

CONSTRUCTION DOCUMENTS: January 13, 2023

PROJECT MANUAL

VOLUME 2 OF 2 : DIVISIONS 21-34

CLARKSTOWN CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Masonry Reconstruction & Capital Project Phase 5

MASONRY RECONSTRUCTION:

Birchwood Elementary School
New City Elementary School
Little Tor Elementary School
West Nyack Elementary School
Bardonia Elementary School
Dina Link Elementary School
Woodglen Elementary School
Lakewood Elementary School
Strawtown Elementary School

SED #50-01-01-06-0-002-015
SED #50-01-01-06-0-003-016
SED #50-01-01-06-0-004-017
SED #50-01-01-06-0-006-020
SED #50-01-01-06-0-007-022
SED #50-01-01-06-0-013-016
SED #50-01-01-06-0-016-016
SED #50-01-01-06-0-017-013
SED #50-01-01-06-0-019-018

CAPITAL PROJECT PHASE 5:

Clarkstown North High School
Felix V. Festa Middle School
Clarkstown South High School

SED #50-01-01-06-0-010-025
SED #50-01-01-06-0-012-034
SED #50-01-01-06-0-018-028

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The design of this project conforms to applicable provisions of the New York State Uniform Fire Prevention and Building Code, the New York State Energy Conservation Construction Code, and the Manual of Planning Standards of the New York State Education Department

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SECTION 230500 - GENERAL MECHANICAL REQUIREMENTS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this and all Division 23 Sections.

1.2 PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS

- A. All work under this title, on drawings or specified, is subject to the general and special contract conditions for the entire project, and the contractor for this portion of the work is required to refer especially thereto, and to the architectural drawings.
- B. Drawings are diagrammatic and specifications are complementary and must be so interpreted to determine the full scope of work under this heading. Wherever any material, article, operation or method is either specified or shown on the drawings, this contractor is required to provide each item and perform each prescribed operation according to the designate quality, qualification or condition, furnishing all necessary labor, equipment or incidentals.
- C. Wherever the designation "Architect" appears, it shall imply Architect or Engineer. Wherever the term "Contractor" or "MC" appears, it shall imply the Contractor responsible for Division 23, Mechanical Work.

1.3 CONFLICTS

- A. If, in the interpretation of contract documents, it appears that the drawings and specifications are not in agreement, the Contractor is to contact the Engineer. The Engineer shall be the final authority. Addenda supersede the provisions which they amend.
- B. In the absence of a written clarification by the engineer, the Contractor must install his work in accordance with the more stringent and/or costly condition. Contractor assumes full responsibility for any and all items furnished and installed without the written approval by the Architect or Engineer. Under no circumstances will a change order be approved for work installed that was not approved by the Architect or Engineer.

1.4 DIMENSIONS, LAYOUTS AND OBSTACLES

- A. Verify dimensions and elevations from actual field measurements after building construction has sufficiently progressed.
- B. Assume full and final responsibility for the accuracy of any or all work performed under this Division and make repairs and corrections as required or directed at no extra cost to the Owner.
- C. Layouts of piping, ductwork, and equipment shown on drawings are diagrammatic and shall be construed as such. **DO NOT SCALE DRAWINGS.** Contractor shall field verify all existing conditions prior to fabrication and installation of material. It is recommended that the contractor verify all existing conditions prior to submitting a proposal. Lack of field verification does not constitute a basis for additional monies during construction. Contractor assumes full responsibility for completeness of installation including coordination of work with other trades.
- D. Make actual installations in accord with said layouts, but with necessary deviations as directed or required by job conditions and field measurements in order to produce a thoroughly integrated and practical job upon completing, but make deviations only with specific approval of the Engineer/Architect.
 - 1. Take particular care to coordinate all piping and ductwork under this Division to prevent conflict and remove and relocate work as may be made necessary by such conflict at no extra cost to the Owner.
 - 2. Unless expressly permitted by the Engineer/Architect or shown otherwise on the Drawings, all piping, ducts and similar items shall be installed so that they are concealed except as permitted by the Engineer/Architect in service rooms noted on the Drawings.
- E. The Owner or Owner's Representative reserves the right to relocate terminal equipment six (6) feet in any direction from locations indicated on plans, before roughing-in, with no change in contract price.

1.5 REVIEW OF MATERIAL

- A. Items specified have been checked by the Engineer for performance and space limitation.
- B. In order for Engineer to consider "equal", Contractor must certify by letter that he has checked the product for conformance to specifications and space limitations and assumes full responsibility thereafter.
- C. Engineer, not Contractor or Vendor, shall be the final judge of equal materials.

- D. Substitutions are defined as any manufacturer and/or model not indicated in drawings or specifications. Requests for substitutions must be made in writing ten (10) days prior to bid date so that an addendum may reach all contractors.
- E. If substitutions are proposed after the bids are received, the Contractor shall state amount of credit to the Owner for substitution. Substitutions that are considered equal by the Contractor and carried in bid without approval by Engineer shall be the responsibility of the Contractor. The Engineer and/or Owner shall not be made liable or responsible for losses incurred by the Contractor, due to the rejection of said items for installation.
- F. Where equipment requiring different arrangement or connections other than as indicated is acceptable, it shall be the responsibility of this Contractor to furnish revised layouts, and install the equipment to operate properly and in harmony with the intent of the drawings and specifications. All changes in the work required by the different arrangement shall be done at no additional cost to the Owner, including but not limited to structural steel modifications. Control and power wiring modifications required by Contractor, imposed modifications, and the additional cost of these modifications, shall be the responsibility of this Contractor.
- G. Upon review of equipment list by Engineer, copies of submittal prints shall be forwarded to Engineer within 30 days.

1.6 PERMITS, CODES AND ORDINANCES

- A. The Contractor shall arrange and pay for all permits, inspections, etc., as required by local utilities or applicable agencies.
- B. All work and material shall be in complete accordance with the ordinances, regulations, codes, etc., of all political entities exercising jurisdictions, specifically including the NYS Energy Code.

1.7 COORDINATION WITH OTHER TRADES

- A. Check mechanical drawings with all other trades including electrical, plumbing, fire protection and general construction.
- B. Anticipate and avoid interferences with other trades.
- C. Take particular care to coordinate all piping, ductwork, plumbing and major electrical components above ceiling, to prevent conflict. Remove and relocate work as may be made necessary by such conflict, at no extra cost to the Owner. The use of coordination drawings is recommended but may not be required (refer to Division 1 for additional requirements). Lack of coordination drawings assumes contractor has verified and coordinated all work associated with installation.

- D. Obtain decision for approval from project Engineer for proposed group installation before proceeding, and for clearance in structure and finish of the building.
- E. Verify with drawings all ductwork and equipment layout in concealed areas.
- F. Running pipe and ductwork over electrical equipment and in elevator machine rooms is prohibited.
- G. The Contractor to coordinate with, receive and install, Owner furnished equipment where indicated.

1.8 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Delivery of Materials: Make provisions for delivery and safe storage of all materials. Check and properly receipt material to be "furnished by others" to contractor, and assume full responsibility for all materials while in storage with full visible identification and information.

1.9 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Existing Conditions: Field verify existing conditions that will determine exact locations, distances, levels, dimensions, elevations, etc. Review all drawings of other trades and report any conflicts to the Architect/Engineer which will affect the project cost. Lack of field verification does not constitute a basis for additional monies during construction. Contractor assumes full responsibility for completeness of installation including coordination of work with other trades.
- B. The existing facility will be occupied and functioning during the entire duration of construction. Care shall be taken when working in or around occupied spaces. There will be no interruption in mechanical systems or utilities without written approval from the Owner.

1.10 MISCELLANEOUS SUPPORT

- A. Mechanical Contractor is responsible for providing all miscellaneous support components necessary for properly supporting equipment including hangers, rods, anchors, steel, etc.

END OF SECTION 230500

SECTION 230502 - MECHANICAL DEMOLITION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Description of Work: Provide mechanical removal work as indicated and as required for removal and/or abandonment of systems, equipment and devices, etc. made obsolete by this Project, and as required for removal and remodeling by other trades.

1.2 EXISTING CONDITIONS

- A. General: In general, existing mechanical systems, equipment and devices are not shown on the Drawings unless pertinent to the demolition and/or remodeling work. Existing conditions, where indicated, are based on casual field observations and/or historical plans prepared as part of original building fit-out, and must be verified. Report any discrepancies to the Engineer before disturbing the existing installation.
- B. Examination: Prior to bidding, examine the site to determine all actual observable conditions. No additional compensation will be granted on account of extra work made necessary by the Contractor's failure to investigate such existing conditions.

1.3 COORDINATION

- A. Adjoining Areas: It is expected that the Contractor understands that adjoining areas of the building (or project site) must remain in operation and mechanical systems and services must remain in operation at all times, unless specifically approved otherwise.
- B. Scheduling: Mechanical removal work shall be scheduled in conjunction with the other trades. Contractor cooperation will be expected under all conditions.
- C. Area Limits: Construction traffic and removal of debris will be limited to specific areas and routes. Confirm with the Owner.

1.4 ADJACENT MATERIALS

- A. Protection: During execution of removal work, primary consideration shall be given to protecting from damage, building structure, furnishings, finishes and the like, which are not specifically indicated to be removed.
- B. Repairs: Existing items or surfaces to remain, which are damaged as a result of this work shall be refinished, repaired or replaced to the satisfaction of the Owner, at no cost to the Contract.

1.5 TRANSIENT SERVICES

- A. Locate and identify any and all mechanical services passing through the project area which serve areas outside the work limits.
- B. Maintain all mechanical services to areas outside the work limits unless specifically authorized otherwise in writing by the Engineer or Owner's Representative. When transient services must be interrupted, provide temporary services for affected areas outside the work limits.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MATERIALS

- A. Patching: Materials used for patching shall be in conformance with the applicable sections of the Project Manual. Where materials are not specifically described, but required for proper completion of the Work, they shall be as selected by the Contractor, subject to approval of the Engineer.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSPECTION/VERIFICATION

- A. Inspection: Before commencing work of this Section, carefully inspect the project site and become familiar with existing systems and conditions.
- B. Items to be Salvaged: Verify with the Engineer and Owner's Representative, all systems, materials and equipment which are to be salvaged, and those which must be removed. The Owner reserves the right to salvage any or all existing mechanical materials and equipment at the project site. Items to be salvaged include, but are not limited to, the following:
 - 1. Albert Leonard Middle School
 - a. Exhaust Fans for reinstallation
 - 2. Columbus Elementary School
 - a. Ductless split system in main office – turn over to Owner.
 - 3. Trinity Elementary School
 - a. Exhaust Fans for reinstallation
 - b. Rooftop Unit for reinstallation
 - c. Condensing Units for reinstallation

3.2 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate removal work with other trades, where applicable.

3.3 DEMOLITION

- A. General: Remove mechanical equipment, ductwork, piping, controls and related materials within the project work limits, as indicated.
- B. Disconnections: Disconnect all electrical devices and equipment located in wall, ceilings or floors scheduled for removal and other equipment, as indicated. Disconnect electrical connections to mechanical and other equipment being removed by other trades.
- C. Protection: Perform all removal work in such a manner so that damage to adjacent items and surfaces is minimized.
- D. Patching: When mechanical materials are removed, patch and finish surfaces to remain to match surrounding surfaces.

3.4 EXISTING MECHANICAL WORK TO REMAIN

- A. General: Protect and maintain access to existing mechanical work which must remain. Reinstall existing mechanical work disturbed.
- B. Reconnections: Where mechanical work in adjoining areas or mechanical work indicated to remain, becomes disconnected or affected by demolition work, reconnect as required, to restore original operation. Restoration work to comply with requirements for new work.

3.5 EXISTING MECHANICAL WORK TO BE RELOCATED

- A. General: Disconnect, remove, reinstall and reconnect existing equipment indicated to be relocated and where require to accommodate remodeling or new construction. Extend existing installations as required. Materials and methods used for relocations and extensions to conform to requirements for new work.

3.6 SHUTDOWNS

- A. General: All shutdowns to existing mechanical services to be scheduled and approved, in writing, by the Owner.

3.7 DISPOSITION OF EXISTING MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT

- A. Items to Salvage: Material and equipment which is indicated (or directed by Owner) to be salvaged, shall be carefully removed and stored where directed on the site.

- B. Items to Reuse/Relocate: Carefully remove and store on site, all material and equipment indicated to be reused or relocated. Thoroughly clean, and make any necessary minor repairs to such equipment, prior to installation.
- C. Items to Remove: Remove and legally dispose of all other materials and debris resulting from demolition work on a daily basis.

3.8 CLEANING

Remove from the Project Site all dirt, dust and debris resulting from removal operations on a daily basis. Refuse shall not be allowed to block or otherwise impair circulation in corridors, stairs, sidewalks, roadways or other traffic areas.

END OF SECTION 230502

SECTION 230513 - COMMON MOTOR REQUIREMENTS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes general requirements for single-phase and polyphase, general-purpose, horizontal, small and medium, squirrel-cage induction motors installed at equipment manufacturer's factory or shipped separately by equipment manufacturer for field installation.

1.2 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate features of motors, installed units, and accessory devices to be compatible with the following:
 - 1. Motor controllers.
 - 2. Torque, speed, and horsepower requirements of the load.
 - 3. Ratings and characteristics of supply circuit and required control sequence.
 - 4. Ambient and environmental conditions of installation location.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 GENERAL MOTOR REQUIREMENTS

- A. Comply with NEMA MG 1 unless otherwise indicated.

2.2 MOTOR CHARACTERISTICS

- A. Duty: Continuous duty at ambient temperature of 40 deg C and at altitude of 3300 feet above sea level.
- B. Capacity and Torque Characteristics: Sufficient to start, accelerate, and operate connected loads at designated speeds, at installed altitude and environment, with indicated operating sequence, and without exceeding nameplate ratings or considering service factor.

2.3 POLYPHASE MOTORS

- A. Description: NEMA MG 1, Design B, medium induction motor.

- B. Efficiency: Energy efficient, as defined in NEMA MG 1.
- C. Service Factor: 1.15.
- D. Multispeed Motors: Separate winding for each speed.
- E. Rotor: Random-wound, squirrel cage.
- F. Bearings: Regreasable, shielded, antifriction ball bearings suitable for radial and thrust loading.
- G. Temperature Rise: Match insulation rating.
- H. Insulation: Class F.
- I. Code Letter Designation:
 - 1. Motors 15 HP and Larger: NEMA starting Code F or Code G.
 - 2. Motors Smaller than 15 HP: Manufacturer's standard starting characteristic.
- J. Enclosure Material: Cast iron for motor frame sizes 324T and larger; rolled steel for motor frame sizes smaller than 324T.

2.4 POLYPHASE MOTORS WITH ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. Motors Used with Reduced-Voltage and Multispeed Controllers: Match wiring connection requirements for controller with required motor leads. Provide terminals in motor terminal box, suited to control method.
- B. Motors Used with Variable Frequency Controllers: Ratings, characteristics, and features coordinated with and approved by controller manufacturer.
 - 1. Windings: Copper magnet wire with moisture-resistant insulation varnish, designed and tested to resist transient spikes, high frequencies, and short time rise pulses produced by pulse-width modulated inverters.
 - 2. Energy- and Premium-Efficient Motors: Class B temperature rise; Class F insulation.
 - 3. Inverter-Duty Motors: Class F temperature rise; Class H insulation.

2.5 SINGLE-PHASE MOTORS

- A. Motors larger than 1/20 hp shall be one of the following, to suit starting torque and requirements of specific motor application:
 - 1. Permanent-split capacitor.
 - 2. Split phase.
 - 3. Capacitor start, inductor run.
 - 4. Capacitor start, capacitor run.

- B. Multispeed Motors: Variable-torque, permanent-split-capacitor type.
- C. Bearings: Prelubricated, antifriction ball bearings or sleeve bearings suitable for radial and thrust loading.
- D. Motors 1/20 HP and Smaller: Shaded-pole type.
- E. Thermal Protection: Internal protection to automatically open power supply circuit to motor when winding temperature exceeds a safe value calibrated to temperature rating of motor insulation. Thermal-protection device shall automatically reset when motor temperature returns to normal range.

END OF SECTION 230513

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SECTION 230515 - VARIABLE FREQUENCY DRIVES

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes separately enclosed, pre-assembled, combination VFDs, rated 600 V and less, for speed control of three-phase, squirrel-cage induction motors.

1.2 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type and rating of VFD indicated. Include features, performance, electrical ratings, operating characteristics, shipping and operating weights, and furnished specialties and accessories.
 - 1. Show tabulations of installed devices, equipment features, and ratings. Include the following:
 - a. Each installed unit's type and details.
 - b. Factory-installed devices.
 - c. Enclosure types and details.
 - d. Nameplate legends.
 - e. Short-circuit current (withstand) rating of enclosed unit.
 - f. Features, characteristics, ratings, and factory settings of each VFD and installed devices.
 - g. Specified modifications.
 - 2. Schematic and Connection Wiring Diagrams: Indicate all field wiring required for the project.

1.3 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Field quality-control reports.

1.4 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Operation and Maintenance Data: For VFDs to include in emergency, operation, and maintenance manuals. In addition to items specified in Division 01 Section "Operation and Maintenance Data," include the following:

1. Manufacturer's written instructions for testing and adjusting thermal-magnetic circuit breaker and MCP trip settings.
2. Manufacturer's written instructions for setting field-adjustable overload relays.
3. Manufacturer's written instructions for testing, adjusting, and reprogramming microprocessor control modules.
4. Manufacturer's written instructions for setting field-adjustable timers, controls, and status and alarm points.

1.5 MAINTENANCE MATERIAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Furnish extra materials described below that match products installed and that are packaged with protective covering for storage and identified with labels describing contents.
 1. Power Fuses: Equal to 10 percent of quantity installed for each size and type, but no fewer than three of each size and type.
 2. Control Power Fuses: Equal to 10 percent of quantity installed for each size and type, but no fewer than two of each size and type.

1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- B. Comply with NFPA 70.

1.7 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. If stored in space that is not permanently enclosed and air conditioned, remove loose packing and flammable materials from inside controllers and install temporary electric heating, with at least 250 W per controller.

1.8 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Environmental Limitations: Rate equipment for continuous operation, capable of driving full load without de-rating, under the following conditions unless otherwise indicated:
 1. Ambient Temperature: Not less than 14 deg F and not exceeding 104 deg F.

2. Ambient Storage Temperature: Not less than minus 4 deg F and not exceeding 140 deg F
3. Humidity: Less than 95 percent (non-condensing).
4. Altitude: Not exceeding 3300 feet.

- B. Product Selection for Restricted Space: Drawings indicate maximum dimensions for VFDs, including clearances between VFDs, and adjacent surfaces and other items.

1.9 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate features of motors, load characteristics, installed units, and accessory devices to be compatible with the following:
1. Torque, speed, and horsepower requirements of the load.
 2. Ratings and characteristics of supply circuit and required control sequence.
 3. Ambient and environmental conditions of installation location.

1.10 WARRANTY

- A. Special Warranty: Manufacturer's standard form in which manufacturer agrees to repair or replace VFDs that fail in materials or workmanship within specified warranty period.
1. Warranty Period: Five years from date of Substantial Completion.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MANUFACTURED UNITS

- A. Basis-of-Design Product: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide product indicated on Drawings or comparable product by one of the following:
1. ABB.
 2. AC Tech/Lenze
 3. Eaton Electrical Inc.; Cutler-Hammer Business Unit
 4. Square D.
- B. General Requirements for VFDs: Comply with NEMA ICS 7, NEMA ICS 61800-2, and UL 508C.
- C. VFD Description: Variable-frequency power converter (rectifier, dc bus, and IGBT, PWM inverter) factory packaged in an enclosure, with integral disconnecting means and

overcurrent and overload protection; listed and labeled by an NRTL as a complete unit; arranged to provide self-protection, protection, and variable-speed control of one or more three-phase induction motors by adjusting output voltage and frequency.

1. Units suitable for operation of NEMA MG 1, Design A and Design B motors as defined by NEMA MG 1, Section IV, Part 30, "Application Considerations for Constant Speed Motors Used on a Sinusoidal Bus with Harmonic Content and General Purpose Motors Used with Adjustable-Voltage or Adjustable-Frequency Controls or Both."
 2. Units suitable for operation of inverter-duty motors as defined by NEMA MG 1, Section IV, Part 31, "Definite-Purpose Inverter-Fed Polyphase Motors."
 3. Listed and labeled for integrated short-circuit current (withstand) rating by an NRTL acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.
- D. Design and Rating: Match load type, such as fans, blowers, and pumps; and type of connection used between motor and load such as direct or through a power-transmission connection.
- E. Output Rating: Three-phase; 10 to 60 Hz, with voltage proportional to frequency throughout voltage range; maximum voltage equals input voltage.
- F. Unit Operating Requirements:
1. Input AC Voltage Tolerance: Plus 10 and minus 10 percent of VFC input voltage rating.
 2. Input AC Voltage Unbalance: Not exceeding 3 percent.
 3. Input Frequency Tolerance: Plus or minus 3 percent of VFC frequency rating.
 4. Minimum Efficiency: 96 percent at 60 Hz, full load.
 5. Minimum Displacement Primary-Side Power Factor: 96 percent under any load or speed condition.
 6. Minimum Short-Circuit Current (Withstand) Rating: 22 kA.
 7. Ambient Temperature Rating: Not less than 14 deg F and not exceeding 104 deg F.
 8. Ambient Storage Temperature Rating: Not less than minus 4 deg F and not exceeding 140 deg F
 9. Humidity Rating: Less than 95 percent (non-condensing).
 10. Altitude Rating: Not exceeding 3300 feet.
 11. Vibration Withstand: Comply with IEC 60068-2-6.
 12. Overload Capability: 1.15 times the base load current for 60 seconds; minimum of 1.8 times the base load current for three seconds.
 13. Starting Torque: Minimum 100 percent of rated torque from 3 to 60 Hz.
 14. Speed Regulation: Plus or minus 5 percent.
 15. Output Carrier Frequency: Selectable; 0.5 to 15 kHz.

16. Stop Modes: Programmable; includes fast, free-wheel, and dc injection braking.
- G. Isolated Control Interface: Allows VFDs to follow remote-control signal over a minimum 40:1 speed range.
 1. Signal: Electrical.
- H. Internal Adjustability Capabilities:
 1. Minimum Speed: 5 to 25 percent of maximum rpm.
 2. Maximum Speed: 80 to 100 percent of maximum rpm.
 3. Acceleration: 0.1 to 999.9 seconds.
 4. Deceleration: 0.1 to 999.9 seconds.
 5. Current Limit: 30 to minimum of 150 percent of maximum rating.
- I. Self-Protection and Reliability Features:
 1. Input transient protection by means of surge suppressors to provide three-phase protection against damage from supply voltage surges 10 percent or more above nominal line voltage.
 2. Loss of Input Signal Protection: Selectable response strategy, including speed default to a percent of the most recent speed, a preset speed, or stop; with alarm.
 3. Under- and overvoltage trips.
 4. Inverter overcurrent trips.
 5. VFD and Motor Overload/Overtemperature Protection: Microprocessor-based thermal protection system for monitoring VFDs and motor thermal characteristics, and for providing VFD overtemperature and motor overload alarm and trip; settings selectable via the keypad; NRTL approved.
 6. Critical frequency rejection, with three selectable, adjustable deadbands.
 7. Instantaneous line-to-line and line-to-ground overcurrent trips.
 8. Loss-of-phase protection.
 9. Reverse-phase protection.
 10. Short-circuit protection.
 11. Motor overtemperature fault.
- J. Automatic Reset/Restart: Attempt three restarts after drive fault or on return of power after an interruption and before shutting down for manual reset or fault correction; adjustable delay time between restart attempts.
- K. Bidirectional Auto Speed Search: Capable of starting VFD into rotating loads spinning in either direction and returning motor to set speed in proper direction, without causing damage to drive, motor, or load.

- L. Torque Boost: Automatically varies starting and continuous torque to at least 1.5 times the minimum torque to ensure high-starting torque and increased torque at slow speeds.
- M. Motor Temperature Compensation at Slow Speeds: Adjustable current fall-back based on output frequency for temperature protection of self-cooled, fan-ventilated motors at slow speeds.
- N. Integral Input Disconnecting Means and OCPD: NEMA KS 1, fusible switch with pad-lockable, door-mounted handle mechanism.
 - 1. Disconnect Rating: Not less than 115 percent of NFPA 70 motor full-load current rating or VFD input current rating, whichever is larger.
 - 2. Auxiliary Contacts: NO/NC, arranged to activate before switch blades open.
 - 3. Auxiliary contacts "a" and "b" arranged to activate with circuit-breaker handle.
 - 4. NC alarm contact that operates only when circuit breaker has tripped.

2.2 CONTROLS AND INDICATION

- A. Status Lights: Door-mounted LED indicators displaying the following conditions:
 - 1. Power on.
 - 2. Run.
 - 3. Overvoltage.
 - 4. Line fault.
 - 5. Overcurrent.
 - 6. External fault.
- B. Panel-Mounted Operator Station: Manufacturer's standard front-accessible, sealed keypad and plain-English language digital display; allows complete programming, program copying, operating, monitoring, and diagnostic capability.
 - 1. Keypad: In addition to required programming and control keys, include keys for HAND, OFF, and AUTO modes.
- C. Historical Logging Information and Displays:
 - 1. Real-time clock with current time and date.
 - 2. Running log of total power versus time.
 - 3. Total run time.
 - 4. Fault log, maintaining last four faults with time and date stamp for each.

- D. Indicating Devices: Digital LCD display and additional readout devices as required, mounted flush in VFD door and connected to display VFD parameters including, but not limited to:
1. Output frequency (Hz).
 2. Motor speed (rpm).
 3. Motor status (running, stop, fault).
 4. Motor current (amperes).
 5. Motor torque (percent).
 6. Fault or alarming status (code).
 7. PID feedback signal (percent).
 8. Set point frequency (Hz).
- E. Control Signal Interfaces:
1. Electric Input Signal Interface:
 - a. A minimum of two programmable analog inputs: 0- to 10-V dc or 4- to 20-mA dc
 - b. A minimum of six multifunction programmable digital inputs.
 2. Remote Signal Inputs: Capability to accept any of the following speed-setting input signals from the BAS or other control systems:
 - a. 0- to 10-V dc.
 - b. 4- to 20-mA dc.
 - c. Potentiometer using up/down digital inputs.
 - d. Fixed frequencies using digital inputs.
 3. Output Signal Interface: A minimum of one programmable analog output signal(s) (0- to 10-V dc or 4- to 20-mA, which can be configured for any of the following:
 - a. Output frequency (Hz).
 - b. Output current (load).
 - c. DC-link voltage (V dc).
 - d. Motor torque (percent).
 - e. Motor speed (rpm).
 - f. Set point frequency (Hz).
 4. Remote Indication Interface: A minimum of two programmable dry-circuit relay outputs (120-V ac, 1 A) for remote indication of the following:
 - a. Motor running.
 - b. Set point speed reached.
 - c. Fault and warning indication (over temperature or over current).

d. PID high- or low-speed limits reached.

- F. BAS Interface: Factory-installed hardware and software to enable the BAS to monitor, control, and display VFD status and alarms and energy usage. Allows VFD to be used with an external system within a multidrop LAN configuration; settings retained within VFD's nonvolatile memory.
1. Network Communications Ports: Ethernet and RS-485.
 2. Embedded BAS Protocols for Network Communications: Contractor to confirm with Technology Contract and Owner's Representative; protocols accessible via the communications ports.

2.3 LINE CONDITIONING AND FILTERING

- A. Input Line Conditioning: Based on the harmonic analysis study and report, provide input filtering, as required, to limit TDD at input terminals of VFCs to less than 8 percent and THD(V) to 5 percent.
- B. Input Line Conditioning: Based on the harmonic analysis study and report, provide input filtering, as required, to limit TDD and THD(V) at the defined PCC per IEEE 519.
- C. EMI/RFI Filtering: CE marked; certify compliance with IEC 61800-3 for Category C2.

2.4 BYPASS SYSTEMS

- A. Bypass Operation: Safely transfers motor between power converter output and bypass circuit, manually. Selector switches set modes and indicator lights indicate mode selected. Unit is capable of stable operation (starting, stopping, and running) with motor completely disconnected from power converter.
- B. Bypass Mode: Manual operation only; requires local operator selection at VFC. Transfer between power converter and bypass contactor and retransfer shall only be allowed with the motor at zero speed.
- C. Bypass Controller: Two-contactor-style bypass allows motor operation via the power converter or the bypass controller with input isolating switch and barrier arranged to isolate the power converter and permit safe troubleshooting and testing, both energized and de-energized, while motor is operating in bypass mode.
1. Bypass Contactor: Load-break, IEC-rated contactor.
 2. Output Isolating Contactor: Non-load-break, IEC-rated contactor.

3. Isolating Switch: Non-load-break switch arranged to isolate power converter and permit safe troubleshooting and testing of the power converter, both energized and de-energized, while motor is operating in bypass mode; pad-lockable, door-mounted handle mechanism.
- D. Bypass Contactor Configuration: Full-voltage (across-the-line) type.
1. NORMAL/BYPASS selector switch.
 2. HAND/OFF/AUTO selector switch.
 3. NORMAL/TEST Selector Switch: Allows testing and adjusting of VFC while the motor is running in the bypass mode.
 4. Contactor Coils: Pressure-encapsulated type.
 - a. Operating Voltage: Depending on contactor NEMA size and line-voltage rating, manufacturer's standard matching control power or line voltage.
 - b. Power Contacts: Totally enclosed, double break, and silver-cadmium oxide; assembled to allow inspection and replacement without disturbing line or load wiring.
 5. Control Circuits: 24-V ac; obtained from integral CPT, with primary and secondary fuses, with control power source of sufficient capacity to operate all integral devices and remotely located pilot, indicating, and control devices.
 - a. CPT Spare Capacity: 50 VA.
 6. Overload Relays: NEMA ICS 2.
 - a. Solid-State Overload Relays:
 - 1) Switch or dial selectable for motor-running overload protection.
 - 2) Sensors in each phase.
 - 3) Class 20 tripping characteristic selected to protect motor against voltage and current unbalance and single phasing.
 - 4) Class II ground-fault protection, with start and run delays to prevent nuisance trip on starting.
 - 5) Analog communication module.
 - b. NC/NO isolated overload alarm contact.
 - c. External overload reset push button.

2.5 ENCLOSURES

- A. VFD Enclosures: NEMA 250, to comply with environmental conditions at installed location.
1. Dry and Clean Indoor Locations: Type 1.

2. Outdoor Locations: Type 4.
 3. Kitchen Areas: Type 4X, stainless steel.
 4. Other Wet or Damp Indoor Locations: Type 4.
 5. Indoor Locations Subject to Dust, Falling Dirt, and Dripping Noncorrosive Liquids: Type 12.
- B. Plenum Rating: UL 1995; NRTL certification label on enclosure, clearly identifying VFD as "Plenum Rated."

2.6 ACCESSORIES

- A. General Requirements for Control-Circuit and Pilot Devices: NEMA ICS 5; factory installed in VFD enclosure cover unless otherwise indicated.
1. Push Buttons, Pilot Lights, and Selector Switches: Standard-duty.
 - a. Push Buttons: Recessed Unguarded types; momentary.
 - b. Pilot Lights: LED types; push to test.
 - c. Selector Switches: Rotary type.
- B. Reversible NC/NO bypass contactor auxiliary contact(s).
- C. Control Relays: Auxiliary and adjustable solid-state time-delay relays.
- D. Phase-Failure, Phase-Reversal, and Under-voltage and Overvoltage Relays: Solid-state sensing circuit with isolated output contacts for hard-wired connections. Provide adjustable under-voltage, overvoltage, and time-delay settings.
1. Current Transformers: Continuous current rating, basic impulse insulating level (BIL) rating, burden, and accuracy class suitable for connected circuitry. Comply with IEEE C57.13.

2.7 SOURCE QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Testing: Test and inspect VFDs according to requirements in NEMA ICS 61800-2.
1. Test each VFD while connected to a motor that is comparable to that for which the VFD is rated.
 2. Verification of Performance: Rate VFDs according to operation of functions and features specified.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine areas, surfaces, and substrates to receive VFDs, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances, and other conditions affecting performance.
- B. Examine VFD before installation. Reject VFDs that are wet, moisture damaged, or mold damaged.
- C. Examine roughing-in for conduit systems to verify actual locations of conduit connections before VFD installation.
- D. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

3.2 HARMONIC ANALYSIS STUDY

- A. Perform a harmonic analysis study to identify the effects of nonlinear loads and their associated harmonic contributions on the voltages and currents throughout the electrical system. Analyze operating scenarios, including recommendations for VFC input filtering to limit TDD and THD(V) at each VFC to specified levels.
- B. Prepare a harmonic analysis study and report complying with IEEE 399 and NETA Acceptance Testing Specification.

3.3 INSTALLATION

- A. Coordinate layout and installation of VFDs with other construction including conduit, piping, equipment, and adjacent surfaces. Maintain required workspace clearances and required clearances for equipment access doors and panels.
- B. Wall-Mounting Controllers: Install VFDs on walls with tops at uniform height and with disconnect operating handles not higher than 79 inches above finished floor unless otherwise indicated, and by bolting units to wall or mounting on lightweight structural-steel channels bolted to wall. For controllers not on walls, provide freestanding racks.
- C. Install fuses in each fusible-switch VFD.
- D. Install fuses in control circuits if not factory installed. Comply with requirements in Division 26 Section "Fuses."

- E. Install heaters in thermal-overload relays. Select heaters based on actual nameplate full-load amperes after motors have been installed.
- F. Install, connect, and fuse thermal-protector monitoring relays furnished with motor-driven equipment.
- G. Comply with NECA 1.

3.4 IDENTIFICATION

- A. Identify VFDs, components, and control wiring.
 - 1. Identify field-installed conductors, interconnecting wiring, and components; provide warning signs.
 - 2. Label each VFD with engraved nameplate.
 - 3. Label each enclosure-mounted control and pilot device.

3.5 CONTROL WIRING INSTALLATION

- A. Install wiring between VFDs and remote devices and facility's central-control system.
- B. Bundle, train, and support wiring in enclosures.
- C. Connect selector switches and other automatic control devices where applicable.
 - 1. Connect selector switches to bypass only those manual- and automatic control devices that have no safety functions when switches are in manual-control position.
 - 2. Connect selector switches with control circuit in both manual and automatic positions for safety-type control devices such as low- and high-pressure cutouts, high-temperature cutouts, and motor overload protectors.

3.6 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Manufacturer's Field Service: Engage a factory-authorized service representative to inspect, test, and adjust components, assemblies, and equipment installations, including connections.
- B. Perform tests and inspections.
 - 1. Manufacturer's Field Service: Engage a factory-authorized service representative to inspect components, assemblies, and equipment installations, including connections, and to assist in testing.

C. Acceptance Testing Preparation:

1. Test insulation resistance for each VFD element, bus, component, connecting supply, feeder, and control circuit.
2. Test continuity of each circuit.

D. Tests and Inspections:

1. Inspect VFD, wiring, components, connections, and equipment installation. Test and adjust controllers, components, and equipment.
2. Test insulation resistance for each VFD element, component, connecting motor supply, feeder, and control circuits.
3. Test continuity of each circuit.
4. Verify that voltages at VFD locations are within 10 percent of motor nameplate rated voltages. If outside this range for any motor, notify Engineer before starting the motor(s).
5. Test each motor for proper phase rotation.
6. Correct malfunctioning units on-site, where possible, and retest to demonstrate compliance; otherwise, replace with new units and retest.
7. Test and adjust controls, remote monitoring, and safeties. Replace damaged and malfunctioning controls and equipment.

E. VFDs will be considered defective if they do not pass tests and inspections.

F. Prepare test and inspection reports. Include notation of deficiencies detected, remedial action taken, and observations made after remedial action.

3.7 STARTUP SERVICE

A. Engage a factory-authorized service representative to perform startup service.

1. Complete installation and startup checks according to manufacturer's written instructions.

3.8 ADJUSTING

A. Program microprocessors for required operational sequences, status indications, alarms, event recording, and display features. Clear events memory after final acceptance testing and prior to Substantial Completion.

B. Set field-adjustable switches, auxiliary relays, time-delay relays, timers, and overload-relay pickup and trip ranges.

- C. Adjust the trip settings of MCPs and thermal-magnetic circuit breakers with adjustable, instantaneous trip elements. Initially adjust to six times the motor nameplate full-load amperes and attempt to start motors several times, allowing for motor cool-down between starts. If tripping occurs on motor inrush, adjust settings in increments until motors start without tripping. Do not exceed eight times the motor full-load amperes (or 11 times for NEMA Premium Efficient motors if required). Where these maximum settings do not allow starting of a motor, notify Construction Manager before increasing settings.
- D. Set the taps on reduced-voltage autotransformer controllers.

3.9 PROTECTION

- A. Temporary Heating: Apply temporary heat to maintain temperature according to manufacturer's written instructions until controllers are ready to be energized and placed into service.
- B. Replace VFDs whose interiors have been exposed to water or other liquids prior to Substantial Completion.

3.10 DEMONSTRATION

- A. Engage a factory-authorized service representative to train Owner's maintenance personnel to adjust, operate, reprogram, and maintain VFDs.

END OF SECTION 230515

SECTION 230529 – SUPPORTS AND SLEEVES

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Perform all Work required to provide and install supports, hangers, anchors, sleeves and bases for all pipe, duct, equipment, system components and accessories, indicated by the Contract Documents with all supplementary items necessary for complete, code compliant and approved installation

1.2 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. The latest published edition of a reference shall be applicable to this Project unless identified by a specific edition date.
- B. All reference amendments adopted prior to the effective date of this Contract shall be applicable to this Project.
- C. All materials, installation and Workmanship shall comply with the applicable requirements and standards addressed within the following references:
 - 1. International Mechanical Code.
 - 2. International Plumbing Code.
 - 3. International Fuel Gas Code.
 - 4. ASME B31.2 - Fuel Gas Piping.
 - 5. ASME B31.9 - Building Services Piping.
 - 6. ASTM F708 - Design and Installation of Rigid Pipe Hangers.
 - 7. MSS SP58 - Pipe Hangers and Supports - Materials, Design and Manufacturer.
 - 8. MSS SP69 - Pipe Hangers and Supports - Selection and Application.
 - 9. MSS SP89 - Pipe Hangers and Supports - Fabrication and Installation Practices.
 - 10. MSS SP-90 - Guidelines on Terminology for Pipe Hangers and Supports.
 - 11. NFPA 13 - Installation of Sprinkler Systems.
 - 12. NFPA 14 - Installation of Standpipe and Hose Systems.
 - 13. NFPA 99 - Standard for Health Care Facilities.
 - 14. UL 203 - Pipe Hanger Equipment for Fire Protection Service.
 - 15. SMACNA - HVAC Duct Construction Standards.
 - 16. Underwriters Laboratories Standards and Listings.

1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Materials and application of pipe hangers and supports shall be in accordance with MSS-SP-58 and SP-69 unless noted otherwise.

- B. Support and sleeve materials and installation shall not interfere with the proper functioning of equipment.
- C. Contractor shall be responsible for structural integrity of all hangers, supports, anchors, guides, inserts and sleeves. All structural hanging materials shall have a minimum safety factor of five.
- D. Installer Qualifications: Utilize an installer experienced in performing Work of this Section who is experienced in installation of Work similar to that required for this Project and per the minimum requirements of MSS SP-89. Field welding of supports shall be by certified welders qualified in accordance with ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section IX using welding procedures per the minimum requirements of MSS SP-58.

1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: Provide manufacturer's catalog data including code compliance, load capacity, and intended application.
- B. Manufacturer's Installation Instructions: Indicate special procedures and assembly of components.
- C. Shop Drawings: Submit detailed Drawings of all shop or field fabricated supports, anchors and sleeves, signed and sealed by a qualified State of New York registered professional engineer. Indicate size and characteristics of components and fabrication details and all loads exceeding 750 pounds imposed on the base building structure.

1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

- A. Comply with manufacturer's ordering instructions and lead time requirements to avoid construction delays.
- B. Deliver materials in manufacturer's original, unopened, undamaged containers with identification labels intact. Maintain in place until installation.
- C. Store materials protected from exposure to harmful weather conditions.

PART 1 - PRODUCTS

1.1 GENERAL

- A. All materials shall meet or exceed all applicable referenced standards, federal, state and local requirements, and conform to codes and ordinances of authorities having jurisdiction.

1.2 MANUFACTURERS

A. Hangers and Supports:

1. Anvil International.
2. Kinder.
3. Cooper B-Line.
4. C & S Mfg. Corp.
5. Hubbard Enterprises/Holdrite
6. National Pipe Hanger Corporation.
7. Power Strut.

1.3 HANGERS AND SUPPORTS

A. General:

1. Refer to individual system and equipment Specification Sections for additional support requirements. Comply with MSS SP-69 for support selections and applications that are not addressed within these Specifications.
2. Utilize hangers and supports to support systems under all conditions of operation, allowing free expansion and contraction, and to prevent excessive stresses from being introduced into the structure, piping or connected equipment.
3. All pipe supports shall be of the type and arrangement to prevent excessive deflection, to avoid excessive bending stresses between supports, and to eliminate transmission of vibration.
4. Design hangers to impede disengagement by movement of supported pipe.
5. Install building attachments within concrete slabs or attach to structural steel. Space attachments within maximum piping span length indicated in MSS SP-69. Install additional attachments at concentrated loads, including valves, flanges, guides, strainers, and expansion joints, and at changes in direction of piping.
6. Wire or perforated strap iron will not be acceptable as hanger material.
7. Hanger rods shall be threaded on both ends, threaded one end, or continuous threaded, complete with adjusting and lock nuts.
8. Fasteners requiring explosive powder (shooting) or pneumatic-driven actuation will not be acceptable under any circumstances.
9. Plastic anchors or plastic expansion shields will not be permitted under any circumstances.
10. Hangers and clamps supporting and contacting individual non-insulated brass or copper lines shall be copper or copper plated. Where non-insulated brass or copper lines are supported on trapeze hangers or channels, the pipes shall be isolated from these supports with approved flexible elastomeric/thermoplastic isolation cushion material to completely encircle the piping and avoid contact with the channel or clamp. Plastic tape is not acceptable.

11. Hangers and clamps supporting and contacting glass piping shall be in accordance with the piping manufacturer's published recommendations and shall be fully lined with minimum 1/4 inch neoprene padding. The padding material and the configuration of its installation shall be submitted for approval.
 12. Hangers and clamps supporting and contacting plastic piping shall be in accordance with the piping manufacturer's published recommendations and shall be factory coated or padded to prevent damage to piping.
 13. Field fabricated supports shall be constructed from ASTM A36/A36M, steel shapes selected for loads being supported. Weld steel according to AWS D-1.1.
- B. Finishes: All ferrous hangers, rods, inserts, clamps, stanchions, and brackets on piping within interior non-corrosive environments, shall be dipped in Zinc Chromate Primer before installation. Rods may be galvanized or cadmium plated after threading, in lieu of dipping zinc chromate. All hangers and supports exposed to the weather, including roofs and building crawl space areas, shall be galvanized or manufactured from materials that will not rust or corrode due to moisture. All hangers and supports located within corrosive environments shall be constructed from or coated with materials manufactured for installation within the particular environment.
- C. Vertical Piping:
1. Supports for vertical riser piping in concealed areas shall utilize double bolt riser clamps, with each end having equal bearing on the building structure at each floor level.
 2. Supports for vertical riser piping at floor levels in exposed areas (such as fire protection standpipe in stairwells) shall be attached to the underside of the penetrated structure utilizing drilled anchors, two hanger rods (sized as specified), and socket clamp with washers.
 3. Two-hole rigid pipe clamps or four-hole socket clamps with washers may be used to support pipe directly from adequate structural members where floor-to-floor distance exceeds required vertical support spacing and lines are not subject to expansion and contraction.
- D. Trapezes: Where multiple lines are run horizontally at the same elevation and grade, they may be supported on manufactured channel, suspended on rods or pipes. Trapeze members including suspension rods shall be properly sized for the quantity, diameters, and loaded weight of the lines they are to support.
- E. Ductwork: All ductwork shall be supported in accordance with SMACNA recommendations for the service involved. Horizontal ducts supported using galvanized steel bands shall extend up both sides and onto the construction above, where they shall turn over and be secured with bolts and nuts fitted in inserts set in the concrete, bolted to angles secured to the construction above, or secured in another approved manner.
- F. Terminal Units:

1. Terminal units weighing up to 150 pounds shall be supported by four (4) 1 inch wide sheet metal straps with ends turned under bottom of unit at corners.
2. Each band shall be secured by not over 3/4 inch in length, 1/4-inch diameter sheet metal screws – two (2) on bottom of unit and one (1) on each side.
3. The other strap end shall be attached to the structure by 1/4-inch diameter threaded bolt into the concrete insert or into drilled-hole threaded concrete expansion anchor.
4. Where interference occurs, overhead of the box, not allowing direct vertical support by straps, provide trapeze channels suspended by 1/4-inch diameter galvanized threaded rods providing such channels do not block access panels of units.
5. Terminal units weighing more than 150 pounds shall be supported per the terminal unit manufacturer's installation instructions using threaded rod and hanger brackets located per manufacturer's drawing.

G. Fixture and Equipment Service Piping:

1. Piping at local connections to plumbing fixtures and equipment shall be supported to prevent the weight of the piping from being transmitted to fixtures and equipment.
2. Makeshift, field-devised methods of plumbing pipe support, such as with the use of scrap framing materials, are not allowed. Support and positioning of piping shall be by means of engineered methods that comply with IAPMO PS 42-96. These shall be Hubbard Enterprises/Holdrite support systems, C & S Mfg. Corp. or Owner-approved equivalent.
3. Supports within chases and partitions shall be corrosion resistant metal plate, clamps, angles or channels, and aligned with structure in the vertical or horizontal position. Plastic supports are not allowed unless approved by Owner.
4. Horizontal supports within chases and partitions that are attached to studs shall be attached at both ends. Drywall shall not be relied upon to support the piping.
5. Supports for plumbing fixture water service piping within chases and partitions may be attached to cast iron drain and vent pipe with approved brackets and pipe clamps.
6. Piping exposed on the face of drywall shall be supported with corrosion resistant metal channels that are attached to wall studs. Drywall shall not be relied upon to support the piping.
7. Piping supported from the floor shall utilize corrosion resistant metal channels or brackets that are anchored to the floor slab.
8. All water piping shall be isolated from building components to prevent the transmission of sound.
9. All copper or brass lines shall be isolated from ferrous metals with dielectric materials to prevent electrolytic action. Plastic tape is not an acceptable isolation material.

H. Inserts:

1. Cast-in-place concrete inserts shall comply with MSS-SP-69, U.L. and F.M. approved, and sized to suit threaded hanger rods.
 2. Inserts shall have malleable iron case with galvanized steel shell and expander plug for threaded connection with lateral adjustment, top slot for reinforcing rods, lugs for attaching to forms; size inserts to suit threaded hanger rods. Suitable concrete inserts for pipe and equipment hangers shall be set and properly located for all pipe and equipment to be suspended from concrete construction. If the inserts are later found not to be in the proper location for the placement of hangers, then drilled anchors shall be installed. Drilled anchors in concrete or masonry shall be submitted for the approval.
 3. Manufactured inserts for metal deck construction shall have legs custom fit to rest in form valleys.
 4. Shop fabricated inserts shall be submitted and approved by Owner prior to installation.
 5. Inserts shall be of a type that will not interfere with structural reinforcing and that will not displace excessive amounts of structural concrete.
- I. Pipe Shields: Provide pipe shields in accordance with insulation manufacturer's published recommendations. Install MSS SP-58, Type 39 protection saddles, if insulation without vapor barrier is indicated. Install MSS SP-58, Type 40 protective shields on cold piping with vapor barrier.
- J. Concrete Pads and Equipment Bases:
1. Coordinate sizes and locations of concrete bases with actual equipment provided.
 2. Construct concrete bases 4 inches high unless otherwise indicated; and extend base not less than 6 inches in each direction beyond the maximum dimensions of supported equipment unless otherwise indicated or unless required for seismic anchor support.
 3. Minimum Compressive Strength: 3000 psi at 28 days.
 4. Install dowel rods to connect concrete base to concrete floor. Unless otherwise indicated, install dowel rods on 18-inch centers around the full perimeter of concrete base.
 5. For supported equipment, install epoxy-coated anchor bolts that extend through concrete base, and anchor them into structural concrete substrate.
 6. Prior to pouring concrete, place and secure anchorage devices. Use setting drawings, templates, diagrams, instructions, and directions furnished with items to be embedded.
 7. Cast anchor-bolt insert into bases. Install anchor bolts to elevations required for proper attachment to supported equipment.

1.4 PIPE AND DUCT PENETRATIONS

A. General:

1. Seal penetrations through all rated partitions, walls and floors with U.L. tested assemblies to provide and maintain a rating equal to or greater than the partition, wall or floor.
2. Inside diameter of all sleeves or cored holes shall provide sufficient annular space between outside diameter of pipe, duct or insulation to allow proper installation of required fire and water proofing materials and allow for movement due to expansion and contraction.
3. Exposed ceiling, floor and wall pipe penetrations within finished areas (including exterior wall faces) shall be provided with chrome plated, brass or stamped steel, hinged, split-ring escutcheon with set screw or snap-on type. Inside diameter shall closely fit pipe outside diameter or outside of pipe insulation where pipe is insulated. Outside diameter shall completely cover the opening in floors, walls, or ceilings. In exterior, damp, or corrosive environments, use Type 302 stainless steel escutcheons.

B. Floor Pipe Penetrations:

1. Seal penetrations through all floors to provide and maintain a watertight installation.
2. Sleeves cast in the slab for pipe penetrations shall be Schedule 40 steel, ASTM A53, with 2-inch-wide annular fin water-stop continuously welded at midpoint. Entire assembly shall be hot-dipped galvanized after fabrication. Water-stop shall be same thickness as sleeve.
3. Cored holes in the slab for pipe penetrations shall be provided with a Schedule 40 steel, ASTM A53, sleeve with 2-inch-wide annular fin water-stop continuously welded at point on sleeve to allow countersinking into slab and waterproofing. Entire sleeve assembly shall be hot-dipped galvanized after fabrication. Water-stop shall be same thickness as sleeve.
4. All sleeves shall extend a minimum of two inches above finished floor.
5. Where job conditions prevent the use of a sleeve that extends two inches above the slab, Link-Seal mechanical casing seals manufactured by Thunderline Corporation may be installed to provide a watertight penetration. Mechanical casing seals can be used only for relatively small diameter pipe penetrations. Verify that slab thickness allows proper installation of the link-seal assembly and the required fire stopping prior to applying this exception.

C. Wall Penetrations:

1. Where piping or ductwork passes through non-rated partition, close off space between pipe or duct and construction with gypsum wallboard and repair plaster smoothed and finished to match adjacent wall area.
2. Pipe penetrations through interior rated partitions shall be provided with adjustable prefabricated U.L. listed fire rated galvanized sheet metal sleeves having gauge

thickness as required by wall fire rating, 20-gauge minimum. EXCEPTION: When U.L. Listed assembly does not require a sleeve,

3. Pipe penetrations through exterior walls and walls below grade shall be provided with "Link-Seal" mechanical casing seal manufactured by Thunderline Corporation.
4. Ductwork penetrations through rated partitions, walls and floors shall be provided with sleeves that are manufactured integral with the damper assembly installed.

D. Flashing:

1. Coordinate flashing material and installation required for pipe and duct roof penetrations with Owner and roofing Contractor.
2. Provide flexible flashing and metal counter-flashing where ductwork penetrates exterior walls. Seal penetration water and air tight.
3. Provide acoustical flashing around ducts and pipes penetrating equipment rooms, with materials and installation in accordance with manufacturer's instructions for sound control.

E. Roof Curbs: Coordinate roof curb material and installation with Owner and roofing Contractor.

PART 2 - EXECUTION

2.1 PREPARATION

- A. Conduct a pre-installation meeting prior to commencing Work of this Section to verify Project requirements, coordinate with other trades, establish condition and completeness of substrate, review manufacturer's installation instructions and manufacturer's warranty requirements.

2.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Installation shall meet or exceed all applicable federal, state and local requirements, referenced standards and conform to codes and ordinances of authorities having jurisdiction.
- B. Application, sizing and installation of piping, supports, anchors and sleeves shall be in accordance with manufacturer's printed installation instructions.
- C. Provide for vertical adjustments after erection and during commissioning, where feasible, to ensure pipe is at design elevation and slope.
- D. Install hangers and supports to allow controlled thermal movement of piping systems, permitting freedom of movement between pipe anchors, and to facilitate action of expansion joints, expansion loops, expansion bends, and similar units.

- E. Install hanger so that rod is vertical under operating conditions.
- F. Supports, hangers, anchors, and guides shall be fastened to the structure only at such points where the structure is capable of restraining the forces in the piping system.
- G. The load and spacing on each hanger and/or insert shall not exceed the safe allowable load for any component of the support system, including the concrete that holds the inserts. Reinforcement at inserts shall be provided as required to develop the strength required. Contractor shall be responsible for engaging a structural engineer as required for design and review at support systems.
- H. Do not hang pipe, duct or any mechanical/plumbing item directly from a metal deck or locate on the bottom chord of any truss or joist unless approved by the Structural Engineer of Record.
- I. All supports shall be designed and installed to avoid interference with other piping, hangers, ducts, electrical conduit, supports, building structures, equipment, etc.
- J. Piping supports shall be independent from ductwork supports. Combining supports is not permitted.
- K. Provide all supporting steel required for the installation of mechanical equipment and materials, including angles, channels, beams, etc. to suspended or floor supported tanks and equipment. All of this steel may not be specifically indicated on the Drawings.
- L. All piping and ductwork supports shall be designed and installed to allow the insulation to be continuous through the hangers.
- M. Adjustable clevis hangers shall be supported at rods with a nut above and below the hanger.
- N. All hanger rods shall be trimmed neatly so that 1 inch of excess hanger rod protrudes beyond the hanger nut. In the event a rod is intentionally but temporarily left excessively long (for sloped or insulated lines for example), the Contractor shall take appropriate measures to protect the pipe or other materials from damage.
- O. Install hangers to provide minimum 1/2 inch space between finished covering and adjacent structures, materials, etc.
- P. Horizontal and vertical piping in chases and partitions shall be supported to prevent movement and isolated from the supports to prevent transmission of sound.
- Q. Locate hangers within 12 inches of each horizontal elbow.
- R. Where several pipes can be installed in parallel and at same elevation, provide multiple or trapeze hangers.

- S. Support riser piping independently of connected horizontal piping. Riser piping is defined as vertical piping extending through more than one floor level.
- T. Support riser piping at each floor level and provide additional supports where floor-to-floor distance exceeds required vertical support spacing. Installation of riser clamps and welded steel riser supports shall not allow weight of piping to be transmitted to floor sleeves.
- U. Steel Bar Joists: Hanger rods shall be secured to angle irons of adequate size; each angle shall span across two or more joists as required to distribute the weight properly and shall be welded or otherwise permanently fixed to the top of joists.
- V. Steel Beams: Where pipes and loads are supported under steel beams, approved type beam clamps shall be used.
- W. Pre-Cast Tee Structural Concrete: Hanger supports, anchors, etc. attached to the precast, double tee, structural concrete system shall be installed in accordance with approved Shop Drawings only. Holes required for hanger rods shall be core drilled in the "flange" of the double tee only; impact type tools are not allowed under any circumstances. Core drilling in the "stem" portions of the double tee is not allowed. Holes core drilled through the "flange" for hanger rods shall be no greater than 1/4 inch larger than the diameter of the hanger rod. Hanger rods shall supported by means of bearing plates of size and shape acceptable to the Architect/Engineer, with welded double nuts on the hanger rod above the bearing plate. Cinch anchors, lead shields, expansion bolts, and studs driven by explosion charges are not allowed under any circumstances in the lower 15 inches of each stem and in the "shadow" of the stem on the top side of the "double tees".
- X. Mechanical Sleeve Seal Installation: Select type and number of sealing elements required for pipe material and size. Position pipe in center of sleeve. Assemble mechanical sleeve seals and install in annular space between pipe and sleeve. Tighten bolts against pressure plates that cause sealing elements to expand and make watertight seal.
- Y. Inserts:
 - 1. Install inserts for suspending hangers from reinforced concrete slabs and sides of reinforced concrete beams.
 - 2. Where concrete slabs form finished ceiling, locate inserts flush with slab surface.
 - 3. Install anchors in concrete after concrete is placed and completely cured. Install anchors according to manufacturer's written instructions..
- Z. Flashing:
 - 1. Coordinate all roof flashing with requirements of Division 07.
- AA. Pipe Shields:

1. Provide shields at each hanger supporting insulated pipe.
2. Provide shields of the proper length to distribute weight evenly and to prevent compression of insulation at hanger.
3. Install shield so that hanger is located at the center of the shield.
4. Attach shield to insulation with adhesive to prevent slippage or movement.

BB. Equipment Anchor Bolts:

1. Foundation bolts shall be placed in the forms when the concrete is poured, the bolts being correctly located by means of templates. Each bolt shall be set in a sleeve of sufficient size to provide ½ inch clearance around bolt.

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SECTION 230553 - MECHANICAL IDENTIFICATION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes:

1. Equipment labels.
2. Pipe labels.
3. Duct labels.

1.2 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated.
- B. Equipment Label Schedule: Include a listing of all equipment to be labeled with the proposed content for each label.

1.3 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate installation of identifying devices with locations of access panels and doors.
- B. Install identifying devices before ceilings are installed.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 EQUIPMENT LABELS

A. Metal Labels for Equipment:

1. Material and Thickness: Stainless steel, 0.032-inch minimum thickness, and having predrilled or stamped holes for attachment hardware.
2. Minimum Label Size: Length and width vary for required label content, but not less than 2-1/2 by 3/4 inch.
3. Minimum Letter Size: 1/4 inch for name of units if viewing distance is less than 24 inches, 1/2 inch for viewing distances up to 72 inches, and proportionately larger lettering for greater viewing distances. Include secondary lettering two-thirds to three-fourths the size of principal lettering.
4. Fasteners: Stainless-steel self-tapping screws.

B. Plastic Labels for Equipment:

1. Material and Thickness: Multilayer, multicolor, plastic labels for mechanical engraving, 1/8 inch thick, and having predrilled holes for attachment hardware.
 2. Letter Color: White.
 3. Background Color: Black.
 4. Maximum Temperature: Able to withstand temperatures up to 160 deg F.
 5. Minimum Label Size: Length and width vary for required label content, but not less than 2-1/2 by 3/4 inch.
 6. Minimum Letter Size: 1/4 inch for name of units if viewing distance is less than 24 inches, 1/2 inch for viewing distances up to 72 inches, and proportionately larger lettering for greater viewing distances. Include secondary lettering two-thirds to three-fourths the size of principal lettering.
 7. Adhesive: Contact-type permanent adhesive, compatible with label and with substrate.
- C. Label Content: Include equipment designation or tag number and service. Provide additional information where indicated or requested by Owner/Engineer.
- D. Equipment Label Schedule: Include schedule in IOM manual.

2.2 PIPE LABELS

- A. General Requirements for Manufactured Pipe Labels: Preprinted, color-coded, with lettering indicating service, and showing flow direction.
- B. Self-Adhesive Pipe Labels: Printed plastic with contact-type, permanent-adhesive backing.
- C. Pipe Label Contents: Include identification of piping service using same designations or abbreviations as used on Drawings, pipe size, and an arrow indicating flow direction.
1. Flow-Direction Arrows: Integral with piping system service lettering to accommodate both directions, or as separate unit on each pipe label to indicate flow direction.
 2. Length: 12" for piping less than or equal to 4" NPS, 24" for piping greater than 4" NPS.
 3. Lettering Size: 1.25" for piping less than or equal to 4" NPS, 24" for piping greater than 4" NPS.
- D. Pipe Label Color Schedule:
1. Chilled-Water Piping: Blue background with white lettering.
 2. Condenser-Water Piping: Green background with white lettering.
 3. Heating Hot Water Piping: Yellow background with black lettering.

2.3 DUCT LABELS

- A. Stencils: Minimum letter height of 3 inches.
 - 1. Stencil Material: Fiberboard or metal.
 - 2. Stencil Paint: Exterior, gloss, acrylic enamel, black unless otherwise indicated. Paint may be in pressurized spray-can form.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 PREPARATION

- A. Clean surfaces of substances that could impair bond of identification devices, including dirt, oil, grease, release agents, and incompatible primers, paints, and encapsulants.

3.2 EQUIPMENT LABEL INSTALLATION

- A. Install or permanently fasten labels on each major item of mechanical equipment.
- B. Locate equipment labels where accessible and visible.

3.3 PIPE LABEL INSTALLATION

- A. Locate pipe labels where piping is exposed or above accessible ceilings in finished spaces; machine rooms; accessible maintenance spaces such as shafts, tunnels, and plenums; and exterior exposed locations as follows:
 - 1. Near each valve and control device.
 - 2. Near each branch connection, excluding short takeoffs for fixtures and terminal units. Where flow pattern is not obvious, mark each pipe at branch.
 - 3. Near penetrations through walls, floors, ceilings, and inaccessible enclosures.
 - 4. At access doors, manholes, and similar access points that permit view of concealed piping.
 - 5. Near major equipment items and other points of origination and termination.
 - 6. Spaced at maximum intervals of 25 feet along each run. Reduce intervals to 10 feet in areas of congested piping and equipment.
 - 7. On piping above removable acoustical ceilings. Omit intermediately spaced labels.

3.4 DUCT LABEL INSTALLATION

- A. Stenciled labels, showing service and flow direction, increase lettering size where needed for proper identification because of distance from normal location of required identification.

- B. Locate labels in mechanical equipment rooms near points where ducts penetrate walls or enter into concealed spaces and at maximum intervals of 20 feet or as required to properly identify ductwork.

END OF SECTION 230553

SECTION 230593 - TESTING, ADJUSTING, AND BALANCING

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes:
 - 1. Balancing Air Systems.

1.2 DEFINITIONS

- A. AABC: Associated Air Balance Council.
- B. NEBB: National Environmental Balancing Bureau.
- C. TAB: Testing, adjusting, and balancing.
- D. TAB Specialist: An entity engaged to perform TAB Work.

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Qualification Data: Within 15 days of Contractor's Notice to Proceed, submit documentation that the TAB contractor and this Project's TAB field supervisor meet the qualifications specified in "Quality Assurance" Article.
- B. Contract Documents Examination Report: Within 15 days of Contractor's Notice to Proceed, submit the Contract Documents review report as specified in Part 3.
- C. Strategies and Procedures Plan: Within 30 days of Contractor's Notice to Proceed, submit TAB strategies and step-by-step procedures as specified in "Preparation" Article.
- D. Certified TAB reports.

1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. TAB Contractor Qualifications: Engage a TAB entity certified by AABC or NEBB.
 - 1. TAB Field Supervisor: Employee of the TAB contractor and certified by AABC or NEBB.
- B. TAB Conference: Meet with Engineer on approval of the TAB strategies and procedures plan to develop a mutual understanding of the details. Require the participation of the TAB field supervisor and technicians. Provide 14 days' advance notice of scheduled meeting time and location.

1. Agenda Items:
 - a. The Contract Documents examination report.
 - b. The TAB plan.
 - c. Coordination and cooperation of trades and subcontractors.
 - d. Coordination of documentation and communication flow.
 - C. Certify TAB field data reports and perform the following:
 1. Review field data reports to validate accuracy of data and to prepare certified TAB reports.
 2. Certify that the TAB team complied with the approved TAB plan and the procedures specified and referenced in this Specification.
 - D. TAB Report Forms: Use standard TAB contractor's forms approved by Engineer.
 - E. Instrumentation Type, Quantity, Accuracy, and Calibration: As described in ASHRAE 111, Section 5, "Instrumentation."
 - F. Upon request by Engineer, submit instrument calibration reports, to include the following:
 1. Instrument type and make.
 2. Serial number.
 3. Application.
 4. Dates of use.
 5. Dates of calibration.
- 1.5 PROJECT CONDITIONS
- A. Full Owner Occupancy: Owner will occupy the site and existing building during entire TAB period. Cooperate with Owner during TAB operations to minimize conflicts with Owner's operations.
 - B. Partial Owner Occupancy: Owner may occupy completed areas of building before Substantial Completion. Cooperate with Owner during TAB operations to minimize conflicts with Owner's operations.
- 1.6 COORDINATION
- A. Notice: Provide 14 days advance notice for each test. Include scheduled test dates and times.
 - B. Perform TAB after all specified leakage and pressure tests on have been satisfactorily completed.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS (Not Applicable)

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine the Contract Documents to become familiar with Project requirements and to discover conditions in systems' designs that may preclude proper TAB of systems and equipment.
- B. Examine systems for installed balancing devices, such as test ports, gage cocks, thermometer wells, flow-control devices, balancing valves and fittings, and manual volume dampers. Verify that locations of these balancing devices are accessible.
- C. Examine the approved submittals for HVAC systems and equipment.
- D. Examine system and equipment installations and verify that field quality-control testing, cleaning, and adjusting specified in individual Sections have been performed.
- E. Examine test reports specified in individual system and equipment Sections.
- F. Examine HVAC equipment and filters and verify that bearings are greased, belts are aligned and tight, and equipment with functioning controls is ready for operation.
- G. Examine terminal units, such as variable-air-volume boxes, and verify that they are accessible and their controls are connected and functioning.
- H. Examine strainers. Verify that startup screens are replaced by permanent screens with indicated perforations.
- I. Examine three-way valves for proper installation for their intended function of diverting or mixing fluid flows.
- J. Examine heat-transfer coils for correct piping connections and for clean and straight fins.
- K. Examine system pumps to ensure absence of entrained air in the suction piping.
- L. Examine operating safety interlocks and controls on HVAC equipment.
- M. Report deficiencies discovered before and during performance of TAB procedures. Observe and record system reactions to changes in conditions. Record default set points if different from indicated values.

3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Prepare a TAB plan that includes strategies and step-by-step procedures.
- B. Complete system-readiness checks and prepare reports. Verify the following:

1. Permanent electrical-power wiring is complete.
2. Automatic temperature-control systems are operational.
3. Equipment and duct access doors are securely closed.
4. Balance, smoke, and fire dampers are open.
5. Ceilings are installed in critical areas where air-pattern adjustments are required and access to balancing devices is provided.
6. Windows and doors can be closed so indicated conditions for system operations can be met.

3.3 GENERAL PROCEDURES FOR TESTING AND BALANCING

- A. Perform testing and balancing procedures on each system according to the procedures contained in AABC's "National Standards for Total System Balance" and in this Section.
 1. Comply with requirements in ASHRAE 62.1, Section 7.2.2 - "Air Balancing."
- B. Cut insulation, ducts, pipes, and equipment cabinets for installation of test probes to the minimum extent necessary for TAB procedures.
 1. After testing and balancing, patch probe holes in ducts with same material and thickness as used to construct ducts.
 2. After testing and balancing, install test ports and duct access doors that comply with requirements in Division 23 Section "Air Duct Accessories."
 3. Install and join new insulation that matches removed materials. Restore insulation, coverings, vapor barrier, and finish according to Division 23 Section "HVAC Insulation."
- C. Mark equipment and balancing devices, including damper-control positions, valve position indicators, fan-speed-control levers, and similar controls and devices, with paint or other suitable, permanent identification material to show final settings.

3.4 GENERAL PROCEDURES FOR BALANCING AIR SYSTEMS

- A. Prepare test reports for both fans and outlets. Obtain manufacturer's outlet factors and recommended testing procedures. Crosscheck the summation of required outlet volumes with required fan volumes.
- B. Prepare schematic diagrams of systems' "as-built" duct layouts.
- C. For variable-air-volume systems, develop a plan to simulate diversity.
- D. Determine the best locations in main and branch ducts for accurate duct-airflow measurements.
- E. Check airflow patterns from the outdoor-air louvers and dampers and the return- and exhaust-air dampers through the supply-fan discharge and mixing dampers.

- F. Locate start-stop and disconnect switches, electrical interlocks, and motor starters.
- G. Verify that motor starters are equipped with properly sized thermal protection.
- H. Check dampers for proper position to achieve desired airflow path.
- I. Check for airflow blockages.
- J. Check condensate drains for proper connections and functioning.
- K. Check for proper sealing of air-handling-unit components.
- L. Verify that air duct system is sealed as specified in Division 23 Section "Metal Ducts."

3.5 PROCEDURES FOR CONSTANT-VOLUME AIR SYSTEMS

- A. Adjust fans to deliver total indicated airflows within the maximum allowable fan speed listed by fan manufacturer.
 - 1. Measure total airflow.
 - a. Where sufficient space in ducts is unavailable for Pitot-tube traverse measurements, measure airflow at terminal outlets and inlets and calculate the total airflow.
 - 2. Measure fan static pressures as follows to determine actual static pressure:
 - a. Measure outlet static pressure as far downstream from the fan as practical and upstream from restrictions in ducts such as elbows and transitions.
 - b. Measure static pressure directly at the fan outlet or through the flexible connection.
 - c. Measure inlet static pressure of single-inlet fans in the inlet duct as near the fan as possible, upstream from the flexible connection, and downstream from duct restrictions.
 - d. Measure inlet static pressure of double-inlet fans through the wall of the plenum that houses the fan.
 - 3. Measure static pressure across each component that makes up an air-handling unit, rooftop unit, and other air-handling and -treating equipment.
 - a. Report the cleanliness status of filters and the time static pressures are measured.
 - 4. Measure static pressures entering and leaving other devices, such as sound traps, heat-recovery equipment, and air washers, under final balanced conditions.
 - 5. Review Record Documents to determine variations in design static pressures versus actual static pressures. Calculate actual system-effect factors. Recommend adjustments to accommodate actual conditions.

6. Obtain approval from Engineer for adjustment of fan speed higher or lower than indicated speed. Comply with requirements in Division 23 Sections for air-handling units for adjustment of fans, belts, and pulley sizes to achieve indicated air-handling-unit performance.
 7. Do not make fan-speed adjustments that result in motor overload. Consult equipment manufacturers about fan-speed safety factors. Modulate dampers and measure fan-motor amperage to ensure that no overload will occur. Measure amperage in full-cooling, full-heating, economizer, and any other operating mode to determine the maximum required brake horsepower.
- B. Adjust volume dampers for main duct, submain ducts, and major branch ducts to indicated airflows within specified tolerances.
1. Measure airflow of submain and branch ducts.
 - a. Where sufficient space in submain and branch ducts is unavailable for Pitot-tube traverse measurements, measure airflow at terminal outlets and inlets and calculate the total airflow for that zone.
 2. Measure static pressure at a point downstream from the balancing damper, and adjust volume dampers until the proper static pressure is achieved.
 3. Remeasure each submain and branch duct after all have been adjusted. Continue to adjust submain and branch ducts to indicated airflows within specified tolerances.
- C. Measure air outlets and inlets without making adjustments.
1. Measure terminal outlets using a direct-reading hood or outlet manufacturer's written instructions and calculating factors.
- D. Adjust air outlets and inlets for each space to indicated airflows within specified tolerances of indicated values. Make adjustments using branch volume dampers rather than extractors and the dampers at air terminals.
1. Adjust each outlet in same room or space to within specified tolerances of indicated quantities without generating noise levels above the limitations prescribed by the Contract Documents.
 2. Adjust patterns of adjustable outlets for proper distribution without drafts.
- 3.6 PROCEDURES FOR DUCT SILENCERS
- A. Adjust fans to deliver total indicated airflow for each silencer.
1. Measure total airflow.

- a. Where sufficient space in ducts is unavailable for Pitot-tube traverse measurements, measure airflow at terminal outlets and inlets and calculate the total airflow.
2. Measure differential static pressure.

3.7 PROCEDURES FOR VARIABLE-AIR-VOLUME SYSTEMS

- A. Compensating for Diversity: When the total airflow of all terminal units is more than the indicated airflow of the fan, place a selected number of terminal units at a minimum set-point airflow with the remainder at maximum-airflow condition until the total airflow of the terminal units equals the indicated airflow of the fan. Select the reduced-airflow terminal units so they are distributed evenly among the branch ducts.
- B. Pressure-Independent, Variable-Air-Volume Systems: After the fan systems have been adjusted, adjust the variable-air-volume systems as follows:
 1. Set outdoor-air dampers at minimum, and set return- and exhaust-air dampers at a position that simulates full-cooling load.
 2. Select the terminal unit that is most critical to the supply-fan airflow and static pressure. Measure static pressure. Adjust system static pressure so the entering static pressure for the critical terminal unit is not less than the sum of the terminal-unit manufacturer's recommended minimum inlet static pressure plus the static pressure needed to overcome terminal-unit discharge system losses.
 3. Measure total system airflow. Adjust to within indicated airflow.
 4. Set terminal units at maximum airflow and adjust controller or regulator to deliver the designed maximum airflow. Use terminal-unit manufacturer's written instructions to make this adjustment. When total airflow is correct, balance the air outlets downstream from terminal units the same as described for constant-volume air systems.
 5. Set terminal units at minimum airflow and adjust controller or regulator to deliver the designed minimum airflow. Check air outlets for a proportional reduction in airflow the same as described for constant-volume air systems.
 - a. If air outlets are out of balance at minimum airflow, report the condition but leave outlets balanced for maximum airflow.
 6. Remeasure the return airflow to the fan while operating at maximum return airflow and minimum outdoor airflow.
 - a. Adjust the fan and balance the return-air ducts and inlets the same as described for constant-volume air systems.
 7. Measure static pressure at the most critical terminal unit and adjust the static-pressure controller at the main supply-air sensing station to ensure that adequate static pressure is maintained at the most critical unit.
 8. Record final fan-performance data.

3.8 PROCEDURES FOR MOTORS

- A. Motors, 1/2 HP and Larger: Test at final balanced conditions and record the following data:
 - 1. Manufacturer's name, model number, and serial number.
 - 2. Motor horsepower rating.
 - 3. Motor rpm.
 - 4. Efficiency rating.
 - 5. Nameplate and measured voltage, each phase.
 - 6. Nameplate and measured amperage, each phase.
 - 7. Starter thermal-protection-element rating.
- B. Motors Driven by Variable-Frequency Controllers: Test for proper operation at speeds varying from minimum to maximum. Test the manual bypass of the controller to prove proper operation. Record observations including name of controller manufacturer, model number, serial number, and nameplate data.

3.9 PROCEDURES FOR TESTING, ADJUSTING, AND BALANCING EXISTING SYSTEMS

- A. Perform a preconstruction inspection of existing equipment that is to remain and be reused.
 - 1. Measure and record the operating speed, airflow, and static pressure of each fan.
 - 2. Measure motor voltage and amperage. Compare the values to motor nameplate information.
 - 3. Check the refrigerant charge.
 - 4. Check the condition of filters.
 - 5. Check the condition of coils.
 - 6. Check the operation of the drain pan and condensate-drain trap.
 - 7. Check bearings and other lubricated parts for proper lubrication.
 - 8. Report on the operating condition of the equipment and the results of the measurements taken. Report deficiencies.
- B. Before performing testing and balancing of existing systems, inspect existing equipment that is to remain and be reused to verify that existing equipment has been cleaned and refurbished. Verify the following:
 - 1. New filters are installed.
 - 2. Coils are clean and fins combed.
 - 3. Drain pans are clean.
 - 4. Fans are clean.
 - 5. Bearings and other parts are properly lubricated.
 - 6. Deficiencies noted in the preconstruction report are corrected.

- C. Perform testing and balancing of existing systems to the extent that existing systems are affected by the renovation work.
 - 1. Compare the indicated airflow of the renovated work to the measured fan airflows, and determine the new fan speed and the face velocity of filters and coils.
 - 2. Verify that the indicated airflows of the renovated work result in filter and coil face velocities and fan speeds that are within the acceptable limits defined by equipment manufacturer.
 - 3. If calculations increase or decrease the air flow rates and water flow rates by more than 5 percent, make equipment adjustments to achieve the calculated rates. If increase or decrease is 5 percent or less, equipment adjustments are not required.
 - 4. Balance each air outlet.

3.10 TOLERANCES

- A. Set HVAC system's air flow rates and water flow rates within the following tolerances:
 - 1. Supply, Return, and Exhaust Fans and Equipment with Fans: Plus or minus 10 percent.
 - 2. Air Outlets and Inlets: Plus or minus 10 percent.

3.11 REPORTING

- A. Initial Construction-Phase Report: Based on examination of the Contract Documents as specified in "Examination" Article, prepare a report on the adequacy of design for systems' balancing devices. Recommend changes and additions to systems' balancing devices to facilitate proper performance measuring and balancing. Recommend changes and additions to HVAC systems and general construction to allow access for performance measuring and balancing devices.
- B. Status Reports: Prepare weekly progress reports to describe completed procedures, procedures in progress, and scheduled procedures. Include a list of deficiencies and problems found in systems being tested and balanced. Prepare a separate report for each system and each building floor for systems serving multiple floors.

3.12 FINAL REPORT

- A. General: Prepare a certified written report; tabulate and divide the report into separate sections for tested systems and balanced systems.
 - 1. Include a certification sheet at the front of the report's binder, signed and sealed by the certified testing and balancing engineer.
 - 2. Include a list of instruments used for procedures, along with proof of calibration.
- B. Final Report Contents: In addition to certified field-report data, include the following:

1. Pump curves.
 2. Fan curves.
 3. Manufacturers' test data.
 4. Field test reports prepared by system and equipment installers.
 5. Other information relative to equipment performance; do not include Shop Drawings and product data.
- C. General Report Data: In addition to form titles and entries, include the following data:
1. Title page.
 2. Name and address of the TAB contractor.
 3. Project name.
 4. Project location.
 5. Architect's name and address.
 6. Engineer's name and address.
 7. Contractor's name and address.
 8. Report date.
 9. Signature of TAB supervisor who certifies the report.
 10. Table of Contents with the total number of pages defined for each section of the report. Number each page in the report.
 11. Summary of contents including the following:
 - a. Indicated versus final performance.
 - b. Notable characteristics of systems.
 - c. Description of system operation sequence if it varies from the Contract Documents.
 12. Nomenclature sheets for each item of equipment.
 13. Data for terminal units, including manufacturer's name, type, size, and fittings.
 14. Notes to explain why certain final data in the body of reports vary from indicated values.
 15. Test conditions for fans and pump performance forms including the following:
 - a. Settings for outdoor-, return-, and exhaust-air dampers.
 - b. Conditions of filters.
 - c. Cooling coil, wet- and dry-bulb conditions.
 - d. Face and bypass damper settings at coils.
 - e. Fan drive settings including settings and percentage of maximum pitch diameter.
 - f. Inlet vane settings for variable-air-volume systems.
 - g. Settings for supply-air, static-pressure controller.
 - h. Other system operating conditions that affect performance.

- D. System Diagrams: Include schematic layouts of air and hydronic distribution systems. Present each system with single-line diagram and include the following:
1. Quantities of outdoor, supply, return, and exhaust airflows.
 2. Water and steam flow rates.
 3. Duct, outlet, and inlet sizes.
 4. Pipe and valve sizes and locations.
 5. Terminal units.
 6. Balancing stations.
 7. Position of balancing devices.
- E. Air-Handling-Unit Test Reports: For air-handling units with coils, include the following:
1. Unit Data:
 - a. Unit identification.
 - b. Location.
 - c. Make and type.
 - d. Model number and unit size.
 - e. Manufacturer's serial number.
 - f. Unit arrangement and class.
 - g. Discharge arrangement.
 - h. Sheave make, size in inches, and bore.
 - i. Center-to-center dimensions of sheave, and amount of adjustments in inches.
 - j. Number, make, and size of belts.
 - k. Number, type, and size of filters.
 2. Motor Data:
 - a. Motor make, and frame type and size.
 - b. Horsepower and rpm.
 - c. Volts, phase, and hertz.
 - d. Full-load amperage and service factor.
 - e. Sheave make, size in inches, and bore.
 - f. Center-to-center dimensions of sheave, and amount of adjustments in inches.
 3. Test Data (Indicated and Actual Values):
 - a. Total air flow rate in cfm.
 - b. Total system static pressure in inches wg.
 - c. Fan rpm.
 - d. Discharge static pressure in inches wg.
 - e. Filter static-pressure differential in inches wg.

- f. Preheat-coil static-pressure differential in inches wg.
 - g. Cooling-coil static-pressure differential in inches wg.
 - h. Heating-coil static-pressure differential in inches wg.
 - i. Outdoor airflow in cfm.
 - j. Return airflow in cfm.
 - k. Outdoor-air damper position.
 - l. Return-air damper position.
 - m. Vortex damper position.
- F. Gas- and Oil-Fired Heat Apparatus Test Reports: In addition to manufacturer's factory startup equipment reports, include the following:
 - 1. Unit Data:
 - a. System identification.
 - b. Location.
 - c. Make and type.
 - d. Model number and unit size.
 - e. Manufacturer's serial number.
 - f. Fuel type in input data.
 - g. Output capacity in Btu/h.
 - h. Ignition type.
 - i. Burner-control types.
 - j. Motor horsepower and rpm.
 - k. Motor volts, phase, and hertz.
 - l. Motor full-load amperage and service factor.
 - m. Sheave make, size in inches, and bore.
 - n. Center-to-center dimensions of sheave, and amount of adjustments in inches.
 - 2. Test Data (Indicated and Actual Values):
 - a. Total air flow rate in cfm.
 - b. Entering-air temperature in deg F.
 - c. Leaving-air temperature in deg F.
 - d. Air temperature differential in deg F.
 - e. Entering-air static pressure in inches wg.
 - f. Leaving-air static pressure in inches wg.
 - g. Air static-pressure differential in inches wg.
 - h. Low-fire fuel input in Btu/h.
 - i. High-fire fuel input in Btu/h.

- j. Manifold pressure in psig.
 - k. High-temperature-limit setting in deg F.
 - l. Operating set point in Btu/h.
 - m. Motor voltage at each connection.
 - n. Motor amperage for each phase.
 - o. Heating value of fuel in Btu/h.
- G. Fan Test Reports: For supply, return, and exhaust fans, include the following:
- 1. Fan Data:
 - a. System identification.
 - b. Location.
 - c. Make and type.
 - d. Model number and size.
 - e. Manufacturer's serial number.
 - f. Arrangement and class.
 - g. Sheave make, size in inches, and bore.
 - h. Center-to-center dimensions of sheave, and amount of adjustments in inches.
 - 2. Motor Data:
 - a. Motor make, and frame type and size.
 - b. Horsepower and rpm.
 - c. Volts, phase, and hertz.
 - d. Full-load amperage and service factor.
 - e. Sheave make, size in inches, and bore.
 - f. Center-to-center dimensions of sheave, and amount of adjustments in inches.
 - g. Number, make, and size of belts.
 - 3. Test Data (Indicated and Actual Values):
 - a. Total airflow rate in cfm.
 - b. Total system static pressure in inches wg.
 - c. Fan rpm.
 - d. Discharge static pressure in inches wg.
 - e. Suction static pressure in inches wg.
- H. Duct Traverse Reports: Include a diagram with a grid representing the duct cross-section and record the following:
- 1. Report Data:
 - a. System and air-handling-unit number.

- b. Location and zone.
- c. Traverse air temperature in deg F.
- d. Duct static pressure in inches wg.
- e. Duct size in inches.
- f. Duct area in sq. ft..
- g. Indicated air flow rate in cfm.
- h. Indicated velocity in fpm.
- i. Actual air flow rate in cfm.
- j. Actual average velocity in fpm.
- k. Barometric pressure in psig.

I. Air-Terminal-Device Reports:

1. Unit Data:

- a. System and air-handling unit identification.
- b. Location and zone.
- c. Apparatus used for test.
- d. Area served.
- e. Make.
- f. Number from system diagram.
- g. Type and model number.
- h. Size.
- i. Effective area in sq. ft..

2. Test Data (Indicated and Actual Values):

- a. Air flow rate in cfm.
- b. Air velocity in fpm.
- c. Preliminary air flow rate as needed in cfm.
- d. Preliminary velocity as needed in fpm.
- e. Final air flow rate in cfm.
- f. Final velocity in fpm.
- g. Space temperature in deg F.

J. Instrument Calibration Reports:

1. Report Data:

- a. Instrument type and make.
- b. Serial number.
- c. Application.

- d. Dates of use.
- e. Dates of calibration.

3.13 INSPECTIONS

A. Initial Inspection:

1. After testing and balancing are complete, operate each system and randomly check measurements to verify that the system is operating according to the final test and balance readings documented in the final report.
2. Check the following for each system:
 - a. Measure airflow of at least 10 percent of air outlets.
 - b. Measure water flow of at least 5 percent of terminals.
 - c. Measure room temperature at each thermostat/temperature sensor. Compare the reading to the set point.
 - d. Verify that balancing devices are marked with final balance position.
 - e. Note deviations from the Contract Documents in the final report.

B. Final Inspection:

1. After initial inspection is complete and documentation by random checks verifies that testing and balancing are complete and accurately documented in the final report, request that a final inspection be made by the Engineer.
2. Engineer shall randomly select measurements, documented in the final report, to be rechecked. Rechecking shall be limited to either 10 percent of the total measurements recorded or the extent of measurements that can be accomplished in a normal 8-hour business day.
3. If rechecks yield measurements that differ from the measurements documented in the final report by more than the tolerances allowed, the measurements shall be noted as "FAILED."
4. If the number of "FAILED" measurements is greater than 10 percent of the total measurements checked during the final inspection, the testing and balancing shall be considered incomplete and shall be rejected.

C. TAB Work will be considered defective if it does not pass final inspections. If TAB Work fails, proceed as follows:

1. Recheck all measurements and make adjustments. Revise the final report and balancing device settings to include all changes; resubmit the final report and request a second final inspection.
2. If the second final inspection also fails, Owner may contract the services of another TAB contractor to complete TAB Work according to the Contract Documents and deduct the cost of the services from the original TAB contractor's final payment.

- D. Prepare test and inspection reports.

3.14 ADDITIONAL TESTS

- A. Within 90 days of completing TAB, perform additional TAB to verify that balanced conditions are being maintained throughout and to correct unusual conditions.
- B. Seasonal Periods: If initial TAB procedures were not performed during near-peak summer and winter conditions, perform additional TAB during near-peak summer and winter conditions.

END OF SECTION 230593

SECTION 230713 - DUCT INSULATION

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes insulating the following interior ductwork.
 - 1. Supply and return air ductwork (except where noted).
 - 2. Outdoor air ductwork.
 - 3. Exhaust air ductwork (3 feet from penetration of building exterior).
 - 4. Exterior ductwork.

1.2 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated.
 - 1. Include insulation schedule indicating applications and methods of compliance with specified performance.

1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Surface-Burning Characteristics: For insulation and related materials, as determined by testing identical products according to ASTM E 84, by a testing agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction. Factory label insulation and jacket materials and adhesive, mastic, tapes, and cement material containers, with appropriate markings of applicable testing agency.
 - 1. Insulation Installed Indoors: Flame-spread index of 25 or less, and smoke-developed index of 50 or less.
 - 2. Insulation Installed Outdoors: Flame-spread index of 75 or less, and smoke-developed index of 150 or less.

1.4 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate clearance requirements with duct Installer for duct insulation application. Before preparing ductwork Shop Drawings, establish and maintain clearance requirements for installation of insulation and field-applied jackets and finishes and for space required for maintenance.

1.5 DEFINITIONS

- A. Concealed: Located above ceilings or in chases, shafts or soffits.

- B. Exposed: Where visible when construction and finishes are complete including mechanical rooms, storage areas, and spaces without ceilings.

1.6 SCHEDULING

- A. Schedule insulation application after pressure testing systems and, where required, after installing and testing heat tracing. Insulation application may begin on segments that have satisfactory test results.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 DUCT AND PLENUM INSULATION SCHEDULE

- A. Supply and return air ductwork.
 - 1. Concealed Locations: Mineral-Fiber Blanket; R-6.
 - 2. Exposed Locations: Mineral-Fiber Board; R-6.
 - 3. Exception: Supply and return air ductwork exposed to view in conditioned spaces served by ductwork shall not be insulated.
- B. Outdoor air ductwork and plenums.
 - 1. Concealed Locations: Mineral-Fiber Blanket; R-12
 - 2. Exposed Locations: Mineral-Fiber Board; R-12
- C. Exhaust air ductwork and plenums (3 feet from penetration of building exterior or isolation damper, whichever is longer).
 - 1. Concealed Locations: Mineral-Fiber Blanket; R-12
 - 2. Exposed Locations: Mineral-Fiber Board; R-12
- D. Exterior ductwork.
 - 1. Mineral-Fiber Board with Field Applied Jacketing; R-12.
- E. Items Not Insulated:
 - 1. Metal ducts with duct liner of sufficient thickness to comply with energy code and ASHRAE/IESNA 90.1.
 - 2. Factory-insulated flexible ducts.
 - 3. Factory-insulated plenums and casings.
 - 4. Flexible connectors.
 - 5. Vibration-control devices.
 - 6. Factory-insulated access panels and doors.

2.2 INSULATION MATERIALS

- A. Products shall not contain asbestos, lead, mercury, or mercury compounds.
- B. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following. No substitutions will be permitted without written approval prior to receipt of bids:
 - 1. CertainTeed Corp.
 - 2. Johns Manville.
 - 3. Knauf Insulation.
 - 4. Manson Insulation Products Ltd.
- C. Mineral-Fiber Blanket Insulation: Mineral or glass fibers bonded with a thermosetting resin. Comply with ASTM C 553.
 - 1. FSK Jacket: Factory applied aluminum-foil, fiberglass-reinforced scrim with kraft-paper backing; complying with ASTM C 1136, Type II.
 - 2. Provide density and thickness as required to meet R-Values specified in the Insulation Schedule. R-Values shall be Installed at 25% compression.
- D. Mineral-Fiber Board Insulation: Mineral or glass fibers bonded with a thermosetting resin. Comply with ASTM C 612, Type IA or Type IB, with factory-applied FSK jacket.
 - 1. FSK Jacket: Factory applied aluminum-foil, fiberglass-reinforced scrim with kraft-paper backing; complying with ASTM C 1136, Type II.
 - 2. Provide density and thickness as required to meet R-Values specified in the Insulation Schedule.

2.3 TAPES

- A. FSK Tape: Foil-face, vapor-retarder tape matching factory-applied jacket with acrylic adhesive; complying with ASTM C 1136.
 - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
 - a. ABI, Ideal Tape Division; 491 AWF FSK.
 - b. Avery Dennison Corporation, Specialty Tapes Division; Fasson 0827.
 - c. Compac Corporation; 110 and 111.
 - d. Venture Tape; 1525 CW NT, 1528 CW, and 1528 CW/SQ.
 - 2. Width: 3 inches.
 - 3. Thickness: 6.5 mils.
 - 4. Adhesion: 90 ounces force/inch in width.
 - 5. Elongation: 2 percent.

6. Tensile Strength: 40 lbf/inch in width.

2.4 LAGGING ADHESIVES

- A. Description: Comply with MIL-A-3316C, Class I, Grade A and shall be compatible with insulation materials, jackets, and substrates.
 1. For indoor applications, use lagging adhesives that have a VOC content of 50 g/L or less when calculated according to 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24).
 2. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
 - a. Childers Brand, Specialty Construction Brands, Inc., a business of H. B. Fuller Company; CP-50 AHV2.
 - b. Foster Brand, Specialty Construction Brands, Inc., a business of H. B. Fuller Company; 30-36.
 - c. Vimasco Corporation; 713 and 714.
 3. Fire-resistant, water-based lagging adhesive and coating for use indoors to adhere fire resistant lagging cloths over duct insulation.
 4. Service Temperature Range: 0 to 180 deg F.
 5. Color: White.

2.5 FIELD-APPLIED JACKETS

- A. Self-Adhesive Outdoor Jacket: 60-mil- thick, laminated vapor barrier and waterproofing membrane for installation over insulation located aboveground outdoors; consisting of a rubberized bituminous resin on a cross-laminated polyethylene film covered with stucco embossed aluminum-foil facing.
 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
 - a. Polyguard Products, Inc.; Alumaguard 60.
 - b. VentureCladPlus 1579GCW-E

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine substrates and conditions for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of insulation application.
 1. Verify that systems to be insulated have been tested and are free of defects.
 2. Verify that surfaces to be insulated are clean and dry.
- B. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Surface Preparation: Clean and dry surfaces to receive insulation. Remove materials that will adversely affect insulation application.

3.3 GENERAL INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS

- A. Install insulation materials, accessories, and finishes with smooth, straight, and even surfaces; free of voids throughout the length of ducts and fittings.
- B. Install accessories compatible with insulation materials and suitable for the service. Install accessories that do not corrode, soften, or otherwise attack insulation or jacket in either wet or dry state.
- C. Keep insulation materials dry during application and finishing.
- D. Install insulation with least number of joints practical.
- E. Cut insulation in a manner to avoid compressing insulation more than 75 percent of its nominal thickness.

3.4 PENETRATIONS

- A. Insulation Installation at Interior Wall and Partition Penetrations (That Are Not Fire Rated): Install insulation continuously through walls and partitions.
- B. Insulation Installation at Fire-Rated Wall and Partition Penetrations: Terminate insulation at fire damper sleeves for fire-rated wall and partition penetrations. Externally insulate damper sleeves to match adjacent insulation and overlap duct insulation at least 2 inches.

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SECTION 230900 - BUILDING AUTOMATION SYSTEM

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 OVERVIEW

- A. Expand existing building automation system (BAS) at each building to provide the control sequences specified on drawings. The system shall provide control and monitoring of the equipment indicated.
- B. Provide controllers and communications infrastructure to match existing BAS in each building. Provide seamless integration with existing control network and user interfaces. Network gateways and protocol interface equipment are not acceptable.

- 1. Existing Controls Vendor

- Technical Building Services, Inc. (TBS Controls)
12E Commerce Drive
Ballston Spa, NY 12020
518-885-4444

- C. Provide instrumentation, valves, dampers, actuators and wiring as required to provide specified operating sequences.
 - D. Modify existing graphical user interfaces and/or provide new graphical user interfaces to include all equipment/systems included in this project.

1.2 SCOPE OF WORK

- A. The Contractor shall furnish and install all necessary software and hardware, wiring, and computing equipment in compliance with this specification. Any variances from this specification or related documentation shall be submitted in writing at the time of bid.
- B. System Requirements
 - 1. Standard Material/Products. All material and equipment used shall be standard components, regularly manufactured and available, and not custom designed especially for this project
 - 2. Modular Design. The system architecture shall be fully modular permitting expansion of application software, system peripherals, and field hardware.
 - 3. Performance. The system, upon completion of the installation and prior to acceptance of the project, shall perform all operating functions as detailed in this specification.
 - 4. Equipment: The Contractor shall provide the following system hardware:

- a. All sensing devices, relays, switches, indicating devices, and transducers required to perform the functions as listed in I/O Summary Tables.
- b. All monitoring and control wiring.

1.3 CODES AND STANDARDS

- A. Work, materials, and equipment shall comply with the most restrictive of local, state, and federal authorities' codes and ordinances or these plans and specifications. As a minimum, the installation shall comply with current editions in effect 30 days prior to receipt of bids of the following codes:
 1. National Electric Code (NEC)
 2. New York State Building Codes
 3. ANSI/ASHRAE 135-2004: Data Communication Protocol for Building Automation and Control Systems (BACnet)
- B. Conflict of Codes. Where two or more codes conflict, the most restrictive shall apply. Nothing in this specification or related documentation shall be construed to permit work not conforming to applicable codes.

1.4 SYSTEM PERFORMANCE

- A. Performance Standards. System shall conform to the following minimum standards.
 1. Performance. Programmable controllers shall be able to completely execute DDC PID control loops at a frequency adjustable down to once per sec. Select execution times consistent with the mechanical process under control.
 2. Reporting Accuracy. System shall report values with minimum end-to-end accuracy listed in Table 1.
 3. Control Stability and Accuracy. Control loops shall maintain measured variable at setpoint within tolerances listed in Table 2.

Table 1 - Reporting Accuracy

Measured Variable	Reported Accuracy
Space Temperature	±0.5°C (±1°F)
Ducted Air	±0.5°C (±1°F)
Outside Air	±1.0°C (±2°F)
Dew Point	±1.5°C (±3°F)
Water Temperature	±0.5°C (±1°F)
Delta-T	±0.15°C (±0.25°F)
Relative Humidity	±5% RH
Water Flow	±2% of full scale

Airflow (terminal)	±10% of full scale (see Note 1)
Airflow (measuring stations)	±5% of full scale
Airflow (pressurized spaces)	±3% of full scale
Air Pressure (ducts)	±25 Pa (±0.1 in. w.g.)
Air Pressure (space)	±3 Pa (±0.01 in. w.g.)
Water Pressure	±2% of full scale (see Note 2)
Electrical (A, V, W, Power Factor)	±1% of reading (see Note 3)
Carbon Monoxide (CO)	±5% of reading
Carbon Dioxide (CO ₂)	±50 ppm

Note 1: Accuracy applies to 10% - 100% of scale

Note 2: For both absolute and differential pressure

Note 3: Not including utility-supplied meters

Table 2 - Control Stability and Accuracy

Controlled Variable	Control Accuracy	Range of Medium
Air Pressure	±50 Pa (±0.2 in. w.g.) ±3 Pa (±0.01 in. w.g.)	0-1.5 kPa (0-6 in. w.g.) -25 to 25 Pa (-0.1 to 0.1 in. w.g.)
Airflow	±10% of full scale	
Space Temperature	±1.0°C (±2.0°F)	
Duct Temperature	±1.5°C (±3°F)	
Humidity	±5% RH	
Fluid Pressure	±10 kPa (±1.5 psi) ±250 Pa (±1.0 in. w.g.)	MPa (1-150 psi) 0-12.5 kPa (0-50 in. w.g.) differential

1.5 SUBMITTALS, DOCUMENTATION, ACCEPTANCE AND TRAINING

A. Submittals:

1. Shop Drawings. Include a complete list of equipment, materials, manufacturer's technical literature, cut-sheets, and installation instructions. Drawings shall contain proposed layout, complete wiring, routing, schematic diagrams, tag number of devices, software descriptions, calculations, installation details, and any other details required to demonstrate that the system will function properly.
2. Graphical Programming Documentation: The Contractor shall submit for approval, all proposed graphic displays in full color hard copy and an electronic copy in HTML format viewable on any web browser for all Graphical Displays, identifying the specific subsystem being controlled. Provide no later than 45 calendar days after contract award.

3. As Built Drawings. All drawings shall be reviewed after the final system checkout and updated or corrected to provide 'as-built' drawings to show exact installation. All shop drawings will be acknowledged in writing by Architect/Engineer before installation is started and again after the final checkout of the system. The system will not be considered complete until the 'as-built' drawings have received their final approval. The Contractor shall as-built drawings in electronic format as PDF documents.

B. Documentation:

1. Operating and Maintenance (O&M) manuals for the system shall be made available electronically (PDF) and include the following categories: Project Engineering Handbook, Software Documentation.
2. Project Engineering Manual shall contain as a minimum:
 - a. System architecture overview
 - b. Hardware cut-sheets and product descriptions.
 - c. The Contractor shall deliver six (6) sets of 'as-built' drawings. All drawings shall be reviewed after the final system checkout and updated to provide 'as-built' drawings. The system will not be considered complete until the 'as-built' drawings have received their final approval.
 - d. Installation, mounting and connection details for all field hardware and accessories
 - e. Commissioning, setup and backup procedures for all control modules/accessories, BAS server software, and database.
 - f. Listing of basic terminology, alarms/messages, error messages and frequently used commands or shortcuts.
 - g. Operator training 'video' submitted on CD or DVD format.
3. Acceptance Test
 - a. Acceptance Testing. Upon completion of the installation, the Contractor shall start up the system and perform all necessary calibration, testing, and debugging operations. The Contractor in the presence of the Owner's representative shall perform an acceptance test.
 - b. Notice of Completion. When the system performance is deemed satisfactory, the system parts will be accepted for beneficial use and placed under warranty. At this time, Architect/Engineer shall issue a "notice of substantial completion" and the warranty period shall start.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MATERIALS

- A. Use new products the manufacturer is currently manufacturing and selling for use in new installations. Do not use this installation as a product test site unless explicitly approved in

writing by Owner. Spare parts shall be available for at least five years after completion of this contract.

2.2 COMMUNICATION

- A. Install new wiring and network devices as required to provide a complete and workable control network.

2.3 FIELD HARDWARE/INSTRUMENTATION

A. Temperature Sensing Devices

1. Type & Accuracy. Temperature sensors shall be of the type and accuracy indicated for the application. Sensors shall have an accuracy rating within 1% of the intended use temperature range.
2. Outside Air Temperature Sensors. Outside air temperature sensors' accuracy shall be within +1°F in the range of -52°F to 152°F.
3. Room Temperature Sensors. Room temperature sensors shall have an accuracy of +0.36°F in the range of 32°F to 96°F.
4. Chilled Water and Condenser Water Sensors. Chilled water and condenser water sensors shall have an accuracy of +0.25°F in their range of application.
5. Hot Water Temperature Sensors. Hot water temperature sensors shall have an accuracy of +0.75°F over the range of their application.

B. Pressure Instruments

1. Differential Pressure and Pressure Sensors: Sensors shall have a 4-20 MA output proportional signal with provisions for field checking. Sensors shall withstand up to 150% of rated pressure, without damaging the device. Accuracy shall be within +2% of full scale. Sensors shall be manufactured by Leeds & Northrup, Setra, Robertshaw, Dwyer Instruments, Rosemont, or be approved equal.
2. Pressure Switches: Pressure switches shall have a repetitive accuracy of +2% of range and withstand up to 150% of rated pressure. Sensors shall be diaphragm or bourdon tube design. Switch operation shall be adjustable over the operating pressure range. The switch shall have an application rated Form C, snap-acting, self-wiping contact of platinum alloy, silver alloy, or gold plating.

C. Flow Switches:

1. Flow switches shall have a repetitive accuracy of +1% of their operating range. Switch actuation shall be adjustable over the operating flow range. Switches shall have snap-acting Form C contacts rated for the specific electrical application.

D. Humidity Sensors:

1. Sensors shall have an accuracy of +2.5% over a range of 20% to 95% RH.

E. Current Sensing Relays

1. Relays shall monitor status of motor loads. Switch shall have self-wiping, snap-acting Form C contacts rated for the application. The setpoint of the contact operation shall be field adjustable.

F. Output Relays

1. Control relay contacts shall be rated for 150% of the loading application, with self-wiping, snap-acting Form C contacts, enclosed in dustproof enclosure. Relays shall have silver cadmium contacts with a minimum life span rating of one million operations. Relays shall be equipped with coil transient suppression devices.

G. Solid State Relays

1. Input/output isolation shall be greater than 10 billion ohms with a breakdown voltage of 15 V root mean square, or greater, at 60 Hz. The contact operating life shall be 10 million operations or greater. The ambient temperature range of SSRs shall be 20° F-140° F. Input impedance shall be greater than 500 ohms. Relays shall be rated for the application. Operating and release time shall be 10 milliseconds or less. Transient suppression shall be provided as an integral part of the relays.

H. Valve and Damper Actuators

1. Electronic Direct-Coupled: Electronic direct-coupled actuation shall be provided.
2. Actuator Mounting: The actuator shall be direct-coupled over the shaft, enabling it to be mounted directly to the damper shaft without the need for connecting linkage. The fastening clamp assemble shall be of a 'V' bolt design with associated 'V' shaped toothed cradle attaching to the shaft for maximum strength and eliminating slippage. Spring return actuators shall have a 'V' clamp assembly of sufficient size to be directly mounted to an integral jackshaft of up to 1.05 inches when the damper is constructed in this manner. Single bolt or screw type fasteners are not acceptable
3. Electronic Overload Sensing: The actuator shall have electronic overload or digital rotation sensing circuitry to prevent damage to the actuator throughout the entire rotation of the actuator. Mechanical end switches or magnetic clutch to deactivate the actuator at the end of rotation are not acceptable.
4. Power Failure/Safety Applications: For power failure/safety applications, an internal mechanical spring return mechanism shall be built into the actuator housing. Non-mechanical forms of fail-safe operation are not acceptable.
5. Spring Return Actuators: All spring return actuators shall be capable of both clockwise or counterclockwise spring return operation by simply changing the mounting orientation.

6. Proportional Actuators: Proportional actuators shall accept a 0 to 10VDC or 0 to 20mA control input and provide a 2 to 10VDC or 4 to 20mA operating range. An actuator capable of accepting a pulse width modulating control signal and providing full proportional operation of the damper is acceptable. All actuators shall provide a 2 to 10VDC position feedback signal.
 7. 24 Volts (AC/DC) actuators: All 24VAC/DC actuators shall operate on Class 2 wiring and shall not require more than 10VA for AC or more than 8 watts for DC applications. Actuators operating on 120VAC power shall not require more than 10VA. Actuators operating on 230VAC shall not require more than 11VA.
 8. Non-Spring Return Actuators: All non-spring return actuators shall have an external manual gear release to allow manual positioning of the damper when the actuator is not powered. Spring return actuators with more than 60 in-lb torque shall have a manual crank for this purpose.
 9. Modulating Actuators: All modulating actuators shall have an external, built-in switch to allow reversing direction of rotation.
 10. Conduit Fitting & Pre-Wiring: Actuators shall be provided with a conduit fitting and a minimum 3ft electrical cable, and shall be pre-wired to eliminate the necessity of opening the actuator housing to make electrical connections.
 11. U.L. Listing: Actuators shall be Underwriters Laboratories Standard 873 listed and Canadian Standards Association Class 4813 02 certified as meeting correct safety requirements and recognized industry standards.
 12. Warranty: Actuators shall be designed for a minimum of 60,000 full stroke cycles at the actuator's rated torque and shall have a 2-year manufacturer's warranty, starting from the date of installation. Manufacturer shall be ISO9001 certified.
- I. Control Valves: Provide factory fabricated U.S. forged and assembled electric control valves of type, body material, and pressure class indicated. Where type or body material is not indicated, provide selection as determined by manufacturer for installation requirements and pressure class, based on maximum pressure and temperature in piping system. Provide valve size in accordance with scheduled or specified maximum pressure drop across control valve. Except as otherwise indicated, provide valves which mate and match material of connecting piping. Equip control valves with control valve motor actuators, with proper shutoff rating for each individual application.
1. Water Service Valves: Equal percentage characteristics with rangeability of 50 to 1, Class 150 at 250°F and maximum full flow pressure drop 5 psig. Globe type with replaceable plugs and seats of stainless steel or brass. Select operators to close valves against pump shutoff head.
 2. Double Seated Valves: Balanced plug type, with caged type trim providing seating and guiding surfaces on "top and bottom" guided plugs.
 3. Valve Trim and Stems: Polished stainless steel.
 4. Packing: Spring-loaded teflon, self-adjusting.

5. Terminal Unit Control Valves: Provide control ball valves for control of terminal units including, but not necessarily limited to, convectors, thinned tube radiation, and fan coil - units that are of integral motor type. Provide 2-position or modulating type valves, electrically actuated by line voltage or by 24VAC.
- J. Dampers: Provide automatic control low leakage, opposed blade dampers, with damper frames not less than formed 13-gauged galvanized steel. Provide mounting holes for enclosed duct mounting. Provide damper blades not less than formed 16-gauged galvanized steel, with maximum blade width of 8-inch. Equip dampers with motors of proper rating of each application.
 1. Secure blades to ½ inch diameter zinc-plated axles using zinc-plated hardware. Seal off against spring stainless steel blade bearings. Provide blade bearings Nylon and provide thrust bearings at each end of every blade. Construct blade linkage hardware of zinc-plated steel and brass. Submit leakage and flow characteristics plus size schedule for controlled dampers.
 2. Operating Temperature Range: From -20° to 200°F (-29° to 93°C).
 3. For low leakage application or opposed blade design (as selected by manufacturers sizing techniques) with inflatable steel blade edging or replaceable rubber seals, rated for leakage less than 10 cfm per square foot of damper area, AR differential pressure of 4-inch w.g. when damper is being held by torque 50 inch-pounds.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 COORDINATION

- A. Provide power from existing electrical distribution system as necessary for control system. Comply with the National Electrical Code.

3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Connect and configure equipment and software to achieve sequence of operation specified.
- B. Verify location of exposed control sensors with architect prior to installation. Install devices 60 inches above the floor.
- C. Install damper motors on outside of duct in warm areas, not in locations exposed to outdoor temperatures.

3.3 ELECTRICAL WIRING SCOPE

- A. This contractor shall be responsible for power that is not shown on the electrical drawings, to controls furnished by this contractor. If power circuits are shown on the electrical drawings, this contractor shall continue the power run to the control device. If power circuits are not shown, this contractor shall coordinate with the electrical contractor to provide breakers at distribution panels for power to controls. This contractor is then responsible for power from the distribution panel.
 - 1. Coordinate panel locations. If enclosures for panels are shown on the electrical drawings, furnish the enclosures according to the electrician's installation schedule.
- B. This contractor shall not be responsible for power to control panels and control devices that are furnished by others, unless it is part of the control interlock wiring.
- C. Refer to Coordination section for what devices this contractor is responsible to mount and which are turned over to others to mount.
- D. This contractor shall be responsible for wiring of any control device that is furnished as part of this section of specification.
- E. Wiring for controls furnished by others:
 - 1. Provide control wiring for HVAC controls furnished by others. Wiring may include, but not limited to, the following items:
 - a. Thermostats
 - b. Condensers
 - c. Chiller control devices shipped loose
 - d. Leak detectors
 - e. Humidifier controls
 - f. Refrigerant leak monitoring systems
 - g. Exhaust or Purge fans
 - h. Manual switches for HVAC equipment (not shown on electrical drawings)
 - i. Emergency ventilation switches (not shown on electrical drawings)
 - j. Emergency shutdown switches (not shown on electrical drawings)
 - 2. Provide control wiring for the following non-HVAC controls furnished by others if they are called for in this project:
 - a. Electrical vault fans
 - b. Emergency generator dampers
 - c. Water treatment
 - d. Interlock to fire suppression system
 - e. Leak detection system

- f. Fuel oil monitoring system
 - g. Fuel oil fill system
- F. Interlock wiring shall be run in separate conduits from BAS associated wiring.
- G. Provide network wiring for equipment that is called to be integrated to the BAS.

3.4 ELECTRICAL WIRING AND CONNECTION INSTALLATION

- A. Install raceways, boxes, and cabinets according to Section 260533 "Raceways and Boxes for Electrical Systems."
- B. Install building wire and cable according to Section 260519 "Low-Voltage Electrical Power Conductors and Cables."
- C. Install signal and communication cable according to Section 271500 "Communications Horizontal Cabling."
 - 1. Conceal cable, except in mechanical rooms and areas where other conduit and piping are exposed.
 - 2. Install exposed cable in raceway.
 - 3. Bundle and harness multiconductor instrument cable in place of single cables where several cables follow a common path.
 - 4. Fasten flexible conductors, bridging cabinets and doors, along hinge side; protect against abrasion. Tie and support conductors.
 - 5. Number-code or color-code conductors for future identification and service of control system, except local individual room control cables.
 - 6. Install wire and cable with sufficient slack and flexible connections to allow for vibration of piping and equipment.
- D. Connect manual reset limit controls independent of manual control switch positions.
- E. Connect hand-off-auto selector switches to override automatic interlock controls when switch is in hand position.

3.5 COMMUNICATION WIRING

- A. All cabling shall be installed in a neat and workmanlike manner. Follow manufacturer's installation recommendations for all communication cabling.
- B. Do not install communication wiring in raceway and enclosures containing Class 1 wiring.
- C. Maximum pulling, tension, and bend radius for cable installation, as specified by the cable manufacturer, shall not be exceeded during installation.

- D. Contractor shall verify the integrity of the entire network following the cable installation. Use appropriate test measures for each particular cable.
- E. Cable bundling:
 - 1. RS485 cabling run open air in accessible areas can be bundled with other class 2 low voltage cabling.
 - 2. RS485 cabling run between terminal units in conduits above ceilings or under floors or in inaccessible areas can be bundled with other class 2 low voltage cabling.
 - 3. RS485 cabling run between floors shall be in a communication only conduit.
 - 4. RS485 conduit run long distances between utility rooms or between buildings shall be in a communication only conduit.
 - 5. Ethernet cabling shall be in a communication only conduit.
 - 6. Ethernet and RS485 can be run together.
 - 7. Fiber optics can be run with Ethernet and RS485 cabling as long as the conduit is bent to fiber optic standards and junction boxes are sized for fiber optic use.
- F. FLN or BACnet BACnet MS/TP Cabling
 - 1. RS485 cabling shall be used for BACnet MS/TP networks.
 - 2. RS485 shall use low capacitance, 20-24 gauge, twisted shielded pair.
 - 3. The shields shall be tied together at each device.
 - 4. The shield shall be grounded at one end only and capped at the other end.
 - 5. Provide end of line (EOL) termination devices at each end of the RS485 network or subnetwork run, to match the impedance of the cable, 100 to 120ohm.
- G. Ethernet Cabling
 - 1. Ethernet shall not be run with any Class 1 or low voltage Class 2 wiring.
 - 2. CAT6, unshielded twisted pair (UTP) cable shall be used for BAS Ethernet.
 - 3. Solid wire shall be used for long runs, between mechanical rooms and between floors. Stranded cable can be used for patch cables and between panels in the same mechanical room up to 50 feet away.
 - 4. When the BAS Ethernet connects to an Owner's network switch, document the port number on the BAS As-builts.
- H. When a cable enters or exits a building, a lightning arrestor must be installed between the lines and ground. The lightning arrestor shall be installed according to the manufacturer's instructions.
- I. All runs of communication wiring shall be unspliced length when that length is commercially available.
- J. All communication wiring shall be labeled to indicate origination and destination data.
- K. Grounding of coaxial cable shall be in accordance with NEC regulations article on "Communications Circuits, Cable, and Protector Grounding."

3.6 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Manufacturer's Field Service: Engage a factory-authorized service representative to inspect, test, and adjust field-assembled components and equipment installation, including connections, and to assist in field testing. Report results in writing.
- B. Perform the following field tests and inspections and prepare test reports:
 - 1. Operational Test: After electrical circuitry has been energized, start units to confirm proper unit operation. Remove and replace malfunctioning units and retest.
 - 2. Test and adjust controls and safeties.
 - 3. Test each point through its full operating range to verify that safety and operating control set points are as required.
 - 4. Test each control loop to verify stable mode of operation and compliance with sequence of operation. Adjust PID actions.
 - 5. Test each system for compliance with sequence of operation.
 - 6. Test software and hardware interlocks.
- C. DDC Verification:
 - 1. Verify that instruments are installed before calibration, testing, and loop or leak checks.
 - 2. Check instruments for proper location and accessibility.
 - 3. Check instrument installation for direction of flow, elevation, orientation, insertion depth, and other applicable considerations.
 - 4. Check flow instruments. Inspect tag number and line and bore size, and verify that inlet side is identified and that meters are installed correctly.
 - 5. Check control valves. Verify that they are in correct direction.
 - 6. Check DDC system as follows:
 - a. Verify that wires at control panels are tagged with their service designation and approved tagging system.
 - b. Verify that DDC controllers are protected from power supply surges.
- D. Replace damaged or malfunctioning controls and equipment and repeat testing procedures.

3.7 SYSTEM COMMISSIONING, DEMONSTRATION AND TURNOVER

- A. The BAS Contractor shall prepare and submit for approval a complete acceptance test procedure including submittal data relevant to point index, functions, sequence, interlocks, and associated parameters, and other pertinent information for the operating system. Prior to acceptance of the BAS by the Owner and Engineer, the BAS contractor shall completely test the BAS using the approved test procedure.

- B. After the BAS contractor has completed the tests and certified the BAS is 100% complete, the Engineer shall be requested, in writing, to approve the satisfactory operation of the system, sub-systems and accessories. The BAS contractor shall submit Maintenance and Operating manuals at this time for approval. An acceptance test in the presence of the Engineer and Owner's representative shall be performed. The Owner will then shake down the system for a fixed period of time (30 days).
- C. The BAS contractor shall fix punch list items within 30 days of acceptance.
- D. When the system performance is deemed satisfactory in whole or in part by these observers, the system parts will be accepted for beneficial use and placed under warranty.

3.8 PROJECT RECORD DOCUMENTS

- A. Project Record Documents: Submit three (3) copies of record (as-built) documents upon completion of installation. Submittal shall consist of:
 - 1. Project Record Drawings. As-built versions of the submittal shop drawings provided as AutoCAD compatible files in electronic format and as 11 x 17 inch prints.
 - 2. Testing and Commissioning Reports and Checklists. Completed versions of reports, checklists, and trend logs used to meet requirements in the Control System Demonstration and Acceptance section of this specification.
 - 3. Operation and Maintenance (O & M) Manual.
 - a. As-built versions of the submittal product data.
 - b. Names, addresses, and 24-hour telephone numbers of installing contractors and service representatives for equipment and control systems.
 - c. Operator's Manual with procedures for operating control systems, logging on and off, handling alarms, producing point reports, trending data, overriding computer control, and changing setpoints and variables.
 - d. Programming manual or set of manuals with description of programming language and of statements for algorithms and calculations used, of point database creation and modification, of program creation and modification, and of editor use.
 - e. Engineering, installation, and maintenance manual or set of manuals that explains how to design and install new points, panels, and other hardware; how to perform preventive maintenance and calibration; how to debug hardware problems; and how to repair or replace hardware.
 - f. Documentation of all programs created using custom programming language, including setpoints, tuning parameters, and object database.
 - g. Graphic files, programs, and database on electronic media.
 - h. List of recommended spare parts with part numbers and suppliers.

- i. Complete original-issue documentation, installation, and maintenance information for furnished third-party hardware, including computer equipment and sensors.
 - j. Complete original original-issue copies of furnished software, including operating systems, custom programming language, operator workstation software, and graphics software.
 - k. Licenses, guarantees, and warranty documents for equipment and systems.
- B. Operating manual to serve as training and reference manual for all aspects of day-to-day operation of the system. As a minimum include the following:
 - 1. Sequence of operation for automatic and manual operating modes for all building systems. The sequences shall cross-reference the system point names.
 - 2. Description of manual override operation of all control points in system.
 - 3. BMS system manufacturers complete operating manuals.
- C. Provide maintenance manual to serve as training and reference manual for all aspects of day-to-day maintenance and major system repairs. As a minimum include the following:
 - 1. Complete as-built installation drawings for each building system.
 - 2. Overall system electrical power supply schematic indicating source of electrical power for each system component. Indicate all battery backup provisions.
 - 3. Photographs and/or drawings showing installation details and locations of equipment.
 - 4. Routine preventive maintenance procedures, corrective diagnostics troubleshooting procedures, and calibration procedures.
 - 5. Parts list with manufacturer's catalog numbers and ordering information.
 - 6. Lists of ordinary and special tools, operating materials supplies and test equipment recommended for operation and servicing.
 - 7. Manufacturer's operation, set-up, maintenance and catalog literature for each piece of equipment.
 - 8. Maintenance and repair instructions.
 - 9. Recommended spare parts.
- D. Provide Programming Manual to serve as training and reference manual for all aspects of system programming. As a minimum include the following:
 - 1. Complete programming manuals, and reference guides.
 - 2. Details of any custom software packages and compilers supplied with system.
 - 3. Information and access required for independent programming of system.

3.9 TRAINING

- A. During System commissioning and at such time as acceptable performance of the Building Automation System hardware and software has been established, the BAS contractor shall provide on-site operator instruction to the owner's operating personnel. Operator

instruction during normal working hours shall be performed by a competent building automation contractor representative familiar with the Building Automation System's software, hardware and accessories.

- B. At a time mutually agreed upon, during System commissioning as stated above, the BAS contractor shall give 16-hours of onsite training on the operation of all BAS equipment. Describe its intended use with respect to the programmed functions specified. Operator orientation of the automation system shall include, but not be limited to:
 - 1. Explanation of drawings and operator's maintenance manuals.
 - 2. Walk-through of the job to locate all control components.
 - 3. Operator workstation and peripherals.
 - 4. DDC Controller and ASC operation/sequence.
 - 5. Operator control functions including scheduling, alarming, and trending.
 - 6. Explanation of adjustment, calibration and replacement procedures.
- C. Additional 8-hours of training shall be given after the 30 day shakedown period.
- D. Since the Owner may require personnel to have more comprehensive understanding of the hardware and software, additional training must be available from the Contractor. If the Owner requires such training, it will be contracted at a later date. Provide description of available local and factory customer training. Provide costs associated with performing training at an off-site classroom facility and detail what is included in the manufacturer's standard pricing such as transportation, meals, etc.

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SECTION 230993 - SEQUENCE OF OPERATIONS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes building automation monitoring and operating sequences for building systems and equipment as described herein.
- B. This Section includes operating sequences for various pieces of new equipment in multiple buildings. All new equipment shall be connected to existing Building Automation System in each respective building and configured as described below. Contractor is responsible to field verify the existing control system at each building and provide all hardware, control wiring, electrical wiring, programming and graphics to provide a complete installation.

1.2 DEFINITIONS

ADJ	Operator Adjustable
AI	Analog input.
AO	Analog Output.
DDC	Direct digital control.
DI	Digital input.
DO	Digital output.
EAT	Entering air temperature.
EWT	Entering water (fluid) temperature.
LAT	Leaving air temperature.
LWT	Leaving water (fluid) temperature.
OA	Outdoor air.
OAF	Outdoor Airflow (cfm)
OAT	Outdoor air temperature
VFD	Variable frequency drive.
WP	Water proof/weather resistant.

1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS

A. Product Data:

1. An instrumentation list for each controlled system. Label each element of the controlled system in table format. Show, in the table element name, type of device, manufacturer, model number, and control device product data sheet number.
2. A complete description of the operation of the control system, including sequences of operation. Include and reference a schematic diagram of the controlled system.

B. Shop Drawings:

1. Riser diagrams showing control network layout, communication protocol, and wire types.
2. Schematic diagram of each controlled system. Include all control points labeled with point names shown or listed. Show the location of control elements in the system.
3. Wiring diagram for each controlled system. Show all control elements labels. Where a control element is the same as that shown on the control system schematic, label with the same name. Label all terminals.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 GENERAL:

- A. Setpoints and schedules described in the operation of building systems shall be operator adjustable unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Unless otherwise noted the space temperature setpoints for each system shall be as follows:

<u>Operating Mode</u>	<u>Space Temperature Setpoint</u>
Occupied Heating	70°F
Occupied Cooling	75°F
Unoccupied Heating	60°F
Unoccupied Cooling	85°F

- C. Provide digital input from fire alarm system to indicate activation of system. Coordinate interface with the EC.

3.2 CLARKSTOWN SOUTH HIGH SCHOOL – FITNESS/WEIGHT ROOM ROOFTOP UNIT

A. Main System Components

1. Outside air motorized damper, modulating type, normally closed.
2. Return air motorized damper, modulating type, normally open.
3. Exhaust air motorized damper, modulating type, normally closed.
4. Heat pump compressor, normally off.
5. Supply fan VFD, 0% speed output.
6. Exhaust fan, VFD, 0% speed output.
7. Energy recovery wheel.
8. Auxiliary electric heater, modulating SCR control.

B. Hardwired Safeties

1. Safeties shall be enabled at all time.
2. The area smoke detectors shall shutdown the supply fan on a smoke condition through the Fire Alarm System (FAS). The unit shutdown wiring from FAS output module to unit shutdown circuit shall be provided and installed by fire alarm contractor. FAS shall notify BAS to restore normal controls upon deactivation of fire alarm condition.
3. BAS shall shutdown the supply fan upon abnormal current detected by VFD and raise critical alarm.

C. System Off

1. When the system is off, all dampers and controlled devices shall be in their normal position.

D. System Start-Up

1. The system shall run via optimum start program, occupancy schedule, space occupancy switches (integral with space temperature sensor) or controlled manually via the operator's workstation.
2. On start-up the system shall be indexed to temperature control mode.
3. Fans shall be enabled only upon confirmation of associated damper opening via end switch.

- E. Morning Warm-up/Cool-down Mode: The unit fan shall start, the mixed air dampers shall be set to 100% return air position, and the unit shall operate in heating or cooling mode. Exhaust fan shall be off during warm-up mode. When space temperature reaches occupied setpoint, the system shall switch to occupied mode operation.
 - 1. Provide optimal start algorithm for morning warm-up/cool-down mode to minimize time of this operation while achieving comfort conditions by the start of the scheduled occupied period.
- F. Economizer Mode
 - 1. When outdoor conditions allow and there is a call for cooling, utilize factory controller sequence of operation for enthalpy economizer mode. Integral controller should compare both indoor and outdoor temperatures and indoor and outdoor relative humidity to calculate inside and outside air enthalpy to determine if free economizer operation can cool the space with non-humid outside air. Relief air damper shall be in the open position during economization mode. Mechanical cooling shall be disabled during economizer operation.
- G. Occupied Mode: Supply fan and exhaust fan shall run continuously.
 - 1. Mixed Air Damper Control:
 - a. OA/RA dampers shall open to minimum OA position to provide base ventilation rate indicated on the drawings (default position determined by TAB agency to provide scheduled design minimum OA flow).
 - b. During occupied mode, exhaust fan shall operate continuously. Exhaust fan shall operate at a minimum speed to match minimum OA position. Exhaust fan speed shall track OA position with any modulation of mixed air dampers.
 - 2. Space Temperature Control:
 - a. A variable frequency drive is used to provide supply fan motor speed modulation. For Single Zone VAV the VFD is driven by a modulating 0-10Vdc signal from the Options module. The drive will accelerate or decelerate as required to meet the Zone Heating (Modulating Heat Only) or Cooling demand. In order to maximize energy savings, the VFD will be held at minimum speed until the load in the zone requires the speed to increase.
 - b. During active cooling mode, the economizer and primary cooling are used to control the discharge air temperature to a calculated discharge air temperature setpoint. The calculated discharge air setpoint is based on the zone cooling demand and its upper and lower limits will be customer selectable through potentiometers located on the Options module or through a BAS. If available cooling capacity is not sufficient to meet the load demands in the space, the supply fan motor speed will be modulated in order to meet the load. If the enthalpy of outside air is appropriate to use "free cooling," the economizer will

be used first to attempt to satisfy the cooling zone temperature setpoint; then primary cooling will be staged up as necessary.

- c. During active heating mode, the modulating heat output is commanded to control the discharge air temperature to a calculated discharge air temperature setpoint. The calculated discharge air setpoint is based on the zone heating demand and its upper and lower limits will be customer selectable through potentiometers located on the Options module. If available heating capacity is not sufficient to meet the load demands in the space, the supply fan motor speed will be modulated in order to meet the load.
 - d. Modulate OA damper in response to speed adjustments of the supply air fan to maintain minimum ventilation rate as determined by air flow station.
 - e. Provide remote wall mounted thermostat with override capability and limited setpoint adjustment +/- 3°F.
- H. Unoccupied Mode: With mixed air dampers set to 100% return air position and exhaust fan off, unit fan and heating/cooling operation shall cycle integral control sequences as required to maintain unoccupied space temperature setpoint (default = 65°F (adj.) in heating mode and 80°F (adj.) in cooling mode).
- I. Discharge Air Temperature Reset
 - 1. Heating Mode
 - a. During warm-up mode, unit discharge temperature shall reset to 90°F ((adj.).
 - b. During normal occupied mode, if the space temperature is 2°F above the zone setpoint, the heat pump shall modulate to allow discharge air temperature setpoint to be reset down by 1°F (adj.) every 10 minutes (adj.) to the minimum setpoint of 70°F (adj.).
 - c. During normal occupied mode, if the space temperature is 2°F below the zone setpoint, the heat pump shall modulate to allow discharge air temperature setpoint to be reset up by 1°F (adj.) every 10 minutes (adj.) to the maximum setpoint of 90°F (adj.).
 - 2. Cooling Mode
 - a. During cool-down mode, unit discharge temperature shall set to 55°F ((adj.).
 - b. During normal occupied mode, if the space temperature is 2°F above the zone setpoint, the discharge air temperature setpoint to be reset down by 1°F (adj.) every 10 minutes (adj.) to the minimum setpoint of 55°F (adj.).
 - c. During normal occupied mode, if the space temperature is 2°F below the zone setpoint, the discharge air temperature setpoint to be reset up by 1°F (adj.) every 10 minutes (adj.) to the maximum setpoint of 75°F (adj.).
- J. Energy Wheel

1. Energy wheel to be controlled by rooftop unit factory controller. Monitor available system points at BAS front end.

K. Auxiliary Electric Heat

1. Rooftop unit includes auxiliary electric heating to supplement operation of heat pump. Auxiliary electric heating to operate in place of heat pump in any ambient conditions that are outside of the threshold of the unit. Auxiliary electric heating shall also operate in situations where the mixed air temperature falls below the operating range of the heat pump (40°F) which could be possible during energy wheel defrost.

L. Supplemental Heating - Existing Finned Tube Control

1. The Weight and Fitness Rooms are currently heated by finned tube radiation which supplements the existing air handling unit. The finned tube and associated controls shall remain in place to provide supplemental heating to the spaces. Utilize finned tube as the primary source of heat during unoccupied hours. During occupied hours, rooftop unit shall provide primary heating with finned tube providing supplemental heating if the space temperature setpoint cannot be maintained.

M. Scheduling

1. Provide 7-day scheduling with 2 start/stops per day

N. Alarms

1. Provide remote alarm at the BAS work station for the following
 - a. Fan VFD fault.
2. Provide local audio/visual, and remote alarm at the BAS work station for the following
 - a. Fan failure: Commanded ON, but the status is OFF.
 - b. Fan running in hand: commanded OFF, but the status is ON.

O. Data Log

BAS shall be able to trend all monitored values within a period of 1 year. The frequency of recording shall be adjustable from every 1 minute to 1 hour. The trends shall be able to be printed in the Microsoft Excel format with clearly defined headings.

P. Point Summary

Description	Type	Remarks
(1) Space temperature	AI	
(2) Supply fan start/stop	DO	VFD terminal
(3) Supply fan speed	AO	VFD terminal
(4) Supply fan status	DI	VFD terminal
(5) Supply fan VFD fault	DI	VFD terminal

(6) Exhaust fan start/stop	DO	VFD terminal
(7) Exhaust fan speed	AO	VFD terminal
(8) Exhaust fan status	DI	VFD terminal
(9) Exhaust fan VFD fault	DI	VFD terminal
(10) Outdoor Air Flow Rate	AI	
(11) Supply Air Flow Rate	AI	
(12) Return Air Flow Rate	AI	
(13) Exhaust Air Flow Rate	AI	
(14) Supply air static pressure	AI	
(15) Outdoor air damper	AO	Modulating
(16) Return air damper	AO	Modulating
(17) Exhaust air damper	AO	Modulating
(18) Condenser fan status	DI	
(19) Heat pump modulation	AO	Modulating
(20) DX cooling/heating enable/disable	DO	
(21) Supply air temperature	AI	
(22) Return air temperature	AI	
(23) Mixed air temperature	AI	
(24) Exhaust air temperature	AI	
(25) Outside air temperature	AI	
(26) Supply air temperature leaving wheel	AI	
(27) Runtime – Filter Replacement	AI	
(28) Energy wheel enable	DO	
(29) Energy wheel speed	AO	
(30) Energy wheel status	DI	
(31) Auxiliary electric heat enable	DO	
(32) Auxiliary electric heat modulation	AO	
(33) Dirty filter switch	DI	

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SECTION 233113 – DUCTWORK

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes:

1. Single-wall rectangular ducts and fittings.
2. Single-wall round ducts and fittings.
3. Sheet metal materials.
4. Sealants and gaskets.
5. Hangers and supports.

1.2 ACTION SUBMITTALS

A. Product Data: For each type of the following products:

1. Liners and adhesives.
2. Sealants and gaskets.
3. Factory fabricated ducts and fittings.

B. Shop Drawings:

1. Fabrication, assembly, and installation, including plans, elevations, sections, components, and attachments to other work.
2. Shop fabricated ducts and fittings.
3. Duct layout indicating sizes, configuration, liner material, and static-pressure classes.
4. Elevation of top of ducts.
5. Dimensions of main duct runs from building grid lines.
6. Fittings.
7. Reinforcement type and spacing.
8. Seam and joint construction.
9. Penetrations through fire-rated and other partitions.

10. Equipment installation based on equipment being used on Project.
11. Locations for duct accessories, including dampers, turning vanes, and access doors and panels.
12. Hangers and supports, including methods for duct and building attachment and vibration isolation.

1.3 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Coordination Drawings: Plans, drawn to scale, on which the following items are shown and coordinated with each other, using input from installers of the items involved:
 1. Duct installation in congested spaces, indicating coordination with general construction, building components, and other building services. Indicate proposed changes to duct layout.
 2. Suspended ceiling components.
 3. Structural members to which ducts will be attached.
 4. Size and location of initial access modules for acoustical tile.
 5. Penetrations of smoke barriers and fire-rated construction.
 6. Items penetrating finished ceiling including the following:
 - a. Lighting fixtures.
 - b. Air outlets and inlets.
 - c. Speakers.
 - d. Fire alarm devices.
 - e. Sprinklers.
 - f. Access panels.

1.4 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver products to the Project Site and store in dry, covered and protected location. Do not store products outdoors.
- B. Protect materials from rust both before and after installation. Ductwork and fittings shall be sealed from dirt and debris.

1.5 WARRANTY

- A. All ductwork systems shall be constructed and erected in a first class workmanlike manner.
- B. The Work shall be guaranteed for a period of one (1) year from the Project Substantial Completion date against noise, chatter, whistling, vibration, and free from pulsation under all conditions of operation. After the system is in operation, should these defects occur, they shall be corrected as directed by the Owner at Contractor's expense.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 SINGLE-WALL RECTANGULAR DUCTS AND FITTINGS

- A. General Fabrication Requirements: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible" based on indicated static-pressure class unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Transverse Joints: Select joint types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 2-1, "Rectangular Duct/Transverse Joints," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible."
- C. Longitudinal Seams: Select seam types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 2-2, "Rectangular Duct/Longitudinal Seams," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible."
- D. Elbows, Transitions, Offsets, Branch Connections, and Other Duct Construction: Select types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Chapter 4, "Fittings and Other Construction," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible."

2.2 SINGLE-WALL ROUND DUCTS AND FITTINGS

- A. General Fabrication Requirements: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Chapter 3, "Round, Oval, and Flexible Duct," based on indicated static-pressure class unless otherwise indicated.

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following :
 - a. Lindab Inc.
 - b. McGill AirFlow LLC.
 - c. SEMCO Incorporated.
- B. Transverse Joints: Select joint types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 3-1, "Round Duct Transverse Joints," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible."
 1. Transverse joints in ducts larger than 30 inches diameter shall be flanged type.
- C. Longitudinal Seams: Select seam types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 3-2, "Round Duct Longitudinal Seams," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible."
- D. Tees and Laterals: Select types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 3-5, "90 Degree Tees and Laterals," and Figure 3-6, "Conical Tees," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible."

2.3 SHEET METAL MATERIALS

- A. General Material Requirements: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible" for acceptable materials, material thicknesses, and duct construction methods unless otherwise indicated. Sheet metal materials shall be free of pitting, seam marks, roller marks, stains, discolorations, and other imperfections.
- B. Galvanized Sheet Steel: Comply with ASTM A 653/A 653M.
 1. Galvanized Coating Designation: G90.
 2. Finishes for Surfaces Exposed to View: Mill phosphatized.
- C. Stainless-Steel Sheets: Comply with ASTM A 480/A 480M, Type 304 or 316, as indicated in the "Duct Schedule" Article; cold rolled, annealed, sheet. Exposed surface finish shall be No. 2B, No. 2D, No. 3, or No. 4 as indicated in the "Duct Schedule" Article.

- D. Tie Rods: Galvanized steel, 1/4-inch minimum diameter for lengths 36 inches or less; 3/8-inch minimum diameter for lengths longer than 36 inches.

2.4 SEALANT AND GASKETS

- A. General Sealant and Gasket Requirements: Surface-burning characteristics for sealants and gaskets shall be a maximum flame-spread index of 25 and a maximum smoke-developed index of 50 when tested according to UL 723; certified by an NRTL.
- B. Solvent-Based Joint and Seam Sealant:
 - 1. Application Method: Brush on.
 - 2. Base: Synthetic rubber resin.
 - 3. Solvent: Toluene and heptane.
 - 4. Solids Content: Minimum 60 percent.
 - 5. Shore A Hardness: Minimum 60.
 - 6. Water resistant.
 - 7. Mold and mildew resistant.
 - 8. Maximum Static-Pressure Class: 10-inch wg, positive or negative.
 - 9. Service: Indoor or outdoor.
- C. Flanged Joint Sealant: Comply with ASTM C 920.
 - 1. General: Single-component, acid-curing, silicone, elastomeric.
 - 2. Type: S.
 - 3. Grade: NS.
 - 4. Class: 25.
 - 5. Use: O.
- D. Flange Gaskets: Butyl rubber, neoprene, or EPDM polymer with polyisobutylene plasticizer.
- E. Round Duct Joint O-Ring Seals:
 - 1. Seal shall provide maximum leakage class of 3 cfm/100 sq. ft. at 1-inch wg and shall be rated for 10-inch wg static-pressure class, positive or negative.

2. EPDM O-ring to seal in concave bead in coupling or fitting spigot.
3. Double-lipped, EPDM O-ring seal, mechanically fastened to factory-fabricated couplings and fitting spigots.

2.5 HANGERS AND SUPPORTS

- A. Hanger Rods for Noncorrosive Environments: Cadmium-plated steel rods and nuts.
- B. Hanger Rods for Corrosive Environments: Electrogalvanized, all-thread rods or galvanized rods with threads painted with zinc-chromate primer after installation.
- C. Strap and Rod Sizes: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Table 5-1, "Rectangular Duct Hangers Minimum Size," and Table 5-2, "Minimum Hanger Sizes for Round Duct."
- D. Steel Cables for Galvanized-Steel Ducts: Galvanized steel complying with ASTM A 603.
- E. Steel Cables for Stainless-Steel Ducts: Stainless steel complying with ASTM A 492.
- F. Steel Cable End Connections: Cadmium-plated steel assemblies with brackets, swivel, and bolts designed for duct hanger service; with an automatic-locking and clamping device.
- G. Duct Attachments: Sheet metal screws, blind rivets, or self-tapping metal screws; compatible with duct materials.
- H. Trapeze and Riser Supports:
 1. Supports for Galvanized-Steel Ducts: Galvanized-steel shapes and plates.
 2. Supports for Stainless-Steel Ducts: Stainless-steel shapes and plates.
 3. Supports for Aluminum Ducts: Aluminum or galvanized steel coated with zinc chromate.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 DUCT INSTALLATION

- A. Drawing plans, schematics, and diagrams indicate general location and arrangement of duct system. Indicated duct locations, configurations, and arrangements were used to size ducts and calculate friction loss for air-handling equipment sizing and for other

design considerations. Install duct systems as indicated unless deviations to layout are approved on Shop Drawings and Coordination Drawings.

- B. Install ducts according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible" unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Install round ducts in maximum practical lengths.
- D. Install ducts with fewest possible joints.
- E. Install factory- or shop-fabricated fittings for changes in direction, size, and shape and for branch connections.
- F. Unless otherwise indicated, install ducts vertically and horizontally, and parallel and perpendicular to building lines.
- G. Install ducts close to walls, overhead construction, columns, and other structural and permanent enclosure elements of building.
- H. Install ducts with a clearance of 1 inch, plus allowance for insulation thickness.
- I. Route ducts to avoid passing through transformer vaults and electrical equipment rooms and enclosures.
- J. Where ducts pass through non-fire-rated interior partitions and exterior walls and are exposed to view, cover the opening between the partition and duct or duct insulation with sheet metal flanges of same metal thickness as the duct. Overlap openings on four sides by at least 1-1/2 inches.
- K. Protect duct interiors from moisture, construction debris and dust, and other foreign materials. Comply with SMACNA's "IAQ Guidelines for Occupied Buildings Under Construction," Appendix G, "Duct Cleanliness for New Construction Guidelines."

3.2 INSTALLATION OF EXPOSED DUCTWORK

- A. Protect ducts exposed in finished spaces from being dented, scratched, or damaged.
- B. Trim duct sealants flush with metal. Create a smooth and uniform exposed bead. Do not use two-part tape sealing system.
- C. Grind welds to provide smooth surface free of burrs, sharp edges, and weld splatter. When welding stainless steel with a No. 3 or 4 finish, grind the welds flush, polish the exposed welds, and treat the welds to remove discoloration caused by welding.
- D. Maintain consistency, symmetry, and uniformity in the arrangement and fabrication of fittings, hangers and supports, duct accessories, and air outlets.

- E. Repair or replace damaged sections and finished work that does not comply with these requirements.

3.3 DUCT SEALING

- A. Seal ducts for duct static-pressure, seal classes, and leakage classes specified in "Duct Schedule" Article according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible."

3.4 HANGER AND SUPPORT INSTALLATION

- A. Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Chapter 5, "Hangers and Supports."
- B. Building Attachments: Structural-steel fasteners appropriate for construction materials to which hangers are being attached.

- 1. Penetration of the concrete slab is not permitted.

- C. Hanger Spacing: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Table 5-1, "Rectangular Duct Hangers Minimum Size," and Table 5-2, "Minimum Hanger Sizes for Round Duct," for maximum hanger spacing; install hangers and supports within 24 inches of each elbow and within 48 inches of each branch intersection.
- D. Hangers Exposed to View: Threaded rod and angle or channel supports.
- E. Support vertical ducts with steel angles or channel secured to the sides of the duct with welds, bolts, sheet metal screws, or blind rivets; support at each floor and at a maximum interval of 16 feet.
- F. Install upper attachments to structures. Select and size upper attachments with pull-out, tension, and shear capacities appropriate for supported loads and building materials where used.

3.5 CONNECTIONS

- A. Make connections to equipment with flexible connectors complying with Section 23 33 00.
- B. Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible" for branch, outlet and inlet, and terminal unit connections.

3.6 PAINTING

- A. Paint interior of metal ducts that are visible through registers and grilles and that do not have duct liner. Apply one coat of flat, black, latex paint over a compatible galvanized-steel primer.

3.7 DUCT SCHEDULE

- A. Fabricate ducts with galvanized sheet steel except as otherwise indicated and as follows:
- B. Supply Ducts:
 - 1. Ducts Connected to Fan Coil Units, Furnaces, Heat Pumps, and similar terminal unit equipment less than 2,000 cfm capacity.
 - a. Pressure Class: Positive 2-inch wg.
 - b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: B.
 - 2. Ducts Connected to Air-Handling Units:
 - a. Pressure Class: Positive 3-inch wg.
 - b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: A.
 - 3. Ducts Connected to Equipment Not Listed Above:
 - a. Pressure Class: Positive 2-inch wg.
 - b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: A.
- C. Return Ducts:
 - 1. Ducts Connected to Fan Coil Units, Furnaces, Heat Pumps, and similar terminal unit equipment less than 2,000 cfm capacity.
 - a. Pressure Class: Positive or negative 2-inch wg.
 - b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: B.
 - 2. Ducts Connected to Air-Handling Units:
 - a. Pressure Class: Positive or negative 2-inch wg.
 - b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: B.
 - 3. Ducts Connected to Equipment Not Listed Above:
 - a. Pressure Class: Positive or negative 2-inch wg.

- b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: A.

D. Exhaust Ducts:

- 1. Ducts Connected to Fans Exhausting (ASHRAE 62.1, Class 1 and 2) Air:
 - a. Pressure Class: Negative 2-inch wg.
 - b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: A if negative pressure, and A if positive pressure.
- 2. Ducts Connected to Air-Handling Units :
 - a. Pressure Class: Positive or negative 2-inch wg.
 - b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: A if negative pressure, and A if positive pressure.

E. Outdoor-Air (Not Filtered, Heated, or Cooled) Ducts:

- 1. Ducts Connected to Air-Handling Units :
 - a. Pressure Class: Positive or negative 2-inch wg.
 - b. Minimum SMACNA Seal Class: A.

F. Elbow Configuration:

- 1. Rectangular Duct: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 4-2, "Rectangular Elbows."
 - a. Velocity 1000 fpm or Lower:
 - 1) Radius Type RE 1 with minimum 0.5 radius-to-diameter ratio.
 - b. Velocity 1000 to 1500 fpm:
 - 1) Radius Type RE 1 with minimum 1.0 radius-to-diameter ratio.
 - 2) Mitered Type RE 2 with vanes complying with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 4-3, "Vanes and Vane Runners," and Figure 4-4, "Vane Support in Elbows."
 - c. Velocity 1500 fpm or Higher:
 - 1) Radius Type RE 1 with minimum 1.5 radius-to-diameter ratio.

- 2) Mitered Type RE 2 with vanes complying with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 4-3, "Vanes and Vane Runners," and Figure 4-4, "Vane Support in Elbows."
2. Round Duct: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 3-4, "Round Duct Elbows."
 - a. Minimum Radius-to-Diameter Ratio and Elbow Segments: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Table 3-1, "Mitered Elbows." Elbows with less than 90-degree change of direction have proportionately fewer segments.
 - 1) Velocity 1000 fpm or Lower: 0.5 radius-to-diameter ratio and three segments for 90-degree elbow.
 - 2) Velocity 1000 to 1500 fpm: 1.0 radius-to-diameter ratio and four segments for 90-degree elbow.
 - 3) Velocity 1500 fpm or Higher: 1.5 radius-to-diameter ratio and five segments for 90-degree elbow.
 - 4) Radius-to Diameter Ratio: 1.5.
 - b. Round Elbows, 12 Inches and Smaller in Diameter: Stamped or pleated.
 - c. Round Elbows, 14 Inches and Larger in Diameter: Welded.
- G. Branch Configuration:
 1. Rectangular Duct: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 4-6, "Branch Connection."
 - a. Rectangular Main to Rectangular Branch: 45-degree entry.
 - b. Rectangular Main to Round Branch: Spin in.
 2. Round: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 3-5, "90 Degree Tees and Laterals," and Figure 3-6, "Conical Tees." Saddle taps are permitted in existing duct.
 - a. Velocity 1000 fpm or Lower: 90-degree tap.
 - b. Velocity 1000 to 1500 fpm: Conical tap.
 - c. Velocity 1500 fpm or Higher: 45-degree lateral.

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SECTION 233300 - AIR DUCT ACCESSORIES

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes:

1. Manual volume dampers.
2. Fire dampers.
3. Smoke dampers.
4. Duct-mounted access doors.
5. Flexible connectors.
6. Flexible ducts.
7. Duct accessory hardware.

1.2 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- ##### A. Product Data:
- For each type of product indicated.

1.3 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- ##### A. Operation and Maintenance Data:
- For air duct accessories to include in operation and maintenance manuals.

1.4 MAINTENANCE MATERIAL SUBMITTALS

- ##### A. Furnish extra materials that match products installed and that are packaged with protective covering for storage and identified with labels describing contents.
1. Fusible Links: Furnish quantity equal to 10 percent of amount installed.

1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- ##### A. Comply with NFPA 90A, "Installation of Air Conditioning and Ventilating Systems," and with NFPA 90B, "Installation of Warm Air Heating and Air Conditioning Systems."
- ##### B. Comply with AMCA 500-D testing for damper rating.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MATERIALS

- A. Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible" for acceptable materials, material thicknesses, and duct construction methods unless otherwise indicated. Sheet metal materials shall be free of pitting, seam marks, roller marks, stains, discolorations, and other imperfections.
- B. Galvanized Sheet Steel: Comply with ASTM A 653/A 653M.
 - 1. Galvanized Coating Designation: G90.
 - 2. Exposed-Surface Finish: Mill phosphatized.
- C. Tie Rods: Galvanized steel, 1/4-inch minimum diameter for lengths 36 inches or less; 3/8-inch minimum diameter for lengths longer than 36 inches.

2.2 MANUAL VOLUME DAMPERS

- A. Gasketed duct fitting with balancing damper for use in systems where a complete shut-off airflow is not required.
 - 1. Gasketed shaft-mounted load bearing bushing to minimize air leakage.
 - 2. Integral blade-shaft assembly.
 - 3. 2-inch sheet metal insulation stand-off collar.
 - 4. Locking blade quadrant with damper position indicator.
 - 5. Lindab DSU or approved equal.

2.3 FIRE DAMPERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
 - 1. Air Balance Inc.; a division of Mestek, Inc.
 - 2. Nailor Industries Inc.
 - 3. Ruskin Company.
- B. Type: Static; rated and labeled according to UL 555 by an NRTL.
- C. Fire Rating: 1-1/2 hours.

- D. Frame: Curtain type with blades outside airstream except when located behind grille where blades may be inside airstream; fabricated with roll-formed, 0.034-inch-thick galvanized steel; with mitered and interlocking corners.
- E. Mounting Sleeve: Factory- or field-installed, galvanized sheet steel.
 - 1. Minimum Thickness: 0.052 or 0.138-inch-thick, as indicated, and of length to suit application.
 - 2. Exception: Omit sleeve where damper-frame width permits direct attachment of perimeter mounting angles on each side of wall or floor; thickness of damper frame must comply with sleeve requirements.
- F. Mounting Orientation: Vertical or horizontal as indicated.
- G. Blades: Roll-formed, interlocking, 0.034-inch-thick, galvanized sheet steel. In place of interlocking blades, use full-length, 0.034-inch-thick, galvanized-steel blade connectors.
- H. Horizontal Dampers: Include blade lock and stainless-steel closure spring.
- I. Heat-Responsive Device: Replaceable, 165°F rated, fusible links.

2.4 SMOKE DAMPERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
 - 1. Air Balance Inc.; a division of Mestek, Inc.
 - 2. Nailor Industries Inc.
 - 3. Ruskin Company.
- B. General Requirements: Label according to UL 555S by an NRTL.
- C. Frame: Multiple-blade type; fabricated with roll-formed, 0.034-inch-thick galvanized steel; with mitered and interlocking corners.
- D. Blades: Roll-formed, horizontal, interlocking, 0.034-inch-thick, galvanized sheet steel. In place of interlocking blades, use full-length, 0.034-inch-thick, galvanized-steel blade connectors.
- E. Leakage: Class I.
- F. Rated pressure and velocity to exceed design airflow conditions.
- G. Mounting Sleeve: Factory-installed, 0.052-inch-thick, galvanized sheet steel; length to suit wall or floor application.
- H. Damper Motors: two-position action.

- I. Comply with NEMA designation, temperature rating, service factor, enclosure type, and efficiency requirements for motors specified in Division 23 Section "Common Motor Requirements for HVAC Equipment."
 1. Motor Sizes: Minimum size as indicated. If not indicated, large enough so driven load will not require motor to operate in service factor range above 1.0.
 2. Permanent-Split-Capacitor or Shaded-Pole Motors: With oil-immersed and sealed gear trains.
 3. Spring-Return Motors: Equip with an integral spiral-spring mechanism where indicated. Enclose entire spring mechanism in a removable housing designed for service or adjustments. Size for running torque rating of 150 in. x lbf and breakaway torque rating of 150 in. x lbf.
 4. Outdoor Motors and Motors in Outdoor-Air Intakes: Equip with O-ring gaskets designed to make motors weatherproof. Equip motors with internal heaters to permit normal operation at minus 40 deg F.
 5. Nonspring-Return Motors: For dampers larger than 25 sq. ft., size motor for running torque rating of 150 in. x lbf and breakaway torque rating of 300 in. x lbf.
 6. Electrical Connection: 115 V, single phase, 60 Hz .

2.5 COMBINATION FIRE AND SMOKE DAMPERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
 1. Air Balance Inc.; a division of Mestek, Inc.
 2. Nailor Industries Inc.
 3. Ruskin Company.
- B. Type: Dynamic; rated and labeled according to UL 555 and UL 555S by an NRTL.
- C. Closing rating in ducts up to 4-inch wg static pressure class and minimum 2000-fpm velocity.
- D. Fire Rating: 1-1/2 hours.
- E. Frame: Hat-shaped, 0.094-inch-thick, galvanized sheet steel, with interlocking, gusseted corners and mounting flange.
- F. Heat-Responsive Device: Replaceable, 165 deg F rated, fusible links.
- G. Blades: Roll-formed, horizontal, interlocking, 0.063-inch-thick, galvanized sheet steel.
- H. Leakage: Class I.

- I. Rated pressure and velocity to exceed design airflow conditions.
- J. Mounting Sleeve: Factory-installed, 0.05-inch-thick, galvanized sheet steel; length to suit wall or floor application with factory-furnished silicone calking.
- K. Damper Motors: two-position action.
 - 1. Motor Sizes: Minimum size as indicated. If not indicated, large enough so driven load will not require motor to operate in service factor range above 1.0.
 - 2. Permanent-Split-Capacitor or Shaded-Pole Motors: With oil-immersed and sealed gear trains.
 - 3. Spring-Return Motors: Equip with an integral spiral-spring mechanism where indicated. Enclose entire spring mechanism in a removable housing designed for service or adjustments. Size for running torque rating of 150 in. x lbf and breakaway torque rating of 150 in. x lbf.
 - 4. Outdoor Motors and Motors in Outdoor-Air Intakes: Equip with O-ring gaskets designed to make motors weatherproof. Equip motors with internal heaters to permit normal operation at minus 40 deg F.
 - 5. Nonspring-Return Motors: For dampers larger than 25 sq. ft., size motor for running torque rating of 150 in. x lbf and breakaway torque rating of 300 in. x lbf.
 - 6. Electrical Connection: 115 V, single phase, 60 Hz.
- L. Accessories:
 - 1. Auxiliary switches for signaling, fan control and position indication.
 - 2. Test and reset switches, remote mounted.

2.6 FLANGE CONNECTORS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
 - 1. Ductmate Industries, Inc.
 - 2. Nexus PDQ; Division of Shilco Holdings Inc.
 - 3. Ward Industries, Inc.; a division of Hart & Cooley, Inc.
- B. Description: Add-on or roll-formed, factory-fabricated, slide-on transverse flange connectors, gaskets, and components.
- C. Material: Galvanized steel.
- D. Gage and Shape: Match connecting ductwork.

2.7 TURNING VANES

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
 - 1. Ductmate Industries, Inc.
 - 2. Duro Dyne Inc.
 - 3. METALAIRE, Inc.
 - 4. SEMCO Incorporated.
 - 5. Ward Industries, Inc.; a division of Hart & Cooley, Inc.
- B. Manufactured Turning Vanes for Metal Ducts: Curved blades of galvanized sheet steel; support with bars perpendicular to blades set; set into vane runners suitable for duct mounting.
 - 1. Acoustic Turning Vanes: Fabricate airfoil-shaped aluminum extrusions with perforated faces and fibrous-glass fill.
- C. Manufactured Turning Vanes for Nonmetal Ducts: Fabricate curved blades of resin-bonded fiberglass with acrylic polymer coating; support with bars perpendicular to blades set; set into vane runners suitable for duct mounting.
- D. General Requirements: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible"; Figures 4-3, "Vanes and Vane Runners," and 4-4, "Vane Support in Elbows."
- E. Vane Construction: Single wall for ducts up to 24 inches wide and double wall for larger dimensions.

2.8 DUCT-MOUNTED ACCESS DOORS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
 - 1. Ductmate Industries, Inc.
 - 2. McGill AirFlow LLC.
 - 3. Nailor Industries Inc.
 - 4. Ward Industries, Inc.; a division of Hart & Cooley, Inc.
- B. Duct-Mounted Access Doors: Fabricate access panels according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible"; Figures 7-2, "Duct Access Doors and Panels," and 7-3, "Access Doors - Round Duct."

1. Door:
 - a. Double wall, rectangular.
 - b. Galvanized sheet metal with insulation fill and thickness as indicated for duct pressure class.
 - c. Vision panel.
 - d. Hinges and Latches: 1-by-1-inch butt or piano hinge and cam latches.
 - e. Fabricate doors airtight and suitable for duct pressure class.
2. Frame: Galvanized sheet steel, with bend-over tabs and foam gaskets.
3. Number of Hinges and Locks:
 - a. Access Doors Less Than 12 Inches Square: No hinges and two sash locks.
 - b. Access Doors up to 18 Inches Square: Two hinges and two sash locks.
 - c. Access Doors up to 24 by 48 Inches: Three hinges and two compression latches with outside and inside handles.
 - d. Access Doors Larger than 24 by 48 Inches: Four hinges and two compression latches with outside and inside handles.

2.9 FLEXIBLE CONNECTORS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
 1. Ductmate Industries, Inc.
 2. Duro Dyne Inc.
 3. Ventfabrics, Inc.
 4. Ward Industries, Inc.; a division of Hart & Cooley, Inc.
- B. Materials: Flame-retardant or noncombustible fabrics.
- C. Coatings and Adhesives: Comply with UL 181, Class 1.
- D. Metal-Edged Connectors: Factory fabricated with a fabric strip 3-1/2 inches wide attached to 2 strips of 2-3/4-inch-wide, 0.028-inch-thick, galvanized sheet steel or 0.032-inch-thick aluminum sheets. Provide metal compatible with connected ducts.
- E. Indoor System, Flexible Connector Fabric: Glass fabric double coated with neoprene.
 1. Minimum Weight: 26 oz./sq. yd..
 2. Tensile Strength: 480 lbf/inch in the warp and 360 lbf/inch in the filling.
 3. Service Temperature: Minus 40 to plus 200 deg F.

- F. Outdoor System, Flexible Connector Fabric: Glass fabric double coated with weatherproof, synthetic rubber resistant to UV rays and ozone.
 - 1. Minimum Weight: 24 oz./sq. yd.
 - 2. Tensile Strength: 530 lbf/inch in the warp and 440 lbf/inch in the filling.
 - 3. Service Temperature: Minus 50 to plus 250 deg F.
- G. High-Temperature System, Flexible Connectors: Glass fabric coated with silicone rubber.
 - 1. Minimum Weight: 16 oz./sq. yd.
 - 2. Tensile Strength: 285 lbf/inch in the warp and 185 lbf/inch in the filling.
 - 3. Service Temperature: Minus 67 to plus 500 deg F.
- H. Thrust Limits: Combination coil spring and elastomeric insert with spring and insert in compression, and with a load stop. Include rod and angle-iron brackets for attaching to fan discharge and duct.
 - 1. Frame: Steel, fabricated for connection to threaded rods and to allow for a maximum of 30 degrees of angular rod misalignment without binding or reducing isolation efficiency.
 - 2. Outdoor Spring Diameter: Not less than 80 percent of the compressed height of the spring at rated load.
 - 3. Minimum Additional Travel: 50 percent of the required deflection at rated load.
 - 4. Lateral Stiffness: More than 80 percent of rated vertical stiffness.
 - 5. Overload Capacity: Support 200 percent of rated load, fully compressed, without deformation or failure.
 - 6. Elastomeric Element: Molded, oil-resistant rubber or neoprene.
 - 7. Coil Spring: Factory set and field adjustable for a maximum of 1/4-inch movement at start and stop.

2.10 FLEXIBLE DUCTS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
 - 1. Flexmaster U.S.A., Inc.
 - 2. McGill AirFlow LLC.
 - 3. Ward Industries, Inc.; a division of Hart & Cooley, Inc.

- B. Insulated, Flexible Duct: UL 181, Class 1, 2-ply vinyl film supported by helically wound, spring-steel wire; fibrous-glass insulation; polyethylene vapor-barrier film.
 - 1. Pressure Rating: 10-inch wg positive and 1.0-inch wg negative.
 - 2. Maximum Air Velocity: 4000 fpm.
 - 3. Temperature Range: Minus 10 to plus 160 deg F.
 - 4. Insulation R-value: Comply with ASHRAE/IESNA 90.1.
- C. Flexible Duct Connectors:
 - 1. Clamps: Stainless-steel band with cadmium-plated hex screw to tighten band with a worm-gear action in sizes 3 through 18 inches, to suit duct size.

2.11 DUCT ACCESSORY HARDWARE

- A. Instrument Test Holes: Cast iron or cast aluminum to suit duct material, including screw cap and gasket. Size to allow insertion of pitot tube and other testing instruments and of length to suit duct-insulation thickness.
- B. Adhesives: High strength, quick setting, neoprene based, waterproof, and resistant to gasoline and grease.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Install duct accessories according to applicable details in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible" for metal ducts and in NAIMA AH116, "Fibrous Glass Duct Construction Standards," for fibrous-glass ducts.
- B. Install duct accessories of materials suited to duct materials; use galvanized-steel accessories in galvanized-steel and fibrous-glass ducts, stainless-steel accessories in stainless-steel ducts, and aluminum accessories in aluminum ducts.
- C. Install control dampers at inlet of exhaust fans or exhaust ducts as close as possible to exhaust fan unless otherwise indicated.
- D. Install volume dampers at points on supply, return, and exhaust systems where branches extend from larger ducts. Where dampers are installed in ducts having duct liner, install dampers with hat channels of same depth as liner, and terminate liner with nosing at hat channel.
 - 1. Install steel volume dampers in steel ducts.
 - 2. Install aluminum volume dampers in aluminum ducts.

- E. Set dampers to fully open position before testing, adjusting, and balancing.
- F. Install test holes at fan inlets and outlets and elsewhere as indicated.
- G. Install fire and smoke dampers according to UL listing.
- H. Install duct access doors on sides of ducts to allow for inspecting, adjusting, and maintaining accessories and equipment at the following locations:
 - 1. On both sides of duct coils.
 - 2. Upstream from duct filters.
 - 3. At outdoor-air intakes and mixed-air plenums.
 - 4. At drain pans and seals.
 - 5. Downstream from manual volume dampers, control dampers, backdraft dampers, and equipment.
 - 6. Adjacent to and close enough to fire or smoke dampers, to reset or reinstall fusible links. Access doors for access to fire or smoke dampers having fusible links shall be pressure relief access doors and shall be outward operation for access doors installed upstream from dampers and inward operation for access doors installed downstream from dampers.
 - 7. At each change in direction and at maximum 50-foot spacing.
 - 8. Upstream from turning vanes.
 - 9. Upstream or downstream from duct silencers.
 - 10. Control devices requiring inspection.
 - 11. Elsewhere as indicated.
- I. Install access doors with swing against duct static pressure.
- J. Access Door Sizes:
 - 1. One-Hand or Inspection Access: 8 by 5 inches.
 - 2. Two-Hand Access: 12 by 6 inches.
 - 3. Head and Hand Access: 18 by 10 inches.
 - 4. Head and Shoulders Access: 21 by 14 inches.
 - 5. Body Access: 25 by 14 inches.
 - 6. Body plus Ladder Access: 25 by 17 inches.
- K. Install flexible connectors to connect ducts to equipment.

- L. Connect terminal units to supply ducts directly or with maximum 36 inch lengths of flexible duct. Do not use flexible ducts to change directions.
- M. Install thrust limits at centerline of thrust, symmetrical on both sides of equipment. Attach thrust limits at centerline of thrust and adjust to a maximum of 1/4-inch movement during start and stop of fans.

3.2 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

A. Tests and Inspections:

- 1. Operate dampers to verify full range of movement.
- 2. Inspect locations of access doors and verify that purpose of access door can be performed.
- 3. Operate fire, smoke, and combination fire and smoke dampers to verify full range of movement and verify that proper heat-response device is installed.
- 4. Inspect turning vanes for proper and secure installation.
- 5. Operate remote damper operators to verify full range of movement of operator and damper.

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SECTION 233713 - REGISTERS, GRILLES AND DIFFUSERS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Scope of work is indicated by drawings and by requirements of this section.

1.2 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: Submit manufacturer's technical product data for air outlets and inlets including the following:
 - 1. Schedule of diffusers, registers, and grilles indicating drawing designation, room location, number furnished, model number, size, and accessories furnished.
 - 2. Data sheet for each type of air outlet and inlet, and accessory furnished; indicating construction, finish, and mounting details.
 - 3. Performance data for each type of air outlet and inlet furnished, including aspiration ability, temperature and velocity traverses, throw and drop, and noise criteria ratings. Indicate selections on data.
- B. Samples: When requested by the Engineer, submit one (1) sample of each diffuser, register and grille specified. Samples will not be returned.

1.3 SOURCE QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Verification of Performance: Rate diffusers, registers, and grilles according to ASHRAE 70, "Method of Testing for Rating the Performance of Air Outlets and Inlets."

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 APPROVED MANUFACTURERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide registers, grilles and diffusers from the following list of approved manufacturers:
 - 1. Krueger.
 - 2. Nailor.
 - 3. Price.
 - 4. Titus.
- B. Substitutions: Prior approval required as indicated under the general and/or supplemental conditions of these specifications.

2.2 GENERAL

- A. Provide registers, grilles and diffusers having capacities, characteristics and accessories as indicated on the Drawings and specified in this Section.
- B. Provide registers, grilles and diffusers having border types and mounting characteristics compatible with ceiling, wall and floor construction. Refer to Architectural Drawings for materials and methods of construction.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine areas where diffusers, registers, and grilles are to be installed for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of equipment.

3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Unless otherwise shown or specified, install the Work of this section in accordance with the manufacturer's printed installation instructions and applicable SMACNA Standards.
- B. Visible ductwork behind registers shall be painted using one coat of flat black metal paint after proper cleaning.
- C. Install diffusers, registers, and grilles level and plumb.
- D. Ceiling-Mounted Outlets and Inlets: Drawings indicate general arrangement of ducts, fittings, and accessories. Air outlet and inlet locations have been indicated to achieve design requirements for air volume, noise criteria, airflow pattern, throw, and pressure drop. Make final locations where indicated, as much as practical. For units installed in lay-in ceiling panels, locate units in the center of panel. Where architectural features or other items conflict with installation, notify Architect for a determination of final location.
- E. Install diffusers, registers, and grilles with airtight connections to ducts and to allow service and maintenance of dampers, air extractors, and fire dampers.

3.3 ADJUSTING

- A. After installation, adjust diffusers, registers, and grilles to air patterns indicated, or as directed, before starting air balancing.

END OF SECTION 233713

SECTION 237401 – PACKAGED ROOFTOP HEATING AND COOLING UNITS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes packaged rooftop heating and cooling units with the following components and accessories:
 - 1. Direct-expansion cooling and heating.
 - 2. Economizer outdoor- and return-air damper section.
 - 3. Power exhaust.
 - 4. Integral space temperature control systems.
 - 5. Roof curbs.
 - 6. Energy recovery wheel with bypass damper.

1.2 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: Literature shall be provided that indicates dimensions, operating and shipping weights, capacities, ratings, fan performance, filter information, factory supplied accessories, electrical characteristics and connection requirements. Installation, Operation and Maintenance manual with startup requirements shall be provided.
- B. Shop Drawings: Unit drawings shall be provided that indicate assembly, unit dimensions, construction details, clearances, and connection details. Computer generated fan curves for each fan shall be submitted with specific design operation point noted. Wiring diagram shall be provided with details for both power and control systems and differentiate between factory installed and field installed wiring.
- C. Startup Forms.
- D. Manufacturer's warranties as specified. Include documentation of original shipment date from the factory and the date(s) of substantial completion.
- E. Installation, Operation and Maintenance Manual.

1.3 MAINTENANCE MATERIAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Furnish extra materials described below that match products installed and that are packaged with protective covering for storage and identified with labels describing contents.
 - 1. Fan Belts: One set for each belt-driven fan.
 - 2. Filters: Two sets of filters for each unit.

1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Packaged air-cooled condenser units shall be certified in accordance with ANSI/AHRI Standard 340/360 performance rating of commercial and industrial unitary air-conditioning and heat pump equipment.
- B. Unit and refrigeration system shall comply with ASHRAE 15, Safety Standard for Mechanical Refrigeration.
- C. Unit shall be certified in accordance with UL Standard 1995/CSA C22.2 No. 236, Safety Standard for Heating and Cooling Equipment.
- D. Unit shall be certified in accordance with ANSI Z21.47b/CSA 2.3b and ANSI Z83.8/CSA 2.6, Safety Standard Gas-Fired Furnaces.
- E. Unit Energy Efficiency Ratio (EER) shall be equal to or greater than prescribed by ASHRAE 90.1, Energy Efficient Design of New Buildings except Low-Rise Residential Buildings.
- F. Unit shall be safety certified by ETL and be ETL US and ETL Canada listed. Unit nameplate shall include the ETL/ETL Canada label.

1.5 WARRANTY

- A. Special Warranty: Manufacturer's standard form in which manufacturer agrees to replace components within specified warranty period.
 - 1. Warranty Period for Compressors: 5 years from date of Substantial Completion.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Basis-of-Design Product: Subject to compliance with specifications, provide a product by one of the following:

1. AAON
2. Daikin
3. York

2.2 GENERAL DESCRIPTION

- A. Packaged rooftop unit shall include compressors, evaporator coils, filters, supply fans, dampers, air-cooled condenser coils, condenser fans, reheat coil, energy recovery, exhaust fans, and unit controls.
- B. Unit shall be factory assembled and tested including leak testing of the coils, pressure testing of the refrigeration circuit, and run testing of the completed unit. Run test report shall be supplied with the unit in the controls compartment's literature pocket.
- C. Unit shall have decals and tags to indicate lifting and rigging, service areas and caution areas for safety and to assist service personnel.
- D. Unit components shall be labeled, including pipe stub outs, refrigeration system components and electrical and controls components.
- E. Estimated sound power levels (dB) shall be shown on the unit ratings sheet.
- F. Installation, Operation and Maintenance manual shall be supplied within the unit.
- G. Laminated color-coded wiring diagram shall match factory installed wiring and shall be affixed to the interior of the control compartment's access door.
- H. Unit nameplate shall be provided in two locations on the unit, affixed to the exterior of the unit and affixed to the interior of the control compartment's access door.

2.3 CONSTRUCTION

- A. All cabinet walls, access doors, and roof shall be fabricated of double wall, impact resistant, rigid polyurethane foam panels.
- B. Unit insulation shall have a minimum thermal resistance R-value of 13. Foam insulation shall have a minimum density of 2 pounds/cubic foot and shall be tested in accordance with ASTM D-1929 for a minimum flash ignition temperature of 610°F.
- C. Unit construction shall be double wall with G90 galvanized steel on both sides and a thermal break. Double wall construction with a thermal break prevents moisture accumulation on the insulation, provides a cleanable interior, prevents heat transfer through the panel, and prevents exterior condensation on the panel.

- D. Unit shall be designed to reduce air leakage and infiltration through the cabinet. Cabinet leakage shall not exceed 1% of total airflow when tested at 3 times the minimum external static pressure provided in AHRI Standard 340/360. Panel deflection shall not exceed L/240 ratio at 125% of design static pressure, at a maximum 8 inches of positive or negative static pressure, to reduce air leakage. Deflection shall be measured at the midpoint of the panel height and width. Continuous sealing shall be included between panels and between access doors and openings to reduce air leakage. Refrigerant piping and electrical conduit through cabinet panels shall include sealing to reduce air leakage.
- E. Roof of the air tunnel shall be sloped to provide complete drainage. Cabinet shall have rain break overhangs above access doors.
- F. Access to filters, dampers, cooling coils, reheat coil, heaters, exhaust fans, return fans, energy recovery wheels, compressors, water-cooled condensers, and electrical and controls components shall be through hinged access doors with quarter turn, zinc cast, lockable handles. Full-length stainless-steel piano hinges shall be included on the doors.
- G. Exterior paint finish shall be capable of withstanding at least 2,500 hours, with no visible corrosive effects, when tested in a salt spray and fog atmosphere in accordance with ASTM B 117-95 test procedure.
- H. Units with cooling coils shall include double sloped 304 stainless steel drain pans with 1/2-inch-thick foam insulation.
- I. Unit shall be provided with base discharge and return air openings. All openings through the base pan of the unit shall have upturned flanges of at least 1/2 inch in height around the opening.
- J. Unit shall include lifting lugs on the top of the unit.

2.4 ELECTRICAL

- A. Unit shall be provided with standard power block for connecting power to the unit.
 - 1. Unit shall be provided with factory installed and factory wired, non-fused disconnect switch.
 - 2. Unit shall be provided with phase and brown out protection which shuts down all motors in the unit if the electrical phases are more that 10% out of balance on voltage, the voltage is more that 10% under design voltage, or on phase reversal.
- B. Unit shall be provided with a terminal block for field installation of a fire alarm shutdown relay which shuts off the unit's control circuit.

2.5 SUPPLY FANS

- A. Unit shall include belt driven, forward curved, centrifugal fans with fixed motor sheaves.
- B. Blowers and motors shall be dynamically balanced and mounted on rubber isolators.
- C. Motors shall be premium efficiency ODP with ball bearings rated for 200,000 hours service with external lubrication points.
 - 1. Variable frequency drives shall be factory wired and mounted in the unit. Fan motors shall be premium efficiency. VFDs shall include bypass control.

2.6 EXHAUST FANS

- A. Exhaust dampers shall be sized for 100% relief.
- B. Fans and motors shall be dynamically balanced.
- C. Motors shall be premium efficiency ODP with ball bearings rated for 200,000 hours service with external lubrication points.
- D. Access to exhaust fans shall be through double wall, hinged access doors with quarter turn handles.
 - 1. Variable frequency drives shall be factory wired and mounted in the unit. Fan motors shall be premium efficiency.

2.7 COOLING COILS

- A. Evaporator Coils
 - 1. Coils shall be designed for use with R-410A refrigerant and constructed of copper tubes with aluminum fins mechanically bonded to the tubes and galvanized steel end casings. Fin design shall be sine wave rippled.
 - 2. Coils shall have interlaced circuitry and shall be standard capacity.
 - 3. Coils shall be helium leak tested.
 - 4. Coils shall be furnished with a factory installed thermostatic expansion valves.

2.8 REFRIGERATION SYSTEM

- A. Unit shall be factory charged with R-410A refrigerant.

- B. Compressors shall be scroll type with thermal overload protection, independently circuited, and carry a 5-year non-prorated warranty, from the date of original equipment shipment from the factory.
- C. Compressors shall be mounted in an isolated service compartment which can be accessed without affecting unit operation. Lockable hinged compressor access doors shall be fabricated of double wall, rigid polyurethane foam insulated panels to prevent the transmission of noise outside the cabinet.
- D. Compressors shall be isolated from the base pan with the compressor manufacturer's recommended rubber vibration isolators, to reduce any transmission of noise from the compressors into the building area.
- E. Each refrigeration circuit shall be equipped with thermostatic expansion valve type refrigerant flow control.
- F. Each refrigeration circuit shall be equipped with automatic reset low pressure and manual reset high pressure refrigerant safety controls, Schrader type service fittings on both the high pressure and low-pressure sides, and factory installed liquid line filter driers.
- G. Unit shall include Digital scroll compressor on the lead circuit.
 - 1. Unit shall include a variable capacity scroll compressor on the lead refrigeration circuit(s) which shall be capable of modulation from 10-100% of its capacity.
 - 2. Lead refrigeration circuit shall be provided with hot gas reheat coil, modulating valves, electronic controller, supply air temperature sensor and a dehumidification control signal terminal which allow the unit to have a dehumidification mode of operation, which includes supply air temperature control to prevent supply air temperature swings and overcooling of the space.
 - 3. Each refrigeration circuit shall be equipped with a liquid line sight glass.
 - 4. Each refrigeration circuit shall be equipped with suction and discharge compressor isolation valves.

2.9 CONDENSERS

A. Air-Cooled Condenser

- 1. Condenser fans shall be vertical discharge, axial flow, direct drive fans.

2. Coils shall be designed for use with R-410A refrigerant and constructed of copper tubes with aluminum fins mechanically bonded to the tubes and aluminum end casings. Fin design shall be sine wave rippled.
3. Coils shall be designed for a minimum of 10°F of refrigerant sub-cooling.
4. Coils shall be helium leak tested.

2.10 FILTERS

- A. Unit shall include 2-inch thick, pleated panel filters with a MERV rating of 13, upstream of the cooling coil.
- B. Unit shall include a clogged filter switch.

2.11 OUTSIDE AIR/ECONOMIZER

- A. Unit shall include 0-100% ultra-low leak economizer with differential enthalpy control consisting of a motor operated outside air damper and return air damper assembly constructed of extruded aluminum, hollow core, airfoil blades with rubber edge seals and aluminum end seals. Damper blades shall be gear driven and designed to have no more than 3 CFM of leakage per sq. ft. of damper area when subjected to 1-inch w.g. air pressure differential across the damper. Damper assembly shall be controlled by spring return wet bulb activated fully modulating. Unit shall include outside air opening bird screen, outside air hood and 100% power exhaust fan.
 1. An airflow station shall be provided in the outside air opening to measure airflow. See Paragraph 2.15 for additional information.

2.12 CONTROLS

- A. Factory Installed and Factory Provided Controller
 1. Unit controller shall be capable of controlling all features and options of the unit. Controller shall be factory installed in the unit controls compartment and factory tested.
 2. Controller shall be capable of standalone operation with unit configuration, set point adjustment, sensor status viewing, unit alarm viewing, and occupancy scheduling available without dependence on a building management system.
 3. Controller shall have an onboard clock and calendar functions that allow for occupancy scheduling.

4. Controller shall include non-volatile memory to retain all programmed values, without the use of an external battery, in the event of a power failure.

B. Single Zone Variable Air Volume Controller

1. Single zone VAV option shall be provided with all necessary controls to operate a rooftop unit based on maintaining two temperature setpoints; the discharge air and zone. Option shall include factory-installed variable frequency drive (VFD) to provide supply fan motor speed modulation. During One Zone VAV cooling, the unit will maintain zone cooling setpoint by modulating the supply fan speed more or less to meet zone load demand, and the unit will maintain discharge temperature to the discharge cooling setpoint by modulating economizer if available and staging dx cooling.
- C. Unit configuration, setpoint adjustment, sensor status viewing, unit alarm viewing, and occupancy scheduling shall be accomplished with connection to interface module with LCD screen and input keypad, interface module with touch screen. Controller shall be capable of connection with other factory installed and factory provided unit controllers with individual unit configuration, setpoint adjustment, sensor status viewing, and occupancy scheduling available from a single unit.

2.13 ROOF CURBS

- A. Curbs shall be fully gasketed between the curb top and unit bottom with the curb providing full perimeter support, cross structure support and air seal for the unit. Curb gasket shall be furnished within the control compartment of the rooftop unit to be mounted on the curb immediately before mounting of the rooftop unit.
1. Material: ASTM A 653 G90 hot dipped galvanized steel.
 - a. Minimum 18 Gauge, and as engineered by manufacturer.
 2. Corners: Mitered and welded (welds shall be micro sealed and prime painted after fabrication). Bolted connections not accepted.
 3. Base Plates: Integral to frame.
 4. Wood Nailers: Factory installed; pressure treated. Size and width as suitable for support of items installed on curbs.
 5. Insulation: Factory installed 1 ½ inch three-pound density fiberglass insulation.
 6. Curb Height: 24 inch above deck.

7. Gasketing: 1/4-inch-thick, 1 inch wide.
8. Duct supports: Gauge of material as required per curb manufacturer.

2.14 AIRFLOW MEASUREMENT DEVICES

A. General

1. Sensors shall be located in the following locations:
 - a. Provide Type 2 fan inlet flow stations in the supply fans of RTU-1.
 - b. Provide Type 3 outdoor air measuring devices in RTU-1.

B. Manufacturers

1. Subject to compliance with performance and design requirements of this Section, provide products that comply with this specification by one of the following vendors:
 - a. EBTRON, Inc. (Basis of design)
 - b. Kurz Instruments
 - c. Fluid Components International (FCI)

C. Airflow Measurement Devices (AMD) with Temperature Output and Airflow Alarming Capability

1. Type 1: Duct or plenum flow stations for airflow measurement, temperature and alarm capability.
 - a. EBTRON Model GTx116-P+
2. Type 2: Fan inlet flow stations for airflow measurement with, temperature and alarm capability.
 - a. Sensor housings shall be mounted on 304 stainless steel blocks.
 - b. Mounting rods shall be field adjustable to fit inlet and constructed of nickel-plated steel.
 - c. Mounting feet shall be constructed of 304 stainless steel.
 - d. The operating airflow range shall be 0 to 10,000 FPM unless otherwise indicated on the plans.

- e. EBTRON Model GTx108-F
3. Type 3: Rooftop Unit Outside Air Measuring Devices.
- a. Provide monitor/controller capable of direct air measurement of airflow through an outside air inlet and produce dual outputs; one representing the measuring airflow. And the other to control the inlet damper.
 - b. The monitor/controller shall contain an integral multi-line liquid crystal display for use during the configuration and calibration processes, and to display two measured processes (volume, velocity, temperature) during normal operation. All configuration, output scaling, calibration, and controller tuning will be performed digitally in the on-board microprocessor via input pushbuttons.
 - c. The monitor/controller shall measure inlet airflow with an accuracy of +/- 5% of reading over a range of 150-600fpm, 500-2000fpm and not have its reading affected by the presence of directional or gusting variances, and atmospheric due to site altitude.
 - d. The monitor/controller shall interface with the building automation system, accepting inputs for fan system start, economizer mode operation, and an external controller setpoint, and provide flow deviation alarm outputs.
 - e. The sensors shall be constructed of materials that resist corrosion due to the presence of salt or chemicals in the air; all non-painted surfaces shall be constructed of stainless steel. The electronics enclosure shall be NEMA 4.
 - f. The outside reference sensor shall be located upstream of and mounted in the center of the intake louver or fixed resistance device.
 - g. The outside reference sensor shall be located upstream of and mounted in the center of the intake louver or fixed resistance device.
 - h. The inlet airflow sensor shall be located downstream of any inlet louver or fixed resistance device, and upstream of the outside air intake control damper.
 - i. The outside air measuring station shall be positioned upstream of the outside air intake control damper.
 - j. EBTRON Model GTx116-P+

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine substrates, areas, and conditions, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of RTUs.
- B. Examine roughing-in for RTUs to verify actual locations of piping and duct connections before equipment installation.
- C. Examine roofs for suitable conditions where RTUs will be installed.
- D. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Install unit, including field installed components, in accordance with Installation, Operation and Maintenance manual instructions.

3.3 ROOF CURBS

- A. Coordinate roof openings and structural steel supports and placement.
- B. Fasten roof curb to blocking.
- C. Install 3" thick Thermafiber SAFB 2.5 PCF inside curb above roof deck. Cover with 2 layers of 5/8" Type X GWB with staggered joints. Install 2" rigid fiberglass board insulation with FSK jacket above GWB and on inside face of roof curb. Fill gaps and joints around curb perimeter, conduits and ductwork with acoustical sealant. Arrange for inspection by Engineer prior to setting RTU's.

3.4 CONNECTIONS

- A. Provide Type DWV copper condensate drain same size as unit connection with minimum 2" deep trap seal. Provide trap drain plug and cleanout.
- B. Provide access for installation of gas piping, power and control raceways through inside of curb. Comply with manufacturer's instructions for final connections.
- C. Drawings indicate the general arrangement of ducts. The following are specific connection requirements:
 - 1. Install ducts to termination at top of roof curb.

2. Remove roof decking only as required for passage of ducts. Do not cut out decking under entire roof curb.
3. Install return-air duct continuously through roof structure.

3.5 STARTUP SERVICE

- A. Engage a factory-authorized service representative to perform startup service.
 1. Perform startup in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
 2. Prepare complete startup report/form included in manufacturer's IOM manual for each unit. Submit completed Startup Forms in PDF format.
 3. After startup and performance testing and prior to Substantial Completion, replace existing filters with new filters.

3.6 DEMONSTRATION

- A. Engage a factory-authorized service representative to train Owner's maintenance personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain RTUs.

END OF SECTION 237401

SECTION 260500 – GENERAL ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS

PART 1 – GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. The General and Supplementary Conditions are a part of the requirements for the work under this Division of the Specifications.

1.2 WORK INCLUDED

- A. Provide labor and materials required to install, test and place into operation the electrical systems as called for in the Contract Documents, and in accordance with applicable codes and regulations.
- B. Provide labor, materials, and accessories required to provide complete, operating electrical systems. Labor, materials or accessories not specifically called for in the Contract Documents, but required to provide complete, operating electrical systems shall be provided without additional cost to the Owner.

1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Comply with the current applicable codes, ordinances, and regulations of the Authority or Authorities Having Jurisdiction, the rules, regulations and requirements of the utility companies serving the project, and the Owner's insurance underwriter.
- B. Drawings, specifications, codes and standards are minimum requirements. Where requirements differ, the most stringent apply.
- C. Should any change in drawings or specifications be required to comply with governing regulations, notify the Engineer prior to submitting bid.
- D. All electrical equipment, materials, devices and installations shall meet or exceed minimum requirements of ADA, ANSI, ASTM, IEEE, IES, NEC, NEMA, NETA, NFPA, OSHA, SMACNA, UL, and the State Fire Marshal.
- E. Execute work in strict accordance with the best practices of the trades in a thorough, substantial, workperson-like manner by competent workpeople. Provide a competent, experienced, full-time Superintendent who is authorized to make decisions on behalf of the Contractor.

- F. Equipment shall be certified for use in the state of New York and shall meet the New York State energy code.

1.4 ABBREVIATIONS AND DEFINITIONS

A. Abbreviations:

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| 1. | ADA | Americans with Disabilities Act |
| 2. | ANSI | American National Standards Institute |
| 3. | ASA | Acoustical Society of America |
| 4. | ASTM | American Society for Testing and Materials |
| 5. | BIL | Basic Impulse Level |
| 6. | CBM | Certified Ballast Manufacturers |
| 7. | ECC | Engineer's Control Center |
| 8. | EIA | Electronic Industries Alliance |
| 9. | ETL | Electrical Testing Laboratories, Inc. |
| 10. | FCC | Fire Control Center |
| 11. | FM | Factory Mutual |
| 12. | IEEE | Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers |
| 13. | IES | Illuminating Engineering Society |
| 14. | IPCEA | International Power Cable Engineers Association |
| 15. | LED | Light Emitting Diode |
| 16. | NEC | National Electric Code |
| 17. | NEMA | National Electrical Manufacturers Association |
| 18. | NETA | National Electrical Testing Association |
| 19. | NFPA | National Fire Protection Association |
| 20. | OEM | Original Equipment Manufacturer |
| 21. | OSHA | Occupational Safety and Health Administration |
| 22. | SCC | Security Control Center |
| 23. | SMACNA | Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Contractors
National Association |
| 24. | TIA | Telecommunications Industry Association |
| 25. | UL | Underwriters Laboratories Inc. |

B. Definitions:

1. Where it is stated in these specifications to submit to Engineer for review, refer to Architectural General and Supplementary Conditions for proper procedures.
2. FURNISH means to supply all materials, labor, equipment, testing apparatus, controls, tests, accessories and all other items customarily required for the proper and complete application.

3. INSTALL means to join, unite, fasten, link, attach, set up or otherwise connect together before testing and turning over to Owner, complete and ready for regular operation.
4. PROVIDE means to FURNISH and INSTALL.
5. AS DIRECTED means as directed by the Engineer, or the Engineer's Representative.
6. CONCEALED means embedded in masonry or other construction, installed behind wall furring or within drywall partitions, or installed within hung ceilings.
7. SUBMIT means submit to Engineer for review.

1.5 GUARANTEE

- A. Submit a single guarantee stating that the work is in accordance with the Contract Documents. Guarantee work against faulty and improper material and workmanship for a period of one year from the date of final acceptance by the Owner, except that where guarantees or warranties for longer terms are provided or specified herein, the longer term shall apply. Manufacturer's warranty/guarantee on equipment shall be begin at time of equipment startup not upon receipt of equipment. Correct any deficiencies, which occur during the guarantee period, within 24 hours of notification, without additional cost to the Owner, to the satisfaction of the Owner. Obtain similar guarantees from subcontractors, manufacturers, suppliers and subtrade specialists.

PART 2 – PRODUCTS

2.1 EQUIPMENT AND MATERIALS

- A. Provide products and materials that are new, clean, free of defects, and free of damage and corrosion.
- B. Products and materials shall not contain asbestos, PCB, or any other material that is considered hazardous by the Environmental Protection Agency or any other Authority Having Jurisdiction.
- C. Replace materials of less than specified quality and relocate work incorrectly installed as directed by the Architect or Engineer at no additional cost to the Owner.
- D. Provide name/data plates on major components of equipment with manufacturer's name, model number, serial number, capacity data and electrical characteristics attached in a conspicuous place.

- E. Install materials and equipment with qualified trades people.
- F. Maintain uniformity of manufacturer for equipment used in similar applications and sizes.
- G. Fully lubricate equipment where required.
- H. Follow manufacturer's instructions for installing, connecting, and adjusting equipment. Provide a copy of such instructions at the equipment during installation.
- I. Where factory testing of equipment is required to ascertain performance, and attendance by the Owner's Representative is required to witness such tests, associated travel costs and subsistence shall be paid for by the Contractor.
- J. Equipment capacities, ratings, etc., are scheduled or specified for job site operating conditions. Equipment sensitive to altitude shall be derated with the method of derating identified on the submittals.
- K. Enclosures for electrical equipment installed in mechanical and electrical equipment rooms shall be NEMA type 1 gasketed. Enclosures for electrical equipment installed outdoors shall be NEMA type 3R.
- L. Energy consuming equipment shall be certified for use in the state of New York and shall meet the New York State Energy Code and local energy ordinances.

2.2 SUBSTITUTIONS

- A. Contract Documents are based on equipment manufacturers as called out in the Specifications and indicated on the Drawings. Acceptance of substitute equipment manufacturers does not relieve Contractor of the responsibility to provide equipment and materials, which meet the performance as, stated or implied in the Contract Documents.
- B. Submit proposals to provide substitute materials or equipment, in writing, with sufficient lead time for review prior to the date equipment must be ordered to maintain project schedule. Reimburse Owner for costs associated with the review of the proposed substitution whether substitution is accepted or rejected.
- C. Indicate revisions required to adapt substitutions including revisions by other trades. Substitutions that increase the cost of the work and related trades are not permitted.

- D. The proposed substitution shall conform to the size, ratings, and operating characteristics of the equipment or systems as specified and shown on the Drawings.
- E. Proposals for substitutions shall include the following information:
 - 1. A description of the difference between the Contract Document requirements and that of the substitution, the comparative features of each, and the effect of the change on the end result performance. Include the impact of all changes on other contractors and acknowledge the inclusion of additional costs to the other trades.
 - 2. Schematic drawings and details.
 - 3. List of revisions to the Contract Documents that must be made if the substitution is accepted.
 - 4. Estimate of costs the Owner may incur in implementing the substitution, such as test, evaluation, operating and support costs.
 - 5. Statement of the time by which a Contract modification accepting the substitution must be issued, noting any effect on the Contract completion time or the delivery schedule.
 - 6. A statement indicating the reduction to the Contract price if the Owner accepts the substitution. Include required modifications to all related trades.

PART 3 – EXECUTION

3.1 FEES AND PERMITS

- A. Pay all required fees and obtain all required permits related to the electrical installation.
- B. Pay royalties or fees in connection with the use of patented devices and systems.
- C. Provide controlled inspection where required by Authorities Having Jurisdiction or by these specifications.

3.2 SUBMITTALS AND REVIEWS

- A. Submit shop drawings, manufacturer's product data sheets, samples, and test reports as specified.
- B. After execution of Owner/Contractor Agreement, submit a complete typed list of all electrical equipment manufacturers and material suppliers for the equipment proposed to be provided on this project, as well as names of all subcontractors.

- C. After execution of Owner/Contractor Agreement, prepare an index of all submittals for the project. Include a submittal identification number, a cross-reference to the Specification sections or Drawing number, and an item description. Prefix the submittal identification number by the Specification sections to which they apply. Indicate on each submittal, the submittal identification number in addition to the other data specified. All subcontractors shall utilize the assigned submittal identification number.
- D. After the Contract is awarded, obtain complete shop drawings, product data and samples from the manufacturers, suppliers, vendors, and all subcontractors, for all materials and equipment as specified. Submit data and details of such materials and equipment for review. Prior to submission, certify that the shop drawings, product data and samples are in compliance with the Contract Documents. Check all materials and equipment upon their arrival on the job site and verify their compliance with the Contract Documents. Modify any work, which proceeds prior to receiving accepted shop drawings as required to comply with the Contract Documents and the shop drawings.
- E. Review of submittals is for general compliance with the design concept and Contract Documents. Comments or absence of comments shall not relieve the Contractor from compliance with the Contract Documents. The Contractor remains solely responsible for details and accuracy, for confirming and correlating all quantities and dimensions, for selecting fabrication processes, for techniques of construction, for performing the work in a safe manner, and for coordinating the work with that of other trades.
- F. No part of the work shall be started in the shop or in the field until the shop drawings and samples for that portion of the work have been submitted and accepted.
- G. A minimum period of ten working days, exclusive of transmittal time, will be required in the Engineer's office each time a shop drawing, product data and/or samples are submitted for review. This time period must be considered by the Contractor in the scheduling of the work.
- H. Submit electronic copies, preferably in PDF format, of all items requiring shop drawings.
- I. Submit materials and equipment by manufacturer, trade name, and model number. Include copies of applicable brochure or catalog material. Maintenance and operating manuals are not acceptable substitutes for shop drawings.
- J. Identify each sheet of printed submittal pages (using arrows, underlining or circling) to show applicable sizes, types, model numbers, ratings, capacities and

options actually being proposed. Cross out non-applicable information. Note specified features such as materials or paint finishes.

- K. Include dimensional data for roughing in and installation and technical data sufficient to verify that equipment meets the requirements of the Contract Documents. Include wiring, piping and service connection data.
- L. Maintain a complete set of reviewed and stamped shop drawings and product data on site.
- M. For each room or area of the building containing electrical equipment, submit the following:
 - 1. Floor Plans: Plan and elevation layout drawings indicating the equipment in the exact location in which it is intended to be installed. These plans shall be of a scale not less than 1/4 inch to 1 foot. They shall be prepared in the following manner:
 - a. Indicate the physical boundaries of the space including door swings and ceiling heights and ceiling types (as applicable).
 - b. Illustrate all electrical equipment proposed to be contained therein. Include top and bottom elevations of all electrical equipment. The Drawings shall be prepared utilizing the dimensions contained in the individual equipment submittals. Indicate code and manufacturer's required clearances.
 - c. Illustrate all other equipment therein such as conduits, detectors, luminaries, ducts, registers, pull boxes, wireways, structural elements, etc.
 - d. Indicate the operating weight of each piece of equipment.
 - e. Indicate the heat release from each piece of electrical equipment in terms of BTU per hour. This information shall be that which is supplied by the respective manufacturers.
 - f. Illustrate concrete pads, curbs, etc.
 - g. Indicate dimensions to confirm compliance with code-required clearances.
 - h. Indicate maximum normal allowable operating temperature for each piece of equipment (as per each respective manufacturer's recommendation).
 - i. Equipment removal routes.
- N. The work described in shop drawing submissions shall be carefully checked by all trades for clearances (including those required for maintenance and servicing), field conditions, maintenance of architectural conditions and coordination with other trades on the job. Each submitted shop drawing shall include a certification

that related job conditions have been checked by the Contractor and each Subcontractor and that conflicts do not exist.

- O. The Contractor is not relieved of the responsibility for dimensions or errors that may be contained on submissions, or for deviations from the requirements of the Contract Documents. The noting of some errors but overlooking others does not grant the Contractor permission to proceed in error. Regardless of any information contained in the shop drawings, product data and samples, the Contract Documents govern the work and are neither waived nor superceded in any way by the review of shop drawings, product data and samples.
- P. Inadequate or incomplete shop drawings, product data and/or samples will not be reviewed and will be returned to the Contractor for resubmittal.

3.3 COORDINATION OF WORK

- A. The Contract Documents establish scope, materials and quality but are not detailed installation instructions. Drawings are diagrammatic.
- B. Coordinate work with related trades and furnish, in writing, any information necessary to permit the work of related trades to be installed satisfactorily and with the least possible conflict or delay.
- C. The electrical drawings show the general arrangement of equipment and appurtenances. Follow these drawings as closely as the actual construction and the work of other trades will permit. Provide offsets, fittings, and accessories, which may be required but not shown on the Drawings. Investigate the site, and review drawings of other trades to determine conditions affecting the work and provide such work and accessories as may be required to accommodate such conditions.
- D. The locations of lighting fixtures, outlets, panels and other equipment indicated on the Drawings are approximately correct, but they are understood to be subject to such revision as may be found necessary or desirable at the time the work is installed in consequence of increase or reduction of the number of outlets, or in order to meet field conditions, or to coordinate with modular requirements of ceilings, or to simplify the work, or for other legitimate causes.
- E. Exercise particular caution with reference to the location of panels, outlets, switches, etc., and have precise and definite locations accepted by the Engineer before proceeding with the installation.
- F. The Drawings show only the general run of raceways and approximate locations of outlets. Any significant changes in location of outlets, cabinets, etc., necessary

in order to meet field conditions shall be brought to the immediate attention of the Engineer for review before such alterations are made. Modifications shall be made at no additional cost to the Owner.

- G. Verify with the Architect the exact location and mounting height of outlets and equipment not dimensionally located on the Drawings prior to installation.
- H. Circuit tags in the form of numbers are used where shown to indicate the circuit designation numbers in electrical panels. Show the actual circuit numbers on the as-built Record Drawings and on the associated typed panelboard directory card. Where circuiting is not indicated, provide required circuiting in accordance with the loading indicated on the Drawings and/or as directed.
- I. The Drawings generally do not indicate the number of wires in conduit for the branch circuit wiring of fixtures and outlets, or the actual circuiting. Provide the correct wire size and quantity as required by the indicated circuiting and/or circuit numbers indicated, the control intent, referenced wiring diagrams (if any), the specified voltage drop or maximum distance limitations, and the applicable requirements of the NEC.
- J. Carefully check space requirements with other trades to ensure that equipment can be installed in the spaces allotted.
- K. Wherever work interconnects with work of other trades, coordinate with other trades to ensure that they have the information necessary so that they may properly install the necessary connections and equipment. Identify items (remote ballast, pull boxes, etc.) requiring access in order that the ceiling trade will know where to install access doors and panels.
- L. Consult with other trades regarding equipment so that, wherever possible, motor controls and distribution equipment are of the same manufacturer.
- M. Furnish and set sleeves for passage of electrical risers through structural masonry and concrete walls and floors and elsewhere as required for the proper protection of each electrical riser passing through building surfaces.
- N. Provide firestopping around all pipes, conduits, ducts, sleeves, etc. which pass through rated walls, partitions and floors.
- O. Provide detailed information on openings and holes required in precast members for electrical work.
- P. Provide required supports and hangers for conduit and equipment, designed so as not to exceed allowable loadings of structures.

- Q. Examine and compare the Contract Documents with the drawings and specifications of other trades and report any discrepancies between them to the Engineer and obtain written instructions for changes necessary in the work. Install and coordinate the work in cooperation with other related trades. Before installation, make proper provisions to avoid interferences.
- R. Wherever the work is of sufficient complexity, prepare additional detail drawings to scale to coordinate the work with the work of other trades. Detailed work shall be clearly identified on the Drawings as to the area to which it applies. Submit these drawings to the Engineer for review. At completion include a set of these drawings with each set of Record Drawings.
- S. Furnish services of an experienced Superintendent, who shall be in constant charge of all work, and who shall coordinate work with the work of other trades. No work shall be installed before coordinating with other trades.
- T. Coordinate with the local electric utility company and the local telecommunications company as to their requirements for service connections and provide all necessary metering provisions, grounding, materials, equipment, labor, testing, and appurtenances.
- U. Before commencing work, examine adjoining work on which this work is in any way affected and report conditions, which prevent performance of the work. Become thoroughly familiar with actual existing conditions to which connections must be made or which must be changed or altered.
- V. Adjust location of conduits, panels, equipment, etc., to accommodate the work to prevent interferences, both anticipated and encountered. Determine the exact route and location of each conduit prior to fabrication.
 - 1. Right-of-Way: Lines which pitch have the right-of-way over those which do not pitch. For example: condensate, steam, and plumbing drains normally have right-of-way. Lines whose elevations cannot be changed have right-of-way over lines whose elevations can be changed.
 - 2. Provide offsets, transitions and changes in direction of conduit as required to maintain proper headroom and pitch on sloping lines.
- W. In cases of doubt as to the work intended, or in the event of need for explanation, request supplementary instructions from the Engineer.

3.4 CONTRACTOR'S COORDINATION DRAWINGS

- A. The Contractor shall coordinate efforts of all trades and shall furnish (in writing, with copies to the Engineer) any information necessary to permit the work of all

trades to be installed satisfactorily and with the least possible interference or delay.

- B. The Contractor and all trade contractors shall prepare a complete set of construction Coordination Drawings indicating the equipment actually purchased and the exact routing for all lines such as busway, conduit, piping, ductwork, etc., including conduit embedded in concrete floors and walls. The Coordination Drawings shall be submitted complete to the Architect and the Engineer, within three months after notice to proceed is given, and in compliance with the construction schedule for the project. The sheet metal drawings, at a scale of not less than 1/4 inch to 1 foot, shall serve as the base drawings to which all other Contractors shall add their work. Each separate trade contractor shall draw their work on separate layers with different color assignments to facilitate coordination. Each Coordination Drawing shall be completed and signed off by the other Trade Contractors and the Contractor prior to the installation of the HVAC, plumbing, electrical and fire sprinkler work in the area covered by the specific drawing. The Contractor's work shall be installed according to the shop drawings and coordination drawings. If the Contractor allows one trade to install their work before coordination with the work of other trades, the Contractor shall make all necessary changes to correct the condition at no additional cost to the Owner.
- C. The Contractors' Coordination Drawings shall indicate structural loads at support points for all piping 10 inch and larger, racked piping, racked conduit, busway, and suspended electrical equipment. Submit to Structural Engineer for review and approval. The elevation, location, support points, static, dynamic and expansion forces and loads imposed on the structure at support and anchor points shall be indicated. All beam penetrations and slab penetrations shall be indicated and sized and shall be coordinated. Work routed underground or embedded in concrete shall be indicated by dimension to column and building lines and shall be coordinated. Coordination Drawings shall document all required structural penetrations for initial construction. Penetrations shall be dimensioned for walls, floors and roofs. These structural coordination requirements require review and approval by the Structural Engineer prior to completion and submittal of the Drawings.
- D. This requirement for Coordination Drawings shall not be construed as authorization for the Contractor or trade contractors to make any unauthorized changes to the Contract Documents. Contract document space allocations shall be maintained such as ceiling height, designated clearance for future construction and flexibility, chase walls, equipment room size, unless prior written authorization is received from the Engineer to change them.

- E. Prior to final acceptance of the Work, the Contractor shall submit the Coordination Drawings as part of the Record Drawings submittal.

3.5 EXAMINATION OF SITE

- A. Prior to the submitting of bids, visit the project site and become familiar with all conditions affecting the proposed installation and make provisions as to the cost thereof.
- B. The Contract Documents do not make representations regarding the character or extent of the sub-soils, water levels, existing structural, mechanical and electrical installations, above or below ground, or other sub-surface conditions which may be encountered during the work. Evaluate existing conditions, which may affect methods or cost of performing the work, based on examination of the site or other information. Failure to examine the Drawings or other information does not relieve the Contractor of responsibility for the satisfactory completion of the work.

3.6 EXCAVATION AND BACKFILL

- A. Provide excavation for the work of this Division. Excavate all material encountered, to the depths indicated on the Drawings or as required. Remove from the site excavated materials not required or suitable for backfill. Provide grading as may be necessary to prevent surface water from flowing into trenches or other excavations. Remove any water, which accumulates. Provide sheeting and shoring as may be necessary for the protection of the work and for the safety of personnel.
- B. Provide trenches of widths necessary for the proper execution of the work. Grade bottom of the trenches accurately to provide uniform bearing and support the work on undisturbed soil at every point along its entire length. Except where rock is encountered, do not excavate below the depths indicated. Where rock excavations are required, excavate rock to a minimum overdepth of four inches below the trench depths indicated on the Drawings or required. Backfill overdepths in the rock excavation and unauthorized overdepths with loose, granular, moist earth, thoroughly machine-tamped to a compaction level of at least 95 percent to standard proctor density or 75 percent relative density or as specified by the Engineer. Whenever unstable soil that is incapable of properly supporting the work is encountered in the bottom of the trench, remove soil to a depth required and backfill the trench to the proper grade with coarse sand, fine gravel or other suitable material.

- C. Excavate trenches for utilities that will provide the following minimum depths of cover from existing grade or from indicated finished grade, whichever is lower, unless otherwise specifically shown:
 - 1. Electric service: Three (3) feet minimum.
 - 2. Telephone service: Three (3) feet minimum.
 - 3. Cable TV service: Three (3) feet minimum
- D. Trenches should not be placed within ten feet of foundation or soil surfaces, which must resist horizontal forces.
- E. Do not backfill trenches until all required tests have been performed and installation observed by the Engineer. Comply with the requirements of other sections of the Specifications. Backfill shall consist of non-expensive soil with limited porosity. Deposit in six layers and thoroughly and carefully tamp until the work has a cover of not less than one foot. Backfill and tamp remainder of trench at one-foot intervals until complete. Uniformly grade the finished surface.

3.7 CUTTING AND PATCHING

- A. Where cutting, channeling, chasing or drilling of floors, walls, partitions, ceilings or other surfaces is necessary for the proper installation, support or anchorage of conduit or other equipment, lay out the work carefully in advance. Repair any damage to the building, piping, equipment or defaced finished plaster, woodwork, metalwork, etc., using skilled tradespeople of the trades required at no additional cost to the Owner.
- B. Do not cut, channel, chase or drill unfinished masonry, tile, etc., unless permission from the Architect is obtained. If permission is granted, perform this work in a manner acceptable to the Architect.
- C. Where conduit or equipment are mounted on a painted finished surface, or a surface to be painted, paint to match the surface. Cold galvanize bare metal whenever support channels are cut.
- D. Provide slots, chases, openings and recesses through floors, walls, ceilings, and roofs as required. Where these openings are not provided, provide cutting and patching to accommodate penetrations at no additional cost to the Owner.

3.8 MOUNTING HEIGHTS

- A. Mounting heights shall conform to ADA requirements.
- B. Verify exact locations and mounting heights with the Architect before installation.

- C. Electrical and telecommunications outlets shall be mounted no higher than 48 inches above finished floor to top of the outlet box and no lower than 15 inches above finished floor to bottom of the outlet box.
- D. Electrical switches shall be mounted no higher than 48 inches above finished floor to top of the outlet box and no lower than 36 inches above finished floor to bottom of the outlet box.
- E. Fire alarm manual pull stations shall be mounted no higher than 48 inches above finished floor to top of the outlet box and no lower than 36 inches above finished floor to bottom of the outlet box.
- F. Outlets for public and other wall-mounted type telephones shall be installed so that the particular telephone installed conforms to ADA mounting height requirements.
- G. Visual Alarms: Mount not less than 80 inches to the bottom or 96 inches to the top of the device.
- H. Wall-Mounted Exit Signs: Two inches above top of door to bottom of sign.
- I. Low-Level Exit Signs: Six inches to bottom of sign.
- J. Stairwell and utility corridor wall-mounted lighting fixtures shall be mounted 8 feet-6 inches above finished floor or one foot below ceiling or structure above, whichever is lower.

3.9 CLEANING UP

- A. Avoid accumulation of debris, boxes, loose materials, crates, etc., resulting from the installation of this work. Remove from the premises each day all debris, boxes, etc., and keep the premises clean and free of dust and debris.
- B. Clean all fixtures and equipment at the completion of the project. Wipe clean exposed lighting fixture reflectors and trim pieces with a non-abrasive cloth just prior to occupancy.
- C. All electrical equipment shall be thoroughly vacuumed and wiped clean prior to energization and at the completion of the project. Equipment shall be opened for observation by the Engineer as required.

3.10 WATERPROOFING

- A. Avoid, if possible, the penetration of any waterproof membranes such as roofs, machine room floors, basement walls, and the like. If such penetration is necessary, make penetration prior to the waterproofing and furnish all sleeves or pitch-pockets required. Advise the Architect and obtain written permission before penetrating any waterproof membrane, even where such penetration is shown on the Drawings.
- B. Restore waterproofing integrity of walls or surfaces after they have been penetrated without additional cost to the Owner.

3.11 SUPPORTS

- A. Support work in accordance with the best industry practice. Provide supports, hangers, auxiliary structural members and supplemental hardware required for support of the work.
- B. Provide supporting frames or racks extending from floor slab to ceiling slab for work indicated as being supported from walls where the walls are incapable of supporting the weight. In particular, provide such frames or racks in electric closets and mechanical equipment rooms.
- C. Provide supporting frames or racks for equipment which is to be installed in a freestanding position.
- D. Supporting frames or racks shall be of standard angle, standard channel or specialty support system steel members, rigidly bolted or welded together and adequately braced to form a substantial structure. Racks shall be of ample size to assure a workmanlike arrangement of all equipment mounted on them.
- E. Adequate support of equipment (including outlet, pull and junction boxes and fittings) shall not depend on electric conduits, raceways, or cables for support.
- F. Electrical equipment shall not rest on or depend for support on suspended ceiling media (tiles, lath, plaster, as well as splines, runners, bars and the like in the plane of the ceiling). Provide independent support of electrical equipment. Do not attach to supports provided for ductwork, piping or work of other trades.
- G. Provide required supports and hangers for conduit, equipment, etc., so that loading will not exceed allowable loadings of structure. Electrical equipment and supports shall not come in contact with work of other trades.

3.12 FASTENINGS

- A. Fasten equipment to building structure in accordance with the best industry practice.
- B. Where weight applied to building attachment points is 100 pounds or less, conform to the following as a minimum:
 - 1. Wood: Wood screws.
 - 2. Concrete and solid masonry: Bolts and expansion shields.
 - 3. Hollow construction: Toggle bolts.
 - 4. Solid metal: Machine screws in tapped holes or with welded studs.
 - 5. Steel decking or sub-floor: Fastenings as specified below for applied weights in excess of 100 pounds.
- C. Where weight applied to building attachment points exceeds 100 pounds, but is 300 pounds or less, conform to the following as a minimum:
 - 1. At concrete slabs provide 24-inch by 24-inch by 1/2-inch steel fishplates on top with through bolts. Fishplate assemblies shall be chased in and grouted flush with the top of slab screed line, where no fill is to be applied.
 - 2. At steel decking or sub-floor for all fastenings, provide through bolts or threaded rods. The tops of bolts or rods shall be set at least one inch below the top fill screed line and grouted in. Suitable washers shall be used under bolt heads or nuts. In cases where the decking or sub-floor manufacturer produces specialty hangers to work with their decking or sub-floor, such hangers shall be provided.
- D. Where weight applied to building attachment points exceeds 300 pounds, coordinate with and obtain the approval of Engineer and conform to the following as a minimum:
 - 1. Provide suitable auxiliary channel or angle iron bridging between building structural steel elements to establish fastening points. Bridging members shall be suitably welded or clamped to building steel. Provide threaded rods or bolts to attach to bridging members.
- E. For items, which are shown, as being ceiling-mounted at locations where fastening to the building construction element above is not possible, provide suitable auxiliary channel or angle iron bridging tying to the building structural elements.
- F. Wall-mounted equipment may be directly secured to wall by means of steel bolts. Groups or arrays of equipment may be mounted on adequately sized steel

angles, channels, or bars. Prefabricated steel channels as manufactured by Kindorf or Unistrut are acceptable.

3.13 IDENTIFICATION

- A. Identify electrical equipment with permanently attached black phenolic nameplates with 1/2-inch high white engraved lettering. Identification shall include equipment name or load served as appropriate. Nameplates for equipment connected to the emergency power system shall be red with white lettering. Nameplates shall be attached with cadmium-plated screws; peel-and-stick tape or glue-on type nameplates are not allowed.
- B. Cable tags shall be flameproof secured with flameproof non-metallic cord.
- C. Provide an engraved nameplate for each switch controlling loads, which are not local to the switch.
- D. Wherever raceways for future use are terminated outside of the building, stake the location with a 2-foot long, 1-inch by 1-inch clear heart redwood stake.
- E. See individual Sections for additional identification requirements.

3.14 PROHIBITED LABELS AND IDENTIFICATIONS

- A. In all public areas, the inclusion or installation of any equipment or assembly which bears on any exposed surface any name, trademark, or other insignia which is intended to identify the manufacturer, the vendor, or other source(s) from which such object has been obtained, is prohibited, unless otherwise approved by Owner.
- B. Required UL labels shall not be removed nor shall identification specifically required under the various technical sections of the Specifications be removed.

3.15 EQUIPMENT PADS AND ANCHOR BOLTS

- A. Provide concrete pads under all floor-mounted electrical equipment. Equipment pads shall conform to the shape of the piece of equipment it serves with a minimum 1-inch margin around the equipment and supports. Pads shall be a minimum of 4 inches high and made of a minimum 28 day, 2500 psi concrete reinforced with 6-inch by 6-inch 6/6 gauge welded wire mesh. Trowel tops and sides of pad to smooth finishes, equal to those of the floors, with all external corners bullnosed to a 3/4-inch radius.

- B. Provide galvanized anchor bolts for all equipment placed on concrete equipment pads, inertia blocks, or on concrete slabs. Provide bolts of the size and number recommended by the manufacturer of the equipment and locate by means of suitable templates. Equipment installed on vibration isolators shall be secured to the isolator. Secure the isolator to the floor, pad, or support as recommended by the vibration isolation manufacturer.
- C. Where equipment is mounted on gypsum board partitions, the mounting screws shall pass through the gypsum board and securely attach to the partition studs. As an alternative, the mounting screws may pass through the gypsum board and be securely attached to 6 inches square, 18 gauge galvanized metal backplates, which are attached to the gypsum board with an approved non-flammable adhesive. Toggle bolts installed in gypsum board partitions are not allowed.

3.16 DELIVERY, DRAYAGE AND HAULING

- A. Provide drayage, hauling, hoisting, shoring and placement in the building of equipment specified and be responsible for the timely delivery and installation of equipment as required by the construction schedule. If any item of equipment is received prior to the time that it is required, the Contractor shall be responsible for its proper storage and protection until the time it is required. Pay for all costs of drayage or storage.
- B. If equipment is not delivered or installed at the project site in a timely manner as required by the project construction schedule, the Contractor shall be responsible for resulting disassembly, re-assembly, manufacturer's supervision, shoring, general construction modification, delays, overtime costs, etc., at no additional cost to the Owner.

3.17 EQUIPMENT AND MATERIAL PROTECTION

- A. Protect the work, equipment, and material of other trades from damage by work or workmen of this trade, and correct damaged caused without additional cost to the Owner.
- B. Take responsibility for work, materials, and equipment until finally inspected, tested and accepted. Protect work against theft, injury, or damage, and carefully store material and equipment received on site, which is not immediately installed. Close open ends of work with temporary covers or plugs during construction to prevent entry of obstructing material. Cover and protect equipment and materials from damage due to water, spray-on fireproofing, construction debris, etc. Store equipment to moisture damage in dry, heated spaces.

- C. Provided adequate means for fully protecting finished parts of materials and equipment against damage from whatever cause during the progress of the work until final acceptance. Protect materials and equipment in storage and during construction in such a manner that no finished surfaces will be damaged or marred, and moving parts are kept clean and dry. Do not install damaged items; take immediate steps to obtain replacement or repair.

3.18 TESTING OF ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS

- A. Comply with the project construction schedule for the date of final performance and acceptance testing, and complete work sufficiently in advance of the Contract completion date to permit the execution of the testing prior to occupancy and Contract close-out. Complete any adjustments and/or alterations, which the final acceptance tests indicate as necessary for the proper functioning of all equipment prior to the completion date. See individual Sections for extent of testing required.
- B. Provide a detailed schedule of completion indicating when each system is to be completed and outlining when field testing will be performed. Submit completion schedule for review within six months after the notice to proceed by Owner's Representative has been given. Update this schedule periodically as the project progresses.

3.19 OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

- A. Provide the services of factory-trained specialists to provide an operating instructions seminar for equipment and systems. The seminar shall be conducted over a five-day (consecutive) period. Instruction time is defined as straight time working hours and does not include nights, weekends, or travel time to and from the project.
- B. Submit seminar agenda, schedule and list of representatives to the Owner for approval 30 days prior to suggested date of seminar. Do not commence seminar until the Owner has issued a written acceptance of the starting time and attendees. Confirm attendance of seminar by written notification to participants.
- C. Instruct Owner's operating personnel in proper starting sequences, operation, shut-down, general maintenance and preventative maintenance procedures, including normal and emergency procedures.
- D. Submit final copies of Record Drawings and Operating and Maintenance Manuals to Owner at seminar.

- E. Submit a written record of minutes and attendees of the seminar to the Owner.

3.20 OPERATING AND MAINTENANCE MANUALS

- A. Provide Operating and Maintenance Manuals for equipment and materials furnished under this Division.
- B. Submit three final copies of Operating and Maintenance Manuals for review at least ten weeks before the completion date. Assemble data in a completely indexed volume or volumes in three-ring binders and identify the size, model, and features indicated for each item. Print the project name on the outside of the binders.
- C. Maintenance manuals shall include complete cleaning and servicing data compiled in a clear and easily understandable format. Show model numbers of each piece of equipment, complete lists of replacement parts, capacity ratings, and actual loads.
- D. Provide the following information where applicable:
 - 1. Identifying name and mark number
 - 2. Locations (where several similar items are used, provide a list)
 - 3. Complete nameplate data
 - 4. Certified Record Drawings and Final Reviewed submittals
 - 5. Parts list
 - 6. Performance curves and data
 - 7. Wiring diagrams
 - 8. Manufacturer's recommended operating and maintenance instructions with all non-applicable information deleted
 - 9. List of spare parts recommended for normal service requirements
 - 10. Assembly and disassembly instructions with exploded-view drawings where necessary
 - 11. Test reports
 - 12. Trouble shooting diagnostic instructions, where applicable

3.21 RECORD DRAWINGS

- A. The Contractor shall maintain on a daily basis at the Project site a complete set of Record Drawings. The Record Drawings shall initially consist of a set of construction drawings or AutoCAD files of the Contractor's Coordination Drawings. The prints shall be marked or the AutoCAD files electronically updated to show the precise location of all buried or concealed work and equipment, including embedded conduit, raceways and boxes, and all changes and

deviations in the Electrical work from that shown on the Contract Documents. This requirement shall not be construed as authorization for the Contractor to make changes in the layout or work without definite written instructions from the Architect or Engineer. The updated Coordination Drawings shall be used to produce the final Record Drawings that shall be delivered to the Owner in AutoCAD electronic format and full-size hard copy format upon Project completion.

- B. Record dimensions clearly and accurately to delineate the work as installed. Suitably identify locations of all equipment by at least two dimensions to permanent structures.
- C. The Contractor and Subcontractor shall mark all in-progress Record Drawings on the front lower right hand corner with a rubber stamp impression or an AutoCAD image similar to the following:

RECORD DRAWING
(3/8-inch high letters)

**To be used for recording Field Deviations and
Dimensional Data Only**
(5/16-inch high letters)

- D. Upon completion of the work, the Contractor and Subcontractor(s) shall certify all Record Drawings on the front lower right hand corner adjacent to the above marking with a rubber stamp impression or an AutoCAD image similar to the following:

RECORD DRAWING
CERTIFIED CORRECT
(3/8-inch high letters)

(Printed Name of General Contractor)
(5/16-inch high letters)

Date: _____

(Printed Name of Subcontractor)
(5/16-inch high letters)

Date: _____

- E. Prior to final acceptance of the Work of this Division, the Contractor shall submit properly certified Record Drawings to the Architect and Engineer for review and shall make changes, corrections, or additions as the Architect and/or Engineer may require to the Record Drawings. After the Architect's and Engineer's review, and any required Contractor revisions, the Record Drawings shall be delivered to the Owner on electronic media in AutoCAD format. The Architect and Engineer do not assume any responsibility for the accuracy or completeness of the Record Drawings.

3.22 FINAL PUNCHLIST

- A. Prior to the Final Punchlist, certify that systems and equipment are complete, operational, and are in compliance with the Contract Documents.
- B. During the Final Punchlist, provide personnel with access keys, hand held radios, and necessary expertise to operate each system and piece of equipment to demonstrate operational compliance with the Contract Documents.
- C. Any deficiencies noted on the Final Punchlist shall be expeditiously corrected and certified in writing.

END OF SECTION 260500

SECTION 260519 - LOW-VOLTAGE ELECTRICAL POWER CONDUCTORS AND CABLES

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes:

1. Copper building wire rated 600 V or less.
2. Metal-clad cable, Type MC, rated 600 V or less.
3. Connectors, splices, and terminations rated 600 V and less.

1.2 DEFINITIONS

- A. PV: Photovoltaic.
- B. RoHS: Restriction of Hazardous Substances.
- C. VFC: Variable-frequency controller.

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product.
- B. Product Schedule: Indicate type, use, location, and termination locations.
- C. Qualification Data: For testing agency.
- D. Field quality-control reports.

1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Testing Agency Qualifications: Member company of NETA.
1. Testing Agency's Field Supervisor: Certified by NETA to supervise on-site testing.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 COPPER BUILDING WIRE

- A. Description: Flexible, insulated and uninsulated, drawn copper current-carrying conductor with an overall insulation layer or jacket, or both, rated 600 V or less.
- B. Standards:
 - 1. Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and use.
 - 2. RoHS compliant.
 - 3. Conductor and Cable Marking: Comply with wire and cable marking according to UL's "Wire and Cable Marking and Application Guide."
- C. Conductors: Copper, complying with ASTM B 3 for bare annealed copper and with ASTM B 8 for stranded conductors.
- D. Conductor Insulation:
 - 1. Type RHH and Type RHW-2: Comply with UL 44.
 - 2. Type THHN and Type THWN-2: Comply with UL 83.
 - 3. Type THW and Type THW-2: Comply with NEMA WC-70/ICEA S-95-658 and UL 83.
 - 4. Type XHHW-2: Comply with UL 44.
 - 5. Type TC-ER: Comply with NEMA WC 70/ICEA S-95-658 and UL 1277.
 - a. Type TC-ER: Cable designed for use with VFCs, with oversized crosslinked polyethylene insulation, spiral-wrapped foil plus 85 percent braided shields with full size drain wire, full sized insulated ground wire, and sunlight- and oil-resistant outer PVC jacket. Provide this cable between VFCs and motor loads as indicated on drawings.

2.2 METAL-CLAD CABLE, TYPE MC

- A. Description: A factory assembly of one or more current-carrying insulated conductors in an overall metallic sheath.
- B. Standards:
 - 1. Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and use.
 - 2. Comply with UL 1569.
 - 3. RoHS compliant.

- 4. Conductor and Cable Marking: Comply with wire and cable marking according to UL's "Wire and Cable Marking and Application Guide."
- C. Circuits:
 - 1. Single circuit and multicircuit with color-coded conductors.
- D. Conductors: Copper, complying with ASTM B 3 for bare annealed copper and with ASTM B 8 for stranded conductors.
- E. Ground Conductor: Insulated.
- F. Conductor Insulation:
 - 1. Type TFN/THHN/THWN-2: Comply with UL 83.
 - 2. Type XHHW-2: Comply with UL 44.
- G. Armor: Steel or lightweight Aluminum, interlocked.
- H. Jacket: PVC applied over armor (when Specified).

2.3 CONNECTORS AND SPLICES

- A. Description: Factory-fabricated connectors, splices, and lugs of size, ampacity rating, material, type, and class for application and service indicated; listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and use.

2.4 INSULATING TAPE

- A. Provide vinyl plastic tape that meets the requirements of UL 510 and has the following characteristics:
 - 1. 8.5 Mil minim thickness.
 - 2. ASTM D-3005 Standard specification for low-temperature resistant vinyl Chloride plastic pressure-sensitive electrical insulating type – type1.
 - 3. Rated 600 volts and 150°C, suitable for indoor and outdoor applications.
 - 4. Retains flexibility, adhesion, and applicable at temperature ranges from 0 through 100°F without loss of physical or electrical properties.

5. Resistant to abrasion, moisture, alkalis, acid, corrosion, and sunlight
6. Tape manufacturer: 3M "Scotch Super 88" or approved equal.

2.5 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Wire Manufacturers: subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following (no exceptions):
 1. Southwire Company
 2. General Cable
 3. The Okonite Company
 4. Belden
 5. VitaLink
 6. Pyrotenax
- B. Connectors Manufacturers: subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following (no exceptions):
 1. Hubbell
 2. Thomas & Betts
 3. 3M Company

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 CONDUCTOR MATERIAL APPLICATIONS

- A. Feeders/Branch circuits: Copper; solid for No. 10 AWG and No. 12 AWG; stranded for No. 8 AWG and larger.
- B. VFC Output Circuits Cable: Extra-flexible stranded for all sizes.

3.2 CONDUCTOR INSULATION AND MULTICONDUCTOR CABLE APPLICATIONS AND WIRING METHODS

- A. Service Entrance: Type THHN/THWN-2, single conductors in raceway; Type XHHW-2, single conductors in raceway; Type USE, single conductor in raceway.
- B. Exposed Feeders: Type THHN/THWN-2, single conductors in raceway.
- C. Feeders Concealed in Ceilings, Walls, Partitions, and Crawlspace: Type THHN/THWN-2, single conductors in raceway.

- D. Feeders Concealed in Concrete, below Slabs-on-Grade, and Underground: Type THHN/THWN-2, single conductors in raceway; Type XHHW-2, single conductors in raceway.
- E. Feeders Installed below Raised Flooring: Type THHN/THWN-2, single conductors in raceway.
- F. Exposed Branch Circuits, Including in Crawlspace: Type THHN/THWN-2, single conductors in raceway.
- G. Branch Circuits Concealed in Ceilings, Walls, and Partitions: Type THHN/THWN-2, single conductors in raceway;
- H. Branch Circuits Concealed in Concrete, below Slabs-on-Grade, and Underground: Type THHN/THWN-2, single conductors in raceway.
- I. Branch Circuits Installed below Raised Flooring: Type THHN/THWN-2, single conductors in raceway.
- J. Cord Drops and Portable Appliance Connections: Type SO, hard service cord with stainless-steel, wire-mesh, strain relief device at terminations to suit application.
- K. VFC Output Circuits: Type XHHW-2 in metal conduit; Type TC-ER cable with dual tape shield.

3.3 INSTALLATION OF CONDUCTORS AND CABLES

- A. Conceal cables in finished walls, ceilings, and floors unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Contract drawings do not indicate size of branch circuit wiring; use No.12 AWG as a minimum wire size for branch circuit wiring. For 20 Ampere branch circuits whose length from the panel to the furthest outlet exceeds 100 feet for 120-volt circuits or 150 feet for 277-volt circuits; use No. 10 AWG or larger for the entire branch circuit installation.
- C. A shared neutral may be utilized for circuits other than circuits used for dimmers, ground fault interrupter receptacles or circuit breakers, isolated ground receptacles, and isolated ground surge suppressor type devices
- D. Complete raceway installation between conductor and cable termination points according to Section 260533 "Raceways and Boxes for Electrical Systems" prior to pulling conductors and cables.

- E. Use manufacturer-approved pulling compound or lubricant where necessary; compound used must not deteriorate conductor or insulation. Do not exceed manufacturer's recommended maximum pulling tensions and sidewall pressure values.
- F. Do not install wire in incomplete conduit runs nor until after concrete work and plastering is completed and moisture is swabbed from the conduits. Eliminate splices where possible. Where necessary, splice in readily accessible pull, junction or outlet box.
- G. Take precautions to avoid entrance of dirt and water into the conduit and cuts. Clean conduits and ducts to remove and pulling compound prior to pulling cables. Do not damage conductor insulation, braid jacket or sheath during installation. Any damaged conductors shall be replaced immediately.
- H. Use pulling means, including fish tape, cable, rope, cable reels on jacks, and basket-weave wire/cable grips, that will not damage cables or raceway. Do not exceed maximum recommended pulling tension of wire and cable
- I. Install exposed cables parallel and perpendicular to surfaces of exposed structural members and follow surface contours where possible.
- J. Support cables according to Section 260529 "Hangers and Supports for Electrical Systems."

3.4 CONNECTIONS

- A. Tighten electrical connectors and terminals according to manufacturer's published torque-tightening values. If manufacturer's torque values are not indicated, use those specified in UL 486A-486B.
- B. Except where lugs are furnished with equipment, make splices, terminations, and taps that are compatible with conductor material and that possess equivalent or better mechanical strength and insulation ratings than unspliced conductors.
- C. Circumferential compression type connector (provide for splices and connections No. 6 AWG and larger):
 - 1. Use for incoming and outgoing cable connections at enclosures and for ground connections.
 - 2. Use manufacturer's approved tool and correct size hex head with embossed die number on the connector or lug.
 - 3. Make crimped indentions parallel with insulation putty.
 - 4. Fill voids and irregularities with insulation putty.

5. Cover nearly with four (4) layers of vinyl plastic tape except where insulated covers are permitted; half-lap tape in two (2) directions.

- D. Wiring at Outlets: Install conductor at each outlet, with at least 12 inches of slack.

3.5 IDENTIFICATION

- A. Identify and color-code conductors and cables according to Section 260553 "Identification for Electrical Systems."
- B. Identify each spare conductor at each end with identity number and location of other end of conductor and identify as spare conductor.

3.6 SLEEVE AND SLEEVE-SEAL INSTALLATION FOR ELECTRICAL PENETRATIONS

- A. Install sleeves and sleeve seals at penetrations of exterior floor and wall assemblies. Comply with requirements in Section 260544 "Sleeves and Sleeve Seals for Electrical Raceways and Cabling."

3.7 FIRESTOPPING

- A. Apply firestopping to electrical penetrations of fire-rated floor and wall assemblies to restore original fire-resistance rating of assembly according to the project specifications.

3.8 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Testing Agency: Owner will engage a qualified testing agency to perform tests and inspections.
- B. Testing Agency: Engage a qualified testing agency to perform tests and inspections.
- C. Manufacturer's Field Service: Engage a factory-authorized service representative to test and inspect components, assemblies, and equipment installations, including connections.
- D. Perform tests and inspections.
 1. After installing conductors and cables and before electrical circuitry has been energized, test service entrance and feeder conductors for compliance with requirements.

2. After installing conductors and cables and before electrical circuitry has been energized, test service entrance and feeder conductors and conductors feeding the following critical equipment and services for compliance with requirements:
 3. Perform each of the following visual and electrical tests:
 - a. Inspect exposed sections of conductor and cable for physical damage and correct connection according to the single-line/riser diagram.
 - b. Test bolted connections for high resistance using one of the following:
 - 1) A low-resistance ohmmeter.
 - 2) Calibrated torque wrench.
 - 3) Thermographic survey.
 - c. Inspect compression-applied connectors for correct cable match and indentation.
 - d. Inspect for correct identification.
 - e. Inspect cable jacket and condition.
 - f. Insulation-resistance test on each conductor for ground and adjacent conductors. Apply a potential of 500-V dc for 300-V rated cable and 1000-V dc for 600-V rated cable for a one-minute duration.
 - g. Continuity test on each conductor and cable.
 - h. Uniform resistance of parallel conductors.
 - i. Insulation resistance to comply with ICEA values.
 4. Initial Infrared Scanning: After Substantial Completion, but before Final Acceptance, perform an infrared scan of each splice in conductors No. 3 AWG and larger. Remove box and equipment covers so splices are accessible to portable scanner. Correct deficiencies determined during the scan.
 - a. Instrument: Use an infrared scanning device designed to measure temperature or to detect significant deviations from normal values. Provide calibration record for device.
 - b. Record of Infrared Scanning: Prepare a certified report that identifies switches checked and that describes scanning results. Include notation of deficiencies detected, remedial action taken, and observations after remedial action.
 5. Follow-up Infrared Scanning: Perform an additional follow-up infrared scan of each switch 11 months after date of Substantial Completion.
- E. Cables will be considered defective if they do not pass tests and inspections.
- F. Prepare test and inspection reports to record the following:

1. Procedures used.
2. Results that comply with requirements.
3. Results that do not comply with requirements, and corrective action taken to achieve compliance with requirements.

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SECTION 260526 - GROUNDING AND BONDING FOR ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Provide a complete grounding system in accordance with the Contract Documents and as specified herein.

1.2 SUBMITTALS

- A. Minimum 1/8" scale floor plan drawings depicting the building ground electrode system as to be installed.
- B. Detailed riser diagram depicting the building ground electrode system and bonding as to be installed.
- C. Product data sheets (cut sheets) for all ground bus bars and other components of the grounding system.
- D. Field test reports.

1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Testing Agency Qualifications: Certified by NETA.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

- A. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- B. Comply with UL 467 for grounding and bonding materials and equipment.

2.2 CONDUCTORS

- A. Insulated Conductors: Copper wire or cable insulated for 600 V unless otherwise required by applicable Code or authorities having jurisdiction.

B. Bare Copper Conductors:

1. Solid Conductors: ASTM B 3.
2. Stranded Conductors: ASTM B 8.
3. Tinned Conductors: ASTM B 33.
4. Bonding Cable: 28 kcmil, 14 strands of No. 17 AWG conductor, 1/4 inch in diameter.
5. Bonding Conductor: No. 4 or No. 6 AWG, stranded conductor.
6. Bonding Jumper: Copper tape, braided conductors terminated with copper ferrules; 1-5/8 inches wide and 1/16 inch thick.
7. Tinned Bonding Jumper: Tinned-copper tape, braided conductors terminated with copper ferrules; 1-5/8 inches wide and 1/16 inch thick.

- C. Grounding Bus: Predrilled rectangular bars of annealed copper, 1/4 by 4 inches in cross section, with 9/32-inch holes spaced 1-1/8 inches apart. Stand-off insulators for mounting shall comply with UL 891 for use in switchboards, 600 V and shall be Lexan or PVC, impulse tested at 5000 V.

2.3 CONNECTORS

- A. Listed and labeled by an NRTL acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction for applications in which used and for specific types, sizes, and combinations of conductors and other items connected.
- B. Welded Connectors: Exothermic-welding kits of types recommended by kit manufacturer for materials being joined and installation conditions.
- C. Bus-Bar Connectors: Compression type, copper or copper alloy, with two wire terminals.
- D. Beam Clamps: Mechanical type, terminal, ground wire access from four directions, with dual, tin-plated or silicon bronze bolts.
- E. Cable-to-Cable Connectors: Compression type, copper or copper alloy.
- F. Cable Tray Ground Clamp: Mechanical type, zinc-plated malleable iron.
- G. Conduit Hubs: Mechanical type, terminal with threaded hub.
- H. Ground Rod Clamps: Mechanical type, copper or copper alloy, terminal with hex head bolt.
- I. Lay-in Lug Connector: Mechanical type, aluminum or copper rated for direct burial terminal with set screw.

- J. Signal Reference Grid Clamp: Mechanical type, stamped-steel terminal with hex head screw.
- K. Straps: Solid copper, cast-bronze clamp or copper lugs. Rated for 600 A.
- L. Tower Ground Clamps: Mechanical type, copper or copper alloy, terminal two-piece clamp.
- M. U-Bolt Clamps: Mechanical type, copper or copper alloy, terminal listed for direct burial.
- N. Water Pipe Clamps:
 - 1. Mechanical type, two pieces with stainless-steel bolts.
 - a. Material: Die-cast zinc alloy.
 - b. Listed for direct burial.
 - 2. U-bolt type with malleable-iron clamp and copper ground connector.

2.4 GROUNDING ELECTRODES

- A. Ground Rods: Copper-clad steel; 3/4 inch by 10 feet.
- B. Ground Plates: 1/4-inch-thick, hot-dip galvanized.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 APPLICATIONS

- A. Conductors: Install solid conductor for No. 8 AWG and smaller, and stranded conductors for No. 6 AWG and larger unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Underground Grounding Conductors: Install bare copper conductor, No. 2/0 AWG minimum.
 - 1. Bury at least 24 inches below grade.
- C. Isolated Grounding Conductors: Green-colored insulation with continuous yellow stripe. On feeders with isolated ground, identify grounding conductor where visible to normal inspection, with alternating bands of green and yellow tape, with at least three bands of green and two bands of yellow.
- D. Grounding Bus: Install in electrical equipment rooms, in rooms housing service equipment, and elsewhere as indicated.

1. Install bus horizontally, on insulated spacers 2 inches minimum from wall, 6 inches above finished floor unless otherwise indicated.
2. Where indicated on both sides of doorways, route bus up to top of door frame, across top of doorway, and down; connect to horizontal bus.

E. Conductor Terminations and Connections:

1. Pipe and Equipment Grounding Conductor Terminations: Bolted connectors.
2. Underground Connections: Welded connectors except at test wells and as otherwise indicated.
3. Connections to Ground Rods at Test Wells: Bolted connectors.
4. Connections to Structural Steel: Welded connectors.

3.2 GROUNDING AT THE SERVICE

- A. Equipment grounding conductors and grounding electrode conductors shall be connected to the ground bus. Install a main bonding jumper between the neutral and ground buses.
- B. At utility transformer, ground per utility company requirements and standards.

3.3 EQUIPMENT GROUNDING

- A. Install insulated equipment grounding conductors with all feeders and branch circuits.
- B. Air-Duct Equipment Circuits: Install insulated equipment grounding conductor to duct-mounted electrical devices operating at 120 V and more, including air cleaners, heaters, dampers, humidifiers, and other duct electrical equipment. Bond conductor to each unit and to air duct and connected metallic piping.
- C. Water Heater, Heat-Tracing, and Antifrost Heating Cables: Install a separate insulated equipment grounding conductor to each electric water heater and heat-tracing cable. Bond conductor to heater units, piping, connected equipment, and components.
- D. Isolated Grounding Receptacle Circuits: Install an insulated equipment grounding conductor connected to the receptacle grounding terminal. Isolate conductor from raceway and from panelboard grounding terminals. Terminate at equipment grounding conductor terminal of the applicable derived system or service unless otherwise indicated.
- E. Isolated Equipment Enclosure Circuits: For designated equipment supplied by a branch circuit or feeder, isolate equipment enclosure from supply circuit raceway with a nonmetallic raceway fitting listed for the purpose. Install fitting where raceway enters

enclosure and install a separate insulated equipment grounding conductor. Isolate conductor from raceway and from panelboard grounding terminals. Terminate at equipment grounding conductor terminal of the applicable derived system or service unless otherwise indicated.

- F. Poles Supporting Outdoor Lighting Fixtures: Install grounding electrode and a separate insulated equipment grounding conductor in addition to grounding conductor installed with branch-circuit conductors.

3.4 INSTALLATION

- A. Grounding Conductors: Route along shortest and straightest paths possible unless otherwise indicated or required by Code. Avoid obstructing access or placing conductors where they may be subjected to strain, impact, or damage.
- B. Ground Rods: Drive rods until tops are 2 inches below finished floor or final grade unless otherwise indicated.
 - 1. Interconnect ground rods with grounding electrode conductor below grade and as otherwise indicated. Make connections without exposing steel or damaging coating if any.
 - 2. For grounding electrode system, install at least three rods spaced at least one-rod length from each other and located at least the same distance from other grounding electrodes, and connect to the service grounding electrode conductor.
- C. Bonding Straps and Jumpers: Install in locations accessible for inspection and maintenance except where routed through short lengths of conduit.
 - 1. Bonding to Structure: Bond straps directly to basic structure, taking care not to penetrate any adjacent parts.
 - 2. Bonding to Equipment Mounted on Vibration Isolation Hangers and Supports: Install bonding so vibration is not transmitted to rigidly mounted equipment.
 - 3. Use exothermic-welded connectors for outdoor locations; if a disconnect-type connection is required, use a bolted clamp.
- D. Grounding and Bonding for Piping:
 - 1. Metal Water Service Pipe: Install insulated copper grounding conductors, in conduit, from building's main service equipment, or grounding bus, to main metal water service entrances to building. Connect grounding conductors to main metal water service pipes; use a bolted clamp connector or bolt a lug-type connector to a pipe flange by using one of the lug bolts of the flange. Where a dielectric main water fitting is installed, connect grounding conductor on street

- side of fitting. Bond metal grounding conductor conduit or sleeve to conductor at each end.
2. Water Meter Piping: Use braided-type bonding jumpers to electrically bypass water meters. Connect to pipe with a bolted connector.
 3. Bond each aboveground portion of gas piping system downstream from equipment shutoff valve.
- E. Grounding for Steel Building Structure: Install a driven ground rod at base of each corner column and at intermediate exterior columns at distances not more than 60 feet apart.
- F. Ground Ring: Install a grounding conductor, electrically connected to each building structure ground rod and to each indicated item, extending around the perimeter of building area or item indicated.
1. Install tinned-copper conductor not less than No. 2/0 AWG for ground ring and for taps to building steel.
 2. Bury ground ring not less than 24 inches from building's foundation.
- G. Concrete-Encased Grounding Electrode (Ufer Ground): Fabricate according to NFPA 70; using electrically conductive coated steel reinforcing bars or rods, at least 20 feet long. If reinforcing is in multiple pieces, connect together by the usual steel tie wires or exothermic welding to create the required length.

3.5 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Perform tests and inspections with the assistance of a factory-authorized service representative.
- B. Tests and Inspections:
1. After installing grounding system but before permanent electrical circuits have been energized, test for compliance with requirements.
 2. Inspect physical and mechanical condition. Verify tightness of accessible, bolted, electrical connections with a calibrated torque wrench according to manufacturer's written instructions.
 3. Test completed grounding system at each location where a maximum ground-resistance level is specified, at service disconnect enclosure grounding terminal, and at individual ground rods. Make tests at ground rods before any conductors are connected.
 - a. Measure ground resistance no fewer than two full days after last trace of precipitation and without soil being moistened by any means other than natural drainage or seepage and without chemical treatment or other artificial means of reducing natural ground resistance.

- b. Perform tests by fall-of-potential method according to IEEE 81.
- 4. Prepare dimensioned Drawings locating each test well, ground rod and ground-rod assembly, and other grounding electrodes. Identify each by letter in alphabetical order, and key to the record of tests and observations. Include the number of rods driven and their depth at each location and include observations of weather and other phenomena that may affect test results. Describe measures taken to improve test results.
- C. Grounding system will be considered defective if it does not pass tests and inspections.
- D. Prepare test and inspection reports.
- E. Report measured ground resistances that exceed the following values:
 - 1. Power and Lighting Equipment or System with Capacity of 500 kVA and Less: 10 ohms.
 - 2. Power and Lighting Equipment or System with Capacity of 500 to 1000 kVA: 5 ohms.
 - 3. Power Distribution Units or Panelboards Serving Electronic Equipment: 3 ohm(s).
 - 4. Substations and Pad-Mounted Equipment: 5 ohms.
 - 5. Manhole Grounds: 10 ohms.
- F. Excessive Ground Resistance: If resistance to ground exceeds specified values, notify Architect promptly and include recommendations to reduce ground resistance.

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SECTION 260529 - HANGERS AND SUPPORTS FOR ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes:

1. Hangers and supports for electrical equipment and systems.
2. Construction requirements for concrete bases.

1.2 SUBMITTALS

A. Product Data: For each type of product.

1. Include construction details, material descriptions, dimensions of individual components and profiles, and finishes for the following:
 - a. Hangers.
 - b. Steel slotted support systems.
 - c. Nonmetallic support systems.
 - d. Trapeze hangers.
 - e. Clamps.
 - f. Turnbuckles.
 - g. Sockets.
 - h. Eye nuts.
 - i. Saddles.
 - j. Brackets.
2. Include rated capacities and furnished specialties and accessories.

B. Shop Drawings: For fabrication and installation details for electrical hangers and support systems.

1. Trapeze hangers. Include product data for components.
2. Steel slotted-channel systems.
3. Nonmetallic slotted-channel systems.
4. Equipment supports.
5. Vibration Isolation Base Details: Detail fabrication, including anchorages and attachments to structure and to supported equipment. Include adjustable motor bases, rails, and frames for equipment mounting.

- C. Coordination Drawings: Reflected ceiling plan(s) and other details, drawn to scale, on which the following items are shown and coordinated with each other, using input from installers of the items involved:
1. Suspended ceiling components.
 2. Structural members to which hangers and supports will be attached.
 3. Size and location of initial access modules for acoustical tile.
 4. Items penetrating finished ceiling, including the following:
 - a. Lighting fixtures.
 - b. Air outlets and inlets.
 - c. Speakers.
 - d. Sprinklers.
 - e. Access panels.
 - f. Projectors.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 SUPPORT, ANCHORAGE, AND ATTACHMENT COMPONENTS

- A. Steel Slotted Support Systems: Comply with MFMA-4 factory-fabricated components for field assembly.
1. Channel Width: 1-5/8 inches.
 2. Metallic Coatings: Hot-dip galvanized after fabrication and applied according to MFMA-4.
 3. Nonmetallic Coatings: Manufacturer's standard PVC, polyurethane, or polyester coating applied according to MFMA-4.
 4. Painted Coatings: Manufacturer's standard painted coating applied according to MFMA-4.
 5. Protect finishes on exposed surfaces from damage by applying a strippable, temporary protective covering before shipping.
 6. Channel Dimensions: Selected for applicable load criteria.
- B. Aluminum Slotted Support Systems: Comply with MFMA-4 factory-fabricated components for field assembly.
1. Channel Width: 1-5/8 inches.
 2. Nonmetallic Coatings: Manufacturer's standard PVC, polyurethane, or polyester coating applied according to MFMA-4.
 3. Painted Coatings: Manufacturer's standard painted coating applied according to MFMA-4.

4. Protect finishes on exposed surfaces from damage by applying a strippable, temporary protective covering before shipping.
 5. Channel Dimensions: Selected for applicable load criteria.
- C. Nonmetallic Slotted Support Systems: Structural-grade, factory-formed, glass-fiber-resin channels and angles with minimum 13/32-inch-diameter holes at a maximum of 8 inches o.c., in at least one surface.
1. Channel Width: 1-5/8 inches.
 2. Fittings and Accessories: Products provided by channel and angle manufacturer and designed for use with those items.
 3. Fitting and Accessory Materials: Same as those for channels and angles, except metal items may be stainless steel.
 4. Rated Strength: Selected to suit applicable load criteria.
 5. Protect finishes on exposed surfaces from damage by applying a strippable, temporary protective covering before shipping.
- D. Conduit and Cable Support Devices: Steel, Stainless-steel or Glass-fiber-resin hangers, clamps, and associated fittings, designed for types and sizes of raceway or cable to be supported.
- E. Support for Conductors in Vertical Conduit: Factory-fabricated assembly consisting of threaded body and insulating wedging plug or plugs for non-armored electrical conductors or cables in riser conduits. Plugs shall have number, size, and shape of conductor gripping pieces as required to suit individual conductors or cables supported. Body shall be made of malleable iron.
- F. Structural Steel for Fabricated Supports and Restraints: ASTM A 36/A 36M steel plates, shapes, and bars; black and galvanized.
- G. Mounting, Anchoring, and Attachment Components: Items for fastening electrical items or their supports to building surfaces include the following:
1. Powder-Actuated Fasteners: Threaded-steel stud, for use in hardened portland cement concrete, steel, or wood, with tension, shear, and pullout capacities appropriate for supported loads and building materials where used.
 2. Mechanical-Expansion Anchors: Insert-wedge-type, zinc-coated steel, for use in hardened portland cement concrete, with tension, shear, and pullout capacities appropriate for supported loads and building materials where used.
 3. Concrete Inserts: Steel or malleable-iron, slotted support system units are similar to MSS Type 18 units and comply with MFMA-4 or MSS SP-58.
 4. Clamps for Attachment to Steel Structural Elements: MSS SP-58 units are suitable for attached structural element.

5. Through Bolts: Structural type, hex head, and high strength. Comply with ASTM A 325.
6. Toggle Bolts: Stainless-steel springhead type.
7. Hanger Rods: Threaded steel.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 APPLICATION

- A. Comply with NECA 1 and NECA 101 for application of hangers and supports for electrical equipment and systems unless requirements in this Section are stricter.
- B. Comply with requirements for raceways and boxes specified in Section 260533 "Raceways and Boxes for Electrical Systems."
- C. Maximum Support Spacing and Minimum Hanger Rod Size for Raceway: Space supports for EMTs, IMCs, and RMCs as required by NFPA 70. Minimum rod size shall be 1/4 inch in diameter.
- D. Multiple Raceways or Cables: Install trapeze-type supports fabricated with steel slotted or other support system, sized so capacity can be increased by at least 25 percent in future without exceeding specified design load limits.

3.2 SUPPORT INSTALLATION

- A. Comply with NECA 1 and NECA 101 for installation requirements except as specified in this article.
- B. Strength of Support Assemblies: Where not indicated, select sizes of components so strength will be adequate to carry present and future static loads within specified loading limits. Minimum static design load used for strength determination shall be weight of supported components plus 200 lb.
- C. Mounting and Anchorage of Surface-Mounted Equipment and Components: Anchor and fasten electrical items and their supports to building structural elements by the following methods unless otherwise indicated by code:
 1. To Wood: Fasten with lag screws or through bolts.
 2. To New Concrete: Bolt to concrete inserts.
 3. To Masonry: Approved toggle-type bolts on hollow masonry units and expansion anchor fasteners on solid masonry units.
 4. To Existing Concrete: Expansion anchor fasteners.

5. To Steel: Welded threaded studs complying with AWS D1.1/D1.1M, with lock washers and nuts.
 6. To Light Steel: Sheet metal screws.
 7. Items Mounted on Hollow Walls and Nonstructural Building Surfaces: Mount cabinets, panelboards, disconnect switches, control enclosures, pull and junction boxes, transformers, and other devices on slotted-channel racks attached to substrate.
- D. Drill holes for expansion anchors in concrete at locations and to depths that avoid the need for reinforcing bars.

3.3 INSTALLATION OF FABRICATED METAL SUPPORTS

- A. Cut, fit, and place miscellaneous metal supports accurately in location, alignment, and elevation to support and anchor electrical materials and equipment.
- B. Field Welding: Comply with AWS D1.1/D1.1M.

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SECTION 260533 - RACEWAYS AND BOXES FOR ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes:

1. Metal conduits, tubing, and fittings.
2. Nonmetal conduits, tubing, and fittings.
3. Metal wireways and auxiliary gutters.
4. Nonmetal wireways and auxiliary gutters.
5. Surface raceways.
6. Boxes, enclosures, and cabinets.

1.2 DEFINITIONS

- A. EMT: Electrical metallic tubing
- B. FMC: Flexible metal conduit
- C. GRC: Galvanized rigid steel conduit.
- D. MC: Metal Clad Cable
- E. LFMC: Liquid-tight flexible metal conduit
- F. RNC: Rigid nonmetallic conduit

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For surface raceways, wireways and fittings, floor boxes, hinged-cover enclosures, and cabinets.
- B. Coordination Drawings: Conduit routing plans, drawn to scale, on which the following items are shown and coordinated with each other, using input from installers of items involved:
1. Structural members in paths of conduit groups with common supports.
 2. HVAC and plumbing items and architectural features in paths of conduit groups with common supports.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 METAL CONDUITS, TUBING, AND FITTINGS

- A. Listing and Labeling: Metal conduits, tubing, and fittings shall be listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- B. GRC: Comply with ANSI C80.1 and UL 6.
- C. MC: Comply with UL 1569 and NEC article 330.
- D. PVC-Coated Steel Conduit: PVC-coated rigid steel conduit.
 - 1. Comply with NEMA RN 1,
 - 2. External PVC Coating Thickness: 0.040 inch, minimum.
 - 3. Internal urethane coating Thickness: 0.002 inch, minimum.
 - 4. Hot dipped galvanized threads
 - 5. PVC Coating shall be of the same manufacturer of the conduit.
- E. EMT: Comply with ANSI C80.3 and UL 797.
- F. FMC: Comply with UL 1; single strip, continuous, flexible interlocked double-wrapped steel, galvanized inside and outside forming smooth internal wiring channel.
- G. LFMC: Flexible steel conduit with PVC jacket, UV stable, machine tool gray in color, lightweight aluminum core internal construction and complying with UL 360.
- H. Fittings for Metal Conduit Comply with NEMA FB 1 and UL 514:
 - 1. Conduit Fittings for Hazardous (Classified) Locations: Comply with UL 886 and NFPA 70.
 - 2. Fittings for EMT:
 - a. Material: Steel.
 - b. Type: Set screw.
 - 3. Expansion Fittings: PVC or steel to match conduit type, complying with UL 651, rated for environmental conditions where installed, and including flexible external bonding jumper.
 - 4. Fittings for PVC-coated Rigid Steel Conduits: Minimum PVC thickness of 0.040 inch, 0.002 inch thickness of internal urethane, overlapping sleeves protecting threaded joints. All conduit bodies shall be NEMA 4x Rated with encapsulated stainless steel screws.

5. Fittings for LFMC: Body, gland and lock nut shall be steel of malleable iron. Ground cone shall be steel, sealing ring and insulator shall be blue molded thermoplastic at 150°C (221°F) maximum.
6. Fittings for GRC: Threaded rigid steel conduit fittings. Comply with NEMA FB 2.10.
- I. Joint Compound for GRC: Approved, as defined in NFPA 70, by authorities having jurisdiction for use in conduit assemblies, and compounded for use to lubricate and protect threaded conduit joints from corrosion and to enhance their conductivity.

2.2 NONMETALLIC CONDUITS, TUBING, AND FITTINGS

- A. Listing and Labeling: Nonmetallic conduits, tubing, and fittings shall be listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- B. RNC: Type EPC-40-PVC for 90°C, complying with NEMA TC 2 and UL 651 unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Materials must have tensile strength of 7,000-7,200 psi at 73.4°F, flexural strength of 12,000 psi and compressive strength of 9,000 psi.
- D. Fittings for RNC: Comply with NEMA TC 3; match to conduit or tubing type and material.
- E. Raceway, fittings, and cement must be produced by the same manufacturer who must have had a minimum of ten (10) years' experience in manufacturing of these products.

2.3 METAL WIREWAYS AND AUXILIARY GUTTERS

- A. Description: Sheet metal, complying with UL 870 and NEMA 250, Type 1 unless otherwise indicated, and sized according to NFPA 70.
 1. Metal wireways installed outdoors shall be listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- B. Fittings and Accessories: Include covers, couplings, offsets, elbows, expansion joints, adapters, hold-down straps, end caps, and other fittings to match and mate with wireways as required for complete system.
- C. Wireway Covers: Hinged cover secured with captive screws unless otherwise indicated.
- D. Finish: Manufacturer's standard enamel finish NEMA 250 rated.

2.4 NONMETALLIC WIREWAYS AND AUXILIARY GUTTERS

- A. Listing and Labeling: Nonmetallic wireways and auxiliary gutters shall be listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- B. Description: Fiberglass polyester, extruded and fabricated to required size and shape, without holes or knockouts. Cover shall be gasketed with oil-resistant gasket material and fastened with captive screws treated for corrosion resistance. Connections shall be flanged and have stainless-steel screws and oil-resistant gaskets.
- C. Fittings and Accessories: Couplings, offsets, elbows, expansion joints, adapters, hold-down straps, end caps, and other fittings shall match and mate with wireways as required for complete system.
- D. Solvents and Adhesives: As recommended by conduit manufacturer.

2.5 SURFACE RACEWAYS

- A. Listing and Labeling: Surface raceways and tele-power poles shall be listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- B. Surface Metal Raceways:
 - 1. Refer to drawings for location(s), type(s), and quantity(s) of surface metal raceway.
 - a. Surface finish: be satin, anodized #204 type clear, Class R1 mil-Spec with minimum anodized finish of .004" unless otherwise noted.
- C. Surface Nonmetallic Raceways: Two- or three-piece construction, complying with UL 5A, and manufactured of rigid PVC with texture and color selected by Architect from manufacturer's standard colors. Product shall comply with UL 94 V-0 requirements for self-extinguishing characteristics.

2.6 BOXES, ENCLOSURES, AND CABINETS

- A. General Requirements for Boxes, Enclosures, and Cabinets: Boxes, enclosures, and cabinets installed in wet locations shall be listed for use in wet locations.
- B. Sheet Metal Outlet and Device Boxes: Comply with NEMA OS 1 and UL 514A.
- C. Cast-Metal Outlet and Device Boxes: Comply with NEMA FB 1.

- D. Nonmetallic Outlet and Device Boxes: Comply with NEMA OS 2 and UL 514C.
- E. Luminaire Outlet Boxes: Nonadjustable, designed for attachment of luminaire weighing 50 lb. Outlet boxes designed for attachment of luminaires weighing more than 50 lb shall be listed and marked for the maximum allowable weight.
- F. Small Sheet Metal Pull and Junction Boxes: NEMA OS 1.
- G. Cast-Metal Access, Pull, and Junction Boxes: Comply with NEMA FB 1 and UL 1773, cast aluminum with gasketed cover.
- H. Box extensions used to accommodate new building finishes shall be of same material as recessed box.
- I. Device Box Dimensions: 4 inches square by 2-1/8 inches deep.
- J. Gangable boxes are allowed.
- K. Cabinets:
 - 1. NEMA 250, Type 1 galvanized-steel box with removable interior panel and removable front, finished inside and out with manufacturer's standard enamel.
 - 2. Hinged door in front cover with flush latch and concealed hinge.
 - 3. Key latch to match panelboards.
 - 4. Metal barriers to separate wiring of different systems and voltage.
 - 5. Accessory feet where required for freestanding equipment.
 - 6. Nonmetallic cabinets shall be listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.

2.7 SOURCE QUALITY CONTROL FOR UNDERGROUND ENCLOSURES

- A. Handhole and Pull-Box Prototype Test: Test prototypes of handholes and boxes for compliance with SCTE 77. Strength tests shall be for specified tier ratings of products supplied.
 - 1. Tests of materials shall be performed by an independent testing agency.
 - 2. Strength tests of complete boxes and covers shall be by either an independent testing agency or manufacturer. A qualified registered professional engineer shall certify tests by manufacturer.
 - 3. Testing machine pressure gages shall have current calibration certification complying with ISO 9000 and ISO 10012 and traceable to NIST standards.

2.8 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Raceway and Fitting Manufacturers: subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following (no exceptions):

1. Wheatland Tube
2. Allied Tube & Conduit
3. Thomas & Betts
4. Hubble
5. Legrand
6. Calbond
7. Western Tube and Conduit
8. Republic Conduit

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 RACEWAY APPLICATION

- A. The following application must be adhered to. Raceways installed that are not conforming to this listing must be removed and replace with specified material at no additional expense.

Raceway Types	Applications
Galvanized Rigid Steel Conduit (GRC)	Where exposed to mechanical injury, where specifically required; indoors where exposed to moisture; where required by codes and for all circuits in excess of 600 volts. Outdoor locations, sump and ejector pits, elevator pits, loading docks, garage, rooftops and gymnasium.
PVC Coated Galvanized Rigid Steel Conduit (GRC)	Where exposed to extreme outdoor and indoor corrosion and or weather conditions: Stub out of Concrete applications. In applications where two (2) UL Listed Layers of Corrosion protection is required and Hot Dipped Galvanized Conduit as Primary Protection is listed PVC Coating is listed as Primary Corrosion is also UL Listed.
Electrical Metallic tubing	Use in every instance except where another

Raceway Types	Applications
(EMT)	material is not specified.
Metal Clad Cable (MC)	Lighting and receptacle branch circuits concealed in dry hollow spaces of a building. May not be used in areas where it would be subjected to physical damage, or where prohibited by Code.
Flexible Metal Conduit	Use in dry areas for connections to lighting fixtures in hung ceilings, connections to equipment installed in removable panels of hung ceilings; at all transformer or equipment raceway connections where sound and vibration isolation is required.
Liquid-Tight Flexible Metal Conduit	Use in areas subject to moisture where flexible metal conduit is unacceptable, at connections to all motors, and all raised floor areas.
Rigid Non-Metallic Conduit	Schedule 40 - Where raceways are in a slab below grade levels; for raceway duct banks. Schedule 80 - For underground raceways outside of the building which are not encased in concrete.
Wireways and Auxiliary Gutters	Where indicated on the Contract Documents and as otherwise specifically required.
Boxes and Enclosures	NEMA 250, Type 1, except use NEMA 250, Type 4 in kitchens and damp/or wet locations. Outdoors use NEMA 250, Type 3R.

- B. Provide separate raceways for all wiring systems, including security, data, paging, low voltage et al. All 480Y/277-volt wiring must be kept independent of 208Y/120 volt wiring. Emergency system wiring must be kept independent of the normal system wiring. Provide grounding conductor within all circuits. Minimum size 3/4-inch for home runs and 1-inch minimum for power distribution. Wiring of each type and system must be installed in separate raceways.
- C. Raceway Fittings: Compatible with raceways and suitable for use and location.
1. Rigid Galvanized Steel Conduit (GRC): Use threaded rigid steel conduit fittings. Comply with NEMA FB 2.10.

2. PVC Externally Coated, Rigid Steel Conduits: Use only fittings listed for use with this type of conduit. Patch and seal all joints, nicks, and scrapes in PVC coating after installing conduits and fittings. Use sealant recommended by fitting manufacturer and apply in thickness and number of coats recommended by manufacturer.
 3. EMT: Use setscrew steel fittings. Comply with NEMA FB 2.10.
 4. Flexible Conduit: Use only fittings listed for use with flexible conduit. Comply with NEMA FB 2.20.
- D. Do not install aluminum conduits, boxes, or fittings in contact with concrete or earth.
- E. Install surface raceways only where indicated on Drawings.
- F. Do not install nonmetallic conduit where ambient temperature exceeds 120 deg F.

3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Comply with NECA 1 and NECA 101 for installation requirements except where requirements on Drawings or in this article are stricter. Comply with NECA 102 for aluminum conduits. Comply with NFPA 70 limitations for types of raceways allowed in specific occupancies and number of floors.
- B. Keep raceways at least 6 inches away from parallel runs of flues and steam or hot-water pipes. Install horizontal raceway runs above water and steam piping.
- C. Complete raceway installation before starting conductor installation.
- D. Comply with requirements in Section 260529 "Hangers and Supports for Electrical Systems" for hangers and supports.
- E. Arrange stub-ups so curved portions of bends are not visible above finished slab.
- F. Install no more than the equivalent of three 90-degree bends in any conduit run except for control wiring conduits, for which fewer bends are allowed. Support within 12 inches of changes in direction.
- G. Conceal conduit and EMT within finished walls, ceilings, and floors unless otherwise indicated. Install conduits parallel or perpendicular to building lines.
- H. Support conduit within 12 inches of enclosures to which attached.
- I. Provide one (1) empty 3/4 inch raceway for each three (3) spare unused poles or spaces of each flush-mounted panelboard. Terminate empty 3/4 inch conduits in a junction

box, which after completion is accessible to facilitate future branch circuit extension. Provide pull lines in each raceway.

- J. Raceways in hung ceilings shall be installed on and secured to the slab or primary structural members of the ceiling, not to lathing channels or T-bars, Z-bars or other elements which are direct supports of the ceiling panels. Secure conduit firmly to the steel with clips and fittings designed for that purpose. Install as high as possible but not less than 1'-0" above the hung ceilings.
- K. Raceways Embedded in Slabs:
 - 1. Install no raceway in the concrete slab except with the permission of the Structural Engineer and written consent of the Owner.
 - 2. Do not install raceways larger than 1-1/4 inch size in structural concrete slabs.
 - 3. In no case will the installation of raceways be permitted to interfere with proper placement of principal reinforcement.
 - 4. Place raceways in the structural slabs between the upper and lower layers of reinforcing steel. Careful bending of the conduits is required.
 - 5. Space the raceways embedded in concrete slabs not less than eight (8) inches on centers and as widely spaced as possible where they converge at panels or junction boxes.
 - 6. Install raceways running parallel to slabs supports, such as beams, columns and structural walls, not less than 12 inches from such supporting elements.
 - 7. Secure saddle supports for conduit, outlet boxes, junction boxes, inserts, etc. with suitable adhesives during concrete pour of the slab to prevent displacement.
 - 8. Arrange raceways to cross building expansion joints at right angles with expansion fittings.
- L. Stub-ups to Above Recessed Ceilings:
 - 1. Use EMT for raceways.
 - 2. Use a conduit bushing or insulated fitting to terminate stub-ups not terminated in hubs or in an enclosure.
- M. Threaded Conduit Joints, Exposed to Wet, Damp, Corrosive, or Outdoor Conditions: Apply listed compound to threads of raceway and fittings before making up joints. Follow compound manufacturer's written instructions.
- N. Coat field-cut threads on PVC-coated raceway with a corrosion-preventing conductive compound prior to assembly.
- O. Raceway Terminations at Locations Subject to Moisture or Vibration: Use insulating bushings to protect conductors including conductors smaller than No. 4 AWG.

- P. Terminate threaded conduits into threaded hubs or with locknuts on inside and outside of boxes or cabinets. Install bushings on conduits up to 1-1/4-inch trade size and insulated throat metal bushings on 1-1/2-inch trade size and larger conduits terminated with locknuts. Install insulated throat metal grounding bushings on service conduits.
- Q. Install raceways square to the enclosure and terminate at enclosures with locknuts. Install locknuts hand tight plus 1/4 turn more.
- R. Do not rely on locknuts to penetrate nonconductive coatings on enclosures. Remove coatings in the locknut area prior to assembling conduit to enclosure to assure a continuous ground path.
- S. Cut conduit perpendicular to the length. For conduits 2-inch trade size and larger, use roll cutter or a guide to make cut straight and perpendicular to the length.
- T. Install pull wires in empty raceways. Use polypropylene or monofilament plastic line with not less than 200-lb tensile strength. Leave at least 12 inches of slack at each end of pull wire. Cap underground raceways designated as spare above grade alongside raceways in use.
- U. Surface Raceways:
 - 1. Install surface raceway with a minimum 2-inch radius control at bend points.
 - 2. Secure surface raceway with screws or other anchor-type devices at intervals not exceeding 48 inches and with no less than two supports per straight raceway section. Support surface raceway according to manufacturer's written instructions. Tape and glue are not acceptable support methods.
- V. Install raceway sealing fittings at accessible locations according to NFPA 70 and fill them with listed sealing compound. For concealed raceways, install each fitting in a flush steel box with a blank cover plate having a finish similar to that of adjacent plates or surfaces. Install raceway sealing fittings according to NFPA 70.
- W. Install devices to seal raceway interiors at accessible locations. Locate seals so no fittings or boxes are between the seal and the following changes of environments. Seal the interior of all raceways at the following points:
 - 1. Where conduits pass from warm to cold locations, such as boundaries of refrigerated spaces.
 - 2. Where an underground service raceway enters a building or structure.
 - 3. Where otherwise required by NFPA 70.
- X. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions for solvent welding RNC and fittings.

Y. Expansion-Joint Fittings:

1. Install in each run of aboveground RNC that is located where environmental temperature change may exceed 30 deg F and that has straight-run length that exceeds 25 feet. Install in each run of aboveground RMC and EMT conduit that is located where environmental temperature change may exceed 100 deg F and that has straight-run length that exceeds 100 feet.
2. Install type and quantity of fittings that accommodate temperature change listed for each of the following locations:
 - a. Outdoor Locations Not Exposed to Direct Sunlight: 125 deg F temperature change.
 - b. Outdoor Locations Exposed to Direct Sunlight: 155 deg F temperature change.
 - c. Indoor Spaces Connected with Outdoors without Physical Separation: 125 deg F temperature change.
3. Install fitting(s) that provide expansion and contraction for at least 0.00041 inch per foot of length of straight run per deg F of temperature change for PVC conduits. Install fitting(s) that provide expansion and contraction for at least 0.000078 inch per foot of length of straight run per deg F of temperature change for metal conduits.
4. Install expansion fittings at all locations where conduits cross building or structure expansion joints.
5. Install each expansion-joint fitting with position, mounting, and piston setting selected according to manufacturer's written instructions for conditions at specific location at time of installation. Install conduit supports to allow for expansion movement.

Z. Flexible Conduit Connections: Comply with NEMA RV 3. Use a maximum of 72 inches flexible conduit for recessed and semirecessed luminaires, equipment subject to vibration, noise transmission, or movement; and for transformers and motors.

1. Use LFMC in damp or wet locations subject to severe physical damage.
2. Use LFMC or LFNC in damp or wet locations not subject to severe physical damage.

AA. OUTLET, JUNCTION, AND PULL BOXES

1. Provide outlet, junction, and pull boxes as indicated on the Contract Documents and as required for the complete installation of the various electrical systems, and to facilitate proper pulling of the cables. Size the junction boxes and pull boxes per the NEC. Size the boxes on any empty conduit systems as if containing conductors of No.4 AWG.

2. The exact location of outlets and equipment is governed by the structural conditions and obstructions, or other equipment items. When necessary, relocate outlets so that when fixtures or equipment are installed, they will be symmetrically located according to the room layout and will not interfere with other work or equipment. Verify final location of outlets, panels equipment, etc., with the Architect prior to installation.
3. Back-to-back outlets in the same wall, or "thru-wall" type boxes are not permitted. Provide 12-inch minimum spacing for outlets shown on opposite sides of a common wall to minimize sound transmission.
4. Fit outlet boxes in finished ceilings or walls with appropriate covers, set flush with the finished surface. Where more than one (1) switch or device is located at one (1) point, use gang boxes and covers unless otherwise indicated. Sectional switch boxes or utility boxes are not permitted. Provide tile box or 4 inch square box with tile ring in masonry walls not plastered or furred. Where drywall material is utilized, provide plaster ring. Provide outlet boxes of type and size suitable for the specific application. Where outlet boxes contain two (2) or more 277 volt devices, or where devices occur of different applied voltages, or where normal and emergency devices occur in the same box, provide suitable barrier(s).
5. All outlet and device box depths shall have sufficient depth to prevent damage to the conductors when devices or utilization equipment are installed as intended in the box.
6. Types of Boxes and Fittings for Various Locations:

Location	Type
Outlet	Galvanized pressed steel
Outlet exposed to moisture or outdoors	Cast type conduit fitting
Splice	Galvanized pressed steel
Splice exposed to moisture or outdoors	Cast type conduit fitting or sheet metal (4½" x 5" x 3" minimum)
Pull or Junction	Cast type conduit fitting or sheet metal (4½" x 5" x 3" minimum)
Pull or Junction - Outdoors	Aluminum (4½" x 5" x 3" minimum)
Terminal	Sheet steel (6" x 6" x 3" minimum)
Terminal - Outdoors	Aluminum (6" x 6" x 3" minimum)

BB. PULL BOX SPACING

1. Provide pull boxes so no individual conduit run contains more than the equivalent of four (4) quarter bends (360° total).
2. Conduit Sizes 1¼" and Larger:
 - a. Provide boxes to prevent cable from being excessively twisted, stretched or flexed during installation.
 - b. Provide boxes so that maximum pulling tensions do not exceed the cable manufacturer's recommendations.
 - c. Provide support racks for boxes with multiple sets of conductors so that the conductors do not rest on any metal work inside the box.
3. Conduit Sizes 1 inch and Smaller, provide boxes at every (Maximum Distances):

Distance	Run Type
150 feet	straight runs
100 feet	runs with one (1) 90° bend or equivalent
75 feet	runs with two (2) 90° bends or equivalent
50 feet	runs with three (3) or (4) four 90° bends or equivalent.

- CC. Mount boxes at heights indicated on Drawings. If mounting heights of boxes are not individually indicated, give priority to ADA requirements. Install boxes with height measured to center of box unless otherwise indicated.
- DD. Recessed Boxes in Masonry Walls: Saw-cut opening for box in center of cell of masonry block, and install box flush with surface of wall. Prepare block surfaces to provide a flat surface for a raintight connection between box and cover plate or supported equipment and box.
- EE. Horizontally separate boxes mounted on opposite sides of walls so they are not in the same vertical channel.
- FF. Locate boxes so that cover or plate will not span different building finishes.
- GG. Support boxes of three gangs or more from more than one side by spanning two framing members or mounting on brackets specifically designed for the purpose.
- HH. Fasten junction and pull boxes to or support from building structure. Do not support boxes by conduits.
- II. Set metal floor boxes level and flush with finished floor surface.

- JJ. Set nonmetallic floor boxes level. Trim after installation to fit flush with finished floor surface.

3.3 INSTALLATION OF UNDERGROUND CONDUIT

A. Direct-Buried Conduit:

1. Excavate trench bottom to provide firm and uniform support for conduit. Prepare trench bottom as specified elsewhere in the project specifications for pipe less than 6 inches in nominal diameter.
2. Install backfill as specified elsewhere in the project specifications.
3. After installing conduit, backfill and compact. Start at tie-in point, and work toward end of conduit run, leaving conduit at end of run free to move with expansion and contraction as temperature changes during this process. Firmly hand tamp backfill around conduit to provide maximum supporting strength. After placing controlled backfill to within 12 inches of finished grade, make final conduit connection at end of run and complete backfilling with normal compaction as specified elsewhere in the project specifications.
4. Install manufactured rigid steel conduit elbows for stub-ups at poles and equipment and at building entrances through floor.
 - a. For stub-ups at equipment mounted on outdoor concrete bases and where conduits penetrate building foundations, extend steel conduit horizontally a minimum of 60 inches from edge of foundation or equipment base. Install insulated grounding bushings on terminations at equipment.
5. Underground Warning Tape: Comply with requirements in Section 260553 "Identification for Electrical Systems."

3.4 SLEEVE AND SLEEVE-SEAL INSTALLATION FOR ELECTRICAL PENETRATIONS

- A. Install sleeves and sleeve seals at penetrations of exterior floor and wall assemblies. Comply with requirements in Section 260544 "Sleeves and Sleeve Seals for Electrical Raceways and Cabling."

3.5 FIRESTOPPING

- A. Install firestopping at penetrations of all fire-rated floor and wall assemblies, per the project specifications.

3.6 PROTECTION

- A. Protect coatings, finishes, and cabinets from damage and deterioration.

1. Repair damage to galvanized finishes with zinc-rich paint recommended by manufacturer.
2. Repair damage to PVC coatings or paint finishes with matching touchup coating recommended by manufacturer.

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SECTION 260534 – MANHOLES AND HANDHOLES

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

A. This Section Includes the following:

1. Handholes.
2. Accessories.

1.2 DEFINITIONS

- A. Direct Buried: Duct or a duct bank that is buried in the ground, without any additional casting materials such as concrete.
- B. Duct: A single duct or multiple ducts. Duct may be either installed singly or as a component of a duct bank.
- C. Duct Bank:
1. Two or more duct installed in parallel, with or without additional casting materials.
 2. Multiple duct banks.
- D. GRC: Galvanized rigid (steel) conduit.
- E. Trafficways: Locations where vehicular or pedestrian traffic is a normal course of events.

1.3 SUBMITTALS

A. Product Data:

1. Manholes and handholes.
2. Accessories.
3. Warning tape.
4. Warning planks.

- B. Shop Drawings for Precast or Factory-Fabricated Underground Utility Structures: Include dimensioned plans, elevations, sections, details, attachments to other work, and

accessories, including frame and cover design, grounding detail, cable rack inserts, sumps and pulling irons.

1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Comply with the latest applicable provisions and latest recommendations of the governing codes and the Contract Documents.
- B. Power Utility Company Standards.
- C. U.L. Listing of all products.

1.5 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate layout and installation of manholes and handholes with the final arrangement of other utilities, site grading, and surface features as determined in the field.
- B. Coordinate elevations of manholes and handholes with final locations and profiles of ducts and duct banks as determined by coordination with other utilities, underground obstructions, and surface features.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 HANDHOLES

- A. Description: Factory-fabricated, reinforced pre-cast concrete, monolithically poured walls and bottom unless open-bottom enclosures are indicated. Frame and cover shall form top of the enclosure and shall have a load rating consistent with that of a handhole.
 - 1. Frame and Cover: Weatherproof cast-iron frame, with cast-iron cover with recessed cover hook eyes and tamper-resistant, captive, cover-securing stainless-steel bolts.
 - 2. Frame and Cover: Weatherproof steel frame, with steel cover with recessed cover hook eyes and tamper-resistant, captive, cover-securing stainless-steel bolts.
 - 3. Cover Legend: Molded lettering, "ELECTRIC." "COMMUNICATIONS."
 - 4. Configuration: Units shall be designed for flush burial and have a closed bottom.
 - 5. Extensions and Slabs: Designed to mate with the bottom of enclosure. Same material as the enclosure.

6. Windows: Precast openings in walls, arranged to match dimensions and elevations of approaching ducts and duct banks plus an additional 12 inches vertically and horizontally to accommodate alignment variations.
 - a. Window opening shall have cast-in-place, welded wire fabric reinforcement for field cutting and bending to tie in to concrete envelopes of duct banks.
 - b. Window openings shall be framed with at least two (2) additional No. 4 steel reinforcing bars in concrete around each opening.
7. Duct Entrances in Handhole Walls: Cast end-bell or duct-terminating fitting in wall for each entering duct.
8. Handholes shall have inserts for cable racks and pulling-in irons installed before concrete is poured.

B. Acceptable Manufacturers:

1. Quazite
2. Christy Concrete Products
3. Oldcastle Precast Group.
4. Utility Concrete Products, LLC.

2.2 HANDHOLES OTHER THAN PRECAST CONCRETE

A. Description: Comply with SCTE 77.

1. Configuration: Units shall be designed for flush burial and have closed bottom.
2. Cover: Weatherproof, secured by tamper-resistant locking devices and having structural load rating consistent with the enclosure.
3. Cover Finish: Nonskid finish shall have a minimum coefficient of friction of 0.50.
4. Cover Legend: Molded lettering, "ELECTRIC." "COMMUNICATIONS."
5. Direct-Buried Wiring Entrance Provisions: Knockouts equipped with insulated bushings.
6. Duct Entrance Provisions: Duct-terminating fittings shall mate with the entering ducts for secure, fixed installation in the enclosure wall.
7. Handholes shall have factory-installed inserts for cable racks and pulling-in irons.

B. Polymer Concrete Handholes with Polymer Concrete Cover: Molded of sand and aggregate, bound together with a polymer resin, and reinforced with steel or fiberglass or a combination of the two. Handholes shall comply with the requirements of SCTE 7 Tier loading applicable to the installation location.

1. Acceptable Manufacturers:
 - a. Quazite

- b. Armorcast Products Company.
 - c. Oldcastle Enclosure Solutions
 - d. Hubbell Power Systems
- C. Fiberglass Handholes with Polymer Concrete Frame and Cover: Sheet-molded, fiberglass-reinforced, polyester resin enclosure joined to polymer concrete top ring or frame.
 - 1. Acceptable Manufacturers:
 - a. Quazite
 - b. Armorcast Products Company.
 - c. Oldcastle Enclosure Solutions.
 - d. Hubbell Power Systems.
- D. Fiberglass Handholes: Molded of fiberglass-reinforced polyester resin, with covers of hot-dip galvanized-steel diamond plate.
 - 1. Acceptable Manufacturers:
 - a. Quazite
 - b. Oldcastle Enclosure Systems
 - c. Armorcast Products Company
 - d. Hubbell Power Systems.

2.3 CAST-IN-PLACE MANHOLES

- A. Description: Underground utility structures, constructed in place, complete with accessories, hardware, and features. Include concrete knockout panels for conduit entrance and sleeve for ground rod.
- B. Materials: Comply with ASTM C 858.
 - 1. Concrete shall have a minimum compressive strength of 3000 psi (20 MPa).

2.4 SOURCE QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Test and inspect precast concrete utility structures according to ASTM C 1037 and SCTE 77.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 GENERAL

- A. Excavation, shoring, bracing, back-filling and grading provided by other section.
- B. Manholes shall be constructed as shown on the Contract Drawings. Manholes shall not be constructed until final conduit grading has been determined, including any field changes required by underground interferences. Shop drawings shall be submitted for all manhole details that differ in any way from those shown on the Contract Drawings.
- C. Cables to be secured with tie-wraps. Cable racks shall be fiber.
- D. Provide a copper clad steel ground rod, 3/8 inch by 10 feet long, in each manhole. All noncurrent-carrying metal parts in manholes and handholes including metallic sheaths of cables, shall be connected to the ground rod by a bare copper ground conductor. Install the ground rod with top protruding 4 inches above manhole floor.
- E. Provide a cast iron sump frame and cover for each manhole. Provide 12-by 12-by 6-inch deep sump. Excavate below sump 6 inches and fill sump bottom with clean gravel. Slope floor of manhole 1/8-inch per foot to the edge of the sump.
- F. Waterproof exterior surfaces, joints, and interruptions of manholes after concrete has cured 28 days minimum.
- G. Attach cable racks to inserts after manhole.
- H. Manholes and handholes are shown on the Contract Documents in approximate locations. The exact location shall be field determined after careful consideration of other utilities, grading, and paving.
- I. In paved areas, set top of frame and cover flush with finished surface. In unpaved areas, set top of frame and cover approximately 1/2 inch above finished grade.
- J. The installation of manholes shall be in an excavated area free of obstructions for a minimum 6 inches around outside perimeter, with a 6 inch compact gravel base of uniform thickness and level. The preparation of the base shall insure no settlement. Backfill shall consist of good compactable material, such as pea gravel, sand or clean earth fill. Backfilling should be done progressively from bottom to top surface. Minimum earth cover from roof of manhole to finished grade shall be 8 inches.

- K. Concrete encased duct banks entering wall may be cast in the concrete or enter through opening of suitable dimensions and arrangement. Where openings are provided, caulk the space between duct bank and walls tight with lead wool or other suitable material. Reinforce iron of the ductbank to be connected to the wall.
- L. Flush end bells shall be mounted on side walls where duct enters.
- M. Duct entrances shall be carefully planned via the field for best application of cable pulling and racked. All cables shall be secured with tie-wraps to porcelain saddles.
- N. Waterproofing shall be done in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- O. Collar shall be cast concrete rings, stacked to required height. Set height in field per final grade elevations.

3.2 UNDERGROUND ENCLOSURE APPLICATION

- A. Handholes for 600 V and Less, Including Telephone, Communications, and Data Wiring:
 - 1. Units in Roadways and Traffic Paths: Precast concrete.
 - 2. Units in Driveway, Parking Lot, and Off-Roadway Locations, Subject to Occasional, Nondeliberate Loading by Heavy Vehicles: Polymer concrete, SCTE 77, Tier 22 structural load rating.
 - 3. Units in Sidewalk and Similar Applications with a Safety Factor for Nondeliberate Loading by Vehicles: Heavy-duty fiberglass units with polymer concrete frame and cover, SCTE 77, Tier 8 structural load rating.
 - 4. Units Subject to Light-Duty Pedestrian Traffic Only: Fiberglass-reinforced polyester resin, structurally tested according to SCTE 77 with 3000-lbf "Light-Duty" vertical loading.

3.3 EARTHWORK

- A. Excavation and Backfill: Do not use heavy-duty, hydraulic-operated, compaction equipment.
- B. Restore surface features at areas disturbed by excavation and reestablish original grades unless otherwise indicated on the Contract Documents. Replace removed sod immediately after backfilling is completed.

3.4 INSTALLATION OF CONCRETE MANHOLES AND HANDHOLES

A. Precast Concrete Handhole and Manhole Installation:

1. Comply with ASTM C 891 unless otherwise indicated.
2. Install units level and plumb and with orientation and depth coordinated with connecting ducts to minimize bends and deflections required for proper entrances.
3. Unless otherwise indicated, support units on a level bed of crushed stone or gravel, and compacted to same density as adjacent undisturbed earth.

B. Elevations:

1. Manhole Roof: Install with rooftop at least 15 inches below finished grade.
2. Manhole Frame: In paved areas and trafficways, set frames flush with finished grade. Set other manhole frames 1 inch above finished grade.
3. Install handholes with bottom below the frost line.
4. Handhole Covers: In paved areas and trafficways, set surface flush with finished grade. Set covers of other handholes 1 inch above finished grade.

C. Drainage: Install drains in bottom of manholes where indicated.

D. Manhole Access: Circular opening in manhole roof; sized to match cover size.

1. Manholes with Fixed Ladders: Offset access opening from manhole centerlines to align with ladder.
2. Install chimney, constructed of precast concrete collars and rings to support frame and cover and to connect cover with manhole roof opening.

E. Hardware: Install removable hardware, including pulling eyes, cable stanchions, and cable arms, and insulators, as required for installation and support of cables and conductors.

F. Fixed Manhole Ladders: Arrange to provide for safe entry with maximum clearance from cables and other items in manholes.

G. Field-Installed Bolting Anchors in Manholes and Concrete Handholes: Do not drill deeper than 3-7/8 inches for manholes and 2 inches for handholes, for anchor bolts installed in the field. Use a minimum of two anchors for each cable stanchion.

H. Warning Sign: Install "Confined Space Hazard" warning sign on the inside surface of each manhole cover.

3.5 INSTALLATION OF HANDHOLES OTHER THAN PRECAST CONCRETE

- A. Install handholes level and plumb and with orientation and depth coordinated with connecting ducts to minimize bends and deflections required for proper entrances. Use pull box extension if required to match depths of ducts, and seal joint between box and extension as recommended by the manufacturer.
- B. Unless otherwise indicated, support units on a level 6-inch- thick bed of crushed stone or gravel, graded and compacted to same density as adjacent undisturbed earth.
- C. Elevation: Set so cover surface will be flush with finished grade.
- D. Install removable hardware, including pulling eyes, cable stanchions, cable arms, and insulators, as required for installation and support of cables and conductors.
- E. Field-cut openings for ducts and conduits according to enclosure manufacturer's written instructions. Size holes for terminating fittings to be used, and seal around penetrations after fittings are installed.
- F. For enclosures installed in asphalt paving and subject to occasional, nondeliberate, heavy-vehicle loading, form and pour a concrete ring encircling, and in contact with, enclosure and with top surface screeded to top of box cover frame. Bottom of ring shall rest on compacted earth.
 - 1. Concrete: 3000 psi (20 kPa), 28-day strength.
 - 2. Dimensions: 10 inches wide by 12 inches or as indicated.

3.6 GROUNDING

- A. Ground underground ducts and utility structures.

3.7 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Perform the following tests and inspections:
 - 1. Test manhole and handhole grounding to ensure electrical continuity of grounding and bonding connections. Measure and report ground resistance as specified in this division."
- B. Correct deficiencies and retest as specified above to demonstrate compliance.

3.8 CLEANING

- A. Pull leather-washer-type duct cleaner, with graduated washer sizes, through full length of ducts. Follow with rubber duct swab for final cleaning and to assist in spreading lubricant throughout ducts.
- B. Clean internal surfaces of manholes, including sump. Remove foreign material.

END OF SECTION 260534

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SECTION 260543 – UNDERGROUND DUCTS AND RACEWAYS FOR ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes:

1. Metal conduits and fittings, including GRC and PVC-coated steel conduit.
2. Rigid nonmetallic duct.
3. Flexible nonmetallic duct.
4. Duct accessories.
5. Precast concrete handholes.
6. Polymer concrete handholes and boxes with polymer concrete cover.

1.2 DEFINITIONS

- A. Direct Buried: Duct or a duct bank that is buried in the ground, without any additional casing materials such as concrete.
- B. Duct: A single duct or multiple ducts. Duct may be either installed singly or as component of a duct bank.
- C. Duct Bank: Two or more ducts installed in parallel, with or without additional casing materials.
- D. GRC: Galvanized rigid (steel) conduit.
- E. Trafficways: Locations where vehicular or pedestrian traffic is a normal course of events.

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data:
1. Duct bank materials, including separators and miscellaneous components.
 2. Ducts and conduits and their accessories, including elbows, end bells, bends, fittings, and solvent cement.
 3. Warning tape.
 4. Warning planks.
- B. Shop drawings for dimension underground structure: including plans, elevations, sections, details, attachments to other work, and accessories, including the following:
1. Duct entry provisions, including locations and duct sizes.

2. Reinforcement details.
 3. Grounding details.
 4. Duct bank coordination drawings showing dimensioned duct profiles and coordination with other utilities and underground structures. Include plans and sections drawing to scale and show bends and locations of expansion fittings.
- C. Submittal results of field tests.
- D. Record documents: show dimensional locations of all underground ducts, handholes, and manholes.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 UNDERGROUND DUCT SYSTEM

- A. Contractor shall furnish and install raceways and fittings for an underground duct system, as indicated on the Contract Drawings and specified herein.
- B. All bends at underground duct system shall be per the manufacturer's bending requirements.
- C. The minimum bend radius for Telco carrier conduit, under any circumstances shall be greater than 12 times the conduit diameter. Comply with Utility Company requirements.
- D. Raceways shall transform from EPC (electrical plastic conduit) PVC to rigid galvanized steel conduit within 10 feet of any foundation walls. Run EPC PVC duct bank to the manholes. Contractor shall furnish and install proper couplings to accommodate aforementioned transition.
- E. Where offsets are required to clear obstructions and other underground services, a maximum of 5° angle will be allowed at duct joints.
- F. Ducts shall be installed so as to drain to the manholes. Ducts entering into the point of entry (P.O.E.) room shall be installed with upward slope of minimum of 0.125 inch/foot.
- G. All raceways as previously described shall utilize a mandrel of sufficient size to thoroughly clear raceways of all obstructions prior to the installation of any wiring.
- H. All excavation and backfill for the underground ductbank system shall be described under other sections of the project specifications.
- I. All conduits penetrating into the buildings shall be totally sealed in order to prevent any migration of water through the ductbank into the building.

- J. Prior to backfilling of the underground duct system, provide a yellow (with black, lettering) warning tape, 1'-0" from finished grade, stating, "CAUTION ELECTRIC LINE BURIED BELOW" above all electrical ductbank, and "CAUTION TELECOMMUNICATIONS CABLE BELOW" above all Telecom ductbank.

2.2 CONDUITS

- A. Rigid Steel Conduit: Galvanized. Comply with ANSI C80.1.
- B. PVC NEMA TC 2, Type EPC-40-PVC and Type EPC-80-PVC, UL 651, with matching fittings by the same manufacturer as the conduit, complying with NEMA TC 3 and UL 514B.

2.3 NON-METALLIC DUCTS AND DUCT ACCESSORIES

- A. General
- B. Schedule EPC-40-PVC conduit shall be used for all concrete encased duct banks.
- C. PVC conduits shall not be used within the building area unless otherwise noted.
- D. All penetrations through floor slabs or foundation walls shall be rigid steel conduits. No EPC conduit shall be used in or through any floor slab.
- E. PVC conduits shall not be allowed under paved areas, which are subjected to vehicular traffic. Concrete encased rigid steel conduit shall be used.
- F. Acceptable Manufacturers:
 - 1. Carlon Product Corporation
 - 2. Excelon
 - 3. Southern Pipe, Inc.

2.4 Duct Accessories:

- A. Duct Separators (Spacers)
 - 1. Factory-fabricated rigid PVC interlocking spacers, sized for type and sizes of ducts with which used, and selected to provide minimum duct spacings indicated while supporting ducts during concreting or backfilling.
 - 2. Duct bank shall be encased in concrete with at least three inches of concrete at the top and bottom and two inches on each side. A horizontal and vertical separation between the ducts of 3 inches shall be maintained by installing Underground Devices High Impact Polystyrene Spacers. Spacers shall be interlocked horizontally only. Along the length of the duct run spacers shall be

staggered at least 6 inches vertically and shall be placed at an interval of 4 spacers per 20 feet.

3. Telco carrier ducts shall be separated from electrical ducts by a minimum of 36" and shall cross electrical ductbanks at 90-degree angle only, when unavoidable.
4. In general, duct spacers should be of the type recommended by the conduit manufacturers and approved by the Utility Company. Maximum spacing for 4" - 6" conduits shall not exceed 10 feet.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 UNDERGROUND DUCT APPLICATION

- A. Ducts for Electrical Feeders 600 V and Less: NEMA Type EPC-80-PVC, in direct-buried duct bank unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Ducts smaller 2" and larger trade size for Electrical Branch Circuits: NEMA Type EPC-80-PVC, in direct-buried duct bank unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Underground Ducts for Telephone, Communications, or Data Utility Service Cables: NEMA Type EPC-80-PVC, in direct buried duct bank unless otherwise indicated.

3.2 EARTHWORK

- A. Excavation and Backfill: Do not use heavy-duty, hydraulic-operated, compaction equipment.
- B. Restore surface features at areas disturbed by excavation and reestablish original grades unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Restore areas disturbed by trenching, storing of dirt, cable laying, and other work.

3.3 DUCT INSTALLATION

- A. Concrete for conduit envelopes shall be as required or as specified under other Divisions of the project specifications. Red dye shall be added to concrete mixture. Concrete shall extend at least 3 inches beyond exterior surface of each conduit in bank.
- B. Concrete envelopes may be poured directly against sides of trenches provided the trench wall is clean, even and free of loose material. Remove loose dirt and extraneous material. Concrete shall be spaced during pouring to eliminate voids under and between conduits and to prevent honeycombing of exterior surfaces. Power-driven

tampers or agitators shall not be used. Secure bolts sufficiently to prevent movement during concrete placement.

- C. Concrete envelops between manholes, or between the manhole and building, shall be poured in a single operation. Where more than one (1) pour is necessary, provide $\frac{3}{4}$ inch reinforcing rod dowels extending 18 inches into concrete on each side of joint. Concrete envelopes installed over extensive area of disturbed earth shall have a separate concrete base.
- D. Concrete envelopes that cross other conduits or pipelines or are run under roads and driveways shall be reinforced. Provide reinforcement where envelopes connect to manhole and building walls. Concrete envelopes that terminate for future extension shall have dowels as specified for joints between pours. Reinforcement shall be as required; consult with the structural engineer.
- E. Trenches shall not be backfilled until concrete envelopes have had sufficient time to set. After concrete envelopes have set, nonmetallic conduits shall be cleared with mandrel of the same size as the conduit.
- F. Cap ends of spare conduits 5 feet beyond pavement and protect them from mechanical damage. Mark the location of conduit ends with concrete monuments, 6 inches in diameter by 18 inches long, set flush in the ground with "S/C" indented in the top.
- G. Arrange multiple conduits as shown on the Contract Drawings. Make minor changes in location, or cross-sectional arrangement as necessary. Where conduit runs cannot be installed as shown because of conditions not discoverable prior to digging of trenches, request the Architect's instructions before further work is done. Coordinate this work with other outside service work.
- H. Seal active and spare conduits that enter the building with oakum or other plastic expandable compound until conductors are ready for installation.
- I. Provide labeled pull string for all conduits.
- J. Slope: Pitch ducts a minimum slope of 0.125 inch/ft down toward the manholes and handholes and away from the buildings and equipment. Slope ducts from a high point in runs between two manholes to drain in both directions.
- K. Curves and Bends: Use 5-degree angle couplings for small changes in direction. Use manufactured long sweep bends with a minimum radius of 12 times the conduit diameter, both horizontally and vertically, at other locations unless otherwise indicated.
- L. Joints: Use solvent-cemented joints in ducts and fittings and make watertight according to manufacturer's written instructions. Stagger couplings so those of adjacent ducts do not lie in the same plane.

- M. Duct Entrances to Manholes and Concrete and Polymer Concrete Handholes: Use end bells, spaced approximately 10 inches on center for 5-inch ducts, and vary proportionately for other duct sizes.
- N. Building Wall Penetrations: Make a transition from underground duct to rigid steel conduit at least 10 ft. outside the building wall without reducing duct line slope away from the building and without forming a trap in the line. Use fittings manufactured for duct-to-conduit transition.
- O. Sealing: Provide temporary closure at terminations of ducts that have cables pulled. Seal spare ducts at terminations. Use sealing compound and plugs to withstand at least 15-psig (1.03-MPa) hydrostatic pressure.
- P. Pulling Cord: Install 100-lbf test nylon cord in ducts, including spares. Label each line.

3.4 Concrete-Encased Ducts:

- A. Support ducts on duct separators.
- B. Separator Installation: Space separators close enough to prevent sagging and deforming of ducts, with not less than 5 spacers per 20 ft. of duct. Secure separators to earth and to ducts to prevent floating during concreting. Stagger separators approximately 6 inches between tiers. Tie entire assembly together using fabric straps; do not use tie wires or reinforcing steel that may form conductive or magnetic loops around ducts or duct groups.
- C. Concreting Sequence: Pour each run of envelope between manholes or other terminations in one continuous operation.
- D. Pouring Concrete: Spade concrete carefully during pours. Use a plank to direct concrete down sides of bank assembly to trench bottom.
- E. Reinforcement: Reinforce concrete-encased duct banks where they cross disturbed earth and where indicated.
- F. Forms: Use walls of trench to form side walls of duct bank where soil is self-supporting; otherwise, use forms.
- G. Minimum Space between Ducts: 3 inches between ducts and exterior envelope wall, 2 inches between ducts for like services, and 4 inches between power and signal ducts.
- H. Depth: Install top of duct bank at least 24 inches below the finished grade in areas not subject to deliberate traffic, and at least 36 inches below finished grade in deliberate traffic paths for vehicles unless otherwise indicated.

- I. Stub-Ups: Use manufactured rigid steel conduit elbows for stub-ups at poles and equipment and at building entrances through the floor.
 - 1. Couple steel conduits to ducts with adapters designed for this purpose and encase coupling with 3 inches of concrete.
 - 2. For equipment mounted on outdoor concrete bases, extend steel conduit horizontally a minimum of 60 inches from edge of base. Install insulated grounding bushings on terminations at equipment.

3.5 Direct-Buried Duct and Duct Bank:

- A. Support ducts on duct separators coordinated with duct size, duct spacing, and outdoor temperature.
- B. Space separators close enough to prevent sagging and deforming of ducts, with not less than 5 spacers per 20 ft. of duct. Stagger spacers approximately 6 inches between tiers.
- C. Excavate trench bottom to provide firm and uniform support for duct bank.
- D. Install backfill.
- E. After installing first tier of ducts, backfill and compact. After placing last tier, hand-place backfill to 4 inches over ducts and hand tamp. Firmly tamp backfill around ducts to provide maximum supporting strength. After placing controlled backfill over final tier, make final duct connections at end of run and complete backfilling with normal compaction.
- F. Install ducts with a minimum of 3 inches between ducts for like services and 6 inches between power and signal ducts.
- G. Depth: Install top of duct bank at least 36 inches below finished grade unless otherwise indicated.
- H. Set elevation of bottom of duct bank below the frost line.
- I. Install manufactured rigid steel conduit elbows for stub-ups at poles and equipment and at building entrances through the floor.
 - 1. Couple steel conduits to ducts with adapters designed for this purpose and encase coupling with 3 inches of concrete.

2. For equipment mounted on outdoor concrete bases, extend steel conduit horizontally a minimum of 60 inches from edge of equipment pad or foundation. Install insulated grounding bushings on terminations at equipment.

3.6 GROUNDING

- A. Ground underground ducts in accordance with the "Grounding and Bonding of Electrical System" specification section.

3.7 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Perform the following tests and inspections:
 1. Demonstrate capability and compliance with requirements on the completion of installation of underground ducts and utility structures.
 2. Pull aluminum or wood test mandrel through each duct to prove joint integrity and test for out-of-round duct. Provide mandrel equal to 80 percent fill of duct. If obstructions are indicated, remove obstructions and retest.
 3. Grounding: Test manhole grounding to ensure electrical continuity of bonding and grounding connections. Measure ground resistance at each ground rod and report results. Use an instrument specifically designed for ground-resistance measurements.
 4. Water Tightness: Make internal inspection of manholes 3 months after completion of construction for indications of water ingress. Where leakage is noted, remove water and seal leak sources. Reinspect after 2 months and reseal remaining leak sources. Repeat process at 2-month intervals until leaks are corrected.
- B. Correct deficiencies and retest as specified above to demonstrate compliance.

3.8 CLEANING

- A. Pull leather-washer-type duct cleaner, with graduated washer sizes, through full length of ducts. Follow with rubber duct swab for final cleaning and to assist in spreading lubricant throughout ducts

END OF SECTION 260533

SECTION 260544 - SLEEVES AND SLEEVE SEALS FOR ELECTRICAL RACEWAYS AND CABLING

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes:

1. Sleeves for raceway and cable penetration of non-fire-rated construction walls and floors.
2. Sleeve-seal systems.
3. Sleeve-seal fittings.
4. Grout.
5. Silicone sealants.

1.2 SUBMITTALS

A. Product Data: For each type of product.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 SLEEVES

A. Wall Sleeves:

1. Steel Pipe Sleeves: ASTM A 53/A 53M, Type E, Grade B, Schedule 40, zinc coated, plain ends.
2. Cast-Iron Pipe Sleeves: Cast or fabricated "wall pipe," equivalent to ductile-iron pressure pipe, with plain ends and integral waterstop unless otherwise indicated.

B. Sleeves for Conduits Penetrating Non-Fire-Rated Gypsum Board Assemblies: Galvanized-steel sheet; 0.0239-inch minimum thickness; round tube closed with welded longitudinal joint, with tabs for screw-fastening the sleeve to the board.

C. PVC-Pipe Sleeves: ASTM D 1785, Schedule 40.

D. Molded-PVC Sleeves: With nailing flange for attaching to wooden forms.

E. Molded-PE or -PP Sleeves: Removable, tapered-cup shaped, and smooth outer surface with nailing flange for attaching to wooden forms.

F. Sleeves for Rectangular Openings:

1. Material: Galvanized sheet steel.
2. Minimum Metal Thickness:
 - a. For sleeve cross-section rectangle perimeter less than 50 inches and with no side larger than 16 inches, thickness shall be 0.052 inch.
 - b. For sleeve cross-section rectangle perimeter 50 inches or more and one or more sides larger than 16 inches, thickness shall be 0.138 inch.

2.2 SLEEVE-SEAL FITTINGS

- A. Description: Manufactured plastic, sleeve-type, waterstop assembly made for embedding in concrete slab or wall. Unit shall have plastic or rubber waterstop collar with center opening to match piping OD.

2.3 GROUT

- A. Description: Nonshrink; recommended for interior and exterior sealing openings in non-fire-rated walls or floors.
- B. Standard: ASTM C 1107/C 1107M, Grade B, post-hardening and volume-adjusting, dry, hydraulic-cement grout.
- C. Design Mix: 5000-psi, 28-day compressive strength.
- D. Packaging: Premixed and factory packaged.

2.4 SILICONE SEALANTS

- A. Silicone Sealants: Single-component, silicone-based, neutral-curing elastomeric sealants of grade indicated below.
1. Grade: Pourable (self-leveling) formulation for openings in floors and other horizontal surfaces that are not fire rated.
- B. Silicone Foams: Multicomponent, silicone-based liquid elastomers that, when mixed, expand and cure in place to produce a flexible, nonshrinking foam.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 SLEEVE INSTALLATION FOR NON-FIRE-RATED ELECTRICAL PENETRATIONS

- A. Comply with NECA 1.
- B. Comply with NEMA VE 2 for cable tray and cable penetrations.
- C. Sleeves for Conduits Penetrating Above-Grade Non-Fire-Rated Concrete and Masonry-Unit Floors and Walls:
 - 1. Interior Penetrations of Non-Fire-Rated Walls and Floors:
 - a. Seal annular space between sleeve and raceway or cable, using joint sealant appropriate for size, depth, and location of joint. Comply with requirements in Section 079200 "Joint Sealants."
 - b. Seal space outside of sleeves with mortar or grout. Pack sealing material solidly between sleeve and wall so no voids remain. Tool exposed surfaces smooth; protect material while curing.
 - 2. Use pipe sleeves unless penetration arrangement requires rectangular sleeved opening.
 - 3. Size pipe sleeves to provide 1/4-inch annular clear space between sleeve and raceway or cable unless sleeve seal is to be installed.
 - 4. Install sleeves for wall penetrations unless core-drilled holes or formed openings are used. Install sleeves during erection of walls. Cut sleeves to length for mounting flush with both surfaces of walls. Deburr after cutting.
 - 5. Install sleeves for floor penetrations. Extend sleeves installed in floors 2 inches above finished floor level. Install sleeves during erection of floors.
- D. Sleeves for Conduits Penetrating Non-Fire-Rated Gypsum Board Assemblies:
 - 1. Use circular metal sleeves unless penetration arrangement requires rectangular sleeved opening.
 - 2. Seal space outside of sleeves with approved joint compound for gypsum board assemblies.
- E. Roof-Penetration Sleeves: Seal penetration of individual raceways and cables with flexible boot-type flashing units applied in coordination with roofing work.
- F. Aboveground, Exterior-Wall Penetrations: Seal penetrations using steel pipe sleeves and mechanical sleeve seals. Select sleeve size to allow for 1-inch annular clear space between pipe and sleeve for installing mechanical sleeve seals.

- G. Underground, Exterior-Wall and Floor Penetrations: Install cast-iron pipe sleeves. Size sleeves to allow for 1-inch annular clear space between raceway or cable and sleeve for installing sleeve-seal system.

3.2 SLEEVE-SEAL-SYSTEM INSTALLATION

- A. Install sleeve-seal systems in sleeves in exterior concrete walls and slabs-on-grade at raceway entries into building.
- B. Install type and number of sealing elements recommended by manufacturer for raceway or cable material and size. Position raceway or cable in center of sleeve. Assemble mechanical sleeve seals and install in annular space between raceway or cable and sleeve. Tighten bolts against pressure plates that cause sealing elements to expand and make watertight seal.

3.3 SLEEVE-SEAL-FITTING INSTALLATION

- A. Install sleeve-seal fittings in new walls and slabs as they are constructed.
- B. Assemble fitting components of length to be flush with both surfaces of concrete slabs and walls. Position waterstop flange to be centered in concrete slab or wall.
- C. Secure nailing flanges to concrete forms.
- D. Using grout, seal the space around outside of sleeve-seal fittings.

END OF SECTION 260544

SECTION 260553 - IDENTIFICATION FOR ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes:

1. Color and legend requirements for raceways, conductors, and warning labels and signs.
2. Labels.
3. Bands and tubes.
4. Tapes and stencils.
5. Tags.
6. Signs.
7. Cable ties.
8. Paint for identification.
9. Fasteners for labels and signs.

1.2 SUBMITTALS

A. Product Data: For each type of product.

1. Include construction details, material descriptions, dimensions of individual components and profiles, and finishes for electrical identification products.

B. Identification Schedule: For each piece of electrical equipment and electrical system components to be an index of nomenclature for electrical equipment and system components used in identification signs and labels. Use same designations indicated on Drawings.

C. Delegated-Design Submittal: For arc-flash hazard study.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Comply with ASME A13.1 and IEEE C2.
- B. Comply with NFPA 70.

- C. Comply with 29 CFR 1910.144 and 29 CFR 1910.145.
- D. Comply with ANSI Z535.4 for safety signs and labels.
- E. Comply with NFPA 70E requirements for arc-flash warning labels.
- F. Adhesive-attached labeling materials, including label stocks, laminating adhesives, and inks used by label printers, shall comply with UL 969.
- G. Thermal Movements: Allow for thermal movements from ambient and surface temperature changes.
 - 1. Temperature Change: 120 deg F, ambient; 180 deg F, material surfaces.

2.2 COLOR AND LEGEND REQUIREMENTS

- A. Raceways and Cables Carrying Circuits at 600 V or Less:
 - 1. Black letters on an orange field.
 - 2. Legend: Indicate voltage and system or service type.
- B. Color-Coding for Phase- and Voltage-Level Identification, 600 V or Less: Use colors listed below for ungrounded service, feeder and branch-circuit conductors.
 - 1. Color shall be factory applied.
 - 2. Colors for 208/120-V Circuits:
 - a. Phase A: Black.
 - b. Phase B: Red.
 - c. Phase C: Blue.
 - 3. Colors for 240-V Circuits:
 - a. Phase A: Black.
 - b. Phase B: Red.
 - 4. Colors for 480/277-V Circuits:
 - a. Phase A: Brown.
 - b. Phase B: Orange.
 - c. Phase C: Yellow.
 - 5. Color for Neutral: White.
 - 6. Color for Equipment Grounds: Green.
 - 7. Colors for Isolated Grounds: Green with white stripe.
- C. Warning Label Colors:
 - 1. Identify system voltage with black letters on an orange background.

- D. Warning labels and signs shall include, but are not limited to, the following legends:
 - 1. Multiple Power Source Warning: "DANGER - ELECTRICAL SHOCK HAZARD - EQUIPMENT HAS MULTIPLE POWER SOURCES."
 - 2. Workspace Clearance Warning: "WARNING - OSHA REGULATION - AREA IN FRONT OF ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT MUST BE KEPT CLEAR FOR 36 INCHES."

2.3 LABELS

- A. Vinyl Wraparound Labels: Preprinted, flexible labels laminated with a clear, weather- and chemical-resistant coating and matching wraparound clear adhesive tape for securing label ends.
- B. Snap-around Labels: Slit, pretensioned, flexible, preprinted, color-coded acrylic sleeves, with diameters sized to suit diameters and that stay in place by gripping action.
- C. Self-Adhesive Wraparound Labels: Preprinted, 3-mil-thick, polyester or vinyl flexible label with acrylic pressure-sensitive adhesive.
 - 1. Self-Lamination: Clear; UV-, weather- and chemical-resistant; self-laminating, protective shield over the legend. Labels sized such that the clear shield overlaps the entire printed legend.
 - 2. Marker for Labels: Machine-printed, permanent, waterproof, black ink recommended by printer manufacturer.
- D. Self-Adhesive Labels: Polyester or Vinyl, thermal, transfer-printed, 3-mil-thick, multicolor, weather- and UV-resistant, pressure-sensitive adhesive labels, configured for intended use and location.
 - 1. Minimum Nominal Size:
 - a. 1-1/2 by 6 inches for raceway and conductors.
 - b. 3-1/2 by 5 inches for equipment.
 - c. As required by authorities having jurisdiction.

2.4 BANDS AND TUBES

- A. Snap-around, Color-Coding Bands: Slit, pretensioned, flexible, solid-colored acrylic sleeves, 2 inches long, with diameters sized to suit diameters and that stay in place by gripping action.
- B. Heat-Shrink Preprinted Tubes: Flame-retardant polyolefin tubes with machine-printed identification labels, sized to suit diameter and shrunk to fit firmly. Full shrink recovery occurs at a maximum of 200 deg F. Comply with UL 224.

2.5 TAPES AND STENCILS

- A. Marker Tapes: Vinyl or vinyl-cloth, self-adhesive wraparound type, with circuit identification legend machine printed by thermal transfer or equivalent process.
- B. Self-Adhesive Vinyl Tape: Colored, heavy duty, waterproof, fade resistant; not less than 3 mils thick by 1 to 2 inches wide; compounded for outdoor use.
- C. Tape and Stencil: 4-inch-wide black stripes on 10-inch centers placed diagonally over orange background and is 12 inches wide. Stop stripes at legends.
- D. Floor Marking Tape: 2-inch-wide, 5-mil pressure-sensitive vinyl tape, with black and white stripes and clear vinyl overlay.
- E. Underground-Line Warning Tape:
 - 1. Tape:
 - a. Recommended by manufacturer for the method of installation and suitable to identify and locate underground electrical and communications utility lines.
 - b. Printing on tape shall be permanent and shall not be damaged by burial operations.
 - c. Tape material and ink shall be chemically inert and not subject to degradation when exposed to acids, alkalis, and other destructive substances commonly found in soils.
 - 2. Color and Printing:
 - a. Comply with ANSI Z535.1, ANSI Z535.2, ANSI Z535.3, ANSI Z535.4, and ANSI Z535.5.
 - b. Inscriptions for Red-Colored Tapes: "ELECTRIC LINE, HIGH VOLTAGE".
 - c. Inscriptions for Orange-Colored Tapes: "TELEPHONE CABLE, CATV CABLE, COMMUNICATIONS CABLE, OPTICAL FIBER CABLE".
- F. Stenciled Legend: In nonfading, waterproof, black ink or paint. Minimum letter height shall be 1 inch.

2.6 TAGS

- A. Metal Tags: Brass or aluminum, 2 by 2 by 0.05 inch, with stamped legend, punched for use with self-locking cable tie fastener.
- B. Nonmetallic Preprinted Tags: Polyethylene tags, 0.015-inch-thick, color-coded for phase and voltage level, with factory printed permanent designations; punched for use with self-locking cable tie fastener.

C. Write-on Tags:

1. Polyester Tags: 0.010-inch-thick, with corrosion-resistant grommet and cable tie for attachment.
2. Marker for Tags: Machine-printed, permanent, waterproof, black ink marker recommended by printer manufacturer.

2.7 SIGNS

A. Baked-Enamel Signs:

1. Preprinted aluminum signs, punched or drilled for fasteners, with colors, legend, and size required for application.
2. 1/4-inch grommets in corners for mounting.
3. Nominal Size: 7 by 10 inches.

B. Metal-Backed Butyrate Signs:

1. Weather-resistant, nonfading, preprinted, cellulose-acetate butyrate signs, with 0.0396-inch galvanized-steel backing, punched and drilled for fasteners, and with colors, legend, and size required for application.
2. 1/4-inch grommets in corners for mounting.
3. Nominal Size: 10 by 14 inches.

C. Laminated Acrylic or Melamine Plastic Signs:

1. Engraved legend.
2. Thickness:
 - a. For signs up to 20 sq. in., minimum 1/16 inch.
 - b. For signs larger than 20 sq. in., 1/8 inch thick.
 - c. Engraved legend with black letters on white face.
 - d. Punched or drilled for mechanical fasteners with 1/4-inch grommets in corners for mounting.
 - e. Framed with mitered acrylic molding and arranged for attachment at applicable equipment.

2.8 CABLE TIES

A. General-Purpose Cable Ties: Fungus inert, self-extinguishing, one piece, self-locking, and Type 6/6 nylon.

1. Minimum Width: 3/16 inch.
2. Tensile Strength at 73 Deg F according to ASTM D 638: 12,000 psi.

3. Temperature Range: Minus 40 to plus 185 deg F.
 4. Color: Black, except where used for color-coding.
- B. UV-Stabilized Cable Ties: Fungus inert, designed for continuous exposure to exterior sunlight, self-extinguishing, one piece, self-locking, and Type 6/6 nylon.
1. Minimum Width: 3/16 inch.
 2. Tensile Strength at 73 Deg F according to ASTM D 638: 12,000 psi.
 3. Temperature Range: Minus 40 to plus 185 deg F.
 4. Color: Black.
- C. Plenum-Rated Cable Ties: Self-extinguishing, UV stabilized, one piece, and self-locking.
1. Minimum Width: 3/16 inch.
 2. Tensile Strength at 73 Deg F according to ASTM D 638: 7000 psi.
 3. UL 94 Flame Rating: 94V-0.
 4. Temperature Range: Minus 50 to plus 284 deg F.
 5. Color: Black.

2.9 MISCELLANEOUS IDENTIFICATION PRODUCTS

- A. Paint: Comply with requirements in painting Sections for paint materials and application requirements. Retain paint system applicable for surface material and location (exterior or interior).
- B. Fasteners for Labels and Signs: Self-tapping, stainless-steel screws or stainless-steel machine screws with nuts and flat and lock washers.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 PREPARATION

- A. Self-Adhesive Identification Products: Before applying electrical identification products, clean substrates of substances that could impair bond, using materials and methods recommended by manufacturer of identification product.

3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Verify and coordinate identification names, abbreviations, colors, and other features with requirements in other Sections requiring identification applications, Drawings, Shop Drawings, manufacturer's wiring diagrams, and operation and maintenance manual. Use consistent designations throughout Project.

- B. Install identifying devices before installing acoustical ceilings and similar concealment.
- C. Verify identity of each item before installing identification products.
- D. Coordinate identification with Project Drawings, manufacturer's wiring diagrams, and operation and maintenance manual.
- E. Apply identification devices to surfaces that require finish after completing finish work.
- F. Install signs with approved legend to facilitate proper identification, operation, and maintenance of electrical systems and connected items.
- G. System Identification for Raceways and Cables under 600 V: Identification shall completely encircle cable or conduit. Place identification of two-color markings in contact, side by side.
 - 1. Secure tight to surface of conductor, cable, or raceway.
- H. Auxiliary Electrical Systems Conductor Identification: Identify field-installed alarm, control, and signal connections.
- I. Emergency Operating Instruction Signs: Install instruction signs with white legend on a red background with minimum 3/8-inch-high letters for emergency instructions at equipment used for power transfer.
- J. Elevated Components: Increase sizes of labels, signs, and letters to those appropriate for viewing from the floor.
- K. Accessible Fittings for Raceways: Identify the covers of each junction and pull box of the following systems with the wiring system legend and system voltage. System legends shall be as follows:
 - 1. "EMERGENCY POWER."
 - 2. "POWER."
 - 3. "UPS."
- L. Vinyl Wraparound Labels:
 - 1. Secure tight to surface of raceway or cable at a location with high visibility and accessibility.
 - 2. Attach labels that are not self-adhesive type with clear vinyl tape, with adhesive appropriate to the location and substrate.
- M. Snap-around Labels: Secure tight to surface at a location with high visibility and accessibility.

- N. Self-Adhesive Wraparound Labels: Secure tight to surface at a location with high visibility and accessibility.
- O. Self-Adhesive Labels:
 - 1. On each item, install unique designation label that is consistent with wiring diagrams, schedules, and operation and maintenance manual.
 - 2. Unless otherwise indicated, provide a single line of text with 1/2-inch-high letters on 1-1/2-inch-high label; where two lines of text are required, use labels 2 inches high.
- P. Snap-around Color-Coding Bands: Secure tight to surface at a location with high visibility and accessibility.
- Q. Heat-Shrink, Preprinted Tubes: Secure tight to surface at a location with high visibility and accessibility.
- R. Marker Tapes: Secure tight to surface at a location with high visibility and accessibility.
- S. Self-Adhesive Vinyl Tape: Secure tight to surface at a location with high visibility and accessibility.
 - 1. Field-Applied, Color-Coding Conductor Tape: Apply in half-lapped turns for a minimum distance of 6 inches where splices or taps are made. Apply last two turns of tape with no tension to prevent possible unwinding.
- T. Tape and Stencil: Comply with requirements in painting Sections for surface preparation and paint application.
- U. Floor Marking Tape: Apply stripes to finished surfaces following manufacturer's written instructions.
- V. Underground Line Warning Tape:
 - 1. During backfilling of trenches, install continuous underground-line warning tape directly above cable or raceway at 6 to 8 inches below finished grade. Use multiple tapes where width of multiple lines installed in a common trench or concrete envelope exceeds 16 inches overall.
 - 2. Limit use of underground-line warning tape to direct-buried cables.
- W. Metal Tags:
 - 1. Place in a location with high visibility and accessibility.
- X. Nonmetallic Preprinted Tags:

1. Place in a location with high visibility and accessibility.

Y. Baked-Enamel Signs:

1. Attach signs that are not self-adhesive type with mechanical fasteners appropriate to the location and substrate.
2. Unless otherwise indicated, provide a single line of text with 1/2-inch-high letters on minimum 1-1/2-inch-high sign; where two lines of text are required, use signs minimum 2 inches high.

Z. Metal-Backed Butyrate Signs:

1. Attach signs that are not self-adhesive type with mechanical fasteners appropriate to the location and substrate.
2. Unless otherwise indicated, provide a single line of text with 1/2-inch-high letters on 1-1/2-inch-high sign; where two lines of text are required, use labels 2 inches high.

AA. Laminated Acrylic or Melamine Plastic Signs:

1. Attach signs that are not self-adhesive type with mechanical fasteners appropriate to the location and substrate.
2. Unless otherwise indicated, provide a single line of text with 1/2-inch-high letters on 1-1/2-inch-high sign; where two lines of text are required, use labels 2 inches high.

BB. Cable Ties: General purpose, for attaching tags, except as listed below:

1. Outdoors: UV-stabilized nylon.
2. In Spaces Handling Environmental Air: Plenum rated.

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SECTION 260923 - LIGHTING CONTROL DEVICES

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes:
 - 1. Photoelectric switches.
 - 2. Indoor occupancy and vacancy sensors.
 - 3. Switchbox-mounted occupancy sensors.

1.2 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product.
- B. Shop Drawings:
 - 1. Show installation details for the following:
 - a. Daylight-harvesting dimming controls.
 - b. Occupancy sensors.
 - c. Vacancy sensors.
 - 2. Interconnection diagrams showing field-installed wiring.
 - 3. Include diagrams for power, signal, and control wiring.

1.3 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Operation and Maintenance Data: For each type of lighting control device to include in operation and maintenance manuals.
- B. Software and Firmware Operational Documentation:
 - 1. Software operating and upgrade manuals.
 - 2. Program Software Backup: On USB media or on manufacturer's website. Provide names, versions, and website addresses for locations of installed software.
 - 3. Device address list.
 - 4. Printout of software application and graphic screens.

1.4 WARRANTY

- A. Manufacturer's Warranty: Manufacturer and Installer agree to repair or replace lighting control devices that fail(s) in materials or workmanship within specified warranty period.

1. Failures include, but are not limited to, the following:
 - a. Faulty operation of lighting control software.
 - b. Faulty operation of lighting control devices.
2. Warranty Period: Five (5) years from date of Substantial Completion.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 OUTDOOR PHOTOELECTRIC SWITCHES

- A. Description: Solid state, with dry contacts, to operate connected relay, contactor coils, or microprocessor input; complying with UL 773A, and compatible with ballasts and LED lamps.
 1. Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
 2. Light-Level Monitoring Range: 1.5 to 10 fc, with an adjustment for turn-on and turn-off levels within that range, and a directional lens in front of the photocell to prevent fixed light sources from causing turn-off.
 3. Time Delay: Fifteen-second minimum, to prevent false operation.
 4. Surge Protection: Metal-oxide varistor.
 5. Mounting: Twist lock complies with NEMA C136.10, with base-and-stem mounting or stem-and-swivel mounting accessories as required to direct sensor to the north sky exposure.
 6. Failure Mode: Luminaire stays ON.

2.2 INDOOR OCCUPANCY AND VACANCY SENSORS

- A. General Requirements for Sensors:
 1. Wall and Ceiling-mounted, solid-state indoor occupancy and vacancy sensors.
 2. Dual technology.
 3. Integrated or Separate power pack.
 4. Hardwired or Wireless connection to switch and BAS; and BAS and lighting control system.
 5. Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
 6. Operation:
 - a. Occupancy Sensor: Unless otherwise indicated, turn lights on when coverage area is occupied, and turn them off when unoccupied; with a time delay for turning lights off, adjustable over a minimum range of 1 to 30 minutes.

- b. Vacancy Sensor: Unless otherwise indicated, lights are manually turned on and sensor turns lights off when the room is unoccupied; with a time delay for turning lights off, adjustable over a minimum range of 1 to 30 minutes.
 - c. Combination Sensor: Unless otherwise indicated, sensor shall be programmed to turn lights on when coverage area is occupied and turn them off when unoccupied, or to turn off lights that have been manually turned on; with a time delay for turning lights off, adjustable over a minimum range of 1 to 30 minutes.
 - 7. Power: Low voltage or Line voltage.
 - 8. Mounting:
 - a. Sensor: Suitable for mounting in any position on a standard outlet box.
 - b. Relay: Externally mounted through a 1/2-inch knockout in a standard electrical enclosure.
 - c. Time-Delay and Sensitivity Adjustments: Recessed and concealed behind hinged door.
 - 9. Indicator: Digital display, to show when motion is detected during testing and normal operation of sensor.
 - 10. Bypass Switch: Override the "on" function in case of sensor failure.
 - 11. Automatic Light-Level Sensor: Adjustable from 2 to 100 fc; turn lights off when selected lighting level is present.
- B. Dual-Technology Type: Wall or Ceiling mounted; detect occupants in coverage area using PIR and ultrasonic detection methods. The particular technology or combination of technologies that control on-off functions is selectable in the field by operating controls on unit.
- 1. Sensitivity Adjustment: Separate for each sensing technology.
 - 2. Detector Sensitivity: Detect occurrences of 6-inch-minimum movement of any portion of a human body that presents a target of not less than 36 sq. in., and detect a person of average size and weight moving not less than 12 inches in either a horizontal or a vertical manner at an approximate speed of 12 inches/s.
 - 3. Detection Coverage: Select sensor(s) to provide full coverage of room and detect occupancy anywhere within the room where installed.

2.3 SWITCHBOX-MOUNTED OCCUPANCY SENSORS

- A. General Requirements for Sensors: Automatic-wall-switch occupancy sensor with manual on-off switch, suitable for mounting in a single gang switchbox.
- 1. Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.

2. Occupancy Sensor Operation: Unless otherwise indicated, turn lights on when coverage area is occupied, and turn lights off when unoccupied; with a time delay for turning lights off, adjustable over a minimum range of 1 to 30 minutes.
3. Operating Ambient Conditions: Dry interior conditions, 32 to 120 deg F.
4. Sensing Technology – Dual Technology.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine lighting control devices before installation. Reject lighting control devices that are wet, moisture damaged, or mold damaged.
- B. Examine walls and ceilings for suitable conditions where lighting control devices will be installed.
- C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

3.2 SENSOR INSTALLATION

- A. Comply with NECA 1.
- B. Coordinate layout and installation of ceiling-mounted devices with other construction that penetrates ceilings or is supported by them, including light fixtures, HVAC equipment, smoke detectors, fire-suppression systems, and partition assemblies.
- C. Install and aim sensors in locations to achieve not less than 90-percent coverage of areas indicated. Do not exceed coverage limits specified in manufacturer's written instructions.

3.3 WIRING INSTALLATION

- A. Comply with NECA 1.
- B. Wiring Method: Comply with Section 260519 "Low-Voltage Electrical Power Conductors and Cables." Minimum conduit size is 3/4 inch.
- C. Wiring within Enclosures: Comply with NECA 1. Separate power-limited and nonpower-limited conductors according to conductor manufacturer's written instructions.
- D. Size conductors according to lighting control device manufacturer's written instructions unless otherwise indicated.

- E. Splices, Taps, and Terminations: Make connections only on numbered terminal strips in junction, pull, and outlet boxes; terminal cabinets; and equipment enclosures.

3.4 IDENTIFICATION

- A. Identify components and power and control wiring according to Section 260553 "Identification for Electrical Systems."
 - 1. Identify controlled circuits in lighting contactors.
 - 2. Identify circuits or luminaires controlled by photoelectric and occupancy sensors at each sensor.
- B. Label time switches and contactors with a unique designation.

3.5 LIGHTING SYSTEM FUNCTIONAL TESTING

- A. The lighting control system manufacturer, manufacturer's authorized representative, or a qualified testing agency shall perform all functional testing required by the 2015 International Energy Conservation Code, Section C408.
- B. Functional Testing:
 - 1. Prior to passing final inspection, the manufacturer's authorized representative shall provide evidence that the lighting control systems have been tested to ensure that control hardware and software are calibrated, adjusted, programmed and in proper working condition in accordance with the construction documents and manufacturer's instructions.
- C. Occupancy Sensor Controls:
 - 1. Certify that the occupancy sensors have been located and aimed in accordance with manufacturer recommendations.
 - a. For projects with seven or fewer sensors, each sensor shall be tested.
 - b. For projects with more than seven sensors, testing shall be done for each unique combination of sensor type and space geometry. Where multiples of each unique combination of sensor type and space geometry are provided, not less than 10 percent, but in no case less than one, of each combination shall be tested. Where 30 percent or more of the tested controls fail, all remaining identical combinations shall be tested.
 - 2. For occupancy sensor controls to be tested, verify the following:
 - a. Where occupancy sensor controls include status indicators, verify correct operation.

- b. The controlled lights turn off or down to the permitted level within the required time.
- c. For auto-on sensors, the lights turn on to the permitted level when an occupant enters the space.
- d. For manual-on sensors, the lights turn on only when manually activated.
- e. The lights are not incorrectly turned on by movement in adjacent areas or by HVAC operation.

D. Documentation Requirements:

- 1. Documents certifying that the lighting controls meet documented performance criteria of the IECC are to be provided to the building owner within 90 days from the date of receipt of the certificate of occupancy.

3.6 TRAINING

- A. The lighting control system manufacturer or the manufacturer's authorized representative shall conduct formal training for all users of the automatic lighting control systems.

END OF SECTION 260923

SECTION 262726 - WIRING DEVICES

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes:

1. Straight-blade convenience, isolated-ground, and tamper-resistant receptacles.
2. GFCI receptacles.
3. Toggle switches.
4. Wall-box dimmers.
5. Wall plates.

1.2 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product.
- B. Samples: One for each type of device and wall plate specified, in each color specified.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 GENERAL WIRING-DEVICE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Wiring Devices, Components, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- B. Comply with NFPA 70.
- C. Devices for Owner-Furnished Equipment:
1. Receptacles: Match plug configurations.
 2. Cord and Plug Sets: Match equipment requirements.
- D. Source Limitations: Obtain each type of wiring device and associated wall plate from single source from single manufacturer.

2.2 STRAIGHT-BLADE RECEPTACLES

- A. Duplex Convenience Receptacles: 125 V, 20 A; comply with NEMA WD 1, NEMA WD 6 Configuration 5-20R, UL 498, and FS W-C-596.

- B. Isolated-Ground, Duplex Convenience Receptacles: 125 V, 20 A; comply with NEMA WD 1, NEMA WD 6 Configuration 5-20R, UL 498, and FS W-C-596.

- 1. Description: Straight blade; equipment grounding contacts shall be connected only to the green grounding screw terminal of the device and with inherent electrical isolation from mounting strap. Isolation shall be integral to receptacle construction and not dependent on removable parts.

- C. Tamper-Resistant Convenience Receptacles: 125 V, 20 A; comply with NEMA WD 1, NEMA WD 6 Configuration 5-20R, UL 498, and FS W-C-596.

2.3 GFCI RECEPTACLES

- A. General Description:

- 1. 125 V, 20 A, straight blade, feed-through type.
 - 2. Comply with NEMA WD 1, NEMA WD 6 Configuration 5-20R, UL 498, UL 943 Class A, and FS W-C-596.
 - 3. Include indicator light that shows when the GFCI has malfunctioned and no longer provides proper GFCI protection.

2.4 TOGGLE SWITCHES

- A. Comply with NEMA WD 1, UL 20, and FS W-S-896.

- B. Switches, 120/277 V, 20 A:

- C. Pilot-Light Switches: 120/277 V, 20 A.

- 1. Description: Single pole, with LED-lighted handle, illuminated when switch is off.

- D. Key-Operated Switches: 120/277 V, 20 A.

- 1. Description: Single pole, with factory-supplied key in lieu of switch handle.

- E. Single-Pole, Double-Throw, Momentary-Contact, Center-off Switches: 120/277 V, 20 A; for use with mechanically held lighting contactors.

- F. Key-Operated, Single-Pole, Double-Throw, Momentary-Contact, Center-off Switches: 120/277 V, 20 A; for use with mechanically held lighting contactors, with factory-supplied key in lieu of switch handle.

2.5 WALL-BOX DIMMERS

- A. Dimmer Switches: Modular, full-wave, solid-state units with integral, quiet on-off switches, with audible frequency and EMI/RFI suppression filters.
- B. Control: Continuously adjustable slider or toggle switch; with single-pole or three-way switching. Comply with UL 1472.
- C. Fluorescent Lamp Dimmer Switches: Modular; compatible with dimmer ballasts; trim potentiometer to adjust low-end dimming; dimmer-ballast combination capable of consistent dimming with low end not greater than 20 percent of full brightness.
- D. LED Lamp Dimmer Switches: Modular; compatible with LED lamps; trim potentiometer to adjust low-end dimming; capable of consistent dimming with low end not greater than 20 percent of full brightness.

2.6 WALL PLATES

- A. Single and combination types shall match corresponding wiring devices.
 - 1. Plate-Securing Screws: Metal with head color to match plate finish.
 - 2. Material for Finished Spaces: As selected by the Architect.
 - 3. Material for Unfinished Spaces: Galvanized steel.
 - 4. Material for Damp Locations: Cast aluminum with spring-loaded lift cover, and listed and labeled for use in wet and damp locations.
- B. Wet-Location, Weatherproof Cover Plates: NEMA 250, complying with Type 3R, weather-resistant, die-cast aluminum with lockable cover.

2.7 FINISHES

- A. Device Color:
 - 1. Wiring Devices Connected to Normal Power System: As selected by Architect unless otherwise indicated or required by NFPA 70 or device listing.
 - 2. Wiring Devices Connected to Emergency Power System: Red.
 - 3. SPD Devices: Blue.
 - 4. Isolated-Ground Receptacles: Orange.
- B. Wall Plate Color: As selected by the Architect.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Comply with NECA 1, including mounting heights listed in that standard, unless otherwise indicated.

TYPICAL MOUNTING HEIGHTS	
DEVICE	MOUNTING HEIGHT
Wall switches, card readers	48 inches above finished floor to center
Receptacle outlets, data outlets, CATV outlets	18 inches above finished floor to center
Receptacle outlets – above counter	42 inches above finished floor to center, or 8 inches to center above countertops
Wall telephone outlets	48 inches above finished floor to center
Clock outlets	96 inches above finished floor to center, or 6 inches below ceiling. Above doors, centered between door trim and ceiling

- B. Coordination with Other Trades:

1. Protect installed devices and their boxes. Do not place wall finish materials over device boxes and do not cut holes for boxes with routers that are guided by riding against outside of boxes.
2. Keep outlet boxes free of plaster, drywall joint compound, mortar, cement, concrete, dust, paint, and other material that may contaminate the raceway system, conductors, and cables.
3. Install device boxes in brick or block walls so that the cover plate does not cross a joint unless the joint is troweled flush with the face of the wall.
4. Install wiring devices after all wall preparation, including painting, is complete.

- C. Conductors:

1. Do not strip insulation from conductors until right before they are spliced or terminated on devices.
2. Strip insulation evenly around the conductor using tools designed for the purpose. Avoid scoring or nicking of solid wire or cutting strands from stranded wire.
3. The length of free conductors at outlets for devices shall meet provisions of NFPA 70, Article 300, without pigtails.
4. Existing Conductors:
 - a. Cut back and pigtail or replace all damaged conductors.

- b. Straighten conductors that remain and remove corrosion and foreign matter.
- c. Pigtailing existing conductors is permitted, provided the outlet box is large enough.

D. Device Installation:

- 1. Replace devices that have been in temporary use during construction and that were installed before building finishing operations were complete.
- 2. Keep each wiring device in its package or otherwise protected until it is time to connect conductors.
- 3. Do not remove surface protection, such as plastic film and smudge covers, until the last possible moment.
- 4. Connect devices to branch circuits using pigtails that are not less than 6 inches in length.
- 5. When there is a choice, use side wiring with binding-head screw terminals. Wrap solid conductor tightly clockwise, two-thirds to three-fourths of the way around terminal screw.
- 6. Use a torque screwdriver when a torque is recommended or required by manufacturer.
- 7. When conductors larger than No. 12 AWG are installed on 15- or 20-A circuits, splice No. 12 AWG pigtails for device connections.
- 8. Tighten unused terminal screws on the device.
- 9. When mounting into metal boxes, remove the fiber or plastic washers used to hold device-mounting screws in yokes, allowing metal-to-metal contact.

E. Receptacle Orientation:

- 1. Install ground pin of vertically mounted receptacles down, and on horizontally mounted receptacles to the right.

F. Device Plates: Do not use oversized or extra-deep plates. Repair wall finishes and remount outlet boxes when standard device plates do not fit flush or do not cover rough wall opening.

G. Dimmers:

- 1. Install dimmers within terms of their listing.
- 2. Verify that dimmers used for fan-speed control are listed for that application.
- 3. Install unshared neutral conductors on line and load side of dimmers according to manufacturers' device listing conditions in the written instructions.

H. Arrangement of Devices: Unless otherwise indicated, mount flush, with long dimension vertical. Group adjacent switches under single, multigang wall plates.

- I. Adjust locations of floor service outlets and service poles to suit arrangement of partitions and furnishings.

3.2 GFCI RECEPTACLES

- A. Install non-feed-through-type GFCI receptacles where protection of downstream receptacles is not required.

3.3 IDENTIFICATION

- A. Identify each receptacle with panelboard identification and circuit number. Use hot, stamped, or engraved machine printing with black-filled lettering on face of plate, and durable wire markers or tags inside outlet boxes.

3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Test Instruments: Use instruments that comply with UL 1436.
- B. Test Instrument for Convenience Receptacles: Digital wiring analyzer with digital readout or illuminated digital-display indicators of measurement.
- C. Tests for Convenience Receptacles:
 1. Line Voltage: Acceptable range is 105 to 132 V.
 2. Percent Voltage Drop under 15-A Load: A value of 6 percent or higher is unacceptable.
 3. Ground Impedance: Values of up to 2 ohms are acceptable.
 4. GFCI Trip: Test for tripping values specified in UL 1436 and UL 943.
 5. Using the test plug, verify that the device and its outlet box are securely mounted.
 6. Tests shall be diagnostic, indicating damaged conductors, high resistance at the circuit breaker, poor connections, inadequate fault current path, defective devices, or similar problems. Correct circuit conditions, remove malfunctioning units and replace with new ones, and retest as specified above.
- D. Wiring device will be considered defective if it does not pass tests and inspections.

END OF SECTION 262726

SECTION 262816 - ENCLOSED SWITCHES AND CIRCUIT BREAKERS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes:

1. Fusible switches.
2. Nonfusible switches.
3. Receptacle switches.
4. Shunt trip switches.
5. Molded-case circuit breakers (MCCBs).
6. Molded-case switches.
7. Enclosures.

1.2 SUBMITTALS

A. Product Data: For each type of enclosed switch, circuit breaker, accessory, and component indicated. Include nameplate ratings, dimensioned elevations, sections, weights, and manufacturers' technical data on features, performance, electrical characteristics, ratings, accessories, and finishes.

1. Enclosure types and details for types other than NEMA 250, Type 1.
2. Current and voltage ratings.
3. Short-circuit current ratings (interrupting and withstand, as appropriate).
4. Detail features, characteristics, ratings, and factory settings of individual overcurrent protective devices, accessories, and auxiliary components.
5. Include time-current coordination curves (average melt) for each type and rating of overcurrent protective device; include selectable ranges for each type of overcurrent protective device. Provide in PDF electronic format.

B. Shop Drawings: For enclosed switches and circuit breakers.

1. Include plans, elevations, sections, details, and attachments to other work.
2. Include wiring diagrams for power, signal, and control wiring.

1.3 MAINTENANCE MATERIAL SUBMITTALS

A. Furnish extra materials that match products installed and that are packaged with protective covering for storage and identified with labels describing contents.

1. Fuses: Equal to 10 percent of quantity installed for each size and type, but no fewer than three of each size and type.
2. Fuse Pullers: Two for each size and type.

1.4 FIELD CONDITIONS

- A. Environmental Limitations: Rate equipment for continuous operation under the following conditions unless otherwise indicated:
 1. Ambient Temperature: Not less than minus 22 deg F and not exceeding 104 deg F.
 2. Altitude: Not exceeding 6600 feet.

1.5 WARRANTY

- A. Manufacturer's Warranty: Manufacturer and Installer agree to repair or replace components that fail in materials or workmanship within specified warranty period.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. Source Limitations: Obtain enclosed switches and circuit breakers, overcurrent protective devices, components, and accessories, within same product category, from single manufacturer.
- B. Product Selection for Restricted Space: Drawings indicate maximum dimensions for enclosed switches and circuit breakers, including clearances between enclosures, and adjacent surfaces and other items. Comply with indicated maximum dimensions.
- C. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by an NRTL, and marked for intended location and application.
- D. Comply with NFPA 70.

2.2 NONFUSIBLE SWITCHES

- A. Manufacturer shall be the same as the switchboards and panelboards.
- B. Type HD, Heavy Duty, Three Pole, Single Throw, 600-V ac, 1200 A and Smaller: UL 98 and NEMA KS 1, horsepower rated, lockable handle with capability to accept three padlocks, and interlocked with cover in closed position.

- C. Type HD, Heavy Duty, Six Pole, Single Throw, 600-V ac, 200 A and Smaller: UL 98 and NEMA KS 1, horsepower rated, lockable handle with capability to accept three padlocks, and interlocked with cover in closed position.
- D. Accessories:
 - 1. Equipment Ground Kit: Internally mounted and labeled for copper and aluminum ground conductors.
 - 2. Neutral Kit: Internally mounted; insulated, capable of being grounded and bonded; labeled for copper and aluminum neutral conductors.
 - 3. Class R Fuse Kit: Provides rejection of other fuse types when Class R fuses are specified.
 - 4. Lugs: Mechanical type, suitable for number, size, and conductor material.
 - 5. Service-Rated Switches: Labeled for use as service equipment.

2.3 MOLDED-CASE CIRCUIT BREAKERS

- A. Manufacturer shall be the same as the switchboards and panelboards.
- B. Circuit breakers shall be constructed using glass-reinforced insulating material. Current carrying components shall be completely isolated from the handle and the accessory mounting area.
- C. Circuit breakers shall have a toggle operating mechanism with common tripping of all poles, which provides quick-make, quick-break contact action. The circuit-breaker handle shall be over center, be trip free, and reside in a tripped position between on and off to provide local trip indication. Circuit-breaker escutcheon shall be clearly marked on and off in addition to providing international I/O markings. Equip circuit breaker with a push-to-trip button, located on the face of the circuit breaker to mechanically operate the circuit-breaker tripping mechanism for maintenance and testing purposes.
- D. The maximum ampere rating and UL, IEC, or other certification standards with applicable voltage systems and corresponding interrupting ratings shall be clearly marked on face of circuit breaker. Circuit breakers shall be 100 percent rated.
- E. MCCBs shall be equipped with a device for locking in the isolated position.
- F. Lugs shall be suitable for 194 deg F rated wire, sized according to the 167 deg F (75 deg C) temperature rating in NFPA 70.
- G. Standards: Comply with UL 489 and NEMA AB 3, with interrupting capacity to comply with available fault currents.

- H. Thermal-Magnetic Circuit Breakers: Inverse time-current thermal element for low-level overloads and instantaneous magnetic trip element for short circuits. Adjustable magnetic trip setting for circuit-breaker frame sizes 250 A and larger.
- I. Adjustable, Instantaneous-Trip Circuit Breakers: Magnetic trip element with front-mounted, field-adjustable trip setting.
- J. Electronic Trip Circuit Breakers: Field-replaceable rating plug, rms sensing, with the following field-adjustable settings:
 - 1. Instantaneous trip.
 - 2. Long- and short-time pickup levels.
 - 3. Long- and short-time time adjustments.
 - 4. Ground-fault pickup level, time delay, and I-squared t response.
- K. Current-Limiting Circuit Breakers: Frame sizes 400 A and smaller, and let-through ratings less than NEMA FU 1, RK-5.
- L. Integrally Fused Circuit Breakers: Thermal-magnetic trip element with integral limiter-style fuse listed for use with circuit breaker and trip activation on fuse opening or on opening of fuse compartment door.
- M. Ground-Fault Circuit-Interrupter (GFCI) Circuit Breakers: Single- and two-pole configurations with Class A ground-fault protection (6-mA trip).
- N. Ground-Fault Equipment-Protection (GFEP) Circuit Breakers: With Class B ground-fault protection (30-mA trip).
- O. Features and Accessories:
 - 1. Standard frame sizes, trip ratings, and number of poles.
 - 2. Lugs: Mechanical or Compression type, suitable for number, size, trip ratings, and conductor material.
 - 3. Application Listing: Appropriate for application; Type SWD for switching fluorescent lighting loads; Type HID for feeding fluorescent and high-intensity discharge lighting circuits.
 - 4. Ground-Fault Protection: Comply with UL 1053; integrally mounted, self-powered type with mechanical ground-fault indicator; relay with adjustable pickup and time-delay settings, push-to-test feature, internal memory, and shunt trip unit; and three-phase, zero-sequence current transformer/sensor.
 - 5. Communication Capability: Integral communication module with functions and features compatible with power monitoring and control system.
 - 6. Shunt Trip: Trip coil energized from separate circuit, with coil-clearing contact.

7. Undervoltage Trip: Set to operate at 35 to 75 percent of rated voltage without intentional time delay.
8. Alarm Switch: One NO/NC contact that operates only when circuit breaker has tripped.
9. Key Interlock Kit: Externally mounted to prohibit circuit-breaker operation; key shall be removable only when circuit breaker is in off position.
10. Zone-Selective Interlocking: Integral with electronic trip unit; for interlocking ground-fault protection function.
11. Electrical Operator: Provide remote control for on, off, and reset operations.

2.4 MOLDED-CASE SWITCHES

- A. Manufacturer shall be the same as the switchboards and panelboards.
- B. Description: MCCB with fixed, high-set instantaneous trip only, and short-circuit withstand rating equal to equivalent breaker frame size interrupting rating.
- C. Features and Accessories:
 1. Standard frame sizes and number of poles.
 2. Lugs:
 - a. Mechanical or Compression type, suitable for number, size, trip ratings, and conductor material.
 - b. Lugs shall be suitable for 194 deg F rated wire, sized according to the 167 deg F temperature rating in NFPA 70.
 3. Ground-Fault Protection: Comply with UL 1053; remote-mounted and powered type with mechanical ground-fault indicator; relay with adjustable pickup and time-delay settings, push-to-test feature, internal memory, and shunt trip unit; and three-phase, zero-sequence current transformer/sensor.
 4. Shunt Trip: Trip coil energized from separate circuit, with coil-clearing contact.
 5. Undervoltage Trip: Set to operate at 35 to 75 percent of rated voltage without intentional time delay.
 6. Alarm Switch: One NO/NC contact that operates only when switch has tripped.
 7. Key Interlock Kit: Externally mounted to prohibit switch operation; key shall be removable only when switch is in off position.
 8. Zone-Selective Interlocking: Integral with ground-fault shunt trip unit; for interlocking ground-fault protection function.
 9. Electrical Operator: Provide remote control for on, off, and reset operations.

2.5 ENCLOSURES

- A. Enclosed Switches and Circuit Breakers: UL 489, NEMA KS 1, NEMA 250, and UL 50, to comply with environmental conditions at installed location.

- B. Enclosure Finish: The enclosure shall be finished with gray baked enamel paint, electrodeposited on cleaned, phosphatized steel (NEMA 250 Type 1) gray baked enamel paint, or electrodeposited on cleaned, phosphatized galvanized steel (NEMA 250 Types 3R, 12).
- C. Conduit Entry: NEMA 250 Types 4, 4X, and 12 enclosures shall contain no knockouts. NEMA 250 Types 7 and 9 enclosures shall be provided with threaded conduit openings in both endwalls.
- D. Enclosures designated as NEMA 250 Type 4, 4X stainless steel, 12, or 12K shall have a dual cover interlock mechanism to prevent unintentional opening of the enclosure cover when the circuit breaker is ON and to prevent turning the circuit breaker ON when the enclosure cover is open.
- E. NEMA 250 Type 7/9 enclosures shall be furnished with a breather and drain kit to allow their use in outdoor and wet location applications.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine elements and surfaces to receive enclosed switches and circuit breakers for compliance with installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
- B. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.
 - 1. Commencement of work shall indicate Installer's acceptance of the areas and conditions as satisfactory.

3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Interruption of Existing Electric Service: Do not interrupt electric service to facilities occupied by Owner or others unless permitted under the following conditions and then only after arranging to provide temporary electric service according to requirements indicated:
 - 1. Notify Owner no fewer than five business days in advance of proposed interruption of electric service.
 - 2. Indicate method of providing temporary electric service.
 - 3. Do not proceed with interruption of electric service without Owner's written permission.
 - 4. Comply with NFPA 70E.

3.3 ENCLOSURE ENVIRONMENTAL RATING APPLICATIONS

- A. Enclosed Switches and Circuit Breakers: Provide enclosures at installed locations with the following environmental ratings.
 - 1. Indoor, Dry and Clean Locations: NEMA 250, Type 1.
 - 2. Outdoor Locations: NEMA 250, Type 3.
 - 3. Kitchen and Wash-Down Areas: NEMA 250, Type 4X, stainless steel.
 - 4. Other Wet or Damp, Indoor Locations: NEMA 250, Type 4.
 - 5. Indoor Locations Subject to Dust, Falling Dirt, and Dripping Noncorrosive Liquids: NEMA 250, Type 12.

3.4 INSTALLATION

- A. Coordinate layout and installation of switches, circuit breakers, and components with equipment served and adjacent surfaces. Maintain code required workspace clearances and required clearances for equipment access doors and panels, regardless of location indicated on the drawings.
- B. Install individual wall-mounted switches and circuit breakers with tops at uniform height unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Temporary Lifting Provisions: Remove temporary lifting of eyes, channels, and brackets and temporary blocking of moving parts from enclosures and components.
- D. Install fuses in fusible devices.
- E. Comply with NFPA 70 and NECA 1.

3.5 ADJUSTING

- A. Adjust moving parts and operable components to function smoothly, and lubricate as recommended by manufacturer.
- B. Set field-adjustable circuit-breaker trip ranges as specified in the Electrical Power System Study, required per specification section 260573 and furnished by the Electrical Contractor.

END OF SECTION 262816

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SECTION 265119 - LED INTERIOR LIGHTING

PART 1 - PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes the following types of LED luminaires:

1. Lighting Fixtures.
2. Materials.
3. Finishes.
4. Fixture support.

1.2 DEFINITIONS

- A. CCT: Correlated color temperature.
- B. CRI: Color Rendering Index.
- C. Fixture: See "Luminaire."
- D. IP: International Protection or Ingress Protection Rating.
- E. LED: Light-emitting diode.
- F. Lumen: Measured output of lamp and luminaire, or both.
- G. Luminaire: Complete lighting unit, including lamp, reflector, and housing.

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product.
1. Arrange in order of luminaire designation.
 2. Include data on features, accessories, and finishes.
 3. Include physical description and dimensions of luminaires.
 4. Include emergency lighting units, including batteries and chargers.
 5. Include life, output (lumens, CCT, and CRI), and energy efficiency data.
 6. Photometric data and adjustment factors based on laboratory tests, complying with IES Lighting Measurements Testing and Calculation Guides, of each luminaire type. The adjustment factors shall be for lamps and accessories identical to those indicated for the luminaire as applied in this Project IES LM-79 and IES LM-80.

- a. Manufacturers' Certified Data: Photometric data certified by manufacturer's laboratory with a current accreditation under the National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program for Energy Efficient Lighting Products.
- B. Shop Drawings: For nonstandard or custom luminaires.
 - 1. Include plans, elevations, sections, and mounting and attachment details.
 - 2. Include details of luminaire assemblies. Indicate dimensions, weights, loads, required clearances, method of field assembly, components, and location and size of each field connection.
 - 3. Include diagrams for power, signal, and control wiring.
- C. Product Schedule: For luminaires and lamps. Use same designations indicated on Drawings.

1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Luminaire Photometric Data Testing Laboratory Qualifications: Luminaire manufacturer's laboratory that is accredited under the NVLAP for Energy Efficient Lighting Products.
- B. Provide luminaires from a single manufacturer for each luminaire type.
- C. Each luminaire type shall be binned within a three-step MacAdam Ellipse to ensure color consistency among luminaires.

1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Protect finishes of exposed surfaces by applying a strippable, temporary protective covering before shipping.

1.6 WARRANTY

- A. Warranty: Manufacturer and Installer agree to repair or replace components of luminaires that fail in materials or workmanship within specified warranty period.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 PRODUCTS

- A. Refer to the Lighting Fixture Schedule on the drawings for the specified fixtures and options.

2.2 LUMINAIRE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- B. Standards:
 - 1. ENERGY STAR certified.
 - 2. California Title 24 compliant.
 - 3. NRTL Compliance: Luminaires for hazardous locations shall be listed and labeled for indicated class and division of hazard by an NRTL.
 - 4. FM Global Compliance: Luminaires for hazardous locations shall be listed and labeled for indicated class and division of hazard by FM Global.
 - 5. UL Listing: Listed for damp location.
 - 6. Recessed luminaires shall comply with NEMA LE 4.
- C. CRI as indicated on the drawings. CCT as indicated on the drawings.
- D. Rated lamp life of minimum 50,000 hours to L70.
- E. Lamps dimmable from 100 percent to 0 percent of maximum light output.
- F. Internal driver.

2.3 MATERIALS

- A. Metal Parts:
 - 1. Free of burrs and sharp corners and edges.
 - 2. Sheet metal components shall be steel unless otherwise indicated.
 - 3. Form and support to prevent warping and sagging.
- B. Doors, Frames, and Other Internal Access: Smooth operating, free of light leakage under operating conditions, and designed to permit relamping without use of tools. Designed to prevent doors, frames, lenses, diffusers, and other components from falling accidentally during relamping and when secured in operating position.
- C. Factory-Applied Labels: Comply with UL 1598. Include recommended lamps. Locate labels where they will be readily visible to service personnel, but not seen from normal viewing angles when lamps are in place.
 - 1. Label shall include the following lamp characteristics:
 - a. "USE ONLY" and include specific lamp type.
 - b. Lamp diameter, shape, size, wattage, and coating.
 - c. CCT and CRI for all luminaires.

2.4 METAL FINISHES

- A. Variations in finishes are unacceptable in the same piece. Variations in finishes of adjoining components are acceptable if they are within the range of approved Samples and if they can be and are assembled or installed to minimize contrast.

2.5 LUMINAIRE SUPPORT

- A. Single-Stem Hangers: 1/2-inch steel tubing with swivel ball fittings and ceiling canopy. Finish same as luminaire.
- B. Wires: ASTM A 641/A 641 M, Class 3, soft temper, zinc-coated steel, 12 gage.
- C. Rod Hangers: 3/16-inch minimum diameter, cadmium-plated, threaded steel rod.
- D. Hook Hangers: Integrated assembly matched to luminaire, line voltage, and equipment with threaded attachment, cord, and locking-type plug.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine substrates, areas, and conditions, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
- B. Examine roughing-in for luminaire to verify actual locations of luminaire and electrical connections before luminaire installation. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

3.2 TEMPORARY LIGHTING

- A. If approved by the Owner, use selected permanent luminaires for temporary lighting. When construction is sufficiently complete, clean luminaires used for temporary lighting and install new lamps.

3.3 INSTALLATION

- A. Comply with NECA 1.
- B. Install luminaires level, plumb, and square with ceilings and walls unless otherwise indicated.

- C. Install lamps in each luminaire.
- D. Supports:
 - 1. Sized and rated for luminaire weight.
 - 2. Able to maintain luminaire position after cleaning and relamping.
 - 3. Provide support for luminaire without causing deflection of ceiling or wall.
 - 4. Luminaire mounting devices shall be capable of supporting a horizontal force of 100 percent of luminaire weight and vertical force of 400 percent of luminaire weight.
- E. Flush-Mounted Luminaire Support:
 - 1. Secured to outlet box.
 - 2. Attached to ceiling structural members at four points equally spaced around circumference of luminaire.
 - 3. Trim ring flush with finished surface.
- F. Wall-Mounted Luminaire Support:
 - 1. Attached to structural members in walls or Attached to a minimum 20 gauge backing plate attached to wall structural members.
 - 2. Do not attach luminaires directly to gypsum board.
- G. Ceiling-Mounted Luminaire Support:
 - 1. Ceiling mount with minimum two 5/32-inch- diameter aircraft cable supports adjustable to 120 inches in length.
 - 2. Pendant mount with 5/32-inch- diameter aircraft cable supports adjustable to 120 inches in length.
 - 3. Ceiling mount with hook mount.
- H. Suspended Luminaire Support:
 - 1. Pendants and Rods: Where longer than 48 inches, brace to limit swinging.
 - 2. Stem-Mounted, Single-Unit Luminaires: Suspend with twin-stem hangers. Support with approved outlet box and accessories that hold stem and provide damping of luminaire oscillations. Support outlet box vertically to building structure using approved devices.
 - 3. Continuous Rows of Luminaires: Use tubing or stem for wiring at one point and tubing or rod for suspension for each unit length of luminaire chassis, including one at each end.
 - 4. Do not use ceiling grid as support for pendant luminaires. Connect support wires or rods to building structure.
- I. Ceiling-Grid-Mounted Luminaires:

1. Secure to any required outlet box.
2. Secure luminaire to the luminaire opening using approved fasteners in a minimum of four locations, spaced near corners of luminaire.
3. Use approved devices and support components to connect luminaire to ceiling grid and building structure in a minimum of four locations, spaced near corners of luminaire.

3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Perform the following tests and inspections:
 1. Operational Test: After installing luminaires, switches, and accessories, and after electrical circuitry has been energized, test units to confirm proper operation.
 2. Test for Emergency Lighting: Interrupt power supply to demonstrate proper operation. Verify transfer from normal power to battery power and retransfer to normal.
- B. Luminaire will be considered defective if it does not pass operation tests and inspections.
- C. Prepare test and inspection reports.

3.5 ADJUSTING

- A. Occupancy Adjustments: When requested within 12 months of date of Substantial Completion, provide on-site assistance in adjusting the direction of aim of luminaires to suit occupied conditions. Make up to two visits to Project during other-than-normal hours for this purpose. Some of this work may be required during hours of darkness.
 1. During adjustment visits, inspect all luminaires. Replace lamps or luminaires that are defective.
 2. Parts and supplies shall be manufacturer's authorized replacement parts and supplies.

END OF SECTION 265119

SECTION 265613 - LIGHTING POLES AND STANDARDS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes:

1. Poles and accessories for support of luminaires.

1.2 DEFINITIONS

- A. EPA: Equivalent projected area.
- B. Luminaire: Complete luminaire.
- C. Pole: Luminaire-supporting structure, including tower used for large-area illumination.
- D. Standard: See "Pole."

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each pole, accessory, and luminaire-supporting and -lowering device, arranged as indicated.
1. Include data on construction details, profiles, EPA, cable entrances, materials, dimensions, weight, rated design load, and ultimate strength of individual components.
 2. Include finishes for lighting poles and luminaire-supporting devices.
 3. Anchor bolts.
 4. Manufactured pole foundations.
- B. Shop Drawings:
1. Include plans, elevations, sections, and mounting and attachment details.
 2. Include details of equipment assemblies. Indicate dimensions, weights, loads, required clearances, method of field assembly, components, and location and size of each field connection.
 3. Foundation construction details, including material descriptions, dimensions, anchor bolts, support devices, and calculations, signed and sealed by a professional engineer licensed in the state of installation.
 4. Anchor bolt templates keyed to specific poles and certified by manufacturer.
 5. Method and procedure of pole installation. Include manufacturer's written installations.

- C. Samples: For each exposed lighting pole, standard, and luminaire-supporting device and for each color and texture specified.
- D. Pole and Support Component Certificates: Signed by manufacturers of poles, certifying that products are designed for indicated load requirements according to AASHTO LTS-6-M and that load imposed by luminaire and attachments has been included in design. The certification shall be based on design calculations signed and sealed by a professional engineer.

1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Testing Agency Qualifications: Qualified according to ASTM C 1093 for foundation testing.

1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Store poles on decay-resistant skids at least 12 inches above grade and vegetation. Support poles to prevent distortion and arrange to provide free air circulation.
- B. Retain factory-applied pole wrappings on metal poles until right before pole installation. Handle poles with web fabric straps.

1.6 WARRANTY

- A. Special Warranty: Manufacturer agrees to repair or replace components of pole(s) that fail in materials or workmanship; that corrode; or that fade, stain, perforate, erode, or chalk due to effects of weather or solar radiation within a specified warranty period. Manufacturer may exclude lightning damage, hail damage, vandalism, abuse, or unauthorized repairs from special warranty period.
 - 1. Warranty Period: Minimum five (5) years from date of Substantial Completion.
 - 2. Warranty Period for Corrosion Resistance: Minimum five (5) years from date of Substantial Completion.
 - 3. Warranty Period for Color Retention: Minimum five (5) years from date of Substantial Completion.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Structural Characteristics: Comply with AASHTO LTS-6-M.

- B. Dead Load: Weight of luminaire and its horizontal and vertical supports, lowering devices, and supporting structure, applied according to AASHTO LTS-6-M.
- C. Ice Load: Load of 3 lbf/sq. ft., applied according to AASHTO LTS-6-M for applicable areas on the Ice Load Map.
- D. Wind Load: Pressure of wind on pole and luminaire, calculated and applied according to AASHTO LTS-6-M.
 - 1. Basic wind speed for calculating wind load for poles 50 feet high or less is 100 mph.
 - a. Wind Importance Factor: 1.0.
 - b. Minimum Design Life: 25 years.
 - c. Velocity Conversion Factor: 1.0.
- E. Strength Analysis: For each pole, multiply the actual EPA of luminaires and brackets by a factor of 1.1 to obtain the EPA to be used in pole selection strength analysis.
- F. Luminaire Attachment Provisions: Comply with luminaire manufacturers' mounting requirements. Use stainless-steel fasteners and mounting bolts unless otherwise indicated.

2.2 STEEL POLES

- A. Source Limitations: Obtain poles from single manufacturer or producer.
- B. Poles: Comply with ASTM A 500/A 500M, Grade B carbon steel with a minimum yield of 46,000 psig; one-piece construction up to 40 feet in height with access handhole in pole wall.
 - 1. Shape: Round, tapered.
 - 2. Mounting Provisions: Butt flange for bolted mounting on foundation or breakaway support.
- C. Pole-Top Tenons: Fabricated to support luminaire or luminaires and brackets indicated, and securely fastened to pole top.
- D. Fasteners: Stainless steel, size and type as determined by manufacturer. Corrosion-resistant items compatible with support components.
 - 1. Materials: Compatible with poles and standards as well as the substrates to which poles and standards are fastened and shall not cause galvanic action at contact points.
 - 2. Anchor Bolts, Leveling Nuts, Bolt Caps, and Washers: Hot-dip galvanized after fabrication unless otherwise indicated.

- E. Grounding and Bonding Lugs: Welded 1/2-inch threaded lug, listed for attaching grounding and bonding conductors of type and size indicated, and accessible through handhole.
- F. Handhole: Oval shaped, with minimum clear opening of 2-1/2 by 5 inches, with cover secured by stainless-steel captive screws.
- G. Factory-Painted Finish: Comply with NAAMM's "Metal Finishes Manual for Architectural and Metal Products" recommendations for applying and designating finishes.
 - 1. Surface Preparation: Clean surfaces according to SSPC-SP 1 to remove dirt, oil, grease, and other contaminants that could impair paint bond. Grind welds and polish surfaces to a smooth, even finish. Remove mill scale and rust, if present, from uncoated steel, according to SSPC-SP 5/NACE No. 1 or SSPC-SP 8.
 - 2. Interior Surfaces of Pole: One coat of bituminous paint, or otherwise treat for equal corrosion protection.
 - 3. Exterior Surfaces: Manufacturer's standard finish consisting of one or more coats of primer and two finish coats of high gloss, high-build polyurethane enamel.
 - a. Color: As indicated on the drawings. Match color of luminaire.

2.3 GENERAL FINISH REQUIREMENTS

- A. Protect mechanical finishes on exposed surfaces from damage by applying a strippable, temporary protective covering before shipping.
- B. Appearance of Finished Work: Noticeable variations in same piece are unacceptable. Variations in appearance of adjoining components are acceptable if they are within the range of approved Samples and are assembled or installed to minimize contrast.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine areas and conditions, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
- B. Examine poles, luminaire-mounting devices, lowering devices, and pole accessories before installation. Components that are scratched, dented, marred, wet, moisture damaged, or visibly damaged are considered defective.
- C. Examine roughing-in for foundation and conduit to verify actual locations of installation.

- D. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

3.2 POLE FOUNDATION

- A. Concrete Pole Foundations: Cast in place, with anchor bolts to match pole-base flange. Structural steel complying with ASTM A 36/A 36M and hot-dip galvanized according to ASTM A 123/A 123 M; and with top-plate and mounting bolts to match pole-base flange and strength required to support pole, luminaire, and accessories.
- B. See 'Pole Base Detail' on the drawings.
- C. Direct-Buried Foundations: Install to depth indicated on Drawings, but not less than as indicated. Add backfill in 6-inch to 9-inch layers, tamping each layer before adding the next. To ensure a plumb installation, continuously check pole orientation with plumb bob while tamping.
- D. Anchor Bolts: Install plumb using manufacturer-supplied steel template, uniformly spaced.

3.3 POLE INSTALLATION

- A. Alignment: Align pole foundations and poles for optimum directional alignment of luminaires and their mounting provisions on pole.
- B. Clearances: Maintain the following minimum horizontal distances of poles from surface and underground features unless otherwise indicated on drawing.
 - 1. Fire Hydrants and Water Piping: 60 inches.
 - 2. Water, Gas, Electric, Communications, and Sewer Lines: 10 feet.
 - 3. Trees: 15 feet from tree trunk.

3.4 CORROSION PREVENTION

- A. Aluminum: Do not use in contact with earth or concrete. When in direct contact with a dissimilar metal, protect aluminum using insulating fittings or treatment.
- B. Steel Conduits: In concrete foundations, wrap conduit with 0.010-inch-thick, pipe-wrapping plastic tape applied with a 50-percent overlap.

3.5 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Special Inspections: Engage a qualified special inspector to perform the following special inspections:
 - 1. Inspect poles for nicks, mars, dents, scratches, and other damage.

2. System function tests.

END OF SECTION 265613

SECTION 265619 – LED EXTERIOR LIGHTING

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes:

1. Exterior solid-state luminaires that are designed for and exclusively use LED lamp technology.
2. Luminaire supports.
3. Luminaire-mounted photoelectric relays.

1.2 DEFINITIONS

- A. CCT: Correlated color temperature.
- B. CRI: Color rendering index.
- C. Fixture: See "Luminaire."
- D. IP: International Protection or Ingress Protection Rating.
- E. Lumen: Measured output of lamp and luminaire, or both.
- F. Luminaire: Complete lighting unit, including lamp, reflector, and housing.

1.3 SUBMITTALS

A. Product Data: For each type of luminaire.

1. Arrange in order of luminaire designation.
2. Include data on features, accessories, and finishes.
3. Include physical description and dimensions of luminaire.
4. Lamps, include life, output (lumens, CCT, and CRI), and energy-efficiency data.
5. Photometric data and adjustment factors based on laboratory tests, complying with IES Lighting Measurements Testing and Calculation Guides, of each luminaire type. The adjustment factors shall be for lamps and accessories identical to those indicated for the luminaire as applied in this Project.
 - a. IES LM-79 and IES LM-80 documentation.
 - b. Manufacturer's Certified Data: Photometric data certified by manufacturer's laboratory with a current accreditation under the NVLAP for Energy Efficient Lighting Products.

6. Photoelectric relays.
 7. Means of attaching luminaires to supports and indication that the attachment is suitable for components involved.
- B. Samples: For each luminaire and for each color and texture indicated with factory-applied finish.
- C. Product Schedule: For luminaires and lamps. Use same designations indicated on Drawings.
- D. Operation and Maintenance Data: For luminaires and photoelectric relays to include in operation and maintenance manuals.
1. Provide a list of all lamp types used on Project. Use ANSI and manufacturers' codes.
 2. Provide a list of all photoelectric relay types used on Project; use manufacturers' codes.

1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Luminaire Photometric Data Testing Laboratory Qualifications: Luminaire manufacturers' laboratory that is accredited under the NVLAP for Energy Efficient Lighting Products.
- B. Provide luminaires from a single manufacturer for each luminaire type.
- C. Each luminaire type shall be binned within a three-step MacAdam Ellipse to ensure color consistency among luminaires.
- D. Installer Qualifications: An authorized representative who is trained and approved by manufacturer.

1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Protect finishes of exposed surfaces by applying a strippable, temporary protective covering prior to shipping.

1.6 FIELD CONDITIONS

- A. Verify existing and proposed utility structures prior to the start of work associated with luminaire installation.
- B. Mark locations of exterior luminaires for approval by Engineer prior to the start of luminaire installation.

1.7 WARRANTY

- A. Warranty: Manufacturer and Installer agree to repair or replace components of luminaires that fail in materials or workmanship within specified warranty period.
 - 1. Failures include, but are not limited to, the following:
 - a. Structural failures, including luminaire support components.
 - b. Faulty operation of luminaires and accessories.
 - c. Deterioration of metals, metal finishes, and other materials beyond normal weathering.
 - 2. Warranty Period: Minimum five (5) years from date of Substantial Completion, inclusive of LED light engines and power components, metal parts, housings and finishes.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 LUMINAIRE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- B. NRTL Compliance: Luminaires shall be listed and labeled for indicated class and division of hazard by an NRTL.
- C. UL Compliance: Comply with UL 1598 and listed for wet location.
- D. Lamp base complying with ANSI C81.61 or IEC 60061-1.
- E. Bulb shape complying with ANSI C79.1.
- F. CRI of minimum 70. CCT of approx. 4000 K.
- G. L90 lamp life of minimum 100,000 hours.
- H. Lamps dimmable from 100 percent to 0 percent of maximum light output.
- I. Internal driver.
- J. Nominal Operating Voltage: as indicated on the drawings.
- K. In-line Fusing: Separate in-line fuse for each luminaire.
- L. Lamp Rating: Lamp marked for outdoor use.

- M. Source Limitations: Obtain luminaires from single source from a single manufacturer.

2.2 LUMINAIRE-MOUNTED PHOTOELECTRIC RELAYS

- A. Comply with UL 773 or UL 773A.
- B. Contact Relays: Factory mounted, single throw, designed to fail in the on position, and factory set to turn light unit on at 1.5 to 3 fc (16 to 32 lx) and off at 4.5 to 10 fc (48 to 108 lx) with 15-second minimum time delay. Relay shall have directional lens in front of photocell to prevent artificial light sources from causing false turnoff.
 - 1. Relay with locking-type receptacle shall comply with ANSI C136.10.
 - 2. Adjustable window slide for adjusting on-off set points.

2.3 LUMINAIRE TYPES

- A. Area and Site:
 - 1. As indicated on the drawings.

2.4 MATERIALS

- A. Metal Parts: Free of burrs and sharp corners and edges.
- B. Sheet Metal Components: Corrosion-resistant aluminum, stainless steel or epoxy-coated steel. Form and support to prevent warping and sagging.
- C. Doors, Frames, and Other Internal Access: Smooth operating, free of light leakage under operating conditions, and designed to permit relamping without use of tools. Designed to prevent doors, frames, lenses, diffusers, and other components from falling accidentally during relamping and when secured in operating position. Doors shall be removable for cleaning or replacing lenses.
- D. Diffusers and Globes:
 - 1. Acrylic Diffusers: 100 percent virgin acrylic plastic, with high resistance to yellowing and other changes due to aging, exposure to heat, and UV radiation.
 - 2. Lens Thickness: At least 0.125 inch minimum unless otherwise indicated.
- E. Lens and Refractor Gaskets: Use heat- and aging-resistant resilient gaskets to seal and cushion lenses and refractors in luminaire doors.
- F. Reflecting surfaces shall have minimum reflectance as follows unless otherwise indicated:
 - 1. White Surfaces: 85 percent.

2. Specular Surfaces: 83 percent.
3. Diffusing Specular Surfaces: 75 percent.

G. Housings:

1. Rigidly formed, weather- and light-tight enclosure that will not warp, sag, or deform in use.
2. Provide filter/breather for enclosed luminaires.

H. Factory-Applied Labels: Comply with UL 1598. Include recommended lamps. Labels shall be located where they will be readily visible to service personnel, but not seen from normal viewing angles when lamps are in place.

1. Label shall include the following lamp characteristics:
 - a. "USE ONLY" and include specific lamp type.
 - b. Lamp diameter, shape, size, wattage and coating.
 - c. CCT and CRI for all luminaires.

2.5 FINISHES

- A. Variations in Finishes: Noticeable variations in same piece are unacceptable. Variations in appearance of adjoining components are acceptable if they are assembled or installed to minimize contrast.
- B. Luminaire Finish: Manufacturer's standard paint applied to factory-assembled and -tested luminaire before shipping. Match finish process and color of pole and support materials.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine substrates, areas, and conditions, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
- B. Examine roughing-in for luminaire electrical conduit to verify actual locations of conduit connections before luminaire installation.
- C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

3.2 TEMPORARY LIGHTING

- A. If approved by the Engineer, use selected permanent luminaires for temporary lighting. When construction is substantially complete, clean luminaires used for temporary lighting and install new lamps.

3.3 GENERAL INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS

- A. Comply with NECA 1.
- B. Use fastening methods and materials selected to resist seismic forces defined for the application and approved by manufacturer.
- C. Install lamps in each luminaire.
- D. Fasten luminaire to structural support.
- E. Supports:
 - 1. Sized and rated for luminaire weight.
 - 2. Able to maintain luminaire position after cleaning and relamping.
 - 3. Support luminaires without causing deflection of finished surface.
 - 4. Luminaire-mounting devices shall be capable of supporting a horizontal force of 100 percent of luminaire weight and a vertical force of 400 percent of luminaire weight.
- F. Wiring Method: Install cables in raceways. Conceal raceways and cables.
- G. Install luminaires level, plumb, and square with finished grade unless otherwise indicated. Install luminaires at height and aiming angle as indicated on Drawings.
- H. Coordinate layout and installation of luminaires with other construction.
- I. Adjust luminaires that require field adjustment or aiming. Include adjustment of photoelectric device to prevent false operation of relay by artificial light sources, favoring a north orientation.

3.4 CORROSION PREVENTION

- A. Aluminum: Do not use in contact with earth or concrete. When in direct contact with a dissimilar metal, protect aluminum by insulating fittings or treatment.
- B. Steel Conduits: In concrete foundations, wrap conduit with 0.010-inch- (0.254-mm-) thick, pipe-wrapping plastic tape applied with a 50 percent overlap.

3.5 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Inspect each installed luminaire for damage. Replace damaged luminaires and components.
- B. Perform the following tests and inspections with the assistance of a factory-authorized service representative:
 - 1. Operational Test: After installing luminaires, switches, and accessories, and after electrical circuitry has been energized, test units to confirm proper operation.
 - 2. Verify operation of photoelectric controls.
- C. Illumination Tests:
 - 1. Measure light intensities at night. Use photometers with calibration referenced to NIST standards. Comply with the following IES testing guide(s):
 - a. IES LM-5.
 - b. IES LM-50.
 - c. IES LM-64.
 - d. IES LM-72.
 - 2. Operational Test: After installing luminaires, switches, and accessories, and after electrical circuitry has been energized, test units to confirm proper operation.
- D. Luminaire will be considered defective if it does not pass tests and inspections.
- E. Prepare a written report of tests, inspections, observations, and verifications indicating and interpreting results. If adjustments are made to lighting system, retest to demonstrate compliance with standards.

3.6 DEMONSTRATION

- A. Engage a factory-authorized service representative to train Owner's maintenance personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain luminaires and photocell relays.

3.7 ADJUSTING

- A. Occupancy Adjustments: When requested within 12 months of date of Substantial Completion, provide on-site assistance in adjusting the direction of aim of luminaires to suit occupied conditions. Make up to two visits to Project during other-than-normal hours for this purpose. Some of this work may be required during hours of darkness.
 - 1. During adjustment visits, inspect all luminaires. Replace lamps or luminaires that are defective.

2. Parts and supplies shall be manufacturer's authorized replacement parts and supplies.
3. Adjust the aim of luminaires in the presence of the Engineer.

END OF SECTION 265619

SECTION 283100 – FIRE DETECTION AND ALARM

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes:
 - 1. System smoke detectors.
 - 2. Notification appliances.
 - 3. Addressable interface device.

1.2 DEFINITIONS

- A. EMT: Electrical Metallic Tubing.
- B. FACP: Fire Alarm Control Panel.
- C. HLI: High Level Interface.
- D. NICET: National Institute for Certification in Engineering Technologies.

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product, including finished options and accessories.
 - 1. Include construction details, material descriptions, dimensions, profiles and finishes.
 - 2. Include rated capacities, operating characteristics, and electrical characteristics.
- B. Shop Drawings: For fire alarm system:
 - 1. Floor plans (minimum 1/8-inch scale) with room names and numbers, showing device locations and interconnecting conduit and wire. Include location of fire/smoke rated or barrier walls.
 - 2. Drawings shall show proposed layout and anchorage of equipment and appurtenances and equipment relationship to other parts of the work, including clearances for maintenance and operation.
 - 3. Scaled detail drawings of FACP panel fronts.
 - 4. Wiring diagram for each device. Include connection details to auxiliary equipment.

5. Riser diagram showing devices, equipment, and interconnecting conduit and wire. Indicate points of connection to other equipment such as, damper actuators, kitchen hood fire protection systems, pre-action fire protection systems, clean agent fire protection systems, elevator machine rooms and shafts, electric door locking hardware, fire door releases, magnetic door holders, and other related devices and equipment.
6. Complete narrative of the sequence of operation.
7. Sequence of operation matrix table including a complete line-by-line listing of fire alarm initiating devices, corresponding device address, and input/output matrix.
8. Voltage drop calculations.
9. Battery sizing calculations.
10. Visual alarm power supply sizing calculations.
11. Power supply calculations for magnetic door holders, and electric door locking hardware.
12. Wire identification schedule.
13. Include statement from manufacturer that all equipment and components have been tested as a system and meet all requirements in this specification and in NFPA 72. All drawings must be stamped and signed by a Professional Engineer registered in New York State, for approval by the Fire Marshal and NYSED.

1.4 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Operation and Maintenance Data: For fire-alarm systems and components to include in emergency, operation, and maintenance manuals. Include the following:
 1. Comply with the "Records" section of the "Inspection, Testing and Maintenance" chapter in NFPA 72.
 2. Provide "Fire Alarm and Emergency Communications System Record of Completion Documents" according to the "Completion Documents" Article in the "Documentation" section of the "Fundamentals" chapter in NFPA 72.
 3. Complete wiring diagrams showing connections between all devices and equipment. Each conductor shall be numbered at every junction point with indication of origination and termination points.
 4. Riser diagram.

5. Device addresses.
6. Record copy of site-specific software. This software shall also be in an electronic format to allow an alternate Authorized Distributor to add, change, or modify in any way, the existing system data base.
7. Provide "Inspection and Testing Form" according to the "Inspection, Testing and Maintenance" chapter in NFPA 72, and include the following:
 - a. Equipment tested.
 - b. Frequency of testing of installed components.
 - c. Frequency of inspection of installed components.
 - d. Requirements and recommendations related to results of maintenance.
 - e. Manufacturer's user training manuals.
8. Manufacturer's required maintenance related to system warranty requirements.
9. Abbreviated operating instructions for mounting at fire-alarm control unit and each annunciator unit.

1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Installer Qualifications: Personnel shall be trained and certified by manufacturer for installation of units required for this Project.
- B. Installer Qualifications: Installation shall be by personnel certified by NICET as fire alarm Level III technician.
- C. NFPA Certification: Obtain certification according to NFPA 72 by a UL-listed alarm company.
- D. Manufacturer and equipment supplier shall have a minimum of ten years' prior experience in New York State. Equipment supplier shall have 24-hour parts and labor service available with a maximum 4-hour response time. There shall be a minimum of 2 Independent Authorized Distributors within a 50 mile radius of project. Proprietary equipment shall not be acceptable.

1.6 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Perform a full test of the existing system prior to starting to work. Document any equipment or components not functioning as designed.

- B. Use of Devices during Construction: Protect devices during construction unless devices are placed in service to protect the facility during construction.

1.7 SYSTEM ZONING

- A. Alarm Initiating Devices:

- 1. Provide a separate, individual zone for each manual pull station, area smoke detector, duct smoke detector, and area heat detector, and water flow switch.

- B. Fire Audible and Visual Alarm Strobes:

- 1. Each floor of the building (above and below grade) shall be a separate, individual zone.
 - 2. Each stairwell shall be a separate, individual zone.
 - 3. Each exterior area shall be a separate individual zone.

- C. Fire Alarm Control zones:

- 1. Air Handling Fan systems: Provide one (1) shutdown contact for each air handling fan systems. Contacts shall initiate the shutdown of fan system and closing of dampers on associated floor.
 - 2. Provide two (2) open/close contact for each floor's/zones's dampers grouped as a function of being in the supply or return air streams.
 - 3. Provide one (1) release control contact for all door lock systems.

- D. Initiating and signaling device wiring circuits/loops/channels shall be loaded to no more than 80 percent (80%) capacity to allow for the installation of future devices.

1.8 WARRANTY

- A. Special Warranty: Manufacturer agrees to repair or replace fire-alarm system equipment and components that fail in materials or workmanship within specified warranty period.

- 1. Warranty Extent: All equipment and components not covered in the Maintenance Service Agreement.

- B. Warranty Period: Three years from date of Substantial Completion.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

- A. The existing fire alarm system is an Edwards EST3 control panel. All new fire detection and alarm system components shall be of the same manufacturer and must meet all requirements of the contract documents.
- B. Products for this project shall be of the latest design that has been in service for at least two (2) years. Obsolete or discontinued models are not acceptable.

2.2 DESCRIPTION

- A. Fire alarm system infrastructure including conduit, wiring, backboxes, etc. and all associated labor and installation is in the scope of this contract.
- B. Shop drawings and submittal review/approval, testing and programming, project management and closeout documentation shall be by the fire alarm system manufacturer's authorized representative.
- C. Provide a microprocessor controlled, electrically supervised fire alarm system in accordance with the Contract Documents. Provide detailed system design, all equipment, tools, drawings, labor, materials, accessories, and approvals from governing agencies required to furnish, install, start up, and test a complete operating fire alarm system. Systems shall be provided and placed into operation in accordance with the requirements of the Authority Having Jurisdiction (AHJ).
- D. Labor, materials including conduit and wiring, and accessories not specifically called for in the Contract Documents but required to provide complete, operating, and approved systems, shall be provided within the scope of this contract.
- E. Determine, coordinate, and incorporate the design and construction requirements of the architectural, structural, fire protection and mechanical systems, and auxiliary systems including food service, fire doors and windows, elevators, and other related systems, to fully meet all code requirements.
- F. The fire alarm system manufacturer and Contractor shall provide all required documentation, obtain all required permits and approvals, and shall provide all devices and accessories in the quantities and locations necessary for a fully functional and code-compliant system.

- G. Programming of system shall be based on final room names and numbers, which may not necessarily be the same as those used on the construction documents.
- H. Noncoded, UL-certified addressable system, with multiplexed signal transmission.
- I. The Fire Alarm Control Panel (FACP) shall be connected in a network configuration to become components for a distributed intelligence system.
- J. The fire detection and alarm system shall be the fully addressable type. Each fire alarm initiating device shall be a separate, individual zone. Provide interface modules to connect non-addressable devices to addressable wiring channels.
- K. All components provided shall be listed for use with the selected system.
- L. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.

2.3 SYSTEMS OPERATIONAL DESCRIPTION

- A. Fire alarm signal initiation shall be by one or more of the following devices and systems:
 - 1. Manual pull stations.
 - 2. Smoke detectors.
 - 3. Heat detectors.
- B. Fire alarm signal shall initiate the following actions:
 - 1. Continuously operate alarm notification appliances.
 - 2. Identify alarm and specific initiating device at FACP.
 - 3. Indicate device in alarm on the graphic annunciator
 - 4. Activate voice/alarm communication system.
 - 5. Switch heating, ventilating, and air-conditioning equipment controls to fire alarm mode.
 - 6. Record events in the system memory.
- C. Supervisory signal initiation shall be by one or more of the following devices and actions:
 - 1. Independent fire detection and suppression systems.
 - 2. User disabling of zones or individual devices.
 - 3. Loss of communication with any panel on the network.

D. System trouble signal initiation shall be by one or more of the following devices and actions:

1. Open circuits, shorts, and grounds in designated circuits.
2. Opening, tampering with, or removing alarm-initiating and supervisory signal-initiating devices.
3. Loss of communication with any addressable sensor, input module, relay, control module, remote annunciator, printer interface, or Ethernet module.
4. Loss of primary power at FACP.
5. Ground or a single break in internal circuits of FACP.
6. Abnormal AC voltage at FACP.
7. Break in standby battery circuitry.
8. Failure of battery charging.
9. Abnormal position of any switch at FACP.

E. System Supervisory Signal Actions:

1. Identify specific device initiating the event at FACP, off-premises network control panels, and remote annunciators.
2. After a time delay of 200 seconds, transmit a trouble or supervisory signal to the remote alarm receiving station.

2.4 SYSTEM SMOKE DETECTORS (EDWARDS SIGA-PD)

A. General Requirements:

1. Comply with UL 268 and FM approved; operating at 24V DC, nominal, Photoelectric type.
2. Base Mounting: Detector and associated electronic components shall be mounted in a twist-lock module that connects to a fixed base. Provide terminals in the fixed base for connection to building wiring.
3. Self-Restoring: Detectors do not require resetting or readjustment after actuation to restore them to normal operation.
4. Integral Visual-Indicating Light: LED type, indicating detector alarm/power-on status.
5. Thirty (30) mesh insect screen and magnetically activated test.

6. Remote Control: Unless otherwise indicated, detectors shall be digital-addressable type, individually monitored at FACP for calibration, sensitivity, and alarm condition and individually adjustable for sensitivity by FACP.
 - a. Rate-of-rise temperature characteristic of combination smoke- and heat-detection units shall be selectable at FACP for 15 or 20 deg F per minute.
 - b. Multiple levels of detection sensitivity for each sensor.
 - c. Sensitivity levels based on time of day. Photoelectric Smoke Detectors:
7. Detector address shall be accessible from FACP and shall be able to identify the detector's location within the system and its sensitivity setting.
8. An operator at FACP, having the designated access level, shall be able to manually access the following for each detector:
 - a. Primary status.
 - b. Device type.
 - c. Present average value.
 - d. Present sensitivity selected.
 - e. Sensor range (normal, dirty, etc.).

2.5 NOTIFICATION APPLIANCES (EDWARDS GENESIS SERIES)

- A. General Requirements for Notification Appliances: Connected to notification-appliance signal circuits, zoned as indicated, equipped for mounting as indicated, and with screw terminals for system connections.
 1. Combination Devices: Factory-integrated audible and visible devices in a single-mounting assembly, equipped for mounting as indicated, and with screw terminals for system connections.
- B. Horns: Electric-vibrating-polarized type, 24-V dc; with provision for housing the operating mechanism behind a grille. Comply with UL 464. Horns shall produce a sound-pressure level of 90 dBA, measured 10 feet from the horn, using the coded signal prescribed in UL 464 test protocol.
- C. Visible Notification Appliances: Xenon strobe lights complying with UL 1971, with clear or nominal white polycarbonate lens mounted on an aluminum faceplate. The word "FIRE" is engraved in minimum 1 inch high letters on the lens.
 1. Rated Light Output:

- a. 15/30/75/110 cd, selectable in the field.
2. Mounting: Wall mounted unless otherwise indicated.
3. For units with guards to prevent physical damage, light output ratings shall be determined with guards in place.
4. Flashing shall be in a temporal pattern, synchronized with other units.
5. Strobe Leads: Factory connected to screw terminals.
6. Mounting Faceplate: Factory finished, red.

2.6 ADDRESSABLE INTERFACE DEVICE

A. General:

1. Include address-setting means on the module.
2. Store an internal identifying code for control panel use to identify the module type.
3. Listed for controlling HVAC fan motor controllers.
4. Devices shall be flush mounted in finished areas and surface mounted with back box in unfinished areas.

B. Monitor Module: Microelectronic module providing a system address for alarm-initiating devices for wired applications with normally open contacts using NFPA 72A Style B (Class B, Two-Wire) circuit supervision. Module responds to polling signals from FACP/Transponder and shall report alarm initiating/supervisory circuit status changes to it.

C. Control Module: Microelectronic module with one (1) individual addressable control relay with double-pole/double-throw (DPDT) contacts rated at two (7.0A) @ 120VAC/28VDC. Module response to control signals from FACP/Transponder.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine areas and conditions for compliance with requirements for ventilation, temperature, humidity, and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
 1. Verify that manufacturer's written instructions for environmental conditions have been permanently established in spaces where equipment and wiring are installed, before installation begins.

- B. Examine roughing-in for electrical connections to verify actual locations of connections before installation.
- C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

3.2 EQUIPMENT INSTALLATION

- A. Comply with NFPA 72, NFPA 101, and requirements of authorities having jurisdiction for installation and testing of fire alarm equipment. Install all electrical wiring to comply with requirements in NFPA 70 including, but not limited to, Article 760, "Fire Alarm Systems."
 - 1. Devices placed in service before all other trades have completed cleanup shall be replaced.
 - 2. Devices installed but not yet placed in service shall be protected from construction dust, debris, dirt, moisture, and damage according to manufacturer's written storage instructions.
- B. Install wall-mounted equipment, with tops of cabinets not more than 78 inches above the finished floor.
- C. Install a cover on each smoke detector that is not placed in service during construction. Cover shall remain in place except during system testing. Remove cover prior to system turnover.
- D. Audible Alarm Indicating Devices: Install not less than 6 inches below the ceiling. Install bells and horns on flush-mounted back boxes with the device-operating mechanism concealed behind a grille. Install all devices at the same height unless otherwise indicated.
- E. Visible Alarm-Indicating Devices: Install adjacent to each alarm horn and at least 6 inches below the ceiling. Install all devices at the same height unless otherwise indicated.
- F. Device Location-Indicating Lights: Locate in public space near the device they monitor.

3.3 PATHWAYS

- A. Fire alarm pathway and circuit wiring installation shall comply with NEC Article 760.
- B. Where exposed, all fire alarm circuits shall be installed in dedicated EMT conduit.
- C. Pathways above recessed ceilings and in nonaccessible locations may be plenum-rated cable.
- D. All pathways must be independently supported from the structure above.

- E. Where passing through a wall or floor, provide a metal raceway or rigid nonmetallic conduit sleeve.
- F. All penetrations of rated walls and floors shall be properly fire-stopped.

3.4 IDENTIFICATION

- A. Provide an identification nameplate for each equipment cabinet. Nameplates shall correspond with labeling identified in the submittal drawings.
- B. Fire alarm conduit shall be permanently labeled "FIRE ALARM" every 30 feet.
- C. Fire alarm junction boxes shall be painted red.
- D. All initiating and indicating devices shall be labeled with self-adhesive tape with black lettering and identification labeling according to circuit loop and device address/number.
- E. Color code all wiring per recommended standards. Tag all wires in terminal cabinets with tie wrap tags with inked identification.
- F. Install framed instructions in a location visible from FACP.

3.5 GROUNDING

- A. Ground FACP and associated circuits; comply with IEEE 1100. Install a ground wire from main service ground to FACP.
- B. Ground shielded cables at the control panel location only. Insulate shield at device location.

3.6 TESTING

- A. The fire alarm system manufacturer or manufacturer's authorized representative shall test and inspect components, assemblies, and equipment installations, including connections.
- B. Tests shall be witnessed by District (Owner), Engineer of Record, and the Fire Department.
- C. The following tests and inspections shall be performed:
 - 1. Visual Inspection: Conduct visual inspection prior to testing.
 - a. Inspection shall be based on completed record Drawings and system documentation that is required by NFPA 72.

- b. Comply with the "Visual Inspection Frequencies" table in the "Inspection" section of the "Inspection, Testing and Maintenance" chapter in NFPA 72; retain the "Initial/Reacceptance" column and list only the installed components.
 2. System Testing: Comply with the "Test Methods" table in the "Testing" section of the "Inspection, Testing and Maintenance" chapter in NFPA 72.
 3. Test audible appliances for the public operating mode according to manufacturer's written instructions. Perform the test using a portable sound-level meter complying with Type 2 requirements in ANSI S1.4.
 4. Test visible appliances for the public operating mode according to manufacturer's written instructions.
 5. System manufacturer shall prepare the "Fire Alarm System Record of Completion" in the "Documentation" section of the "Fundamentals" chapter in NFPA 72 and the "Inspection and Testing Form" in the "Records" section of the "Inspection, Testing and Maintenance" chapter in NFPA 72.
 - D. Reacceptance Testing: Perform reacceptance testing to verify the proper operation of added or replaced devices and appliances.
 - E. Fire alarm system will be considered defective if it does not pass tests and inspections.
- 3.7 CLOSEOUT DOCUMENTATION
- A. The fire alarm system manufacturer or manufacturer's authorized representative shall prepare and submit to the Engineer of Record all NFPA 72 required closeout documentation including, but not limited to:
 1. System Record of Completion
 2. Notification Appliance Power Panel Supplementary Record of Completion
 3. System Record of Inspection and Testing
 4. Notification Appliance Supplementary Record of Inspection and Testing
 5. Initiating Device Supplementary Record of Inspection and Testing
 6. Periodic Inspection, Testing and Maintenance Documentation
 - B. Record Drawings, to include:
 1. Minimum 1/8" scale floorplan drawings indicating all final device types, locations, ratings, settings and addresses

2. Wiring diagram of each device type
 3. Riser diagram showing devices, device addresses, equipment, and interconnecting conduit and wire
 4. Narrative of sequence of operation
 5. Sequence of operation matrix (includes complete line-by-line listing for fire alarm initiating devices, device address and input/output matrix)
 6. Voltage drop calculations
 7. Battery sizing calculations
 8. Visual alarm power supply sizing calculations
 9. Power supply calculations for door holders
 10. Wire identification schedule
 11. Legend
- C. Operation and Maintenance Data: For fire-alarm systems and components to include in emergency, operation, and maintenance manuals.
- D. Operating instructions for mounting at fire-alarm control unit and each annunciator unit.
- E. Warranty documentation.
- F. All closeout documentation shall be signed and sealed by a Registered Professional Engineer in New York State.

END OF SECTION 283100

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SECTION 310000 – SITE CLEARING

PART 1 GENERAL

1.1 This Section includes

- A. Protecting existing trees and vegetation to remain.
- B. Removal of trees, shrubs, designated plant life and vegetation.
- C. Removal of topsoil and subsoil, rough grading and site contouring.
- D. Clearing and grubbing.
- E. Temporary erosion and sedimentation control measures.
- F. Removal of above and below grade improvements and surface debris.

1.2 RELATED WORK SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE

- A. Contract Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- B. Section 312000: Excavation and Fill
- C. Section 312513: Erosion and Sediment Control

1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Topsoil: Natural or cultivated surface-soil layer containing organic matter and sand, silt, and clay particles; friable, pervious, and black or a darker shade of brown, gray, or red than underlying subsoil; reasonably free of subsoil, clay lumps, gravel, and other objects more than 2 inches in diameter; and free of subsoil and weeds, roots, toxic materials, or other non-soil.
- B. Clearing: Removal of trees, shrubs, bushes, and other organic matter found at or above original ground level.
- C. Remove: Remove existing items from site and legally dispose of them off-site, unless indicated to be removed and reinstalled. Removal shall be completed daily.
- D. Existing to Remain: Existing items that are not to be removed and that are not otherwise indicated to be removed or removed and reinstalled.

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Pre-Construction photographs sufficiently detailed, of existing conditions of trees, adjoining construction, and site improvements. Submit before work begins.
- B. Submit schedule indicating proposed trees to be removed or trimmed to Owner's Representative for review prior to commencement of work.

1.4 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Traffic: Minimize interference with adjoining roads, streets, walks, and other adjacent occupied or used facilities during site-clearing operations.
 - 1. Do not close or obstruct streets, walks, or other adjacent occupied or used facilities without permission from the Owner's Representative and authorities having jurisdiction.
 - 2. Provide alternate routes around closed or obstructed traffic ways if required by authorities having jurisdiction.
 - 3. Provide clear and appropriate signage for alternate routes and proper notice to people.
- B. Maintain access to existing adjacent areas of the building, walkways, roads, and other adjacent occupied or used facilities.
 - 1. This is an active facility and phasing of the work will be required and with agreement of Owner's Representative to minimize disruptions to the existing operations.
 - 2. Do not close or obstruct adjacent areas of the building, walkways, roads, or other occupied or used facilities without agreement with the Owner's Representative and written permission from authorities having jurisdiction.
- C. Utility Locator Service: Notify utility locator service (Dig Safely New York – 811 or 800-962-7962) or retain services of a private utility locating firm for area where Project is located before site clearing.
- D. Hazardous Materials:
 - 1. If materials suspected of containing hazardous materials are encountered, do not disturb; immediately notify Owner's Representative. Hazardous materials shall be removed as per the characterization of hazard and disposed of in accordance with NYSDEC requirements.
- E. Storage of removed items or materials on-site will not be permitted, unless indicated to be removed and stockpiled on site.
- F. Utility Service: Maintain existing utilities in service and protect them against damage during selective demolition operations.
- G. Do not commence site clearing and demolition operations until temporary erosion and sedimentation control measures are in place.
- H. Coordinate shutdowns around school's schedule.

1.5 DELIVERY AND STORAGE

- A. Deliver and store materials in a manner to prevent contamination or segregation.

1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Comply with hauling and disposal regulations of authorities having jurisdiction.

PART 2 PRODUCTS (Not Used)

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 PREPARATION AND PROTECTION

- A. Protect and maintain benchmarks and survey control points from disturbance during construction. Damaged or lost benchmark, monuments and survey control points shall be replaced by a licensed New York State Registered Land Surveyor at the Contractor's expense.
- B. Survey existing conditions and correlate with requirements indicated to determine extent of selective demolition required.
- C. Protect existing site improvements to remain from damage during construction.
 - 1. Restore damaged improvements to their original condition, as acceptable to Owner's Representative.
- D. Identify trees to be removed and trimmed and confirm with Owner's Representative prior to any demolition.
- E. When unanticipated conflicts with intended function or design are encountered, investigate and measure the nature and extent of conflict. Promptly submit a written report to Owner's Representative.
- F. Site Access and Temporary Controls: Conduct selective demolition and debris-removal operations to ensure minimum interference with adjacent areas of the building, roads, streets, walks, walkways, and other adjacent occupied and used facilities.
 - 1. Do not close or obstruct adjacent areas of the building, streets, walks, walkways, or other adjacent occupied or used facilities without permission from Owner's Representative and authorities having jurisdiction. Provide alternate routes around closed or obstructed traffic ways if required by governing regulations.
 - 2. Erect temporary protection, such as walks, ramps, fences, and railings where required to permit safe passage of people and vehicles.
 - 3. Protect existing building elements, appurtenances, and items to remain.
- G. Identify and protect existing utilities.

- H. Tree Protection: Erect and maintain a temporary fence around drip line of individual trees or around perimeter drip line of groups of trees to remain. Remove fence when construction is complete.
 - 1. Do not store construction materials, debris, or excavated material within drip line of remaining trees.
 - 2. Do not permit vehicles, equipment, or foot traffic within drip line of remaining trees.
 - 3. Do not excavate within drip line of trees, unless otherwise indicated.
- I. Temporary Facilities: Provide temporary barricades and other protection required to prevent injury to people, damage to buildings and facilities to remain.
 - 1. Provide protection to ensure safe passage of people around selective demolition area.

3.2 CLEARING AND GRUBBING

- A. Install erosion control measures at the limits of clearing and grubbing or as indicated on the Contract Drawings prior to commencement of clearing and grubbing. Repair and or replace erosion control devices immediately if damaged during clearing and grubbing.
- B. Remove obstructions, grass, and other vegetation to permit installation of new construction. Removal includes digging out stumps and obstructions and grubbing roots.
- C. Do not remove trees, shrubs, and other vegetation unless indicated to be removed.
- D. Completely remove stumps, roots, obstructions, and debris extending to a depth of 18 inches below exposed subgrade.
- E. Carefully grub within drip line of remaining trees.
- F. Fill depressions caused by clearing and grubbing operations with satisfactory soil material, unless further excavation or earthwork is indicated.
 - 1. Place fill material in horizontal layers not exceeding 8-inch loose depth, and compact each layer to a density equal to adjacent original ground.

3.3 TOPSOIL STRIPPING

- A. Remove sod and grass before stripping topsoil.
- B. Strip topsoil to whatever depths are encountered in a manner to prevent intermingling with underlying subsoil or other waste materials.

1. Remove subsoil and non-soil materials from topsoil, including trash, debris, weeds, roots, and other waste materials.
- C. Stockpile topsoil materials away from edge of excavations without intermixing with subsoil. Grade and shape stockpiles to drain surface water. Cover to prevent windblown dust. Provide temporary erosion and sediment control measures as indicated on the Contract Drawings.
 1. Limit height of topsoil stockpiles to 72 inches.
 2. Do not stockpile topsoil within drip line of remaining trees.
 3. Stockpile surplus topsoil and allow for respreading deeper topsoil
 4. Dispose of unused topsoil at the end of the project as specified for waste material disposal.

3.4 TREE/STUMP REMOVAL

- A. Removal:
 1. Remove tree, stump and root system in entirety.
 2. Remove material from the site daily.
 3. Dispose at authorized facility.
- B. Restoration
 1. Place fill, rough grade area and restore to existing conditions

3.5 REMOVAL AND DISPOSAL

- A. Removal:
 1. Remove surplus soil material, unsuitable topsoil, obstructions, demolished materials, and waste materials, including trash and debris, and legally dispose of them off Owner's property.
 2. Remove material from the site daily.
 3. Dispose at authorized facility.
- B. Burning: Do not burn demolished materials.
- C. Disposal: Transport demolished materials off Owner's property and legally dispose of them.
- D. Dumping: No dumping shall be allowed in any stream, corridor, wetlands, surface waters, or at unspecified locations or at locations not approved by the Engineer or regulatory agencies.
- E. Leave Work area in a neat and uncluttered condition.

3.5 SITE IMPROVEMENTS

- A. Remove existing above- and below-grade improvements as indicated and as necessary to facilitate new construction. The Contractor shall temporarily relocate existing mailboxes, road signs, fences, landscaping,

etc. during construction and re-install them at their original location once the work is completed.

- B. Remove slabs, paving, curbs, gutters, and aggregate base as indicated.
 - 1. Unless existing full-depth joints coincide with line of demolition, neatly saw-cut length of existing pavement, slabs, sidewalks, curbs, and gutters to remain before removing existing pavement. Saw-cut faces vertically.

3.6 ROUGH GRADING

- A. Identify required lines, levels, contours, and datum.
- B. Identify known underground, above ground, and aerial utilities. Stake and flag locations.
- C. Notify utility companies to paint out utility locations.
- D. Excavate topsoil and subsoil from areas to be further excavated, re-landscaped, or re-graded.
- E. Stockpile topsoil and subsoil in designated area(s).

END OF SECTION 310000

SECTION 310100 – SELECTIVE TREE REMOVAL

PART 1 GENERAL

1.1 This Section includes

- A. Protecting existing trees and vegetation to remain.
- B. Removal of trees, shrubs, designated plant life and vegetation.
- C. Clearing and grubbing.

1.2 RELATED WORK SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE

- A. Contract Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- B. Section 310000: Site Clearing
- C. Section 312000: Excavation and Fill
- D. Section 312500: Erosion and Sediment Control

1.3 DESCRIPTIONS

- A. Company Qualifications: The Company performing the work of this section shall be insured and have a minimum of five (5) years of experience in tree removal and trimming. The person supervising the Work shall also have a minimum of five (5) years of experience in tree removal and trimming.
- B. The work shall consist of the removal and disposal of selected trees including stumps and roots.

1.4 DEFINITIONS

- A. Topsoil: Natural or cultivated surface-soil layer containing organic matter and sand, silt, and clay particles; friable, pervious, and black or a darker shade of brown, gray, or red than underlying subsoil; reasonably free of subsoil, clay lumps, gravel, and other objects more than 2 inches in diameter; and free of subsoil and weeds, roots, toxic materials, or other non-soil.
- B. Clearing: Removal of trees, shrubs, bushes, and other organic matter found at or above original ground level.
- C. Remove: Remove existing items from site and legally dispose of them off-site, unless indicated to be removed and reinstalled. Removal shall be completed daily.

- D. Existing to Remain: Existing items that are not to be removed and that are not otherwise indicated to be removed or removed and reinstalled.

1.5 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit detailed experience and qualifications description of tree trimming and removal. Experience and qualifications package should include a description of the types of equipment and experience that can be provided.
- B. Pre-Construction photographs sufficiently detailed, of existing conditions of trees, adjoining construction, and site improvements. Submit before work begins.

1.6 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Protect existing trees and plants during performance of the work unless otherwise indicated. Box trees and plants indicated to remain within the grading limit line with temporary orange construction fencing or solidly constructed wood barricades as required. Protect root systems from smothering. Do not store excavated material, or allow vehicular traffic or parking within the canopy drip line. Restrict foot traffic to prevent excessive compaction of soil over root systems.

1.7 COORDINATION AND SCHEDULING

- A. Coordinate work with the Owner to minimize disruptions and facility operations. The Owner shall be notified at least three (3) working days prior to performing the work, and should be provided a schedule for the works progression.

1.8 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Comply with hauling and disposal regulations of authorities having jurisdiction.

PART 2 PRODUCTS (Not Used)

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 PREPARATION AND PROTECTION

- A. Prevent damage to buildings, pavement, pipes, conduits, poles, fencing and other structures above and below ground that are adjoining or included in the contract area. Repair damage resulting from the contractor's negligence.
- B. Protect existing trees and shrubs not to be removed. Cut back to point of branching all broken branches and skinned areas.
- C. Store materials and equipment in cleared areas away from tree roots. Prevent employees and equipment from trampling over woodland, existing planting, and established lawns.

3.2 REMOVAL – ENTIRE TREE

- A. Remove and dispose of all logs, tree trimmings, and debris from State property. Leave work area in a neat, uncluttered condition.

3.3 MAINTENANCE AND RESTORATION

- A. Restore grades to indicated levels where settlement or damage due to performance of the work has occurred. Correct conditions contributing to settlement or damage.
- B. Restore pavements, walks, curbs, lawns, and other exterior surfaces damaged during performance of the work to match the appearance and performance of existing corresponding surfaces as closely as practicable.

3.4 WORK AREAS AND PERFORMANCE

- A. The Owner may limit or restrict work areas and scheduling of the tree trimming and/or removal based upon project progress.

END OF SECTION 310100

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SECTION 312000 – EXCAVATION AND FILL

PART 1 GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

A. This Section includes:

1. Preparing subgrades for structures, walks, pavements, grasses and plants.
2. Subbase course for concrete slabs, walks and asphalt pavement.
3. Excavating and backfilling trenches for utilities and structures.

1.2 RELATED WORK SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE

- A. Contract Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- B. Section 310000: Site Clearing
- C. Section 310100: Selective Tree Removal and Trimming
- D. Section 312316: Rock Removal
- E. Section 329120: Topsoil
- F. Section 329219: Seeding

1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Earth Excavation: The removal of all surface and subsurface material not classified as rock as defined below.
- B. Unsatisfactory Soil: Soil Classification Groups GC, SC, CL, ML, OL, CH, MH, OH, and PT according to ASTM D 2487, or a combination of these groups. Unsatisfactory soils also include satisfactory soils not maintained within 2 percent of optimum moisture content at time of compaction. Soil that may contain rock or gravel larger than 3 inches in any dimension, frozen materials, organic matter, vegetation, soft, nondurable particles, elongated particles or other deleterious matters.
- C. Contaminated Soil: Soil that may require specific disposal method/location as it may contain items such as but not limited to trace/detect chemical, oil or soft or loose bituminous asphalt tar.
- D. Construction Debris Soil: Soil containing debris, waste, rubbish, slag, cinders, ashes, metals, or other manmade or foreign materials.
- E. Rock: Limestone, sandstone, shale, granite, and similar material in solid beds or masses in its original or stratified position which can be removed only by blasting operations, drilling, wedging, or use of pneumatic tools, and boulders with a volume greater than 1.0 cu yd. Concrete building foundations and concrete

- slabs, not indicated, with a volume greater than 1.0 cu yd shall be classified as rock.
1. Limestone, sandstone, shale, granite, and similar material in a broken or weathered condition which can be removed with an excavator or backhoe equipped with a bucket with ripping teeth or any other style bucket shall be classified as earth excavation.
 2. Masonry building foundations, whether indicated or not, shall be classified as earth excavation.
- F. Unclassified Earth Excavation: The excavation and disposal of all surface and subsurface materials of any description necessary to perform the work of this contract. This will include:
1. All soil deposits of any description both above and below groundwater levels. These may be naturally deposited or placed by previous construction operations.
- G. Subgrade Surface: Surface upon which subbase or topsoil is placed.
- H. Subbase: Select granular material or subbase course Type 2 which is placed immediately beneath pavement or concrete slabs.
- I. Maximum Density: The dry unit weight in pounds per cubic foot of the soil at "Optimum Moisture Content" when determined by ASTM D 698 (Standard Proctor), or ASTM D 1557 (Modified Proctor).
- J. Structures: Buildings, footings, foundations, retaining walls, slabs, tanks, mechanical and electrical appurtenances, or other man-made stationary features constructed above or below the ground surface.
- K. Landscaped Areas: Areas not covered by structures, walks, roads, paving, or parking.
- L. Unauthorized Excavation: The removal of material below required elevation indicated on the Drawings or beyond lateral dimensions indicated or specified without specific written direction by the Engineer.
- M. Grading Limit Line (Shown on Drawings): Limits of grading, excavations and filling required for the work of this contract. Unless specifically noted otherwise, the Grading Limit Line and Contract Limit Line will be considered the same.
- 1.3 SUBMITTALS
- A. Product Data:
1. Filter Fabric: Manufacturer's catalog sheets, specifications, and installation instructions.
 2. Geogrid: Manufacturer's catalog sheets, specifications, and installation instructions.
- B. Quality Control Submittals:

1. Subbase Materials: Material Test Reports: Classification according to ASTM D 2487, laboratory compaction curve according to ASTM D 1557 and certified gradation analysis according to ASTM C136 for each soil material proposed for fill and backfill. Name and location of source and the DOT Source Number.
2. Other Aggregates: Name and location of source and soil laboratory test results.

1.4 PROJECT CONDITIONS/COORDINATION AND SCHEDULING

A. Existing Utilities:

1. Coordinate the work to determine the extent of the areas of subsurface investigation required to locate all underground utilities and service connections in the areas of excavation.
2. Coordinate the work with the Owner or Owner's Representative to minimize utility disruptions and facility operations. Provide a schedule for the Work required for approval. Upon approval of the schedule, notify the Owner's Representative a minimum of three (3) working days prior to performing the Work.
3. Within the areas of excavation, all underground utilities and service connections shall be field located and their locations marked at least two (2) weeks prior to the performance of the required excavation work.

B. Existing Conditions:

1. Protect existing trees and plants during performance of the work unless otherwise indicated. Box trees and plants indicated to remain within the grading limit line with temporary steel fencing or solidly constructed wood barricades as required. Protect root systems from smothering. Do not store excavated material, or allow vehicular traffic or parking within the branch drip line. Restrict foot traffic to prevent excessive compaction of soil over root systems.
2. Dewatering: Include the disposal of surface water and ground water, which may accumulate in open excavations, unfinished fills, or other low areas. Remove water by pumping, or other methods to prevent softening of exposed surfaces. Surface dewatering plan shall include the rerouting of any storm water runoff or natural drainage if necessary and shall comply with NYS DEC requirements.
3. Protection and Restoration of Surfaces: Protect newly graded areas from traffic, erosion, and settlements. Repair and reestablish damaged or eroded slopes, elevations or grades and restore surface construction prior to acceptance. Protect existing streams, ditches and storm drain inlets from water-borne soil by erosion control methods other than straw bale dikes. Conduct work in accordance with NYS DEC requirements.

C. Cold Weather Requirements:

1. Excavation: When freezing temperatures are anticipated, do not excavate to final required elevations for concrete work unless concrete can be placed immediately.
2. Backfilling: Do not backfill with any frozen soil materials.

- D. Thru-traffic or fill placement with heavy construction vehicles or equipment which causes rutting or weaving to occur within the perimeter of a building will not be permitted. If rutting or weaving occurs during placement of fill, place specified fill in a stable area outside building perimeter and spread with tracked equipment to specified layer thickness.

1.5 DELIVERY AND STORAGE

- A. Deliver and store materials in a manner to prevent contamination or segregation.
- B. Protect filter fabric from sunlight during transportation and storage.

1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Geotechnical Testing Agency Qualifications: Qualified according to ASTM E 329 and ASTM D 3740 for testing indicated.
- B. Routine testing of existing soils and compacted material for compliance with these Specifications shall be performed by a testing agency acceptable to the Owner's Representative.
- C. Compacted material that does not meet density requirements shall be removed and/or re-compacted, and retested at no additional cost to owner.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.1 MATERIALS

- A. Select Granular Fill Material: Stockpiled, sound, durable, sand, gravel, stone, or blends of these materials, free from organic and other deleterious materials. Comply with the gradation and material requirements specified below:

Sieve		Percent Passing
Sieve Size	Size opening (mm)	
2 inch	50.0	100
No. 40	0.425	0-70
No. 200	0.075	0-15

1. Magnesium Sulfate Soundness Test: 20 percent maximum loss by weight after four test cycles.
2. Plasticity Index: The plasticity index of the material passing the No. 40 mesh sieve will not exceed 5.0.
3. Elongated Particles: Not more than 30 percent, by weight, of the particles retained on a 1/2-inch sieve will consist of flat or elongated particles. A flat

or elongated particle is defined as one which has its greatest dimension more than three times its least dimension.

- E. NYSDOT Subbase Course Type 2: Stockpiled, crushed ledge rock or approved blast furnace slag. Comply with the gradation and material requirements specified below:

Sieve		Percent Passing
Sieve Size	Size opening (mm)	
2 inch	50.0	100
1/4 inch	6.3	25-60
No. 40	0.425	5-40
No. 200	0.075	0-10

1. Magnesium Sulfate Soundness Test: 20 percent maximum loss by weight after four test cycles.
 2. Plasticity Index: The plasticity index of the material passing the No. 40 mesh sieve will not exceed 5.0.
 3. Elongated Particles: Not more than 30 percent, by weight, of the particles retained on a 1/2-inch sieve will consist of flat or elongated particles. A flat or elongated particle is defined as one which has its greatest dimension more than three times its least dimension.
- F. NYSDOT #1 Crushed Stone: Clean, durable, sharp-angled fragments of rock of uniform quality. Comply with the gradation and material requirements specified below:

Sieve		Percent Passing
Sieve Size	Size opening (mm)	
1 inch	25.0	100
1/2 inch	12.5	90 – 100
¼ inch	6.3	0-15

1. Magnesium Sulfate Soundness Test: 18 percent maximum loss by weight after ten test cycles.
- G. NYSDOT #2 Crushed Stone: Clean, durable, sharp-angled fragments of rock of uniform quality. Comply with the gradation and material requirements specified below:

Sieve		Percent Passing
Sieve Size	Size opening (mm)	
1-1/2 inch	37.5	100

Sieve		Percent Passing
Sieve Size	Size opening (mm)	
1 inch	25.0	90 – 100
1/2 inch	12.5	0-15

1. Magnesium Sulfate Soundness Test: 18 percent maximum loss by weight after ten test cycles.
- H. NYSDOT #1 Screened Gravel: Clean, durable gravel free from coatings. Comply with the gradation and material requirements specified below:

Sieve		Percent Passing
Sieve Size	Size opening (mm)	
1 inch	25.0	100
1/2 inch	12.5	90 – 100
¼ inch	6.3	0-15

1. Magnesium Sulfate Soundness Test: 18 percent maximum loss by weight after ten test cycles.
- I. NYSDOT #2 Screened Gravel: Clean, durable gravel free from coatings. Comply with the gradation and material requirements specified below:

Sieve		Percent Passing
Sieve Size	Size opening (mm)	
1-1/2 inch	37.5	100
1 inch	25.0	90 – 100
1/2 inch	12.5	0-15

1. Magnesium Sulfate Soundness Test: 18 percent maximum loss by weight after ten test cycles.
- J. Underdrain Filter Type 2 (NYSDOT 605.10, 733-2002): Material consisting of crushed stone, sand, gravel or screened gravel. Comply with the gradation and material requirements specified below:

Sieve		Percent Passing
Sieve Size	Size opening (mm)	
1/2 inch	12.5	100
1/4 inch	6.3	20 – 100
No. 10	2.0	0-15
No. 20	.85	0-5

1. Magnesium Sulfate Soundness Test: 20 percent maximum loss by weight after ten test cycles.

- K. Selected Borrow/Fill: Sound, durable, sand, gravel, stone, or blends of these materials, free from organic and other deleterious materials. Comply with the gradation requirements specified below:

Sieve		Percent Passing
Sieve Size	Size opening (mm)	
4 inch	101.6	100
No. 40	0.425	0-70
No. 200	0.075	0-15

- L. Suitable Material (Fill and Backfill for Landscaped Areas): Material consisting of mineral soil (inorganic), blasted or broken rock and similar materials of natural or man-made origin, including mixtures thereof. Maximum particle size will not exceed 2/3 of the specified layer thickness prior to compaction. NOTE: Material containing cinders, industrial waste, sludge, building rubble, land fill, muck, and peat will be considered unsuitable for fill and backfill, except topsoil and organic silt may be used as suitable material in landscaped areas provided it is placed in the top layer of the subgrade surface.
- M. Flowable Fill: Shall consist of a mixture of Portland cement, sand, water and admixtures proportioned to provide a non-segregating, free-flowing, self-consolidating material that will result in a hardened, dense backfill.
1. Shall have a 28-day compressive strength between 40 and 100 psi.

2.2 GEOTECHNICAL FABRIC

- A. Filter Fabric (GeoTextile):
1. Pavement Section Geogrid: Tensar TriAx Geogrid or approved equivalent.
 2. Erosion Control: Filter X, Mirafi 100X, Stabilinka T140N or approved equivalent.
 3. Separation for Underdrains: Amoco 2002 & 2004, Contech Construction Products Inc. C-180, Synthetic Industries Geotex 250ST & 315ST, Mirafi Geolon HP570 & HP1500 or approved equivalent.
 4. ADS Geosynthetics 315WTM woven geotextile fabric.
 5. ADS Geosynthetics 601T non-woven geotextile fabric.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 PREPARATION

- A. Protect structures, utilities, sidewalks, pavements, and other facilities from damage caused by settlement, lateral movement, undermining, washout, and other hazards created by earth moving operations.

- B. Protect and maintain erosion and sedimentation controls during earth moving operations.

3.2 CLEARING AND GRUBBING

- A. Clear and grub the site within the grading limit line of trees, shrubs, brush, other prominent vegetation, debris, and obstructions except for those items indicated to remain. Completely remove stumps and roots protruding through the ground surface.
 - 1. Use only hand methods for grubbing inside the drip line of trees indicated to be left standing.
 - 2. Where roots and branches of trees indicated to be saved interfere with new construction, carefully and cleanly cut them back to point of branching.
- B. Fill depressions caused by the clearing and grubbing operations in accordance with the requirements for filling and backfilling, unless further excavation is indicated.

3.3 REMOVAL OF TOPSOIL

- A. Remove existing topsoil from areas within the Grading Limit Line where excavation or fill is required.
- B. Stockpile approved topsoil where directed until required for use. Place, grade, and shape stockpiles for proper drainage.
 - 1. Topsoil will be tested prior to stockpiling. Stockpile only quantities of topsoil approved in writing for re-use.
 - 2. Stock piles shall not cover utility structures or block surface runoff.

3.4 UNDERGROUND UTILITIES

- A. Locate existing underground utilities prior to commencing excavation work. Determine exact utility locations by hand excavated test pits. Support and protect utilities to remain in place.
- B. Do not interrupt existing utilities that are in service until temporary or new utilities are installed and operational.
- C. Utilities to remain in service: Will be re-routed as shown on the Contract Drawings.
- D. Utilities abandoned beneath and five feet laterally beyond the structure's proposed footprint will be removed in their entirety. Excavations required for their removal will be backfilled and compacted as specified herein.
- E. Utilities extending outside the five feet limit specified above may be abandoned in place provided their ends are adequately plugged as described below.
 - 1. Permanently close open ends of abandoned underground utilities exposed by excavations, which extend outside the limits of the area to be excavated.
 - 2. Close open ends of metallic conduit and pipe with threaded galvanized metal caps or plastic plugs or other approved method for the type of material and size of pipe. Do not use wood plugs.

3. Close open ends of concrete and masonry utilities with concrete, flow-able fill, or brick and mortar headwalls.

3.5 EXCAVATION

- A. Excavate earth as required for the Work.
- B. Install and maintain all erosion and sedimentation controls during all earthwork operations as specified on the Contract Drawings.
- C. Maintain sides and slopes of excavations in a safe condition until completion of backfilling. Comply with Code of Federal Regulations Title 29 - Labor, Part 1926 (OSHA).
 1. Trenches: Deposit excavated material on one side of trench only. Trim banks of excavated material to prevent cave-ins and prevent material from falling or sliding into trench. Keep a clear footway between excavated material and trench edge. Maintain areas to allow free drainage of surface water.
- D. Stockpile excavated materials classified as suitable material where directed, until required for fill. Place, grade, and shape stockpiles for proper drainage as approved by the Engineer.
- E. Excavation for Structures: Conform to elevations, lines, and limits indicated. Excavate to a vertical tolerance of plus or minus 1 inch. Extend excavation a sufficient lateral distance to provide clearance to execute the work.
- F. Slabs and Floors: Excavate to the following depths below bottom of concrete for addition of select granular material:
 1. Interior Floors: 6 inches unless otherwise indicated.
 2. Exterior Slabs and Steps: 12 inches unless otherwise indicated.
- G. Pipe Trenches: Open only enough trench length to facilitate laying pipe sections. Unless otherwise indicated on the Drawings, excavate trenches approximately 24 inches wide plus the outside pipe diameter, equally divided on each side of pipe centerline. Cut trenches to cross section, elevation, profile, line, and grade indicated. Accurately grade and shape trench bottom for uniform bearing of pipe in undisturbed earth. Excavate at bell and coupling joints to allow ample room for proper pipe connections.
 1. Trench in Rock: Excavate an additional 6 inches below bottom of pipe for bed of cushion material under the piping.
- H. Open Ditches: Cut ditches to cross sections and grades indicated.
- I. Pavement: Excavate to subgrade surface elevation.
- J. Unauthorized Excavations: Unless otherwise directed, backfill unauthorized excavation under footings, foundation bases, and retaining walls with compacted select granular material without altering the required footing elevation. Elsewhere, backfill and compact unauthorized excavation as specified for authorized excavation of the same classification, unless otherwise directed by the Engineer.
- K. Notify the Owner's Representative upon completion of excavation operations. Do not proceed with the work until the excavation is inspected and approved. Inspection of the excavation will be made on three working days notice.
- L. Removal of Unsuitable Material Beneath Structures and Other Improvements: Excavate encountered unsuitable materials, which extend below required

elevations, to additional depth as directed by the Owner's Representative. Have cross sections taken to determine the quantity of such excavation. Do not backfill this excavation prior to quantity measurement.

3.6 DEWATERING

- A. Prior to the performance of any excavations provide dewatering methods such that the groundwater table is maintained at an elevation that is beneath the excavated depth.
- B. Prevent surface and subsurface water from flowing into excavations and trenches and from flooding the site and surrounding area.
- C. Do not allow water to accumulate in excavations or trenches. Remove water from all excavations immediately to prevent softening or undercutting of footings, and soil changes detrimental to the stability of subgrades. Furnish and maintain pumps, sumps, suction and discharge piping systems, and other system components necessary to convey the water away from the Site.
- D. Convey water removed from excavations, and rain water, to collecting or run-off area. Cut and maintain temporary drainage ditches and provide other necessary diversions outside excavation limits for each structure. Do not use trench excavations as temporary drainage ditches.
- E. Provide temporary controls to restrict the velocity of discharged water as necessary to prevent erosion and siltation of receiving areas.

3.7 SUBGRADE SURFACE FOR WALKS AND PAVEMENT

- A. Shape and grade subgrade surface as follows:
 - 1. Walks: Shape the surface of areas under walks to required line, grade and cross section, with the finish surface not more than 1 inch above or below the required subgrade surface elevation.
 - 2. Pavements: Shape the surface of areas under pavement to required line, grade and cross section, with the finish surface not more than 1/2 inch above or below the required subgrade surface elevation.
- B. Grade Control: During construction, maintain lines and grades including crown and cross-slope of subbase course.
- C. Thoroughly compact subgrade surface for walks and pavement by mechanical rolling, tamping, or with vibratory equipment as approved to the density specified.
- D. Keep sub surfaces dry and protect them from precipitation and runoff. Sub surfaces that have been exposed to precipitation or runoff will be rerolled, reworked, or replaced at no additional cost to the Owner.

3.8 PLACING GEOTECH FABRIC

- A. Place and overlap geotech fabric in accordance with the manufacturer's installation instructions, unless otherwise shown.
- B. Cover tears and other damaged areas with additional fabric layer extending three feet beyond the damage.
- C. Do not permit traffic or construction equipment directly on fabric.

- D. Backfill over fabric within two weeks after placement. Backfill in accordance with the fabric manufacturer's instructions and in a manner to prevent damage to the fabric.

3.9 PLACING FILL AND BACKFILL

- A. Surface Preparation of Fill Areas: Strip topsoil, remaining vegetation, and other deleterious materials prior to placement of fill. Remove all asphalt pavement in its entirety from areas requiring the placement of fill or break up old pavements to a maximum size of four inches. Prior to placement of fill, smooth out and compact areas where wheel rutting has occurred due to stripping or earthwork operations.
- B. Place backfill and fill materials in layers not more than eight inches thick in loose depth unless otherwise specified. Before compaction, moisten or aerate each layer as necessary to facilitate compaction to the required density. Do not place backfill or fill material on surfaces that are muddy, frozen, or covered with ice.
 - 1. Place fill and backfill against foundation walls, and in confined areas such as trenches not easily accessible by larger compaction equipment, in maximum six inch thick loose depth layers.
 - 2. For large fill areas, the layer thickness may be modified by the Engineer, at the Contractor's written request, if in the Engineer's judgment, the equipment used is capable of compacting the fill material in a greater layer thickness. This request will include the type and specifications of compaction equipment intended for use.
- C. Under Exterior Concrete Slabs and Steps:
 - 1. Up to Subgrade Surface Elevation: Place selected fill when fill or backfill is required.
 - 2. Subbase Material: Place 12 inches of select granular material over subgrade surface.
- D. Under Pavements and Walks:
 - 1. Up to Subgrade Surface Elevation: Place selected fill when fill or backfill is required.
 - 2. Subbase Material: Place as indicated.
- E. Landscaped Areas: Place suitable material when required to complete fill or backfill areas up to subgrade surface elevation. Do not use material containing rocks over four inches in diameter within the top 12 inches of suitable material.
- F. Plastic Pipe in Trenches: Place cushion material a minimum of six inches deep under pipe, 12 inches on both sides, and 12 inches above top of pipe. Complete balance of backfill as specified.
 - 1. Trench in Rock: Place a minimum six-inch-deep bed of cushion material under pipe.
- G. Backfilling Excavation Resulting From Removal of Unsuitable Material Beneath Structures and Other Improvements: Backfill the excavation with compacted select granular material.

3.10 COMPACTION

- A. All materials with exception of open graded stone:
1. Compact each layer of fill and backfill for the following area classifications to the percentage of maximum density specified below and at a moisture content suitable to obtain the required densities, but not less than three percent drier or more than two percent wetter than the optimum content as determined by ASTM D 698 (Standard Proctor) or 1557 (Modified Proctor).
 - a. Structures (entire area within ten feet outside perimeter): 95 percent.
 - b. Concrete Slabs and Steps: 95 percent.
 - c. Landscaped Areas: 90 percent.
 - d. Pavements and Walks: 95 percent.
 - e. Pipes and Tunnels: 95 percent.
 - f. Pipe Bedding: 95 percent.
 2. When the existing ground surface to be compacted has a density less than that specified for the particular area classification, break up and pulverize, and moisture condition to facilitate compaction to the required percentage of maximum density.
 3. Moisture Control:
 - a. Where fill or backfill must be moisture conditioned before compaction, uniformly apply water to the surface and to each layer of fill or backfill. Prevent ponding or other free water on surface subsequent to, and during compaction operations.
 - b. Remove and replace, or scarify and air dry, soil that is too wet to permit compaction to specified density. Soil that has been removed because it is too wet to permit compaction may be stockpiled or spread and allowed to dry. Assist drying by discing, harrowing or pulverizing, until moisture content is reduced to a value which will permit compaction to the percentage of maximum density specified.
 4. If a compacted layer fails to meet the specified percentage of maximum density, the layer will be recompact and retested. If compaction cannot be achieved the material/layer will be removed and replaced. No additional material may be placed over a compacted layer until the specified density is achieved.

3.11 ROUGH GRADING

- A. Exterior Grading: Trim and grade area within the grading limit line and excavations outside the limit line, required by this Contract, to a level of 4 inches below the finish grades indicated unless otherwise specified herein or where greater depths are indicated. Provide smooth uniform transition to adjacent areas.

1. Slope cut and fill in transition areas, outside of the grading limit line, to meet corresponding levels of existing grades at a slope of 1 vertical to 2 horizontal unless otherwise indicated.
2. Landscaped Areas: Provide uniform subgrade surface within 1 inch of required level to receive topsoil thickness specified. Compact fill as specified to within three inches of subgrade surface. Remove objectionable material detrimental to proper compaction or to placing full depth of topsoil. If the top three inches of subgrade has become compacted before placement of topsoil, harrow or otherwise loosen rough graded surface to receive topsoil to a depth of three inches immediately prior to placing topsoil.

3.12 FINISH GRADING

- A. Uniformly grade rough graded areas within limits of the grading limit line to finish grade elevations indicated.
- B. Grade and compact to smooth finished surface within tolerances specified, and to uniform levels or slopes between points where finish elevations are indicated or between such points and existing finished grade.
- C. Grade areas adjacent to building lines so as to drain away from structures and to prevent ponding.
- D. Finish surfaces free from irregular surface changes, and as follows:
 1. Grassed Areas: Finish areas to receive topsoil to within one inch above or below the required subgrade surface elevations.
 2. Walks: Place and compact subbase material as specified. Shape surface of areas under walks to required line, grade and cross section, with the finish surface not more than 1/2 inch above or below the required subbase elevation.
 3. Pavements: Place and compact subbase material as specified. Shape surface of areas under pavement to required line, grade and cross section, with the finish surface not more than 1/2 inch above or below the required subbase elevation.

3.13 MAINTENANCE AND RESTORATION

- A. Restore grades to indicated levels where settlement or damage due to performance of the work has occurred. Correct conditions contributing to settlement. Remove and replace improperly placed or poorly compacted fill materials.
- B. Restore pavements, walks, curbs, lawns, and other exterior surfaces damaged during performance of the work to match the appearance and performance of existing corresponding surfaces as closely as practicable.
- C. Water seeded areas as required until physical completion of the work.

3.14 DISPOSAL OF EXCESS AND UNSUITABLE MATERIALS

- A. Remove from property and dispose of excess and unsuitable materials, including materials resulting from clearing and grubbing and removal of existing improvements.

- B. Transport excess and unsuitable materials, including materials resulting from clearing and grubbing and removal of existing improvements, to spoil areas on property, and dispose of such materials as directed.
- C. Transport excess topsoil to areas on property designated by the Owner's Representative. Smooth grade deposited topsoil.

3.15 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Special Inspections: A qualified special inspector shall perform the following special inspections:
 - 1. Determine prior to placement of fill that site has been prepared in compliance with requirements.
 - 2. Determine that fill material and maximum lift thickness comply with requirements.
 - 3. Determine, at the required frequency, that in-place density of compacted fill complies with requirements.
- B. Testing Agency: A qualified geotechnical engineering testing agency shall perform tests and inspections.
- C. Allow testing agency to inspect and test subgrades and each fill or backfill layer. Proceed with subsequent earth moving only after test results for previously completed work comply with requirements.
- D. When testing agency reports that subgrades, fills, or backfills have not achieved degree of compaction specified, scarify and moisten or aerate, or remove and replace soil materials to depth required; recompact and retest until specified compaction is obtained.
- E. When subgrades, fills, or backfills are exposed to precipitation, runoff, or other events that may affect the density, they shall be retested prior to covering it with any fill, backfill, stone, or pavement.

3.16 PROTECTION

- A. Protect graded areas from traffic and erosion, and keep them free of trash and debris.
- B. The contractor shall take all reasonable measures to schedule all excavation and fill work to avoid damage or delay due to weather or other construction activities. The contractor will also take reasonable precautions and take measures to protect all excavations and placed fill from precipitation and adverse weather. All subgrades, fills, or backfills that fail proofing or testing after the contractor failed to take reasonable protective measures shall be reworked or replaced as needed at no additional cost to the Owner.
- C. Repair and reestablish grades to specified tolerances where completed or partially completed surfaces become eroded, rutted, settled, or where they lose compaction due to subsequent construction operations or weather conditions.
 - 1. Scarify or remove and replace soil material to depth as directed by Engineer; reshape and recompact.
- D. Where settling occurs before Project correction period elapses, remove finished surfacing, backfill with additional soil material, compact, and reconstruct surfacing.

1. Restore appearance, quality, and condition of finished surfacing to match adjacent work, and eliminate evidence of restoration to greatest extent possible.

END OF SECTION 312000

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SECTION 312316 – ROCK REMOVAL

PART 1 GENERAL

1.1 RELATED WORK SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE

- A. Contract Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- B. Section 312000: Excavation and Fill

1.2 DEFINITIONS

- A. Rock: Limestone, sandstone, shale, granite, and similar material in solid beds or masses in its original or stratified position which can be removed only by blasting operations, drilling, wedging, or use of pneumatic tools, and boulders with a volume greater than 1.0 cu yd. Concrete building foundations and concrete slabs, not indicated, with a volume greater than 1.0 cu yd shall be classified as rock.
 - 1. Limestone, sandstone, shale, granite, and similar material in a broken or weathered condition which can be removed with an excavator or backhoe equipped with a bucket with ripping teeth or any other style bucket shall be classified as earth excavation.
 - 2. Masonry building foundations, whether indicated or not, shall be classified as earth excavation.
- B. Unauthorized Rock Removal:
 - 1. The removal of any rock prior to performing the measurements/work required to determine quantities (Paragraph 3.1 B).
 - 2. The removal of material below required elevation indicated on the Drawings or beyond lateral dimensions indicated or specified without specific written direction by the Owner's Representative.
- C. General Rock Removal: Quantities of rock removal will be paid for as General Rock Removal when:
 - 1. The width of rock removed, as per measurement limits, is greater than or equal to the total excavation depth required.
 - 2. The boulder removed has a volume greater than 1.0 cu yd.
- D. Trench and Pier Rock Removal: Quantities of rock removal will be paid for as Trench and Pier Rock Removal when the width of rock removed, as per measurement limits, is less than the total excavation depth required.

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Rock Removal Procedure: Submit a detailed outline of intended rock removal procedure for the Owner's Representative's information. This submittal will not relieve the Contractor of responsibility for the successful performance of method used.
 - 1. Where blasting is permitted, show drill hole pattern, method of blasting, explosive types, and amount of explosive load.
- B. Quality Control Submittals:
 - 1. Certificates: Competency affidavit required under Quality Assurance Article.
 - 2. Blasters Qualifications Data: Submit the following for each blaster:
 - 3. Name, and employer's name, business address and telephone number.
 - 4. Names and addresses of the required number of similar projects which meet the experience criteria.
- C. Measurement data for quantities of rock removal.

1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Pre-Rock Removal Conference: Before the rock removal work is scheduled to commence, a conference will be called by the Director's Representative at the site for the purpose of reviewing the Contract Documents and discussing requirements for the Work. The conference shall be attended by the Contractor's Representative and the person supervising the rock removal operations.

1.5 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Blasting and the use of explosive materials will not be permitted.

PART 2 PRODUCTS (Not Used)

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION, VERIFICATION & MEASUREMENT

- A. Examination of Existing Property and Construction: Prior to starting rock removal Work, thoroughly examine the existing property and construction at the site and record, with notes and drawings or other documentation, existing defects and deterioration. Make this information available to the Owner's Representative upon request.

- B. Prior to removing material classified as rock, excavate test pits down to rock for the purpose of verifying the presence of sound rock and determining top of rock elevations.
 - 1. Verification of Sound Rock: Demonstrate to the Engineer that materials to be classified as rock cannot be removed utilizing a backhoe or excavator equipped with any form of bucket, including a bucket equipped with ripping teeth.
 - 2. Required Measurements: Take elevations and measurements as required for the purpose of determining the quantities of rock removal. Record all measurement data and submit a copy of the data to the Owner's Representative. Backfill test pits prior to rock removal as directed. Unless otherwise indicated or directed, excavate test pits as follows:
 - a. For Structures: One pit for each structure or one pit for each 1000 sq ft, whichever is greater.
 - b. For Paved Areas: 3 pits for each 2500 sq ft.
 - c. For Utility Lines: One pit for each 100 lin ft.

3.2 SITE PREPARATION

- A. Schedule a site meeting with the Owner's Representative and facility personnel to review the rock removal procedures in detail.
- B. If required, have seismographs in place and operational as well as all safety equipment and fencing.

3.3 ROCK REMOVAL

- A. Remove rock as required and necessary for the installation of the work as shown on the Contract Drawings. Make sufficient clearance, within the limits specified, for the proper execution of the work.
- B. Volume Determination: Top of Rock Elevations established prior to the performance of any rock removal (Section 3.1 B) will be used to determine the depth of rock removed. Measurements for the base and width of the rock excavation shall be taken of the actual rock cut, as required for the Work, or to the specified measurement limits, whichever is smaller. Unless otherwise directed in writing, measurement limits for this work shall be as follows:
 - 1. Cast-In-Place Concrete:

- a. Vertical Limit: Bottom of rock cut for cast-in-place concrete bearing on rock shall be the bottom of concrete elevation indicated on the Drawings.
- b. Horizontal Limit: Limit measurement between vertical side surfaces at bottom of rock cut to the following:

Actual Depth of Rock Cut	Distance Beyond Edge of Concrete in Each Direction
Under 3 Feet	18 Inches
3 to 15 Feet	24 Inches
Over 15 Feet	30 Inches

2. Precast Concrete Structures: Measurement will be based on the size of the precast concrete structure specified or indicated on the Drawings.
 - a. Vertical Limit: Bottom of rock cut for precast concrete structure shall be 12 inches below the required bottom of structure elevation.
 - b. Horizontal Limit: Limit measurement between vertical side surfaces at bottom of rock cut to the following:

Actual Depth of Rock Cut	Distance Beyond Edge of Concrete in Each Direction
Under 5 Feet	12 Inches
5 to 15 Feet	18 Inches
Over 15 Feet	24 Inches

3. Pipe:
 - a. Vertical Limit: Bottom of rock cut for pipe in trench shall be 6 inches below the required pipe invert elevation, with depth measured from the mean surface of the rock.
 - b. Horizontal Limit: Limit measurement between vertical side surfaces at bottom of rock cut as shown in trench details or to the following, whichever is greater:

Actual Depth of Rock Cut	Trench Width
Under 10 Feet	24 Inches plus Pipe OD
10 to 15 Feet	36 Inches plus Pipe OD
Over 15 Feet	48 Inches plus Pipe OD

3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Provide the Owner's Representative with the recorded top of rock elevations. Prior to the performance of any rock removal operations obtain, in writing, that the Owner's Representative as reviewed the information and is in agreement with the measurements taken.
- B. Notify the Owner's Representative at least 3 workdays in advance of all phases of blasting operations.
- C. Allow time for visual inspection of bottom of rock cut required for the work.

3.3 DISPOSAL OF EXCESS AND UNSUITABLE MATERIALS

- A. Remove from site and dispose of excess and unsuitable rock materials.
- B. Transport excess and unsuitable rock materials to spoil areas on site designated by the Owner's Representative and dispose of such materials as directed.

3.4 ADJUSTING

- A. Unauthorized Rock Removal:
 - 1. Horizontal Direction: Backfill and compact unauthorized rock removal in the horizontal direction as specified for authorized excavation of the same classification, unless otherwise directed.
 - 2. Vertical Direction: Immediately report unauthorized rock removal in the vertical direction to the Owner's Representative. Correct unauthorized rock removal in the vertical direction in accordance with directions of the Owner's Representative.

3.4 CLEANING

- A. Where footings and walls will rest entirely on rock, clean rock surfaces free of soil and loose rock.

END OF SECTION 312316

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SECTION 312319 – DEWATERING

PART 1 GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes construction dewatering.

1.2 RELATED WORK SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE

- A. Contract Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- B. Section 312000: Excavation and Fill

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Field quality-control reports.
- B. Existing Conditions: Using photographs, show existing conditions of adjacent construction and site improvements that might be misconstrued as damage caused by dewatering operations. Submit before work begins.
- C. Record Drawings: Identify locations and depths of abandoned-in-place dewatering equipment.
- D. Shop Drawings: Submit drawings and diagrams, with all pertinent data, showing the dewatering system proposed for use. Indicate the spacing and location of wellpoints and reading wells, and location of header lines, pumps, valves and discharge lines.

1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Qualifications: The work of this Section shall be performed by a firm experienced in wellpoint dewatering work. The firm shall have satisfactorily completed such work for at least 5 projects of comparable size.
- B. The dewatering system shall consist of equipment, appliances and materials designed or suitable for controlling groundwater in construction work.

1.4 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Blasting and the use of explosive materials will not be permitted.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.1 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Dewatering Performance: Design, furnish, install, test, operate, monitor, and maintain dewatering system of sufficient scope, size, and capacity to control hydrostatic pressures and to lower, control, remove, and dispose of ground water and permit excavation and construction to proceed on dry, stable subgrades.
 - 1. Design dewatering system, including comprehensive engineering analysis by a qualified professional engineer.
 - 2. Continuously monitor and maintain dewatering operations to ensure erosion control, stability of excavations and constructed slopes, prevention of flooding in excavation, and prevention of damage to subgrades and permanent structures.
 - 3. Prevent surface water from entering excavations by grading, dikes, or other means.
 - 4. Accomplish dewatering without damaging existing buildings, structures, and site improvements adjacent to excavation.
 - 5. Remove dewatering system when no longer required for construction.
- B. Regulatory Requirements: Comply with governing EPA notification regulations before beginning dewatering. Comply with water- and debris-disposal regulations of authorities having jurisdiction.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 PREPARATION

- A. Protect structures, utilities, sidewalks, pavements, and other facilities from damage caused by settlement, lateral movement, undermining, washout, and other hazards created by dewatering operations.
 - 1. Prevent surface water and subsurface or ground water from entering excavations, from ponding on prepared subgrades, and from flooding site or surrounding area.
 - 2. Protect subgrades and foundation soils from softening and damage by rain or water accumulation.
- B. Install dewatering system to ensure minimum interference with roads, streets, walks, and other adjacent occupied and used facilities.
 - 1. Do not close or obstruct streets, walks, or other adjacent occupied or used facilities without permission from Owner and authorities

having jurisdiction. Provide alternate routes around closed or obstructed traffic ways if required by authorities having jurisdiction.

- C. Provide temporary grading to facilitate dewatering and control of surface water.

3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Install the dewatering system in accordance with approved shop drawings and as required by site conditions. Locate elements of the system to allow a continuous dewatering operation without interfering with the installation of any permanent project work.
 - 1. Space well points or wells at intervals required to provide sufficient dewatering.
 - 2. Use filters or other means to prevent pumping of fine sands or silts from the subsurface.
- B. Provide sumps, sedimentation tanks, and other flow-control devices as required by authorities having jurisdiction. Provide standby equipment on-site, installed and available for immediate operation, to maintain dewatering on continuous basis if any part of system becomes inadequate or fails.

3.3 OPERATIONS

- A. Operate system continuously until drains, sewers, and structures have been constructed and fill materials have been placed or until dewatering is no longer required.
- B. Operate system to lower and control ground water to permit excavation, construction of structures, and placement of fill materials on dry subgrades. Drain water-bearing strata above and below bottom of foundations, drains, sewers, and other excavations.
 - 1. Do not permit open-sump pumping that leads to loss of fines, soil piping, subgrade softening, and slope instability.
 - 2. Reduce hydrostatic head in water-bearing strata below subgrade elevations of foundations, drains, sewers, and other excavations.
 - 3. Maintain piezometric water level a minimum of 24 inches below bottom of excavation.
- C. Dispose of water removed by dewatering in a manner that avoids endangering public health, property, and portions of work under construction or completed. Dispose of water and sediment in a manner that avoids inconvenience to others.

- D. Remove dewatering system from project site on completion of dewatering. Plug or fill well holes with sand or cut off and cap below overlying construction.

3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Maintain a careful check to detect any settlement in existing adjacent Work. Notify the Engineer of any signs of settlement. Establish settlement point benchmarks and take periodic readings when directed.
- B. Provide continual observation to ensure that subsurface soils are not being removed by the dewatering operation. Prepare reports of observations.

3.5 PROTECTION

- A. Protect and maintain dewatering system during dewatering operations. Promptly repair damages to adjacent facilities caused by dewatering.

3.6 REMOVAL

- A. When the dewatering system is no longer required and when directed, dismantle and remove the system and all appurtenances from the site.

END OF SECTION 312319

SECTION 312513 – EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROLS

PART 1 GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

A. This Section includes:

1. Furnish, install, inspect, maintain, and remove soil erosion and sediment control measures during construction as shown on the Contract Documents and Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) prepared for this project.
2. Minimize the potential short-term adverse environmental impacts associated with construction activity in environmentally sensitive areas.
3. Assure the quantity and quality of stormwater runoff is not substantially altered due to construction activities.
4. Stabilize slopes and protect offsite areas by the installation and maintenance of stabilization and erosion control measures.
5. Dewatering operation procedure.

1.2 RELATED WORK SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE

- A. Contract Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- B. Section 312000: Excavation and Fill
- C. Section 312319: Dewatering

1.3 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. New York Standards and Specifications for Erosion and Sediment Control, NYSDEC, latest edition.
- B. NYSDEC: Reducing the Impacts of Stormwater Runoff for New Development, latest edition.
- C. NYSDEC Environmental Conservation Law, Article 17. Titles 7, 8 and Article 70.
- D. 6 NYCRR Parts 611 – 613 and all additions.
- E. OSHA 40 CFR Part 258 and all additions. New York State: Standards and Specifications for Erosion and Sediment Control, latest edition.

1.4 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. A Storm Water Pollution and Prevention Plan (SWPPP) has been prepared for this project. Adhere to all conditions of the SWPPP, and the NYSDEC SPDES General Permit for stormwater discharges from construction activity. The permit number is GP-0-20-001. Provide any temporary sediment and erosion control measures that may be required within limits of the work, including any staging areas, throughout construction in conformance with the plan, and as directed by the Director's Representative. Place the permanent control practices required before the removal of the temporary storm water diversion and control items.
- B. During construction conduct operations in such a manner as to prevent or reduce to a minimum any damage to any water body from pollution by debris, sediment, chemical or other foreign material, or from the manipulation of equipment and/or materials in or near a stream or ditch flowing directly to a stream. Any water which has been used for wash purposes or other similar operations which become polluted with sewage, silt, cement, concentrated chlorine, oil, fuels, lubricants, bitumens, or other impurities shall not be discharged into any water body.
- C. In the event of conflict between these specifications and the regulation of other Federal, State, or local jurisdictions, the more restrictive regulations shall apply.
- D. The Contractor shall adhere to all requirements of the Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan as presented on the Contract Drawings and the SWPPP.
- E. The Contractor will submit copies of certificates documenting that on-site workers have completed a NYS Department of Environmental Conservation endorsed Erosion & Sediment Control training as required by State Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (SPDES) General Permit for Stormwater Discharges from Construction Activity (GP-0-20-001).
- F. The Work shall consist of furnishing, installing, inspecting, maintaining, and removing soil and erosion control measures as shown on the contract documents or as ordered by the Owner's Representative during the life of the contract to provide erosion and sediment control.
- G. Temporary structural measures provide erosion control protection to a critical area for an interim period. A critical area is any disturbed, denuded slope subject to erosion. These are used during construction to prevent offsite sedimentation. Temporary structural measures shall include check dams, construction road stabilization, stabilized construction entrance, dust control, earth dike, level spreader, perimeter dike/swale, pipe slope drain, portable sediment tank, rock dam, sediment basin, sediment traps, silt fence, storm drain inlet protection, straw/hay bale dike, access waterway crossing, storm drain diversion, temporary

swale, turbidity curtain, water bars or other erosion control devices or methods as required.

- H. Permanent structural measures also control protection to a critical area. They are used to convey runoff to a safe outlet. They remain in place and continue to function after completion of construction. Permanent structural measures shall include debris basins, diversion, grade stabilization structure, land grading, lined waterway (rock), paved channel, paved flume, retaining wall, riprap, rock outlets, and stream bank protection or other erosion control devices or methods as required.
- I. Vegetative measures shall include brush matting, dune stabilization, grassed waterway, vegetating waterway, mulching, protecting vegetation, seeding, sod, straw/hay bale dike, stream bank protection, temporary swale, topsoil, and vegetating waterways.
- J. Vegetative measures shall include brush matting, dune stabilization, grassed waterway, vegetating waterway, mulching, protecting vegetation, seeding, sod, straw/hay bale dike, stream bank protection, temporary swale, topsoil, and vegetating waterways.
- K. Biotechnical measures shall include wattling (live fascines, brush matting, brush layering, live cribwall, and branchpacking) vegetated rock gabions, live staking, tree revetment, and fiber rolls.
- L. Inspections will be completed as specified in the SWPPP and GP-0-20-001. Comply with and correct all deficiencies found as a result of these inspections. At the end of the construction season when soil disturbance activities will be finalized or suspended until the following spring, the frequency of the inspections may be reduced. If soil disturbance is completely suspended and the site is properly stabilized, a minimum of monthly inspections must be maintained. The stabilization activities must be completed before snow cover or frozen ground. If vegetation is required, seeding, planting and/or sodding must be scheduled to avoid die-off from fall frosts and allow for proper germination/establishment. Weekly inspections must resume no later than March 15.

1.5 DEFINITIONS

- A. Stabilized Construction Entrance: A stabilized pad of aggregate underlain with geo-textile where traffic enters a construction site to reduce or eliminate tracking of sediment to public roads.
- B. Dust Control: Prevent surface and air movement of dust from disturbed soil surfaces.
- C. Portable Sediment Tank: A compartmented tank to which sediment laden water is pumped to retain sediment before pumping the water to adjoining drainage ways.

- D. Sediment Basin: A barrier constructed across a drainage way to intercept and trap sediment.
- E. Sediment Traps: A control device formed by excavation to retain sediment at a storm inlet or other points of collection.
- F. Silt Fence: A barrier of geo-textile fabric installed on contours across the slope to intercept runoff by reducing velocity. Replace after 1 year.
- G. Storm Drain Inlet Protection: A semi-permeable barrier installed around storm inlets to prevent sediment from entering a storm drainage system.
- H. Straw/Hay Bale Dike: Intercept sediment laden runoff by reducing velocity. Replace after 3 months.
- I. Storm drain Diversion: The redirection of a storm drain line or outfall channel for discharge into a sediment trapping device.
- J. Temporary Swale: A temporary excavated drainage swale.
- K. Protecting Vegetation: Protecting trees, shrubs, ground cover and other vegetation from damage.
- L. Temporary Seeding: Erosion control protection to a critical area for an interim period. A critical area is any disturbed, denuded slope subject to erosion.
- M. Permanent Seeding: Grasses established and combined with shrubs to provide perennial vegetative cover on disturbed, denuded, slopes subject to erosion.
- N. Sod: Used where a quick vegetative cover is required.

1.6 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: Manufacturer's catalog cuts, specifications and installation instructions.
- B. Contingency Action Plan for prompt remedial action in the event spillage of petroleum products or other pollutants should occur. Contingency Action Plan shall be submitted to the Owner's Representative for acceptance prior to the start of construction.
- C. Name and location of all material suppliers.
- D. Certificate of compliance with the standards specified above for each source of each material.
- E. List of disposal sites for waste and unsuitable materials and all required permits for use of those sites.
- F. Where a Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan has been prepared, the Owner's Representative shall file a Notice of Intent (NOI) with NYSDEC prior to commencing construction activities and a Notice of Termination (NOT) with NYSDEC following final construction and stabilization.

- G. Where a Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan has been prepared, the Contractor will submit copies of certificates documenting that on-site workers have completed a NYS Department of Environmental Conservation endorsed Erosion & Sediment Control training as required by General Permit GP-0-20-001.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

1.1 MATERIALS

- A. Silt Fence
 - 1. Mirafi, Envirofence 365 South Holland Drive, Pendergrass, Ga, 30567, (888) 795-0808, <http://www.tencategeo.us/en-us/>
 - 2. Filter X
 - 3. Stabilinka T140N
 - 4. Approved equivalent
- B. Filter fabric inlet protection
- C. Stone and block inlet protection
- D. Temporary filters for inlet protection
- E. Hardwood staking material
- F. Stone material
- G. Dry Rip Rap
 - 1. NYSDOT Standard Specification Section 620

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 PREPARATION

- A. Prior to any construction activities, install temporary erosion and sediment control barriers or measures as indicated on the Contract Drawings, per manufacturer's specifications
- B. Where a Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan has been prepared, the Contractor shall comply with all provisions of the "Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan", prepared by Passero Associates
- C. The Contractor shall be required to protect and preserve existing trees and shrubs in areas designated on the Contract Drawings. Contractor shall replace any tree or shrubs damaged in kind to the satisfaction of the Owner.
- D. The Contractor shall contact the Owner's Representative once the erosion and sediment control structures have been installed.
- E. Prior to commencement of construction, the Owner's Representative shall conduct an assessment of the site and certify that the appropriate erosion

and sediment control structures as shown on the Contract Drawings have been adequately installed and implemented.

- F. Staging of Earthwork Activities: All earthwork shall be scheduled so that the smallest possible areas will be unprotected from erosion for the shortest time feasible.
- G. Vegetation adjacent to or outside of access roads or rights-of-way shall not be damaged.
- H. The Owner's Representative has the authority to limit the surface area of erodible earth exposed by earthwork operations and to direct the Contractor to provide immediate temporary or permanent erosion measures to minimize damage to property and contamination of watercourses and water impoundments. Under no circumstances will the area of erodible earth material exposed at one time exceed 5 acres. The Owner's Representative may increase or decrease this area of erodible earth material exposed at one time as determined by their analysis of project, weather and other conditions. The Owner's Representative may limit the area of clearing and grubbing and earthwork operations in progress commensurate with the Contractor's demonstrated capability in protecting erodible earth surfaces with temporary, permanent, vegetative or biotechnical erosion control measures.
- I. Schedule the work so as to minimize the time that earth areas will be exposed to erosive conditions. Provide temporary structural measures immediately to prevent any soil erosion.
- J. Provide temporary seeding on disturbed earth or soil stockpiles exposed for more than 7 days or for any temporary shutdown of construction. In spring, summer or early fall apply rye grass at a rate of 1 lb/ 1000 sq.ft. In late fall or early spring, apply certified Aroostook Rye at a rate of 2.5 lbs./ 1000 sq. ft. Apply hay or straw at a rate of 2 bales/ 1000 sq. ft. or wood fiber hydromulch at the manufacturer's recommended rate. Hay or straw shall be anchored.
- K. Provide temporary grading to facilitate dewatering and control of surface water.
- L. Coordinate the use of permanent controls or finish materials shown with the temporary erosion measures.
- M. After final stabilization has been achieved, temporary sediment and erosion controls must be removed. Areas disturbed during removal must be stabilized immediately.

- N. Disposal of spoil material shall not be in any flood plain, wetland, stream, brook, or sensitive environmental area. The Contractor shall dispose of spoils within staging areas and provide sediment control barriers accordingly.

3.2 CLEARING

- A. Tree trunks and roots, vegetation, and project debris shall not be buried on site.
- B. Staging areas (for storage of materials and stockpiles) shall be located as shown on the plans. Where areas must be cleared for staging area temporary structures, provisions shall be made for regulating drainage and controlling erosion.
- C. All abandoned or useless objects including equipment, supplies, personal property, rubbish, (including those present prior to construction activities) should be removed from the project work area and properly disposed of in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations.

3.3 SWPPP COMPLIANCE

- A. The Owner shall have a qualified professional, as described in the NYSDEC SPDES General Permit for Stormwater Discharge from Construction Permit No. GP-0-20-001, conduct a site inspection following the commencement of construction at least every 7 calendar days.
- B. All erosion and sediment control devices must be maintained in working order until the site is stabilized. All preventative and remedial maintenance work, including clean out, repair, replacement, re-grading, re-seeding, or re-mulching, must be performed immediately.
- C. The Contractor shall, at the direction of the Owner's Representative, use necessary methods to minimize erosion within access roads, especially in areas that drain to watercourse areas.
- D. Cuts, fills, and other disturbed areas will be maintained to prevent erosion until adequate vegetative/impervious cover is established.
- E. Water, resulting from dewatering operations that will reduce the quality of receiving waters shall not be directly discharged. The Contractor shall provide, install, and maintain sump pits where necessary to dewater operations as detailed on the plans. Stone used within the sump pits shall

be washed clean stone. The Contractor shall provide, install and maintain dewatering bags, as deemed necessary to control sediment deposits at critical environmental areas. Lifting straps shall be placed under the unit to facilitate removal after use. Dewatering bags shall be placed on stabilized areas over grass. Discharge hose from pump shall be inserted a minimum of six inches and tightly secured with attached strap to prevent water from flowing out of the unit without being filtered. Water from dewatering operations shall be treated to eliminate the discharge of sediment and other pollutants to streams and watercourses. The unit shall be replaced when it is half full of sediment or when the sediment has reduced the flow rate of the pump discharge to an impractical rate. Remove and dispose of sediment and dewatering bag off-site.

- F. Silt fence, where identified on plans, shall be installed at down gradient locations to control sediment deposits off-site at critical environmental areas. The silt fence shall be staked (unless noted otherwise), anchored and set as per manufactures specifications. The silt fence shall be inspected on a daily basis and after a rain fall event and repaired as necessary.
- G. A stabilized construction entrance shall be installed and maintained for vehicular access on and off site. The entrance shall be constructed of 2" stone, or approved equal, and shall have a minimum length of 50 feet. The condition of the entrance shall be inspected daily and repaired as necessary.
- H. Dust control shall be controlled by the use of water, or calcium chloride application. Water application shall be applied at a rate where mud is not produced. The rate of application of the calcium chloride shall not exceed Federal, State and Local application rates or manufactures recommendations. Dust control shall be applied on adjacent public streets.
- I. Dry rip-rap shall conform to the lines, grades and thicknesses indicated on construction plans. It shall be a well-graded mass of variable size stones with no areas of uniform size material. Align stones to obtain a close fit and to minimize voids. Fill spaces between stones with spalls of suitable size.
- J. Paved areas within access corridors and parking areas shall be swept on a regular basis (minimum twice per week) as needed to minimize sediment and dust tracked from the work area. Should sediment and dust be

tracked off-site, Contractor shall be responsible for sweeping public streets.

- K. During the final site restoration, the Contractor shall remove all sediment and debris deposited in the temporary and permanent erosion and sediment control barriers or measures including but not limited to all culverts and drainage swales, at no additional cost to the Owner.
- L. When all disturbed areas are stable, all temporary erosion and sediment control measures shall be removed per the approval of the Owner's Representative. The measures are temporary and shall be removed and the areas restored to its original condition when they are no longer required, at no additional cost to the Owner.
- M. The Owner and Contractor shall maintain a record of all erosion and sediment control inspection reports at the site in a log book. The site log book shall be maintained on the site and be made available to the permitting authority. The Owner / Contractor shall post at the site, in a publicly accessible location, a summary of the site inspection activities on a monthly basis.
- N. The Contractor is fully responsible for maintaining, repairing, and protecting his work throughout the project, at no additional cost to the Owner, until the Owner accepts the work.

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SECTION 321216 – ASPHALT PAVING

PART 1 GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Hot-mixed asphalt pavement for roads
- B. Hot-mixed asphalt patching

1.2 RELATED WORK SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE

- A. Contract Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- B. Section 312000: Excavation and Fill
- C. Section 321723: Pavement Marking

1.3 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. New York State Department of Transportation (DOT) Specification Section 400, latest edition.

1.4 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Environmental Requirements:
 - 1. Discontinue paving when surface temperatures fall below requirements listed in DOT Table 402-1 unless otherwise specified in the General Conditions of this Contract or as directed by the Owner's Representative.
 - 2. Do not place asphalt concrete on wet surfaces, or when weather conditions otherwise prevent the proper handling or finishing of bituminous mixtures as determined by the Owner's Representative.
 - 3. Pavement is restricted by dates listed in the General Conditions or by temperatures.

1.5 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data:
 - 1. Paving Synthetics: including Manufacturer's name, specifications, MSDS as required and installation instructions (including adhesion type and rate) for each item specified.
 - 2. Asphaltic Pavement: Include mix design from NYSDOT approved Batch Plant, Mix Design Test results that are less than 6 months old
- B. Batch plant name, NYSDOT Plant Number, and location of asphalt plant.
- C. Pavement Quality Control Submittals: Material Delivery Tickets

1. At the time of delivery, a copy of the delivery ticket must be presented to the Director's Representative with the following minimum information:
 - a. Ticket Number.
 - b. Plant Identification.
 - c. Project Name.
 - d. Mix Type.
 - e. Quantity of material in vehicle.
 - f. Date and Time.
- D. Qualification Data: For manufacturer and testing agency.
- E. Field quality-control reports.

1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Manufacturer Qualifications: A paving-mix manufacturer registered with and approved by authorities having jurisdiction or the NYSDOT.
- B. Testing Agency Qualifications: Qualified according to ASTM D 3666 for testing indicated.
- C. Regulatory Requirements: Comply with materials, workmanship, and other applicable requirements of the NYSDOT for asphalt paving work.
- D. Measurement and payment provisions and safety program submittals included in standard specifications do not apply to this Section.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.1 AGGREGATES

- A. All aggregate used in design mixes shall be as specified in DOT Specification Section 401-2.02 B.; Coarse Aggregate Type F2 Conditions.
- B. Coarse Aggregate: ASTM D 692, sound; angular crushed stone, crushed gravel.
- C. Fine Aggregate: ASTM D 1073 or AASHTO M 29, sharp-edged natural sand or sand prepared from stone, gravel.

2.2 ASPHALT MATERIALS

- A. General: Use locally available materials and gradations that exhibit a satisfactory record of previous installations.
- B. Asphalt Pavement: Paving materials shall comply with the New York State Department of Transportation Standard Specification dated "Current Version." Section 400 – Hot Mix Asphalt.
- C. Trueing & Leveling Course: DOT Table 401-1 Composition of Hot Mix Asphalt Mixtures, Type 5 (Shim).

- D. Asphalt Cement: ASTM D 3381 for viscosity-graded material. ASTM D 946 for penetration-graded material.
- E. Asphalt Cement Tack Coat: Material shall conform to NYSDOT Section 407 – Tack Coat.
- F. Prime Coat: Cut-back asphalt type, ASTM D 2027; MC-30, MC-70 or MC-250.

2.3 AUXILIARY MATERIALS

- A. Sand: ASTM D 1073 or AASHTO M 29, Grade Nos. 2 or 3.
- B. Joint Sealant: ASTM D 3405 or AASHTO M 301, hot-applied, single-component, polymer-modified bituminous sealant.
- C. Paving Synthetics: A non-woven fabric designed for use in pavement rehabilitation to reduce reflective cracking, act as a vapor barrier and have one side heat bonded only.
 - 1. Tensar Triax Geogrid
 - 2. Tencate
 - 3. Propex Fabrics
 - 4. Fibertex
 - 5. Approved equivalent

2.4 MIXES

- A. Hot-Mix Asphalt: Dense, hot-laid, hot-mix asphalt plant mixes approved by authorities having jurisdiction; designed according to procedures in AI MS-2, "Mix Design Methods for Asphalt Concrete and Other Hot-Mix Types"; and complying with the following requirements:
 - 1. Provide mixes with a history of satisfactory performance in geographical area where Project is located.
 - 2. Base Course: NYSDOT (Type 37.5 F9 Base Course HMA, series 80 compaction) per Contract Drawings.
 - 3. Binder Course: NYSDOT (Type 19 F9 Binder Course HMA, series 80 compaction) per Contract Drawings.
 - 4. Top Course: NYSDOT (Type 9.5 F2 Top Course HMA, series 80 compaction) per Contract Drawings.
 - 5. True and Leveling Course: Binder Course mix to be used in placed in a lift greater than 2 inches thick. Top Course mix to be used in a lift less than 2 inches thick.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify that sub-grade is dry and in suitable condition to support paving and imposed loads.

- B. Proof-roll subgrade in accordance with Specification Section 312000: Excavation and Fill
- C. Proceed with paving only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

3.2 SURFACE PREPARATION

- D. General: Immediately before placing asphalt materials, remove loose and deleterious material from substrate surfaces. Ensure that prepared subgrade is ready to receive paving
- E. Sweep loose granular particles from surface of unbound-aggregate base course. Do not dislodge or disturb aggregate embedded in compacted surface of base course.
- F. Tack Coat: If top course is not placed within twenty-four (24) hours of binder placement, a tack coat shall be applied to clean surface prior to placement of top course. Apply uniformly to surfaces of pavement at a rate of 0.05 to 0.15 gal./sq. yd.
- G. Allow tack coat to cure undisturbed before applying hot-mix asphalt paving.
- H. Avoid smearing or staining adjoining surfaces, appurtenances, and surroundings. Remove spillages and clean affected surfaces.

3.3 HOT-MIX ASPHALT PLACING

- A. Machine place hot-mix asphalt on prepared surface, spread uniformly, and strike off using a self-propelled paving machine with vibrating screed. Place asphalt mix by hand to areas inaccessible to equipment in a manner that prevents segregation of mix. Place each course to required grade, cross section, and thickness when compacted.
 - 1. Clean cracks and joints in existing hot-mix asphalt pavement.
 - 2. Place hot-mix asphalt base course in number of lifts and thicknesses indicated.
 - 3. Spread mix at minimum temperature of 250 deg F.
 - 4. Begin applying mix along centerline of crown for crowned sections and on high side of one-way slopes, unless otherwise indicated.
 - 5. Regulate paver machine speed to obtain smooth, continuous surface free of pulls and tears in asphalt-paving mat.
- B. Place paving in consecutive strips not less than 10 feet wide unless infill edge strips of a lesser width are required.
 - 1. After first strip has been placed and rolled, place succeeding strips and extend rolling to overlap previous strips. Overlap mix

placement about 1 to 1-1/2 inches from strip to strip to ensure proper compaction of mix along longitudinal joints.

2. Complete a section of asphalt base course before placing asphalt surface course.

- C. Promptly correct surface irregularities in paving course behind paver. Use suitable hand tools to remove excess material forming high spots. Fill depressions with hot-mix asphalt to prevent segregation of mix; use suitable hand tools to smooth surface.

3.4 JOINTS

- A. Construct joints to ensure a continuous bond between adjoining paving sections. Construct joints free of depressions with same texture and smoothness as other sections of hot-mix asphalt course.
 1. Clean contact surfaces and apply tack coat to joints.
 2. Offset longitudinal joints, in successive courses, a minimum of 6 inches.
 3. Offset transverse joints, in successive courses, a minimum of 12 inches.
 4. Construct transverse joints as described in AI MS-22, "Construction of Hot Mix Asphalt Pavements."
 5. Compact joints as soon as hot-mix asphalt will bear roller weight without excessive displacement.
 6. Compact asphalt at joints to a density within 2 percent of specified course density.

3.5 COMPACTION

- A. General: Begin compaction as soon as placed hot-mix paving will bear roller weight without excessive displacement. Compact hot-mix paving with hot, hand tampers or vibratory-plate compactors in areas inaccessible to rollers.
 1. Complete compaction before mix temperature cools to 185 deg F.
- B. Breakdown Rolling: Complete breakdown or initial rolling immediately after rolling joints and outside edge. Examine surface immediately after breakdown rolling for indicated crown, grade, and smoothness. Correct laydown and rolling operations to comply with requirements.
- C. Intermediate Rolling: Begin intermediate rolling immediately after breakdown rolling while hot-mix asphalt is still hot enough to achieve specified density. Continue rolling until hot-mix asphalt course has been uniformly compacted to the following density:
 1. Average Density: 92 percent of reference maximum theoretical density according to ASTM D 2041, but not less than 90 percent nor greater than 96 percent.

- D. Finish Rolling: Finish roll paved surfaces to remove roller marks while hot-mix asphalt is still warm.
- E. Edge Shaping: While surface is being compacted and finished, trim edges of pavement to proper alignment. Bevel edges while asphalt is still hot; compact thoroughly.
- F. Repairs: Remove paved areas that are defective or contaminated with foreign materials and replace with fresh, hot-mix asphalt. Compact by rolling to specified density and surface smoothness.
- G. Protection: After final rolling, do not permit vehicular traffic on pavement until it has cooled and hardened.
- H. Erect barricades to protect paving from traffic until mixture has cooled enough not to become marked.

3.6 INSTALLATION TOLERANCES

- A. Thickness: Compact each course to produce the thickness indicated within the following tolerances:
 - 1. Binder Course: Plus or minus 1/2 inch.
 - 2. Surface Course: Plus 1/4 inch, no minus.
- B. Surface Smoothness: Compact each course to produce a surface smoothness within the following tolerances as determined by using a 10-foot straightedge applied transversely or longitudinally to paved areas:
 - 1. Base Course: 1/4 inch.
 - 2. Surface Course: 1/8 inch.
 - 3. Crowned Surfaces: Test with crowned template centered and at right angle to crown. Maximum allowable variance from template is 1/4 inch.

3.7 PATCHING

- A. Hot-Mix Asphalt Pavement: Saw cut perimeter of patch and excavate existing pavement section to sound base. Excavate rectangular or trapezoidal patches, extending 12 inches into adjacent sound pavement, unless otherwise indicated. Cut excavation faces vertically. Remove excavated material. Re-compact existing unbound-aggregate base course to form new sub-grade.
- B. Tack Coat: Apply uniformly to vertical surfaces abutting or projecting into new, hot-mix asphalt paving at a rate of 0.05 to 0.15 gal./sq. yd.
 - 1. Allow tack coat to cure undisturbed before applying hot-mix asphalt paving.
 - 2. Avoid smearing or staining adjoining surfaces, appurtenances, and surroundings. Remove spillages and clean affected surfaces.
- C. Patching: Partially fill excavated pavements with hot-mix asphalt base mix and, while still hot, compact. Cover asphalt base course with compacted, hot-mix surface layer finished flush with adjacent surfaces.

3.8 REPAIRS

- A. Leveling Course: Install and compact leveling course consisting of hot-mix asphalt surface course to level sags and fill depressions deeper than 1 inch in existing pavements.
 - 1. Install leveling wedges in compacted lifts not exceeding 3 inches thick.
- B. Crack and Joint Filling: Remove existing joint filler material from cracks or joints to a depth of 1/4 inch.
 - 1. Clean cracks and joints in existing hot-mix asphalt pavement.
 - 2. Use emulsified-asphalt slurry to seal cracks and joints less than 1/4 inch wide. Fill flush with surface of existing pavement and remove excess.

3.9 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Special Inspections: Contractor shall engage a qualified special inspector to perform the following special inspections:
- B. Testing Agency: Engage a qualified testing agency to perform tests and inspections.
- C. Thickness: In-place compacted thickness of hot-mix asphalt courses shall be determined according to ASTM D 3549.
- D. Surface Smoothness: Finished surface of each hot-mix asphalt course shall be tested for compliance with smoothness tolerances.
- E. In-Place Density: Testing agency shall take samples of uncompacted paving mixtures and compacted pavement according to ASTM D 979.
 - 1. Reference maximum theoretical density shall be determined by averaging results from four samples of hot-mix asphalt-paving mixture delivered daily to site, prepared according to ASTM D 2041, and compacted according to job-mix specifications.
 - 2. In-place density of compacted pavement shall be determined by testing core samples according to ASTM D 1188 or ASTM D 2726.
 - a. One core sample shall be taken for every 1000 sq. yd or less of installed pavement, with no fewer than three cores taken.
 - b. Field density of in-place compacted pavement may also be determined by nuclear method according to ASTM D 2950 and correlated with ASTM D 1188 or ASTM D 2726.
- F. Replace and compact hot-mix asphalt where core tests were taken.
- G. Remove and replace or install additional hot-mix asphalt where test results or measurements indicate that it does not comply with specified requirements.

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SECTION 321313 - CONCRETE PAVING

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes:
 - 1. Walks.
- B. Related Sections:
 - 1. Section 312000 Excavation and Fill for all general site and subbase preparation.

1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Cementitious Materials: Portland cement alone or in combination with one or more of blended hydraulic cement, fly ash and other pozzolans, and ground granulated blast-furnace slag.
- B. W/C Ratio: The ratio by weight of water to cementitious materials.

1.4 PREINSTALLATION MEETINGS

- A. Preinstallation Conference: Conduct conference at the Project Site.
 - 1. Review methods and procedures related to concrete paving, including but not limited to, the following:
 - a. Concrete mixture design.
 - b. Quality control of concrete materials and concrete paving construction practices.
 - 2. Require representatives of each entity directly concerned with concrete paving to attend, including the following:
 - a. Contractor's superintendent.

- b. Independent testing agency responsible for concrete design mixtures.
- c. Ready-mix concrete manufacturer.
- d. Concrete paving Subcontractor.

1.5 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated.
- B. Samples for Initial Selection: For each type of product, ingredient, or admixture requiring color selection.
- C. Samples for Verification: For each type of product or exposed finish, prepared as Samples of size indicated below:
 - 1. All Concrete types and finishes: 8-feet by 8-feet by depth specified.
- D. Other Action Submittals:
 - 1. Design Mixtures: For each concrete paving mixture. Include alternate design mixtures when characteristics of materials, Project conditions, weather, test results, or other circumstances warrant adjustments.

1.6 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Qualification Data: For qualified ready-mix concrete manufacturer and testing agency.
- B. Material Certificates: For the following, from manufacturer:
 - 1. Cementitious materials.
 - 2. Steel reinforcement and reinforcement accessories.
 - 3. Fiber reinforcement.
 - 4. Admixtures.
 - 5. Curing compounds.
 - 6. Concrete sealers.
 - 7. Applied finish materials.
 - 8. Joint fillers.
- C. Material Test Reports: For each of the following:
 - 1. Aggregates. Include service-record data indicating absence of deleterious expansion of concrete due to alkali-aggregate reactivity.
- D. Field quality-control reports.

1.7 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Detectable Warning Installer Qualifications: An employer of workers trained and approved by manufacturer of stamped concrete paving systems.
- B. Ready-Mix-Concrete Manufacturer Qualifications: A firm experienced in manufacturing ready-mixed concrete products and that complies with ASTM C 94/C 94M requirements for production facilities and equipment.
 - 1. Manufacturer certified according to NRMCA's "Certification of Ready Mixed Concrete Production Facilities" (Quality Control Manual - Section 3, "Plant Certification Checklist").
- C. Concrete Testing Service: The Owner shall engage a qualified testing agency to perform material evaluation tests and to design concrete mixtures.
- D. ACI Publications: Comply with ACI 301 unless otherwise indicated.
- E. Mockups: Build mockups to verify selections made under sample submittals and to demonstrate aesthetic effects and set quality standards for materials and execution.
 - 1. Build mockups of full-thickness sections of concrete paving to demonstrate typical joints; surface finish, texture, and color; curing; and standard of workmanship.
 - 2. Mockups of concrete paving in the location and of the size indicated or, if not indicated, build mockups where directed by Owner's Representative and not less than 96 inches by 96 inches.
 - 3. Approval of mockups does not constitute approval of deviations from the Contract Documents contained in mockups unless Owner's Representative specifically approves such deviations in writing.
 - 4. Approved mockups may become part of the completed Work if undisturbed at time of Substantial Completion.
- F. Preinstallation Conference: Conduct conference at Project Site.
 - 1. Review methods and procedures related to concrete paving, including but not limited to, the following:
 - a. Concrete mixture design.
 - b. Quality control of concrete materials and concrete paving construction practices.
 - 2. Require representatives of each entity directly concerned with concrete paving to attend, including the following:

- a. Contractor's superintendent.
- b. Independent testing agency responsible for concrete design mixtures.

1.8 FIELD CONDITIONS

- A. Traffic Control: Maintain access for vehicular and pedestrian traffic as required for other construction activities.
- B. Cold-Weather Concrete Placement: Protect concrete work from physical damage or reduced strength that could be caused by frost, freezing, or low temperatures. Comply with ACI 306.1 and the following:
 - 1. When air temperature has fallen to or is expected to fall below 40 deg F, uniformly heat water and aggregates before mixing to obtain a concrete mixture temperature of not less than 50 deg F and not more than 80 deg F at point of placement.
 - 2. Do not use frozen materials or materials containing ice or snow.
 - 3. Do not use calcium chloride, salt, or other materials containing antifreeze agents or chemical accelerators unless otherwise specified and approved in design mixtures.
- C. Hot-Weather Concrete Placement: Comply with ACI 301 and as follows when hot-weather conditions exist:
 - 1. Cool ingredients before mixing to maintain concrete temperature below 90 deg F at time of placement. Chilled mixing water or chopped ice may be used to control temperature, provided water equivalent of ice is calculated in total amount of mixing water. Using liquid nitrogen to cool concrete is Contractor's option.
 - 2. Cover steel reinforcement with water-soaked burlap, so steel temperature will not exceed ambient air temperature immediately before embedding in concrete.
 - 3. Fog-spray forms, steel reinforcement, and subgrade just before placing concrete. Keep subgrade moisture uniform without standing water, soft spots, or dry areas.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 CONCRETE, GENERAL

- A. ACI Publications: Comply with ACI 301 unless otherwise indicated.

2.2 FORMS

- A. Form Materials: Plywood, metal, metal-framed plywood, or other approved panel-type materials to provide full-depth, continuous, straight, and smooth exposed surfaces.
 - 1. Use flexible or uniformly curved forms for curves with a radius of 100 feet or less. Do not use notched and bent forms.
- B. Form-Release Agent: Commercially formulated form-release agent that will not bond with, stain, or adversely affect concrete surfaces and that will not impair subsequent treatments of concrete surfaces.

2.3 STEEL REINFORCEMENT

- A. Deformed-Steel Welded-Wire Reinforcement: ASTM A 1064/A 1064M, flat sheet.
- B. Epoxy-Coated Welded-Wire Reinforcement: ASTM A 884/A 884M, Class A, plain steel.
- C. Reinforcing Bars: ASTM A 615/A 615M, Grade 60; deformed.
- D. Tie Bars: ASTM A 615/A 615M, Grade 60 deformed.
- E. Joint Dowel Bars: Stainless steel dowel bars. Cut bars true to length with ends square and free of burrs.
- F. Bar Supports: Bolsters, chairs, spacers, and other devices for spacing, supporting, and fastening reinforcing bars, welded wire reinforcement, and dowels in place. Manufacture bar supports according to CRSI's "Manual of Standard Practice" from steel wire.
 - 1. Equip wire bar supports with sand plates or horizontal runners where base material will not support chair legs.
 - 2. For epoxy-coated reinforcement, use epoxy-coated or other dielectric-polymer-coated wire bar supports.
- G. Epoxy Repair Coating: Liquid, two-part, epoxy repair coating, compatible with epoxy coating on reinforcement.

2.4 CONCRETE MATERIALS

- A. Cementitious Material: Use the following cementitious materials, of same type, brand, and source throughout Project:

1. Portland Cement: ASTM C 150, gray portland cement Type I or Type II. Supplement with the following:
 - a. Fly Ash: ASTM C 618, Class F.
 - b. Ground Granulated Blast-Furnace Slag: ASTM C 989, Grade 100 or 120.
- B. Normal-Weight Aggregates: ASTM C 33, uniformly graded. Provide aggregates from a single source with documented service-record data of at least 10 years' satisfactory service in similar paving applications and service conditions using similar aggregates and cementitious materials.
 1. Maximum Coarse-Aggregate Size: 1 inch nominal.
 2. Fine Aggregate: Free of materials with deleterious reactivity to alkali in cement.
- C. Exposed Aggregate: Selected, hard, and durable; washed natural gravel; free of materials with deleterious reactivity to cement or that cause staining; from a single source.
 1. Aggregate Source, Shape, and Color: As approved by Owner's Representative and Landscape Architect.
- D. Water: Potable and complying with ASTM C 94/C 94M.
- E. Air-Entraining Admixture: ASTM C 260.
- F. Color Pigment: ASTM C 979/C 979M, synthetic mineral-oxide pigments or colored water-reducing admixtures; color stable, free of carbon black, nonfading, and resistant to lime and other alkalis.
 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following, or an approved equal:
 - a. Davis Color
 - b. Scofield, L.M. Company.
 2. Color: As approved by the Owner's Representative and Landscape Architect from either manufacturer's standard color range.
 3. When specified for any location, use a color matched caulking compound designed for joint sealing for the expansion joint.
 - a. Expansion joint caulk color to be approved by Owner's Representative.
 - b. Color to be from Manufacturer's full range of available colors.
- G. Chemical Admixtures: Admixtures certified by manufacturer to be compatible with other admixtures and to contain not more than 0.1 percent water-soluble chloride ions by mass of cementitious material.

1. Water-Reducing Admixture: ASTM C 494/C 494M, Type A.
2. Retarding Admixture: ASTM C 494/C 494M, Type B.
3. Water-Reducing and Retarding Admixture: ASTM C 494/C 494M, Type D.
4. High-Range, Water-Reducing Admixture: ASTM C 494/C 494M, Type F.
5. High-Range, Water-Reducing and Retarding Admixture: ASTM C 494/C 494M, Type G.
6. Plasticizing and Retarding Admixture: ASTM C 1017/C 1017M, Type II.

2.5 FIBER REINFORCEMENT

- A. Fibrous Reinforcing: "Solomon UltraFiber 500" concrete reinforcing fiber, or approved equal:
1. Material: Alkali-resistant, natural/ virgin cellulose fibers.
 2. Average Length: 2.1 mm (0.083 inch).
 3. Average Denier: 2.5 g/9,000 m.
 4. Average Diameter: $18\mu(0.63 \times 10^{-3} \text{ inch})$
 5. Count: 1,590,000 fibers/g (720,000,000 fibers/pound).
 6. Density: 1.10 g/cm³.
 7. Surface Area: 25,000 cm²/g (12,200 ft²/pound).
 8. Average Tensile Strength: 750 N/mm² (110 ksi). 03 24 00-2
 9. Average Elastic Modulus: 8,500 N/mm² (1,200 ksi).
 10. Fiber Spacing: 550 μm at 0.9 kg/m³ dosage rate (0.026 inch at 1.5 pounds/cubic yard dosage rate).

2.6 CURING MATERIALS

- A. Absorptive Cover: AASHTO M 182, [Class 3, burlap cloth made from jute or kenaf, weighing approximately 9 oz./sq. yd.
- B. Moisture-Retaining Cover: ASTM C 171, polyethylene film or white burlap-polyethylene sheet.
- C. Water: Potable.
- D. Evaporation Retarder: Waterborne, monomolecular, film forming, manufactured for application to fresh concrete.
1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, available products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
 - a. Axim Italcementi Group, Inc.; Caltexol CIMFILM.
 - b. BASF Construction Chemicals, LLC; Confilm.
 - c. ChemMasters; Spray-Film.

- d. Conspec by Dayton Superior; Aquafilm.
 - e. Dayton Superior Corporation; Sure Film (J-74).
 - f. Edoco by Dayton Superior; BurkeFilm.
 - g. Euclid Chemical Company (The), an RPM company; Eucobar.
 - h. Kaufman Products, Inc.; VaporAid.
 - i. Lambert Corporation; LAMBCO Skin.
 - j. L&M Construction Chemicals, Inc.; E-CON.
 - k. Meadows, W. R., Inc.; EVAPRE.
 - l. Metalcrete Industries; Waterhold.
 - m. Nox-Crete Products Group; MONOFILM.
 - n. Sika Corporation, Inc.; SikaFilm.
 - o. SpecChem, LLC; Spec Film.
 - p. Symons by Dayton Superior; Finishing Aid.
 - q. TK Products, Division of Sierra Corporation; TK-2120 TRI-FILM.
 - r. Unitex; PRO-FILM.
 - s. Vexcon Chemicals Inc.; Certi-Vex EnvioAssist.
 - t. Or Approved Equal.
- E. Clear, Waterborne, Membrane-Forming Curing Compound: ASTM C 309, Type 1, Class B, dissipating.
- 1. Products:
 - a. Basis – of – Design: Meadows, W. R., Inc.; MED CURE, or approved equal.
 - 2. Subject to compliance with requirements, available products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
 - a. Anti-Hydro International, Inc.; A-H Curing Compound #2 DR WB.
 - b. ChemMasters; Safe-Cure Clear.
 - c. Conspec by Dayton Superior; D.O.T. Resin Cure OR DSSCC Clear Resin Cure.
 - d. Dayton Superior Corporation; Day-Chem Rez Cure (J-11-W).
 - e. Edoco by Dayton Superior; DSSCC Clear Resin Cure, Resin Emulsion Cure V.O.C. (Type I).
 - f. Euclid Chemical Company (The), an RPM company; Kurez W VOX.
 - g. Kaufman Products, Inc.; Thinfilm 420.
 - h. Lambert Corporation; AQUA KURE - CLEAR.
 - i. L&M Construction Chemicals, Inc.; L&M CURE R.
 - j. Nox-Crete Products Group; Resin Cure E.
 - k. SpecChem, LLC; PaveCure Rez.
 - l. Symons by Dayton Superior; Resi-Chem Clear.
 - m. Tamms Industries, Inc., Euclid Chemical Company (The); TAMMSCURE WB 30C.

- n. TK Products, Division of Sierra Corporation; [TK-2519 WB] [TK-2519 DC WB].
- o. Vexcon Chemicals Inc.; Certi-Vex Enviocure 100.
- p. Or Approved Equal.

2.7 RELATED MATERIALS

- A. Concrete Sealer: Penetrating Water Repellant Sealer, clear penetrating sealer consisting of 100% silane and meeting the following criteria:
 - 1. Flashpoint: 145 Deg.
 - 2. NCHRP No. 244 Reduction in Chloride Content Average: 95%
 - 3. NCHRP No. 244 Reduction in water absorption: 1 day in water: 95%, 3 days in water: 89%
 - 4. VOC's: 248 g/l
 - 5. Average Depth of Penetration: 0.2"
 - 6. Product: Euclid Chemical Company (The): "Baracade Silane 100 C" or approved equal.
 - 7. Install per manufacture's written specifications.
- B. Chemical Surface Retarder: Water-soluble, liquid, set retarder with color dye, for horizontal concrete surface application, capable of temporarily delaying final hardening of concrete to a depth of 1/8 to 1/4 inch, or as approved by the Owner's Representative and Landscape Architect.
 - 1. Products:
 - a. Basis – of – Design: Grace (GCP Applied Technologies, Inc.); Top-Cast, or approved equal.
- C. Joint Fillers: Non-extruding, resilient, closed cell, semi-rigid foam preformed recess strips or ASTM D 1751, asphalt-saturated cellulosic fiber in preformed strips if approved by owner's representative. Provide extruded PVC cap with a removable top to receive self-leveling joint sealant.

2.8 CONCRETE MIXTURES

- A. Prepare design mixtures, proportioned according to ACI 301 for each type and strength of normal-weight concrete, and as determined by either laboratory trial mixtures or field experience.
 - 1. Use a qualified independent testing agency for preparing and reporting proposed concrete design mixtures for the trial batch method.

2. When automatic machine placement is used, determine design mixtures and obtain laboratory test results that meet or exceed requirements.
- B. Proportion mixtures to provide normal-weight concrete with the following properties:
 1. Compressive Strength (28 Days): 4500 psi.
 2. Maximum Water-Cementitious Materials Ratio at Point of Placement: 0.44
 3. Slump Limit: 4 inches, plus or minus 1 inch.
- C. Add air-entraining admixture at manufacturer's prescribed rate to result in normal-weight concrete at point of placement having an air content as follows:
 1. Air Content: 6 percent plus or minus 1.5 percent for 1-inch nominal maximum aggregate size.
- D. Limit water-soluble, chloride-ion content in hardened concrete to 0.15 percent by weight of cement.
- E. Chemical Admixtures: Use admixtures according to manufacturer's written instructions.
 1. Use water-reducing admixture in concrete as required for placement and workability.
 2. Use water-reducing and retarding admixture when required by high temperatures, low humidity, or other adverse placement conditions.
- F. Fibrous Reinforcing: Uniformly disperse in concrete mixture at manufacturer's recommended rate, ASTM C 94, but not less than 1.5 lb/cu. yd.
- G. Color Pigment: Add color pigment to concrete mixture according to manufacturer's written instructions and to result in hardened concrete color consistent with approved mockup.

2.9 CONCRETE MIXING

- A. Ready-Mixed Concrete: Measure, batch, and mix concrete materials and concrete according to ASTM C 94/C 94M and ASTM C 1116/C 1116M. Furnish batch certificates for each batch discharged and used in the Work.
 1. When air temperature is between 85 and 90 deg F, reduce mixing and delivery time from 1-1/2 hours to 75 minutes; when air temperature is above 90 deg F, reduce mixing and delivery time to 60 minutes.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine exposed subgrades and subbase surfaces for compliance with requirements for dimensional, grading, and elevation tolerances.
- B. Proof-roll prepared subbase surface below concrete paving to identify soft pockets and areas of excess yielding.
 - 1. Completely proof-roll subbase in one direction and repeat in perpendicular direction]. Limit vehicle speed to 3 mph.
 - 2. Proof-roll with a pneumatic-tired and loaded, 10-wheel, tandem-axle dump truck weighing not less than 15 tons.
 - 3. Correct subbase with soft spots and areas of pumping or rutting exceeding depth of 1/2 inch according to requirements in Section 312000 "Earth Moving."
- C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Remove loose material from compacted subbase surface immediately before placing concrete.

3.3 EDGE FORMS AND SCREED CONSTRUCTION

- A. Set, brace, and secure edge forms, bulkheads, and intermediate screed guides to required lines, grades, and elevations. Install forms to allow continuous progress of work and so forms can remain in place at least 24 hours after concrete placement.
- B. Clean forms after each use and coat with form-release agent to ensure separation from concrete without damage.

3.4 STEEL REINFORCEMENT

- A. General: Comply with CRSI's "Manual of Standard Practice" for fabricating, placing, and supporting reinforcement.
- B. Clean reinforcement of loose rust and mill scale, earth, ice, or other bond-reducing materials.

- C. Arrange, space, and securely tie bars and bar supports to hold reinforcement in position during concrete placement. Maintain minimum cover to reinforcement.
- D. Install welded wire reinforcement in lengths as long as practicable. Lap adjoining pieces at least one full mesh, and lace splices with wire. Offset laps of adjoining widths to prevent continuous laps in either direction.
- E. Epoxy-Coated Reinforcement: Use epoxy-coated steel wire ties to fasten epoxy-coated reinforcement. Repair cut and damaged epoxy coatings with epoxy repair coating according to ASTM D 3963/D 3963M
- F. Install fabricated bar mats in lengths as long as practicable. Handle units to keep them flat and free of distortions. Straighten bends, kinks, and other irregularities, or replace units as required before placement. Set mats for a minimum 2-inch overlap of adjacent mats.

3.5 JOINTS

- A. General: Construct construction, isolation, and contraction joints and tool edges true to line, with faces perpendicular to surface plane of concrete.
 - 1. Locate all joints as indicated on the Drawings.
- B. Construction Joints: Locate as called for on the drawings and at side and end terminations of paving or to coincide with required expansion joint locations.
 - 1. Continue steel reinforcement across construction joints unless otherwise indicated. Do not continue reinforcement through sides of paving strips unless otherwise indicated.
 - 2. Provide tie bars at sides of paving strips where indicated.
 - 3. Butt Joints: Use bonding agent at joint locations where fresh concrete is placed against hardened or partially hardened concrete surfaces.
 - 4. Keyed Joints: Provide preformed keyway-section forms or bulkhead forms with keys unless otherwise indicated. Embed keys at least 1-1/2 inches into concrete.
 - 5. Doweled Joints: Install dowel bars and support assemblies at joints where indicated. Lubricate or coat with asphalt one-half of dowel length to prevent concrete bonding to one side of joint.
- C. Expansion Joints: Form expansion joints and install preformed joint-filler strips. Locate expansion joints where indicated on the Drawings and between standard concrete and colored concrete.
 - 1. Extend joint fillers full width of joint.
 - 2. Terminate joint filler below finished surface with polystyrene removable cap.
 - 3. Furnish joint fillers in one-piece lengths. Where more than one length is required, lace or clip joint-filler sections together.

4. Protect top edge of joint filler during concrete placement with extruded polystyrene removable cap. Remove protective cap after concrete has been placed and finished on both sides of joint to receive joint sealant.
 5. Caulk all expansion joints with 100% silicone sealant. Color to match paving.
- D. Isolation Joints: Locate isolation joints wherever concrete abuts other fixed objects such as curbs, utility structures, light poles, etc.
1. Form isolation joints the full width of adjacent surfaces and terminate joint materials below finished surface of concrete.
 2. Isolation joints may include thin joint filler strips of less than 1/4-inch in thickness that prevent fresh concrete from adhering to adjacent site objects and features.
 3. Caulk all isolation joints with 100% silicone sealant. Color to match paving.
- E. Install stainless steel dowel bars and sleeve assemblies at all expansion joints.
1. Dowel and sleeve assemblies shall be spaced per plans and no more than 16" o.c. across full width of each expansion joint.
 2. Dowel and sleeve assemblies are not necessary for isolation joints.
- F. Contraction (control) Joints: Form weakened-plane contraction (control) joints, sectioning concrete into areas as indicated on the Drawings. Construct contraction joints for a depth as indicated on the plans and equal to at least one-fourth of the concrete slab thickness, as follows:
1. Contraction joints to be Sawn, fully straight along joint lines and perpendicular to finished pavement edges or where indicated on drawings.
 2. Joint depth to be 1/4 of slab thickness.
- G. Edging: Tool edges of pavement in concrete after initial floating with an edging tool to the following radius. Repeat tooling of edges after applying surface finishes. Eliminate tool marks on concrete surfaces. Radius to be 1/4 inch.

3.6 CONCRETE PLACEMENT

- A. Before placing concrete, inspect and complete formwork installation, steel reinforcement, and items to be embedded or cast-in.
- B. Remove snow, ice, or frost from subbase surface and steel reinforcement before placing concrete. Do not place concrete on frozen surfaces.
- C. Moisten subbase to provide a uniform dampened condition at time concrete is placed. Do not place concrete around manholes or other structures until they are at required finish elevation and alignment.
- D. Comply with ACI 301 requirements for measuring, mixing, transporting, and placing concrete.

- E. Do not add water to concrete during delivery or at Project site. Do not add water to fresh concrete after testing.
- F. Deposit and spread concrete in a continuous operation between transverse joints. Do not push or drag concrete into place or use vibrators to move concrete into place.
- G. Consolidate concrete according to ACI 301 by mechanical vibrating equipment supplemented by hand spading, rodding, or tamping.
 - 1. Consolidate concrete along face of forms and adjacent to transverse joints with an internal vibrator. Keep vibrator away from joint assemblies, reinforcement, or side forms. Use only square-faced shovels for hand spreading and consolidation. Consolidate with care to prevent dislocating reinforcement, dowels, and joint devices.
- H. Screed paving surface with a straightedge and strike off.
- I. Commence initial floating using bull floats or darbies to impart an open-textured and uniform surface plane before excess moisture or bleed water appears on the surface. Do not further disturb concrete surfaces before beginning finishing operations or spreading surface treatments.
- J. Cold-Weather Placement: Protect concrete work from physical damage or reduced strength that could be caused by frost, freezing, or low temperatures. Comply with ACI 306.1 and the following:
 - 1. When air temperature has fallen to or is expected to fall below 40 deg F, uniformly heat water and aggregates before mixing to obtain a concrete mixture temperature of not less than 50 deg F and not more than 80 deg F at point of placement.
 - 2. Do not use frozen materials or materials containing ice or snow.
 - 3. Do not use calcium chloride, salt, or other materials containing antifreeze agents or chemical accelerators unless otherwise specified and approved in design mixtures.
- K. Hot-Weather Placement: Comply with ACI 301 and as follows when hot-weather conditions exist:
 - 1. Cool ingredients before mixing to maintain concrete temperature below 90 deg F at time of placement. Chilled mixing water or chopped ice may be used to control temperature, provided water equivalent of ice is calculated in total amount of mixing water. Using liquid nitrogen to cool concrete is Contractor's option.
 - 2. Cover steel reinforcement with water-soaked burlap so steel temperature will not exceed ambient air temperature immediately before embedding in concrete.

3. Fog-spray forms, steel reinforcement, and subgrade just before placing concrete. Keep subgrade moisture uniform without standing water, soft spots, or dry areas.

3.7 FLOAT FINISHING

- A. General: Do not add water to concrete surfaces during finishing operations.
- B. Float Finish: Begin the second floating operation when bleed-water sheen has disappeared and concrete surface has stiffened sufficiently to permit operations. Float surface with power-driven floats or by hand floating if area is small or inaccessible to power units. Finish surfaces to true planes. Cut down high spots and fill low spots. Refloat surface immediately to uniform granular texture.
 1. Medium-to-Fine-Textured Broom Finish: Draw a soft-bristle broom across float-finished concrete surface perpendicular to line of traffic to provide a uniform, fine-line texture.

3.8 SPECIAL FINISHES

- A. Monolithic Exposed-Aggregate Finish: Expose coarse aggregate in paving surface as follows:
 1. Immediately after float finishing, spray-apply chemical surface retarder to paving according to manufacturer's written instructions.
 2. Cover paving surface with plastic sheeting, sealing laps with tape, and remove when ready to continue finishing operations.
 3. Without dislodging aggregate, remove mortar concealing the aggregate by carefully washing and/or lightly brushing surface with a stiff, nylon-bristle broom. Do not expose more than one-third of the average diameter of the aggregate or as approved by the Landscape Architect during the mock-up process.
- B. Fine-spray surface with water and brush. Repeat cycle of water flushing and brushing until cement film is removed from aggregate surfaces to depth required.

3.9 CONCRETE PROTECTION AND CURING

- A. General: Protect freshly placed concrete from premature drying and excessive cold or hot temperatures.
- B. Comply with ACI 306.1 for cold-weather protection.
- C. Evaporation Retarder: Apply evaporation retarder to concrete surfaces if hot, dry, or windy conditions cause moisture loss approaching 0.2 lb/sq. ft. x h before and during

finishing operations. Apply according to manufacturer's written instructions after placing, screeding, and bull floating or darbying concrete but before float finishing.

- D. Begin curing after finishing concrete but not before free water has disappeared from concrete surface.
- E. Curing Methods: Cure concrete by a combination of these as follows:
 - 1. Moisture Curing: Keep surfaces continuously moist for not less than seven days with the following materials:
 - a. Water.
 - b. Continuous water-fog spray.
 - c. Absorptive cover, water saturated and kept continuously wet. Cover concrete surfaces and edges with 12-inch lap over adjacent absorptive covers.
 - 2. Moisture-Retaining-Cover Curing: Cover concrete surfaces with moisture-retaining cover, placed in widest practicable width, with sides and ends lapped at least 12 inches and sealed by waterproof tape or adhesive. Immediately repair any holes or tears occurring during installation or curing period using cover material and waterproof tape.
 - 3. Curing Compound: Apply uniformly in continuous operation by power spray or roller according to manufacturer's written instructions. Recoat areas that have been subjected to heavy rainfall within three hours after initial application. Maintain continuity of coating, and repair damage during curing period.

3.10 PAVING TOLERANCES

- A. Comply with tolerances in ACI 117 and as follows:
 - 1. Elevation: 1/4 inch.
 - 2. Thickness: Plus 1/4 inch, minus 1/4 inch.
 - 3. Surface: Gap below 10-foot-long, unleveled straightedge not to exceed 1/2 inch.
 - 4. Alignment of Tie-Bar End Relative to Line Perpendicular to Paving Edge: 1/2 inch per 12 inches of tie bar.
 - 5. Lateral Alignment and Spacing of Dowels: 1 inch.
 - 6. Vertical Alignment of Dowels: 1/4 inch.
 - 7. Alignment of Dowel-Bar End Relative to Line Perpendicular to Paving Edge: 1/4 inch per 12 inches of dowel.
 - 8. Joint Spacing: 3 inches.
 - 9. Contraction Joint Depth: Plus 1/4 inch, no minus.
 - 10. Joint Width: Plus 1/8 inch, no minus.

3.11 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Testing Agency: The Owner shall engage a qualified testing agency to perform tests and inspections.
- B. Testing Services: Testing of composite samples of fresh concrete obtained according to ASTM C 172 shall be performed according to the following requirements:
 - 1. Testing Frequency: Obtain at least one composite sample for each 20-cu. yd. or fraction thereof of each concrete mixture placed each day.
 - a. When frequency of testing will provide fewer than five compressive-strength tests for each concrete mixture, testing shall be conducted from at least five randomly selected batches or from each batch if fewer than five are used.
 - 2. Slump: ASTM C 143/C 143M; one test at point of placement for each composite sample, but not less than one test for each day's pour of each concrete mixture. Perform additional tests when concrete consistency appears to change.
 - 3. Air Content: ASTM C 231, pressure method; one test for each composite sample, but not less than one test for each day's pour of each concrete mixture.
 - 4. Concrete Temperature: ASTM C 1064/C 1064M; one test hourly when air temperature is 40 deg F and below and when it is 80 deg F and above, and one test for each composite sample.
 - 5. Compression Test Specimens: ASTM C 31/C 31M; cast and laboratory cure one set of three standard cylinder specimens for each composite sample.
 - 6. Compressive-Strength Tests: ASTM C 39/C 39M; test one specimen at seven days and two specimens at 28 days.
 - a. A compressive-strength test shall be the average compressive strength from two specimens obtained from same composite sample and tested at 28 days.
- C. Strength of each concrete mixture will be satisfactory if average of any three-consecutive compressive-strength tests equals or exceeds specified compressive strength and no compressive-strength test value falls below specified compressive strength by more than 500 psi.
- D. Test results shall be reported in writing to Owner's Representative, concrete manufacturer, and Contractor within 48 hours of testing. Reports of compressive-strength tests shall contain Project identification name and number, date of concrete placement, name of concrete testing and inspecting agency, location of concrete batch in Work, design compressive strength at 28 days, concrete mixture proportions and

materials, compressive breaking strength, and type of break for both 7- and 28-day tests.

- E. Nondestructive Testing: Impact hammer, sonoscope, or other nondestructive device may be permitted by Owner's Representative but will not be used as sole basis for approval or rejection of concrete.
- F. Additional Tests: Testing and inspecting agency shall make additional tests of concrete when test results indicate that slump, air entrainment, compressive strengths, or other requirements have not been met, as directed by Owner's Representative.
- G. Concrete paving will be considered defective if it does not pass tests and inspections.
- H. Additional testing and inspecting, at Contractor's expense, will be performed to determine compliance of replaced or additional work with specified requirements.
- I. Contractor shall prepare test and inspection reports.

3.12 REPAIRS AND PROTECTION

- A. Remove and replace concrete paving that is broken, damaged, or defective or that does not comply with requirements in this Section. Remove work in complete sections from joint to joint unless otherwise approved by Owner's Representative.
- B. Drill test cores, where directed by Owner's Representative, when necessary to determine magnitude of cracks or defective areas. Fill drilled core holes in satisfactory paving areas with portland cement concrete bonded to paving with epoxy adhesive.
- C. Protect concrete paving from damage. Exclude traffic from paving for at least 14 days after placement. When construction traffic is permitted, maintain paving as clean as possible by removing surface stains and spillage of materials as they occur.
- D. Maintain concrete paving free of stains, discoloration, dirt, and other foreign material. Sweep paving not more than two days before date scheduled for Substantial Completion inspections.

END OF SECTION 321313

SECTION 321723 – PAVEMENT MARKING

PART 1 GENERAL

1.1 RELATED WORK SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE

- A. Contract Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- B. Section 321216: Asphalt Paving

1.2 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. New York State Department of Transportation (DOT) Specification Section 400, latest edition.

1.4 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Perform the painting operations after working hours, on weekends or at such time so as not to interfere with the flow of traffic. Provide temporary barriers to prevent vehicles from driving over newly painted areas.
- B. Apply paint on dry pavement surface, when the air temperature is above 40 degrees F and not exceeding 95 degrees F.
- C. Follow Manufacturer's recommendations.

1.5 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: Include technical data and tested physical and performance properties. Indicate pavement markings to be used, colors, dimensions and symbols.

1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Regulatory Requirements: Comply with materials, workmanship, and other applicable.
- B. Requirements of NYSDOT for pavement-marking work and the "National Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices" latest edition and the "NYS Supplement."

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.1 MATERIALS

- A. Paint: DOT Section 640-2, yellow or white as indicated, or if not indicated as directed. Delete reference to Glass Beads.
- B. Rapid Dry Paint:
 - 1. Aexcel Corp., www.aexcelcorp.com, 72W-A042 White, 72Y-A082 Yellow
 - 2. Sherwin-Williams, www.swpavementmarkings.com, TM2152 White, TM2153 Yellow, TM2224 Blue.
 - 3. Franklin Paint Company, Inc., www.franklinpaint.com, 2014 White, 2015 Yellow.
 - 4. Approved equivalent

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 PREPARATION

- A. Remove dust, dirt, and other foreign material detrimental to paint adhesion.
- B. Mark layout of stripes and lines with chalk or paint.

3.2 APPLYING PAVEMENT MARKING

- A. Apply paint in accordance with DOT Section 640-3.02, except as follows:
 - 1. Delete references to Glass Beads.
- B. Do not apply pavement-marking paint until layout, colors, and placement have been verified with Owner's Representative or as recommended by Manufacturer.
- C. Allow paving to cure for 30 days before starting pavement marking.
- D. Sweep and clean surface to eliminate loose material and dust.
- E. Apply paint with mechanical equipment to produce pavement markings of dimensions indicated with uniform, straight edges. Apply at manufacturer's recommended rates to provide a minimum wet film thickness of 15 mils.

3.3 PROTECTING AND CLEANING

- A. Protect pavement markings from damage and wear during remainder of construction period.
- B. Clean spillage and soiling from adjacent construction using cleaning agents and procedures recommended by manufacturer of affected construction.

END OF SECTION 321723

SECTION 323113 – CHAIN LINK FENCE AND GATE

PART 1 GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

A. This Section includes:

1. Fence framework, fabric and accessories.
2. Excavation for post bases and center drop for gates.

1.2 RELATED WORK SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE

- A. Contract Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- B. Section 033000: Cast in Place Concrete
- C. Section 312000: Excavation and Fill

1.3 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. ASTM A 53 for requirements of Schedule 40 piping.

1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Shop Drawings: Complete detailed drawings for each height and style of fence and gate required. Include separate schedule for each listing all materials required and technical data such as size, weight, and finish, to ensure conformance to specifications.
- B. Product Data: Manufacturer's catalog cuts, specifications, and installation instructions for each item specified.
- C. Samples:
 1. Fence Fabric: Minimum one square foot if requested.
 2. Fence and Gate Posts: Two each, one foot long, if requested.
 3. Miscellaneous Materials and Accessories: One each, if requested.
- D. Quality Control Submittals:
 1. Certificates: Affidavit required under Quality Assurance Article.

1.1 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Comply with standards of the Chain Link Fence Manufacturer's Institute.
- B. Fence shall be installed in accordance with ASTM F-567 and gates shall be installed in accordance with ASTM F-900.
- C. Provide steel fence and related gates as a complete compatible system including necessary erection accessories, fittings, and fastenings.
- D. Posts and rails shall be continuous without splices.

1.2 WARRANTY

- A. Special Warranty: Manufacturer's standard form in which installer agrees to repair or replace components of chain-link fences that fail in materials or workmanship within specified warranty period.
- B. Failures include, but are not limited to, the following:
 - 1. Faulty operation of gate operators and controls.
 - 2. Deterioration of metals, metal finishes, and other materials beyond normal weathering.
 - 3. Warranty Period: Five years from date of Substantial Completion.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.1 STEEL FRAMEWORK

- A. All pipe shall be Schedule 40, conforming with ASTM F-1083.
- B. End Posts, Corner Posts and Pull Posts:
 - 1. 4' Fence Height Pipe: 2 inches O.D.
 - 2. 6' and 8' Fence Height Pipe: 3 inches O.D.
 - 3. 10' Fence Height Pipe: 6 inches O.D.
- C. Line Posts:
 - 1. 4' Fence Height Pipe: 2 inches O.D.
 - 2. 6' and 8' Fence Height Pipe: 2 1/2 inches O.D.
 - 3. 10' Fence Height Pipe: 3 inches O.D.
- D. Rails and Post Braces:
 - 1. 4' Fence Height Pipe: 1 5/8 inches O.D.
 - 2. 6' and 8' Fence Height Pipe: 1 5/8 inches O.D.
 - 3. 10' Fence Height Pipe: 1 5/8 inches O.D.
- E. Metallic Coating for Steel Framework:
 - 1. Type B: Zinc with organic overcoat, consisting of a minimum of 0.9 oz./sq. ft. of zinc after welding, a chromate conversion coating, and a clear, verifiable polymer film.
 - 2. External, Type B: Zinc with organic overcoat, consisting of a minimum of 0.9 oz./sq. ft. of zinc after welding, a chromate conversion coating, and a clear, verifiable polymer film. Internal, Type D, consisting of 81 percent, not less than 0.3-mil thick, zinc-pigmented coating.
 - 3. Coatings: Any coating above.

2.2 STEEL FABRIC

- A. One-piece widths for fence heights up to 12'-0".
- B. Chain link, 2 inch mesh, No. 9 gauge
- C. Selvages: Top edge; bottom edge knuckled.

- D. Zinc-Coated (galvanized) Fabric: ASTM A 392, Type II, Class 1, 1.2 oz./sq. ft. with zinc coating applied after weaving.
 - E. Aluminum wire ties shall not be allowed.
- 2.3 Bands:
- A. 6' Fence Height: 6 each bands per fence direction.
 - B. 8' Fence Height: 8 each bands per fence direction.
 - C. 10' Fence Height: 10 each bands per fence direction.
- 2.4 SWING GATE POSTS
- A. Single width of gate up to 6'-0" wide and less than 10'-0" high:
 - 1. Pipe: 2.875 inches OD (Schedule 40).
 - B. Single width of gate 6'-0" to 12'-0" wide or over 10'-0" high:
 - 1. Pipe: 4 inches OD (Schedule 40).
- 2.5 SWING GATE FRAMES
- A. Up to 6'-0" high, and leaf width 8'-0" or less.
 - 1. Pipe: 1.660 inches OD (Schedule 40).
 - B. Height: 6'-0" - 12'-0", or leaf width exceeding 8'-0":
 - 1. Pipe: 1.90 inches OD (Schedule 40).
 - C. Assemble gate frames by welding or with special steel fittings and rivets for rigid connections. Install mid-height horizontal rails on gates over 10 feet high. When width of gate leaf exceeds 10 feet, install mid-distance vertical bracing of the same size and weight as frame members. When either horizontal or vertical bracing is not required, provide truss rods as cross bracing to prevent sag or twist.
- 2.6 SWING GATE HARDWARE
- A. Hinges: Non-lift-off type, offset to permit 180 degree swing, and of suitable size and weight to support gate. Provide 1-1/2 pair of hinges for each leaf over 6 feet high.
 - B. Latch: Forked type for single gates 10 feet wide or less. Drop bar type with keeper for double gates and single gates over 10 feet wide complete with flush plate set in concrete. Drop bar length shall be 2/3 the height of the gate. Padlock eye shall be an integral part of latch construction.
- 2.7 MISCELLANEOUS MATERIALS AND ACCESSORIES
- A. Rails and Post Braces:
 - 1. Pipe: 1.660 inches OD, 2.27 pounds per linear foot (Schedule 40).

- B. Fittings and Post Tops: Steel, wrought iron, or malleable iron.
 - 1. Fasteners: Tamper-resistant cadmium plated steel screws.
- C. Stretcher Bars: One piece equal to full height of fabric, minimum cross-section 3/16 inch by 3/4 inch.
- D. Metal Bands (for securing stretcher bars): Steel, wrought iron, or malleable iron.
- E. Wire Ties: Conform to American Steel Wire gauges.
 - 2. For tying fabric to line posts, rails and braces: 9 gauge (.1483 inch) steel wire.
- F. Truss Rods: 3/8 inch diameter.
- G. Concrete: Portland Cement concrete having a minimum compressive strength of 4500 psi at 28 days.
 - 1. Terminal/ End/ Corner Post Foundations:
 - a. 4' and 6' Fence Height Foundations: 3'-6" deep post embedment in 4' deep concrete footing, 12" inches diameter.
 - b. 8' Fence Height Foundations: 4'-6" deep post embedment in 5' deep concrete footing, 18" inches diameter.
 - c. 10' and greater Fence Height Foundations: 5'-0" deep post embedment in 5' deep concrete footing, 18" inches diameter.
 - 2. Line Post Foundations:
 - a. 4' and 6' Fence Height Foundations: 3'-6" deep post embedment in 4'-0" deep concrete footing, 12" inches diameter.
 - b. 8' Fence Height Foundations: 4'-6" deep post embedment in 5' deep concrete footing, 12" inches diameter.
 - c. 10' and greater Fence Height Foundations: 5'-0" deep post embedment in 5' deep concrete footing, 12" inches diameter.
- H. Spiral Paper Tubes:
 - 1. Sonotube by Sonoco Products Co., North Second St., Hartsville, SC 29550, (800) 377-2692.
 - 2. Slek/tubes by Jefferson Smurfit Corp., P.O. Box 66820, St. Louis, MO 63166, (314) 746-1100.
 - 3. Approved equivalent
- I. Cold Galvanizing Compound: Single component compound giving 93 percent pure zinc in the dried film, and meeting the requirements of DOD-P-21035A (NAVY).

2.8 FINISHES

- A. Steel Framework:

- 1. Pipe: Galvanized in accordance with ASTM A 53, 1.8 ounces zinc per square foot.
- B. Fabric
 - 1. Galvanized Finish: ASTM A 392 class II zinc coated after weaving, with 2.0 ounces per square foot.
- C. Fence and Gate Hardware, Miscellaneous Materials, Accessories:
 - 1. Wire Ties: Galvanized Finish, ASTM A 90 1.6 ounces zinc per square foot, or aluminized finish, ASTM A 809 0.40 ounces per square foot.
 - 2. Hardware and Miscellaneous Items: Galvanized Finish, ASTM A 153 (Table 1).

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 PREPARATION

- A. Clear and grub along fence line as required to eliminate growth interfering with alignment. Remove debris from State property.
- B. Do not begin installation of fence in areas to be cut until finished grading has been completed.

3.2 FENCE INSTALLATION

- A. Install chain-link fencing according to ASTM F 567 and more stringent requirements specified.
- B. Space posts equidistant in the fence line with a maximum of 10 feet on center. For fences 10 feet and higher space posts a maximum of 8 feet on center.
- C. Setting Posts in Earth: Drill holes for post footings. If existing grade at the time of installation is below finished grade, provide spiral paper tubes to contain concrete to finish grade elevation. Set posts in center of hole and fill hole with concrete. Plumb and align posts. Vibrate or tamp concrete for consolidation. Finish concrete in a dome shape above finish grade elevation to shed water. Do not attach fabric to posts until concrete has cured a minimum of 7 days.
- D. Setting Posts in Rock: Drill holes into solid rock one inch wider than post diameter, 18 inches deep for end, pull, corner, and gate posts, and 12 inches deep for line posts. Set posts into holes and fill annular space with shrink-resistant grout.
- E. Locate corner posts at corners and at changes in direction. Use pull posts at all abrupt changes in grade and at intervals no greater than 500 feet. On runs over 500 feet, space pull posts evenly between corner or end posts. On long curves, space pull posts so that the strain of the fence will not bend the line posts.

- F. Install top rail continuously through post tops or extension arms, bending to radius for curved runs. Install expansion couplings as recommended by fencing manufacturers.
- G. Install bottom and intermediate rails in one piece between posts and flush with post on fabric side using special offset fittings where necessary.
- H. Brace corner posts, pull posts, end posts, and gate posts to adjacent line posts with horizontal rails.
- I. Diagonally brace corner posts, pull posts, end posts, and gate posts to adjacent line posts with truss rods and turnbuckles.
- J. Attach fabric to security side of fence. Maintain a 2 inch clearance above finished grade except when indicated otherwise. Thread stretcher bars through fabric using one bar for each gate and end post and 2 for each corner and pull post. Pull fabric tight so that the maximum deflection of fabric is 2 inches when a 30 pound pull is exerted perpendicular to the center of a panel. Maintain tension by securing stretcher bars to posts with metal bands spaced 15 inches oc. Fasten fabric to steel framework with wire ties spaced 12 inches oc for line posts and 24 inches oc for rails and braces. Bend back wire ends to prevent injury. Tighten stretcher bar bands, wire ties, and other fasteners securely.
- K. Position bolts for securing metal bands and hardware so nuts are located opposite the fabric side of fence. Tighten nuts and cut off excess threads so no more than 1/8 inch is exposed. Peen ends to prevent loosening or removal of nuts.
 - 1. Secure post tops and extension arms with tamper-resistant screws.
- L. Install gates plumb and level and adjust for full opening without interference. Install ground-set items in concrete for anchorage, as recommended by fence manufacturer. Adjust hardware for smooth operation and lubricate where necessary.
- M. Tension Wire: Support bottom edge of fabric with tension wire. Weave tension wire through fabric or fasten with hog rings spaced 24 inches oc. Tie tension wire to posts with 9 gauge wire ties.
- N. Wire brush and repair welded and abraded areas of galvanized surfaces with one coat of cold galvanizing compound.
- O. Restore disturbed ground areas to original condition. Topsoil and seed to match adjacent areas.

3.3 GATE INSTALLATION

- A. Install gates according to manufacturer's written instructions, level, plumb, and secure for full opening without interference. Attach fabric as for fencing. Attach hardware using tamper-resistant or concealed means. Install ground-set items in concrete for anchorage. Adjust hardware for smooth operation.

3.4 ADJUSTING

- A. Gates: Adjust gates to operate smoothly, easily, and quietly, free of binding, warp, excessive deflection, distortion, nonalignment, misplacement, disruption, or malfunction, throughout entire operational range. Confirm that latches and locks engage accurately and securely without forcing or binding.
- B. Lubricate hardware and other moving parts.

END OF SECTION 323113

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SECTION 323300 – EXTERIOR LIGHTING

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

A. This Section includes:

1. Light fixtures, light poles, accessories and mounting for proposed exterior site lighting.
2. Light fixtures, light poles, accessories and mounting for proposed stadium lighting.
3. Electrical design, including conduits and grounding, are not included in this specification.

1.2 RELATED WORK SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE

- A. Contract Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- B. Section 033000: Cast-in-Place Concrete Site Work
- C. Section 312000: Excavation and Fill

1.3 SUBMITTALS

A. Submittals: Submit the following products specified in this section:

1. Luminaires
2. Poles and accessories
3. Bases

- B. Product Data: Submit catalog sheets with dimensions, ratings, performance data, specifications and installation instructions. Include candlepower distribution curves.
- C. Product List: Cross-reference to locations of application areas. Use same designations indicated on Contract Drawings.

1.4 QUALIFICATIONS

- A. Manufacturer: Company specializing in manufacturing products specified in this section with minimum three years documented experience.

1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

- A. Package aluminum poles for shipping according to ASTM B 660.
- B. Store poles on decay-resistant-treated skids at least 12 inches (300 mm) above grade and vegetation. Support poles to prevent distortion and arrange to provide free air circulation.
- C. Retain first paragraph below for fiberglass or laminated wood poles.
- D. Retain factory-applied pole wrappings on metal poles until right before pole installation. For poles with nonmetallic finishes, handle with web fabric straps.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MANUFACTURER

- A. Basis of design for site lighting is Universe UCM2 manufactured by Architectural Area Lighting, a Hubbell Lighting company. Contractor may submit approved equivalents.
- B. Basis of design for site light poles is PC4 manufactured by Architectural Area Lighting, a Hubbell Lighting company. Contractor may submit approved equivalents.

2.2 LUMINAIRES

- A. Architectural Area Lighting Universe Collection Medium Series with Luminous Window. Single fixture on single pole as indicated on the Contract Drawings. Provide Universe fixture UCL2-WND or approved equal.
 - 1. Hood Style
 - a. Bell Hood (BEL)
 - 2. LED Quantity
 - a. 72LED
 - 3. Color Temperature:
 - a. 4000K, 70 CRI
 - 4. Distribution
 - a. Type III (3)
 - b. Type IV Wide (4W)
 - c. Type V Wide (5W)
 - 5. Mounting Configuration
 - a. Post Arm
 - 6. Finish
 - a. Black Gloss Smooth (BLS)

2.3 POLES

- A. Basis of Design: Architectural Area Lighting. Approved equivalents acceptable.
 - 1. 4" diameter cast 356 aluminum alloy base and aluminum shaft
 - 2. Model: PR4
 - 3. Pole Height
 - a. 18'0"
 - 4. Shaft Type
 - a. Smooth Straight 4 Inch, 6061-T6 Aluminum Alloy (P4).
 - 5. Finish
 - a. Black Smooth
- B. Provide all required accessories for installation as required by manufacturer.

2.4 Base cover

A. Basis of Design: Architectural Area Lighting. Approved equivalents acceptable.

1. 17" diameter by 13" high cast #356 aluminum
2. Model: BC6-4
3. Two piece clamshell
4. Stainless steel hardware

2.5 IN-GROUND FLAG UPLIGHTS

A. Basis of Design: Lumascape. Approved equivalents acceptable.

1. LS3060 - Erden E6 In-ground
2. Static White: 3,500 K
3. Lumen Output: 2,245 lm
4. Efficacy: 91 lm/W
5. Installation: LS6052-K Pre-Installation Blockout - Per manufacturer's recommendations via pre-installation block out for concrete application
6. Cover to be flush with Grade
7. Cover: Model SS316 - POLISHED

2.6 CONCRETE PEDESTAL

- A. Mixture: Concrete shall be air entrained and have a minimum 28 day compressive strength of 4500 psi. Design slump limits shall fall between 4" minimum and 6" maximum.
- B. The material shall comply with ASTM Standard C-94 for concrete mixture, ASTM C-150 Type 1A for Portland Cement, ASTM C-33 for aggregates. The materials shall also be in conformance with ACI 318-05.
- C. Curing: Any concrete which contains reinforcing steel shall be allowed to cure for a minimum of 28 days prior to erection of the pole on to the foundation. All reinforcing steel shall be Grade 60.
- D. Concrete Reinforcement: Concrete reinforcement shall be in conformance with ASTM A-615, except ties can be in conformance with ACI 315 and 318.
- E. Strength: Concrete must attain 70% of the design strength prior to pole installation and fixture mounting.
- F. Installation: Maximum free drop of concrete limited to 6'-0".
- G. Foundation: Shall be augered into undisturbed natural soil or compacted fill, as per the Contract Drawings.
- H. Height
1. Light Height: 17.5' = 2.0' high concrete pedestal
 2. Light Height: 16.5' = 6" high concrete pedestal

2.7 GROUT

- A. L&M Const. Chemicals Inc.'s Crystex, Protex Industries Inc.'s Propak, Sonneborn's SonogROUT, or U.S. Grout Corp.'s 5 Star Grout or approved equal.

2.8 FINISH

- A. Assembly shall be powder coat finished as indicated on the Contract Drawings.
 - 1. Prior to coating, assembly shall be chemically cleaned and etched to ensure corrosion resistance.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify foundations are ready to receive fixtures.

3.2 EXISTING WORK

- A. Disconnect and remove abandoned exterior luminaries.

3.3 PREPARATION

- A. Before installing any Work, lay out the proposed course for the conduits, location of poles, etc. and have same approved.

3.4 INSTALLATION

- A. Install concrete bases for area lighting at locations as indicated on Contract Drawings.
 - 1. Prepare a level surface on compacted earth, undisturbed earth or concrete footing. Set bases on the prepared surface. Have all bases checked and approved by the Engineer for level and elevation prior to making any conduit connections.
- B. Install poles for area lighting as indicated by manufacturer.
- C. Install luminaires as indicated on Contract Drawings.

3.5 ADJUSTING

- A. Aim and adjust luminaries to provide illumination levels and distribution, indicated on Contract Drawings.

3.6 CLEANING

- A. Clean photometric control surfaces as recommended by manufacturer.
- B. Clean finishes and touch up damage.

END OF SECTION 323300

SECTION 329200 – TOPSOIL AND SEEDING

PART 1 GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes:
 - 1. Topsoil.
 - 2. Soil Amendments.
 - 3. Fertilizing.
 - 4. Mulches.
 - 5. Lawn.
 - 6. Lawn Restoration.
 - 7. Erosion Control Materials.
 - 8. Maintenance.

1.2 RELATED WORK SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE

- A. Contract Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- B. Section 310000: Site Clearing.
- C. Section 312000: Excavation and Fill.
- D. Section 329300: Plants.

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Certification: Certification signed by manufacturers certifying that their products comply with specified requirements.
 - 1. Manufacturer's certified analysis for standard products.
 - 2. Analysis for other materials by a recognized laboratory made according to methods established by the Association of Official Analytical Chemists, where applicable.
- B. Certification of grass seed from seed vendor stating the botanical and common name and percentage by weight of each species and variety, and percentage of purity, germination, and weed seed. Include the year of production and date of packaging.

- C. Material test reports from qualified independent testing agency indicating and interpreting test results relative to compliance of the following materials with requirements indicated. Include percentages of organic matter, inorganic matter (silt, clay, and sand), deleterious material, pH, and mineral and plant-nutrient content.
 - 1. Analysis of existing surface soil.
 - 2. Analysis of imported topsoil.
- D. Report suitability of existing surface soil and imported topsoil for lawn and plant growth. State recommended quantities of soil amendments to be added to produce satisfactory results.

1.4 DEFINITIONS

- A. Weeds: Vegetative species other than specified species to be established in given area.
- B. Planting Soil: Standardized topsoil; existing, native surface topsoil; existing, in-place surface soil; imported topsoil; or manufactured topsoil that is modified with soil amendments and perhaps fertilizers to produce a soil mixture best for plant growth.

1.5 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Before expiration of required maintenance periods, Contractor is to submit maintenance instructions recommending procedures to be performed by Owner for maintenance of landscape during an entire year.

1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Provide seed mixture in containers showing percentage of seed mix, germination percentage, inert matter percentage, weed percentage, year of production, net weight, date of packaging, and location of packaging.

1.7 QUALIFICATIONS

- A. Seed Supplier: Company specializing in manufacturing Products specified in this section with minimum three years documented experience.
- B. Installer: Company specializing in performing work of this section with minimum three years documented experience and a record of successful landscape establishment.
 - 1. Installer's Field Supervision: Require Installer to maintain an experienced full-time supervisor on the Project site during times that work of this section is in progress.
- C. Testing Agency: To qualify for acceptance, an independent testing agency must demonstrate to Owner's satisfaction, based on evaluation of agency-submitted criteria

conforming to ASTM E 699, that it has the experience and capability to satisfactorily conduct the testing indicated without delaying the work.

1.8 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver packaged materials in sealed containers showing weight, analysis, and name of manufacturer.
- B. Protect materials from deterioration during delivery and while stored at site.

1.9 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Utilities: Determine location of above grade and underground utilities prior to the start of Work. Perform Work in a manner which will avoid damage. Hand excavate, as required. Maintain grade stakes until removal is mutually agreed upon by the Engineer.
- B. Excavation: When conditions detrimental to lawn growth are encountered, such as rubble fill, adverse drainage conditions, or obstructions, notify the Engineer before planting.

1.10 COORDINATION AND SCHEDULING

- A. Coordinate with other site operations to avoid conflict and damage to new work.
- B. Planting season for Seeded areas: As indicated on the Contract Drawings.

1.11 WARRANTY

- A. General: The guarantee specified in this Section shall not deprive the Owner of other rights the Owner may have under other provisions of the Contract Documents and shall be in addition to, and run concurrent with, other warranties made by the Contractor under requirements of the Contract Documents.
- B. Guarantee: Upon completion and acceptance of the landscaping, guarantee the materials for two years. Guarantee shall include material and labor costs. At the end of the guarantee period, the Owner's onsite representative shall inspect all planter materials. The Contractor shall promptly make all required replacements with plant materials meeting specifications.

1.12 LAWN MAINTENANCE

- A. Begin maintenance immediately after each area is planted and continue until acceptable lawns and plants are established, but for not less than the following periods:
 - 1. Lawns and Seeded Areas: 120 days after date of Substantial Completion.

2. When full maintenance period has not elapsed before end of planting season, or if lawn is not fully established at that time, continue maintenance during the next planting season.
- B. Maintain and establish seeded areas by watering, weeding, replanting, and other operations. Roll, re-grade, and replant bare or eroded areas and re-mulch to produce a uniformly smooth surface.
- C. Watering: Provide and maintain temporary piping, hoses, and watering equipment to convey water from sources and to keep grass uniformly moist to a depth of 4 inches. Schedule watering to prevent wilting, puddling, erosion, and displacement of seed or mulch. Lay out temporary watering system to avoid walking over muddy or newly planted areas.
 1. Water all seeded areas at the minimum rate of 1 inch per week.
- D. Mow lawns as soon as there is enough top growth to cut with mower set at specified height for principal species planted. Repeat mowing as required to maintain specified height without cutting more than 40 percent of the grass height. Remove no more than 40 percent of grass-leaf growth in initial or subsequent mowings. Do not delay mowing until grass blades bend over and become matted. Do not mow when grass is wet. Schedule initial and subsequent mowings to maintain a grass height of 1½ to 2½ inches.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.1 PLANTING BACKFILL

- A. Mixture shall be 4 parts topsoil (on-site or imported), 1 part peat moss, ½ part well-rotted manure and 10 pounds 5-0-5 planting fertilizer, mixed thoroughly per cubic yard.

2.2 TOPSOIL

- A. Source: Provide topsoil from existing stockpiles stripped from the project site and approved by the Engineer.
- B. Where existing topsoil is not available, provide topsoil conforming to the following:
 1. Original loam topsoil, well drained homogeneous texture and of uniform grade, without the admixture of subsoil material and entirely free of dense material, hardpan, sod, or any other objectionable foreign material.
 2. Containing not less than 5 percent nor more than 20 percent organic matter in that portion of a sample passing a 1/4-inch sieve when determined by the wet combustion method on a sample dried at 105 degrees C.

3. Containing a pH value within the range of 6.5 to 7.5 on that portion of the sample that passes a 1/4-inch sieve.
4. Containing the following gradations:

SIEVE DESIGNATION	PERCENT PASSING
1 inch	100
1/4 inch	97 - 100
No. 200	20 - 60

2.3 SOIL AMENDMENTS

- A. Lime: ASTM C 602, Class T, agricultural limestone containing a minimum 85 percent calcium carbonate equivalent, with a minimum 90 percent passing a No. 10 mesh sieve and a minimum 50 percent passing a No. 100 mesh sieve.
 1. Provide lime in the form of dolomitic limestone.
 2. Add lime soil as necessary to achieve a soil pH between 5.5 – 7.0.
- B. Aluminum Sulfate: Commercial grade, unadulterated.
- C. Herbicides: EPA registered and approved, of type recommended by manufacturer.
- D. Sand: Clean, washed, natural or manufactured, free of toxic materials.
- E. Compost: Well-composted, stable, and weed-free organic matter, pH range of 5.5 to 8; moisture content 35 to 55 percent by weight; 100 percent passing through 3/4-inch sieve; soluble salt content of 5 to 10 decimeters/m; not exceeding 0.5 percent inert contaminants and free of substances toxic to plantings; and as follows:
 1. Organic Matter Content: 50 to 60 percent of dry weight.

2.4 FERTILIZER

- A. Application of any fertilizer is prohibited between December 1st and April 1st and cannot be applied within 20' of a water body.
- B. Fertilizer: Mixed commercial fertilizers shall contain total nitrogen, available phosphoric acid and soluble potash in the ratio of 10-0-10. No fertilizer containing phosphorus is permitted on site.
- C. Other fertilizers meeting DOT Specification Section 713-03 Fertilizer can be used.

2.5 MULCH

- A. Dry Application, Straw: Stalks of oats, wheat, rye or other approved crops that are free of noxious weed seeds. Weight shall be based on a 15 percent moisture content.

- B. Hydro Application: Colored wood cellulose fiber product specifically designed for use as a hydro-mechanical applied mulch. Acceptable Product: Conwed Hydro Mulch, Conwed Fibers, 231 4th Street SW, Hickory, NC or approved equivalent.

2.6 SEED

- A. Furnish fresh, clean, new-crop seed mixed in the proportions specified for species and variety and conforming to Federal and State Standards.
- B. Acceptable material in a seed mixture other than pure live seed consists of nonviable seed, chaff, hulls, live seed of crop plants and inert matter. The percentage of weed seed shall not exceed 0.1 percent by weight.
- C. All seed will be rejected if the label or test analysis indicates any of the following contaminates: Timothy, Orchard Grass, Sheep Fescue, Meadow Fescue, Canada Blue Grass, Alta Fescue, Kentucky 31 Fescue, and Bent Grass.
- D. Provide seed mixture equal to Scotts Pure Premium Sun and Shade North Grass Seed Mixture, comprised of the following:

1. Low maintenance Fescue Lawn grass seed mix

a. Seeding Rate: 6 lbs/1,000 square feet

b. Mix:

AMOUNT BY WEIGHT IN MIXTURE	SPECIES OR VARIETY
25 PERCENT	FIREFLY HARD FESCUE
25 PERCENT	BIG HORN GT HARD/SHEEP
20 PERCENT	INTRIGUE CHEWINGS FESCUE
20 PERCENT	QUATRO SHEEP FESCUE
10 PERCENT	MINOTAUR HARD FESCUE

2. Wet-occasion wet locations

a. Seeding Rate: 4 lbs/1,000 square feet

b. Mix:

AMOUNT BY WEIGHT IN MIXTURE	SPECIES OR VARIETY
20 PERCENT	RED TOP
20 PERCENT	ALKALI GRASS
10 PERCENT	AUTUMN BENTGRASS
20 PERCENT	VIRGINIA WILD RYEGRASS
20 PERCENT	FOX SEDGE
10 PERCENT	FOWL BLUEGRASS

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine areas to receive landscaping for compliance with requirements and for conditions affecting performance of work of this Section. Do not proceed with installation until unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

3.2 PLANTING SOIL PREPARATION

- A. Before mixing, clean topsoil of roots, plants, sods, stones, clay lumps, and other extraneous materials harmful to plant growth.
- B. Mix soil amendments and fertilizers with topsoil as necessary to meet applicable ASTM standards.
- C. For lawns, mix planting soil either prior to planting or apply on surface of topsoil and mix thoroughly before planting.
 - 1. Mix lime with dry soil prior to mixing fertilizer. Prevent lime from contacting roots of acid-tolerant plants.

3.3 LAWN AREA PLANTING PREPARATION

- A. Limit sub-grade preparation to areas that will be planted in the immediate future.
- B. Loosen sub-grade to a minimum depth of 4 inches. Remove stones larger than 1-1/2 inches in any dimension and sticks, roots, rubbish, and other extraneous materials.
- C. Spread topsoil to depth (4 inches minimum) required to meet the thickness, grades, and elevations shown, after light rolling and natural settlement. Do not spread if planting soil or sub-grade is frozen.
 - 1. Place approximately 1/2 the thickness of planting soil mixture required. Work into top of loosened sub-grade to create a transition layer and then place remainder of planting soil mixture.
- D. Grade lawn and grass areas to a smooth, even surface with loose, uniformly fine texture. Roll (112-pound roller maximum) and rake, remove ridges, and fill depressions to meet finish grades. Limit fine grading to areas that can be planted in the immediate future. Remove trash, debris, stones larger than 1-1/2 inches in any dimension, and other objects that may interfere with planting or maintenance operations.
- E. Moisten prepared lawn and grass areas before planting when soil is dry. Water thoroughly and allow surface to dry before planting. Do not create muddy soil.

- F. Restore prepared areas if eroded or otherwise disturbed after fine grading and before planting.

3.4 FERTILIZING

- A. The soil shall be tested for pH and lime added as necessary. All amendments shall be checked and approved by the Landscape Architect before amendments are made.
- B. Apply fertilizer at a rate of 20 LBS/1,000 SF.

3.5 SEEDING

- A. Assume all risks when seed is sowed before approval of seed analysis.
- B. Sow seed by hand broadcasting or hydroseeding. Do not broadcast or drop seed when wind velocity exceeds 5 mph. Evenly distribute seed by sowing equal quantities in 2 directions at right angles to each other.
 - 1. Do not use wet seed or seed that is moldy or otherwise damaged in transit or storage.
 - 2. Do not sow immediately following rain, when ground is too dry, or during windy periods.
- C. Sow seed at the following rates:
 - 1. Low Maintenance Fescue Lawn, Seeding Rate: 6 lbs per 1000 sq. ft.
 - 2. Seed Mix for Wet Locations, Seeding Rate: 4 lbs per 1000 sq. ft.
- D. Rake seed lightly into top 1/8 inch of topsoil, roll lightly, and water with fine spray, immediately after each area has been mulched. Saturate to 4 inches of soil.
- E. Protect seeded areas with slopes less than 1:3 against erosion by spreading mulch after completion of seeding operations.
 - 1. Mulch rates.
 - a. Oat or wheat straw applied at a minimum rate of 2 tons per acre to form a continuous blanket 1-1/2 inches loose depth over seeded areas. Spread by hand, blower, or other suitable equipment.
 - b. Fill tank with water and agitate while adding seeding materials. Use sufficient fertilizer, mulch, and seed to obtain the specified application rate. Add seed to the tank after the fertilizer and mulch have been added. Maintain constant agitation to keep contents in homogenous suspension. Prolonged delays in application or agitation that may be injurious to the seed will be the basis of rejection of material remaining in tank.

- c. Apply slurry uniformly to all areas to be seeded in a one-step process. Apply mulch at a minimum rate of 57 gal/1000 sf (2500-lb/acre dry weight but not less than the rate required to obtain specified seed-sowing rate.
- F. Anchor mulch by spraying with asphalt-emulsion tackifier at the rate of 10 to 13 gal. per 1000 sq. ft. Take precautions to prevent damage or staining of structures or other plantings adjacent to mulched areas. Immediately clean damaged or stained areas.
- G. Turf Seeding Schedule
 - 1. Preferred schedule to plant and establish turf areas from seed are between April 15-June 1, annually.
 - 2. Secondary schedule to plant and establish turf areas from seed are between September 1-October 15 annually.
 - 3. Seeding during other times are prohibited without express permission of the Owner's Representative.

3.6 LAWN RESTORATION

- A. Renovate existing lawn within work limit.
- B. Renovate existing lawn damaged by Contractor's operations, such as storage of materials or equipment and movement of vehicles.
- C. Reestablish lawn where settlement or washouts occur or where minor regrading is required.
 - 1. Install new planting soil as required.
- D. Remove lawn from diseased or unsatisfactory existing lawn areas; do not bury in soil.
- E. Remove topsoil containing foreign materials such as oil drippings, fuel spills, stones, gravel, and other construction materials resulting from Contractor's operations, and replace with new planting soil.
- F. Where substantial lawn remains, mow, dethatch, core aerate, and rake. Remove weeds before seeding.
- G. Remove weeds before seeding. Where weeds are extensive, apply selective herbicides as required. Do not use pre-emergence herbicides.
- H. Remove waste and foreign materials, including weeds, soil cores, grass, vegetation, and lawn, and legally dispose of them off Owner's property.
- I. Till stripped, bare, and compacted areas thoroughly to a soil depth of 6 inches.

- J. Apply soil amendments and fertilizers required for establishing new lawn and mix thoroughly into top 4 inches of existing soil. Install new planting soil to fill low spots and meet finish grades.
- K. Apply seed and protect with straw mulch as required for new lawn.
- L. Provide lawn maintenance as required for new lawn.

3.7 SATISFACTORY LAWNS, GRASS, AND LAWN RESTORATION

- A. Satisfactory Lawns, Grass, and Lawn Restoration: At end of maintenance period, a healthy, uniform, close stand of grass has been established, free of weeds and surface irregularities, with coverage exceeding 95 percent over any 10 sq. ft. and bare spots not exceeding 5 by 5 inches.
- B. Reestablish those that do not comply with requirements and continue maintenance until satisfactory.

3.8 CLEANUP AND PROTECTION

- A. During landscaping, keep pavements clean and work area in an orderly condition.
- B. Protect landscaping from damage due to landscape operations, operations by other contractors and trades, and trespassers. Maintain protection during installation and maintenance periods. Treat, repair, or replace damaged landscape work as directed.

3.9 DISPOSAL OF SURPLUS AND WASTE MATERIALS

- A. Disposal: Remove surplus soil and waste material, including excess subsoil, unsuitable soil, trash, and debris, and legally dispose of it off the Owner's property.

END OF SECTION 329200

SECTION 329300 – PLANTS

PART 1 GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes:

1. Trees Materials.
2. Shrubs.
3. Herbaceous Plants
4. Planting Soil
5. Soil Amendments.
6. Fertilizer
7. Mulch.
8. Stakes and Guys.
9. Miscellaneous Materials.
10. Establishment of Planting
11. Warranty Period

1.2 RELATED WORK SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE

- A. Contract Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- B. Section 312000: Excavation and Fill.
- C. Section 329200: Topsoil and Seeding.

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Certification: Certification signed by manufacturers certifying that their products comply with specified requirements.
 1. Manufacturer's certified analysis for standard products.
 2. Analysis for other materials by a recognized laboratory made according to methods established by the Association of Official Analytical Chemists, where applicable.

1.4 DEFINITIONS

- A. Weeds: Vegetative species other than specified species to be established in given area.
- B. Plants: Living trees, shrubs, perennials, ground cover, and other plant materials specified in this Section.

1.5 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Before expiration of required maintenance periods, Contractor is to submit maintenance instructions recommending procedures to be performed by Owner for maintenance of landscape during an entire year.

1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Provide quality, size, genus, species, and variety of plant material indicated, complying with applicable requirements of ANSI Z60.1 "American Standard for Nursery Stock."
- B. Measurements: Measure trees and shrubs according to ANSI Z60.1 with branches and trunks or canes in their normal position. Do not prune to obtain required sizes. Take caliper measurements 6 inches above ground for trees up to 4-inch caliper size, and 12 inches above ground for larger sizes. Measure main body of tree for height and spread; do not measure branches or roots tip-to-tip.

1.7 QUALIFICATIONS

- A. Nursery: Company specializing in growing and cultivating plants with minimum three years documented experience.
- B. Installer: Company specializing in performing work of this section with minimum three years documented experience and a record of successful landscape establishment.
 - 1. Installer's Field Supervision: Require Installer to maintain an experienced full-time supervisor on the Project site during times that work of this section is in progress.
- C. Tree Pruner: Company specializing in performing work of this section with minimum three years documented experience.

1.8 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Packaged Materials: Deliver in containers showing weight, analysis, and name of manufacturer.
- B. Plant Materials: Deliver freshly dug plant materials. Keep plants moist. Do not prune before delivery. Protect bark, branches, and root systems from sunscald, drying,

sweating, whipping, and other handling and tying damage. Do not bend or bind-tie trees in such a manner as to destroy natural shape. Provide protective covering during delivery. Do not drop plant materials.

- C. Deliver trees after preparations for planting have been completed and install immediately. If planting is delayed more than 6 hours after delivery, set planting materials in shade, protect from weather and mechanical damage, and keep roots moist.
 - 1. Set balled stock on ground and cover ball with soil, peat moss, sawdust, or other acceptable material.
 - 2. Do not remove container-grown stock from containers before time of planting.
 - 3. Water plant material stored on site with a fine-mist spray. Water as often as necessary to maintain root systems in a moist condition.
- D. Protect and maintain plant life until planted.
- E. Handle balled and burlapped plant material by the root ball.
- F. Plants will be rejected when ball of earth surrounding roots has been disturbed or damaged prior to or during planting.
- G. Plant material damaged as a result of delivery, storage or handling will be rejected.
- H. Protect materials from deterioration during delivery and while stored at site.
- I. Salvaged plant material shall be stored and watered as described above. See plans.

1.9 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Utilities: Determine location of above grade and underground utilities prior to the start of work. Perform work in a manner which will avoid damage. Hand excavate, as required. Maintain grade stakes until removal is mutually agreed upon by the Engineer.
- B. Excavation: When conditions detrimental to plant growth are encountered, such as rubble fill, adverse drainage conditions, or obstructions, notify the Engineer before planting.

1.10 COORDINATION AND SCHEDULING

- A. Coordinate installation of planting materials during normal planting seasons, as indicated on the Contract Drawings, for each type of material required. Coordinate with other site operations to avoid conflict and damage to new work.

1.11 WARRANTY

- A. General: The special warranty specified in this Section shall not deprive the Owner of other rights the Owner may have under other provisions of the Contract Documents and shall be in addition to, and run concurrent with, other warranties made by the Contractor under requirements of the Contract Documents.
- B. Special Warranty: Warrant the following living planting materials for a period of two years after date of Substantial Completion, against defects including death and unsatisfactory growth, except for defects resulting from incidents that are beyond Contractor's control.
 - 1. Plants.
- C. Remove and replace dead plant materials immediately unless required to plant in the succeeding planting season.
- D. Replace plant materials that are more than 25 percent dead or in an unhealthy condition at end of warranty period.
- E. Replacement plants shall be the same size and species as specified, planted in the next growing season, with a new warranty commencing on the date of replacement.

1.12 PLANT MAINTENANCE

- A. Maintain plant material by pruning, cultivating, watering, weeding, fertilizing, restoring planting saucers, tightening and repairing stakes and guy supports, and resetting to proper grades or vertical position, as required to establish healthy, viable plantings. Spray trees as required to keep them free of insects and disease. Restore or replace damaged tree wrappings. Maintain plant material for the following period:
 - 1. Maintenance Period: 2 years following Substantial Completion.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.1 TREE MATERIAL

- A. General: Furnish nursery-grown trees conforming to ANSI Z60.1, with healthy root systems developed by transplanting or root pruning. Provide well-shaped, healthy, vigorous stock, free of disease, insects, eggs, larvae, and defects such as knots, sun scald, injuries, abrasions, and disfigurement,
- B. Grade: Provide trees of sizes and grades conforming to ANSI Z60.1 for type of trees required. Trees of a larger size may be used if acceptable to Landscape Architect, with a proportionate increase in size of roots or balls.

- C. Label each tree with securely attached, waterproof tag bearing legible designation of botanical and common name.
- D. Single-stem Deciduous Trees: Intact leader and well-spaced structural branches oriented uniformly around a straight trunk, of a height to caliper ratio typical for the species and conforming to ANSI Z60.1 for type of tree[s] required.
 - 1. Branching Height: $\frac{1}{3}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ of tree height.

2.2 SHRUBS

- A. General: Furnish shrubs of the species and size specified conforming to ANSI Z60.1. Provide healthy, vigorous, well-shaped and well-rooted stock free of disease, insects, eggs, larvae and defects or disfigurement.
 - 1. Field Grown: Provide plants with the proper minimum root ball size for the type specified with the diameter and depth to encompass enough of the fibrous and feeding root system necessary for full establishment of the plant.
 - 2. Container Grown: Plants shall have a well-established root system reaching the side of the container so as to maintain a firm ball when the container is removed, but shall not have excessive root growth encircling the inside of the container.

2.3 HERBACEOUS PLANTS

- A. General: Provide plants of the species and size indicated complying with ANSI Z60.1 that are healthy, vigorous, well-rooted and established in the container in which they are growing. Plants shall have a well-established root system reaching the sides of the container to maintain a firm root ball but shall not be pot-bound with roots encircling the inside of the container.

2.4 PLANTING SOIL

- A. Topsoil – as indicated in specification section 329120.
- B. Planting Soil (for every 4 CY of topsoil) shall include:
 - 1. Peat Moss: 7-1/2 cu ft bale or 15 bushels (loose measure).
 - 2. Fertilizer: 5 lb.
 - 3. Bonemeal: 80 lb.

2.5 SOIL AMENDMENTS

- A. Peat Moss: As indicated on the contract drawings.

- B. Compost: Well-composted, stable, and weed-free organic matter, pH range of 5.5 to 8; moisture content 35 to 55 percent by weight; 100 percent passing through 3/4-inch sieve; soluble salt content of 5 to 10 decisiemens/m; not exceeding 0.5 percent inert contaminants and free of substances toxic to plantings; and as follows:

- 1. Organic Matter Content: 50 to 60 percent of dry weight.

2.6 FERTILIZER

- A. Bonemeal: As indicated on the contract drawings.
- B. Superphosphate: Commercial, phosphate mixture, soluble; minimum of 20 percent available phosphoric acid.

2.7 MULCH

- A. Shredded Wood: Wood fiber produced from either hardwood or softwood trees, free of tannic acid, leaves, young green growth, wood shavings, sawdust or other objectionable foreign material.

2.8 STAKES AND GUYS

- A. Upright and Guy Stakes: Rough-sawn, sound, new hardwood, redwood, or pressure-preservative-treated softwood, free of knots, holes, cross grain, and other defects, 2 by 2 inches and/or 3 inch diameter minimum red cedar stakes, by length indicated, pointed at one end.
- B. Guy and Tie Wire: ASTM A 641 (ASTM A 641M), #12 gauge galvanized-steel wire, 2-strand, twisted, 0.106 inch in diameter.
- C. Hose Friction Guard: Reinforced rubber or plastic hose at least 1/2 inch in diameter, black, cut to lengths required to protect trees from damage.
- D. Flags: Standard surveyor's plastic flagging tape, white, 6 inches long.

2.9 MISCELLANEOUS MATERIALS

- A. Anti-desiccant: Water-insoluble emulsion, permeable moisture retarder, film forming, for all plant materials. Deliver in original, sealed, and fully labeled containers and mix and apply according to manufacturer's instructions.
- B. Root Ball Wrap: Natural or untreated burlap. Treated or rot-resistant burlap that retards decomposition and will bind with the soil after decomposition is acceptable. Plastic or poly tree ball wrap is not acceptable.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine areas to receive landscaping for compliance with requirements and for conditions affecting performance of work of this Section. Do not proceed with installation until unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

3.2 EXCAVATION FOR PLANTS

- A. See Landscape Details and Notes on Contract Drawings.
- B. Dispose of subsoil removed from landscape excavations. Do not mix with planting soil or use as backfill.
- C. Obstructions: Notify the Engineer if unexpected rock or obstructions detrimental to trees are encountered in excavations.
- D. Drainage: Notify the Engineer if subsoil conditions evidence unexpected water seepage or retention in tree pits.
- E. Fill excavations with water and allow to percolate out, before placing setting layer and positioning trees.

3.3 PLANTING

- A. Setting Plants:
 - 1. Backfill pits with planting soil and firm to the level upon which plants were previously growing. Set plants plumb. Plant budded or grafted plants 2 inches below bud or graft line. Complete backfilling with planting soil and settle continually with water.
 - 2. Balled Plants: Set plants in position and backfill 1/3 depth of ball. Remove burlap from top and adjust to eliminate air pockets. Complete backfill and settle with water.
 - 3. Bare-root Plants: Set plant in position and place planting soil around roots settling with water. Use care to avoid bruising or breaking roots when firming soil. Prune bruised or broken roots.

3.4 TREE PRUNING

- A. Prune, thin, and shape trees according to standard horticultural practice. Prune trees to retain required height and spread. Unless otherwise directed by Landscape Architect, do not cut tree leaders; remove only injured or dead branches from flowering trees.

3.5 TREE GUYING AND STAKING

- A. See Landscaping Details and Notes on the Contract Drawings.
- B. Guying: Guy deciduous trees 4 inches and over in caliber; trees over 6 feet high with 3 or more stems; and evergreens 6 feet or over in height, with 3 guys immediately after planting. Attach guys to stakes and trees as indicated. Connect multi-stem trees with protected connecting wires maintaining each stems relationship to one another.
- C. Wrapping: Wrap deciduous trees within 4 days after planting from the ground line to the height of the second branches. Wrap in a single layer wound spirally starting from base and overlapping 1-1/2 inches. Secure wrapping in place by use of approved staples or other approved methods and materials.
- D. Staking: Set tree stakes into solid ground below bottom of plant before backfilling. Place stakes at the outer edge of the roots or ball in line with the prevailing wind at a 10 degree angle from the tree trunk.

3.6 MULCHING

- A. Spread mulch over finished surface of each plant or plant bed in the following amounts:
 - 1. Shredded Hardwood Bark Mulch: 3 inches for plant beds and individual trees in lawn areas, unless otherwise specified.

3.7 INSTALLATION OF MISCELLANEOUS MATERIALS

- A. Apply anti-desiccant using power spray to provide an adequate film over trunks, branches, stems, twigs, and foliage.
 - 1. When deciduous trees are moved in full-leaf, spray with anti-desiccant at nursery before moving and again 2 weeks after planting.

3.8 CLEANUP AND PROTECTION

- A. During landscaping, keep pavements clean and work area in an orderly condition.

- B. Protect landscaping from damage due to landscape operations, operations by other contractors and trades, and trespassers. Maintain protection during installation and maintenance periods. Treat, repair, or replace damaged landscape work as directed.

3.9 DISPOSAL OF SURPLUS AND WASTE MATERIALS

- A. Disposal: Remove surplus soil and waste material, including excess subsoil, unsuitable soil, trash, and debris, and legally dispose of it off the Owner's property.

3.10 ESTABLISHMENT OF PLANTING

- A. Maintain plantings immediately following planting operations and continue throughout until final acceptance. Establishment of plantings shall consist of keeping plants in healthy, growing conditions by watering, weeding, cultivating, pruning, spraying, tightening of guys, remulching and by any other necessary operations of establishment. Water all plants at least once a week between April 1 and October 31 with approximately 5 gallons per square yard (1 inch layer of water) per watering unless otherwise directed. Provide additional watering during periods of dry weather when required or when directed. Treat plants with good horticultural preventative or remedial measures to control insects, diseases or rodents.

3.11 WARRANTY PERIOD

- B. Warranty period for plant materials shall be for two (2) years from final acceptance.

END OF SECTION 329300

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SECTION 334100 – STORM UTILITY DRAINAGE PIPING

PART 1 GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Under this section the Contractor shall provide all labor, equipment and material necessary to furnish, install and test all storm utility drainage pipe and fittings as shown on the Contract Drawings.

1.2 RELATED WORK SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE

- B. Contract Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- C. Section 312000: Excavation and Fill
- D. Section 334900: Storm Drainage Structures

1.3 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Location of Sewers and Sewer Structures: The location, elevation, and grades of sewers and sewer structures are shown on the Contract Drawings and shall be adhered to as closely as possible. If during construction of the project, it becomes necessary to make changes in the location or grades of the sewers, the Engineer will issue appropriate directions after being contacted by the Contractor.
- B. Site Information: Perform site survey, research public utility records, and verify existing utility locations. Verify that storm sewerage system piping may be installed in compliance with original design and referenced standards.

1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Shop Drawing: Pipes and associated fittings.
- B. Product Data: Manufacturer's specifications, including dimensions, allowable height of cover information, and installation instructions.
- C. Manufacturer's product literature, installation instructions and shop drawings for infiltration systems.
- D. As-built record drawings at project closeout of installed storm sewerage piping and products. An as-built survey prepared by licensed NYS Surveyor depicting the installed storm sewer piping and structures including rim and invert elevations of structures pipe size, pipe type, and invert of all piping. Both hard copy and electronic copy shall be provided to the Owner and Engineer.

1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Comply with standards of the Chain Link Fence Manufacturer's Institute.
- B. Provide steel fence and related gates as a complete compatible system including necessary erection accessories, fittings, and fastenings.
- C. Posts and rails shall be continuous without splices.

1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver, store, protect and handle products to site under provisions of the General Conditions.
- B. Provide temporary end caps and closures on piping and fittings. Maintain in place until installation.
- C. Protect piping systems from entry of foreign materials by temporary covers, completing sections of the work, and isolating parts of completed system.

1.7 SEQUENCING AND SCHEDULING

- A. Coordinate with other utility work.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.1 MATERIALS

- A. Corrugated Polyethylene Pipe (HDPE, Dual Wall with Smooth Interior): Conform to AASHTO M-294.
 - 1. Classification: Soil-tight, integral bell and spigot joints. Joints shall be sealed with factory installed rubber O-ring gaskets that meet ASTM F-477.
 - 2. Coefficient of Roughness (interior pipe surface): 0.012 maximum (Manning formula).
 - 3. Joint Couplings (Soil-tight): Polyethylene, bell-and-spigot type couplers utilizing an elastomeric gasket conforming to ASTM F-477.
 - 4. Fittings:
 - a. High density polyethylene meeting the properties specified for the pipe.
 - b. Either molded or fabricated.
 - c. Designed specifically for the pipe furnished and manufactured by the pipe manufacturer.
 - 5. Acceptable Manufacturer:
 - a. ProLink ST (N-12 IB ST), Smooth Interior Pipe & Fittings by Advanced Drainage Systems, Inc., (ADS) 3300 Riverside Dr., Columbus, OH 43221; (614) 457-3051
 - b. Approved equivalent.

- B. High Density Polyethylene Pipe (HDPE) Perforated Pipe: Perforated double wall smooth interior pipe complying with the following:
 - 1. 4" to 10" diameter pipe to conform to AASHTO M 252.
 - 2. 12" to 36" diameter pipe to conform to AASHTO M 294
 - 3. Coefficient of Roughness (Interior Pipe Surface): 0.012 maximum (Manning Formula).
 - 4. Classification: Type S
 - 5. Joint Couplings: Polyethylene, bell and spigot type couplers utilizing an elastometric gasket conforming to ASTM F 477. Snap on type or split collar through 24" diameter.
 - 6. Corrugated to match pipe corrugations, width not less than one half the pipe diameter.
 - 7. Split couplings shall engage an equal number of corrugations on each side of the joint.
 - 8. Fittings: Either molded or fabricated, high density polyethylene components meeting the properties specified for, and designed specifically for the pipe manufactured by the pipe manufacturer.
 - 9. Perforated Pipe: Conform to AASHTO M-252 or AASHTO M-294, Type SP with Class I perforations.
 - 10. Specifications have been based on products manufactured by Advanced Drainage Systems, Inc, Columbus, Ohio (Tel. #614-457-3051) or Hancor, Inc., Findlay, Ohio (Tel. #800-847-5880).
 - C. Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) Pipe for in-line drain piping, solid: Conform to ASTM D-3034 and ASTM F1336 (SDR-35)
 - 1. Conform to shape, dimensions, and thickness shown on the Contract Drawings.
 - 2. Provide fittings of the same size and pressure rating as the pipe to which they are connected.
 - 3. Rubber gasketed joints manufactured in accordance with ASTM D-3139.
 - 4. Rubber gaskets shall comply with ASTM D3212 Internal Pressure Test and Vacuum Test at 5 degrees of gasket joint deflection.
 - 5. AdvanEdge Pipe and Couplings, as manufactured by Advanced Drainage Systems, Inc., (ADS) 3300 Riverside Dr., Columbus, OH 43221; (614) 457-3051, or approved equivalent.
- 2.2 GEOTECHNICAL FABRIC
- A. Filter Fabric (GeoTextile):
 - 1. Separation for Underdrains: Amoco 2002 & 2004, Contech Construction Products Inc. C-180, Synthetic Industries Geotex

250ST & 315ST, Mirafi Geolon HP570 & HP1500 or approved equivalent.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 MAINTENANCE OF EXISTING STORMWATER FLOWS

- A. Provide all temporary facilities required to safely and adequately bypass existing stormwater flows from the Work area during construction.
- B. The bypassing of such flows shall prevent any hazards to public health and welfare when the stormwater flows are bypassed from the Work area during construction.
- C. The Contractor is fully responsible for any and all damages to construction, adjacent properties, utilities, and/or buildings in the area caused by these operations.

3.2 INSPECTION

- A. Inspect pipe and fittings before installation. Remove defective materials from the Site.
- B. Concrete pipes shall be free from fractures, cracks, and surface roughness.
- C. Pipe with damaged ends will not be accepted when such damage would prevent making a satisfactory joint.

3.3 INSTALLATION

- A. General Locations and Arrangements: Contract Drawings (plans and details) indicate the general location and arrangement of the underground storm sewerage system piping. Location and arrangements of piping layout take into account many design considerations. Install the piping as indicated, to the extent practical. If, during construction of the project, it becomes necessary to make changes in the location or grades of the sewers, the Engineer will issue appropriate directions after being contacted by the Contractor.
- B. Install piping beginning at low point of systems, true to grades and alignment indicated with unbroken continuity of invert. Place bell ends of piping facing upstream. Install gaskets, seals, sleeves, and couplings in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations for use of lubricants, cements, and other installation requirements. Maintain swab or drag in line and pull past each joint as it is completed.
- C. Use manholes or catch basins for changes in direction, except where a fitting is indicated. Use fittings for branch connections, except where direct tap into existing sewer is indicated.

- D. Use proper size increasers, reducers, and couplings, where different size or material of pipes and fittings are connected. Reduction of the size of piping in the direction of flow is prohibited.
- E. Install piping pitched down in direction of flow, at minimum slope of 1 percent, except where indicated otherwise.
- F. Extend storm sewerage system piping to connect to building storm drains, of sizes and in locations indicated.
- G. Fill excess excavation with suitable materials and tamp.

3.4 STORM SEWER RELATION TO WATER LINE

- A. Horizontal Separation: Storm sewers should be laid at least 10 feet, horizontally, from any existing or proposed water line.
- B. Vertical Separation: Whenever sewers must cross water line, the storm sewer shall be laid at such so there is an 18-inch vertical separation between the two lines. When the elevation of the sewer cannot be varied to meet the above requirements, the water main shall be relocated to provide this separation or reconstructed with push-on joint pipe for a distance of 10 feet on each side of the sewer. One full length of water main should be centered over the sewer so that both joints will be as far from the sewer as possible.
- C. Special Conditions: When it is impossible to obtain proper horizontal and vertical separation as stipulated above, the water main should be constructed of a slip-on or mechanical-joint ductile iron pipe, and the sewer constructed of mechanical-joint ductile iron pipe and both pressure tested to assure water tightness.

3.5 PROTECTING PIPE

- A. During the progress of the Work keep pipe clean from all sediment, debris, and other foreign material.
- B. Close all open ends of pipes and fittings securely with removable plugs at end of Work day, during storms, when the Work is left at any time, and at such times as Engineer may direct.

3.6 TAP CONNECTIONS

- A. Make connections to existing piping and underground structures so that finished work will conform as nearly as practicable to the requirements specified for new work.
- B. Use commercially manufactured wye fittings for piping branch connections. Remove section of existing pipe, install wye fitting into

existing piping, and encase entire wye fitting plus 6-inch overlap, with not less than 6 inches of 3000-psi 28-day compressive-strength concrete.

- C. Make branch connections from side into existing 4- to 21-inch piping by removing section of existing pipe and installing wye fitting, into existing piping. Encase entire wye with not less than 6 inches of 3000-psi 28-day compressive-strength concrete or,
 - D. Make branch connections from side into existing 24-inch or larger piping or to underground structures by cutting opening into existing unit sufficiently large to allow 3 inches of concrete to be packed around entering connection. Cut end of connection pipe passing through pipe or structure wall to conform to shape of and be flush with inside wall, unless otherwise indicated. On outside of pipe or structure wall, encase entering connection in 6 inches of concrete for minimum length of 12 inches to provide additional support of collar from connection to undisturbed ground.
 - 1. Provide concrete that will attain minimum 28-day compressive strength of 3000 psi, unless otherwise indicated.
 - 2. Use epoxy bonding compound as interface between new and existing concrete and piping materials.
 - a. Protect existing piping and structures to prevent concrete or debris from entering while making tap connections. Remove debris, concrete, or other extraneous material that may accumulate.
- 3.7 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL
- A. Cleaning: Clear interior of piping and structures of dirt and other superfluous material as work progresses. Maintain swab or drag in piping and pull past each joint as it is completed.
 - 1. In large, accessible piping, brushes and brooms may be used for cleaning.
 - 2. Place plugs in ends of uncompleted pipe at end of day or whenever work stops.
 - 3. Flush piping between manholes, if required by local authority, to remove collected debris.
 - B. Interior Inspection: Inspect piping to determine whether line displacement or other damage has occurred.
 - 1. Make inspections of pipe between manholes/fittings, after pipe has been installed and approximately 2 feet of backfill is in place, and again at completion of project.
 - 2. If inspection indicates poor alignment, debris, displaced pipe, infiltration, or other defects, correct such defects and re-inspect.

- C. Water Tightness of Sewer Structures: It is the intent of the Contract Drawings and these Specifications that the completed storm sewer lines shall be as watertight and free from infiltration as practical, unless specified otherwise. All visible leaks or points of infiltration shall be repaired.

END OF SECTION 334100

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SECTION 334900 – STORM DRAINAGE STRUCTURES

PART 1 GENERAL

1.1 This Section includes:

- A. Under this section the Contractor shall provide all labor, equipment and material necessary to furnish, install and test all storm utility drainage structures and fittings as shown on the Contract drawings, specified herein and approved by the Engineer.

1.2 RELATED WORK SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE

- A. Contract Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- B. Section 312000: Excavation and Fill
- C. Section 334100: Storm Drainage Piping

1.3 REFERENCES

- A. American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO)
- B. American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM)

1.4 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Location of Sewers and Sewer Structures: The location, elevation, and grades of sewers and sewer structures are shown on the Contract Drawings and shall be adhered to as closely as possible. If during construction of the project, it becomes necessary to make changes in the location or grades of the sewers, the Engineer will issue appropriate directions after being contacted by the Contractor.
- B. Site Information: Perform site survey, research public utility records, and verify existing utility locations. Verify that storm sewerage system may be installed in compliance with original design and referenced standards.

1.5 SUBMITTALS

- A. Shop drawings for precast concrete storm drainage structures, including cast iron frames, grates, covers, precast dry well and infiltrator system components. Submittal shall include installation, inspection and maintenance instructions for the infiltration system.
- B. Product Data: Manufacturer's catalog cuts, specifications, and installation instructions. And manufacturer's certificates.

- C. As-built record drawings at project closeout of installed storm sewerage piping and products. An as-built survey prepared by licensed NYS Surveyor depicting the installed storm sewer piping and structures including rim and invert elevations of structures pipe size, pipe type, and invert of all piping. Both hard copy and electronic copy shall be provided to the Owner and Engineer.

1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Manufacturer data: All products must be produced by a facility that demonstrates five (5) years of experience in the production of similar products.
- B. All material utilized in construction of structures shall comply with all applicable ASTM and NYSDOT standards.
- C. Environmental Compliance: Comply with applicable portions of local health department and environmental agency regulations pertaining to storm sewerage systems.
- D. Utility Compliance: Comply with local utility regulations and standards pertaining to storm sewerage.
- E. All storm sewer system components shall be installed in accordance with applicable plumbing code requirements and in accordance with all license requirements.
- F. All storm sewer construction shall be subject to inspection by the Engineer prior to backfilling.

1.7 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

- A. Contractor shall check all materials upon delivery to assure that the proper materials have been received.
- B. Contractor shall check the structures for shipping damage prior to installation. Units that have been damaged must not be installed. Contractor shall contact manufacturer immediately upon discovery of any damage.
- C. All material shall be delivered to the site and unloaded with handling that conforms to the manufacturer's instructions for reasonable care.
- D. Protect material from dirt and damage.
- E. All material shall be protected against impact, shock and free fall, and only equipment of sufficient capacity and proper design shall be used in the handling of the pipe. Storage of the structure on the job shall be in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.1 MATERIALS

- A. Precast Rectangular Reinforced Concrete Drainage Structures:
 - 1. Structure shall be manufactured by the Fort Miller Co. Inc. or approved equivalent.
 - 2. Structure shall be designed for HS20-44 vehicular loading plus 25% impact.
 - 3. Riser Sections: ASTM C 478.
 - 4. Joints Between Riser Sections - One of the following:
 - a. Rubber Gaskets: ASTM C-443.
 - b. Butyl Joint Sealant: ConSeal CS-202 by Concrete Sealants, Inc., or approved equivalent.
 - 5. Concrete for Precast Units: Air content 6% by volume with an allowable tolerance of 1.5% +/- . Minimum compressive strength of 4,500 PSI after 28 days.
 - 6. Concrete Reinforcement: Reinforcement for structure shall be designed by a Licensed New York State Professional Engineer prior to construction.
 - a. Welded Wire Fabric: ASTM A 185.
 - b. Steel Bars: ASTM A 615, Grade 60.
 - 7. Steps:
 - a. Reinforced Plastic: 1/2-inch steel reinforced (ASTM A-615, Grade 60) polypropylene, or other plastic material complying with NYSDOT 725-02.01.
 - b. Capable of withstanding a 300 lb. concentrated live load without permanent distortion and with rungs a minimum 10 inches wide designed to prevent feet from slipping off the ends.
 - c. Manufactured by MA Industries or approved equivalents.
- B. Precast Square Reinforced Concrete Drainage Structure
 - 1. Structure shall be manufactured by the Fort Miller Co. Inc. or approved equivalent.
 - 2. Structure shall be designed for HS20-44 vehicular loading plus 25% impact.
 - 3. Structure shall have integral base.
 - 4. Riser Sections: ASTM C 890, height and width as indicated on the Contract Documents.
 - 5. Concrete for Pre-Cast Units: Air content 6% by volume with an allowable tolerance of +/-1.5%. Minimum compressive strength of 4,500 psi after 28 days.
 - 6. Pre-Cast Concrete Structure Load Rating: AASHTO HS-20 with 30% impact and 130 lb/cf equivalent soil pressure.

- a. Casting Load Rating: AASHTO H20 wheel loading requirements. Manufacture, workmanship and certified proof-load tests shall conform to AASHTO M306-89 Standard Specification for Drainage Structure Castings.
 - b. Coatings: Minimum one shop coat of asphaltum to be applied to all frame and grate surfaces.
 - c. Acceptable Casting: As indicated on Contract Drawings.
- C. Frames, Grates, and Covers for Precast Reinforced Concrete Drainage Structures:
 - 1. Style: Heavy Duty Frame and Grate Assembly
 - 2. Size: 24" x 24"
 - 3. Frame and Grate: Provide castings of uniform quality, free from blow holes, porosity, hard spots, shrinkage defects, cracks or other injurious defects. Manufacture all castings true to pattern and free from surface imperfections. Provide heavy duty frames and grates with machined horizontal bearing surfaces.
 - 4. Design of each shall be the same throughout the project unless otherwise specified or indicated on the Contract Drawings.
 - 5. Units shall meet AASHTO HS20-44 vehicular loading plus 25% impact. Manufacturer, workmanship and certified proof-load tests shall conform to AASHTO M306-89-Standard Specification for Drainage Structure Castings.
 - 6. A.D.A. and Bicycle compliant.
 - 7. Material:
 - a. Cast iron: ASTM A48, Class 30B or 35B.
 - b. Delivered to site free of any coatings, unless otherwise specified.
- F. Basin and Grate for Yard Inlet Basins:
 - 1. In-Line Drain and Grate: As manufactured by Nyloplast-ADS or equivalent, 13.5" by 13.25" in-line drain with cast iron HS20-44 rated grate.
 - 2. Grate: Round domed ductile iron model 1899CGD and 0899CGD by NYLOPLAST, or approved equivalent.
 - 3. Acceptable Drainage Structure Basin and Grate: Pattern 1899CGD and 0899CGD by NYLOPLAST, or approved equivalent.
- G. Frame, Grate and Cover for Storm Manholes:
 - 1. Heavy Duty, Round Frame and Grate or Frame and Cover Assembly
 - 2. Size: 48" diameter
 - 3. Grates shall be A.D.A. and Bicycle compliant.
 - 4. Material:
 - c. Cast iron: ASTM A48, Class 30B or 35B.
 - d. Delivered to site free of any coatings, unless otherwise specified.

- H. Pipe-to-Drainage Structure Connection:
 - 1. Non-shrink cement mortar, ASTM C 270, Type M.
 - 2. Concrete Coating: Waterborne, non-flammable, VOC Compliance, 3 mil dry film thickness, cationic asphalt emulsion (55% - 60% petroleum asphalt), PGS 96 by Pipe Gasket & Supply Co., 2701 South Coliseum Boulevard, Suite 1010, Fort Wayne, Indiana, 46003, (219) 426-4575, or approved equivalent.
- I. Materials for use in mortar shall conform to the following requirements:
 - 1. Cement: Cement shall conform to the Standard Specifications for Portland Cement, ASTM Serial Designation C150 with latest amendments.
 - 2. Sand: Sand shall be sharp, clean, free from deleterious substances and shall be uniformly graded and shall conform to the "Standard Specification for Aggregate for Masonry Mortar", ASTM C144 with the latest amendments.
 - 3. Water: Water used in making mortar or concrete shall be clean and free from oil, alkali, sugar or other deleterious substances. When potable water is in reach, no other water shall be used.
- J. Stormwater Chamber System
 - 1. Basis of design is ADS Stormtech MC3500 Chamber. Approved equivalents are acceptable. Only chambers that are approved by the Owner's Representative will be allowed.
 - 2. Only stormwater chamber systems evaluated by a licensed design engineer and found to meet AASHTO Section 12.12 safety factors are allowed.
 - 3. Stormwater chambers must be designed in accordance with ASTM F 2418-16a or F 2922 Standard Specification for Polypropylene (PP) or Polyethylene (PE) Corrugated Wall Stormwater Collection Chambers.
 - 4. The structural design of the chambers, the structural backfill, and the installation requirements shall ensure that the load factors specified in the AASHTO LFRD bridge design specifications, Section 12.12, are met for:
 - a. Long-duration dead loads
 - b. Short-duration live loads, based on the AASHTO design truck with consideration for impact and multiple vehicle presences.
 - 5. Stormwater chambers shall be designed, tested and allowable load configurations determined in accordance with ASTM F 2787, "Standard Practice for Structural Design of Thermoplastic Corrugated Wall Stormwater Collection Chambers". Load configurations shall include:

- a. Instantaneous (<1 min) AASHTO design truck live load on minimum cover
 - b. Maximum permanent (75-yr) cover load and
 - c. Allowable cover with parked (1-week) AASHTO design truck.
- 6. Chamber
 - a. Chambers shall be arch-shaped and shall be manufactured from virgin, impact-modified polypropylene or polyethylene copolymers.
 - b. Chamber rows shall provide continuous, unobstructed internal space with no internal support panels in order to provide ease of access for inspection and maintenance functions.
 - c. Inspection ports shall be installed and constructed per project plans.
 - d. The chambers shall be open-bottomed.
 - e. The chamber shall incorporate an overlapping corrugation joint system to allow chamber rows of almost any length to be built. Chamber models may be cut at the job site to improve site optimization and reduce product waste.
- 7. End Caps
 - a. End caps shall be corrugated injection molded or roto molded from polyethylene or polypropylene resin and allow pipe connections with polyethylene pipe. End caps shall have a curved face capable of resisting typical horizontal and vertical loads.
 - b. All chamber rows shall be terminated with an end cap. End cap placement on end of chamber will vary depending on chamber model.
 - c. End caps may incorporate cutting guides to allow easy field cutting for various diameters of pipe. Cutting guides shall be located at both the top and bottom of each end cap.
- 8. Manifold Piping
 - a. Manifold piping shall be designed to ensure that peak flows are distributed to the rows of chambers without scour of foundation stone.
 - b. Manifold piping shall be of dual wall HDPE piping such that accepted equations of hydraulics can be used as a basis for design.

9. Fabric
 - a. Fabric between the chamber bottom and the stone foundation located along the entire length of the Isolator Row PLUS and the first 17.5 feet of all inlet rows.
 - b. ADS Geosynthetics 315WTM woven geotextile for isolator row and first 17.5 feet of chamber inlet rows or approved equal.
 - c. ADS Geosynthetics 601T non-woven geotextile fabric or approved equal for overall footprint.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Construct structures with precast reinforced riser sections to the dimensions shown on the Contract Drawings. Seal joints between precast riser sections with material specified. Install steps 12 inches o.c. from top to bottom and in a manner capable of withstanding a lateral pull of 1,000 lbs.
- B. Position tops of structures flush with finished grade.
- C. All lifting holes shall be sealed by driving a tapered rubber plug into to hole and filling the remaining void with a non-shrink grout.
- D. Cast iron frames, grates and covers shall be set to the proper elevation in a full bed of mortar. The frame shall be completely mortared onto the manhole as shown on the Contract Drawings.
- E. Temporary Shoring: Provide and maintain shoring, bracing, or structural support to preserve stability and prevent movement, settlement, or collapse of existing structures and construction to remain. Strengthen or add new supports when required during progress of selective demolition.

3.2 BRICK TO BRING STORM DRAINAGE STRUCTURE TO GRADE

- A. Brick shall be used in conjunction with precast concrete spacers to bring frames to grade for heights under twelve (12) inches in the following manner:
 1. Bricks shall be thoroughly wet when used and each brick shall be laid in a full bed of mortar including side and end joints. Normal 3/8 inch joints shall be used except when the brick is laid radially, in which case the narrowest part of the joint will not exceed 1/4 inch. Brick shall be laid neatly with sufficient width to adequately support the cast iron frame. The entire stack shall be completely plastered on the exterior side when initially constructed. The brick work shall be kept moist for a period of five (5) days after completion and adequately protected to prevent freezing during cold weather. The

interior of the brick shall be neatly plastered once final grading and paving is completed so that the frame and cover will not be disturbed by additional work.

3.3 CHAMBER INSTALLATION AND BACKFILLING

- A. Excavation must be free of standing water. Dewatering measures must be taken if required.
- B. Prepare the chamber bed's subgrade soil as outlined in the Contract Drawings. Requirement for subgrade soil bearing capacity should meet or exceed the chamber manufacturer's required allowable subgrade soil bearing capacity. The Contractor must report any discrepancies with subgrade soil's bearing capacity to the Engineer.
- C. Install chamber system flat or at constant slope between points and elevations indicated.
- D. Construct fabric and stone foundation per chamber manufacturer's installation instructions.
- E. Construct the chamber bed by joining the chambers lengthwise in rows. Attach chambers by overlapping the end corrugation of one chamber onto the end corrugation of the last chamber in the row.
- F. See pipe manufacturer's installation instructions for pipe assembly.
- G. Stone placement between chamber rows and around perimeter must follow instructions as indicated in the most current version of the chamber manufacturer's installation instructions.
- H. The contractor must refer to the chamber manufacturer's installation instructions for a table of acceptable vehicle loads at various depths of cover. The contractor is responsible for preventing vehicles that exceed the chamber manufacturer's requirements from traveling across or parking over the chamber system. Temporary fencing, warning tape and appropriately located signs are commonly used to prevent unauthorized vehicles from entering sensitive construction areas.
- I. Refer to the chamber manufacturer's installation instructions for minimum requirements for backfill material above the stormwater chamber system.
- J. See pipe manufacturer's installation instructions for guidance on installing the plastic pipe fittings to the chamber system.
- K. Protect all inlets to the stormwater chamber system during construction. Once construction has ceased, the pipe plugs are removed to allow normal system functionality.

3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Cleaning: Clear interior of structures of dirt and other superfluous material as work progresses.
- B. Flush piping between manholes, if required by local authority, to remove collected debris.
- C. Interior Inspection: Inspect piping to determine whether line displacement or other damage has occurred.
- D. Make inspections of pipe between manholes/fittings, after pipe has been installed and approximately 2 feet of backfill is in place, and again at completion of project.
- E. If inspection indicates poor alignment, debris, displaced pipe, infiltration, or other defects, correct such defects and re-inspect.
- F. Water Tightness of Storm Sewer Structures: It is the intent of the Contract Drawings and these Specifications that the completed storm sewer structure shall be as watertight and free from infiltration as practical. All visible leaks or points of infiltration shall be repaired.

3.5 INSPECTION AND MAINTENANCE

- A. Utilize inspection port to allow for inspection of the stormwater system during normal operations.
- B. Refer to the chamber manufacturer's Operation and Maintenance manual for guidance on inspection intervals during normal system operation.
- C. Maintenance of the isolator row shall utilize a vacuum jet process to remove sediments that have accumulated over time.

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SECTION 335900 – SANITARY SEWER PIPING

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Under this section the Contractor shall provide all labor, equipment and material necessary to furnish, install and test all sanitary sewer utility pipe and fittings as shown on the Contract Drawings.

1.2 RELATED WORK SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE

- A. Contract Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- B. Section 312000: Excavation and Fill
- C. Section 335903: Sanitary Sewer Structures

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Shop Drawing: Pipes and associated fittings.
- B. Product Data: Manufacturer's specifications, including dimensions, allowable height of cover information, and installation instructions.
- C. Manufacturer's product literature, installation instructions and shop drawings for infiltration systems.
- D. As-built record drawings at project closeout of installed sanitary sewerage piping and products. An as-built survey prepared by licensed NYS Surveyor depicting the installed sanitary sewer piping and structures including rim and invert elevations of structures pipe size, pipe type, and invert of all piping. Both hard copy and electronic copy shall be provided to the Owner and Engineer.

1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Environmental Compliance: Comply with applicable portions of local health department and environmental agency regulations pertaining to sanitary sewerage systems.
- B. Utility Compliance: Comply with local utility regulations and standards pertaining to sanitary sewerage.
- C. All sanitary sewer system components shall be installed in accordance with applicable plumbing code requirements and in accordance with all license requirements.
- D. All sanitary sewer construction shall be subject to inspection by the Engineer prior to backfilling.

1.5 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Location of Sewers and Sewer Structures: The location, elevation, and grades of sewers and sewer structures are shown on the Contract Drawings and shall be adhered to as closely as possible. If during construction of the project, it becomes necessary to make changes in the location or grades of the sewers, the Engineer will issue appropriate directions after being contacted by the Contractor.
- B. Site Information: Perform site survey, research public utility records, and verify existing utility locations. Verify that storm sewerage system piping may be installed in compliance with original design and referenced standards.
- C. Interruption of Existing Sanitary Sewerage Service: Do not interrupt service to facilities occupied by Owner or others unless permitted under the following conditions and then only after arranging to provide temporary service according to requirements indicated:
 - 1. Notify Owner and Engineer no fewer than two days in advance of proposed interruption of service.
 - 2. Do not proceed with interruption of service without Owner's written permission.

1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver, store, protect and handle products to site under provisions of the General Conditions.
- B. Provide temporary end caps and closures on piping and fittings. Maintain in place until installation.
- C. Protect piping systems from entry of foreign materials by temporary covers, completing sections of the work, and isolating parts of completed system.

1.7 SEQUENCING AND SCHEDULING

- A. Coordinate with other utility work.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MATERIALS

- A. PVC Sewer Piping
 - 1. Pipe: ASTM D 3034, SDR 35, PVC Type PSM sewer pipe with bell-and-spigot ends for gasketed joints.
 - 2. Laterals: SDR 21 PVC
 - 3. Fittings: ASTM D 3034, PVC with bell ends.
 - 4. Gaskets: ASTM F 477, elastomeric seals.
- B. Preinsulated PVC Gravity Sewer Pipe
 - 1. Preinsulated Gravity Sewer: PVC Carrier Pipe - 160 psi (SDR 26) PVC pipe meeting ASTM D1784; PVC Casing Pipe - Material ASTM D1784, Pipe - SDR 1 or heavier - ASTM D2241; Rubber sealing rings (gaskets) - molded solid compression type seal;

Foam - polyurethane - 1.5 to 2.5 lb./cu. Ft., 90 percent closed cell content, K value - 0.14 Btu/inch/hr./degree F/sq. ft.

2. Provide rubber end seals on all full and cut-down sections to protect insulation.
3. Utilize SDR 26 gasketed PVC fittings. Encase in concrete following leakage testing.
4. Acceptable Manufacturer: Thermal Pipe Systems, Inc., 5205 W. Woodmill Dr., Suite 33, Wilmington, DE 19808, (302) 999-1588, www.thermalpipesystems.com or approved equivalent

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSPECTION

- A. Inspect all pipe and fittings before installation. Remove defective pipe and fittings from the site.
- B. Pipe with damaged ends will not be accepted when such damage would prevent making a satisfactory joint.
- C. Do not backfill before installation is inspected by the Engineer.

3.2 EARTHWORK

- A. Excavating, trenching, and backfilling are specified in Section 312000 – Earthwork.

3.3 INSTALLATION

- A. Install Contract Drawings indicate location and arrangement of underground sanitary sewer piping. Where specified location and arrangement is not allowable due to unforeseen conditions, please notify the Engineer as soon as possible.
- B. Install piping beginning at low point, true to grades and alignment indicated with unbroken continuity of invert. Lay pipe to indicated line and grade with a firm uniform bearing for the entire length of the pipe. Place bell ends of piping facing upstream. Install gaskets, seals, sleeves, and couplings according to manufacturer's written instructions for using lubricants, cements, and other installation requirements.
- C. Install proper size increasers, reducers, and couplings where different sizes or materials of pipes and fittings are connected. Reducing size of piping in direction of flow is prohibited.
- D. When installing pipe under streets or other obstructions that cannot be disturbed, use pipe-jacking process of microtunneling.
- E. Install gravity-flow, nonpressure, drainage piping according to the following:
 1. Install piping pitched down in direction of flow, at minimum slope of 0.40 percent unless otherwise indicated.
 2. Install piping with 48-inch minimum cover.
 3. Install PVC Type PSM sewer piping according to ASTM D 2321 and ASTM F 1668.
- F. Arrange for installation of green warning tapes directly over piping.

1. Use warning tape or detectable warning tape over ferrous piping.
2. Use detectable warning tape over nonferrous piping.

3.4 PIPE JOINT CONSTRUCTION

- A. Wipe inside of sockets and outside of pipe to be jointed, clean and dry.
- B. Install rubber gaskets in accordance with the manufacturer's specifications.
- C. Join gravity-flow, nonpressure, drainage piping according to the following:
 1. Join PVC Type PSM sewer piping according to ASTM D 2321 and ASTM D 3034 for elastomeric-seal joints or ASTM D 3034 for elastomeric-gasket joints.
- D. Pipe couplings, expansion joints, and deflection fittings with pressure ratings at least equal to piping rating may be used in applications below unless otherwise indicated.
 1. Use nonpressure flexible couplings where required to join gravity-flow, nonpressure sewer piping unless otherwise indicated.
 - a. Flexible couplings for pipes of same or slightly different OD.
 - b. Unshielded, increaser/reducer-pattern, flexible couplings for pipes with different OD.
 - c. Ring-type flexible couplings for piping of different sizes where annular space between smaller piping's OD and larger piping's ID permits installation.

3.5 LEAKAGE TEST

- A. Inspect interior of piping to determine whether line displacement or other damage has occurred. Inspect after approximately 24 inches of backfill is in place, and again at completion of Project.
 1. Submit separate report for each system inspection.
 2. Defects requiring correction include the following:
 - a. Alignment: Less than full diameter of inside of pipe is visible between structures.
 - b. Deflection: Flexible piping with deflection that prevents passage of ball or cylinder of size not less than 92.5 percent of piping diameter.
 - c. Damage: Crushed, broken, cracked, or otherwise damaged piping.
 - d. Infiltration: Water leakage into piping.
 - e. Exfiltration: Water leakage from or around piping.
 3. Replace defective piping using new materials, and repeat inspections until defects are within allowances specified.
 4. Reinspect and repeat procedure until results are satisfactory.

- B. Test new piping systems, and parts of existing systems that have been altered, extended, or repaired, for leaks and defects.
 - 1. Do not enclose, cover, or put into service before inspection and approval.
 - 2. Test completed piping systems according to requirements of authorities having jurisdiction.
 - 3. Schedule tests and inspections by authorities having jurisdiction with at least 24 hours' advance notice.
 - 4. Submit separate report for each test.
 - 5. Hydrostatic Tests: Test sanitary sewerage according to requirements of authorities having jurisdiction and the following:
 - a. Fill sewer piping with water. Test with pressure of at least 10-foot head of water, and maintain such pressure without leakage for at least 15 minutes.
 - b. Close openings in system and fill with water.
 - c. Purge air and refill with water.
 - d. Disconnect water supply.
 - e. Test and inspect joints for leaks.
 - 6. Air Tests: Test sanitary sewerage according to requirements of authorities having jurisdiction, and the following:
 - a. Option: Test plastic gravity sewer piping according to ASTM F 1417.
- C. Leaks and loss in test pressure constitute defects that must be repaired.
- D. Replace leaking piping using new materials, and repeat testing until leakage is within allowances specified.
- E. Additional leakage tests and a final test shall be performed as directed by the Engineer.

3.6 CLEANING

- A. Clean dirt and superfluous material from interior of piping. Flush with potable water.

END OF SECTION 335900

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SECTION 335903 – SANITARY SEWER STRUCTURES

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Under this section the Contractor shall provide all labor, equipment and material necessary to furnish, install and test all sanitary sewer structures as shown on the Contract Drawings.

1.2 RELATED WORK SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE

- A. Contract Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- B. Section 312000: Excavation and Fill
- C. Section 335900: Sanitary Sewer Piping

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Shop Drawing: Structures including manholes, septic tanks and cleanouts
- B. Product Data: Manufacturer's specifications, including dimensions, and installation instructions.
- C. Manufacturer's product literature, installation instructions and shop drawings.
- D. As-built record drawings at project closeout of installed sanitary sewerage products. An as-built survey prepared by licensed NYS Surveyor depicting the installed sanitary sewer structures including rim and invert elevations of structures pipe size, pipe type, and invert of all piping. Both hard copy and electronic copy shall be provided to the Owner and Engineer.

1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Environmental Compliance: Comply with applicable portions of local health department and environmental agency regulations pertaining to sanitary sewerage systems.
- B. Utility Compliance: Comply with local utility regulations and standards pertaining to sanitary sewerage.
- C. All sanitary sewer system components shall be installed in accordance with applicable plumbing code requirements and in accordance with all license requirements.
- D. All sanitary sewer construction shall be subject to inspection by the Engineer prior to backfilling.

1.5 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Location of Sewers and Sewer Structures: The location, elevation, and grades of sewers and sewer structures are shown on the Contract Drawings and shall be adhered to as closely as possible. If during construction of the project, it becomes necessary to make

changes in the location or grades of the sewers, the Engineer will issue appropriate directions after being contacted by the Contractor.

- B. Site Information: Perform site survey, research public utility records, and verify existing utility locations. Verify that storm sewerage system piping may be installed in compliance with original design and referenced standards.
- C. Interruption of Existing Sanitary Sewerage Service: Do not interrupt service to facilities occupied by Owner or others unless permitted under the following conditions and then only after arranging to provide temporary service according to requirements indicated:
 - 1. Notify Owner and Engineer no fewer than two days in advance of proposed interruption of service.
 - 2. Do not proceed with interruption of service without Owner's written permission.

1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver, store, protect and handle products to site under provisions of the General Conditions.
- B. Provide temporary closures on openings. Maintain in place until installation.
- C. Protect structures from entry of foreign materials by temporary covers, completing sections of the work, and isolating parts of completed system.

1.7 SEQUENCING AND SCHEDULING

- A. Coordinate with other utility work.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 MATERIALS

- A. PVC Cleanouts
 - 1. Description: PVC body with PVC threaded plug. Include PVC sewer pipe fitting and riser to cleanout of same material as sewer piping, as indicated on plans.
 - 2. Frame and Cover – EJ Group Frame PN#00156446 and Cover PN#00156411 or approved equal.
- B. Standard Precast Concrete Manholes
 - 1. Description: ASTM C 478, precast, reinforced concrete, of depth indicated, with provision for sealant joints.
 - 2. Diameter: As indicated on schedule sheet.
 - 3. Ballast: Increase thickness of precast concrete sections or add concrete to base section, as required to prevent flotation.
 - 4. Base Section: 6-inch minimum thickness for floor slab and 6-inch minimum thickness for walls and base riser section; with separate base slab or base section with integral floor.

5. Riser Sections: 6-inch minimum thickness, of length to provide depth indicated.
6. Top Section: Eccentric-cone type unless concentric-cone or flat-slab-top type is indicated; with top of cone of size that matches grade rings.
7. Joint Sealant: ASTM C 990, bitumen or butyl rubber.
8. Resilient Pipe Connectors: ASTM C 923 cast or fitted into manhole walls, for each pipe connection.
9. Steps: Wide enough to allow worker to place both feet on one step and designed to prevent lateral slippage off step. Cast or anchor steps into sidewalls at 12 to 16-inch intervals. Omit steps if total depth from floor of manhole to finished grade is less than 60 inches.
10. Adjusting Rings: Interlocking HDPE rings, with level or sloped edge in thickness and diameter matching manhole frame and cover, and with height as required to adjust manhole frame and cover to indicated elevation and slope. Include sealant recommended by ring manufacturer.
11. Grade Rings: Reinforced-concrete rings, 6- to 9-inch total thickness, with diameter matching manhole frame and cover, and with height as required to adjust manhole frame and cover to indicated elevation and slope.

B. Manhole Frame and Cover

1. Description: Ferrous; 24-inch ID by 7- to 9-inch riser, with 4-inch minimum-width flange and 26-inch diameter cover. Include indented top design with lettering cast into cover, using wording equivalent to "SANITARY SEWER."
2. Material: Cast iron unless otherwise indicated. Manufactured by EJ Group or approved equal.

C. Concrete

1. General: Cast-in-place concrete complying with ACI 318, and the following:
 - a. Cement: ASTM C 150, Type II.
 - b. Fine Aggregate: ASTM C 33, sand.
 - c. Coarse Aggregate: ASTM C 33, crushed gravel.
 - d. Water: Potable.

D. Portland Cement Design Mix: 4500 psi minimum, with 0.5 maximum water/cementitious materials ratio.

1. Reinforcing Fabric: ASTM A 185/A 185M, steel, welded wire fabric, plain.
2. Reinforcing Bars: ASTM A 615/A 615M, Grade 60 (420 MPa) deformed steel.

E. Manhole Channels and Benches: Factory or field formed from concrete. Portland cement design mix, 4500 psi minimum, with 0.5 maximum water/cementitious materials ratio. Include channels and benches in manholes.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSPECTION

- A. Inspect all structures before installation. Remove defective structures from the site.
- B. Do not backfill before installation is inspected by the Engineer.

3.2 EARTHWORK

- A. Excavating, trenching, and backfilling are specified in Section 31 20 00 – Earthwork.

3.3 MANHOLE INSTALLATION

- A. General: Install manholes complete with appurtenances and accessories indicated on the Contract Drawings. Where specified location and arrangement is not allowable due to unforeseen conditions, please notify the Engineer as soon as possible.
- B. Install precast concrete manhole sections with sealants according to ASTM C 891.
- C. Form continuous concrete channels and benches between inlets and outlet.
- D. Set tops of frames and covers flush with finished surface of manholes that occur in pavements. Set tops 3 inches above finished surface elsewhere unless otherwise indicated.
- E. Install manhole-cover inserts in frame and immediately below cover.
- F. Arrange for installation of green warning tapes at outside edges of underground manholes.
 - 1. Use detectable warning tape over outside edges of underground manholes.

3.4 CLEANOUT INSTALLATION

- A. Install cleanouts and riser extensions from sewer pipes to cleanouts at grade. Use cast-iron soil pipe fittings in sewer pipes at branches for cleanouts, and use cast-iron soil pipe for riser extensions to cleanouts. Install piping so cleanouts open in direction of flow in sewer pipe.
 - 1. Use Light-Duty, top-loading classification cleanouts in earth or unpaved foot-traffic areas.
 - 2. Use Medium-Duty, top-loading classification cleanouts in paved foot-traffic areas.
 - 3. Use Heavy-Duty, top-loading classification cleanouts in vehicle-traffic service areas.
- B. Set cleanout frames and covers in earth in cast-in-place-concrete block, 17 by 17 by 7-1/2 inches deep. Set with tops 1 inch above surrounding grade.

- C. Set cleanout frames and covers in concrete pavement and roads with tops flush with pavement surface.

3.5 CLEANING

- A. Clean dirt and superfluous material from interior of structure. Flush with potable water.

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