

SPECIFICATION AND CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

FOR

CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH, CALIFORNIA

**Greenbelt Low Flow Infiltration Project**  
**(Veteran's Parkway: 2nd Street to Boundary Place)**

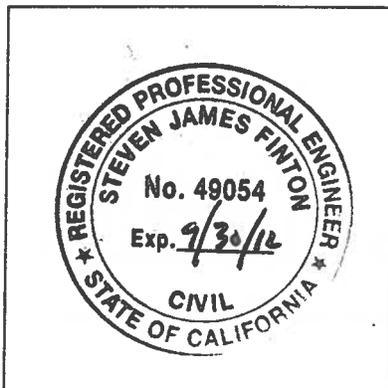


PLAN NO. SD-267  
Sheets 1 to 6

Completion: 70 Working Days

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT  
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Manhattan Beach, California 90266  
www.citymb.info  
Project Manager: Michael A. Guerrero  
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STAMP:



Reviewed by:

Steve Finton, City Engineer

2/12/12  
Date

**GREENBELT LOW FLOW INFILTRATION PROJECT**

**ADDENDUM NO. 1**  
**TO THE**  
**PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS**

This Addendum shall take precedence over any conflicting information contained either in the plans or specifications of the Greenbelt Low Flow Infiltration Project. Bidders shall incorporate the information contained in this Addendum in their bids, conform to all of the instructions contained herein in the preparation of a bid, and shall sign and submit this Addendum as a portion of the Contractor's Proposal as an indication of understanding and compliance with this Addendum No. 1.

1. **REPLACE PAGE 6 "CONTRACTOR'S PROPOSAL" OF THE**  
**SPECIFICATIONS WITH THE ENCLOSED PAGE 6**

Bidders shall review carefully the directions and information contained herein and shall contact the Engineer immediately should any further information be necessary.

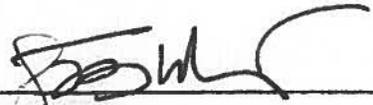
Any questions regarding this matter should be directed to the Engineer prior to bid opening.

Bidders shall sign this Addendum and attach it to their Contractor's Proposal as an affirmation of compliance with the instructions herein.

7-24-12  
Date

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Steve Finton, City Engineer

Contractor

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH  
PROJECT SPECIFICATIONS

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CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

\* \* \* \*

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the office of the City Clerk, City Hall, City of Manhattan Beach, California, until 11:00 a.m. on August 9, 2012, at which time they will be publicly opened and read, for performing work as follows:

Greenbelt Low Flow Infiltration Project per Plan No. SD-267, Sheets 1 to 6, and the Specifications prepared thereof, which are on file with the Public Works Department.

No bid will be received unless it is made on a proposal form furnished by the Engineer. Each bid must be accompanied by (cash, certified or cashier's check, or bidder's bond) made payable to the City of Manhattan Beach for an amount equal to at least ten percent (10%) of the amount bid, such guaranty to be forfeited should the bidder to whom the contract is awarded fail to enter into the contract.

Notice is hereby given that the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations, State of California, has ascertained the prevailing rates of per diem wages as evidenced in most recent edition of State of California, Department of Transportation, Business, Transportation and Housing Agency, General Prevailing Wage Rates Schedule, in the locality in which the work is to be done, for each craft or type of workman or mechanic needed to execute the contract in accordance with the provisions of Section 1770 to 1781 of the Labor Code; said prevailing rates are on file in the Office of the City Clerk and are incorporated herein by reference.

In accordance with Section 1776 of the Labor Code as amended, the Contractor shall submit a certified copy of the complete project payroll record to the Engineer, prior to final acceptance of the contract work.

The Contractor shall, in the performance of the work and improvements, conform to the Labor Code and other laws of the State of California and the laws of the Federal Government of the United States applicable thereto.

The Contractor's attention is directed to Section 14311.5 of the Government Code concerning projects involving federal funds and failure of bidder or Contractor to be properly licensed.

All bids are to be compared on the basis of the Engineer's Estimate of the quantities of work to be done. The City reserves the right to delete any bid item(s) prior to award if it is in the City's best interests to do so.

No contract will be awarded to a Contractor who has not been licensed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 9, Division III, of the Business and Professions Code.

Each bidder shall also submit with his proposal a List of Subcontractors and Contractor's Questionnaire as required in the contract documents.

Plans may be seen and forms of proposal, bonds, contract, and specifications may be obtained at the City of Manhattan Beach City Hall, 1400 Highland Avenue, Manhattan Beach, California. A non-refundable deposit for the plans and specifications may be charged as determined by the Engineer.

The special attention of prospective bidders is called to Section I, PROPOSAL REQUIREMENTS, for full direction as to bidding, etc.

The City of Manhattan Beach reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated:



6-21-12

LIZA TAMURA, City Clerk  
City of Manhattan Beach

PART 1

PROPOSAL REQUIREMENTS

Proposal Requirements

(a) General Information

The City Clerk of the City of Manhattan Beach, California, will receive at its office at the City Hall, 1400 Highland Avenue, Manhattan Beach, California, until 11:00 a.m. on August 9, 2012, sealed proposals for:

Greenbelt Low Flow Infiltration Project per Plan No. SD-267, Sheets 1 to 6, and the Specifications prepared thereof, which are on file with the Public Works Department.

(b) Examination of Plans, Specifications, Special Provisions, and Site of Work

The Bidder is required to examine carefully the site of work and the proposal plans, specifications, and contract forms for the work contemplated, and it will be assumed that the bidder has investigated and is satisfied as to the conditions to be encountered, as to the character, quality, and quantities of work to be performed and materials to be furnished, and as to the requirements agreed that submission of a proposal shall be considered prima facie evidence that the bidder has made such examination.

(c) Proposal Form

All proposals must be made upon blank forms to be obtained from the Public Works Department in the City Hall. All proposals must give the prices proposed, both in writing and figures, and must be signed by the bidder, with his address. If the proposal is made by an individual, his name and post office address must be shown. If made by firm or partnership, the name and post office address of each member of the firm or partnership must be shown. If made by corporation, the proposal must show the name of the state under the laws of which the corporation was chartered and the names, titles, and business addresses of the president, secretary, and treasurer. Each bidder shall also submit with his proposal a List of Subcontractors and Contractor's Questionnaire as required and referred to in the contract documents.

(d) Rejection of Proposals Containing Alterations, Erasures or Irregularities

Proposals may be rejected if they show any alterations of form, additions not called for, conditional or alternative bids, incomplete bids, erasures, or irregularities of any kind.

Each Contractor shall base his bid on furnishing and installing all items exactly as shown on the contract drawings and as described in the contract specifications. The successful Contractor will not be authorized to make any materials substitutions or changes in plans and/or specifications on his own initiative, but in each and every instance must procure written authorization from the Engineer before installing any work in variance with the contract requirements.

(e) Interpretation of Contract Documents

If any person contemplating submitting a bid on this project is in doubt as to the true meaning of any part of the plans, specifications, or other sections of the contract documents, he may submit to the Engineer a written request for interpretation thereof. The person submitting the request will be responsible for its prompt delivery. Any interpretation of the contract documents including the plans and specifications will be made by addendum duly issued or delivered by the Engineer to each person receiving a set of said documents. The Engineer will not be responsible for any other explanations or interpretations of the contract documents.

(f) Bidder's Guaranty

All bids shall be presented under sealed cover and shall be accompanied by cash, cashier's check, certified check, or bidder's bond, made payable to the City of Manhattan Beach, for an amount equal to at least ten percent (10%) of the amount of said bid, and no bid shall be considered unless such cash, cashier's check, certified check, or bidder's bond is enclosed therewith.

(g) Award of Contract

The award of the contract, if it be awarded\*, will be to the lowest responsible bidder whose proposal complied with all the requirements described. The award, if made, will be made within thirty ( 30 ) days after the opening of the bids. All bids will be compared on the basis of the Engineer's estimate of quantities of work to be done. \*See Paragraph (k) below.

(h) Execution of Contract

The contract shall be signed by the successful bidder and returned, together with the contract bonds, within ten (10) days, not including Sundays, after the bidder has received notice that the contract has been awarded. No proposal shall be considered binding upon the City until the execution of the contract.

Failure to execute a contract and file acceptable bonds as provided herein within ten (10) days, not including Sundays, after the bidder has received notice that the contract has been awarded, shall be just cause for the annulment of the award and the forfeiture of the proposal guaranty.

(i) Return of Bidder's Guaranties

Within ten (10) days after the award of the contract, the City Clerk will return the proposal guaranties accompanying such proposals which are not to be considered in making the award. All other proposal guaranties will be held until the contract has been finally executed, after which they will be returned to the respective bidders whose proposals they accompany.

(j) Contractor's Questionnaire

The Contractor shall complete the questionnaire form that accompanies the proposal and submit the information with his proposal.

(k) Owner's Right to Award Contract

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive any irregularities or informalities and to award contract as may best serve the interests of the City of Manhattan Beach.

CONTRACTOR'S PROPOSAL

To the City Council of the City of Manhattan Beach:

The undersigned declares that he has carefully examined the location of the proposed work, that he has examined the plans and specifications and read the accompanying proposal requirements, and hereby proposes to furnish all materials and do all the work required to complete said work prior to or upon the expiration of 70 working days in accordance with Drawing No. SD-267, Sheets 1 to 6, Specifications and Special Provisions, for the unit price or lump sum as set forth in the following schedule:

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL COST
<b>Greenbelt Low Flow Infiltration Project</b>				
1.0	Excavation, Shoring, and Backfill for 2 x 24" Perforated Steel-Reinforced Polyethelene Pipe and 24" HDPE Pipe	1 L.S.	123,060	123,060
2.0	Furnish and Install 24" Perforated Steel-Reinforced Polyethelene Pipe	2300 L.F.	55.00	126,500
3.0	Furnish and Install Stone Backfill at Perforated Pipe	600 C.Y.	84.00	50,400.00
4.0	Furnish and Install 24" Access Riser	8 EA.	3,700.00	29,600.00
5.0	Excavation, Shoring and Backfill for CDS Unit/Diversion Weir Box	1 L.S.	18,000.00	18,000.00
6.0	Furnish and Install CDS Model CDS4045-8-C	1 L.S.	76,000.00	76,000.00
7.0	Construction Cast-In Place Concrete Diversion Weir Box	1 L.S.	35,500.00	35,500.00
8.0	Construct 24" Reinforced Concrete Pipe	12 L.F.	37.00	444.00
9.0	Construct 33" Reinforced Concrete Pipe	20 L.F.	65.00	4,300.00
10.0	Construct 36" Reinforced Concrete Pipe	40 L.F.	66.00	2,640.00
11.0	Construct Pipe to Pipe Transition Structure per APWA Std Plan No. 340-1	1 L.S.	7,000.00	7,000.00
12.0	Construct RCP Concrete Collar per APWA Std Plan No. 380-3	1 L.S.	2,500.00	2,500.00
13.0	Excavation, Shoring and Backfill for Concrete Pipe	1 L.S.	19,500.00	19,500.00
14.0	Construct 24" HDPE Pipe	40 L.F.	275.00	2,750.00
15.0	Furnish and Install Automatic Retractable Curb Screen (W = 4'-8")	2 EA.	1,400.00	2,800.00
16.0	Furnish and Install Automatic Retractable Curb Screen (W = 7')	4 EA.	1,700.00	6,800.00
17.0	Furnish and Install Automatic Retractable Curb Screen (W = 14')	2 EA.	2,800.00	5,600.00
18.0	Furnish and Install Automatic Retractable Curb Screen (W = 21')	1 EA.	6,000.00	6,000.00
19.0	Construction Survey	1 L.S.	9,094.00	9,094.00
20.0	Special project site maintenance and public convenience and safety (not to exceed price if for comparison of bids only and may not be the final payment, complete). See Section 10 of Specifications.	1 L.S.	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00
	<b>TOTAL BASE BID:</b>		<b>538,738</b>	<b>538,738</b>



**STATISTICAL INFORMATION ON CONTRACTOR**

**Greenbelt Low Flow Infiltration Project**

**Firm/Organisation Information Form**

**INSTRUCTIONS:** All proposers or bidders responding to this solicitation must return this form for proper consideration of their proposal or bid. **The information requested below is for statistical purposes only.** On final analysis and consideration of award, a proposer/bidder will be selected without regard to gender, race, creed, or color. Categories listed below are based upon those described in 49 CFR §23.5.

**TYPE OF BUSINESS ENTITY:** Corporation  
(Corporation, Partnership, Joint Venture, Sole Proprietorship, etc.)

**TOTAL NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES IN FIRM (including owners):** 70

**CULTURAL/ETHNIC COMPOSITION OF FIRM:** (Owners, Partners, Associate Partners, Managers, Staff, etc.).  
**Please break down the total number of employees in your firm into the following categories:**

	OWNERS/PARTNERS/ ASSOCIATE PARTNERS	MANAGERS	STAFF
Black/African American			
Hispanic/Latin American		1	2
Asian American			
American Indian/Alaskan Native			
All Others	1	10	18

*Based upon the categories above, please indicate the total number of men and women in your firm:*

Men	1	11	55
Women			3

**PERCENTAGE OF OWNERSHIP IN FIRM** Please indicate by percentage (%) how the ownership of the firm is distributed:

	Black/African American	Hispanic/Latin American	Asian American	American Indian/Alaskan Native	All Others
Men	%	%	%	%	100 %
Women	%	%	%	%	%

**CERTIFICATION AS MINORITY, WOMEN, DISADVANTAGED, AND DISABLED VETERANS BUSINESS ENTERPRISE** Is your firm currently certified as a minority, women-owned, disadvantaged or disabled veterans business enterprise by a public agency? (If yes, complete the following and attach a copy of your notice of certification.) YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO X

Agency \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_  
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**FIRM NAME:** Blois Construction, Inc.

**SIGNED:**  **TITLE:** Secretary

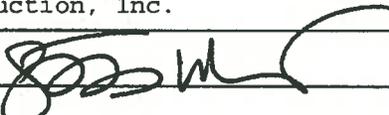
**DATE:** August 8, 2012

NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT TO BE EXECUTED BY BIDDER AND  
SUBMITTED WITH BID  
Greenbelt Low Flow Infiltration Project

State of California )  
County of Ventura ) ss.

I, Stephen Woodworth, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he

or she is secretary of Blois Construction, Inc. the party making the foregoing bid that the bid is not made in the interest of, or on behalf of, any undisclosed person, partnership, company, association, organization, or corporation; that the bid is genuine and not collusive or sham; that the bidder has not directly or indirectly induced or solicited any other bidder to put in a false or sham bid, and has not directly or indirectly colluded, conspired, connived, or agreed with any bidder or anyone else to put in a sham bid, or that anyone shall refrain from bidding; that the bidder has not in any manner, directly or indirectly, sought by agreement, communication, or conference with anyone to fix the bid price of the bidder or any other bidder, or to fix any overhead, profit, or cost element of the bid price, or of that of any other bidder, or to secure any advantage against the public body awarding the contract of anyone interested in the proposed contract; that all statements contained in the bid are true; and, further, that the bidder has not, directly or indirectly, submitted his or her bid price or any breakdown thereof, or the contents thereof, or divulged information or data relative thereto, or paid, and will not pay, any fee to any corporation, partnership, company association, organization, bid depository, or to any member or agent thereof to effectuate a collusive or sham bid.

Bidder Blois Construction, Inc.  
By   
Title Secretary  
Organization Corporation  
Address 3201 Sturgis Rd, Oxnard, CA 93030

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of August  
20 12

[Notarial Seal] \_\_\_\_\_

Notary Public in and for the State of \_\_\_\_\_

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE SEE ATTACHED JURAT WITH AFFIANT STATEMENT



CONTRACTOR'S QUESTIONNAIRE

TO THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH, CALIFORNIA:

Re: **Greenbelt Low Flow Infiltration Project**

Submitted by Blois Construction, Inc.

Principal Office 3201 Sturgis Rd, oxnard, CA 93030

Telephone 805-656-1432

Type of Firm: Corporation X Co-Partnership \_\_\_\_\_

Individual \_\_\_\_\_

Contractor's License No. \_\_\_\_\_

If a corporation, answer these questions:

Date of incorporation 2/26/68

State of incorporation \_\_\_\_\_

President's name James Blois

Vice President's name \_\_\_\_\_

Secretary or Clerk's name Stephen Woodworth

Treasurer's name \_\_\_\_\_

If a co-partnership, answer these questions:

Date of organization \_\_\_\_\_

Name and Address of all partners \_\_\_\_\_

Number of years experience as a Contractor in construction work 47

List the major construction projects your organization has underway as of this date:

Santa Monica Bay Low Flow Diversion Phone: 213-485-9884

Modified Upper Reach Reliability Project Phone: 805-687-4011

PHWA Discharge Station Phone: 805-579-7175

Hilton Plaza Phone: 562-236-5000

List the major projects your organization has completed in the past five years.

Victoria Avenue Sewer Line Phone: 805-385-7902

20,000 LF of Steel Water Line Phone: 661-513-1295

Springville Irrigation Water Line Relocation Phone: 805-383-5672

24" RW CMLC on Las Virgenes Road Phone: 818-251-2163

Have you or your firm or any principal in your firm ever been adjudged bankrupt in any voluntary or involuntary bankruptcy proceeding? NO

If so, when? \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:** If requested by the City, the bidder shall furnish a notarized financial statement, financial data, or other information and references sufficiently comprehensive to permit an appraisal of his current financial condition.



BIDDER'S BOND TO ACCOMPANY PROPOSAL

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS,

That we, Blois Construction, Inc., as principal, and  
Western Surety Company, as surety are held  
and firmly bound unto the City of Manhattan Beach in the sum of

Ten Percent of the amount bid----- Dollars, (\$ 10% ),  
to be paid to the said City or its certain attorney, its successors and  
assigns; for which payment, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our  
heirs, executors and administrators, successors or assigns, jointly and  
severally, firmly by these presents.

THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH,

That if the certain proposal of the above bounden \_\_\_\_\_  
Blois Construction, Inc.  
to construct Greenbelt Low Flow Infiltration Project per Plan No. SD-267,  
Sheets 1 to 6

dated August 9, 2012 is accepted by the City of Manhattan  
Beach, and if the above bounden Blois Construction, Inc.,

his heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, shall duly enter  
into and execute a contract for such construction, and shall execute and  
deliver the two bonds described within ten days (not including Sunday) from  
the date of the mailing of a notice to the above bounden Blois Construction, Inc. and  
from the said City of Manhattan Beach that said contract is ready for  
execution, then this obligation shall become null and void; otherwise it shall  
be and remain in full force and virtue; provided, however, that if Principal  
shall, prior to the mailing of a notice of being awarded the contract notify  
City of its unwillingness to perform under its bid submittal or request relief  
from its bid without legal justification, City shall be relieved of any  
obligation to formally award the contract to Principal and City's rights  
hereunder shall not be affected by its failure to formally award the contract.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we hereunto set our hands and seals this  
day of

August 1st, 20 12.

Blois Construction, Inc.

[Signature]

Western Surety Company

[Signature]

Shirley Littell-Attorney in Fact

**CALIFORNIA ALL-PURPOSE ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

CIVIL CODE § 1189

State of California }  
County of Ventura }

On Aug. 1, 2012 before me, Judith A. Benites, Notary Public  
Date Here insert Name and Title of the Officer

personally appeared Shirley Littell  
Name(s) of Signer(s)

who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature: Judith A. Benites  
Signature of Notary Public

Place Notary Seal Above

**OPTIONAL**

*Though the information below is not required by law, it may prove valuable to persons relying on the document and could prevent fraudulent removal and reattachment of this form to another document.*

**Description of Attached Document**

Title or Type of Document: Bidder's Bond to Accompany Proposal

Document Date: August 1, 2012 Number of Pages: 1

Signer(s) Other Than Named Above: \_\_\_\_\_

**Capacity(ies) Claimed by Signer(s)**

Signer's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Corporate Officer -- Title(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Individual

Partner --  Limited  General

Attorney in Fact

Trustee

Guardian or Conservator

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Signer Is Representing: Western Surety Company

RIGHT THUMBPRINT OF SIGNER  
Top of thumb here

Signer's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Corporate Officer -- Title(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Individual

Partner --  Limited  General

Attorney in Fact

Trustee

Guardian or Conservator

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Signer Is Representing: \_\_\_\_\_

RIGHT THUMBPRINT OF SIGNER  
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# Western Surety Company

## POWER OF ATTORNEY APPOINTING INDIVIDUAL ATTORNEY-IN-FACT

Know All Men By These Presents, That WESTERN SURETY COMPANY, a South Dakota corporation, is a duly organized and existing corporation having its principal office in the City of Sioux Falls, and State of South Dakota, and that it does by virtue of the signature and seal herein affixed hereby make, constitute and appoint

**Shirley Littell, Individually**

of Oxnard, CA, its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact with full power and authority hereby conferred to sign, seal and execute for and on its behalf bonds, undertakings and other obligatory instruments of similar nature

**- In Unlimited Amounts -**

and to bind it thereby as fully and to the same extent as if such instruments were signed by a duly authorized officer of the corporation and all the acts of said Attorney, pursuant to the authority hereby given, are hereby ratified and confirmed.

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the By-Law printed on the reverse hereof, duly adopted, as indicated, by the shareholders of the corporation.

In Witness Whereof, WESTERN SURETY COMPANY has caused these presents to be signed by its Senior Vice President and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed on this 30th day of March, 2012.



WESTERN SURETY COMPANY

Paul T. Bruflat, Senior Vice President

State of South Dakota }  
County of Minnehaha } ss

On this 30th day of March, 2012, before me personally came Paul T. Bruflat, to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that he resides in the City of Sioux Falls, State of South Dakota; that he is the Senior Vice President of WESTERN SURETY COMPANY described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to the said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed pursuant to authority given by the Board of Directors of said corporation and that he signed his name thereto pursuant to like authority, and acknowledges same to be the act and deed of said corporation.

My commission expires

November 30, 2012



D. Krell, Notary Public

### CERTIFICATE

I, L. Nelson, Assistant Secretary of WESTERN SURETY COMPANY do hereby certify that the Power of Attorney hereinabove set forth is still in force, and further certify that the By-Law of the corporation printed on the reverse hereof is still in force. In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the said corporation this 1st day of August, 2012.



WESTERN SURETY COMPANY

L. Nelson, Assistant Secretary

**Authorizing By-Law**

**ADOPTED BY THE SHAREHOLDERS OF WESTERN SURETY COMPANY**

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the following By-Law duly adopted by the shareholders of the Company.

Section 7. All bonds, policies, undertakings, Powers of Attorney, or other obligations of the corporation shall be executed in the corporate name of the Company by the President, Secretary, and Assistant Secretary, Treasurer, or any Vice President, or by such other officers as the Board of Directors may authorize. The President, any Vice President, Secretary, any Assistant Secretary, or the Treasurer may appoint Attorneys in Fact or agents who shall have authority to issue bonds, policies, or undertakings in the name of the Company. The corporate seal is not necessary for the validity of any bonds, policies, undertakings, Powers of Attorney or other obligations of the corporation. The signature of any such officer and the corporate seal may be printed by facsimile.

# *Blois Construction Inc.*

General Engineering Contractors  
License No. A256065

Phone 805 656-1432  
FAX 805 485-0338

## **CERTIFICATE OF SECRETARY**

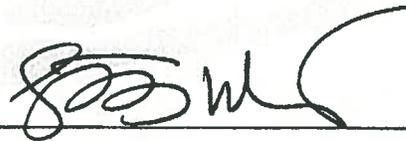
### **BLOIS CONSTRUCTION, INC.**

Pursuant to the action of the Board of Directors by the unanimous written consent on  
November 13, 2006 the following resolution was adopted

**IT IS HERBY RESOLVED**, that Jim Blois and Stephen Woodworth are authorized to enter into contractual arrangements (such as bids and construction contracts; vender contracts; equipment purchase agreements; and similar agreements) on a basis consistent with internal policies.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct copy of the resolutions adopted buy the Board of Directors of BLOIS CONSTRUCTION, Inc. on November 13, 2006, and that the foregoing have not been changed and remain in full force and effect.

Dated: July 31, 2012



Stephen Woodworth, Corporate Secretary

Please see attached Certificate of Acknowledgement

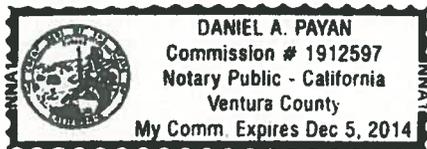
# CALIFORNIA ALL-PURPOSE ACKNOWLEDGMENT

State of California }  
 County of Ventura }

On 07/31/2012 before me, Daniel A. Payan, Notary Public  
Date Here Insert Name and Title of the Officer

personally appeared Stephen Woodworth  
Name(s) of Signer(s)

who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/~~she~~/they executed the same in his/~~her~~/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/~~her~~/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.



I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature: [Handwritten Signature]  
Signature of Notary Public

Place Notary Seal and/or Stamp Above

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### Description of Attached Document

Title or Type of Document: Certificate of Secretary

Document Date: July 31, 2012 Number of Pages: 1

Signer(s) Other Than Named Above: \_\_\_\_\_

### Capacity(ies) Claimed by Signer(s)

Signer's Name: Stephen Woodworth Signer's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Corporate Officer — Title(s): Secretary  Corporate Officer — Title(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Individual  Partner —  Limited  General  Attorney in Fact  Trustee  Guardian or Conservator  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Partner —  Limited  General  Attorney in Fact  Trustee  Guardian or Conservator  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Attorney in Fact  Trustee  Guardian or Conservator  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Trustee  Guardian or Conservator  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Guardian or Conservator  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Signer Is Representing: \_\_\_\_\_

Blois Construction, Inc.

CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH  
A G R E E M E N T

THIS AGREEMENT, made and entered into this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August 2012, by and between the CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH, a municipal corporation, hereinafter referred to as "CITY" and Bio-S Construction, Inc., hereinafter referred to as "CONTRACTOR". City and Contractor hereby agree as follows:

1. That for and in consideration of the payments and agreements hereinafter mentioned, to be made and performed by the City, and under the conditions expressed in the three bonds, bearing even date with these presents, and hereunto annexed, the Contractor agrees with the City, at his own proper cost and expense, to do all the work and furnish all the materials, except such as are mentioned in the Specifications to be furnished by said City, necessary to complete in a good, workmanlike and substantial manner the improvements for the:

Greenbelt Low Flow Infiltration Project

in accordance with the specifications and Special Provisions therefor, and also in accordance with the Specifications entitled "Standard Specifications for Public Works Construction, Latest Edition" and all supplements thereto, which said Special Provisions and Standard Specifications are hereby specially referred to and by such reference made a part hereof.

Said work to be done as shown upon the following plans:

Plan No. SD-267, Sheets 1 to 6

2. Said Contractor agrees to receive and accept the following prices as full compensation for furnishing all materials and doing all the work contemplated and embraced in this Agreement; also for all loss or damage arising out of the nature of the work aforesaid, or from the acts of the elements, or from any unforeseen difficulties or obstructions which may arise or be encountered in the prosecution of the work until its acceptance by the City of Manhattan Beach and for all risks of every description connected with the work; also for all expenses incurred by or in consequence of the suspension or discontinuance of work, and for well and faithfully completing the work, and the whole thereof, in the manner and according to the Plans and Specifications, and requirements of the Engineer under them, to wit:

Total Cost: \$538,738

Total Cost In Writing: Five hundred thirty eight thousand Seven hundred thirty eight

3. The complete contract consists of the following documents: This Agreement, Notice to Contractors, the accepted bid, the completed Plans, Specifications and detailed drawings, Performance Bond, Labor and Materials Bond, and Defective Materials, Workmanship and Equipment Bond.

All rights and obligations of City and Contractor are fully set forth and described in the contract documents.

All of the above named documents are intended to cooperate so that any work called for in one and not mentioned in the other, or vice versa, is to be executed the same as if mentioned in all said documents.

A G R E E M E N T  
(Continued)

4. The said City hereby promises and agrees with the said Contractor to employ, and does hereby employ the said Contractor to provide the materials and to do the work according to the terms and conditions herein contained and referred to, for the prices aforesaid, and hereby contracts to pay the same at the time, in the manner, and upon the conditions above set forth; and the said parties for themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns, do hereby agree to the full performance of the covenants herein contained.

5. It is further expressly agreed by and between the parties hereto that should there be any conflict between the terms of this instrument and the bid or proposal of said Contractor, then this instrument shall control and nothing herein shall be considered as an acceptance of the said terms of said proposal conflicting herewith.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City has by action of its City Council authorized this Agreement to be executed for and on behalf of the City by its Mayor and attested by its City Clerk, and the Contractor has caused the same to be executed by his duly authorized officer.

Contractor

By

James Blis  
Its President

AR. 

and

By

[Signature]  
Its secretary

3201 Storgis Rd.  
Address

Oxnard, CA 93030

ATTEST:

CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Manager

The foregoing agreement is hereby approved by me as to form

[Signature]  
Public Works Approval

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Attorney

**CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH  
PERFORMANCE BOND**

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, Blois Construction, Inc.

as principal, and Western Surety Company,

a corporation, incorporated, organized, and existing under the laws of the State of South Dakota and authorized to execute bonds and undertakings and to do a general surety business in the State of California, as Surety, are jointly and severally held and firmly bound unto the City of Manhattan Beach, a municipal corporation, located in the County of Los

Angeles, State of California, in the full and just sum of Five Hundred Thirty Eight thousand, Seven Hundred

Thirty Eight and No/100's----- Dollars (\$ 538,738.00 ), lawful money of the

United States of America, for the payment of which sum, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves and our respective heirs, executors, administrators, representatives, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH, that:

WHEREAS, said principal has entered into, or is about to enter into, a certain written contract or agreement, dated as of the 27th day of August,

20 12, with the said City of Manhattan Beach for Greenbelt Low Flow

Infiltration Project per Plan No. SD-267, Sheets 1 to 6

all as is more specifically set forth in said contract or agreement, a full, true, and correct copy of which is hereunto attached, and hereby referred to and by this reference incorporated herein and made a part hereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, if the said Principal Blois Construction, Inc. shall faithfully and well and truly do, perform and complete, or cause to be done, performed and completed, each and all of the covenants, terms, conditions, requirements, obligations, acts and things, to be met, done or performed by said Principal Blois Construction, Inc., as set forth in, or required by, said contract or agreement, all at and within the time or times, and in the manner as therein specified and contemplated, then this bond and obligation shall be null and void; otherwise it shall be and remain in full force, virtue and effect.

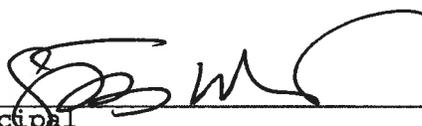
The said Surety, for value received, hereby stipulates and agrees that no amendment, change, extension of time, alteration or addition to said contract or agreement, or of any feature or item or items of performance required therein or thereunder, shall in any manner affect its obligations on or under this bond; and said Surety does hereby waive notice of any such amendment, change, extension of time, alteration, or addition to said contract or agreement, and of any feature or item or items of performance required therein or thereunder.

PERFORMANCE BOND  
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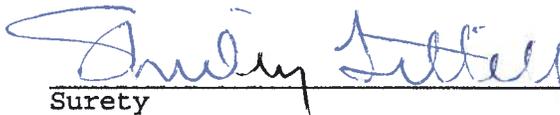
In the event any suit, action, or proceeding is instituted to recover on this bond or obligation, said Surety will pay, and does hereby agree to pay, as attorney's fees for said City, such sum as the Court in any such suit, action or proceeding may adjudge reasonable.

EXECUTED, SEALED, and DATED this 27th day of August, 2012.

(CORPORATE SEAL)

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Principal

(CORPORATE SEAL)

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Surety

Western Surety Company

Shirley Littell-Attorney in Fact

The foregoing bond is hereby approved  
by me as to form

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Attorney

CALIFORNIA ALL-PURPOSE ACKNOWLEDGMENT

CIVIL CODE § 1189

State of California }
County of Ventura }

On Aug. 27, 2012 before me, Judith A. Benites, Notary Public
Date Here Insert Name and Title of the Officer

personally appeared Shirley Littell
Name(s) of Signer(s)

who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.



Signature: [Handwritten Signature]
Signature of Notary Public

Place Notary Seal Above

OPTIONAL

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Description of Attached Document

Title or Type of Document: Performance Bond

Document Date: August 27, 2012 Number of Pages: 2

Signer(s) Other Than Named Above:

Capacity(ies) Claimed by Signer(s)

Signer's Name: Signer's Name:

Corporate Officer - Title(s): Corporate Officer - Title(s):

Individual Individual

Partner - Limited General Partner - Limited General

X Attorney in Fact Attorney in Fact

Trustee Trustee

Guardian or Conservator Guardian or Conservator

Other: Other:

Signer Is Representing: Signer Is Representing:

Western Surety Company

# Western Surety Company

## POWER OF ATTORNEY APPOINTING INDIVIDUAL ATTORNEY-IN-FACT

Know All Men By These Presents, That WESTERN SURETY COMPANY, a South Dakota corporation, is a duly organized and existing corporation having its principal office in the City of Sioux Falls, and State of South Dakota, and that it does by virtue of the signature and seal herein affixed hereby make, constitute and appoint

**Shirley Littell, Individually**

of Oxnard, CA, its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact with full power and authority hereby conferred to sign, seal and execute for and on its behalf bonds, undertakings and other obligatory instruments of similar nature

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and to bind it thereby as fully and to the same extent as if such instruments were signed by a duly authorized officer of the corporation and all the acts of said Attorney, pursuant to the authority hereby given, are hereby ratified and confirmed.

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the By-Law printed on the reverse hereof, duly adopted, as indicated, by the shareholders of the corporation.

In Witness Whereof, WESTERN SURETY COMPANY has caused these presents to be signed by its Senior Vice President and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed on this 30th day of March, 2012.



WESTERN SURETY COMPANY

Paul T. Bruflat, Senior Vice President

State of South Dakota }  
County of Minnehaha } ss

On this 30th day of March, 2012, before me personally came Paul T. Bruflat, to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that he resides in the City of Sioux Falls, State of South Dakota; that he is the Senior Vice President of WESTERN SURETY COMPANY described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to the said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed pursuant to authority given by the Board of Directors of said corporation and that he signed his name thereto pursuant to like authority, and acknowledges same to be the act and deed of said corporation.

My commission expires  
November 30, 2012



D. Krell, Notary Public

### CERTIFICATE

I, L. Nelson, Assistant Secretary of WESTERN SURETY COMPANY do hereby certify that the Power of Attorney hereinabove set forth is still in force, and further certify that the By-Law of the corporation printed on the reverse hereof is still in force. In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the said corporation this 27th day of August, 2012.



WESTERN SURETY COMPANY

L. Nelson, Assistant Secretary

LABOR AND MATERIALS BOND

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, Blois Construction, Inc.

as principal, and Western Surety Company

as surety, are held and firmly bound unto the CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH, State of California, in the sum of Five Hundred Thirty Eight Thousand, Seven Hundred

Thirty Eight and No/100's----- (\$538,738.00 ) lawful money of the

United States, for the payment of which sum, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

THE CONDITION OF THE FOREGOING OBLIGATION IS SUCH, that:

WHEREAS, said principal has been awarded and is about to enter into a written contract or agreement with the City of Manhattan Beach for

Greenbelt Low Flow Infiltration Project per Plan No. SD-267, Sheets 1 to 6

all as is more specifically set forth in said contract or agreement, a full, true, and correct copy of which is hereunto attached, and hereby referred to and by this reference incorporated herein and made a part hereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, if the said principal as Contractor in said contract or agreement, or principal's subcontractor, fails to pay for any materials, provisions, provended or other supplies or teams, equipment, implements, trucks, machinery or power used in, upon or for or about the performance of the work contracted to be done, or for any work or labor done thereon of any kind, or for amounts due under the Unemployment Insurance Act of the State of California or for any amounts required to be deducted, withheld and paid over to the Franchise Tax Board from the wages of employees of the Contractor and his subcontractors pursuant to Section 18806 of the Revenue and Taxation Code with respect to such work or labor, the surety on this bond will pay the same in an amount not exceeding the sum hereinabove specified in this bond.

This bond is executed pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 7 of Division 3, Part 4, Title 15, of the Civil Code of the State of California, and shall inure to the benefit of any and all persons entitled to file claims under Chapter 4 of Division 3, Part 4, Title 15 of the Civil Code of California as now or hereafter amended. No premature payment by said City to said principal shall exonerate any surety unless the City Council of said City shall have actual notice that such payment is premature at the time and it is ordered by said Council, and then only to the extent that such payment shall result in loss to such surety, but in no event more than the amount of such premature payment.

LABOR AND MATERIALS BOND  
(Continued)

This bond is executed and filed in connection with said contract or agreement hereunto attached to comply with each and all of the provisions of the laws of the State of California above mentioned or referred to, and to all amendments thereto, and the obligors so intend and do hereby bind themselves accordingly.

The said surety, for value received, hereby stipulates and agrees that no amendment, change, extension of time, alteration, or addition to said contract or agreement, or of any feature or item or items of performance required therein or thereunder, shall in any manner affect its obligation on or under this bond; and said surety does hereby waive notice of any such amendment, change, extension of time, alteration, or addition to said contract or agreement, and of any feature or item or items of performance required therein or thereunder.

WITNESS our hands this 27th day of August, 2012.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Principal

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Surety  
Western Surety Company

Shirley Littell-Attorney in Fact

The foregoing bond is hereby approved by me as to form.

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Attorney

The foregoing bond is hereby approved by me as to surety.

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Manager

\_\_\_\_\_  
City Clerk

CALIFORNIA ALL-PURPOSE ACKNOWLEDGMENT

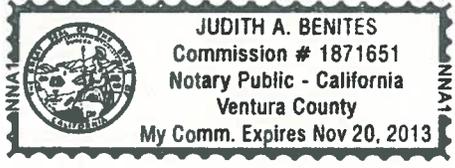
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State of California }
County of Ventura }

On Aug. 27, 2012 before me, Judith A. Benites, Notary Public
Date Here Insert Name and Title of the Officer

personally appeared Shirley Littell
Name(s) of Signer(s)

who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.



I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature: [Handwritten Signature]
Signature of Notary Public

Place Notary Seal Above

OPTIONAL

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Description of Attached Document

Title or Type of Document: Labor and Materials Bond

Document Date: Aug. 27, 2012 Number of Pages: 2

Signer(s) Other Than Named Above:

Capacity(ies) Claimed by Signer(s)

Signer's Name:

- Corporate Officer - Title(s):
Individual
Partner - Limited General
Attorney in Fact
Trustee
Guardian or Conservator
Other:



Signer Is Representing: Western Surety Company

Signer's Name:

- Corporate Officer - Title(s):
Individual
Partner - Limited General
Attorney in Fact
Trustee
Guardian or Conservator
Other:



Signer Is Representing:

# Western Surety Company

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**Shirley Littell, Individually**

of Oxnard, CA, its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact with full power and authority hereby conferred to sign, seal and execute for and on its behalf bonds, undertakings and other obligatory instruments of similar nature

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and to bind it thereby as fully and to the same extent as if such instruments were signed by a duly authorized officer of the corporation and all the acts of said Attorney, pursuant to the authority hereby given, are hereby ratified and confirmed.

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the By-Law printed on the reverse hereof, duly adopted, as indicated, by the shareholders of the corporation.

In Witness Whereof, WESTERN SURETY COMPANY has caused these presents to be signed by its Senior Vice President and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed on this 30th day of March, 2012.



WESTERN SURETY COMPANY

Paul T. Bruflat, Senior Vice President

State of South Dakota }  
County of Minnehaha } ss

On this 30th day of March, 2012, before me personally came Paul T. Bruflat, to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say: that he resides in the City of Sioux Falls, State of South Dakota; that he is the Senior Vice President of WESTERN SURETY COMPANY described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to the said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed pursuant to authority given by the Board of Directors of said corporation and that he signed his name thereto pursuant to like authority, and acknowledges same to be the act and deed of said corporation.

My commission expires  
November 30, 2012



D. Krell, Notary Public

### CERTIFICATE

I, L. Nelson, Assistant Secretary of WESTERN SURETY COMPANY do hereby certify that the Power of Attorney hereinabove set forth is still in force, and further certify that the By-Law of the corporation printed on the reverse hereof is still in force. In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the said corporation this 27th day of August, 2012.



WESTERN SURETY COMPANY

L. Nelson, Assistant Secretary

**CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH**  
**DEFECTIVE MATERIALS, WORKMANSHIP, AND EQUIPMENT BOND**

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That we, Blois Construction, Inc.

as principal, and Western Surety Company,

a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of South Dakota and authorized to do a general surety business in the State of California, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto the City of Manhattan Beach (hereinafter called Owner), a municipal corporation of the State of

California, in the full and just sum of Five Hundred Thirty Eight Thousand, Seven Hundred Thirty Eight and No/100's-Dollars (\$ 538,738.00 ), lawful money of the United

States of America, for which sum, well and truly to be paid, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH, that:

WHEREAS, the said Principal entered into a certain contract with the obligee, dated on or about August 27, 2012 for the construction of Greenbelt Low Flow Infiltration Project per Plan No. SD-267, Sheets 1 to 6

WHEREAS, the Principal contracted to give the obligee a surety bond in the sum of Five Hundred Thirty Eight Thousand, Seven Hundred Thirty Eight and No/100's-----

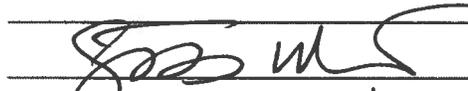
Dollars (\$538,738.00), conditioned that the Principal would make good and protect the said obligee against the results of materials, equipment, or workmanship which are inferior, defective, or not in accordance with the terms of said contract having been used or incorporated in any part of the work so contracted for, which shall have appeared or been discovered, within the period of one (1) year from and after the completion and final acceptance of the work done under said contract.

NOW, THEREFORE, if the Principal shall well and truly make good and protect the said obligee against the results of materials, equipment, or workmanship which are inferior, defective, or not in accordance with the terms of said contract having been used or incorporated in any part of the work performed under said contract, which shall have appeared or been discovered within said one (1) year period from and after completion and final acceptance of said work, then this obligation shall be null and void; otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

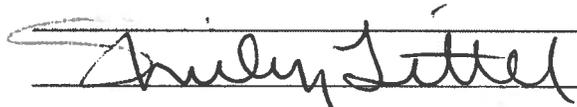
DEFECTIVE MATERIALS, WORKMANSHIP, AND EQUIPMENT BOND  
(Continued)

SIGNED, SEALED, and DATED this 27th day of August,  
20 12.

Blois Construction, Inc.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Stephen Woodworth - Secretary  
Principal

Western Surety Company

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Shirley Littell - Attorney in Fact  
Surety

The foregoing bond is hereby approved  
by me as to form

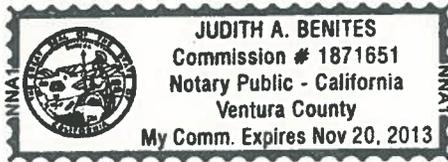
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City Attorney

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On Aug. 27, 2012 before me, Judith A. Benites, Notary Public
personally appeared Shirley Littell



who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature: Judith A. Benites
Signature of Notary Public

Place Notary Seal Above

OPTIONAL

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Description of Attached Document

Title or Type of Document: Defective Materials, Workmanship and Equipment Bond

Document Date: August 27, 2012 Number of Pages: 2

Signer(s) Other Than Named Above:

Capacity(ies) Claimed by Signer(s)

Signer's Name:

- Corporate Officer - Title(s)
Individual
Partner - Limited General
Attorney in Fact
Trustee
Guardian or Conservator
Other:

RIGHT THUMBPRINT OF SIGNER
Top of thumb here

Signer Is Representing: Western Surety Company

Signer's Name:

- Corporate Officer - Title(s)
Individual
Partner - Limited General
Attorney in Fact
Trustee
Guardian or Conservator
Other:

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Signer Is Representing:

# Western Surety Company

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and to bind it thereby as fully and to the same extent as if such instruments were signed by a duly authorized officer of the corporation and all the acts of said Attorney, pursuant to the authority hereby given, are hereby ratified and confirmed.

This Power of Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by authority of the By-Law printed on the reverse hereof, duly adopted, as indicated, by the shareholders of the corporation.

In Witness Whereof, WESTERN SURETY COMPANY has caused these presents to be signed by its Senior Vice President and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed on this 30th day of March, 2012.



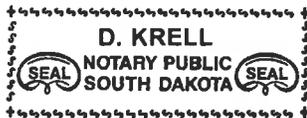
WESTERN SURETY COMPANY

Paul T. Bruflat  
Paul T. Bruflat, Senior Vice President

State of South Dakota }  
County of Minnehaha } ss

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My commission expires  
November 30, 2012



D. Krell  
D. Krell, Notary Public

### CERTIFICATE

I, L. Nelson, Assistant Secretary of WESTERN SURETY COMPANY do hereby certify that the Power of Attorney hereinabove set forth is still in force, and further certify that the By-Law of the corporation printed on the reverse hereof is still in force. In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the said corporation this 27th day of August, 2012.



WESTERN SURETY COMPANY

L. Nelson  
L. Nelson, Assistant Secretary



## DESCRIPTIONS (Continued from Page 1)

Volunteers, and Memembers of Boards and Commissions are named as Additional Insured under the Automobile Liability per attached form #CA 2048 0299. This insurance is considered Primary and Non-Contributory under the Automobile Liability per attached form #CA 2048 0299.

**THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.**

**ADDITIONAL INSURED – OWNERS, LESSEES OR  
CONTRACTORS – SCHEDULED PERSON OR  
ORGANIZATION**

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE PART

**SCHEDULE**

Name Of Additional Insured Person(s) Or Organization(s):	Location(s) Of Covered Operations
<p>ANY PERSON OR ORGANIZATION TO WHOM OR WHICH YOU ARE EQUIRED TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL INSURED STATUS IN A WRITTEN CONTRACT OR WRITTEN AGREEMENT EXECUTED EXECUTED PRIOR TO THE LOSS EXCEPT WHERE SUCH CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT IS PROHIBITED BY LAW.</p>	<p>PER FILE WITH COMPANY</p>
<p>Information required to complete this Schedule, if not shown above, will be shown in the Declarations.</p>	

A. Section II – Who Is An Insured is amended to include as an additional insured the person(s) or organization(s) shown in the Schedule, but only with respect to liability for "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" caused, in whole or in part, by:

1. Your acts or omissions; or
2. The acts or omissions of those acting on your behalf;

In the performance of your ongoing operations for the additional insured(s) at the location(s) designated above.

B. With respect to the insurance afforded to these additional insureds, the following additional exclusions apply:

This insurance does not apply to "bodily injury" or "property damage" occurring after:

1. All work, including materials, parts or equipment furnished in connection with such work, on the project (other than service, maintenance or repairs) to be performed by or on behalf of the additional insured(s) at the location of the covered operations has been completed; or
2. That portion of "your work" out of which the injury or damage arises has been put to its intended use by any person or organization other than another contractor or subcontractor engaged in performing operations for a principal as a part of the same project.

**THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.**

**ADDITIONAL INSURED – OWNERS, LESSEES OR  
CONTRACTORS – COMPLETED OPERATIONS**

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE PART

**SCHEDULE**

<b>Name Of Additional Insured Person(s) Or Organization(s):</b>	<b>Location And Description Of Completed Operations</b>
<b>ANY PERSON OR ORGANIZATION TO WHO OR WHICH YOU ARE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL INSURED STATUS IN A WRITTEN CONTRACT OR WRITTEN AGREEMENT EXECUTED PRIOR TO THE LOSS EXCEPT WHERE SUCH CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT IS PROHIBITED BY LAW.</b>	

Information required to complete this Schedule, if not shown above, will be shown in the Declarations.

Section II – Who Is An Insured is amended to include as an additional insured the person(s) or organization(s) shown in the Schedule, but only with respect to liability for "bodily injury" or "property damage" caused, in whole or in part, by "your work"

at the location designated and described in the schedule of this endorsement performed for that additional insured and included in the "products-completed operations hazard".



## Other Insurance Amendment – Primary And Non-Contributory

Policy No.	Exp. Date of Pol.	Eff. Date of End.	Agency No.	Addl. Prem.	Return Prem.
GLO924520100	6/1/2013	6/1/2012	30411000		

**THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.**

**Named Insured:  
Address (Including ZIP Code):**

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the:  
Commercial General Liability Coverage Part

**SECTION IV, COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY CONDITIONS, 4. Other Insurance, is amended per the following:**

1. The following paragraph is added under a. Primary Insurance:

This insurance is primary insurance as respects our coverage to an additional insured person or organization, where the written contract or written agreement requires that this insurance be primary and non-contributory. In that event, we will not seek contribution from any other insurance policy available to the additional insured on which the additional insured person or organization is a Named insured.

2. The following paragraph is added under b. Excess Insurance:

This insurance is excess over:

Any of the other insurance, whether primary, excess, contingent or on any other basis, available to an additional insured, in which the additional insured on our policy is also covered as an additional insured by attachment of an endorsement to another policy providing coverage for the same "occurrence", claim or "suit". This provision does not apply to any policy in which the additional insured is a Named Insured on such other policy and where our policy is required by written contract or written agreement to provide coverage to the additional insured on a primary and non-contributory basis.

Any provisions in this Coverage Part not changed by the terms and conditions of this endorsement continue to apply as written.

POLICY NUMBER: BAP924522000

COMMERCIAL AUTO  
CA 20 48 02 99

**THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.**

**DESIGNATED INSURED**

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

- BUSINESS AUTO COVERAGE FORM
- GARAGE COVERAGE FORM
- MOTOR CARRIER COVERAGE FORM
- TRUCKERS COVERAGE FORM

With respect to coverage provided by this endorsement, the provisions of the Coverage Form apply unless modified by this endorsement.

This endorsement identifies person(s) or organization(s) who are "insureds" under the Who Is An Insured Provision of the Coverage Form. This endorsement does not alter coverage provided in the Coverage Form.

This endorsement changes the policy effective on the inception date of the policy unless another date is indicated below.

Endorsement Effective: 6-1-2012	Countersigned By: <i>Michael S. Jones</i> (Authorized Representative)
Named Insured: BLOIS CONSTRUCTION	

**SCHEDULE**

<b>Name of Person(s) or Organization(s): ANY PERSON OR ORGANIZATION TO WHOM OR WHICH YOU ARE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL INSURED STATUS OR ADDITIONAL INSURED STATUS ON A PRIMARY, NON-CONTRIBUTORY BASIS, IN A WRITTEN CONTRACT OR WRITTEN AGREEMENT EXECUTED PRIOR TO LOSS, EXCEPT WHERE SUCH CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT IS PROHIBITED BY LAW.</b>
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(If no entry appears above, information required to complete this endorsement will be shown in the Declarations as applicable to the endorsement.)

Each person or organization shown in the Schedule is an "insured" for Liability Coverage, but only to the extent that person or organization qualifies as an "insured" under the Who Is An Insured Provision contained in Section II of the Coverage Form.

CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH  
1400 HIGHLAND AVENUE  
MANHATTAN BEACH, CALIFORNIA 90266  
(310) 802-5300

INSURANCE ENDORSEMENT FORM #1  
(GENERAL)

This endorsement is issued in consideration of the policy premium. Notwithstanding any inconsistent expression in the policy to which this endorsement is attached, or in any other endorsement now or hereafter attached thereto, or made a part thereof, the protection afforded by said policy shall include the following:

1. Additional Insured. With respect to such insurance as is afforded by this policy, the City of Manhattan Beach and its officers, employees, elected officials, volunteers, and members of boards and commissions shall be named as additional insured. This additional insured coverage only applies with respect to liability of the named insured or other parties acting on their behalf arising out of the activities of the undertaking specified in paragraph No. 5 below (Indemnification Clause).
2. Cross Liability Clause. The insurance afforded applies separately to each insured against whom claim is made or suit is brought, except with respect to the limits of the company's liability.
3. Occurrence Based Policy. This policy shall be an "occurrence based policy."
4. Primary Insurance. For the risks covered by this endorsement this insurance shall provide primary insurance to the City to the exclusion of any other insurance or self-insurance program the City may carry with respect to claims and injuries arising out of activities of the Contractor or otherwise insured hereunder.
5. Indemnification Clause. The underwriters acknowledge that the named insured shall indemnify and save harmless the City of Manhattan Beach against any and all claims resulting from the wrongful or negligent acts or omissions of the named insured or other parties acting on their behalf in the undertaking specified as (list activity location and date(s) of event to include set-up and cleanup dates):

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6. Investigation and Defense Costs. Said hold harmless assumption on the part of the named insured shall include all reasonable costs necessary to defend a lawsuit including attorney fees, investigators, filing fees, transcripts, court reporters, and other reasonable costs of investigation and defense.
7. Reporting Provisions. Any failure to comply with the reporting provisions of the policy shall not affect coverage provided to the City.
8. Cancellation. This policy shall not be cancelled except by written notice to the Risk Manager at: City of Manhattan Beach, 1400 Highland Avenue, Manhattan Beach, CA, 90266, at least thirty (30) days prior to the date of such cancellation.
9. Limits of Liability. This policy shall provide minimum limits of liability of \$ 1,000,000.00 , combined single limit coverage against any injury, death, loss or damage as a result of wrongful or negligent acts or omissions by the named insured.

INSURANCE ENDORSEMENT FORM #1  
(GENERAL)  
(Continued)

10. Comprehensive Coverage. This policy shall afford coverage at least as broad as Commercial General Liability "Occurrences" Form CG0001 and shall include the following:

A. General Liability

- (1) Comprehensive Form
- (2) Premises/Operations
- (3) Independent Contractors Liability
- (4) Broad Form Property Damage
- (5) Personal Injury
- (6) Products, Completed Operations
- (7) Contractual
- (8) Explosions, collapse, or underground property damage.

**NOTE:** If this is a Homeowner's Policy in lieu of Commercial General Liability, it shall afford coverage at least as broad as Homeowners ISO Form HO II (Ed 9-70) California and shall include comprehensive personal liability.

This policy shall provide the dollar limit specified in paragraph 9 with the following additional coverage where boxes below are checked:

- 11. Host Liquor Liability
- 12. Liquor Law Liability
- 13. Other

The limits of liability as stated in this endorsement apply to the insurance afforded by this endorsement notwithstanding that the policy may have lower limits of liability elsewhere in the policy.

This endorsement is effective \_\_\_\_\_ at 12:01 a.m. and forms a part of Policy No. \_\_\_\_\_.

Named Insured \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Insurance Company \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (print/type name), warrant that I have authority to bind the above listed insurance company, and by my signature hereon do so bind this company.

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Authorized Representative

Approved \_\_\_\_\_  
City Risk Manager Date

**PLEASE ATTACH CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE**

CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH  
1400 HIGHLAND AVENUE  
MANHATTAN BEACH, CALIFORNIA 90266  
(310) 802-5300

INSURANCE ENDORSEMENT FORM #2  
(AUTO)

This endorsement is issued in consideration of the policy premium. Notwithstanding any inconsistent expression in the policy to which this endorsement is attached, or in any other endorsement now or hereafter attached thereto, or made a part thereof, the protection afforded by said policy shall include the following:

1. Additional Insured. With respect to such insurance as is afforded by this policy, the City of Manhattan Beach and its officers, employees, elected officials, volunteers, and members of boards and commissions shall be named as additional insured. This additional insured coverage only applies with respect to liability of the named insured or other parties acting on their behalf arising out of the activities of the undertaking specified in paragraph No. 5 below (Indemnification Clause).
2. Cross Liability Clause. The insurance afforded applies separately to each insured against whom claim is made or suit is brought, except with respect to the limits of the company's liability.
3. Occurrence Based Policy. This policy shall be an "occurrence based policy."
4. Primary Insurance. For the risks covered by this endorsement this insurance shall provide primary insurance to the City to the exclusion of any other insurance or self-insurance program the City may carry with respect to claims and injuries arising out of activities of the Contractor or otherwise insured hereunder.
5. Indemnification Clause. The underwriters acknowledge that the named insured shall indemnify and save harmless the City of Manhattan Beach against any and all claims resulting from the wrongful or negligent acts or omissions of the named insured or other parties acting on their behalf in the undertaking specified as (list activity location and date(s) of event to include set-up and cleanup dates):

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6. Investigation and Defense Costs. Said hold harmless assumption on the part of the named insured shall include all reasonable costs necessary to defend a lawsuit including attorney fees, investigators, filing fees, transcripts, court reporters, and other reasonable costs of investigation and defense.
7. Reporting Provisions. Any failure to comply with the reporting provisions of the policy shall not affect coverage provided to the City.
8. Cancellation. This policy shall not be cancelled except by written notice to the Risk Manager at: City of Manhattan Beach, 1400 Highland Avenue, Manhattan Beach, CA, 90266, at least thirty (30) days prior to the date of such cancellation.
9. Limits of Liability. This policy shall provide minimum limits of liability of \$1,000,000.00, combined single limit coverage against any injury, death, loss or damage as a result of wrongful or negligent acts or omissions by the named insured.

INSURANCE ENDORSEMENT FORM #2

(AUTO)

(CONTINUED)

10. Scope of Coverage. This policy shall afford coverage at least as broad as Insurance Services Office Form No. CA0001 (Ed 1/78), Code 1 ("any auto") and shall include the following:

A. Auto Liability

- (1) Any auto
- (2) All owned autos (Private Passengers)
- (3) All owned autos (other than Private Passengers)
- (4) Hired autos
- (5) Non-owned autos (for business purposes)
- (6) Other

The limits of liability as stated in this endorsement apply to the insurance afforded by this endorsement notwithstanding that the policy may have lower limits of liability elsewhere in the policy.

This endorsement is effective \_\_\_\_\_ at 12:01 a.m. and forms a part of Policy No. \_\_\_\_\_.

Named Insured \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Insurance Company \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (print/type name), warrant that I have authority to bind the above listed insurance company, and by my signature hereon do so bind this company.

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Authorized Representative

Approved \_\_\_\_\_  
City Risk Manager Date

**PLEASE ATTACH CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE**

CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH

Greenbelt Low Flow Infiltration Project

PROPOSED SECURITY DEPOSITS IN LIEU OF RETENTION

Pursuant to Sections 10263 and 22300 of the Public Contract Code of the State of California, the Contractor shall list below his proposed securities in lieu of retention, or request that payment of retentions be made directly to an escrow agent. Only those securities listed in Section 16430 of the California Government Code are acceptable to the City.

	<u>Security</u>	<u>Expiration Date</u>	<u>Value in Dollars</u>
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			
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7.			
8.			
9.			
10.			

<u>Escrow Office</u>	<u>Escrow Agent</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Telephone</u>

The absence of any proposed security deposits (to be listed above), or information designating an escrow arrangement, and/or the Contractor's signature, shall constitute an acceptance by the Contractor that a ten percent (10%) deduction from any and all payments to him shall be withheld by the Agency until the expiration of 35 calendar days from the date of acceptance by the Agency, of the work as complete. Monies withheld by the Agency shall bear no interest payable to the Contractor upon their release.

Contractor:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

PROGRESS PAYMENT REQUEST FORM

CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH

Engineering Division, 1400 Highland Avenue, Manhattan Beach, CA 90266  
 PROJECT TITLE Greenbelt Low Flow Infiltration Project

PROJECT NO. SD-267, Sheets 1 to 6

Contractor \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Submitted by: \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Progress Estimate No. \_\_\_\_\_

Contract Award Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

No.	Description	Contract Quantity	Previous Quantity	Quantity This Estimate	Unit Price	Amount This Estimate	Total Quantity To Date	Total Amount To Date
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	Total							
	Less Retention							
	Less Previous Billing(s)							
	Total Amount Due							

City Approval: \_\_\_\_\_

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

## Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give Form to the  
 requester. Do not  
 send to the IRS.

Print or type  
 See Specific Instructions on page 2.

Name (as shown on your income tax return)	
Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above <b>Blois Construction, Inc.</b>	
Check appropriate box for federal tax classification: <input type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> S Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Trust/estate <input type="checkbox"/> Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=partnership) ▶ _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Exempt payee <input type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) ▶ _____	
Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.) <b>3201 Sturgis Road</b> City, state, and ZIP code <b>Oxnard, CA 93030</b>	Requester's name and address (optional)
List account number(s) here (optional)	

**Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)**

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on the "Name" line to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN* on page 3.

**Note.** If the account is in more than one name, see the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose number to enter.

<b>Social security number</b>	
[ ] [ ] [ ] - [ ] [ ] - [ ] [ ] [ ] [ ]	
<b>Employer identification number</b>	
9 5 - 2 3 9 3 6 2 2	

**Part II Certification**

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me), and
- I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding, and
- I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below).

**Certification instructions.** You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 4.

<b>Sign Here</b>	Signature of U.S. person ▶	Date ▶ <b>8-28-12</b>
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**General Instructions**

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

**Purpose of Form**

A person who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) to report, for example, income paid to you, real estate transactions, mortgage interest you paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, or contributions you made to an IRA.

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN to the person requesting it (the requester) and, when applicable, to:

- Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),
- Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
- Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income.

**Note.** If a requester gives you a form other than Form W-9 to request your TIN, you must use the requester's form if it is substantially similar to this Form W-9.

**Definition of a U.S. person.** For federal tax purposes, you are considered a U.S. person if you are:

- An individual who is a U.S. citizen or U.S. resident alien,
- A partnership, corporation, company, or association created or organized in the United States or under the laws of the United States,
- An estate (other than a foreign estate), or
- A domestic trust (as defined in Regulations section 301.7701-7).

**Special rules for partnerships.** Partnerships that conduct a trade or business in the United States are generally required to pay a withholding tax on any foreign partners' share of income from such business. Further, in certain cases where a Form W-9 has not been received, a partnership is required to presume that a partner is a foreign person, and pay the withholding tax. Therefore, if you are a U.S. person that is a partner in a partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States, provide Form W-9 to the partnership to establish your U.S. status and avoid withholding on your share of partnership income.

• The U.S. grantor or other owner of a grantor trust and not the trust, and

• The U.S. trust (other than a grantor trust) and not the beneficiaries of the trust.

**Foreign person.** If you are a foreign person, do not use Form W-9. Instead, use the appropriate Form W-8 (see Publication 515, *Withholding of Tax on Nonresident Aliens and Foreign Entities*).

**Nonresident alien who becomes a resident alien.**

Generally, only a nonresident alien individual may use the terms of a tax treaty to reduce or eliminate U.S. tax on certain types of income. However, most tax treaties contain a provision known as a "saving clause." Exceptions specified in the saving clause may permit an exemption from tax to continue for certain types of income even after the recipient has otherwise become a U.S. resident alien for tax purposes.

If you are a U.S. resident alien who is relying on an exception contained in the saving clause of a tax treaty to claim an exemption from U.S. tax on certain types of income, you must attach a statement to Form W-9 that specifies the following five items:

1. The treaty country. Generally, this must be the same treaty under which you claimed exemption from tax as a nonresident alien.

2. The treaty article addressing the income.

3. The article number (or location) in the tax treaty that contains the saving clause and its exceptions.

4. The type and amount of income that qualifies for the exemption from tax.

5. Sufficient facts to justify the exemption from tax under the terms of the treaty article.

**Example.** Article 20 of the U.S.-China income tax treaty allows an exemption from tax for scholarship income received by a Chinese student temporarily present in the United States. Under U.S. law, this student will become a resident alien for tax purposes if his or her stay in the United States exceeds 5 calendar years. However, paragraph 2 of the first Protocol to the U.S.-China treaty (dated April 30, 1984) allows the provisions of Article 20 to continue to apply even after the Chinese student becomes a resident alien of the United States. A Chinese student who qualifies for this exception (under paragraph 2 of the first protocol) and is relying on this exception to claim an exemption from tax on his or her scholarship or fellowship income would attach to Form W-9 a statement that includes the information described above to support that exemption.

If you are a nonresident alien or a foreign entity not subject to backup withholding, give the requester the appropriate completed Form W-8.

**What is backup withholding?** Persons making certain payments to you must under certain conditions withhold and pay to the IRS 28% of such payments (after December 31, 2002). This is called "backup withholding." Payments that may be subject to backup withholding include interest, dividends, broker and barter exchange transactions, rents, royalties, nonemployee pay, and certain payments from fishing boat operators. Real estate transactions are not subject to backup withholding.

You will not be subject to backup withholding on payments you receive if you give the requester your correct TIN, make the proper certifications, and report all your taxable interest and dividends on your tax return.

**Payments you receive will be subject to backup withholding if:**

1. You do not furnish your TIN to the requester,
2. You do not certify your TIN when required (see the Part II instructions on page 4 for details),

3. The IRS tells the requester that you furnished an incorrect TIN,

4. The IRS tells you that you are subject to backup withholding because you did not report all your interest and dividends on your tax return (for reportable interest and dividends only), or

5. You do not certify to the requester that you are not subject to backup withholding under 4 above (for reportable interest and dividend accounts opened after 1983 only).

Certain payees and payments are exempt from backup withholding. See the instructions below and the separate Instructions for the Requester of Form W-9.

Also see *Special rules regarding partnerships* on page 1.

## Penalties

**Failure to furnish TIN.** If you fail to furnish your correct TIN to a requester, you are subject to a penalty of \$50 for each such failure unless your failure is due to reasonable cause and not to willful neglect.

**Civil penalty for false information with respect to withholding.** If you make a false statement with no reasonable basis that results in no backup withholding, you are subject to a \$500 penalty.

**Criminal penalty for falsifying information.** Willfully falsifying certifications or affirmations may subject you to criminal penalties including fines and/or imprisonment.

**Misuse of TINs.** If the requester discloses or uses TINs in violation of federal law, the requester may be subject to civil and criminal penalties.

## Specific Instructions

### Name

If you are an individual, you must generally enter the name shown on your income tax return. However, if you have changed your last name, for instance, due to marriage without informing the Social Security Administration of the name change, enter your first name, the last name shown on your social security card, and your new last name.

If the account is in joint names, list first, and then circle, the name of the person or entity whose number you entered in Part I of the form.

**Sole proprietor.** Enter your individual name as shown on your income tax return on the "Name" line. You may enter your business, trade, or "doing business as (DBA)" name on the "Business name" line.

**Limited liability company (LLC).** If you are a single-member LLC (including a foreign LLC with a domestic owner) that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner under Treasury regulations section 301.7701-3, enter the owner's name on the "Name" line. Enter the LLC's name on the "Business name" line. Check the appropriate box for your filing status (sole proprietor, corporation, etc.), then check the box for "Other" and enter "LLC" in the space provided.

**Other entities.** Enter your business name as shown on required federal tax documents on the "Name" line. This name should match the name shown on the charter or other legal document creating the entity. You may enter any business, trade, or DBA name on the "Business name" line.

**Notes.** You are requested to check the appropriate box for your status (individual/sole proprietor, corporation, etc.).

### Exempt From Backup Withholding

If you are exempt, enter your name as described above and check the appropriate box for your status, then check the "Exempt from backup withholding" box in the line following the business name, sign and date the form.

Generally, individuals (including sole proprietors) are not exempt from backup withholding. Corporations are exempt from backup withholding for certain payments, such as interest and dividends.

**Note.** If you are exempt from backup withholding, you should still complete this form to avoid possible erroneous backup withholding.

**Exempt payees.** Backup withholding is not required on any payments made to the following payees:

1. An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a), any IRA, or a custodial account under section 403(b)(7) if the account satisfies the requirements of section 401(f)(2),
  2. The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities,
  3. A state, the District of Columbia, a possession of the United States, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities,
  4. A foreign government or any of its political subdivisions, agencies, or instrumentalities, or
  5. An international organization or any of its agencies or instrumentalities.
- Other payees that may be exempt from backup withholding include:
6. A corporation,
  7. A foreign central bank of issue,
  8. A dealer in securities or commodities required to register in the United States, the District of Columbia, or a possession of the United States,
  9. A futures commission merchant registered with the Commodity Futures Trading Commission,
  10. A real estate investment trust,
  11. An entity registered at all times during the tax year under the Investment Company Act of 1940,
  12. A common trust fund operated by a bank under section 584(a),
  13. A financial institution,
  14. A middleman known in the investment community as a nominee or custodian, or
  15. A trust exempt from tax under section 664 or described in section 4947.

The chart below shows types of payments that may be exempt from backup withholding. The chart applies to the exempt recipients listed above, 1 through 15.

IF the payment is for . . .	THEN the payment is exempt for . . .
Interest and dividend payments	All exempt recipients except for 9
Broker transactions	Exempt recipients 1 through 13. Also, a person registered under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 who regularly acts as a broker
Barter exchange transactions and patronage dividends	Exempt recipients 1 through 5
Payments over \$600 required to be reported and direct sales over \$5,000 <sup>1</sup>	Generally, exempt recipients 1 through 7 <sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup> See Form 1099-MISC, Miscellaneous Income, and its instructions.

<sup>2</sup> However, the following payments made to a corporation (including gross proceeds paid to an attorney under section 8045(f), even if the attorney is a corporation) and reportable on Form 1099-MISC are not exempt from backup withholding: medical and health care payments, attorneys' fees; and payments for services paid by a federal executive agency.

## Part I. Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

**Enter your TIN in the appropriate box.** If you are a resident alien and you do not have and are not eligible to get an SSN, your TIN is your IRS individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN). Enter it in the social security number box. If you do not have an ITIN, see *How to get a TIN* below.

If you are a sole proprietor and you have an EIN, you may enter either your SSN or EIN. However, the IRS prefers that you use your SSN.

If you are a single-owner LLC that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner (see *Limited liability company (LLC)* on page 2), enter your SSN (or EIN, if you have one). If the LLC is a corporation, partnership, etc., enter the entity's EIN.

**Note.** See the chart on page 4 for further clarification of name and TIN combinations.

**How to get a TIN.** If you do not have a TIN, apply for one immediately. To apply for an SSN, get Form SS-5, Application for a Social Security Card, from your local Social Security Administration office or get this form online at [www.socialsecurity.gov](http://www.socialsecurity.gov). You may also get this form by calling 1-800-772-1213. Use Form W-7, Application for IRS Individual Taxpayer Identification Number, to apply for an ITIN, or Form SS-4, Application for Employer Identification Number, to apply for an EIN. You can apply for an EIN online by accessing the IRS website at [www.irs.gov/businesses](http://www.irs.gov/businesses) and clicking on Employer ID Numbers under Related Topics. You can get Forms W-7 and SS-4 from the IRS by visiting [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov) or by calling 1-800-TAX-FORM (1-800-829-3676).

If you are asked to complete Form W-9 but do not have a TIN, write "Applied For" in the space for the TIN, sign and date the form, and give it to the requester. For interest and dividend payments, and certain payments made with respect to readily tradable instruments, generally you will have 60 days to get a TIN and give it to the requester before you are subject to backup withholding on payments. The 60-day rule does not apply to other types of payments. You will be subject to backup withholding on all such payments until you provide your TIN to the requester.

**Note.** Writing "Applied For" means that you have already applied for a TIN or that you intend to apply for one soon.

**Caution:** A disregarded domestic entity that has a foreign owner must use the appropriate Form W-8.

## Part II. Certification

To establish to the withholding agent that you are a U.S. person, or resident alien, sign Form W-9. You may be requested to sign by the withholding agent even if items 1, 4, and 5 below indicate otherwise.

For a joint account, only the person whose TIN is shown in Part I should sign (when required). Exempt recipients, see *Exempt From Backup Withholding* on page 2.

**Signature requirements.** Complete the certification as indicated in 1 through 5 below.

**1. Interest, dividend, and barter exchange accounts opened before 1984 and broker accounts considered active during 1983.** You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification.

**2. Interest, dividend, broker, and barter exchange accounts opened after 1983 and broker accounts considered inactive during 1983.** You must sign the certification or backup withholding will apply. If you are subject to backup withholding and you are merely providing your correct TIN to the requester, you must cross out item 2 in the certification before signing the form.

**3. Real estate transactions.** You must sign the certification. You may cross out item 2 of the certification.

**4. Other payments.** You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification unless you have been notified that you have previously given an incorrect TIN. "Other payments" include payments made in the course of the requester's trade or business for rents, royalties, goods (other than bills for merchandise), medical and health care services (including payments to corporations), payments to a nonemployee for services, payments to certain fishing boat crew members and fishermen, and gross proceeds paid to attorneys (including payments to corporations).

**5. Mortgage interest paid by you, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, qualified tuition program payments (under section 529), IRA, Coverdell ESA, Archer MSA or HSA contributions or distributions, and pension distributions.** You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification.

## What Name and Number To Give the Requester

For this type of account:	Give name and SSN of:
1. Individual	The individual
2. Two or more individuals (joint account)	The actual owner of the account or, if combined funds, the first individual on the account <sup>1</sup>
3. Custodian account of a minor (Uniform Gift to Minors Act)	The minor <sup>2</sup>
4. a. The usual revocable savings trust (grantor is also trustee)	The grantor-trustee <sup>1</sup>
b. So-called trust account that is not a legal or valid trust under state law	The actual owner <sup>1</sup>
5. Sole proprietorship or single-owner LLC	The owner <sup>3</sup>
For this type of account:	Give name and EIN of:
6. Sole proprietorship or single-owner LLC	The owner <sup>3</sup>
7. A valid trust, estate, or pension trust	Legal entity <sup>4</sup>
8. Corporate or LLC electing corporate status on Form 8832	The corporation
9. Association, club, religious, charitable, educational, or other tax-exempt organization	The organization
10. Partnership or multi-member LLC	The partnership
11. A broker or registered nominee	The broker or nominee
12. Account with the Department of Agriculture in the name of a public entity (such as a state or local government, school district, or prison) that receives agricultural program payments	The public entity

<sup>1</sup> List first and circle the name of the person whose number you furnish. If only one person on a joint account has an SSN, that person's number must be furnished.

<sup>2</sup> Circle the minor's name and furnish the minor's SSN.

<sup>3</sup> You must show your individual name and you may also enter your business or "DBA" name on the second name line. You may use either your SSN or EIN (if you have one). If you are a sole proprietor, IRS encourages you to use your SSN.

<sup>4</sup> List first and circle the name of the legal trust, estate, or pension trust. (Do not furnish the TIN of the personal representative or trustee unless the legal entity itself is not designated in the account title.) Also see *Special rules regarding partnerships* on page 1.

**Note.** If no name is circled when more than one name is listed, the number will be considered to be that of the first name listed.

## Privacy Act Notice

Section 6109 of the Internal Revenue Code requires you to provide your correct TIN to persons who must file information returns with the IRS to report interest, dividends, and certain other income paid to you, mortgage interest you paid, the acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, or contributions you made to an IRA, or Archer MSA or HSA. The IRS uses the numbers for identification purposes and to help verify the accuracy of your tax return. The IRS may also provide this information to the Department of Justice for civil and criminal litigation, and to cities, states, the District of Columbia, and U.S. possessions to carry out their tax laws. We may also disclose this information to other countries under a tax treaty, to federal and state agencies to enforce federal nontax criminal laws, or to federal law enforcement and intelligence agencies to combat terrorism.

You must provide your TIN whether or not you are required to file a tax return. Payers must generally withhold 28% of taxable interest, dividend, and certain other payments to a payee who does not give a TIN to a payer. Certain penalties may also apply.

## SPECIAL PROVISIONS

The Standard Specifications of the Agency are contained in the latest Edition of the Standard Specifications for Public Works Construction, including all supplements, as written and promulgated by the Joint Cooperative Committee of the Southern California Chapter of the Associated General Contractors of California. Copies of these Standard Specifications are available from the publisher, Building News, Incorporated, 3055 Overland Avenue, Los Angeles, California, 90034, telephone (310) 202-7775.

The Standard Specifications set forth above will control the general provisions, construction materials, and construction methods for this contract except as amended by the Plans, Special Provisions, or other contract documents. The following Special Provisions are supplementary and in addition to the provisions of the Standard Specifications unless otherwise noted and the section numbers of the Special Provisions coincide with those of the said Standard Specifications. Only those sections requiring elaborations, amendments, specifying of options, or additions are called out. Should there be any discrepancies between the following provisions and the Standard Specifications For Public Works Construction (Latest Edition), the provisions contained herein shall control.

### PART 1

#### GENERAL PROVISIONS

##### Section 1 - Terms and Definitions

###### Definitions:

Whenever in the Standard Specifications or the Special Provisions the following terms are used, they shall be understood to mean and refer to the following:

- AGENCY: CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH
- BOARD: CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH
- CITY: CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH
- ENGINEER: DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS OF THE CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH, acting either directly or through properly authorized agents, such agents acting within the scope of the particular responsibilities entrusted to them.
- INSPECTOR: That person or persons designated by the Engineer.
- LABORATORY: The designated laboratory or laboratories authorized by the ENGINEER to test materials and work pertinent to the performance of the contractual work.

Other terms appearing in the Standard specifications shall have the intent and meaning specified therein.

Section 2 - Scope and Control of the Work

2-3.3 Subcontractors Add the following subsections:

Subcontractors shall be listed by the bidder in accordance with these specifications and must be properly licensed under the laws of the State of California for the type of work which they are to perform.

2-3.4

Subcontractor whose prosecution of the work is not satisfactory shall be terminated immediately by the Contractor upon the receipt of a written notice by the Engineer. Subcontractors whose work was determined to be unsatisfactory shall not be allowed to perform any work on the job site.

2.4 Contract Bonds

Add the following to the first paragraph:

All bonds used to satisfy the Agency's requirements shall have a current A.M. Best's rating of not less than A-VII unless otherwise approved by the City.

Substitute the following for the third paragraph:

As a part of the execution of this contract, the Contractor shall furnish to the City a bond of a surety company acceptable to the City, in a sum of one hundred percent (100%) of the total contract amount, as the sum set forth in the agreement for payment in full of all persons, companies, or corporations who perform labor upon or furnish material to be used in the work under this contract. Said bond shall be in the form of the Labor and Material Bond contained within these Specifications.

Substitute the following for the fourth paragraph:

As a part of the execution of this contract, the Contractor shall furnish to the City a bond payable to the City in the form of a Faithful Performance Bond as set forth in these Specifications. The performance bond shall be secured by a surety company acceptable to the City, conditioned upon the faithful performance of all covenants and stipulations under this contract. The amount of the bond shall not be less than one hundred percent (100%) of the total contract amount, as this sum is set forth in the agreement.

Add the following paragraph to this section:

As a condition precedent to the completion of this contract, the Contractor shall furnish a bond of a surety company acceptable to the City in the amount equal to ten percent (10%) of the total contract amount to hold good for a period of one (1) year after the completion and acceptance of the work to protect the City against the results of defective materials, workmanship, and equipment during that time. This bond shall be delivered to the City prior to issuance of final payment under this contract. Said bond shall be in the same form as the form of Defective Materials, Workmanship, and Equipment Bond contained within these Specifications.

2-5.2        Precedence of Contract Documents        This section shall be revised to read:

The order of precedence of documents shall be:

- First:        Requirements of law.
- Second:     Permits from other agencies as may be required by law.
- Third:      Permits from the City of Manhattan Beach as may be required by law.
- Fourth:     Special Provisions.
- Fifth:      Contract Plans.
- Sixth:     Standard Plans.
- Seventh:   Standard Specifications.
- Eighth:    Reference Specifications.

Change orders, supplemental agreements, and approved revisions to Plans and Specifications shall take precedence over documents listed above, except those listed as First, Second, and Third. Detailed plans shall have precedence over general plans. Reference Specifications or sections thereof, when cited in the Special Provisions, shall, by that reference, become a portion of the Special Provisions and be ranked in precedence of documents accordingly.

2-6        Work To Be Done

The following paragraphs shall be added following paragraph one:

All work which is defective in its construction or deficient in any of the requirements of the Plans and Specifications shall be remedied or removed and replaced by the Contractor in an acceptable manner at his own expense. No compensation will be allowed for any work done beyond the lines and grades shown on the Plans or established by the Engineer. Upon failure on the part of the Contractor to comply with any order of the Engineer made under the provisions of this article, the Engineer and City may cause the defective work to be remedied or removed and replaced at the expense of the Contractor.

Any unauthorized or defective work, defective material or workmanship or any unfaithful or imperfect work that may be discovered before final acceptance of work by the board shall be corrected immediately with no extra charge even though it may have been overlooked in previous inspections and estimates or may have been caused due to failure to inspect the work.

2-9.1     Permanent Survey Markers

Substitute the following for the first paragraph:

Contractor is responsible for preservation and/or perpetuation of all existing monuments which control subdivisions, tracts, boundaries, streets, highways, other rights-of-way, easements, or provide survey control which will be disturbed or removed due to Contractor's work. Contractor shall provide a Land Surveyor or a Registered Civil Engineer authorized to practice land surveying within the state prior to disturbance or removal of existing monuments. The Contractor's Registered (licensed) Land Surveyor or Registered Civil

Engineer authorized to practice within the state shall coordinate with contractor to reset monuments or provide permanent witness monuments and file the required documentation with the Office of the County Surveyor pursuant to Business and Professions Code Section 8771.

2-10            Authority of Boards and Inspectors

Substitute the following for the second paragraph:

The Engineer shall decide any and all questions which may arise as to the quality or acceptability of materials furnished and work performed, and as to the manner of performance and rate of progress of the work; all questions which arise as to the interpretation of the Plans and Specifications; all questions as to the acceptable fulfillment of the contract by the Contractor; and all questions as to claims and compensation.

Add the following paragraphs:

2-10.1        Inspection

An inspector shall in no case act as foreman or perform other duties for the Contractor, nor interfere with the Contractor's management of the work. Any advice which an inspector may give the Contractor shall not be binding to the Engineer or to the City, or release the Contractor from fulfilling all the terms of the contract.

No partial payment, inspection, taking possession of, or other act made or done by the Engineer or the City with respect to the work prior to final completion and acceptance thereof shall affect or prejudice the right of the Engineer or the City to reject any defective work or material or to require the complete fulfillment of all the provisions of the contract.

If the Engineer deems it expedient and not in the best interest of the City to correct work injured or done not in accordance with the contract, the defective work may be accepted subject to an equitable deduction from the contract price which may be made therefor by the City upon certification from the Engineer.

Reexamination of any work may be ordered by the Engineer at any time prior to final acceptance and, if so ordered, the work must be uncovered by the Contractor. If such work be found in accordance with the contract, the City will pay the cost of reexamination and replacement. If such work be found defective or not in accordance with the contract, the Contractor shall pay such costs.

2-10.2        Cooperative with Other Work.

The City may award other contracts for additional work, and the Contractor shall fully cooperate with such other Contractors and carefully fit Contractor's own work to that provided under the contracts as may be directed by the Engineer. The Contractor shall not commit or permit any act which will interfere with the performance of work by any other Contractor.

Section 3 - Changes in Work

3-2 Changes Initiated by Agency.

3-2.2.1 Delete this section. Replace with the following:

Increase or decrease in quantities shall be based on the contract's unit prices.

3-3 Extra Work.

3-3.1 General

Add the following at the end of Subsection 3-3.1:

Any extra work must be authorized by the Engineer and payment thereto shall be based on prevailing construction prices in the locality. Any extra work performed by the Contractor without prior authorization shall be considered included in the cost of the bid items mentioned in the Contractor's Proposal and no separate payment shall be made therefor.

If extra work is performed and payment is based on labor, materials, and equipment costs, the Contractor may not include in the labor costs, wages paid to supervisory personnel whose presence on the job site would normally be required.

3-3.2.3 Delete this section. Replace with the following:

(a) **Work by Contractor.** The following percentages shall be added to the Contractor's costs and shall constitute the markup for all overhead and profits:

1)	Labor . . . . .	20
2)	Materials . . . . .	15
3)	Equipment Rental . . . . .	15
4)	Other Items and Expenditures . . . . .	15

To the sum of the costs and markups provided for in this subsection, 1 percent shall be added as compensation for bonding.

(b) **Work by Subcontractor.** When all or any part of the extra work is performed by a Subcontractor, the markup established in 3-3.2.3(a) shall be applied to the Subcontractor's actual cost of such work. A markup of 10 percent on the first \$5,000 of the subcontracted portion of the extra work and a markup of 5 percent on work added in excess of \$5,000 of the subcontracted portion of the extra work may be added by the Contractor.

Section 4 - Control of Materials

4-1.1 General

Substitute the following for the first paragraph:

All materials used in the construction of the improvements under this contract shall be new and of properties best suited for the work required. Wherever applicable, materials shall conform to the latest Standards of the American Society for Testing Materials. All workmanship in the fabrication, assembly and construction of materials and equipment shall be neat and workmanlike in every respect. All equipment offered shall be of the manufacturer's latest design.

Add at the end of Section 4-1:

4-1.9 Warranties, Guarantees, and Instruction Sheets

All equipment, materials, and workmanship furnished under this contract shall be guaranteed for a period of one (1) year from the date of acceptance thereof against all defects that might render the work unsatisfactory during its normal operation. Defective materials and workmanship which become apparent during the guarantee period shall be replaced by the Contractor at his expense, together with the repair or replacement of any adjacent work, which may have been damaged by reason of the defective material, or during the process of its repair or replacement.

Manufacturer's warranties and guarantees furnished for materials used in the work, instruction sheets, and parts lists supplied with materials shall be delivered to the Engineer prior to acceptance of the project.

Section 5 - Utilities

5-1 Location

Add at the end of Subsection 5-1.

The location of existing piping and underground utilities, such as sewer, buried telephone, cable television, water mains, electric duct lines, etc., as shown on the contract drawings have been determined from the best available information, by actual surveys or furnished and taken from the records of the parent utility companies and drawings of existing facilities. However, the City does not assume the responsibility that record information as furnished by the utility companies and drawings of existing facilities is complete, accurate, and in sufficient detail to adequately locate all facilities within the construction area. The Contractor shall verify the detailed locations of all facilities as shown on the plans prior to starting work in the area.

5-2 Protection

Add the following paragraphs at the end of Subsection 5-2:

At least two working days prior to commencing work within the area, the Contractor shall request the utility owners to identify or otherwise indicate the location of their subsurface facilities. It shall be the Contractor's responsibility to determine the location and depth of all utilities including service connections which have been marked by the representative owners and which he believes may affect or be affected by the work. Full compensation for the ascertainment of utility locations and depths shall be considered included in the prices

bid for the other items of work.

All utilities shall be notified by the Contractor in advance, according to their respective advance notice requirements, prior to excavating adjacent to, altering, or in any way modifying their facilities. The Contractor, at his expense, shall maintain in service all existing utilities. Should interruption of such utilities become necessary, the property owners and residents affected shall be notified 48 hours before the interruption.

The Contractor shall protect, support, or perform any other work necessary in order to maintain the operation of utilities in the proximity of the work area. The Contractor shall inform the Engineer in writing of all utilities omitted from or shown incorrectly on the contract plans. The Contractor shall not be entitled to damages or additional payment for delays attributable to utility relocations or alterations not shown or incorrectly delineated on the contract plans. The Contractor shall conduct his operations so as to permit access to the work site by any affected utility necessary for the relocation or modification to the utility system at no cost to the City.

Any interference by the Contractor with City-owned facilities such as, but not limited to, sewer, water, or storm drain that, in the opinion of the Engineer, creates a safety or health hazard and is not quickly repaired, said damaged facilities may be repaired by City forces and all costs of these repairs will be deducted from contract payments.

Section 6 - Prosecution, Progress and Acceptance of the Work

Add the following to section 6-2:

6-2.1 Excess Cost of City Personnel and Inspection Personnel

For any overtime or emergency work beyond a regular eight (8) hour day and for any work performed on Saturday, Sunday, or holidays, the charges for City personnel, including inspection, required on the job site shall be the responsibility of the Contractor and all costs therefor shall be deducted from the payments due the Contractor. The cost of the City personnel shall be computed pursuant to adopted City salary schedules, overtime policies, fringe benefits, and overhead costs.

6-3.1 General

Add the following paragraph following paragraph one:

In the event a suspension of work is ordered because of failure on the part of the Contractor to carry out orders given or to perform any provisions of the work, such suspension of work shall not relieve the Contractor of his responsibility to complete the work within the time limit set forth herein and shall not be considered cause for extension of the time for completion, and further, such suspension of work shall not entitle the Contractor to any additional compensation.

Add at the end of Section 6-7.2

6-7 Time of Completion.

6-7.1 Generally the time of completion shall be as noted on the Contractor's Proposal.

6-7.2.1 Hours of Work

The Contractor shall not conduct any operations or perform any work pertaining to the project as defined herein, between the hours of 5:00 p.m. and 7:30 a.m. on any day nor on Saturday, Sunday, or holidays at any time except as approved by the Engineer. In the event that the Contractor abuses the hours of work requirement, a written warning will follow. After each additional warning, a \$200.00 penalty will be deducted from the contract amount.

6-9 Liquidated Damages

The liquidated damages value is hereby amended to be \$1,000 per day.

Section 7 - Responsibilities of the Contractor in the Conduct of His Work

Revise to read as follows:

7-3 Public Liability and Property Damage Insurance

Delete section 7-3 and replace with the following:

Insurance Requirements.

Commencement of Work. CONTRACTOR shall not commence work under this Agreement until it has obtained CITY approved insurance. Before beginning work hereunder, during the entire period of this Agreement, for any extensions hereto, and for periods after the end of this Agreement as indicated below, CONTRACTOR must have and maintain in place, all of the insurance coverages required in this Section 7. CONTRACTOR'S insurance shall comply with all items specified by this Agreement. Any subcontractors shall be subject to all of the requirements of this Section 7 and CONTRACTOR shall be responsible to obtain evidence of insurance from each subcontractor and provide it to CITY before the subcontractor commences work.

All insurance policies used to satisfy the requirements imposed hereunder shall be issued by insurers authorized to do business in the State of California. Insurers shall have a current A.M. Best's rating of not less than A-:VII unless otherwise approved by CITY.

Coverages, Limits and Policy Requirements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain the types of coverages and limits indicated below:

(1) COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY INSURANCE - a policy for occurrence coverage, including all coverages provided by and to the extent afforded by Insurance Services Office Form CG 0001 ed. 11/88 or 11/85, with

no special limitations affecting CITY. The limit for all coverages under this policy shall be no less than one million dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence. CITY, its employees, officials and agents, shall be added as additional insureds by endorsement to the policy. The insurer shall agree to provide the City with thirty (30) days prior written notice of any cancellation, non-renewal or material change in coverage. The policy shall contain no provision that would make this policy excess over, contributory with, or invalidated by the existence of any insurance, self-insurance or other risk financing program maintained by CITY. In the event the policy contains such an "other insurance" clause, the policy shall be modified by endorsement to show that it is primary for any claim arising out of the work performed under this Agreement. The City of Manhattan Beach Insurance Endorsement Form No. 1 (General Liability) must be executed by the applicable insurance underwriters.

(2) COMMERCIAL AUTO LIABILITY INSURANCE - a policy including all coverages provided by and to the extent afforded by Insurance Services Office form CA 0001, ed. 12/93, including Symbol 1 (any auto) with no special limitations affecting the CITY. The limit for bodily injury and property damage liability shall be no less than one million dollars (\$1,000,000) per accident. CITY, its employees, officials and agents, shall be added as additional insureds by endorsement to the policy. The insurer shall agree to provide the City with thirty (30) days prior written notice of any cancellation, non-renewal or material change in coverage. The policy shall contain no provision that would make this policy excess over, contributory with, or invalidated by the existence of any insurance, self-insurance or other risk financing program maintained by CITY. In the event the policy contains such an "other insurance" clause, the policy shall be modified by endorsement to show that it is primary for any claim arising out of the work performed under this Agreement. The City of Manhattan Beach Insurance Endorsement Form No. 2 (Auto) must be executed by the applicable insurance underwriters.

(3) WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE - a policy which meets all statutory benefit requirements of the Labor Code, or other applicable law, of the State of California. Employers Liability Insurance with a minimum limit of no less than one million dollars (\$1,000,000) per claim. The policy shall contain, or be endorsed to include, a waiver of subrogation in favor of CITY.

Additional Requirements. The procuring of such required policies of insurance shall not be construed to limit CONTRACTOR'S liability hereunder, nor to fulfill the indemnification provisions and requirements of this Agreement. There shall be no recourse against CITY for

payment of premiums or other amounts with respect thereto. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions must be declared to and approved by CITY. Any deductible exceeding an amount acceptable to CITY shall be subject to the following changes:

- (1) either the insurer shall eliminate, or reduce, such deductibles or self-insured retentions with respect to CITY and its officials, employees and agents (with additional premium, if any, to be paid by CONTRACTOR); or
- (2) CONTRACTOR shall provide satisfactory financial guarantee for payment of losses and related investigations, claim administration, and defense expenses.

Verification of Compliance. CONTRACTOR shall furnish CITY with original endorsements effecting coverage required by this Agreement. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by the insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. All endorsements are to be received and approved by CITY before work commences. Not less than fifteen (15) days prior to the expiration date of any policy of insurance required by this Agreement, CONTRACTOR shall deliver to CITY a binder or certificate of insurance with respect to each renewal policy, bearing a notation evidencing payment of the premium therefor, or accompanied by other proof of payment satisfactory to CITY.

#### 7-3.1 Contractor's Responsibility for Work

Except as provided above, until the formal acceptance of the work by the City Council, the Contractor shall have the charge and care thereof and shall bear the risk of injury or damage to any part thereof by the action of the elements or from any other cause, whether arising from the execution or from the non-execution of the work. The Contractor shall rebuild, repair, restore, and make good all injuries or damages to any portion of the work occasioned by any of the above causes before final acceptance and shall bear the expense thereof.

#### 7-3.2

The Contractor shall indemnify and save harmless the City of Manhattan Beach, the City Council, inspection personnel, and the Engineer from any suits, claims, or actions brought by any person or persons for or on account of any injuries or damages sustained or arising in the construction of the work or in consequence thereof. The City Council may retain so much of the money due the Contractor as shall be considered necessary, until disposition has been made of such suits or claims for damages as aforesaid.

#### 7-3.3 Responsibilities for Damage

The City of Manhattan Beach, the City Council, inspection personnel, and the Engineer shall not be answerable or accountable in any manner for any loss or damage that may happen to the work or any part thereof; or for any material or equipment used in performing the work; or for injury or damage to any person or persons, either workmen

or the public; for damage to adjoining property for any cause whatsoever.

7-5 Permits and Licenses

Revise to read:

The Contractor shall procure all permits and licenses (including a City of Manhattan Beach business license), pay all charges and fees, and give all notices necessary and incidental to the due and lawful prosecution of the work. All City of Manhattan Beach permits required for the performance of the contract shall be issued on a "no fee" basis. Permits required by other agencies shall be obtained by the City for all work within the City of Manhattan Beach.

Section 8 - Facilities for Agency Personnel

8-1 General.

The Contractor need provide no separate facilities for agency personnel, however, he shall permit unlimited use by the Engineer or his duly authorized representative of any field office, toilet facility, or other temporary job site facility.

Section 9 - Measurement and Payment

9-3 Payment

9-3.1 General

Add at the end of this Subsection:

Whenever the Contractor is required to perform work or furnish equipment, labor, tools, and materials of any class for which no price is fixed in the proposal, it shall be understood that such work, equipment, labor, tools, and material shall be provided without extra charge, allowance, or direct payment of any kind. The cost of performing such work or furnishing such equipment, labor, tools, and materials shall be included in the unit bid prices in the proposal most closely related to the work and no additional compensation will be made therefor.

If any portion of the work done or materials furnished under the contract shall prove defective or not in accordance with the Specifications and contract drawings, and if the imperfection in the same shall not be of sufficient magnitude or importance to make the work dangerous or undesirable, the Engineer shall have the right and authority to retain the work instead of requiring it to be removed and reconstructed, but he shall make such deductions therefor in the payment due the Contractor as may be just and reasonable.

9-3.2 Partial & Final Payment

Delete and replaced with the following:

In accordance with these Specifications, the monthly payment date is hereby set as the second Wednesday following the first Tuesday of each month. If the above date falls on a holiday, the payment date

shall be the first subsequent working day.

The Contractor shall prepare and submit the form attached herewith (See Page 25) or his own form, in an identical format, to the Engineer for all requests for progress payments for the work performed in accordance with the provisions of the contract during the preceding month. The progress payment request shall be submitted no later than thirteen (13) working days prior to the monthly payment dates established above. Late submittals shall be held for consideration by the City Council at the next regularly scheduled meeting.

The City will make partial payment to the Contractor for the work performed; said partial payment will be made in accordance with the certified estimate approved by the Engineer as set forth herein. The City will retain 5% of the amount of each such estimate until 35 days after the date on which the project is accepted as complete and until all obligations of the Contractor pursuant to the contract have been discharged.

The City may withhold payments to the Contractor including, but not limited to, retained percentage, liquidated damages, defective work not remedied, reasonable doubt that this contract can be completed for the balance then unpaid, excess cost of City personnel and inspection personnel, and other valid claims against the Contractor.

Acceptance by the Contractor of said payment made in accordance with said final estimate shall be a release to the City, its officers, agents, and employees excepting only claims against the City for any amount withheld by it at the time of such payment.

Section 10 - Special Project Site Maintenance and Public Convenience and Safety

Section 10 is hereby added to the Standard Specifications as follows:

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 7-8 and Section 7-10 of the Standard Specifications and these Special Provisions, the Contractor is responsible for project site maintenance and for public convenience and safety. Payment for compliance with these provisions is considered as included in the prices bid for other contract items.

The City, however, to maintain good public relations, may deem it necessary to require special project site maintenance and public convenience and safety actions and work to be performed by the Contractor that are over and above those required by the provisions of Section 7-8 and Section 7-10 of the Standard Specifications and these Special Provisions.

These actions and work shall be as directed by the Engineer in writing and payment for compliance therewith shall be on a cost plus basis for extra work per Section 3-3 of the Standard Specifications and applied against the not-to-exceed bid item for "Special Project Site Maintenance and Public Convenience and Safety."