District shall award the Contract, if it awards it at all, to the lowest responsive responsible bidder based on the base bid amount only for each bid package.
- 15. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids and/or waive any irregularity in any bid received. If the District awards the Contract, the security of unsuccessful bidder(s) shall be returned within sixty (60) days from the time the award is made. Unless otherwise required by law, no bidder may withdraw its bid for ninety (90) days after the date of the bid opening.
- 16. OWNER will retain 5% of the amount of any progress payments.
- 17. This Project <u>does not</u> require prequalification pursuant to AB 1565 of all general contractors.

### 02-INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

#### WARNING: READ THIS DOCUMENT CAREFULLY DO NOT ASSUME THAT IT IS THE SAME AS OTHER SIMILAR DOCUMENTS YOU MAY HAVE SEEN EVEN IF FROM THE SAME OWNER

# PROJECT TITLE/BID #: New Masonry Perimeter Wall & New Iron Fencing and Gates (Project #22244.00-73-MD)

#### **OWNER: Bakersfield City School District**

#### 1. <u>Preparation of Bid Form</u>.

The Owner invites bids on the form attached to be submitted at the time and place stated in the Notice to Contractors Calling for Bids. Bids shall be submitted on the prescribed Bid Form, completed in full. All bid items and statements shall be properly and legibly filled out. Numbers shall be stated both in words and in figures where so indicated, and where there is a conflict in the words and the figures, the words shall govern. The signatures of all persons shall be in longhand. Prices, wording, and notations must be in ink or typewritten.

#### 2. Form and Delivery of Bids.

The bid must conform to and be responsive to all Contract Documents and shall be made on the Bid Form provided. The complete bid, together with any additional materials required, shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope, addressed and hand-delivered or mailed to the Owner at the address set forth in the Notice to Contractors Calling for Bids, and must be received on or before the time set for the opening of bids. The envelope shall be plainly marked in the upper left-hand corner with the bidder's name, the project designation, and the date and time for the opening of bids. It is the bidder's sole responsibility to ensure that its bid is received prior to the bid deadline. In accordance with Government Code Section 53068, any bid received after the scheduled closing time for receipt of bids shall be returned to the bidder unopened.

At the time set for the opening of bids, the sealed bids will be opened and publicly read aloud at the place indicated in the Notice to Contractors Calling for Bids. However, if this project calls for prequalification of bidders pursuant to Public Contract Code Section 20111.5, only those sealed bids received from bidders who have been prequalified for at least one day prior to bid opening shall be opened and publicly read aloud.

#### 3. <u>Bid Security</u>.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a bid security in cash, a certified or cashier's check, or

bid bond in an amount not less than 10 percent of the total bid price payable to the Owner. The bid security shall be given as a guarantee that if awarded the contract the bidder will execute and return the Construction Agreement within 10 working days after award of the contract and will furnish on the prescribed forms a satisfactory Payment (labor and material) Bond and separate Performance Bond, in accordance with the Contract Documents and Civil Code Sections 9550 et seq., and certificates evidencing that the required insurance is in effect in the amounts set forth in the Contract Documents. In case of refusal or failure to timely execute the Construction Agreement and furnish the required bonds and insurance certificates, the bid security shall be forfeited to the Owner. If the bidder elects to furnish a bid bond as its bid security, the bidder shall use the bid bond form included in the Contract Documents, unless the Owner elects to waive the use of the form provided, in its sole discretion.

#### 4. <u>Signature</u>.

At the various times such documents are required to be submitted, the Bid Form, all bonds, the Designation of Subcontractors form, all Information Required of Bidder or pregualification forms, Workers Compensation Certificate, Drug-Free Workplace Certification, Non-Collusion Affidavit, Asbestos and Lead Based Paint Certification, Iran Contracting Act Certification, the Construction Agreement, and all Guarantees must be signed in the name of the bidder and must bear the signature of the person or persons duly authorized to sign these documents. Where indicated, if bidder is a corporation, the legal name of the corporation shall first be set forth, together with two signatures: one from among the chairman of the board, president, or vice president, and one from among the secretary, chief financial officer, or assistant treasurer. Alternatively, the signature of other authorized officers or agents may be affixed, if duly authorized by the corporation. Such documents shall include the title of such signatories below the signature and shall bear the corporate seal. Where indicated, if bidder is a joint venture or partnership, the bidder shall submit with the bid certifications signed by authorized officers of each of the parties to the joint venture or partnership, naming the individual (1) who shall be the agent of the joint venture or partnership, (2) who shall sign all necessary documents for the joint venture or partnership and, (3) should the joint venture or partnership be the successful bidder, who shall act in all matters relative to the resulting contract for the joint venture or partnership. If bidder is an individual, his/her signature shall be placed on such documents.

#### 5. Modifications.

Changes in or additions to any of the bid documents, the summary of the work bid upon, or the alternative proposals, or any other modifications which are not specifically called for by the Owner, may result in the Owner's rejection of the bid as not being responsive. No oral or telephonic modification of any bid will be considered. However, prior to the opening of bids, a telegraphic modification signed by the bidder and postmarked and received prior to the opening of bids, or a facsimile modification duly signed by the bidder received prior to the opening of bids, may be considered if included within a sealed bid.

#### 6. <u>Erasures, Inconsistent, or Illegible Bids</u>.

The bid submitted must not contain any erasures, interlineations, or other corrections unless each correction creates no inconsistency and is suitably authenticated and noted by signature of the bidder. In the event of inconsistency between words and figures in the bid, words shall control figures. In the event the Owner determines that any bid is unintelligible, illegible, or ambiguous, the Owner may reject the bid as not being responsive.

#### 7. Examination of Site and Contract Documents.

At its own expense and prior to submitting bids, each bidder shall examine all documents relating to the project, visit the site, and determine the local conditions which may in any way affect the performance of the work, including the general prevailing rate of per diem wages and other relevant cost factors. Each bidder shall be familiar with all federal, state, and local laws, ordinances, rules, regulations, and codes affecting the performance of the work, including the cost of permits and licenses required for the work. Each bidder shall make such surveys and investigations, including investigation of subsurface or latent physical conditions at the site or where work is to be performed, as it may deem necessary for performance of the work at the price being bid. Each bidder shall determine the character, quality, and quantities of the work to be performed and the materials and equipment to be provided, and shall correlate its observations, investigations, and determinations with all requirements of the project.

The Contract Documents show and describe the existing conditions as they are believed to have been used in the design of the work and are only provided as information for the bidder. The Owner is not making any warranties regarding this information. The Owner shall not be liable for any loss sustained by the successful bidder resulting from any variance between the conditions and design data given in the Contract Documents and the actual conditions revealed during the bidder's pre-bid examination or during the progress of the work. Bidder agrees that the submission of a bid shall be incontrovertible evidence that the bidder has complied with and agrees to further comply with all the requirements of this section.

#### 8. <u>Withdrawal of Bids</u>.

Any bid may be withdrawn, either personally, by written request, or by telegraphic or facsimile request confirmed in the manner specified above for bid modifications, at any time prior to the scheduled closing time for receipt of bids. In accordance with this paragraph, the bid security shall be returned for bids withdrawn prior to the scheduled closing time for receipt of bids. No bidder may withdraw any bid for a period of 60 days after the award of the contract. A bidder's unawarded alternative bids remain open for a period of six months after award of contract as irrevocable offers to enter into either change orders or separate contracts for the stated price adjustment.

#### 9. <u>Agreement and Bonds</u>.

The Construction Agreement and the form of the Payment and Performance Bonds which the successful bidder as Contractor will be required to execute are included in the Contract Documents and should be carefully examined by the bidder. The Payment Bond shall be in an amount not less than 100 percent of the amount of the contract in accordance with Civil Code section 9554. The successful bidder as Contractor will also be required to furnish a separate Performance Bond in the amount of 100 percent of the contract amount. Sufficient bonds shall be fully executed and returned to Owner with the executed Construction Agreement.

#### 10. <u>Interpretation of Contract Documents</u>.

If any bidder is in doubt as to the true meaning of any part of the Contract Documents, or finds discrepancies in or omissions from the drawings and specifications, a written request for an interpretation or correction shall be submitted to the Owner. The bidder submitting the written request shall be responsible for its prompt delivery. Any interpretation or correction of the Contract Documents will be made only by addendum issued by the Owner, and a copy of any addendum will be hand-delivered, mailed, or faxed to each bidder known to have received a set of the Contract Documents. No person is authorized to make any oral interpretation of any provision in the Contract Documents, nor shall any oral interpretation be binding on the Owner. If there are discrepancies on drawings, plans, or specifications, or conflicts between drawings, plans, specifications, terms, or conditions, the interpretation of the Owner shall prevail. Bidder shall become familiar with the plans, specifications, and drawings.

SUBMISSION OF A BID WITHOUT REQUESTING CLARIFICATIONS SHALL BE INCONTROVERTIBLE EVIDENCE THAT THE BIDDER HAS DETERMINED THAT THE PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS, AND DRAWINGS ARE SUFFICIENT FOR BIDDING AND COMPLETING THE WORK, THAT BIDDER IS CAPABLE OF READING, FOLLOWING AND COMPLETING THE WORK IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS, AND DRAWINGS, AND THAT THE PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS, AND DRAWINGS FALL WITHIN AN ACCEPTABLE STANDARD FOR THESE ITEMS, AND THAT BIDDER AGREES THAT THE PROJECT CAN AND WILL BE COMPLETED ACCORDING TO THE OWNER'S TIME LINES AND ACCORDING TO THE PROGRESS SCHEDULE TO BE SUBMITTED BY THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER INCORPORATING THE OWNER'S TIME LINES FOR COMPLETION OF THE PROJECT.

#### 11. <u>Bidders Interested in More Than One Bid</u>.

No person, firm, or corporation shall be allowed to make or file or be interested in more than one bid for the same work unless alternate bids are specifically called for by the Owner. A person, firm, or corporation that has submitted a sub-proposal to a bidder, or that has quoted prices of materials to a bidder, is not disqualified from submitting a proposal or quoting prices to other bidders or submitting a bid on the project.

#### 12. <u>Award of Contract</u>.

(a) The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or to waive any irregularities or informalities in any bids or in the bidding process, and to award more than one contract. If two identical low bids are received from responsive and responsible bidders, the Owner will determine which bid will be accepted pursuant to Public Contract Code Section 20117.

(b) If made by the Owner, award of the contract will be by action of the governing board or other governing body to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder. In the event an award of the contract is made to a bidder and that bidder fails or refuses to execute the Agreement and provide the required documents within the time required, the Owner may award the contract to the next lowest responsive and responsible bidder or release all bidders. An election by the Owner to reject all bids does not release the bid security of any bidder who has previously been awarded the contract and failed or refused to execute the Agreement and provide the required documents.

(c) In ascertaining the low bidder, the bids will be examined without reference to any substitutions requested by any bidder, whether or not the substitution request would result in a modification of the contract price.

#### 13. <u>Alternatives</u>.

If alternate bids are called for, the contract will be awarded to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder on the basis indicated in the Notice to Contractors Calling for Bids. Owner reserves the right to award or reject any, all, or any combination of the alternates called for in the bid documents, whether or not the alternate(s) was included in the calculations used to identify the low bidder. All bid alternates not part of the contract initially awarded by Owner shall remain open and valid for a period of six months after the contract is awarded as irrevocable offers to enter into either change orders or separate contracts on the items for the price adjustment contained in the bid alternate.

#### 14. Public Contract Code Section 20111.5—Discretionary Pregualification of Bidders.

#### [check one]

Discretionary Prequalification is not required to bid on this project.

Discretionary Prequalification is required to bid on this project. Prospective bidders are required to submit to the Owner a completed prequalification

www.schoolslegalservice.org PUBLIC WORKS BID PACKET 1215 questionnaire and financial statement, on forms provided by the Owner, no later than five days prior to the date fixed for the public opening of sealed bids. These documents will be the basis for determining which bidders are qualified to bid the project. Bidders will be notified by telephone and mail of their pregualification status within four days after submission of pregualification documents. Bids will not be accepted from any bidder who has not been pregualified at least one day prior to the bid opening. Pursuant to Public Contract Code Section 20111.5, the information in the pregualification guestionnaire and financial statement will be kept confidential. Pregualification documents may be obtained by contacting the Owner downloading from or by them http://mot.bcsd.com/Construction%20Consultants/MOT%20Yard%20-%20Perimeter%20Wall%20and%20Iron%20Fencing/.

15. <u>Public Contract Code Section 20111.6—Mandatory Prequalification of General</u> <u>Contractors and Mechanical, Electrical and Plumbing Subcontract Bidders</u>.

#### [check one]

- Mandatory Prequalification of general contractors and mechanical, electrical and plumbing subcontractors is not required to bid on this project.
- Mandatory Pregualification of general contractors and mechanical, electrical and plumbing subcontractors is required to bid on this project. Prospective bidders holding licenses in classifications A, B, C-4, C-7, C-10, C-16, C-20, C-34, C-36, C-38, C- 42, C- 43 and C- 46 are required to submit to the Owner a completed pregualification questionnaire and financial statement, on forms provided by the Owner, no later than ten (10) working days prior to the date fixed for the public opening of sealed bids. These documents will be the basis for determining which bidders in the listed license categories are gualified to bid the project. Bidders will be notified by telephone, mail or email of their prequalification status within five (5) working days after submission of pregualification documents. Bids will not be accepted from any bidder who is required to prequalify and who has not been pregualified at least five (5) working days prior to the bid opening. Pursuant to Public Contract Code Section 20111.6, the information in the pregualification questionnaire and financial statement will be kept confidential. Pregualification documents may be obtained by contacting the Owner or by downloading them from

#### 15. <u>Competency of Bidders</u>.

In selecting the lowest responsive and responsible bidder, consideration will be given not only to the financial standing but also to the general competency of the bidder for performance of the work. By submitting a bid, each bidder agrees that in determining the successful bidder and its eligibility for the award, the Owner may consider the bidder's experience, facilities, conduct, and performance under other contracts, financial condition, reputation in the industry, and other factors relating to or which could affect the bidder's performance of the project.

The Owner may also consider the qualifications and experience of subcontractors and other persons and organizations (including those who are to furnish the principal items of material and equipment) proposed for those portions of the work. Operating costs, maintenance considerations, performance data, and guarantees of materials and equipment may also be considered by the Owner. In this regard, the Owner may conduct such investigations as the Owner deems necessary to assist in the evaluation of any bid and to establish the responsibility, qualifications, and financial ability of the bidder, proposed subcontractors, and other persons and organizations to do the work to the Owner's satisfaction within the prescribed time. The Owner reserves the right to reject the bid of any bidder who does not pass any such evaluation to the satisfaction of the Owner, or in the Owner's sole discretion, to permit substitution of subcontractor(s) found non-responsible.

#### 16. <u>Listing Subcontractors</u>.

Each bidder shall submit a list of the proposed subcontractors, including their address, California contractor's license number and DIR Registration number, on the project as required by the Subletting and Subcontracting Fair Practices Act (Public Contract Code Section 4100 and following sections) on the form furnished with the Contract Documents. If alternate bids are called for and the bidder intends to use different or additional subcontractors, a separate list of subcontractors must be submitted for each such alternate bid. The Owner may request that bidder submit information to assess the responsibility of the bidder's proposed subcontractors. The apparent low bidder shall, within 24 hours of the bid opening, provide a complete listing of all subcontractors, including full name, address, telephone numbers, contractor's license number and type and DIR Registration number.

#### 17. <u>Workers' Compensation</u>.

In accordance with the provisions of Labor Code Section 3700, the successful bidder shall secure the payment of compensation to all employees. The successful bidder awarded the contract shall sign and file with the Owner, at the time of returning the executed Construction Agreement, the certificate which is included as a part of the Contract Documents.

#### 18. <u>Contractor's License</u>.

At the bid opening date and time, if a bidder is not properly licensed and registered to perform the project in accordance with Division 3, Chapter 9, of the California Business and Professions Code, Labor Code section 1725.5 and the Notice Calling for Bids, as required, that bidder's bid will be rejected as non-responsive. Business and Professions Code Section 7028.15 precludes payment for work or materials unless the Registrar of

Contractors verifies to the Owner that the bidder was properly licensed at the time the bid was submitted. If this project is federally funded, the bidder must be properly licensed prior to the award of the contract. Any bidder not properly licensed and registered with DIR is subject to penalties under the law and the contract can be considered void. If the license classification specified in these Contract Documents is that of a "specialty contractor" as defined in Business and Professions Code Section 7058, the specialty contractor awarded the contract for this work shall construct a majority of the work in accordance with the provisions of Business and Professions Code Section 7059.

#### 19. <u>Anti-Discrimination</u>.

It is the policy of the Owner that in all work performed under contracts there be no unlawful discrimination against any prospective or active employee engaged in the work because of race, color, ancestry, national origin, religious creed, sex, age, marital status, physical disability, mental disability, or medical condition. The successful bidder agrees to comply with applicable federal and state laws, including but not limited to the California Fair Employment and Housing Act, beginning with Government Code Section 12900 and Labor Code Section 1735. In addition, the successful bidder agrees to require like compliance by any subcontractors employed on the work by that bidder.

#### 20. <u>Hold Harmless</u>.

The successful bidder awarded the contract shall hold harmless and indemnify various parties as more clearly set forth elsewhere in the Contract Documents.

#### 21. <u>Substitutions</u>.

(a) All bids should be calculated and submitted on the project as described in the bid documents, and on the assumption that substitution requests submitted with the bid will not be approved. Notwithstanding the foregoing, substitution requests submitted with bids will be given due consideration and adjustments to the contract, which may include adjustment to contract price, will be contained in a change order should the request be approved. Bidders not desiring to bid without prior approval of a proposed substitution should follow the procedure contained in this section for pre-bid review of proposed substitutions.

(b) Should the bidder wish to request prior to bid opening any substitution for the specified materials, process, service, or equipment, the bidder shall submit a written request at least ten (10) working days before the bid opening date and time. If the requested substitution is acceptable, the Owner will approve it in an addendum issued to all bidders of record. Requests received less than ten (10) working days prior to bid opening will <u>not</u> be considered prior to the bid date. Extensions of the bid date shall not operate to extend the deadline for requesting substitutions unless the Owner so states in an addendum issued to all bidders of record.

(c) If a substitution is not requested and considered prior to the bid date, the bidder shall submit with the bid all proposed substitutions, if any, on the Substitution Listing form contained in the bid documents.

(d) With respect to any materials, process, service, or equipment listed in the bid, unless the bidder clearly indicates in its Substitution Listing that it is proposing to use an "equal" material, process, service, or equipment, its bid shall be considered as offering the specified material, process, service, or equipment referred to by the brand name or trade name specified.

(e) Unless expressly authorized in the bid documents, no bid may be conditioned on the Owner's acceptance of a proposed substitution. Any bid containing any such condition may be treated as a non-responsive bid.

(f) It is expressly understood and agreed that the Owner reserves the right to reject any proposed substitution. It is further expressly understood and agreed that in the event the Owner rejects a proposed "equal" item, or any other requested substitution, the specified material, process, service, or equipment designated by brand name or trade name, or other item as specified, will be provided.

(g) No substitution request of any kind or nature may be made after the bid date, except by the express written permission of the Owner and on such terms as Owner may require, or in an emergency, as in the case where a specified material, process, service, equipment, or other item has become unavailable through no fault of the bidder.

(h) These time limitations shall be complied with strictly, and in no case will an extension of time for completion be granted because of the failure to request the substitution of an item at the times and in the manner set forth herein.

(i) Prior to contract award, the Owner shall notify the bidder of the Owner's decision concerning proposed substitutions of "equal" items submitted with the bid. The Owner shall notify bidder of the Owner's decision on any other proposed substitutions as those decisions are made. Notification of all decisions by the Owner shall be in writing, and no proposed substitution shall be deemed approved unless the Owner has confirmed it in writing.

(j) With respect to all proposed substitutions, the requirements applicable to the Contractor in the Contract Documents shall be applicable to all bidders requesting substitutions.

22. <u>Surety Qualifications</u>.

Bid bonds executed by a surety insurer admitted in the State of California for purposes of issuance of such bonds will be accepted by Owner as sufficient.

Payment and/or performance bonds executed by a surety insurer admitted in the State of California with a minimum "A minus, VIII" rating (A minus V" when the price stated in the Contract Documents is less than \$500,000) as rated by the current edition of Best's Key Rating Guide published by A.M. Best Company, Oldwick, New Jersey 08858, shall be presumed by Owner to be sufficient for the issuance of such bonds. In the alternative, any admitted surety company which satisfies the requirements set forth in Code of Civil Procedure Section 995.660 shall be accepted and approved for the issuance of bonds, and documents demonstrating satisfaction of the requirements of Section 995.660 with respect to the bid bond must be submitted with the bid. No personal sureties will be accepted.

#### 23. Liquidated Damages.

All work must be completed within the time limits set forth in the Contract Documents. Bidders must understand that the goodwill, educational process, and other business of the Owner will be damaged if the project is not completed within the time limits required. Should the work not be completed within the specified time for completion, the successful bidder awarded the contract may be liable for liquidated damages and for expenses incurred by the Owner for failure to timely complete the project. Such damages shall be deducted from any payments due or to become due to the successful bidder.

#### SUBMISSION OF A BID ON THIS PROJECT SHALL BE TAKEN AS CONCLUSIVE AND IRREFUTABLE EVIDENCE THAT BIDDER AGREES WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SECTION.

#### 24. Drug-Free Workplace Certification.

Pursuant to Government Code section 8350 and following, the successful bidder will be required to execute and return to Owner the Drug-Free Workplace Certificate contained in the Contract Documents with the executed Construction Agreement. The bidder will be required to take positive measures outlined in the certificate to ensure the presence of a drug-free workplace. Failure to abide with the conditions set forth in the Drug-Free Workplace Act could result in penalties, including termination of the Construction Agreement.

#### 25. <u>Non-Collusion Declaration</u>.

In accordance with the provisions of Public Contract Code section 7106, each bid must be accompanied by a Non-Collusion Declaration executed under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California.

#### 26. Implementation of Disabled Veteran Business Enterprises Requirements.

In accordance with Education Code Section 17076.11, the Owner has a participation goal for disabled veteran business enterprises of at least three percent per year of the overall dollar amount of funds allocated to the Owner by the State Allocation Board pursuant to the Leroy F. Greene School Facilities Act of 1998 for construction or modernization and expended each year by the Owner. Prior to and as a condition precedent for final payment under any contract for this project, the successful bidder will be required to provide appropriate documentation to the Owner identifying the amount paid to disabled veteran business enterprises in conjunction with the contract, so the Owner can assess its success at meeting this goal.

#### 27. Asbestos and Lead-Based Paint Certification.

The form of Contractor's Certificate Regarding Non-Asbestos Containing Materials and Exclusion of Lead Products, as contained in the Contract Documents, shall be executed and submitted with the bid.

#### 28. <u>Fingerprinting Requirements</u>.

The successful bidder and all subcontractors at any level will be required to comply with any applicable laws on fingerprinting construction workers. Minimum requirements are set forth in the Contract Documents, and the form for certification of compliance is contained in the Contract Documents. The successful bidder must complete and return this form when directed by Owner.

#### 29. <u>California Products</u>.

Price, fitness, and quality being equal with regard to supplies, the Owner may prefer supplies grown, manufactured, or produced in California. The Owner may next prefer supplies partially grown, manufactured, or produced in California. Where the Owner has a preference, the bids of the suppliers or the prices quoted by them (i) must not exceed by more than five percent the lowest bids/prices quoted by out-of-state suppliers, (ii) the major portion of the manufacture of the supplies is not done outside of California, and (iii) the public good will be served. Refer to specifications for indications of Owner preferences. Government Code Sections 4330-4334.

#### 30. <u>Contractor License And DIR Registration Required</u>.

To perform the work required for this project, Bidder must possess the type of contractor's license specified in the Notice to Contractors Calling for Bids, and must be registered with the Department of Industrial Relations (DIR) as a public works contractor. Contractor registration can be accomplished through the portal <u>https://efiling.dir.ca.gov/PWCR/.</u> No CONTRACTOR or subcontractor shall be qualified to bid on, be listed in a bid proposal, subject to the requirements of § 4104 of the Public

Contract Code, for a public works project (submitted on or after March 1, 2015) unless currently registered with the DIR and qualified to perform public work pursuant to Labor Code § 1725.5. No CONTRACTOR or subcontractor may be awarded a contract for public work on a public works project (awarded after April 1, 2015) unless registered with the DIR.

#### 31. <u>Post-Bid Credits</u>.

Should any bidder or proposed subcontractor to any bidder issue any credit or otherwise reduce its bid or quote pertaining to the work of this project, the value of the credit or other reduction shall be passed on to the Owner less only the applicable markups for profit and overhead as specified in the Contract Documents on change orders.

#### 32. <u>Contents of Bid</u>.

The bid will include the following documents: Bid Form, List of Subcontractors, Substitution Listing form, Non-collusion Declaration, Exclusion of Asbestos and Lead Based Paint Products Certification, Contractors' Qualification Questionnaire (if required) Mandatory Prequalification Package (if required), Iran Contracting Act Certification (if required), Bid Bond or other bid security, and Certification of Attendance at Mandatory Job Walk, if a job walk is required on this project.

#### 33. Bid Protests.

Any bidder having submitted a bid on the project may file a protest against the proposed contract award or challenging the validity of other bids. The protest must meet all of the following requirements:

(a) The protest shall be submitted in writing and shall contain all the materials required by these provisions; one that does not contain all the required material shall not be recognized.

(b) The protest shall be received by the Owner no later than close of business on the second business day after bid opening; one received after that time shall not be recognized.

(c) Each protest shall contain the following:

(i) Identification by name, address, and telephone number of the protesting person(s), company and/or organization and identification of the project to which the protest pertains.

(ii) The protest shall set forth in detail all grounds for the protest, including without limitation all facts, identification by name of any other bids or bidders involved in the protest, all supporting documentation, together

with any legal authorities and/or argument in support of the grounds for the protest. Any matters not set forth in the written protest shall be deemed waived. All factual contentions must be supported by competent, admissible, and credible evidence.

(d) Any protest not conforming to the requirements of this section shall be rejected as invalid.

(e) Where a protest is filed in conformity with this section, the Owner's staff, or such individual(s) as may be designated by the Owner, shall review and evaluate the basis of the protest and provide a written decision to the protesting bidder. The written decision shall either concur with or deny the protest.

(f) Submission of a written protest to and receipt of a written decision from the Owner staff shall be considered an administrative remedy, and failure to follow this procedure shall be a bar to any legal action.

(g) The written decision by the Owner's staff may be appealed to the Owner. The appeal must be filed with the Owner's governing board or other governing body within two business days of the protesting bidder's receipt of the written decision of the Owner's staff.

(h) The appeal must clearly state the reasons and basis for appealing the decision of the Owner's staff, making specific reference to any portions of the material submitted with the protest required.

(i) A hearing on the appeal shall be held before the Owner's governing board or other governing body within 45 days of receipt of the appeal.

(j) The Owner's governing board or other governing body will make a decision within seven days following the hearing. The decision of the Owner's governing board or other governing body is not subject to arbitration, mediation, reconsideration, or further appeal.

(k) Submission of an appeal to and receipt of a decision from the Owner's governing board or other governing body shall be considered an administrative remedy, and failure to follow this procedure shall be a bar to any legal action.

#### 34. <u>Procedure for Protesting Being Deemed A Non-Responsible Bidder</u>.

Any bidder or prospective bidder deemed non-responsible after having submitted a bid may file an appeal of the action to the Owner's governing board or other governing body. The protest must meet all of the following requirements:

(a) The appeal shall be submitted in writing, and shall contain all the materials

required by these provisions; one that does not contain all the required material shall not be recognized.

(b) The appeal must be received by the Owner's governing board or other governing body within two business days of the action by Owner giving rise to the protest; one received after that time shall not be recognized.

(c) A hearing on the appeal shall be held before the Owner's governing board or other governing body prior to the award of contract.

(d) The decision of the Owner's governing board or other governing body is not subject to arbitration, mediation, reconsideration, or further appeal.

(e) Submission of a protest to and receipt of a decision from the Owner's governing board or other governing body shall be considered an administrative remedy, and failure to follow this procedure shall be a bar to any legal action.

#### 35. <u>All Projects Over \$1,000 Are Subject to Prevailing Wage Monitoring and</u> <u>Enforcement By the Labor Commissioner</u>

The project is subject to prevailing wage monitoring and enforcement by the DIR, as indicated in the Notice Calling for Bids. The successful bidder and all subcontractors will be subject to the requirements of Subchapter 4.5 of Chapter 8 of Title 8 of the California Code of Regulations. The successful bidder and all subcontractors will be required to furnish certified payroll records to the Labor Commissioner on the frequency specified in the Notice Calling for Bids using the DIR's eCPR system. To access the DIR's eCPR system and to obtain additional information and assistance, bidders may go to DIR website www.dir.ca.gov/Public-Works/Certified-Payroll-Reporting.html</u>. Failure to timely submit certified payroll records may result in debarment from public works projects by the Labor Commissioner for a period of one to three years.

### 03-BID FORM

#### Name of Bidder:

#### Project: New Masonry Perimeter Wall & New Iron Fencing and Gates (Project #22244.00-73-MD)

#### To: Bakersfield City School District, referred to as "OWNER."

Α. In compliance with your Notice to Contractors Calling for Bids and related documents, the undersigned bidder, having familiarized itself with the terms of the contract, the local conditions affecting the performance of the contract, the cost of the work at the place where the work is to be done, and the drawings and specifications and other contract documents, proposes and agrees to perform the contract within the time stipulated, including all of its component parts and everything required to be performed, and to provide and furnish any and all of the labor, materials, tools, expendable equipment, and all applicable taxes, utility, and transportation services necessary to perform the contract and complete in a workmanlike manner all of the work required in connection with the above-referenced project, including sheeting, shoring, and bracing, or equivalent method for protection of life and limb in trenches and open excavation in conformance with applicable safety orders, within the time limits set for completion of all work, all in strict conformity with the drawings and specifications and other contract documents, including Addenda Nos. on file at the office

[list all]

of OWNER for the Base Bid sum of: \_\_\_\_\_

dollars.

[written in words]

\$

[written in numbers]

B. If any of the following alternate bids are utilized and awarded, the undersigned agrees to make price adjustments, as indicated, to the Base Bid.

#### ALTERNATE BID 1:.

State the amount to be added to the Base Bid for Alternate Bid 1.

dollars.

[written in words]

[written in numbers]

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#### **ALTERNATE BID 2:**

State the amount to be **added** to the Base Bid for Alternate Bid 2.

\_\_\_\_\_dollars. \$\_\_\_\_\_ [written in words] [written in numbers]

State the amount to be **added** to the Base Bid for Alternate Bid 2.

dollars.

[written in words]

[written in numbers]

#### REFER TO ANY ATTACHMENTS TO THIS BID FORM FOR ADDITIONAL ALTERNATES

C. The Bidder agrees that upon written notice of acceptance of this bid, he will execute the contract and provide all bonds and other required documents within ten (10) working days after contract award.

D. Attached is bid security not less than 10 percent of the bid, in the amount of , in the form of (cash) (bid bond) (certified check) (cashier's check). [check one]

E. The Bidder acknowledges that OWNER reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all Base Bids and alternate bids. This entire bid shall remain open and active for sixty (60) days after bid opening, and any alternate bids not initially awarded shall remain active, as an irrevocable offer by the Bidder to enter into either a change order or separate contract, for up to six months after award of the contract.

F. It is understood and agreed that if written notice of the acceptance of this bid is mailed, telegraphed, or delivered to the Bidder after the opening of the bid, and within the time this bid is required to remain open, or at any time after that before this bid is withdrawn, the Bidder will execute and deliver to OWNER the Agreement and will also furnish and deliver to OWNER the Performance Bond and a separate Payment Bond as specified, certificates of insurance, and other required documents.

G. It is understood and agreed that should the Bidder fail or refuse to return executed copies of the Construction Agreement, bonds, insurance certificates, and other required documents to OWNER within the time specified, the bid security shall be forfeited to OWNER.

H. In submitting this bid, the Bidder offers and agrees that if the bid is accepted it will assign to OWNER all rights, title, and interest in and to all causes of action it may have under Section 4 of the Clayton Act (15 U.S.C. Section 15) or under the Cartwright Act (Business & Professions Code Section 16700 and following sections) arising from purchases of goods, materials, or services by the Bidder for sale to OWNER pursuant to the bid. Such assignment shall be made and become effective at the time OWNER tenders final payment under the contract. (Public Contract Code Section 7103.5; Government Code Section 4552.)

I. The Bidder hereby certifies that it is, and at all times during the performance of work under the Contract Documents shall be, in full compliance with the provisions of the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 ("IRCA") in the hiring of its employees, and the Bidder shall indemnify, hold harmless, and defend OWNER against any and all actions, proceedings, penalties, or claims arising out of the Bidder's failure to comply strictly with the IRCA.

J. The Bidder understands that a licensed contractor shall not submit a bid to a public agency unless the Bidder's contractor's license number appears clearly on the bid, the license expiration date is stated, and the bid contains a statement that the representations made therein are made under penalty of perjury. Any bid not containing this information, or a bid containing information which is subsequently proven false, may be considered non-responsive and may be rejected by the public agency.

K.	Bidder's contractor's license is:			
		[number]	[class]	[expires]
	[DIR	registration num	ber]	[expires]

L. Attached is Bidder's AB 1565 Prequalification Questionnaire Validation Form (if required by the Notice to Contractors Calling for Bids, paragraph 20, and the Instructions to Bidders, paragraph 36).

M. The undersigned hereby declares that all of the representations of this bid, including all documents comprising the bid package, are true and are made under penalty of the perjury laws of the State of California.

#### INDIVIDUAL/DBA

*Signature:			
Business Address:			
 Date:	Telephone:		
	PARTNERSHIP	2	
Partnership Name: *By:			, Partner
Print Name:		-	
Business Address:			
Date:	Telephone:		
Names of Other Partne	ers:		
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Business Address:			
Date:	Telephone:		
*By:(President/Chief Ex	cecutive Officer/Vice Presider	[Required] nt) [Circle One]	[Seal]
Print Name:		,	
*By: (Secretary/Treasure	er/Chief Financial Officer/Ass	[Required] istant Treasurer) [C	Circle One]
Print Name:			
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#### JOINT VENTURE

*Signed by:	(Joint Venturer)
Print Name:	
Business Address:	
Date: Telephone:	
Other Parties to Joint Venture:	
If an individual joint venturer:	
*By: (Signature) Print Name:	
If a DBA joint venturer:	
*By: (Signature) Print Name:	
If a partnership joint venturer: *By: (Sign	ature)
Print Name: If a Corporation joint venturer:	
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(Name) aCorporation. (State of Incorporation)	
*By:	
Print Name:	
Title:	
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\*Important Notice: Labor Code § 1771.1(a) provides that "A contractor or subcontractor shall not be qualified to bid on, be listed in a bid proposal, subject to the requirements of Section 4104 of the Public Contract Code, or engage in the performance of any contract for public work, as defined in this chapter, unless currently registered and qualified to perform public work pursuant to Labor Code Section 1725.5. It is not a violation of this section for an unregistered contractor to submit a bid that is authorized by Section 7029.1 of the Business and Professions Code or by Section 10164 or 20103.5 of the Public Contract Code, provided the contractor is registered to perform public work pursuant to Section 1725.5 at the time the contract is awarded." Please go to <a href="http://www.dir.ca.gov/Public-Works/PublicWorks.html">http://www.dir.ca.gov/Public-Works/PublicWorks.html</a> for more information and to register. This project is subject to monitoring by the Department of Industrial Relations.

### 04-SUBSTITUTION LISTING

#### \*\* TO BE EXECUTED BY BIDDER AND SUBMITTED WITH BID\*\*

#### TO: Bakersfield City School District ("OWNER")

1. Pursuant to bidding and contract requirements for the work titled: **Project Title/Bid #: New Masonry Perimeter Wall & New Iron Fencing and Gates (Project #22244.00-73-MD)** 

The contract sum, proposed by the undersigned on the Bid Form, is for the work as shown on the drawings, described in the specifications, and otherwise defined in the Contract Documents. However, the undersigned proposes the following substitutions for the Owner's consideration. Should the Owner accept any or all of the proposed substitutions, the Bidder agrees to reduce the contract sum by the amount shown. Proposed substitutions must be submitted not later than 10 working days prior to the date of bid opening in order for such request to be reviewed before bidding. All substitutions must be listed on this form and submitted prior to or with the bid or they will not be reviewed.

2. Please complete, attaching additional sheets as necessary:

Bidder proposes [check one]:

] no substitutions. ] the following substitutions:

Specified Product or Material	Drawing Number or Specification Section	Proposed Substitution	Proposed Price Reduction

3. All bids should be calculated and submitted on the assumption that substitution requests will not be approved.

4. Bidder hereby certifies that the requested substitutions are equal or better in all respects to what is specified, unless otherwise noted.

SIGNATURE MUST BE IDENTICAL	BIDDER:
TO THAT PROVIDED ON BID FORM	

D. //					
By:					

Print Name:

### **05-LIST OF SUBCONTRACTORS**

#### TO BE SUBMITTED WITH BID

# PROJECT TITLE: BID #: New Masonry Perimeter Wall & New Iron Fencing and Gates (Project #22244.00-73-MD)

#### **OWNER:** Bakersfield City School District

A. In compliance with the Subletting and Subcontracting Fair Practices Act (Public Contract Code Section 4100 and following sections) and any amendments to the Act, each Bidder shall set forth below:

1. The name, location of the place of business California contractor license number and DIR registration number of:

a. Each subcontractor who will perform work or labor or render service to the Bidder in or about the construction of the work or improvement to be performed under the Construction Agreement;

b. Each subcontractor licensed by the State of California who, under subcontract to the Bidder, specially fabricates and/or installs a portion of the work or improvement according to detailed drawings contained in the plans and specifications, in an amount in excess of one-half of one percent of the Bidder's total bid or Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000), whichever is greater;

2. The portion of the work which will be done by each subcontractor.

B. The Bidder shall list only one subcontractor for each such portion as is defined by the Bidder in this bid.

C. If the Bidder fails to specify a subcontractor, or if the Bidder specifies more than one subcontractor for the same portion of work to be performed under the contract in excess of one-half of one percent of the Bidder's total bid, the Bidder shall be deemed to have agreed that the Bidder is fully qualified to perform that portion, and that the Bidder alone shall perform that portion.

D. No Bidder whose bid is accepted shall (i) substitute any subcontractor, (ii) permit any subcontractor to be voluntarily assigned or transferred, or allow it to be performed by anyone other than the original subcontractor listed in the original bid, or (c) sublet or subcontract any portion of the work in excess of one-half of one percent of the Bidder's total bid as to which the original bid did not designate a subcontractor, except as authorized in the Subletting and Subcontracting Fair Practices Act. E. Violations of any provision of the Subletting and Subcontracting Fair Practices Act may be deemed by the OWNER to make the bid non-responsive and/or the Bidder non-responsible.

F. Attach additional sheets, as necessary.

SUBCONTRACTOR'S NAME & LOCATION	DESCRIPTION OF PORTION TO BE SUBCONTRACTED	CALIFORNIA CONTRACTOR LICENSE NO.	DIR REGISTRATION NUMBER

Firm Name:

Ву: \_\_\_\_\_

[Signature must match that on bid]

Print Name:

### 06-BID BOND

#### IF USED BY BIDDER, MUST BE COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED WITH BID

# PROJECT TITLE/BID #: New Masonry Perimeter Wall & New Iron Fencing and Gates (Project #22244.00-73-MD)

#### **OWNER: Bakersfield City School District**

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that we, \_

as Principal, and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto the BAKERSFIELD CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT (referred to as Owner) in the sum of 10% percent of the total amount of the bid of the Principal submitted to the Owner for the work and obligations described below for the payment of which sum in lawful money of the United States, well and truly to be made, we jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns.

The condition of this obligation is such that whereas the Principal has submitted the accompanying bid dated \_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, for: \$\_\_\_\_\_.

NOW, THEREFORE, if the Principal shall not withdraw said bid within the period specified therein after the opening of the same, or if no period be specified, within 60 days after said opening; and if the Principal is awarded the contract, and shall within the specified period, or if no period is specified, within five working days after the award of the contract, enter into a written contract with the Owner in accordance with the bid as accepted and give bonds with good and sufficient surety or sureties as may be required for the faithful performance and proper fulfillment of such contract, provide certificates evidencing the required insurance is in effect (in the amounts required in the contract documents), and provide any other documents required under the contract documents to be submitted at the time the contract is executed, then the above obligation shall be void and of no effect, otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

The Surety, for value received, hereby stipulates and agrees that no change, extension of time, alteration, or addition to the terms of the contract or the call for bids, or to the work to be performed thereunder, or the specifications accompanying the same, shall in any way affect its obligation under this bond, and it does hereby waive notice of any such change, extension of time, alteration, or addition to the terms of said contract or the call for bids, or to the work, or to the specifications.

In the event suit is brought upon this bond by the Owner and judgment is recovered, the Surety shall pay all costs incurred by the Owner in such suit, including a reasonable attorney's fee to be fixed by the court.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this instrument under their several seals this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_, the name and corporate party being hereto affixed and duly signed by its undersigned authorized representative.

DATED:	PRINCIPAL				
	Ву:				
	Title:				
DATED:	SURETY				
	Ву:				
	Title:				

Note: Signatures of those executing for the Surety must be properly acknowledged.

#### 07-NONCOLLUSION DECLARATION TO BE EXECUTED BY BIDDER AND SUBMITTED WITH BID

# PROJECT TITLE/BID #: New Masonry Perimeter Wall & New Iron Fencing and Gates (Project #22244.00-73-MD)

#### **OWNER: Bakersfield City School District**

The undersigned declares:

I am the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, the party making the foregoing bid. The bid is not made in the interest of, or on behalf of, any undisclosed person, partnership, company, association, organization, or corporation. The bid is genuine and not collusive or sham. The bidder has not directly or indirectly induced or solicited any other bidder to put in a false or sham bid. The bidder has not directly or indirectly colluded, conspired, connived, or agreed with any bidder or anyone else to put in a sham bid, or to refrain from bidding. The bidder has not in any manner, directly or indirectly, sought by agreement, communication, or conference with anyone to fix the bid price of the bidder or any other bidder. All statements contained in the bid are true. The bidder has not, directly or indirectly, submitted his or her bid price or any breakdown thereof, or the contents thereof, or divulged information or data relative thereto, to any corporation, partnership, company, association, organization, bid depository, or to any member or agent thereof, to effectuate a collusive or sham bid, and has not paid, and will not pay, any person or entity for such purpose.

Any person executing this declaration on behalf of a bidder that is a corporation, partnership, joint venture, limited liability company, limited liability partnership, or any other entity, hereby represents that he or she has full power to execute, and does execute, this declaration on behalf of the bidder.

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at							[0	city], _					[state].		

Contractor:

By

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature:\_\_\_\_\_

### 08-EXCLUSION OF LEAD AND ASBESTOS PRODUCTS

#### TO BE EXECUTED BY BIDDER AND SUBMITTED WITH BID

# PROJECT TITLE/BID #: New Masonry Perimeter Wall & New Iron Fencing and Gates (Project #22244.00-73-MD)

#### **OWNER:** Bakersfield City School District

Pursuant to the provisions of the California Education Code for construction, modernization, or renovation of school facilities, lead based paint, lead plumbing, and solders, or other potential sources of lead contamination shall not be utilized in the construction of any new school facility or the modernization or renovation of any existing school facility.

The Contractor agrees that sources and potential sources of lead contamination, whether in products or materials, will not be used in performing work under the Agreement.

In addition, the Contractor agrees that asbestos containing products or materials will not be used in performing work under the Agreement.

At completion of work under the Agreement, the Contractor will warrant and represent to the Owner the following:

- 1. That no asbestos containing products or materials, or sources or potential sources of lead contamination, were used in performing work under the Agreement.
- 2. That should any asbestos containing products, or sources or potential sources of lead contamination, be found to have been used by the Contractor or any subcontractor, supplier, or vendor on the Project, the Contractor will replace them, together with all related materials, at no cost to the Owner.
- 3. That should the replacement require any interruption in the normal operation of the school, the Contractor will pay all costs necessarily incurred to keep the school functioning with the least possible disruption to its day-to-day operations.

Executed at	 California, on	, 20

Firm Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Ву: \_\_\_\_\_

Title:

Signed:

[Signature must match that on bid]

### 09s-CONSTRUCTION AGREEMENT [Small Projects]

THIS AGREEMENT is between the Bakersfield City School District ("OWNER") and ("CONTRACTOR"). OWNER and CONTRACTOR agree as follows:

1. <u>Project</u>. CONTRACTOR shall perform everything required to be performed and shall provide and furnish all labor, materials, tools, equipment, and all utility and transportation services required for the construction of New Masonry Perimeter Wall & New Iron Fencing and Gates (Project #22244.00-73-MD) - Bid Package 1 – Demo of existing perimeter fencing, excavation for new concrete footings and installation of new concrete masonry walls ("Project").

All work to be performed and materials to be furnished shall be in conformity with the complete Agreement which includes the following Contract Documents, all of which are incorporated by reference: Notice to Contractors Calling for Bids, Instructions to Bidders, Bid Form, Designation of Subcontractors, Workers' Compensation Certificate, Performance Bond, Non-collusion Affidavit, Insurance Certificates, Guarantees, any Payment Bond, Change Orders, Shop Drawing Transmittals, Contractor's Certificate Regarding Non-Asbestos and/or Lead Containing Materials, if any, Davis-Bacon Compliance Certification, if any, Fingerprinting Certification, Labor Compliance Program documents, if any, Special Conditions and/or Special Requirements, Plans, Drawings, and/or Specifications, this Agreement, and any modifications, addenda, and amendments of or to any of these documents. The Contract Documents are complementary, and what is called for by any one shall be as binding as if called for by all.

2. <u>Time for Performance</u>. CONTRACTOR shall commence work on the Project on the date stated in the OWNER's Notice to Proceed and shall complete the Project within [in accordance with the bid schedule included herein] 95 calendar days after that. Time is of the essence in this Agreement.

3. <u>Contract Price</u>. Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, OWNER shall pay to CONTRACTOR for all work to be performed under this Agreement the total sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

4. Payments.

A. Duration of Contract: 95 calendar days.

(1) Less than 60 Days: CONTRACTOR shall be paid an amount equivalent to 95 percent of the contract price upon acceptance of the Project by the Governing Board or other governing body of OWNER.

CONTRACTOR shall be paid the remaining five (5) percent of the Contract Price within 35 days following the recording of a Notice of Completion.

(2) 60 Days or Greater: CONTRACTOR shall be paid a sum equal to 95 percent of the value of all work performed and of materials delivered and used, less the aggregate of previous payments. OWNER may also deduct from such payments any amounts deemed due from CONTRACTOR. These monthly payments shall be made only on the basis of estimates which shall be prepared by CONTRACTOR on a form approved by OWNER and filed before the fifth day of the month during which payment is to be made. Before consideration of a request for payment, a certificate in writing shall be obtained from the Architect stating that the work for which the payment is demanded has been performed in accordance with the terms of the Contract Documents and that the amount stated in the certificate is due under the terms of the Contract Documents. The certificate of the Architect shall not be conclusive upon OWNER, but advisory only. Work completed as estimated shall be an estimate only and no inaccuracy or error in said estimate shall operate to release CONTRACTOR or Surety from any damages arising from such work or from enforcing each and every provision of this Agreement, and OWNER shall have the right to subsequently correct any error made in any estimate for payment. CONTRACTOR shall be paid the remaining five (5) percent of the Contract Price within 35 days following the recording of a Notice of Completion.

B. From the payments specified in Paragraph A, OWNER may make any deductions authorized or required by law or this Agreement including, by way of example only, the following:

- (1) Liquidated and other damages described in Paragraph 11;
- (2) Defective work not remedied.
- (3) Failure of CONTRACTOR to make proper payments to its subcontractor(s) or material suppliers for materials or labor.
- (4) Damage to another contractor.
- (5) Other damages sustained by OWNER.

5. <u>Submission of Bonds and Certificates</u>. The CONTRACTOR shall not commence any work on the Project until it has submitted to OWNER all certificates and bonds

required by this Agreement. All bonds and certificates shall be submitted to OWNER within ten days following award of this contract.

6. <u>Insurance</u>. CONTRACTOR shall take out and maintain at its own cost and expense during the term of this Agreement the following insurance:

A. Workers compensation insurance for all of CONTRACTOR's employees in amounts not less than that required by law. Pursuant to Labor Code Sections 3700 and 1860, et seq., CONTRACTOR shall submit to OWNER an acceptable Workers Compensation Certificate.

B. CONTRACTOR shall obtain and maintain in effect at its own cost and expense during the term of this Agreement public liability and property damage insurance with per occurrence limits of not less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) for death or personal injury and One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) for property damage. The policy(ies) shall contain an endorsement naming OWNER as an additional insured insofar as this Agreement is concerned, and provide that notice shall be given to OWNER at least 30 days prior to cancellation or material change in the form of such policy(ies). CONTRACTOR shall furnish OWNER with certificates for insurance containing the endorsements required under this section, and OWNER shall have the right to inspect the original policy(ies) of such insurance upon request.

C. All insurance companies must meet the following criteria:

(1) U.S. Treasury listed

(2) California admitted, as confirmed by the California Department of Insurance or listed in the California Department of Insurance's List of Eligible Surplus Line Insurers ("LESLI List")

(3) A minimum rating of "A- VIII," as rated by the current edition of Best's Key Rating Guide, published by A.M. Best Company, Oldwick, New Jersey, 08858.

7. <u>Performance/Payment Bonds</u>. The CONTRACTOR shall furnish a Performance Bond in an amount equal to 100 percent of the Contract Price. If the Contract Price specified in Paragraph 3 is more than \$25,000, the CONTRACTOR shall also furnish a Payment Bond in an amount equal to 100 percent of the Contract Price. Any bond submitted must be issued by a California admitted corporate surety which is U.S. Treasury listed and whose U.S. Treasury listing indicates a bonding capacity in excess of the project cost. If a California admitted surety insurer issuing a bond does not meet these requirements, the insurer will be considered sufficient if each of the following conditions is satisfied: A. The following documents are submitted with the bond:

(1) The original, or a certified copy, of the unrevoked appointment, power of attorney, bylaws, or other instrument entitling or authorizing the person who executed the bond to do so.

(2) A certified copy of the certificate of authority of the insurer issued by the Insurance Commissioner.

(3) A certificate from the county clerk of the county in which the OWNER is located that the certificate of authority of the insurer has not been surrendered, revoked, canceled, annulled, or suspended, or in the event that it has, that renewed authority has been granted.

B. If it appears that the bond was duly executed, that the insurer is authorized to transact surety insurance in the state, and that its assets exceed its liabilities in an amount equal to or in excess of the amount of the bond subject to Insurance Code Section 12090.

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B. Each claim must be submitted in writing five days after the damage was sustained or after the event or action giving rise to the claim and shall include all documents necessary to substantiate the claim. OWNER shall respond in writing within 45 days of receipt of the claim if the claim is less than or equal to \$50,000 ("\$50,000 claim") or within 60 days if the claim is over \$50,000 but less than or equal to \$375,000 ("\$50,000-\$375,000 claim"). In either case, OWNER may request in writing within 30 days of receipt of the claim any additional documentation supporting the claim or relating to any defenses to the claim which OWNER may have against CONTRACTOR. Any additional information shall be requested and provided upon mutual agreement of OWNER and CONTRACTOR.

C. OWNER's written response to the claim shall be submitted to CONTRACTOR within 15 days after receipt of the further documentation for \$50,000 claims or within 30 days after receipt of the further documentation for \$50,000-\$375,000 claims or within a period of time no greater than that taken by CONTRACTOR in producing the additional information, whichever is greater.

D. Within 15 days of receipt of OWNER's response, if CONTRACTOR disputes OWNER's written response, or within 15 days of OWNER's failure to respond within the time prescribed, CONTRACTOR shall provide written notification to OWNER demanding an informal conference to meet and confer ("Conference") to be scheduled by OWNER within 30 days. Following the Conference, if any claim or portion remains in dispute, CONTRACTOR may file a claim as provided in Chapter 1 (commencing with Section 900) and Chapter 2 (commencing with Section 910) of Part 3 of Division 3.6 of Title 1 of the

Government Code. For purposes of those provisions, the period of time within which a claim must be filed is tolled from the time CONTRACTOR submits the written claim pursuant to this section until the time that claim is denied as a result of the conference process, including any period of time utilized by the meet and confer process.

E. Pursuant to Public Contract Code Section 20104.2(f), this paragraph does not apply to tort claims and does not change the period for filing tort claims or actions specified by Chapter 1 (commencing with Section 900) and Chapter 2 (commencing with Section 910) of Part 3 of Division 3.6 of Title 1 of the Government Code.

F. If a civil action is filed, within 60 days but no earlier than 30 days following the filing of responsive pleadings, the court shall submit the matter to nonbinding mediation unless waived by mutual stipulation of both parties. The mediation process shall provide that the parties select a disinterested third person mediator within 15 days; that mediation shall be commenced within 30 days of the submittal, and shall be concluded within 15 days of the commencement of the mediation unless time is extended upon a good cause showing to the court or by stipulation of the parties. If the parties fail to select a mediator within the 15-day period, any party may petition the court to appoint a mediator.

G. If the matter remains in dispute, the case shall be submitted to judicial arbitration as set forth in Public Contract Code Section 20104.4 (b)(1) through (b)(3).

H. In the event of a claim for an amount in excess of \$375,000, the parties shall follow the procedures applicable to claims over \$50,000 and less than or equal to \$375,000, and:

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(2) In the event of disputes not resolved by the parties, the parties agree to appoint a mediator mutually acceptable to both parties to resolve all disputes.

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#### 26. Fingerprinting Workers.

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B. Should CONTRACTOR or any subcontractor feel its employees will have limited or less contact with OWNER pupils, application shall be made to the OWNER for a determination on that question. The determination by OWNER shall be final.

C. Use of Education Code Section 45122.2(a)(1), (2) or (3) for compliance with these fingerprinting requirements is subject to prior OWNER approval. The determination by OWNER on application of any of these sections shall be final.

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Executed at Bakersfied, Kern County, California.

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Bakersfield City School District OWNER \*By: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Title: Supt. Business Services Address: 1300 Baker St. Bakersfield,CA 93305 DATED: \_\_\_\_\_\_ DATED: \_\_\_\_\_\_ By:

Title: Address:

Contractor's License No.

Contractor's DIR Registration No.

\*Important Notice: California law provides that "A contractor or subcontractor shall not be qualified to bid on, be listed in a bid proposal, subject to the requirements of Section 4104 of the Public Contract Code, or engage in the performance of any contract for public work, as defined in this chapter, unless currently registered and qualified to perform public work pursuant to Labor Code Section 1725.5." Please go to <u>http://www.dir.ca.gov/Public-Works/PublicWorks.html</u> for more information and to register. This project is subject to monitoring by the Department of Industrial Relations.

### 09s-CONSTRUCTION AGREEMENT [Small Projects]

THIS AGREEMENT is between the Bakersfield City School District ("OWNER") and ("CONTRACTOR"). OWNER and CONTRACTOR agree as follows:

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#### 4. Payments.

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- (5) Other damages sustained by OWNER.

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The project is subject to prevailing wage monitoring and enforcement by the Department of Industrial Relations (DIR). The successful bidder and all subcontractors will be subject to the requirements of Subchapter 4.5 of Chapter 8 of Title 8 of the California Code of Regulations. The successful bidder and all subcontractors will be required to furnish electronic certified payroll records to the DIR on the frequency specified in the Notice Calling for Bids using the DIR's eCPR system at Failure to timely submit certified payroll https://apps.dir.ca.gov/ecpr/DAS/AltLogin. records may result in debarment from public works projects by the Labor Commissioner for a period of one to three years. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all requirements of the Labor Code and attendant regulations pertaining to prevailing wage monitoring and compliance as indicated in the Contract Documents, and/or as required by the DIR, including, but not limited to, posting job site notices prescribed by Title 8 CCR § 16451(d). CONTRACTOR shall permit OWNER, the DIR or their designee to interview employees concerning compliance CONTRACTOR's with prevailing wage, apprenticeship, and related matters, whether or not during work hours, and shall require each subcontractor to provide OWNER, the DIR or their designee with such access to its employees.

17. <u>Apprentices</u>. If applicable, CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of Labor Code Section 1777.5 dealing with the employment of apprentices.

18. <u>Hours</u>. Pursuant to the provisions of Article 3, commencing at Section 1810 of the Labor Code, CONTRACTOR shall pay the required rate of overtime for all hours worked in excess of eight hours per day and 40 hours per week.

19. <u>Laws and Regulations</u>. CONTRACTOR shall give all notices and comply with all laws, ordinances, rules, and regulations relating to the work required by this Contract.

20. <u>Permits/Licenses</u>. All necessary permits and licenses shall be secured and paid for by CONTRACTOR.

21. <u>Utilities</u>. Unless otherwise agreed by the parties in writing, all utilities including but not limited to electricity, water, gas, and telephone used on the Project shall be furnished and paid for by CONTRACTOR.

22. <u>Provisions Required by Law Deemed Inserted</u>. Each and every provision of law and clause required by law to be inserted in this Agreement shall be deemed to be inserted and this Agreement shall be read and enforced as though it were included. If through mistake or otherwise, any provision is not inserted or is not correctly inserted, upon application of either party the Agreement shall be amended to make the insertion or correction. All references to statutes and regulations shall include all amendments, replacements, and enactments on the subject which are in effect as of the date of this Agreement, and any later changes which do not materially and substantially alter the positions of the parties.

23. <u>Contractor's License and DIR Registration</u>. In order to perform the work required by this Agreement, CONTRACTOR must possess a valid, active license in the classification specified in the Notice to Contractors Calling for Bids issued by the State of California, which shall remain valid and active throughout the Project. In addition, Contractor must be registered with DIR as a public works contractor. Contractor registration is accomplished through the portal http://www.dir.ca.gov//dlse/dlsePublicWorks.html.

24. <u>Trenching or Other Excavations</u>. If the Project involves digging trenches or other excavations that extend deeper than four feet, the following provisions shall be a part of this Contract:

A. CONTRACTOR shall promptly, and before the following conditions are disturbed, provide written notice to OWNER if CONTRACTOR finds any of the following conditions:

(1) Material that CONTRACTOR believes may be a hazardous waste, as defined in Section 25117 of the Health and Safety Code, that is required to be removed to a Class I, Class II, or Class III disposal site in accordance with the provisions of existing law.

(2) Subsurface or latent physical conditions at the site which are different from those indicated or expected.

(3) Unknown physical conditions at the site of any unusual nature or which are materially different from those ordinarily encountered and generally recognized as inherent in work which CONTRACTOR generally performs.

B. In the event that CONTRACTOR notifies OWNER that CONTRACTOR has found any of the conditions specified in subparagraphs (a), (b) or (c) above, OWNER shall promptly investigate the condition(s). If OWNER finds that the conditions are materially different or that a hazardous waste is present at the site which will affect CONTRACTOR's cost of, or the time required for, performance of the Agreement, OWNER shall issue a change order in accordance with the procedures set forth in this Agreement.

C. In the event that a dispute arises between OWNER and CONTRACTOR regarding any of the matters specified in Paragraph (2) above, CONTRACTOR shall proceed with all work to be performed under the Agreement and CONTRACTOR shall not be excused from completing the Project as provided in

the Agreement. In performing the work pursuant to this Paragraph, CONTRACTOR retains all rights provided by law which pertain to the resolution of disputes and protests between the contracting parties.

#### 25. <u>Claims</u>.

A. Public works claims of \$375,000 or less between CONTRACTOR and OWNER are subject to the provisions of Article 1.5 (commencing with Section 20104) of Chapter 1 of Part 2 of the Public Contract Code. For purposes of this Paragraph and Article 1.5, "public work" means "public works contract" as defined in Public Contract Code section 1101; "claims" means a separate demand by CONTRACTOR for a time extension or payment of money or damages arising from work done by or on behalf of CONTRACTOR pursuant to the Agreement, and payment of which is not otherwise expressly provided for or the claimant is not otherwise entitled to, or the amount of the payment which is disputed by OWNER.

B. Each claim must be submitted in writing five days after the damage was sustained or after the event or action giving rise to the claim and shall include all documents necessary to substantiate the claim. OWNER shall respond in writing within 45 days of receipt of the claim if the claim is less than or equal to \$50,000 ("\$50,000 claim") or within 60 days if the claim is over \$50,000 but less than or equal to \$375,000 ("\$50,000-\$375,000 claim"). In either case, OWNER may request in writing within 30 days of receipt of the claim any additional documentation supporting the claim or relating to any defenses to the claim which OWNER may have against CONTRACTOR. Any additional information shall be requested and provided upon mutual agreement of OWNER and CONTRACTOR.

C. OWNER's written response to the claim shall be submitted to CONTRACTOR within 15 days after receipt of the further documentation for \$50,000 claims or within 30 days after receipt of the further documentation for \$50,000-\$375,000 claims or within a period of time no greater than that taken by CONTRACTOR in producing the additional information, whichever is greater.

D. Within 15 days of receipt of OWNER's response, if CONTRACTOR disputes OWNER's written response, or within 15 days of OWNER's failure to respond within the time prescribed, CONTRACTOR shall provide written notification to OWNER demanding an informal conference to meet and confer ("Conference") to be scheduled by OWNER within 30 days. Following the Conference, if any claim or portion remains in dispute, CONTRACTOR may file a claim as provided in Chapter 1 (commencing with Section 900) and Chapter 2 (commencing with Section 910) of Part 3 of Division 3.6 of Title 1 of the Government Code. For purposes of those provisions, the period of time within which a claim must be filed is tolled from the time CONTRACTOR submits the

written claim pursuant to this section until the time that claim is denied as a result of the conference process, including any period of time utilized by the meet and confer process.

E. Pursuant to Public Contract Code Section 20104.2(f), this paragraph does not apply to tort claims and does not change the period for filing tort claims or actions specified by Chapter 1 (commencing with Section 900) and Chapter 2 (commencing with Section 910) of Part 3 of Division 3.6 of Title 1 of the Government Code.

F. If a civil action is filed, within 60 days but no earlier than 30 days following the filing of responsive pleadings, the court shall submit the matter to nonbinding mediation unless waived by mutual stipulation of both parties. The mediation process shall provide that the parties select a disinterested third person mediator within 15 days; that mediation shall be commenced within 30 days of the submittal, and shall be concluded within 15 days of the commencement of the mediation unless time is extended upon a good cause showing to the court or by stipulation of the parties. If the parties fail to select a mediator within the 15-day period, any party may petition the court to appoint a mediator.

G. If the matter remains in dispute, the case shall be submitted to judicial arbitration as set forth in Public Contract Code Section 20104.4 (b)(1) through (b)(3).

H. In the event of a claim for an amount in excess of \$375,000, the parties shall follow the procedures applicable to claims over \$50,000 and less than or equal to \$375,000, and:

(1) All such actions as are required by these procedures are to be completed prior to any resort to judicial action.

(2) In the event of disputes not resolved by the parties, the parties agree to appoint a mediator mutually acceptable to both parties to resolve all disputes.

(3) In the event the parties are unable to agree on a mediator, the mediator is to be selected by application to the Superior Court of the county in which OWNER is located for selection of the mediator from a list of names provided by the parties, each party submitting no more than three names.

(4) The selected mediator shall set a mediation as soon as possible. In the event the dispute is not resolved by mediation, the parties may then resort to the judicial process. I. In the event a dispute arises between the parties during the course of the Project, the parties shall attempt to resolve the dispute using the procedures set forth in this section. Pending resolution of the dispute, CONTRACTOR shall diligently continue to work on the Project to completion. CONTRACTOR agrees it will neither rescind the Agreement nor stop progress of the work, and CONTRACTOR's sole remedy shall be the procedures set forth in this section.

#### 26. Fingerprinting Workers.

A. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the applicable requirements of Education Code Sections 45125.1 and 45125.2 with respect to fingerprinting CONTRACTOR's employees. CONTRACTOR shall also ensure that each of its subcontractors on the Project complies with the applicable requirements of Sections 45125.1 and 45125.2. To this end, the CONTRACTOR and its subcontractors must provide for the completion of the certification form included in the Contract Documents prior to commencing work on the Project.

B. Should CONTRACTOR or any subcontractor feel its employees will have limited or less contact with OWNER pupils, application shall be made to the OWNER for a determination on that question. The determination by OWNER shall be final.

C. Use of Education Code Section 45122.2(a)(1), (2) or (3) for compliance with these fingerprinting requirements is subject to prior OWNER approval. The determination by OWNER on application of any of these sections shall be final.

D. In no event shall any employee of CONTRACTOR or its subcontractors come into contact with OWNER's pupils before the certification is completed and approved by OWNER.

27. <u>Entire Agreement</u>. The Agreement, including the Contract Documents incorporated by reference, constitutes the final, complete, and exclusive statement of the terms of the agreement between the parties pertaining to the public works construction project which is the subject of the Agreement, and supersedes all prior and contemporaneous understandings or agreements of the parties. No party has been induced to enter into this Agreement by, nor is any party relying on, any representation or warranty outside those expressly set forth in this Agreement.

Executed at Bakersfield, Kern County, California.

DATED:	

Bakersfield City School District

OWNER

\*Ву: \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOLS LEGAL SERVICE PUBLIC WORKS BID PACKET 1214 CONSTRUCTION AGREEMENT (SMALL PROJECTS) PAGE 11 OF 12 Title: Supt. Business Services Address: 1300 Baker St. Bakersfield,CA 93305

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_

#### CONTRACTOR

By: Title: Address:

Contractor's License No.

#### Contractor's DIR Registration No.

\*Important Notice: California law provides that "A contractor or subcontractor shall not be qualified to bid on, be listed in a bid proposal, subject to the requirements of Section 4104 of the Public Contract Code, or engage in the performance of any contract for public work, as defined in this chapter, unless currently registered and qualified to perform public work pursuant to Labor Code Section 1725.5." Please go to <u>http://www.dir.ca.gov/Public-Works/PublicWorks.html</u> for more information and to register. This project is subject to monitoring by the Department of Industrial Relations.

# **12-PAYMENT BOND**

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:

WHEREAS, Contractor/Principal is required by Division 4, Part 6, Title 3, Chapter 5 (commencing at Section 9550) of the California Civil Code to furnish a bond in connection with the contract;

NOV	V, THERE	FORE	E, we, t	he Cont	ractor/Pri	incipal a	and					
as	Surety,	are	held	firmly	bound	unto	Owner	in	the	penal	sum	of
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THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH that if the Contractor/Principal, his/her or its heirs, executors, administrators, successors, or assigns, or a subcontractor, shall fail to pay any person or persons named in Civil Code Section 9100 or fail to pay for any materials or other supplies used in, upon, for, or about the performance of the work contracted to be done, or for any work or labor thereon of any kind, or for amounts due under the Unemployment Insurance Code with respect to work or labor thereon of any kind, or shall fail to deduct, withhold, and pay over to the Employment Development Department any amounts required to be deducted, withheld, and paid over by Section 13020 of the Unemployment Insurance Code with respect to work and labor thereon of any kind, then said Surety will pay for the same, in or to an amount not exceeding the amount set forth above, and in case suit is brought upon this bond Surety will also pay such reasonable attorney's fees as shall be fixed by the court, awarded and taxed as provided in Division 4, Part 6, Title 3, Chapter 5 (commencing at Section 9550) of the California Civil Code.

This bond shall inure to the benefit of any of the persons named in Section 9100 of the California Civil Code so as to give a right of action to such person or their assigns in any suit brought upon this bond.

It is further stipulated and agreed that the Surety of this bond shall not be exonerated or released from the obligation of the bond by any change, extension of time for performance, addition, alteration, or modification in, to, or of any contract, plans, specifications, or agreement pertaining or relating to any scheme or work of improvement described above or pertaining or relating to the furnishing of labor, materials, or equipment therefor, nor by any change or modification of any terms of payment or extension of the time for any payment pertaining or relating to any scheme or work of improvement described above, nor by any rescission or attempted rescission of the contract, agreement, or bond, nor by any conditions precedent or subsequent in the bond attempting to limit the right of recovery of claimants otherwise entitled to recover under

any such contract or agreement or under the bond, nor by any fraud practiced by any person other than the claimant seeking to recover on the bond, and

that this bond be construed most strongly against the Surety and in favor of all persons for whose benefit such bond is given, and under no circumstances shall Surety be released from liability to those for whose benefit such bond has been given, by reason of any breach of contract between the Owner and original contractor or on the part of any obligee named in such bond, but the sole conditions of recovery shall be that claimant is a person described in Section 8400 and 8402 of the California Civil Code and has not been paid the full amount of his/her or its claim and that Surety does hereby waive notice of any such change, extension of time, addition, alteration, or modification.

Any claims under this bond may be addressed to:

Name & address of Surety	
Name & address of agent or representative in California, if different than above Telephone # of Surety, or agent or representative in California	
of, 20	tour hands and seals on this day
[SEAL] Con	tractor/Principal
By:	Signature
Prin	t Name Above
Prin	t Title Above
Sure	ety:
	Signature
Prin	t Name Above

Print Title Above

# [SEAL AND NOTARIAL ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF SURETY]

# 13-PERFORMANCE BOND

#### KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:

WHEREAS, the Bakersfield City School District (referred to as "Owner"), has awarded to (referred to as "Contractor/Principal") a contract for the work described as follows: New Masonry Perimeter Wall & New Iron Fencing and Gates (Project #22244.00-73-MD) Bid Package #

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the Contractor/Principal and \_\_\_\_\_\_, as Surety, are held firmly bound unto Owner in the penal sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_\_ Dollars (\$\_\_\_\_\_\_), lawful money of the United States of America for the payment of which sum well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

THE CONDITIONS OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH THAT, if the hereby bonded Contractor/Principal, its heirs, executors, administrators, successors, or assigns, shall in all things stand to and abide by and well and truly keep and perform all the undertakings, terms, covenants, conditions, and agreements in the said contract and any alteration thereof, made as therein provided, including but not limited to the provisions regarding contract duration, indemnification, and liquidated damages, all within the time and in the manner therein designated in all respects according to their true intent and meaning, then this obligation shall become null and void; otherwise, it shall be and remain in full force and effect.

As a condition precedent to the satisfactory completion of the contract, the above obligation shall hold good for a period of one (1) year(s) after the acceptance of the work by the Owner, during which time if Contractor/Principal shall fail to make full, complete, and satisfactory repair and replacements and totally protect the Owner from loss or damage made evident during the period of one (1) year(s) from the date of completion of the work, and resulting from or caused by defective materials or faulty workmanship, the above obligation in penal sum thereof shall remain in full force and effect. The obligation of Surety under this bond shall continue so long as any obligation of Contractor/Principal remains.

Whenever Contractor/Principal shall be, and is declared by the Owner to be, in default under the contract, the Owner having performed the Owner's obligations under the contract, the Surety shall promptly remedy the default, or shall promptly:

1. Complete the contract in accordance with its terms and conditions; or

2. Obtain a bid or bids for completing the contract in accordance with its terms and conditions, an upon determination by Surety of the lowest responsive and responsible bidder, arrange for a contract between such bidder and the Owner, and make available as work progresses sufficient funds to pay the cost of completion less the balance of the contract price, but not exceeding, including other costs and damages for which Surety may be liable under this Performance Bond, the amount set forth above. The term "balance of the contract price" as used in this paragraph shall mean the total amount payable to Contractor/Principal by the Owner under the

contract and any modifications to it, less the amount previously paid by the Owner to the Contractor/Principal.

Surety expressly agrees that the Owner may reject any contractor or subcontractor which may be proposed by Surety in fulfillment of its obligations in the event of default by the Contractor/Principal.

Surety shall not utilize Contractor/Principal in completing the contract nor shall Surety accept a bid from Contractor/Principal for completion of the work if the Owner, when declaring the Contractor/Principal in default, notifies Surety of the Owner's objection to Contractor/Principal's further participation in the completion of the work.

No right of action shall accrue on this bond to or for the use of any person or corporation other than the Owner named herein or the successors or assigns of the Owner. Any suit under this bond must be instituted within the applicable statute of limitations period.

FURTHER, for value received, the Surety hereby stipulates and agrees that no change, extension of time, alternation, or modification of the Contract Documents, or of the work to be performed under them, shall in any way affect its obligations on this bond; and it does hereby waive notice of any change, extension of time, alteration, or modification of the Contract Documents or of work to be performed under them.

Contractor/Principal and Surety agree that if the Owner is required to engage the services of an attorney in connection with the enforcement of this bond, each shall pay Owner's reasonable attorney's fees incurred, with or without suit, in addition to the above amount.

Any claims under this bond may be addressed to:

Name and address of Surety:

Name and address of agent or representative in California, if different than above:

Telephone number of Surety, or agent or representative in California:

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereto set our hands and seals on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

[SEAL]

CONTRACTOR/PRINCIPAL

By\_\_\_\_

Signature

Type or Print Name Above

Type of Print Title Above

SURETY

By\_\_\_\_\_ Signature

Type or Print Name Above

Type of Print Title Above

[SEAL AND NOTARIAL ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF SURETY]

# **14-WORKERS' COMPENSATION CERTIFICATE**

# PROJECT TITLE: BID #: New Masonry Perimeter Wall & New Iron Fencing and Gates (Project #22244.00-73-MD)

#### **OWNER: Bakersfield City School District**

Labor Code Section 3700 provides:

"Every employer except the state shall secure the payment of compensation in one or more of the following ways:

"(a) By being insured against liability to pay compensation in one or more insurers duly authorized to write compensation insurance in this state.

"(b) By securing from the Director of Industrial Relations a certificate of consent to self-insure either as an individual employer, or as one employer in a group of employers, which may be given upon furnishing proof satisfactory to the Director of Industrial Relations of ability to self-insure and to pay any compensation that may become due to his or her employees.

"(c) For any county, city, city and county, municipal corporation, public district, public agency, or any political subdivision of the state, including each member of a pooling arrangement under a joint exercise of powers agreement (but not the state itself), by securing from the Director of Industrial Relations a certificate of consent to self-insure against workers' compensation claims, which certificate may be given upon furnishing proof satisfactory to the Director of Industrial Relations of ability to administer workers' compensation claims properly, and to pay workers' compensation claims that may become due to its employees. On or before March 31, 1979, a political subdivision of the state which on December 31, 1978, was uninsured for its liability to pay compensation, shall file a properly completed and executed application for a certificate of consent to self-insure against workers' compensation claims. The certificate shall be issued and be subject to the provisions of Section 3702."

I am aware of the provisions of Labor Code Section 3700 which require every employer to be insured against liability for workers' compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of that code, and I will comply with such provisions before commencing and during the performance of the work on this Project.

Print Name of Contractor Above

By:\_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name Above
Title:

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# **15-GUARANTEE**

#### PROJECT TITLE: BID #: New Masonry Perimeter Wall & New Iron Fencing and Gates (Project #22244.00-73-MD)

#### **OWNER:** Bakersfield City School District

We guarantee that the construction work described above has been performed in accordance with, and complies with, the Contract Documents. We agree to repair or replace any or all of the work, together with any other adjacent work which may be required in connection with it, that may prove to be defective in workmanship or material within a period of one year from the date of acceptance of the project by Owner and the filing of the final verified report with the Division of State Architect (DSA), ordinary wear and tear excepted.

In the event of our failure to comply with these conditions within the applicable time frame as determined by Owner pursuant to the Contact Documents, in no event later than one week after being notified in writing by Owner, we authorize Owner to proceed to have the defects repaired at our expense, for which we will pay the costs and charges upon demand.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Contractor

By:\_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_ Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Representative of Contractor to be Contacted for Service:

Name:\_\_\_\_\_

Address:	

Telephone number of Contact: \_\_\_\_

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#### **16-FINGERPRINTING CERTIFICATION BY CONTRACTORS**

Bakersfield City School District (referred to as "Owner") New Masonry Perimeter Wall & New Iron Fencing and Gates (Project #22244.00-73-MD) (*Project Identification*)

l,	, am an
[type or print nam	e/ Owner of the company named below
	Partner of the partnership named below
[check one]	President or CEO of the corporation named below
[•••••••]	Principal of the joint venture named below
	Other [specify]
The contracting entity named belo	w is a contractor on the referenced project and as such hereby certifies:
	<i>[For compliance with Education Code Section 45125.2(a)(1)]</i> That a physical barrier will be erected at the workplace to limit employee contact with Owner's pupils.
	[For compliance with Education Code Section 45125.2(a)(2)] That the contracting entity named below will provide continual supervision and monitoring of the employees of the entity and its subcontractors through its employee It has been ascertained by the Department of Justice that the named employee has not been convicted of a violent or serious felony. Contractor has requested subsequent arrest information from the Department of Justice concerning such employee and will immediately notify District and remove the employee from the Project if subsequent arrest information indicates the employee has been convicted of a serious or violent felony.
[check one or more]	[For compliance with Education Code Section 45125.2(a)(3)] That the contracting entity named below has contracted with Owner for reimbursement of Owner expense incurred in providing surveillance by school personnel of the employees of the entity and its subcontractors on the Project.
	[For compliance with Education Code Section 45125.1(g). Note: We believe this section may still be applicable to construction contractors where 45125.2(a) is insufficient to ensure pupil safety, e.g., where workers will be simultaneously working at various locations on a school site.]
	That neither myself nor any employees of the contracting entity named below or its subcontractors on the Project who are required by law to submit or have their fingerprints submitted to the Department of Justice, and who may come in contact with pupils, have been convicted of a felony defined in Education Code Section 45122.1. [For compliance where there is limited contact or less with
	<i>pupils</i> ] That the contracting entity named below is exempt from fingerprinting requirements as the Owner has determined the employees of the entity and its subcontractors will have no more than limited contact with Owner's pupils during the Project.

[name of contracting entity]

DATE:

SIGNATURE

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

# 18-ESCROW AGREEMENT FOR SECURITY DEPOSITS IN LIEU OF RETENTION

This Escrow Agreement is made and entered into by and between Owner **Bakersfield**City School District, whose address is 1300 Baker St. Bakersfield, CA 93305, and
Contractor\_\_\_\_\_\_, whose address is
\_\_\_\_\_\_, and Escrow Agent
\_\_\_\_\_\_, whose address is

For the consideration set forth in this Agreement, the Owner, Contractor, and Escrow Agent agree as follows:

1. Pursuant to Section 22300 of the Public Contract Code of the State of California, Contractor has the option to deposit securities with Escrow Agent as a substitute for retention earnings required to be withheld by Owner pursuant to the Construction Agreement entered into between the Owner and Contractor for:

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in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_\_, dated \_\_\_\_\_\_ (referred to as the "Construction Agreement"). Alternatively, on written request of Contractor, Owner shall make payments of the retention earnings directly to the Escrow Agent. When Contractor deposits the securities as a substitute for retention earnings, the Escrow Agent shall notify the Owner within 10 days of the deposit. The market value of the securities at the time of the substitution shall be at least equal to the cash amount then required to be withheld as retention under the terms of the Construction Agreement between the Owner and Contractor. Securities shall be held in the name of and shall designate the Contractor as the beneficial owner.

2. Owner shall make progress payments to Contractor for those funds which otherwise would be withheld from progress payments under the provisions of the Construction Agreement, provided the Escrow Agent holds securities in the form and amount specified above.

3. When Owner makes payments of retentions earned directly to the Escrow Agent, the Escrow Agent shall hold them for the benefit of Contractor until the time the escrow created under this Escrow Agreement is terminated. Contractor may direct investment of the payments into securities. All terms and conditions of this Escrow Agreement and the rights and responsibilities of the parties shall be equally applicable and binding when Owner pays the Escrow Agent directly.

4. Contractor shall be responsible for paying all fees for the expenses incurred by Escrow Agent in administering the Escrow Account and all expenses of Owner. These

expenses and payment terms shall be determined by Owner, Contractor, and Escrow Agent.

5. The interest earned on the securities or the money market accounts held in escrow, and all interest earned on that interest, shall be for the sole account of Contractor and shall be subject to withdrawal by Contractor at any time and from time to time without notice to the Owner.

6. Contractor shall have the right to withdraw all or any part of the principal in the Escrow Account only by written notice to Escrow Agent accompanied by written authorization from Owner to Escrow Agent that Owner consents to withdrawal of the amount sought to be withdrawn by Contractor.

7. Owner shall have a right to draw upon the securities in the event of default by Contractor. Upon seven days' written notice of the default to the Escrow Agent from Owner, Escrow Agent shall immediately convert the securities to cash and distribute the cash as instructed by Owner.

8. Upon receipt of written notification from Owner certifying that the work under the Construction Agreement is final and complete, and that Contractor has complied with all requirements and procedures applicable to the Construction Agreement, Escrow Agent shall release to Contractor all securities and interest on deposit less escrow fees and charges of the Escrow Account. The escrow shall be closed immediately upon disbursement of all monies and securities on deposit and payment of fees and charges.

9. Escrow Agent shall rely on the written notifications from Owner and Contractor pursuant to Sections 6 to 8, inclusive, of this Escrow Agreement and Owner and Contractor shall hold Escrow Agent harmless from Escrow Agent's release and disbursement of the securities and interest as set forth above.

10. The names of the persons who are authorized to give written notice or to receive written notice on behalf of Owner and on behalf of Contractor in connection with the foregoing, and exemplars of their respective signatures, are as follows:

On behalf of Owner:	On behalf of Contractor:
Title	Title
Name Above [typed or printed]	Name Above [typed or printed]
Signature	Signature
Address:	Address:
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On behalf of Escrow Agent:

Title\_\_\_\_\_

Name Above [typed or printed]

Signature

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

At the time the Escrow Account is opened, the Owner and Contractor shall deliver to the Escrow Agent a fully executed counterpart of this Escrow Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Escrow Agreement by their proper officers on the date first set forth above.

Owner	Contractor
Title Above	Title Above
Name Above [typed or printed]	Name Above [typed or printed]
Signature	Signature
	Escrow Agent
	Title Above
	Name Above [typed or printed]
	Signature

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# **19-SHOP DRAWING TRANSMITTAL**

# PROJECT TITLE/ BID #: New Masonry Perimeter Wall & New Iron Fencing and Gates (Project #22244.00-73-MD) OWNER: Bakersfield City School District

The procedure governing shop drawing submittals is contained in the Contract Documents. All requirements must be followed by the Contractor. Failure to comply with all requirements will constitute grounds for return of the shop drawing for proper resubmittal. The Contractor shall sequentially number each submittal, using this form.

Date:

Submittal No.

From:

To:

This is:	an ori	iginal submittal	
	a 2nd	submittal	
	a [	] submittal	

Subject of Submittal:

Material or Equipment Designation:

Specification Section(s):

Check either (a) or (b)

(a) We have verified that the material or equipment contained in this submittal meets all the requirements specified or shown (<u>no exceptions</u>).

(b) We have verified that the material or equipment contained in this submittal meets all the requirements specified or shown, except for the following deviations (List deviations on attached sheet).

The Contractor has reviewed and approved not only the field dimensions but the construction criteria and has also made written notation regarding any information in the shop drawings that does not conform to the Contract Documents. This shop drawing has been coordinated with all other shop drawings received to date by Contractor and this duty of coordination has not been delegated to subcontractors, material suppliers, the architect, or the engineers on this project.

Signature of Contractor or Supplier

# 20-DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE CERTIFICATION

# PROJECT TITLE/BID #: New Masonry Perimeter Wall & New Iron Fencing and Gates (Project #22244.00-73-MD)

#### **OWNER: Bakersfield City School District**

This Drug-Free Workplace Certification is required pursuant to Government Code Section 8350 and following sections, and the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1990. The Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1990 requires that every person or organization awarded a contract for the procurement of any property or services from any state agency must certify that it will provide a drug-free workplace by doing certain specified acts. In addition, the Act provides that each contract awarded by a state agency may be subject to suspension of payments or termination of the contract and the contractor may be subject to debarment from future contracting, if the state agency determines that specified acts have occurred.

Pursuant to Government Code Section 8355, every person or organization awarded a contract from a state agency shall certify that it will provide a drug-free workplace by doing all of the following:

A. Publishing a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the person's or organization's workplace, and specifying actions which will be taken against employees for violations of the prohibition;

B. Establishing a drug-free awareness program to inform employees about all of the following:

- 1. The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
- 2. The person's or organization's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
- 3. The availability of drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employeeassistance programs;
- 4. The penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations;

C. Requiring that each employee engaged in the performance of work on the Project be given a copy of the statement required by subdivision (a), and that as

a condition of employment on the Contract the employee agrees to abide by the terms of the statement.

I, the undersigned, agree to fulfill the terms and requirements of Government Code Section 8355 listed above and will publish a statement notifying employees concerning (a) the prohibition of controlled substances at the workplace, (b) establishing a drugfree awareness program, and (c) requiring that each employee engaged in the performance of the Contract be given a copy of the statement required by Section 8355(a) and requiring that the employee agree to abide by the terms of that statement.

I also understand that if the Owner determines that I have either (a) made a false certification or (b) violated this certification by failing to carry out the requirements of Section 8355, the contract awarded is subject to suspension of payments, termination, or both. I further understand that should I violate the terms of the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1990, I may be subject to debarment in accordance with the requirements of Section 8350 and following sections.

I acknowledge that I am aware of the provisions of Government Code Section 8350 and following sections, and hereby certify that I will adhere to the requirements of the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1990.

Name	of Contractor	 
Signatu	ire	 
Print Na	ame Above	 
Print Ti	tle Above	 
Date: _		 1 1 I

# 21-CHANGE ORDER NO.

PROJECT TITLE/BID #: New Masonry Perimeter Wall & New Iron Fencing and Gates (Project #22244.00-73-MD)

**OWNER: Bakersfield City School District** 

To:

# YOU ARE HEREBY DIRECTED TO PROVIDE THE EXTRA WORK NECESSARY TO COMPLY WITH THIS CHANGE ORDER.

DESCRIPTION OF CHANGE:

AGREED COST (This cost shall not be exceeded): \$

#### ADJUSTMENTS TO CONTRACT PRICE:

Original Contract Price:	\$
Prior Change Order Totals:	\$
This Change Order Amount:	\$
New Contract Price:	\$

### ADJUSTMENTS TO TIME FOR COMPLETION:

Original completion date:

Prior adjustments previously agreed:

Time for completion of this Change Order:

New completion date:

THE COMPENSATION (TIME AND COST) SET FORTH IN THIS CHANGE ORDER COMPRISES THE TOTAL COMPENSATION DUE THE CONTRACTOR FOR THE CHANGE DEFINED IN THE CHANGE ORDER. INCLUDING IMPACT ON UNCHANGED WORK. ACCEPTANCE OF THIS CHANGE ORDER CONSTITUTES A FULL AND COMPLETE ACCORD AND SATISFACTION OF ANY AND ALL CLAIMS BY CONTRACTOR ARISING OUT OF OR RELATING TO THE CHANGE ORDER, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO CLAIMS FOR CONTRACT BALANCE AND RETENTION, TIME, EXTENDED FIELD OR HOME OFFICE, OR OTHER OVERHEAD, ALL ACCELERATION, IMPACT, DISRUPTION, AND DELAY DAMAGES, ANY AND ALL OTHER DIRECT AND/OR INDIRECT COSTS, CLAIMS BY SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS, AND ANY AND ALL OTHER CLAIMS AGAINST THE OWNER FOR TIME OR MONEY, FROM ANY SOURCE AND UNDER ANY LEGAL THEORY WHATSOEVER, AS TO THE SUBJECT OF THIS CHANGE ORDER. NO SIGNATURE UNDER PROTEST OR ACCOMPANIED BY RESERVATION OF RIGHTS OR PROTEST LANGUAGE. OR ANY OTHER ATTEMPTS TO AVOID SUCH WAIVER SHALL BE OF ANY FORCE OR EFFECT WHATSOEVER. NO ADDITIONS OR DELETIONS TO THIS CHANGE ORDER SHALL BE ALLOWED, EXCEPT WITH WRITTEN PERMISSION OF OWNER.

This Change Order is hereby agreed to, accepted, and approved.

On behalf of Owner:

On behalf of Contractor:

Print Title Above

Print Title Above

Signature

Signature

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND CONTENT:

On behalf of Architect:

Print Title Above

Signature

Date

# 22-CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE AT MANDATORY JOB WALK

On projects including a mandatory job walk, this form must be submitted with the bid or bidder will be declared "non-responsive"

# PROJECT TITLE/ BID #: New Masonry Perimeter Wall & New Iron Fencing and Gates (Project #22244.00-73-MD) OWNER: Bakersfield City School District

It is the Owner's intention to provide all contractors with equal access to information regarding this project. Further, the Owner has issued plans and specifications to bidders and has allowed bidders the opportunity to inspect the site with knowledgeable personnel at the job walk. Therefore it is understood that the Owner may declare the bid non-responsive for any of the following conditions:

- 1. If a bidder attends the entire mandatory job walk but fails to complete this form;
- 2. If a bidder fails to attend the entire mandatory job walk;
- 3. If a bidder fails to attend the entire mandatory job walk but certifies that he was in attendance. [NOTE: This may also lead to a determination that the bidder is non-responsive.]

Please check one of the following:

- I attended the entire mandatory job walk
- $\square$
- **-OR-**I did not attend the entire mandatory job walk.

I hereby certify under penalty of the perjury laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed at , California, on , 20

Firm Name:

By: Print Name Above

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Print Title: