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SUBMIT RESPONSES TO:			VENDOR		
BID RESPONSE DIVISION OF NATURAL RESOURCES PROPERTY & PROCUREMENT OFFICE 324 4TH AVE SOUTH CHARLESTON US			WV	25303-1228	Vendor Name, Address and Telephone Hull's Contracting Inc. 426 Slab Camp Rd. French Creek, WV 26218 304-472-6408

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT THE

Angela W Negley  
(304) 558-3397  
angela.w.negley@wv.gov

Signature X *Brenda K Hume* FEIN # *55-0688205* DATE *9/13/18*

All offers subject to all terms and conditions contained in this solicitation

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**ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

See attached document(s) for additional Terms and Conditions



West Virginia Division of Natural Resources

INSTRUCTIONS TO VENDORS  
&  
AGENCY TERMS AND CONDITIONS

INSTRUCTIONS

**1. REVIEW DOCUMENTS THOROUGHLY:** The attached documents contain a solicitation for bids. Please read these instructions and all documents attached in their entirety. These instructions provide critical information about requirements that if overlooked could lead to disqualification of a Vendor's bid. All bids must be submitted in accordance with the provisions contained in these instructions and the Solicitation. Failure to do so may result in disqualification of a Vendor's bid.

**2. MANDATORY TERMS:** The Solicitation may contain mandatory provisions identified by the use of the words "must," "will," and "shall" which identify a mandatory item or requirement. Failure to comply with a mandatory term in the Solicitation will result in bid disqualification.

**3. PREBID MEETING:** The item identified below shall apply to this Solicitation.

A pre-bid meeting will not be held prior to bid opening.

A **NON-MANDATORY** pre-bid meeting will be held at the following place and time:

A **MANDATORY** pre-bid meeting will be held at the following place and time:

Audra State Park  
Bath House Demolition Project  
Project Coordinates and Pre-Bid location:  
39-02-27.3N; 80-03-58.7W  
8/30/2018 at 1:00pm

All Vendors submitting a bid must attend the mandatory pre-bid meeting. Failure to attend the mandatory pre-bid meeting shall result in disqualification of the Vendor's bid. No person attending the pre-bid meeting may represent more than one Vendor.

- k. "Will", "Shall" and "Must" identifies a mandatory item or requirement that is the duty, obligation, or requirement imposed is mandatory as opposed to being directory or permissive.

3. **CONTRACT TERM; RENEWAL; EXTENSION:** The term of this Contract shall be determined in accordance with the category that has been identified as applicable to this Contract below:

**Term Contract**

**Initial Contract Term:** This Contract becomes effective on \_\_\_\_\_ and extends for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ year(s).

**Renewal Term:** This Contract may be renewed upon the mutual written consent of the Agency, and the Vendor, with approval of the Property and Procurement Office and the Attorney General's office (Attorney General approval is as to form only). Any request for renewal should be submitted to the Property and Procurement Office thirty (30) days prior to the expiration date of the initial contract term or appropriate renewal term. A Contract renewal shall be in accordance with the terms and conditions of the original contract. Renewal of this Contract is limited to \_\_\_\_\_ successive one (1) year periods or multiple renewal periods of less than one year, provided that the multiple renewal periods do not exceed \_\_\_\_\_ months in total. Automatic renewal of this Contract is prohibited. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Property and Procurement Office approval is not required on agency delegated or exempt purchases. Attorney General approval may be required for vendor terms and conditions.

**Delivery Order Limitations:** In the event that this contract permits delivery orders, a delivery order may only be issued during the time this Contract is in effect. Any delivery order issued within one year of the expiration of this Contract shall be effective for one (1) year from the date the delivery order is issued. No delivery order may be extended beyond one year after this Contract has expired.

**Fixed Period Contract:** This Contract becomes effective upon Vendor's receipt of the notice to proceed and must be completed within ninety (90) days

**Fixed Period Contract with Renewals:** This Contract becomes effective upon Vendor's receipt of the notice to proceed and part of the Contract more fully described in the attached specifications must be completed within \_\_\_\_\_ days.

Upon completion, the vendor agrees that maintenance, monitoring, or warranty services will be provided for one year thereafter with an additional successive one (1) year renewal periods or multiple renewal periods of less than one year provided that the multiple renewal periods do not exceed \_\_\_\_\_ months in total. Automatic renewal of this Contract is prohibited.

**One-Time Purchase:** The term of this Contract shall run from the issuance of the Award Document until all of the goods contracted for have been delivered, but in no event, will this Contract extend for more than one fiscal year.

**Other:** See attached.

**4. NOTICE TO PROCEED:** Vendor shall begin performance of this Contract immediately upon receiving notice to proceed unless otherwise instructed by the Agency. Unless otherwise specified, the fully executed Award Document will be considered notice to proceed.

**5. QUANTITIES:** The quantities required under this Contract shall be determined in accordance with the category that has been identified as applicable to this Contract below.

**Open-End Contract:** Quantities listed in this Solicitation are approximations only, based on estimates supplied by the Agency. It is understood and agreed that the Contract shall cover the quantities actually ordered for delivery during the term of the Contract, whether more or less than the quantities shown.

**Service:** The scope of the service to be provided will be more clearly defined in the specifications included herewith.

**Combined Service and Goods:** The scope of the service and deliverable goods to be provided will be more clearly defined in the specifications included herewith.

**One-Time Purchase:** This Contract is for the purchase of a set quantity of goods that are identified in the specifications included herewith. Once those items have been delivered, no additional goods may be procured under this Contract without an appropriate change order approved by the Vendor, Agency, and Attorney General's office.

**6. EMERGENCY PURCHASES:** Chief Procurement Officer may authorize the Agency to purchase goods or services in the open market that Vendor would otherwise provide under this Contract if those goods or services are for immediate or expedited delivery in an emergency. Emergencies shall include, but are not limited to, delays in transportation or an unanticipated increase in the volume of work. An emergency purchase in the open market, approved by the Chief Procurement Officer, shall not constitute a breach of this Contract and shall not entitle the Vendor to any form of compensation or damages. This provision does not excuse the State from fulfilling its obligations under a One-Time Purchase contract.

**7. REQUIRED DOCUMENTS:** All of the items checked below must be provided to the Property and Procurement Office by the Vendor as specified below.

**BID BOND (Construction Only):** Pursuant to the requirements contained in W. Va. Code § 5-22-1(c), All Vendors submitting a bid on a construction project shall furnish a valid bid bond in the amount of five percent (5%) of the total amount of the bid protecting the State of West Virginia. The bid bond must be submitted with the bid.

**PERFORMANCE BOND:** The apparent successful Vendor shall provide a performance bond in the amount of 100% . The performance bond must be received by the Property and Procurement Office prior to Contract award. On construction contracts, the performance bond must be 100% of the Contract value.

**LABOR/MATERIAL PAYMENT BOND:** The apparent successful Vendor shall provide a labor/material payment bond in the amount of 100% of the Contract value. The labor/material payment bond must be delivered to the Property and Procurement Office prior to Contract award.

**MAINTENANCE BOND:** The apparent successful Vendor shall provide a two (2) year maintenance bond covering the roofing system. The maintenance bond must be issued and delivered to the Property and Procurement Office prior to Contract award.

**LICENSE(S) / CERTIFICATIONS / PERMITS:** In addition to anything required under the Section entitled Licensing, of the General Terms and Conditions, the apparent successful Vendor shall furnish proof of the following licenses, certifications, and/or permits prior to Contract award, in a form acceptable to the Property and Procurement Office.

**OTHER** WV Licensed Contractor

The apparent successful Vendor shall also furnish proof of any additional licenses or certifications contained in the specifications prior to Contract award regardless of whether or not that requirement is listed above.

**8. INSURANCE:** The apparent successful Vendor shall furnish proof of the insurance identified by a checkmark below prior to Contract award. Subsequent to contract award, and prior to the insurance expiration date, Vendor shall provide the Agency with proof that the insurance mandated herein has been continued. Vendor must also provide Agency with immediate notice of any changes in its insurance policies mandated herein, including but not limited to, policy cancelation, policy reduction, or change in insurers. The insurance coverages identified below must be maintained throughout the life of this contract. The apparent successful Vendor shall also furnish proof of any additional insurance requirements contained in the specifications prior to Contract award regardless of whether or not that insurance requirement is listed in this section.

Vendor must maintain:

**Commercial General Liability Insurance** in at least an amount of:

\$1,000,000.00

**Automobile Liability Insurance** in at least an amount of: \$500,000.00

Professional/Malpractice/Errors and Omission Insurance in at least an amount of: \_\_\_\_\_

Commercial Crime and Third-Party Fidelity Insurance in an amount of: \_\_\_\_\_

Cyber Liability Insurance in an amount of: \_\_\_\_\_

Builders Risk Insurance in an amount equal to 100% of the amount of the Contract.

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**9. WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE:** The apparent successful Vendor shall comply with laws relating to workers' compensation, shall maintain workers' compensation insurance when required, and shall furnish proof of workers' compensation insurance upon request.

**10. LITIGATION BOND:** The Chief Procurement Officer reserves the right to require any Vendor that files a protest of an award to submit a litigation bond in the amount equal to one percent of the lowest bid submitted or \$5,000, whichever is greater. The entire amount of the bond shall be forfeited if the hearing officer determines that the protest was filed for frivolous or improper purpose, including but not limited to, the purpose of harassing, causing unnecessary delay, or needless expense for the Agency. All litigation bonds shall be made payable to the Property and Procurement Office. In lieu of a bond, the protester may submit a cashier's check or certified check payable to the Property and Procurement Office. Cashier's or certified checks will be deposited with and held by the State Treasurer's office. If it is determined that the protest has not been filed for frivolous or improper purpose, the bond or deposit shall be returned in its entirety.

**11. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES:** Vendor shall pay liquidated damages in the amount of \$100 \_\_\_\_\_ for each day of delay. This clause shall in no way be considered exclusive and shall not limit the State or Agency's right to pursue any other available remedy.

**12. ACCEPTANCE:** Vendor's signature on its bid, or on the certification and signature page, constitutes an offer to the State that cannot be unilaterally withdrawn, signifies that the product or service proposed by vendor meets the mandatory requirements contained in the Solicitation for that product or service, unless otherwise indicated, and signifies acceptance of the terms and conditions contained in the Solicitation unless otherwise indicated.



**ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS (Construction Contracts Only)**

**1. CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE:** W. Va. Code § 21-11-2 requires that all persons desiring to perform contracting work in this state be licensed. The West Virginia Contractors Licensing Board is empowered to issue the contractor's license. Applications for a contractor's license may be made by contacting the West Virginia Division of Labor. W. Va. Code § 21-11-11 requires any prospective Vendor to include the contractor's license number on its bid. If an apparent low bidder fails to submit a license number in accordance with this section, the Property and Procurement Office will promptly request by telephone and electronic mail that the low bidder and the second low bidder provide the license number within one business day of the request. Failure of the bidder to provide the license number within one business day of receiving the request shall result in disqualification of the bid. Vendors should include a contractor's license number in the space provided below.

Contractor's Name: Hull's Contracting Inc.  
Contractor's License No.: WV- 006868

The apparent successful Vendor must furnish a copy of its contractor's license prior to the issuance of a contract award document.

**2. DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE AFFIDAVIT:** W. Va. Code § 21-1D-5 provides that any solicitation for a public improvement contract requires each Vendor that submits a bid for the work to submit an affidavit that the Vendor has a written plan for a drug-free workplace policy. If the affidavit is not submitted with the bid submission, the Property and Procurement Office shall promptly request by telephone and electronic mail that the low bidder and second low bidder provide the affidavit within one business day of the request. Failure to submit the affidavit within one business day of receiving the request shall result in disqualification of the bid. To comply with this law, Vendor should complete the enclosed drug-free workplace affidavit and submit the same with its bid. Failure to submit the signed and notarized drugfree workplace affidavit or a similar affidavit that fully complies with the requirements of the applicable code, within one (1) business day of being requested to do so shall result in disqualification of Vendor's bid. Pursuant to W. Va. Code 21-1D-2(b) and (k), this provision does not apply to public improvement contracts the value of which is \$100,000 or less or temporary or emergency repairs.

**2.1. DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE POLICY:** Pursuant to W. Va. Code § 21-1D-4, Vendor and its subcontractors must implement and maintain a written drug-free workplace policy that complies with said article. The awarding public authority shall cancel this contract if: (1) Vendor fails to implement and maintain a written drug-free workplace policy described in the preceding paragraph, (2) Vendor fails to provide information regarding implementation of its drug-free workplace policy at the request of the public authority; or (3) Vendor provides to the public authority false information regarding the contractor's drug-free workplace policy.

**Subcontractor List Submission (Construction Contracts Only)**

Bidder's Name: Hull's Contracting Inc.

Check this box if no subcontractors will perform more than \$25,000.00 of work to complete the project.

Subcontractor Name		License Number if Required by W. Va. Code § 21-11-1 et. seq.
None		

Attach additional pages if necessary.

**DESIGNATED CONTACT:** Vendor appoints the individual identified in this Section as the Contract Administrator and the initial point of contact for matters relating to this Contract.

Roger B. Hull II, Vice President  
(Name, Title)

Roger B. Hull II, Vice President  
(Printed Name and Title)

426 Slab Camp Rd. French Creek, WV 26218  
(Address)

304-472-6408 304-924-9133 fax  
(Phone Number) / (Fax Number)

hullscan@yahoo.com  
(email address)

**CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE:** By signing below, or submitting documentation through wvOASIS, I certify that I have reviewed this Solicitation in its entirety; that I understand the requirements, terms and conditions, and other information contained herein; that this bid, offer or proposal constitutes an offer to the State that cannot be unilaterally withdrawn; that the product or service proposed meets the mandatory requirements contained in the Solicitation for that product or service, unless otherwise stated herein; that the Vendor accepts the terms and conditions contained in the Solicitation, unless otherwise stated herein; that I am submitting this bid, offer or proposal for review and consideration; that I am authorized by the vendor to execute and submit this bid, offer, or proposal, or any documents related thereto on vendor's behalf; that I am authorized to bind the vendor in a contractual relationship; and that to the best of my knowledge, the vendor has properly registered with any State agency that may require registration.

Hull's Contracting Inc.  
(Company)

Brenda K. Hull, Secretary  
(Authorized Signature) (Representative Name, Title)

Brenda K. Hull, Secretary  
(Printed Name and Title of Authorized Representative)

9/13/18  
(Date)

304-472-6408 304-924-9133  
(Phone Number) (Fax Number)

ADDENDUM ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM  
SOLICITATION NO.:

Instructions: Please acknowledge receipt of all addenda issued with this solicitation by completing this addendum acknowledgment form. Check the box next to each addendum received and sign below. Failure to acknowledge addenda may result in bid disqualification.

Acknowledgment: I hereby acknowledge receipt of the following addenda and have made the necessary revisions to my proposal, plans and/or specification, etc.

Addendum Numbers Received:  
(Check the box next to each addendum received)

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Addendum No. 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> Addendum No. 6  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Addendum No. 2            | <input type="checkbox"/> Addendum No. 7  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Addendum No. 3            | <input type="checkbox"/> Addendum No. 8  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Addendum No. 4            | <input type="checkbox"/> Addendum No. 9  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Addendum No. 5            | <input type="checkbox"/> Addendum No. 10 |

I understand that failure to confirm the receipt of addenda may be cause for rejection of this bid. I further understand that any verbal representation made or assumed to be made during any oral discussion held between Vendor's representatives and any state personnel is not binding. Only the information issued in writing and added to the specifications by an official addendum is binding.

Hull's Contracting Inc.  
Company

Brenda K. Hull  
Authorized Signature

9/13/18  
Date

NOTE: This addendum acknowledgment should be submitted with the bid to expedite document processing.

**REQUEST FOR QUOTATION**  
**WV Division of Natural Resources**  
**Audra State Park**  
**Bath House Demolition Project**

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- 10.1 Vendor must identify principal service personnel which will be issued access cards and/or keys to perform service.
- 10.2 Vendor will be responsible for controlling cards and keys and will pay replacement fee, if the cards or keys become lost or stolen.
- 10.3 Vendor shall notify Agency immediately of any lost, stolen, or missing card or key.
- 10.4 Anyone performing under this Contract will be subject to Agency's security protocol and procedures.
- 10.5 Vendor shall inform all staff of Agency's security protocol and procedures.

**11. MISCELLANEOUS:**

- a. **Contract Manager:** During its performance of this Contract, Vendor must designate and maintain a primary contract manager responsible for overseeing Vendor's responsibilities under this Contract. The Contract manager must be available during normal business hours to address any customer service or other issues related to this Contract. Vendor should list its Contract manager and his or her contact information below.

**Contract Manager:** Roger B. Hull II

**Telephone Number:** 304-613-6662 304-924-9333

**Fax Number:** 304-924-9133

**Email Address:** hullscor@yahoo.com

EXHIBIT A - PRICING PAGE  
WV Division of Natural Resources  
Audra State Park  
Bath House Demolition Project

Name of Vendor:

Hull's Contracting Inc.

Address of Vendor:

426 Slab Camp Rd.  
French Creek, WV 26218

Phone Number of Vendor:

304-472-6408      304-613-6662  
304-924-9333

WV Contractors License No.

WV 006868

We, the undersigned, having examined the site and being familiar with the local conditions affecting the cost of the work and also being familiar with the general conditions to vendors, drawings, and specifications, hereby proposes to furnish all materials, equipment, and labor to complete all work in a workmanlike manner, as described in the Bidding documents.

**Base Bid**

The Base Bid shall consist of the demolition and removal of an existing bath house; capping and preserving existing water line(s); relocating electrical service to an adjacent building; resurfacing the paved driveway; grading smoothly and to drain all disturbed areas and ruts; replacing small wooden bridge (if damaged); seeding and mulching all disturbed areas. Any property or structure damage due to construction activities will be repaired or replaced to a condition equal to, or better than, currently exists. The total of all items shall be summarized as the Total Base Bid in the space indicated below.

Total Base Bid: Lump sum for all labor, materials, and equipment as stipulated in the Bidding Documents, **written in numbers.**

59,500.<sup>00</sup>

Total Base Bid: Lump sum for all labor, materials, and equipment as stipulated in the Bidding Documents, **written in words.**

Fifty Nine Thousand, five Hundred Dollars + No Cents.



**State of West Virginia  
DRUG FREE WORKPLACE CONFORMANCE AFFIDAVIT  
West Virginia Code §21-1D-5**

**STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA,**

**COUNTY OF Upshur, TO-WIT:**

I, Brenda K. Hull, after being first duly sworn, depose and state as follows:

1. I am an employee of Hull's Contracting Inc.; and,  
(Company Name)
2. I do hereby attest that Hull's Contracting Inc.  
(Company Name)

maintains a written plan for a drug-free workplace policy and that such plan and policy are in compliance with **West Virginia Code §21-1D.**

The above statements are sworn to under the penalty of perjury.

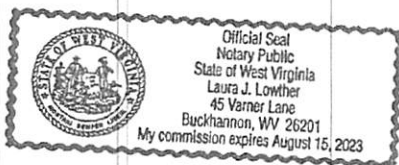
Printed Name: Brenda K. Hull  
 Signature: Brenda K. Hull  
 Title: Secretary  
 Company Name: Hull's Contracting Inc.  
 Date: 9/13/18

Taken, subscribed and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of September 2018.

By Commission expires August 15, 2023

(Seal)

Laura J. Lowther  
(Notary Public)



STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA  
Purchasing Division

**PURCHASING AFFIDAVIT**

**CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS:** Under W. Va. Code § 5-22-1(i), the contracting public entity shall not award a construction contract to any bidder that is known to be in default on any monetary obligation owed to the state or a political subdivision of the state, including, but not limited to, obligations related to payroll taxes, property taxes, sales and use taxes, fire service fees, or other fines or fees.

**ALL CONTRACTS:** Under W. Va. Code §5A-3-10a, no contract or renewal of any contract may be awarded by the state or any of its political subdivisions to any vendor or prospective vendor when the vendor or prospective vendor or a related party to the vendor or prospective vendor is a debtor and: (1) the debt owed is an amount greater than one thousand dollars in the aggregate; or (2) the debtor is in employer default.

**EXCEPTION:** The prohibition listed above does not apply where a vendor has contested any tax administered pursuant to chapter eleven of the W. Va. Code, workers' compensation premium, permit fee or environmental fee or assessment and the matter has not become final or where the vendor has entered into a payment plan or agreement and the vendor is not in default of any of the provisions of such plan or agreement.

**DEFINITIONS:**

**"Debt"** means any assessment, premium, penalty, fine, tax or other amount of money owed to the state or any of its political subdivisions because of a judgment, fine, permit violation, license assessment, defaulted workers' compensation premium, penalty or other assessment presently delinquent or due and required to be paid to the state or any of its political subdivisions, including any interest or additional penalties accrued thereon.

**"Employer default"** means having an outstanding balance or liability to the old fund or to the uninsured employers' fund or being in policy default, as defined in W. Va. Code § 23-2c-2, failure to maintain mandatory workers' compensation coverage, or failure to fully meet its obligations as a workers' compensation self-insured employer. An employer is not in employer default if it has entered into a repayment agreement with the Insurance Commissioner and remains in compliance with the obligations under the repayment agreement.

**"Related party"** means a party, whether an individual, corporation, partnership, association, limited liability company or any other form or business association or other entity whatsoever, related to any vendor by blood, marriage, ownership or contract through which the party has a relationship of ownership or other interest with the vendor so that the party will actually or by effect receive or control a portion of the benefit, profit or other consideration from performance of a vendor contract with the party receiving an amount that meets or exceeds five percent of the total contract amount.

**AFFIRMATION:** By signing this form, the vendor's authorized signer affirms and acknowledges under penalty of law for false swearing (W. Va. Code §61-5-3) that: (1) for construction contracts, the vendor is not in default on any monetary obligation owed to the state or a political subdivision of the state, and (2) for all other contracts, that neither vendor nor any related party owe a debt as defined above and that neither vendor nor any related party are in employer default as defined above, unless the debt or employer default is permitted under the exception above.

**WITNESS THE FOLLOWING SIGNATURE:**

Vendor's Name: Hull's Contracting Inc.

Authorized Signature: Brenda K. Hume Date: 9/13/18

State of WV

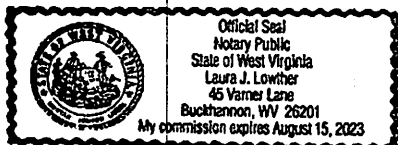
County of Upshur, to-wit:

Taken, subscribed, and sworn to before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2018

My Commission expires August 15, 2023

**AFFIX SEAL HERE**

**NOTARY PUBLIC**



*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Purchasing Affidavit (Revised 01/19/2018)



**BID BOND**

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, the undersigned, Hull's Contracting, Inc.  
of French Creek, WV, as Principal, and Merchants National Bonding, Inc.  
of Des Moines, IA, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of  
IA with its principal office in the City of Des Moines, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto the State  
of West Virginia, as Oblige, in the penal sum of Five Percent of Amount Bid (\$ 5% ) for the payment of which,  
well and truly to be made, we jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, administrators, executors, successors and assigns.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the Principal has submitted to the Purchasing Section of the  
Department of Administration a certain bid or proposal, attached hereto and made a part hereof, to enter into a contract in writing for  
Audra State Park Bathhouse Demolition Project - ARFQ 0310 DNR1900000014 - According to Plans & Specifications

**NOW THEREFORE,**

(a) If said bid shall be rejected, or  
(b) If said bid shall be accepted and the Principal shall enter into a contract in accordance with the bid or proposal  
attached hereto and shall furnish any other bonds and insurance required by the bid or proposal, and shall in all other respects perform  
the agreement created by the acceptance of said bid, then this obligation shall be null and void, otherwise this obligation shall remain in  
full force and effect. It is expressly understood and agreed that the liability of the Surety for any and all claims hereunder shall, in no  
event, exceed the penal amount of this obligation as herein stated.

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

WITNESS, the following signatures and seals of Principal and Surety, executed and sealed by a proper officer of Principal and  
Surety, or by Principal individually if Principal is an individual, this 13th day of September, 2018.

Principal Seal

Hull's Contracting, Inc.  
(Name of Principal)

By: [Signature]  
(Must be President, Vice President, or  
Duly Authorized Agent)

Vice President  
(Title)

Surety Seal

Merchants National Bonding, Inc.  
(Name of Surety)

By: [Signature]  
Patricia A. Moye, WV Resident Agent Attorney-in-Fact

**IMPORTANT – Surety executing bonds must be licensed in West Virginia to transact surety insurance, must affix its seal, and  
must attach a power of attorney with its seal affixed.**

**MERCHANTS**  
**BONDING COMPANY™**  
**POWER OF ATTORNEY**

Know All Persons By These Presents, that MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL) and MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC., both being corporations of the State of Iowa (herein collectively called the "Companies") do hereby make, constitute and appoint, individually, Gregory T Gordon; Kimberly J Wilkinson; Patricia A Moye

their true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, to sign its name as surety(ies) and to execute, seal and acknowledge any and all bonds, undertakings, contracts and other written instruments in the nature thereof, on behalf of the Companies in their business of guaranteeing the fidelity of persons, guaranteeing the performance of contracts and executing or guaranteeing bonds and undertakings required or permitted in any actions or proceedings allowed by law.

This Power-of-Attorney is granted and is signed and sealed by facsimile under and by authority of the following By-Laws adopted by the Board of Directors of Merchants Bonding Company (Mutual) on April 23, 2011 and amended August 14, 2015 and adopted by the Board of Directors of Merchants National Bonding, Inc., on October 16, 2015.

"The President, Secretary, Treasurer, or any Assistant Treasurer or any Assistant Secretary or any Vice President shall have power and authority to appoint Attorneys-in-Fact, and to authorize them to execute on behalf of the Company, and attach the seal of the Company thereto, bonds and undertakings, recognizances, contracts of indemnity and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof."

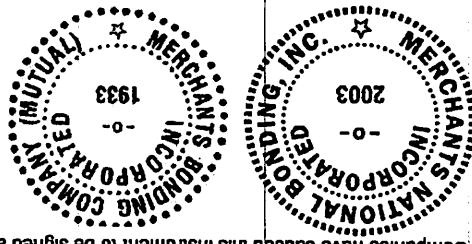
"The signature of any authorized officer and the seal of the Company may be affixed by facsimile or electronic transmission to any Power of Attorney or Certification thereof authorizing the execution and delivery of any bond, undertaking, recognizance, or other suretyship obligations of the Company, and such signature and seal when so used shall have the same force and effect as though manually fixed."

In connection with obligations in favor of the Florida Department of Transportation only, it is agreed that the power and authority hereby given to the Attorney-in-Fact includes any and all consents for the release of retained percentages and/or final estimates on engineering and construction contracts required by the State of Florida Department of Transportation. It is fully understood that consenting to the State of Florida Department of Transportation making payment of the final estimate to the Contractor and/or its assignee, shall not relieve this surety company of any of its obligations under its bond.

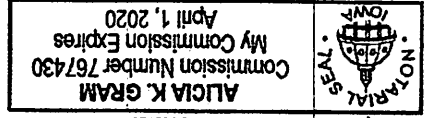
In connection with obligations in favor of the Kentucky Department of Highways only, it is agreed that the power and authority hereby given to the Attorney-in-Fact cannot be modified or revoked unless prior written personal notice of such intent has been given to the Commissioner-Department of Highways of the Commonwealth of Kentucky at least thirty (30) days prior to the modification or revocation.

In Witness Whereof, the Companies have caused this instrument to be signed and sealed this 28th day of August, 2018.

By *Larry Taylor*  
 MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL)  
 President



STATE OF IOWA  
 COUNTY OF DALLAS SS.  
 On this 28th day of August 2018, before me appeared Larry Taylor, to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn did say that he is President of MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL) and MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC.; and that the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument are the Corporate Seals of the Companies; and that the said instrument was signed and sealed in behalf of the Companies by authority of their respective Boards of Directors.



*Alicia K. Gram*  
 Notary Public

(Expiration of notary's commission does not invalidate this instrument)

I, William Warner, Jr., Secretary of MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL) and MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC., do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the POWER-OF-ATTORNEY executed by said Companies, which is still in full force and effect and has not been amended or revoked.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Companies on this 13th day of September, 2018.

*William Warner Jr.*  
 Secretary

