

## PSJA NORTH ECHS RESTROOM RENOVATIONS AND COLLEGE & UNIVERSITY CENTER RESTROOMS & SCIENCE LABS RENOVATIONS

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# PROJECT MANUAL

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- B. Civil Engineer:
  - 1. Melden & Hunt.
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  - 1. LannScape
  - 2. <Insert license #>.
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- E. Plumbing Engineer:
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PROJECT and PROJECT NO:	PSJA North ECHS Restroom Renovations & PSJA College & University Center Restrooms / Science Labs Renovations Competitive Sealed Bid #18-19-042 Pharr–San Juan-Alamo Independent School District Pharr, TX 78589
DUE DATE AND TIME:	Thursday – June 6, 2019 @ 4:00 p.m. C.S.T. Business Office Purchasing Department Room #249 601 East Kelly St. Pharr, Texas 78577
PRE-BID CONFERENCE:	Thursday – May 23, 2019 @ 2:00 p.m. C.S.T. PSJA ISD Administration Building Finance Department Conference Room #205 601 East Kelly St. Pharr, Texas 78577
SITE VISIT:	Thursday – May 23, 2019, following Pre-Bid Conference 704 W. Ridge Road, San Juan, TX 78589 & 500 E. Nolana Loop, Pharr, TX 78577
ARCHITECT:	GIGNAC & ASSOCIATES LLP 3700 N. 10 <sup>th</sup> STREET, SUITE 205 McALLEN, TEXAS (956) 686-0100
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ESTIMATED CONSTRUCTION BUDGET:	\$1,184,000.00

Specification packages will be available at RGV Reprographics [519 S. Broadway St., McAllen, TX 78501 (956) 686-1525] in accordance with the Instructions to bidders upon the deposit of \$300.00 for each set of documents. Deposit of bonafide bidders will be returned in full if complete Contract Documents are returned in good condition within ten (10) days after bid opening. "The shipping and/or postage expense of the delivery of Contract Documents shall be at the bidder's expense."

Bids must be on a lump sum basis including General Contract, Civil Electrical and Mechanical work.

Bid security in the amount of 5% of the largest possible total of bid submitted must accompany each bid in accordance with the Instruction to Bidders. Performance and payment bonds for 100% of the contract value will be required upon issuance of contract.

Contract documents may be examined at the following plan rooms:

A.G.C. Office	McGraw Hill Construction	Reed Construction	<u>Builders Exchange</u>
Harlingen	San Antonio	Norcross, GA	San Antonio
Corpus Christi			
San Antonio			

\* Builders Risk Insurance is required equal to amount of Bid (including Alternates).



SECTION 002113 - INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

PART 1 - Instructions to Bidders

- 1.1 INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS
  - A. AIA Document A701, "Instructions to Bidders," is hereby incorporated into the Procurement and Contracting Requirements by reference.

1. A copy of AIA Document A701, "Instructions to Bidders," is bound in this Project Manual. END OF SECTION 002113



## Instructions to Bidders

for the following Project: (Name, location, and detailed description)

19.04 PSJA NORTH ECHS Restroom Renovations & PSJA College & University Center Restrooms / Science Labs Renovations Pharr TX & San Juan TX Renovations to PSJA North ECHS student restrooms and renovations to PSJA College & University Center restrooms and science labs

#### THE OWNER:

(Name, legal status, address, and other information)

Pharr, San Juan, Alamo I.S.D. 601 E. Kelly Pharr, TX 78577 Telephone Number: 956-354-2000

**THE ARCHITECT:** (*Name, legal status, address, and other information*)

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#### ADDITIONS AND DELETIONS:

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It is intended that AIA Document G612<sup>™</sup>–2017, Owner's Instructions to the Architect, Parts A and B will be completed prior to using this document.

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#### **ARTICLE 1 DEFINITIONS**

**§ 1.1** Bidding Documents include the Bidding Requirements and the Proposed Contract Documents. The Bidding Requirements consist of the advertisement or invitation to bid, Instructions to Bidders, supplementary instructions to bidders, the bid form, and any other bidding forms. The Proposed Contract Documents consist of the unexecuted form of Agreement between the Owner and Contractor and that Agreement's Exhibits, Conditions of the Contract (General, Supplementary and other Conditions), Drawings, Specifications, all Addenda, and all other documents enumerated in Article 8 of these Instructions.

§ 1.2 Definitions set forth in the General Conditions of the Contract for Construction, or in other Proposed Contract Documents apply to the Bidding Documents.

§ 1.3 Addenda are written or graphic instruments issued by the Architect, which, by additions, deletions, clarifications, or corrections, modify or interpret the Bidding Documents.

§ 1.4 A Bid is a complete and properly executed proposal to do the Work for the sums stipulated therein, submitted in accordance with the Bidding Documents.

§ 1.5 The Base Bid is the sum stated in the Bid for which the Bidder offers to perform the Work described in the Bidding Documents, to which Work may be added or deleted by sums stated in Alternate Bids.

**§ 1.6** An Alternate Bid (or Alternate) is an amount stated in the Bid to be added to or deducted from, or that does not change, the Base Bid if the corresponding change in the Work, as described in the Bidding Documents, is accepted.

§ 1.7 A Unit Price is an amount stated in the Bid as a price per unit of measurement for materials, equipment, or services, or a portion of the Work, as described in the Bidding Documents.

**§ 1.8** A Bidder is a person or entity who submits a Bid and who meets the requirements set forth in the Bidding Documents.

§ 1.9 A Sub-bidder is a person or entity who submits a bid to a Bidder for materials, equipment, or labor for a portion of the Work.

#### ARTICLE 2 BIDDER'S REPRESENTATIONS

§ 2.1 By submitting a Bid, the Bidder represents that:

- .1 the Bidder has read and understands the Bidding Documents;
- .2 the Bidder understands how the Bidding Documents relate to other portions of the Project, if any, being bid concurrently or presently under construction;
- .3 the Bid complies with the Bidding Documents;
- .4 the Bidder has visited the site, become familiar with local conditions under which the Work is to be performed, and has correlated the Bidder's observations with the requirements of the Proposed Contract Documents;
- .5 the Bid is based upon the materials, equipment, and systems required by the Bidding Documents without exception; and
- .6 the Bidder has read and understands the provisions for liquidated damages, if any, set forth in the form of Agreement between the Owner and Contractor.

#### **ARTICLE 3 BIDDING DOCUMENTS**

#### § 3.1 Distribution

§ 3.1.1 Bidders shall obtain complete Bidding Documents, as indicated below, from the issuing office designated in the advertisement or invitation to bid, for the deposit sum, if any, stated therein. (Indicate how, such as by email, website, host site/platform, paper copy, or other method Bidders shall obtain Bidding Documents.)

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§ 3.1.2 Any required deposit shall be refunded to Bidders who submit a bona fide Bid and return the paper Bidding Documents in good condition within ten days after receipt of Bids. The cost to replace missing or damaged paper documents will be deducted from the deposit. A Bidder receiving a Contract award may retain the paper Bidding Documents, and the Bidder's deposit will be refunded.

§ 3.1.3 Bidding Documents will not be issued directly to Sub-bidders unless specifically offered in the advertisement or invitation to bid, or in supplementary instructions to bidders.

§ 3.1.4 Bidders shall use complete Bidding Documents in preparing Bids. Neither the Owner nor Architect assumes responsibility for errors or misinterpretations resulting from the use of incomplete Bidding Documents.

§ 3.1.5 The Bidding Documents will be available for the sole purpose of obtaining Bids on the Work. No license or grant of use is conferred by distribution of the Bidding Documents.

#### § 3.2 Modification or Interpretation of Bidding Documents

§ 3.2.1 The Bidder shall carefully study the Bidding Documents, shall examine the site and local conditions, and shall notify the Architect of errors, inconsistencies, or ambiguities discovered and request clarification or interpretation pursuant to Section 3.2.2.

§ 3.2.2 Requests for clarification or interpretation of the Bidding Documents shall be submitted by the Bidder in writing and shall be received by the Architect at least seven days prior to the date for receipt of Bids. (Indicate how, such as by email, website, host site/platform, paper copy, or other method Bidders shall submit requests for clarification and interpretation.)

§ 3.2.3 Modifications and interpretations of the Bidding Documents shall be made by Addendum. Modifications and interpretations of the Bidding Documents made in any other manner shall not be binding, and Bidders shall not rely upon them.

#### § 3.3 Substitutions

§ 3.3.1 The materials, products, and equipment described in the Bidding Documents establish a standard of required function, dimension, appearance, and quality to be met by any proposed substitution.

#### § 3.3.2 Substitution Process

§ 3.3.2.1 Written requests for substitutions shall be received by the Architect at least ten days prior to the date for receipt of Bids. Requests shall be submitted in the same manner as that established for submitting clarifications and interpretations in Section 3.2.2.

§ 3.3.2.2 Bidders shall submit substitution requests on a Substitution Request Form if one is provided in the Bidding Documents.

§ 3.3.2.3 If a Substitution Request Form is not provided, requests shall include (1) the name of the material or equipment specified in the Bidding Documents; (2) the reason for the requested substitution; (3) a complete description of the proposed substitution including the name of the material or equipment proposed as the substitute, performance and test data, and relevant drawings; and (4) any other information necessary for an evaluation. The request shall include a statement setting forth changes in other materials, equipment, or other portions of the Work, including changes in the work of other contracts or the impact on any Project Certifications (such as LEED), that will result from incorporation of the proposed substitution.

§ 3.3.3 The burden of proof of the merit of the proposed substitution is upon the proposer. The Architect's decision of approval or disapproval of a proposed substitution shall be final.

**§ 3.3.4** If the Architect approves a proposed substitution prior to receipt of Bids, such approval shall be set forth in an Addendum. Approvals made in any other manner shall not be binding, and Bidders shall not rely upon them.

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§ 3.3.5 No substitutions will be considered after the Contract award unless specifically provided for in the Contract Documents.

#### § 3.4 Addenda

§ 3.4.1 Addenda will be transmitted to Bidders known by the issuing office to have received complete Bidding Documents.

(Indicate how, such as by email, website, host site/platform, paper copy, or other method Addenda will be transmitted.)

Addenda may be downloaded from the District's website or received from reprographics documents distributor after bidding packages have been picked up and are on the plan holder's list.

§ 3.4.2 Addenda will be available where Bidding Documents are on file.

§ 3.4.3 Addenda will be issued no later than four days prior to the date for receipt of Bids, except an Addendum withdrawing the request for Bids or one which includes postponement of the date for receipt of Bids.

§ 3.4.4 Prior to submitting a Bid, each Bidder shall ascertain that the Bidder has received all Addenda issued, and the Bidder shall acknowledge their receipt in the Bid.

#### ARTICLE 4 BIDDING PROCEDURES

#### § 4.1 Preparation of Bids

§ 4.1.1 Bids shall be submitted on the forms included with or identified in the Bidding Documents.

**§ 4.1.2** All blanks on the bid form shall be legibly executed. Paper bid forms shall be executed in a non-erasable medium.

§ 4.1.3 Sums shall be expressed in both words and numbers, unless noted otherwise on the bid form. In case of discrepancy, the amount entered in words shall govern.

§ 4.1.4 Edits to entries made on paper bid forms must be initialed by the signer of the Bid.

§ 4.1.5 All requested Alternates shall be bid. If no change in the Base Bid is required, enter "No Change" or as required by the bid form.

§ 4.1.6 Where two or more Bids for designated portions of the Work have been requested, the Bidder may, without forfeiture of the bid security, state the Bidder's refusal to accept award of less than the combination of Bids stipulated by the Bidder. The Bidder shall neither make additional stipulations on the bid form nor qualify the Bid in any other manner.

**§ 4.1.7** Each copy of the Bid shall state the legal name and legal status of the Bidder. As part of the documentation submitted with the Bid, the Bidder shall provide evidence of its legal authority to perform the Work in the jurisdiction where the Project is located. Each copy of the Bid shall be signed by the person or persons legally authorized to bind the Bidder to a contract. A Bid by a corporation shall further name the state of incorporation and have the corporate seal affixed. A Bid submitted by an agent shall have a current power of attorney attached, certifying the agent's authority to bind the Bidder.

§ 4.1.8 A Bidder shall incur all costs associated with the preparation of its Bid.

#### § 4.2 Bid Security

**§ 4.2.1** Each Bid shall be accompanied by the following bid security: *(Insert the form and amount of bid security.)* 

5% of the largest possible total of bid submitted

§ 4.2.2 The Bidder pledges to enter into a Contract with the Owner on the terms stated in the Bid and shall, if required, furnish bonds covering the faithful performance of the Contract and payment of all obligations arising

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thereunder. Should the Bidder refuse to enter into such Contract or fail to furnish such bonds if required, the amount of the bid security shall be forfeited to the Owner as liquidated damages, not as a penalty. In the event the Owner fails to comply with Section 6.2, the amount of the bid security shall not be forfeited to the Owner.

§ 4.2.3 If a surety bond is required as bid security, it shall be written on AIA Document A310<sup>TM</sup>, Bid Bond, unless otherwise provided in the Bidding Documents. The attorney-in-fact who executes the bond on behalf of the surety shall affix to the bond a certified and current copy of an acceptable power of attorney. The Bidder shall provide surety bonds from a company or companies lawfully authorized to issue surety bonds in the jurisdiction where the Project is located.

§ 4.2.4 The Owner will have the right to retain the bid security of Bidders to whom an award is being considered until (a) the Contract has been executed and bonds, if required, have been furnished; (b) the specified time has elapsed so that Bids may be withdrawn; or (c) all Bids have been rejected. However, if no Contract has been awarded or a Bidder has not been notified of the acceptance of its Bid, a Bidder may, beginning days after the opening of Bids, withdraw its Bid and request the return of its bid security.

#### § 4.3 Submission of Bids

§ 4.3.1 A Bidder shall submit its Bid as indicated below: (Indicate how, such as by website, host site/platform, paper copy, or other method Bidders shall submit their Bid.)

Refer to Owner's instructions in Project Manual

**§ 4.3.2** Paper copies of the Bid, the bid security, and any other documents required to be submitted with the Bid shall be enclosed in a sealed opaque envelope. The envelope shall be addressed to the party receiving the Bids and shall be identified with the Project name, the Bidder's name and address, and, if applicable, the designated portion of the Work for which the Bid is submitted. If the Bid is sent by mail, the sealed envelope shall be enclosed in a separate mailing envelope with the notation "SEALED BID ENCLOSED" on the face thereof.

§ 4.3.3 Bids shall be submitted by the date and time and at the place indicated in the invitation to bid. Bids submitted after the date and time for receipt of Bids, or at an incorrect place, will not be accepted.

§ 4.3.4 The Bidder shall assume full responsibility for timely delivery at the location designated for receipt of Bids.

§ 4.3.5 A Bid submitted by any method other than as provided in this Section 4.3 will not be accepted.

#### § 4.4 Modification or Withdrawal of Bid

**§ 4.4.1** Prior to the date and time designated for receipt of Bids, a Bidder may submit a new Bid to replace a Bid previously submitted, or withdraw its Bid entirely, by notice to the party designated to receive the Bids. Such notice shall be received and duly recorded by the receiving party on or before the date and time set for receipt of Bids. The receiving party shall verify that replaced or withdrawn Bids are removed from the other submitted Bids and not considered. Notice of submission of a replacement Bid or withdrawal of a Bid shall be worded so as not to reveal the amount of the original Bid.

§ 4.4.2 Withdrawn Bids may be resubmitted up to the date and time designated for the receipt of Bids in the same format as that established in Section 4.3, provided they fully conform with these Instructions to Bidders. Bid security shall be in an amount sufficient for the Bid as resubmitted.

**§ 4.4.3** After the date and time designated for receipt of Bids, a Bidder who discovers that it made a clerical error in its Bid shall notify the Architect of such error within two days, or pursuant to a timeframe specified by the law of the jurisdiction where the Project is located, requesting withdrawal of its Bid. Upon providing evidence of such error to the reasonable satisfaction of the Architect, the Bid shall be withdrawn and not resubmitted. If a Bid is withdrawn pursuant to this Section 4.4.3, the bid security will be attended to as follows: *(State the terms and conditions, such as Bid rank, for returning or retaining the bid security.)* 

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#### ARTICLE 5 CONSIDERATION OF BIDS

#### § 5.1 Opening of Bids

If stipulated in an advertisement or invitation to bid, or when otherwise required by law, Bids properly identified and received within the specified time limits will be publicly opened and read aloud. A summary of the Bids may be made available to Bidders.

#### § 5.2 Rejection of Bids

Unless otherwise prohibited by law, the Owner shall have the right to reject any or all Bids.

#### § 5.3 Acceptance of Bid (Award)

§ 5.3.1 It is the intent of the Owner to award a Contract to the lowest responsive and responsible Bidder, provided the Bid has been submitted in accordance with the requirements of the Bidding Documents. Unless otherwise prohibited by law, the Owner shall have the right to waive informalities and irregularities in a Bid received and to accept the Bid which, in the Owner's judgment, is in the Owner's best interests.

§ 5.3.2 Unless otherwise prohibited by law, the Owner shall have the right to accept Alternates in any order or combination, unless otherwise specifically provided in the Bidding Documents, and to determine the lowest responsive and responsible Bidder on the basis of the sum of the Base Bid and Alternates accepted.

#### ARTICLE 6 POST-BID INFORMATION

#### § 6.1 Contractor's Qualification Statement

Bidders to whom award of a Contract is under consideration shall submit to the Architect, upon request and within the timeframe specified by the Architect, a properly executed AIA Document A305<sup>TM</sup>, Contractor's Qualification Statement, unless such a Statement has been previously required and submitted for this Bid.

#### § 6.2 Owner's Financial Capability

A Bidder to whom award of a Contract is under consideration may request in writing, fourteen days prior to the expiration of the time for withdrawal of Bids, that the Owner furnish to the Bidder reasonable evidence that financial arrangements have been made to fulfill the Owner's obligations under the Contract. The Owner shall then furnish such reasonable evidence to the Bidder no later than seven days prior to the expiration of the time for withdrawal of Bids. Unless such reasonable evidence is furnished within the allotted time, the Bidder will not be required to execute the Agreement between the Owner and Contractor.

#### § 6.3 Submittals

**§ 6.3.1** After notification of selection for the award of the Contract, the Bidder shall, as soon as practicable or as stipulated in the Bidding Documents, submit in writing to the Owner through the Architect:

- .1 a designation of the Work to be performed with the Bidder's own forces;
- .2 names of the principal products and systems proposed for the Work and the manufacturers and suppliers of each; and
- .3 names of persons or entities (including those who are to furnish materials or equipment fabricated to a special design) proposed for the principal portions of the Work.

§ 6.3.2 The Bidder will be required to establish to the satisfaction of the Architect and Owner the reliability and responsibility of the persons or entities proposed to furnish and perform the Work described in the Bidding Documents.

§ 6.3.3 Prior to the execution of the Contract, the Architect will notify the Bidder if either the Owner or Architect, after due investigation, has reasonable objection to a person or entity proposed by the Bidder. If the Owner or Architect has reasonable objection to a proposed person or entity, the Bidder may, at the Bidder's option, withdraw the Bid or submit an acceptable substitute person or entity. The Bidder may also submit any required adjustment in the Base Bid or Alternate Bid to account for the difference in cost occasioned by such substitution. The Owner may accept the adjusted bid price or disqualify the Bidder. In the event of either withdrawal or disqualification, bid security will not be forfeited.

**§ 6.3.4** Persons and entities proposed by the Bidder and to whom the Owner and Architect have made no reasonable objection must be used on the Work for which they were proposed and shall not be changed except with the written consent of the Owner and Architect.

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#### ARTICLE 7 PERFORMANCE BOND AND PAYMENT BOND

#### § 7.1 Bond Requirements

§ 7.1.1 If stipulated in the Bidding Documents, the Bidder shall furnish bonds covering the faithful performance of the Contract and payment of all obligations arising thereunder.

§ 7.1.2 If the furnishing of such bonds is stipulated in the Bidding Documents, the cost shall be included in the Bid. If the furnishing of such bonds is required after receipt of bids and before execution of the Contract, the cost of such bonds shall be added to the Bid in determining the Contract Sum.

§ 7.1.3 The Bidder shall provide surety bonds from a company or companies lawfully authorized to issue surety bonds in the jurisdiction where the Project is located.

§ 7.1.4 Unless otherwise indicated below, the Penal Sum of the Payment and Performance Bonds shall be the amount of the Contract Sum.

(If Payment or Performance Bonds are to be in an amount other than 100% of the Contract Sum, indicate the dollar amount or percentage of the Contract Sum.)

#### § 7.2 Time of Delivery and Form of Bonds

§ 7.2.1 The Bidder shall deliver the required bonds to the Owner not later than three days following the date of execution of the Contract. If the Work is to commence sooner in response to a letter of intent, the Bidder shall, prior to commencement of the Work, submit evidence satisfactory to the Owner that such bonds will be furnished and delivered in accordance with this Section 7.2.1.

§ 7.2.2 Unless otherwise provided, the bonds shall be written on AIA Document A312, Performance Bond and Payment Bond.

§ 7.2.3 The bonds shall be dated on or after the date of the Contract.

§ 7.2.4 The Bidder shall require the attorney-in-fact who executes the required bonds on behalf of the surety to affix to the bond a certified and current copy of the power of attorney.

#### ARTICLE 8 ENUMERATION OF THE PROPOSED CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

**§ 8.1** Copies of the proposed Contract Documents have been made available to the Bidder and consist of the following documents:

.1 AIA Document A101<sup>™</sup>–2017, Standard Form of Agreement Between Owner and Contractor, unless otherwise stated below.

(Insert the complete AIA Document number, including year, and Document title.)

- .2 AIA Document A101<sup>™</sup>–2017, Exhibit A, Insurance and Bonds, unless otherwise stated below. (*Insert the complete AIA Document number, including year, and Document title.*)
- .3 AIA Document A201<sup>TM</sup>–2017, General Conditions of the Contract for Construction, unless otherwise stated below. (*Insert the complete AIA Document number, including year, and Document title.*)
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.9 Other documents listed below:

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#### SECTION 002513 - PREBID MEETINGS

PART 1 - Prebid Meetings

- 1.1 PREBID MEETING
  - A. Architect / Owner will conduct a Prebid meeting as indicated below:
    - 1. Meeting Date: May 23, 2019
    - 2. Meeting Time: 2:00 p.m. local time.
    - 3. Location: PSJA Administration Bldg. Finance Department Room #205 601 E. Kelly Pharr. TX 78577
  - B. Attendance:

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- 1. Prime Bidders: Attendance at Prebid meeting is strongly encouraged.
- 2. Subcontractors: Attendance at Prebid meeting is recommended.
- C. Bidder Questions: Submit written questions to be addressed at Prebid meeting minimum of two business days prior to meeting.
- D. Agenda: Prebid meeting agenda will include review of topics that may affect proper preparation and submittal of bids, including the following:
  - 1. Procurement and Contracting Requirements:
    - a. Advertisement for Bids.
    - b. Instructions to Bidders.
    - c. Bidder Qualifications.
    - d. Bonding.
    - e. Insurance.
    - f. Bid Security.
    - g. Bid Form and Attachments.
    - h. Bid Submittal Requirements.
    - i. Bid Submittal Checklist.
    - j. Notice of Award.
    - Communication during Bidding Period:
      - a. Obtaining documents.
      - b. Access to Project Web site.
      - c. Bidder's Requests for Information.
      - d. Bidder's Substitution Request/Prior Approval Request.
      - e. Addenda.
  - 3. Contracting Requirements:
    - a. Agreement.
    - b. The General Conditions.
    - c. The Supplementary Conditions.
    - d. Other Owner requirements.
  - 4. Construction Documents:
    - a. Scopes of Work.
    - b. Temporary Facilities.
    - c. Use of Site.
    - d. Work Restrictions.
    - e. Alternates, Allowances, and Unit Prices.
    - f. Substitutions following award.
    - Separate Contracts:
      - a. Work by Owner.
      - b. Work of Other Contracts.
  - 6. Schedule:
    - a. Project Schedule.
    - b. Contract Time.
    - c. Liquidated Damages.
    - d. Other Bidder Questions.

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- 7. Site/facility visit or walkthrough.
- 8. Post-Meeting Addendum.
- E. Minutes: Entity responsible for conducting meeting will record and distribute meeting minutes to attendees and others known by the issuing office to have received a complete set of Procurement and Contracting Documents. Minutes of meeting are issued as Available Information and do not constitute a modification to the Procurement and Contracting Documents. Modifications to the Procurement and Contracting Documents are issued by written Addendum only.
  - 1. Sign-in Sheet: Minutes will include list of meeting attendees.
- 1.2 CONTRACTOR SITE VISIT
  - Architect / Owner will conduct a Prebid Site visit as indicated below:
    - 1. Meeting Date: May 23, 2019
    - 2. Meeting Time: 3:00 p.m. local time. (following pre-bid conference)
    - 3. Location: PSJA College & University Center

704 W. Ridge Road San Juan, TX 78589 & (following first site visit) PSJA North ECHS 500 E. Nolana Loop Pharr, TX 78577

- B. Attendance:
  - 1. Prime Bidders: Attendance at Prebid Site meeting is strongly encouraged.
  - 2. Subcontractors: Attendance at Prebid Site meeting is recommended.



SECTION 002600 - PROCUREMENT SUBSTITUTION PROCEDURES

PART 1 - Procurement Substitution Procedures

- 1.1 DEFINITIONS
  - A. Procurement Substitution Requests: Requests for changes in products, materials, equipment, and methods of construction from those indicated in the Procurement and Contracting Documents, submitted prior to receipt of bids.
  - B. Substitution Requests: Requests for changes in products, materials, equipment, and methods of construction from those indicated in the Contract Documents, submitted following Contract award. See Section 012500 "Substitution Procedures" for conditions under which Substitution requests will be considered following Contract award.
- 1.2 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Compatibility of Substitutions: Investigate and document compatibility of proposed substitution with related products and materials. Engage a qualified testing agency to perform compatibility tests recommended by manufacturers.

#### 1.3 PROCUREMENT SUBSTITUTIONS

- A. Procurement Substitutions, General: By submitting a bid, the Bidder represents that its bid is based on materials and equipment described in the Procurement and Contracting Documents, including Addenda. Bidders are encouraged to request approval of qualifying substitute materials and equipment when the Specifications Sections list materials and equipment by product or manufacturer name.
- B. Procurement Substitution Requests will be received and considered by Owner when the following conditions are satisfied, as determined by Architect; otherwise requests will be rejected without action:
  - 1. Extensive revisions to the Contract Documents are not required.
  - 2. Proposed changes are in keeping with the general intent of the Contract Documents, including the level of quality of the Work represented by the requirements therein.
  - 3. The request is fully documented and properly submitted.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Procurement Substitution Request: Submit to Architect. Procurement Substitution Request must be made in writing by prime contract Bidder and / or Manufacturer in compliance with the following requirements:
  - 1. Requests for substitution of materials and equipment will be considered if received no later than 10 days prior to date of bid opening.
  - 2. Requests beyond this time will be rejected without action.
  - 3. Submittal Format: Submit one digital copy of each written Procurement Substitution Request, using CSI Substitution Request Form 1.5C.
    - a. Identify the product or the fabrication or installation method to be replaced in each request. Include related Specifications Sections and drawing numbers.
    - b. Provide complete documentation on both the product specified and the proposed substitute, including the following information as appropriate:
      - 1) Point-by-point comparison of specified and proposed substitute product data, fabrication drawings, and installation procedures.
      - 2) Copies of current, independent third-party test data of salient product or system characteristics.
      - 3) Samples where applicable or when requested by Architect.
      - 4) Detailed comparison of significant qualities of the proposed substitute with those of the Work specified. Significant qualities may include attributes such as performance, weight, size, durability, visual effect, sustainable design characteristics, warranties, and specific features and requirements indicated. Indicate deviations, if any, from the Work specified.
      - 5) Material test reports from a qualified testing agency indicating and interpreting test results for compliance with requirements indicated.



- 6) Research reports, where applicable, evidencing compliance with building code in effect for Project, from current building code in effect by municipality.
- 7) Coordination information, including a list of changes or modifications needed to other parts of the Work and to construction performed by Owner and separate contractors, which will become necessary to accommodate the proposed substitute.
- c. Provide certification by manufacturer that the substitute proposed is equal to or superior to that required by the Procurement and Contracting Documents, and that its in-place performance will be equal to or superior to the product or equipment specified in the application indicated.
- d. Bidder, in submitting the Procurement Substitution Request, waives the right to additional payment or an extension of Contract Time because of the failure of the substitute to perform as represented in the Procurement Substitution Request.
- B. Architect's Action:
  - 1. Architect may request additional information or documentation necessary for evaluation of the Procurement Substitution Request. Architect will notify all bidders of acceptance of the proposed substitute by means of an Addendum to the Procurement and Contracting Documents.
  - 2. Use product specified if Architect does not issue a decision on use of a proposed substitution within time allocated.
- C. Architect's approval of a substitute during bidding does not relieve Contractor of the responsibility to submit required shop drawings and to comply with all other requirements of the Contract Documents.



#### SECTION 003143 - PERMIT APPLICATION

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 PERMIT APPLICATION INFORMATION
  - A. This Document with its referenced attachments is part of the Procurement and Contracting Requirements for Project. They provide Owner's information for Bidders' convenience and are intended to supplement rather than serve in lieu of the Bidders' own investigations. This Document and its attachments are not part of the Contract Documents.
  - B. Permit Application: Complete building permit application and file with authorities having jurisdiction within five days of the Notice to Proceed.



SECTION 004113 - BID FORM - STIPULATED SUM

PART 1 - Bid Form - Stipulated Sum

- 1.1 BID INFORMATION
  - A. Bidder: \_
  - B. Project Name: PSJA North ECHS Restroom Renovations & PSJA College & University Center Restrooms / Science Labs Renovations
  - C. Project Location: 500 E. Nolana Loop, Phar, TX 78577 & 704 W. Ridge Road, San Juan, TX 78589
  - D. Owner: Pharr, San Juan, Alamo ISD
  - E. Owner Project Number: #18-19-042
  - F. Architect: Gignac & Associates
  - G. Architect Project Number: 19.04
- 1.2 CERTIFICATIONS AND **BASE BID** 
  - A. Base Bid, Single-Prime (All Trades) Contract: The undersigned Bidder, having carefully examined the Procurement and Contracting Requirements, Conditions of the Contract, Drawings, Specifications, and all subsequent Addenda, as prepared by Gignac & Associates and Architect's consultants, having visited the site, and being familiar with all conditions and requirements of the Work, hereby agrees to furnish all material, labor, equipment and services, including all scheduled allowances, necessary to complete the construction of the above-named project, according to the requirements of the Procurement and Contracting Documents, for the stipulated sum of:
    - 1. \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars
    - 2. The above amount may be modified by amounts indicated by the Bidder on the attached Document 004322 "Unit Prices Form" and Document 004323 "Alternates Form."

#### 1.3 BID GUARANTEE

- A. The undersigned Bidder agrees to execute a contract for this Work in the above amount and to furnish surety as specified within 10 days after a written Notice of Award, if offered within 30 days after receipt of bids, and on failure to do so agrees to forfeit to Owner the attached cash, cashier's check, certified check, U.S. money order, or bid bond, as liquidated damages for such failure, in the following amount constituting five percent (5%) of the Base Bid amount above:
  - 1. \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars
- B. In the event Owner does not offer Notice of Award within the time limits stated above, Owner will return to the undersigned the cash, cashier's check, certified check, U.S. money order, or bid bond.

#### 1.4 SUBCONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS

- A. Provide a list of sub-contractors to the Owner by 10 a.m. on Friday, June 7, 2019. The following companies shall execute subcontracts for the portions of the Work indicated:
  - 1. Concrete Work: \_\_\_\_\_
  - 2. Masonry Work: \_\_\_\_\_\_
  - 3. Roofing Work: \_\_\_\_\_



- 4. Plumbing Work: \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. HVAC Work: \_\_\_\_\_
- 6. Electrical Work: \_\_\_\_\_
- 7. Site Work: \_\_\_\_\_

#### 1.5 TIME OF COMPLETION

- A. The Undersigned Bidder proposes and agrees thereby to commence the Work of the Contract Documents on a date specified in a written Notice to Proceed to be issued by Architect, and shall fully complete the Work within \_\_\_\_\_ calendar days, including anticipated delays due to inclement weather or muddy ground conditions.
- B. The Undersigned Bidder is to work \_\_\_\_\_ working days per week.
- C. The Undersigned agrees to commence work within ten (10) days of Notice to Proceed or upon permit issuance; whichever is earliest.

#### 1.6 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ADDENDA

- A. The undersigned Bidder acknowledges receipt of and use of the following Addenda in the preparation of this Bid:
  - 1. Addendum No. 1, dated \_\_\_\_\_\_.
  - 2. Addendum No. 2, dated \_\_\_\_\_ .
  - 3. Addendum No. 3, dated \_\_\_\_\_.
  - 4. Addendum No. 4, dated \_\_\_\_\_\_.
  - 5. Addendum No. 5, dated \_\_\_\_\_\_.

#### 1.7 BID SUPPLEMENTS

- A. The following supplements are a part of this Bid Form and are attached hereto.
  - 1. Bid Form Supplement Alternates.
  - 2. Bid Form Supplement Unit Prices.
  - 3. Bid Form Supplement Allowances.
  - 4. Bid Form Supplement Bid Bond Form (AIA Document A310).
  - 5. Bid Form Supplement Contractor's Qualifications Statement Form (AIA Document A305).

#### 1.8 CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE

A. The undersigned further states that it is a duly licensed contractor, for the type of work proposed, in the City of San Juan, County of Hidalgo TX, and that all fees, permits, etc., pursuant to submitting this proposal have been paid in full.



1.9	SUBMISSION OF BID								
Α.	Respectfully submitted this day	/ of		_, 2019.					
В.	Submitted By: corporation).				_(Name	of	bidding	firm	or
C.	Authorized Signature:	Signature: (Handwritten signature).							
D.	Signed By: (Type or print name).								
E.	Title:		(Owner/Par	tner/Pre	sident/Vic	e Pr	esident).		
F.	Street Address:							·	
G.	City: Sta	te:	Zi	p:	<u> </u> .				
Н.	Phone:								
I.	License No.:							·	
J.	Federal ID No.:			(A	ffix Corpo	rate	Seal Here	e).	



SECTION 004313 - BID SECURITY FORMS

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 BID FORM SUPPLEMENT
  - A. A completed bid bond form is required to be attached to the Bid Form.
- 1.2 BID BOND FORM
  - A. AIA Document A310, "Bid Bond," is the recommended form for a bid bond. A bid bond acceptable to Owner, or other bid security as described in the Instructions to Bidders, is required to be attached to the Bid Form as a supplement.
  - B. Copies of AIA standard forms may be obtained from The American Institute of Architects; www.aia.org/contractdocs/purchase/index.htm; email: docspurchases@aia.org; (800) 942-7732.



#### SECTION 004321 - ALLOWANCE FORM

PART 1 - Allowance Form

- 1.1 BID INFORMATION
  - A. Bidder:
  - B. Project Name: PSJA North ECHS Restroom Renovations & PSJA College & University Center Restrooms / Science Labs Renovations
    - a. Project Location: 500 E. Nolana Loop, Pharr, TX 78577 & 704 W. Ridge Road, San Juan, TX 78589
  - C. Owner: Pharr, San Juan, Alamo ISD
  - D. Owner Project Number: #18-19-042
  - E. Architect: Gignac & Associates
  - F. Architect Project Number: 19.04
- 1.2 BID FORM SUPPLEMENT
  - A. This form is required to be attached to the Bid Form.
  - B. The undersigned Bidder certifies that Base Bid submission to which this Bid Supplement is attached includes those allowances described in the Contract Documents and scheduled in Section 012100 "Allowances."

#### 1.3 SUBMISSION OF BID SUPPLEMENT

- A. Respectfully submitted this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2019.
- B. Submitted By:\_\_\_\_\_(Insert name of bidding firm or corporation).
- C. Authorized Signature:\_\_\_\_\_(Handwritten signature).
- D. Signed By:\_\_\_\_\_ (Type or print name).
- E. Title:\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Owner/Partner/President/Vice President).



SECTION 00 50 00 - AGREEMENT FORM

#### AGREEMENT

The Agreement shall be executed on AIA Document Number A101–2007, Standard Form of Agreement Between Owner and Contractor. A sample of this form is attached herein.

END OF SECTION 00 50 00



#### SECTION 00 60 00 - BONDS AND CERTIFICATES

The Contractor shall furnish the following Bonds and Certificates to be delivered simultaneously with the executed contract:

- A. Performance Bond
- B. Labor and Materials Payment Bond
- C. Certificates of Insurance provide on AIA Documents G- or approved format.

The Performance, Labor and Materials bond shall be provided on Bonds which comply with Article 5160 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas as amended by Acts of the 64th Legislature 1975 and Acts of the 65th Legislature, 1977.

The Surety on such bonds shall be a surety company satisfactory to the Owner. See Article 11 of the supplementary condition.

Costs of the above stated bonds and insurance are to be included in the bid.

Attorneys-in-Fact who sign bonds must file with each bond a certified and effective dated copy of their Power of Attorney.

The Performance Bond shall guarantee the repair and maintenance of all defects due to faulty materials and workmanship that appear within one (1) year from date of substantial completion.

END OF SECTION 00 60 00



SECTION 00 70 00 - GENERAL CONDITIONS

The General Conditions of the Contract are set forth in the American Institute of Architects Document A201, 2007 entitled "General Conditions of the Contract for Construction", Fifteenth Edition, containing Articles 1 through 15 as edited and contained herein shall hereby be made part of the Contract Documents.

The General Conditions shall become a part of this Contract and shall apply to the Contractor and all Subcontractors.

END OF SECTION 00 70 00



#### SECTION 00 82 00 - WAGE RATES

- PART 1. GENERAL
- 1.1 Requirements:
  - A. Pay not less than the minimum wage scale and benefits accepted within Davis-Bacon Act for Hidalgo County.
  - B. No claims for additional compensation will be considered by the Owner because of payments of wage rates in excess of the applicable rate contained in this contract.
  - C. All contractors and subcontractors shall be equal opportunity employers.
- 1.2 Workmanship Standards:

Comply with the recognized workmanship quality standards within the industry as applicable to each unit of work, including ANSI standards where applicable. Project workmen should be paid in accordance with accepted pay scales for similar experience level and work in the area. It is a requirement that each category of tradesman or installer performing the work be pre-qualified, to the extent of being familiar with the applicable and recognized quality standards for his category of work, and being capable of workmanship complying with those standards.

- 1.3 Payroll:
  - A. In compliance with Article 515a, Sections 2 and 3, and Article 5159d, Section II of the Revised Civil Statute referenced above, the Owner reserves the following rights:
    - 1. To receive weekly payroll records.
    - 2. To have the Contractor provide required earning statements to employees.
- 1.4 Minimum Wage Rates:
  - A. Pay prevailing basic wage listed for Hidalgo County, Texas plus any applicable fringe benefits.
  - B. In no case shall wages be less than the federally determined prevailing (Davis-Bacon and Related Acts) wage rate, as issued by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs and contained in the contract documents, must be paid on this project. In addition, the successful bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of race, sex, age or national origin.

#### PREVAILING WAGE SCALE NOTICE

- 1. This determination of prevailing wages shall not be construed to prohibit the payment of more than the rates named. Under no conditions shall any laborer, workman or mechanic employed on this job be paid less than the minimum wage scale.
- 2. In execution of this contract, the contractor must comply with all applicable state and federal laws, including but not limited to laws concerned with labor, equal employment opportunity, safety, and minimum wage.

#### END SECTION 00 82 00

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Superseded General Decision Number: TX20180305

State: Texas

Construction Type: Building

County: Hidalgo County in Texas.

BUILDING CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS (does not include single family homes or apartments up to and including 4 stories).

Note: Under Executive Order (EO) 13658, an hourly minimum wage of \$10.60 for calendar year 2019 applies to all contracts subject to the Davis-Bacon Act for which the contract is awarded (and any solicitation was issued) on or after January 1, 2015. If this contract is covered by the EO, the contractor must pay all workers in any classification listed on this wage determination at least \$10.60 per hour (or the applicable wage rate listed on this wage determination, if it is higher) for all hours spent performing on the contract in calendar year 2019. If this contract is covered by the EO and a classification considered necessary for performance of work on the contract does not appear on this wage determination, the contractor must pay workers in that classification at least the wage rate determined through the conformance process set forth in 29 CFR 5.5(a)(1)(ii) (or the EO minimum wage rate, if it is higher than the conformed wage rate). The EO minimum wage rate will be adjusted annually. Please note that this EO applies to the above-mentioned types of contracts entered into by the federal government that are subject to the Davis-Bacon Act itself, but it does not apply to contracts subject only to the Davis-Bacon Related Acts, including those set forth at 29 CFR 5.1(a)(2)-(60). Additional information on contractor requirements and worker protections under the EO is available at www.dol.gov/whd/govcontracts.

Modification	Number	Publication	Date	
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BOI L0074-003 01/01/2017

	Rates	Fringes
BOI LERMAKER	\$ 28.00	22.35
ENGI 0178-005 06/01/2014		
	Rates	Fringes
POWER EQUIPMENT OPERATOR (1) Tower Crane (2) Cranes with Pile Driving or Caisson Attachment and Hydraulic	\$ 29.00	10.60
Crane 60 tons and above (3) Hydraulic cranes 59	\$ 28.75	10.60
Tons and under	\$ 27. 50	10. 60
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	Rates	Fringes
IRONWORKER, ORNAMENTAL		7.12
PLUM0412-004 04/01/2013		
	Rates	Fringes
PLUMBER		12.43
SUTX2014-031 07/21/2014		
	Rates	Fringes
BRI CKLAYER	\$ 16.17	0.00
CARPENTER	\$ 14.21	2.22
CEMENT MASON/CONCRETE FINISHER	\$ 12.46	0.00
ELECTRI CI AN	\$ 18.44	4.53
INSULATOR - MECHANICAL		
(Duct, Pipe & Mechanical System Insulation)	\$ 11.54	2.17
I RONWORKER, REI NFORCI NG	\$ 12.01	0.00
I RONWORKER, STRUCTURAL	\$ 15.04	4.34
LABORER: Common or General	\$ 8.00	0.00
LABORER: Mason Tender - Brick	\$ 10.00	0.00
LABORER: Mason Tender - Cement/Concrete	\$ 10.89	0. 96
LABORER: Pipel ayer	\$ 11.00	3. 47
LABORER: Roof Tearoff	\$ 10.06	0.00
OPERATOR: Backhoe/Excavator/Trackhoe	\$ 14.04	1.01
OPERATOR: Bobcat/Skid	¢ 12 02	0.00
Steer/Skid Loader		0.00
OPERATOR: Bulldozer		1.31
OPERATOR: Drill		0.34
OPERATOR: Forklift		0.00
OPERATOR: Grader/BI ade		0.00
OPERATOR: Loader		0.70
OPERATOR: Mechani c	\$ 17.00	0.00
OPERATOR: Paver (Asphalt, Aggregate, and Concrete)	\$ 16.03 Page 2	0.00

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OPERATOR: Roller\$ 12.70	0.00
PAINTER (Brush, Roller, and Spray)\$ 11.27	0.00
PI PEFI TTER\$ 15.22	3. 16
ROOFER\$ 11.42	0.00
SHEET METAL WORKER (HVAC Duct Installation Only)\$ 18.40	2. 12
SHEET METAL WORKER, Excludes HVAC Duct Installation\$ 21.13	6.53
TILE FINISHER\$ 11.22	0.00
TILE SETTER\$ 12.15	0.00
TRUCK DRIVER: Dump Truck\$ 12.39	1. 18
TRUCK DRIVER: Flatbed Truck\$ 19.65	8.57
TRUCK DRIVER: Semi-Trailer Truck\$ 12.50	0.00
TRUCK DRIVER: Water Truck\$ 12.00	4. 11

WELDERS - Receive rate prescribed for craft performing operation to which welding is incidental.

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Note: Executive Order (E0) 13706, Establishing Paid Sick Leave for Federal Contractors applies to all contracts subject to the Davis-Bacon Act for which the contract is awarded (and any solicitation was issued) on or after January 1, 2017. If this contract is covered by the E0, the contractor must provide employees with 1 hour of paid sick leave for every 30 hours they work, up to 56 hours of paid sick leave each year. Employees must be permitted to use paid sick leave for their own illness, injury or other health-related needs, including preventive care; to assist a family member (or person who is like family to the employee) who is ill, injured, or has other health-related needs, including preventive care; or for reasons resulting from, or to assist a family member (or person who is like family to the employee) who is a victim of, domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking. Additional information on contractor requirements and worker protections under the E0 is available at www.dol.gov/whd/govcontracts.

Unlisted classifications needed for work not included within the scope of the classifications listed may be added after award only as provided in the labor standards contract clauses (29CFR 5.5 (a) (1) (ii)).

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The body of each wage determination lists the classification Page 3 Davis-Bacon General Decision Number TX190255 - 01-04-19 and wage rates that have been found to be prevailing for the cited type(s) of construction in the area covered by the wage determination. The classifications are listed in alphabetical order of "identifiers" that indicate whether the particular rate is a union rate (current union negotiated rate for local), a survey rate (weighted average rate) or a union average rate (weighted union average rate).

#### Union Rate Identifiers

A four letter classification abbreviation identifier enclosed in dotted lines beginning with characters other than "SU" or "UAVG" denotes that the union classification and rate were prevailing for that classification in the survey. Example: PLUM0198-005 07/01/2014. PLUM is an abbreviation identifier of the union which prevailed in the survey for this classification, which in this example would be Plumbers. 0198 indicates the local union number or district council number where applicable, i.e., Plumbers Local 0198. The next number, 005 in the example, is an internal number used in processing the wage determination. 07/01/2014 is the effective date of the most current negotiated rate, which in this example is July 1, 2014.

Union prevailing wage rates are updated to reflect all rate changes in the collective bargaining agreement (CBA) governing this classification and rate.

#### Survey Rate Identifiers

Classifications listed under the "SU" identifier indicate that no one rate prevailed for this classification in the survey and the published rate is derived by computing a weighted average rate based on all the rates reported in the survey for that classification. As this weighted average rate includes all rates reported in the survey, it may include both union and non-union rates. Example: SULA2012-007 5/13/2014. SU indicates the rates are survey rates based on a weighted average calculation of rates and are not majority rates. LA indicates the State of Louisiana. 2012 is the year of survey on which these classifications and rates are based. The next number, 007 in the example, is an internal number used in producing the wage determination. 5/13/2014 indicates the survey completion date for the classifications and rates under that identifier.

Survey wage rates are not updated and remain in effect until a new survey is conducted.

#### Union Average Rate Identifiers

Classification(s) listed under the UAVG identifier indicate that no single majority rate prevailed for those classifications; however, 100% of the data reported for the classifications was union data. EXAMPLE: UAVG-OH-0010 08/29/2014. UAVG indicates that the rate is a weighted union average rate. OH indicates the state. The next number, 0010 in the example, is an internal number used in producing the wage determination. 08/29/2014 indicates the survey completion date for the classifications and rates under that identifier.

A UAVG rate will be updated once a year, usually in January of each year, to reflect a weighted average of the current negotiated/CBA rate of the union locals from which the rate is Davis-Bacon General Decision Number TX190255 - 01-04-19

based.

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#### WAGE DETERMINATION APPEALS PROCESS

1.) Has there been an initial decision in the matter? This can be:

- an existing published wage determination
- a survey underlying a wage determination a Wage and Hour Division letter setting forth a position on a wage determination matter
- a conformance (additional classification and rate) ruling

On survey related matters, initial contact, including requests for summaries of surveys, should be with the Wage and Hour Regional Office for the area in which the survey was conducted because those Regional Offices have responsibility for the Davis-Bacon survey program. If the response from this initial contact is not satisfactory, then the process described in 2.) and 3.) should be followed.

With regard to any other matter not yet ripe for the formal process described here, initial contact should be with the Branch of Construction Wage Determinations. Write to:

> Branch of Construction Wage Determinations Wage and Hour Division U.S. Department of Labor 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W. Washington, DC 20210

2.) If the answer to the question in 1.) is yes, then an interested party (those affected by the action) can request review and reconsideration from the Wage and Hour Administrator (See 29 CFR Part 1.8 and 29 CFR Part 7). Write to:

> Wage and Hour Administrator U.S. Department of Labor 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W. Washington, DC 20210

The request should be accompanied by a full statement of the interested party's position and by any information (wage payment data, project description, area practice material, etc.) that the requestor considers relevant to the issue.

3.) If the decision of the Administrator is not favorable, an interested party may appeal directly to the Administrative Review Board (formerly the Wage Appeals Board). Write to:

> Administrative Review Board U.S. Department of Labor 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W. Washington, DC 20210

4.) All decisions by the Administrative Review Board are final.

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SECTION 01 10 00 - SUMMARY

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section Includes:
    - 1. Project information.
    - 2. Work covered by Contract Documents.
    - 3. Owner-furnished products.
    - 4. Work restrictions.
    - 5. Specification and drawing conventions.
  - B. Related Requirements:
    - 1. Section 015000 "Temporary Facilities and Controls" for limitations and procedures governing temporary use of Owner's facilities.

#### 1.3 PROJECT INFORMATION

- A. Project Identification: PSJA North ECHS Restroom Renovations & PSJA College & University Center Restrooms / Science Labs Renovations
  - 1. Project Location:
    - a. 500 E. Nolana Loop, Pharr, TX 78577 & 704 W. Ridge Road, San Juan, TX 78589
- B. Owner: Pharr, San Juan, Alamo ISD.
  - 1. Owner's Representative: Dr. Daniel King, Superintendent of Schools, 601 E. Kelly., Pharr, TX 78577.
- C. Architect: Gignac & Associates, 3700 N. 10<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 205, McAllen TX. 78501, 956-686-0100
- D. Architect's Consultants: The Architect has retained the following design professionals who have prepared designated portions of the Contract Documents:
  - 1. Geotechnical Engineers and Construction Materials Testing: N/A
  - 2. Civil Engineers: Melden & Hunt Inc., 115 W. McIntyre, Edinburg, TX 78541
  - 3. Landscape Designer: N/A
  - 4. Structural Engineers: Green Rubiano & Associates, 1200 W. Harrison Ave., Harlingen, TX 78550
  - Mechanical, Electrical & Plumbing Engineers: DBR Inc., 200 S. 10<sup>th</sup> St., Suite 901 McAllen, TX 78501
- 1.4 WORK COVERED BY CONTRACT DOCUMENTS
  - A. The Work of Project is defined by the Contract Documents and consists of the following:
    - 1. Renovations of existing student restrooms at PSJA North ECHS and renovations of existing student restrooms and science labs at PSJA College & University Center including but not limited to; civil, structural, architectural, mechanical, electrical and plumbing.
  - B. Type of Contract:
    - 1. Project will be constructed under a single prime contract.
  - C. Project Scope: Renovations of existing student restrooms at PSJA North ECHS and renovations of existing student restrooms and science labs at PSJA College & University Center.
  - D. Project Estimated Budget for Base Scope: \$1,184,000.
- 1.5 WORK UNDER SEPARATE CONTRACTS
  - A. General: Cooperate fully with separate contractors so work on those contracts may be carried out smoothly, without interfering with or delaying work under this Contract or other contracts. Coordinate the Work of this Contract with work performed under separate contracts.
  - B. Concurrent Work: Owner will award separate contract(s) for the following construction operations at Project site. Those operations will be conducted simultaneously with work under this Contract.
    - 1. Site work on outdoor milling / courtyard areas.



## 1.6 WORK RESTRICTIONS

- A. Work Restrictions, General: Comply with restrictions on construction operations.
  - 1. Comply with limitations on use of public streets and with other requirements of authorities having jurisdiction.
- B. Nonsmoking Building: Smoking or tobacco products are not permitted on construction site.
- C. Controlled Substances: Use of tobacco products and other controlled substances on Project site is not permitted.
- D. Employee Identification: Provide identification tags for Contractor personnel working on Project site. Require personnel to use identification tags at all times.
- E. Employee Screening: Comply with Owner's requirements for drug and background screening of Contractor personnel working on Project site.
  - 1. Maintain list of approved screened personnel with Owner's representative.
- 1.7 SPECIFICATION AND DRAWING CONVENTIONS
  - A. Specification Content: The Specifications use certain conventions for the style of language and the intended meaning of certain terms, words, and phrases when used in particular situations. These conventions are as follows:
    - 1. Imperative mood and streamlined language are generally used in the Specifications. The words "shall," "shall be," or "shall comply with," depending on the context, are implied where a colon (:) is used within a sentence or phrase.
    - 2. Specification requirements are to be performed by Contractor unless specifically stated otherwise.
  - B. Division 01 General Requirements: Requirements of Sections in Division 01 apply to the Work of all Sections in the Specifications.
  - C. Drawing Coordination: Requirements for materials and products identified on Drawings are described in detail in the Specifications. One or more of the following are used on Drawings to identify materials and products:
    - 1. Terminology: Materials and products are identified by the typical generic terms used in the individual Specifications Sections.
- PART 2 PRODUCTS (Not Used)
- PART 3 EXECUTION (Not Used)
- END OF SECTION 01 10 00



SECTION 01 21 00 - ALLOWANCES

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section includes administrative and procedural requirements governing allowances.
    - 1. Certain items are specified in the Contract Documents by allowances. Allowances have been established in lieu of additional requirements and to defer selection of actual materials and equipment to a later date when direction will be provided to Contractor. If necessary, additional requirements will be issued by Change Order.
    - B. Types of allowances include the following:
      - 1. Contingency allowances.
    - C. Related Requirements:
      - 1. Section 014000 "Quality Requirements" for procedures governing the use of allowances for testing and inspecting.

#### 1.3 SELECTION AND PURCHASE

- A. At the earliest practical date after award of the Contract, advise Architect of the date when final selection and purchase of each product or system described by an allowance must be completed to avoid delaying the Work.
- B. At Architect's request, obtain proposals for each allowance for use in making final selections. Include recommendations that are relevant to performing the Work.
- C. Purchase products and systems selected by Architect from the designated supplier.

#### 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit proposals for purchase of products or systems included in allowances, in the form specified for Change Orders.
- 1.5 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS
- A. Coordinate and process submittals for allowance items in same manner as for other portions of the Work.

## 1.6 COORDINATION

A. Coordinate allowance items with other portions of the Work. Furnish templates as required to coordinate installation.

#### 1.7 CONTINGENCY ALLOWANCES

- A. Use the contingency allowance only as directed by Architect for Owner's purposes and only by Change Orders that indicate amounts to be charged to the allowance.
- B. Contractor's related costs, excluding overhead and profit, for products and equipment provided under the contingency allowance are included in the allowance and are not part of the Contract Sum. These costs include delivery, installation, taxes, insurance, equipment rental, and similar costs.
- C. Allowance Expenditure Authorizations (AEA) will authorize use of funds from the contingency allowance will include Contractor's related costs, excluding overhead and profit.
- D. Overhead and Profit: Overhead and profit, related to products and materials selected by Architect under allowance shall be included as part of the Contract Sum and not part of the allowance
- E. At Project closeout, credit unused amounts remaining, in the contingency allowance to Owner by Change Order including overhead and profit.
- 1.8 ADJUSTMENT OF ALLOWANCES
  - A. Allowance Adjustment: To adjust allowance amounts, prepare a Change Order proposal based on the difference between purchase amount and the allowance, multiplied by final measurement of work-in-place where applicable. If applicable, include reasonable allowances for cutting losses, tolerances, mixing wastes, normal product imperfections, and similar margins.
    - 1. Include installation costs in purchase amount only where indicated as part of the allowance.
    - 2. If requested, prepare explanation and documentation to substantiate distribution of overhead costs and other margins claimed.



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- B. Submit claims for increased costs because of a change in scope or nature of the allowance described in the Contract Documents, whether for the purchase order amount or Contractor's handling, labor, installation, overhead, and profit.
  - 1. Do not include Contractor's or subcontractor's indirect expense in the Change Order cost amount unless it is clearly shown that the nature or extent of work has changed from what could have been foreseen from information in the Contract Documents.
  - 2. No change to Contractor's indirect expense is permitted for selection of higher- or lower-priced materials or systems of the same scope and nature as originally indicated.
- PART 2 PRODUCTS (Not Used)

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 EXAMINATION
  - A. Examine products covered by an allowance promptly on delivery for damage or defects. Return damaged or defective products to manufacturer for replacement.
- 3.2 PREPARATION
- A. Coordinate materials and their installation for each allowance with related materials and installations to ensure that each allowance item is completely integrated and interfaced with related work.

#### 3.3 SCHEDULE OF ALLOWANCES

- A. Allowance No. 1: Contingency Allowance: Include a contingency allowance of **\$40,000.00** for use in accordance with Architect's written instructions.
- B. Allowance No. 2: Signage (panel signs) Allowance: Include a signage allowance of **\$7,000.00** for use in accordance with Architect's written instructions.
- C. Allowance No. 3: MEP / Civil Allowance: Include an MEP/Civil Allowance of **\$10,000.00** for use in accordance with Architect's written instructions.
- D. Allowance No. 4: Rebar Allowance: Include a Rebar Allowance for 2 tons of reinforcing steel at a cost of \$2,000 per ton (\$4,000 aggregate). Labor for placing same is to be included in the Allowance amount.
- E. Allowance No. 5: Structural Steel Allowance: Include a Structural Steel Allowance of 1.0 tons of fabricated and primed structural steel at a cost of \$4,000 per ton (**\$4,000.00 aggregate**). Labor to be included for same in the Allowance amount.
- F. Allowance No. 6: Masonry Reinforcement Bar Allowance: Include a Masonry Reinforcement Bar Allowance of 2.0 tons of reinforcing bars at a cost of \$2,000 per ton (\$4,000.00 aggregate). Labor to be included for same in the Allowance amount.

END OF SECTION 01 21 00



SECTION 01 25 00 - SUBSTITUTION PROCEDURES

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for substitutions.
  - B. Related Requirements:
    - 1. Section 016000 "Product Requirements" for requirements for submitting comparable product submittals for products by listed manufacturers.

#### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Substitutions: Changes in products, materials, equipment, and methods of construction from those required by the Contract Documents and proposed by Contractor.
  - 1. Substitutions for Cause: Changes proposed by Contractor that are required due to changed Project conditions, such as unavailability of product, regulatory changes, or unavailability of required warranty terms.
  - 2. Substitutions for Convenience: Changes proposed by Contractor or Owner that are not required in order to meet other Project requirements but may offer advantage to Contractor or Owner.

#### 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Substitution Requests: (DURING BIDDING PROCESS: Submit copies of each request for consideration TEN (10) days prior to bid.) Identify product or fabrication or installation method to be replaced. Include Specification Section number and title and Drawing numbers and titles.
  - 1. Substitution Request Form: Use CSI Form 13.1A.
  - 2. Documentation: Show compliance with requirements for substitutions and the following, as applicable:
    - a. Statement indicating why specified product or fabrication or installation cannot be provided, if applicable.
    - b. Coordination information, including a list of changes or revisions needed to other parts of the Work and to construction performed by Owner and separate contractors that will be necessary to accommodate proposed substitution.
    - c. Detailed comparison of significant qualities of proposed substitution with those of the Work specified. Include annotated copy of applicable Specification Section. Significant qualities may include attributes such as performance, weight, size, durability, visual effect, sustainable design characteristics, warranties, and specific features and requirements indicated. Indicate deviations, if any, from the Work specified.
    - d. Product Data, including drawings and descriptions of products and fabrication and installation procedures.
    - e. Samples, where applicable or requested.
    - f. Certificates and qualification data, where applicable or requested.
    - g. List of similar installations for completed projects with project names and addresses and names and addresses of architects and owners.
    - h. Material test reports from a qualified testing agency indicating and interpreting test results for compliance with requirements indicated.
    - i. Research reports evidencing compliance with building code in effect for Project, from ICC-ES
    - j. Detailed comparison of Contractor's construction schedule using proposed substitution with products specified for the Work, including effect on the overall Contract Time. If specified product or method of construction cannot be provided within the Contract Time, include letter from manufacturer, on manufacturer's letterhead, stating date of receipt of purchase order, lack of availability, or delays in delivery.
    - k. Cost information, including a proposal of change, if any, in the Contract Sum.



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- I. Contractor's certification that proposed substitution complies with requirements in the Contract Documents except as indicated in substitution request, is compatible with related materials, and is appropriate for applications indicated.
- m. Contractor's waiver of rights to additional payment or time that may subsequently become necessary because of failure of proposed substitution to produce indicated results.
- 3. Architect's Action: If necessary, Architect will request additional information or documentation for evaluation within ten (10) days of receipt of a request for substitution. Architect will notify Contractor of acceptance or rejection of proposed substitution within fifteen (**15**) days of receipt of request, or ten (10) days of receipt of additional information or documentation, whichever is later.
  - a. Forms of Acceptance: Change Order, Construction Change Directive, or Architect's Supplemental Instructions for minor changes in the Work.
  - b. Use product specified if Architect does not issue a decision on use of a proposed substitution within time allocated.

#### 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Compatibility of Substitutions: Investigate and document compatibility of proposed substitution with related products and materials. Engage a qualified testing agency to perform compatibility tests recommended by manufacturers.

## 1.6 PROCEDURES

A. Coordination: Revise or adjust affected work as necessary to integrate work of the approved substitutions.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.1 SUBSTITUTIONS

- A. Substitutions for Cause: Submit requests for substitution immediately on discovery of need for change, but not later than fifteen (15) days prior to time required for preparation and review of related submittals.
  - 1. Conditions: Architect will consider Contractor's request for substitution when the following conditions are satisfied. If the following conditions are not satisfied, Architect will return requests without action, except to record noncompliance with these requirements:
    - a. Requested substitution is consistent with the Contract Documents and will produce indicated results.
    - b. Substitution request is fully documented and properly submitted.
    - c. Requested substitution will not adversely affect Contractor's construction schedule.
    - d. Requested substitution has received necessary approvals of authorities having jurisdiction.
    - e. Requested substitution provides specified warranty.
    - f. If requested substitution involves more than one contractor, requested substitution has been coordinated with other portions of the Work, is uniform and consistent, is compatible with other products, and is acceptable to all contractors involved.
- B. Substitutions for Convenience: Architect will consider requests for substitution if received within sixty (60) days after the Notice to Proceed. Requests received after that time may be considered or rejected at discretion of Architect.
  - 1. Conditions: Architect will consider Contractor's request for substitution when the following conditions are satisfied. If the following conditions are not satisfied, Architect will return requests without action, except to record noncompliance with these requirements:
    - a. Requested substitution offers Owner a substantial advantage in cost, time, energy conservation, or other considerations, after deducting additional responsibilities Owner must assume. Owner's additional responsibilities may include compensation to Architect for redesign and evaluation services, increased cost of other construction by Owner, and similar considerations.
    - b. Requested substitution does not require extensive revisions to the Contract Documents.
    - c. Requested substitution is consistent with the Contract Documents and will produce indicated results.
    - d. Substitution request is fully documented and properly submitted.
    - e. Requested substitution will not adversely affect Contractor's construction schedule.
    - f. Requested substitution has received necessary approvals of authorities having jurisdiction.



- g. Requested substitution provides specified warranty.
- h. If requested substitution involves more than one contractor, requested substitution has been coordinated with other portions of the Work, is uniform and consistent, is compatible with other products, and is acceptable to all contractors involved.

PART 3 - EXECUTION (Not Used) END OF SECTION 01 25 00



SECTION 01 26 00 - CONTRACT MODIFICATION PROCEDURES

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for handling and processing Contract modifications.
  - B. Related Requirements:
    - 1. Section 012500 "Substitution Procedures" for administrative procedures for handling requests for substitutions made after the Contract award.

#### 1.3 MINOR CHANGES IN THE WORK

A. Architect will issue through Construction Manager supplemental instructions authorizing minor changes in the Work, not involving adjustment to the Contract Sum or the Contract Time, on AIA Document G710, "Architect's Supplemental Instructions."

#### 1.4 PROPOSAL REQUESTS

- A. Owner-Initiated Proposal Requests: Architect will issue a detailed description of proposed changes in the Work that may require adjustment to the Contract Sum or the Contract Time. If necessary, the description will include supplemental or revised Drawings and Specifications.
  - 1. Work Change Proposal Requests issued by Architect are not instructions either to stop work in progress or to execute the proposed change.
  - 2. Within time specified in Proposal Request or 20 days, when not otherwise specified, after receipt of Proposal Request, submit a quotation estimating cost adjustments to the Contract Sum and the Contract Time necessary to execute the change.
    - a. Include a list of quantities of products required or eliminated and unit costs, with total amount of purchases and credits to be made. If requested, furnish survey data to substantiate quantities.
    - b. Indicate applicable taxes, delivery charges, equipment rental, and amounts of trade discounts.
    - c. Include costs of labor and supervision directly attributable to the change.
    - d. Include an updated Contractor's construction schedule that indicates the effect of the change, including, but not limited to, changes in activity duration, start and finish times, and activity relationship. Use available total float before requesting an extension of the Contract Time.
    - e. Quotation Form: Use CSI Form 13.6D, "Proposal Worksheet Summary," and Form 13.6C, "Proposal Worksheet Detail."
  - B. Contractor-Initiated Proposals: If latent or changed conditions require modifications to the Contract, Contractor may initiate a claim by submitting a request for a change to Architect.
    - 1. Include a statement outlining reasons for the change and the effect of the change on the Work. Provide a complete description of the proposed change. Indicate the effect of the proposed change on the Contract Sum and the Contract Time.
    - 2. Include a list of quantities of products required or eliminated and unit costs, with total amount of purchases and credits to be made. If requested, furnish survey data to substantiate quantities.
    - 3. Indicate applicable taxes, delivery charges, equipment rental, and amounts of trade discounts.
    - 4. Include costs of labor and supervision directly attributable to the change.
    - 5. Include an updated Contractor's construction schedule that indicates the effect of the change, including, but not limited to, changes in activity duration, start and finish times, and activity relationship. Use available total float before requesting an extension of the Contract Time.
    - 6. Comply with requirements in Section 012500 "Substitution Procedures" if the proposed change requires substitution of one product or system for product or system specified.
    - 7. Proposal Request Form: Use CSI Form 13.6A, "Change Order Request (Proposal)," with attachments CSI Form 13.6D, "Proposal Worksheet Summary," and Form 13.6C, "Proposal Worksheet Detail."
- 1.5 ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGE ORDERS (ALLOWANCE EXPENDITURE AUTHORIZATIONS)



- A. Allowance Adjustment: See Section 012100 "Allowances" for administrative procedures for preparation of Change Order Proposal for adjusting the Contract Sum to reflect actual costs of allowances.
- 1.6 CHANGE ORDER PROCEDURES
  - A. On Owner's approval of a Work Changes Proposal Request, Architect will issue a Change Order for signatures of Owner and Contractor on AIA Document G701.

#### 1.7 ARCHITECT'S SUPPLEMENTAL INSTRUCTIONS

- A. Architect's Supplemental Instructions: Architect may issue Architect's Supplemental Instructions on AIA Document G710. Architect's Supplemental Instructions instructs Contractor to proceed with a change in the Work, provided there is no change in contract sum or time. Proceeding with the work acknowledges that there will be no change in contract sum or time.
  - 1. Architect's Supplemental Instructions contain a complete description of change in the Work.

#### 1.8 CONSTRUCTION CHANGE DIRECTIVE

- A. Construction Change Directive: Architect may issue a Construction Change Directive on AIA Document G714. Construction Change Directive instructs Contractor to proceed with a change in the Work, for subsequent inclusion in a Change Order.
  - 1. Construction Change Directive contains a complete description of change in the Work. It also designates method to be followed to determine change in the Contract Sum or the Contract Time.
- B. Documentation: Maintain detailed records on a time and material basis of work required by the Construction Change Directive.
  - 1. After completion of change, submit an itemized account and supporting data necessary to substantiate cost and time adjustments to the Contract.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS (Not Used)

PART 3 - EXECUTION (Not Used)

END OF SECTION 01 26 00



## SECTION 01 29 00 - PAYMENT PROCEDURES

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section includes administrative and procedural requirements necessary to prepare and process Applications for Payment.
  - B. Related Requirements:
    - 1. Section 012100 "Allowances" for procedural requirements governing the handling and processing of allowances.
    - 2. Section 012200 "Unit Prices" for administrative requirements governing the use of unit prices.
    - 3. Section 012600 "Contract Modification Procedures" for administrative procedures for handling changes to the Contract.
    - 4. Section 013200 "Construction Progress Documentation" for administrative requirements governing the preparation and submittal of the Contractor's construction schedule.

## 1.3 DEFINITIONS

A. Schedule of Values: A statement furnished by Contractor allocating portions of the Contract Sum to various portions of the Work and used as the basis for reviewing Contractor's Applications for Payment.

## 1.4 SCHEDULE OF VALUES

- A. Coordination: Coordinate preparation of the schedule of values with preparation of Contractor's construction schedule
  - 1. Coordinate line items in the schedule of values with other required administrative forms and schedules, including the following:
    - a. Application for Payment forms with continuation sheets.
    - b. Submittal schedule.
    - c. Items required to be indicated as separate activities in Contractor's construction schedule.

# Submit the schedule of values to Architect at earliest possible date, but no later than seven (7) days before the date scheduled for submittal of initial Applications for Payment.

- B. Format and Content: Use Project Manual table of contents as a guide to establish line items for the schedule of values. Provide at least one line item for each Specification Section.
  - 1. Identification: Include the following Project identification on the schedule of values:
    - a. Project name and location.
    - b. Name of Architect.
    - c. Architect's project number.
    - d. Contractor's name and address.
    - e. Date of submittal.
  - 2. Arrange schedule of values consistent with format of AIA Document G703.
  - 3. Arrange the schedule of values in tabular form with separate columns to indicate the following for each item listed:
    - a. Related Specification Section or Division.
    - b. Description of the Work.
    - c. Name of subcontractor.
    - d. Change Orders (numbers) that affect value.
    - e. Dollar value of the following, as a percentage of the Contract Sum to nearest one-hundredth percent, adjusted to total 100 percent.
      - 1) Labor.
      - 2) Materials.
      - 3) Equipment.



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- 4. Provide a breakdown of the Contract Sum in enough detail to facilitate continued evaluation of Applications for Payment and progress reports. Coordinate with Project Manual table of contents. Provide multiple line items for principal subcontract amounts in excess of five percent (5%) of the Contract Sum.
- 5. Round amounts to nearest whole dollar; total shall equal the Contract Sum.
- 6. Provide a separate line item in the schedule of values for each part of the Work where Applications for Payment may include materials or equipment purchased or fabricated and stored, but not yet installed.
  - a. Differentiate between items stored on-site and items stored off-site. If required, include evidence of insurance.
- 7. Provide separate line items in the schedule of values for initial cost of materials, for each subsequent stage of completion, and for total installed value of that part of the Work.
- 8. Each item in the schedule of values and Applications for Payment shall be complete. Include total cost and proportionate share of general overhead and profit for each item.
  - a. Temporary facilities and other major cost items that are not direct cost of actual work-in-place may be shown either as separate line items in the schedule of values or distributed as general overhead expense, at Contractor's option.
- 9. Schedule Updating: Update and resubmit the schedule of values before the next Applications for Payment when Change Orders or Construction Change Directives result in a change in the Contract Sum.

#### 1.5 APPLICATIONS FOR PAYMENT

- A. Each Application for Payment following the initial Application for Payment shall be consistent with previous applications and payments as certified by Architect and paid for by Owner.
  - 1. Initial Application for Payment, Application for Payment at time of Substantial Completion, and final Application for Payment involve additional requirements.
- B. Payment Application Times: The date for each progress payment is indicated in the Agreement between Owner and Contractor. The period of construction work covered by each Application for Payment is the period indicated in the Agreement.
- C. Application for Payment Forms: Use AIA Document G702 and AIA Document G703 as form for Applications for Payment.
- D. Application Preparation: Complete every entry on form. Notarize and execute by a person authorized to sign legal documents on behalf of Contractor. Architect will return incomplete applications without action.
  - 1. Entries shall match data on the schedule of values and Contractor's construction schedule. Use updated schedules if revisions were made.
  - 2. Include amounts for work completed following previous Application for Payment, whether or not payment has been received. Include only amounts for work completed at time of Application for Payment.
  - 3. Include amounts of Change Orders and Construction Change Directives issued before last day of construction period covered by application.
  - 4. Indicate separate amounts for work being carried out under Owner-requested project acceleration.
- E. Stored Materials: Include in Application for Payment amounts applied for materials or equipment purchased or fabricated and stored, but not yet installed. Differentiate between items stored on-site and items stored off-site.
  - 1. Provide certificate of insurance, evidence of transfer of title to Owner, and consent of surety to payment, for stored materials.
  - 2. Provide supporting documentation that verifies amount requested, such as paid invoices. Match amount requested with amounts indicated on documentation; do not include overhead and profit on stored materials.
  - 3. Provide summary documentation for stored materials indicating the following:
    - a. Value of materials previously stored and remaining stored as of date of previous Applications for Payment.



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- b. Value of previously stored materials put in place after date of previous Application for Payment and on or before date of current Application for Payment.
- c. Value of materials stored since date of previous Application for Payment and remaining stored as of date of current Application for Payment.
- F. Transmittal: Submit four (3) signed and notarized original copies of each Application for Payment to Architect by a method ensuring receipt within 24 hours.
  - 1. Transmit each copy with a transmittal form listing attachments and recording appropriate information about application.
- G. Initial Application for Payment: Administrative actions and submittals that must precede or coincide with submittal of first Application for Payment include the following:
  - 1. Schedule of values.
  - 2. Contractor's construction schedule (preliminary if not final).
  - 3. Schedule of unit prices.
  - 4. Submittal schedule (preliminary if not final).
  - 5. List of Contractor's staff assignments.
  - 6. List of Contractor's principal consultants.
  - 7. Copies of building permits.
  - 8. Initial progress report.
  - 9. Report of preconstruction conference.
- H. Application for Payment at Substantial Completion: After Architect issues the Certificate of Substantial Completion, submit an Application for Payment showing 100 percent completion for portion of the Work claimed as substantially complete.
  - 1. Include documentation supporting claim that the Work is substantially complete and a statement showing an accounting of changes to the Contract Sum.
  - 2. This application shall reflect Certificate(s) of Substantial Completion issued previously for Owner occupancy of designated portions of the Work.
- I. Final Payment Application: After completing Project closeout requirements, submit final Application for Payment with releases and supporting documentation not previously submitted and accepted, including, but not limited, to the following:
  - 1. Evidence of completion of Project closeout requirements.
  - 2. Insurance certificates for products and completed operations where required and proof that taxes, fees, and similar obligations were paid.
  - 3. Updated final statement, accounting for final changes to the Contract Sum.
  - 4. AIA Document G706, "Contractor's Affidavit of Payment of Debts and Claims."
  - 5. AIA Document G706A, "Contractor's Affidavit of Release of Liens."
  - 6. AIA Document G707, "Consent of Surety to Final Payment."
  - 7. Evidence that claims have been settled.
  - 8. Final meter readings for utilities, a measured record of stored fuel, and similar data as of date of Substantial Completion or when Owner took possession of and assumed responsibility for corresponding elements of the Work.
  - 9. Final liquidated damages settlement statement.
- J. Payment Application beyond contractual completion time: Payments on the Contract will not be made after 30 days beyond the contractual completion date until all work is completed.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS (Not Used)

PART 3 - EXECUTION (Not Used)

END OF SECTION 01 29 00



SECTION 01 31 00 - PROJECT MANAGEMENT AND COORDINATION

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

## 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes administrative provisions for coordinating construction operations on Project including, but not limited to, the following:
  - 1. General coordination procedures.
  - 2. Requests for Information (RFIs).
  - 3. Project meetings.
- B. Each contractor shall participate in coordination requirements. Certain areas of responsibility are assigned to a specific contractor.
- C. Related Requirements:
  - 1. Section 013200 "Construction Progress Documentation" for preparing and submitting Contractor's construction schedule.
  - 2. Section 017300 "Execution" for procedures for coordinating general installation and field-engineering services, including establishment of benchmarks and control points.
  - 3. Section 017700 "Closeout Procedures" for coordinating closeout of the Contract.

## 1.3 DEFINITIONS

A. RFI: Request from Owner, Architect, or Contractor seeking information required by or clarifications of the Contract Documents.

## 1.4 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Subcontract List: Prepare a written summary identifying individuals or firms proposed for each portion of the Work, including those who are to furnish products or equipment fabricated to a special design. Use CSI Form 1.5A. Include the following information in tabular form:
  - 1. Name, address, and telephone number of entity performing subcontract or supplying products.
  - 2. Number and title of related Specification Section(s) covered by subcontract.
  - 3. Drawing number and detail references, as appropriate, covered by subcontract.
- B. Key Personnel Names: Within fifteen (15) days of starting construction operations, submit a list of key personnel assignments, including superintendent and other personnel in attendance at Project site. Identify individuals and their duties and responsibilities; list addresses and telephone numbers, including home, office, and cellular telephone numbers and e-mail addresses. Provide names, addresses, and telephone numbers of individuals assigned as alternates in the absence of individuals assigned to Project.
  - 1. Post copies of list in project meeting room, in temporary field office, and by each temporary telephone. Keep list current at all times.

## 1.5 GENERAL COORDINATION PROCEDURES

- A. Coordination: Coordinate construction operations included in different Sections of the Specifications to ensure efficient and orderly installation of each part of the Work. Coordinate construction operations, included in different Sections, that depend on each other for proper installation, connection, and operation.
  - 1. Schedule construction operations in sequence required to obtain the best results where installation of one part of the Work depends on installation of other components, before or after its own installation.
  - 2. Coordinate installation of different components to ensure maximum performance and accessibility for required maintenance, service, and repair.
  - 3. Make adequate provisions to accommodate items scheduled for later installation.
- B. Prepare memoranda for distribution to each party involved, outlining special procedures required for coordination. Include such items as required notices, reports, and list of attendees at meetings.
  - 1. Prepare similar memoranda for Owner and separate contractors if coordination of their Work is required.



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- C. Administrative Procedures: Coordinate scheduling and timing of required administrative procedures with other construction activities and activities of other contractors to avoid conflicts and to ensure orderly progress of the Work. Such administrative activities include, but are not limited to, the following:
  - 1. Preparation of Contractor's construction schedule.
  - 2. Preparation of the schedule of values.
  - 3. Installation and removal of temporary facilities and controls.
  - 4. Delivery and processing of submittals.
  - 5. Progress meetings.
  - 6. Pre-installation conferences.
  - 7. Project closeout activities.
  - 8. Startup and adjustment of systems.
- D. Conservation: Coordinate construction activities to ensure that operations are carried out with consideration given to conservation of energy, water, and materials. Coordinate use of temporary utilities to minimize waste.
  - 1. Salvage materials and equipment involved in performance of, but not actually incorporated into, the Work. See other Sections for disposition of salvaged materials that are designated as Owner's property.
- 1.6 REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION (RFIs)
  - A. General: Immediately on discovery of the need for additional information or interpretation of the Contract Documents, Contractor shall prepare and submit an RFI in the form specified.
    - 1. Architect will return RFIs submitted to Architect by other entities controlled by Contractor with no response.
    - 2. Coordinate and submit RFIs in a prompt manner so as to avoid delays in Contractor's work or work of subcontractors.
  - B. Content of the RFI: Include a detailed, legible description of item needing information or interpretation and the following:
    - 1. Project name.
    - 2. Project number.
    - 3. Date.
    - 4. Name of Contractor.
    - 5. Name of Architect.
    - 6. RFI number, numbered sequentially.
    - 7. RFI subject.
    - 8. Specification Section number and title and related paragraphs, as appropriate.
    - 9. Drawing number and detail references, as appropriate.
    - 10. Field dimensions and conditions, as appropriate.
    - 11. Contractor's suggested resolution. If Contractor's suggested resolution impacts the Contract Time or the Contract Sum, Contractor shall state impact in the RFI.
    - 12. Contractor's signature.
    - 13. Attachments: Include sketches, descriptions, measurements, photos, Product Data, Shop Drawings, coordination drawings, and other information necessary to fully describe items needing interpretation.
      - a. Include dimensions, thicknesses, structural grid references, and details of affected materials, assemblies, and attachments on attached sketches.
  - C. RFI Forms: AIA Document G716.
    - 1. Attachments shall be electronic files in Adobe Acrobat PDF format.
  - D. Architect's Action: Architect will review each RFI, determine action required, and respond. Allow ten working days for Architect's response for each RFI. RFIs received by Architect after 1:00 p.m. will be considered as received the following working day.
    - 1. The following Contractor-generated RFIs will be returned without action:



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- a. Requests for approval of submittals.
- b. Requests for approval of substitutions.
- c. Requests for approval of Contractor's means and methods.
- d. Requests for coordination information already indicated in the Contract Documents.
- e. Requests for adjustments in the Contract Time or the Contract Sum.
- f. Requests for interpretation of Architect's actions on submittals.
- g. Incomplete RFIs or inaccurately prepared RFIs.
- 2. Architect's action may include a request for additional information, in which case Architect's time for response will date from time of receipt of additional information.
- 3. Architect's action on RFIs that may result in a change to the Contract Time or the Contract Sum may be eligible for Contractor to submit Change Proposal according to Section 012600 "Contract Modification Procedures."
  - a. If Contractor believes the RFI response warrants change in the Contract Time or the Contract Sum, notify Architect in writing within ten (**10**) days of receipt of the RFI response.
- E. RFI Log: Prepare, maintain, and submit a tabular log of RFIs organized by the RFI number. Submit log weekly. Use CSI Log Form 13.2B.
  - 1. Project name.
  - 2. Name and address of Contractor.
  - 3. Name and address of Architect.
  - 4. RFI number including RFIs that were returned without action or withdrawn.
  - 5. RFI description.
  - 6. Date the RFI was submitted.
  - 7. Date Architect's response was received.
- F. On receipt of Architect's action, update the RFI log and immediately distribute the RFI response to affected parties. Review response and notify Architect within seven (7) days if Contractor disagrees with response.
  - 1. Identification of related Minor Change in the Work, Construction Change Directive, and Proposal Request, as appropriate.
  - 2. Identification of related Field Order, Work Change Directive, and Proposal Request, as appropriate.

## 1.7 PROJECT MEETINGS

- A. General: Schedule and conduct meetings and conferences at Project site unless otherwise indicated.
  - 1. Attendees: Inform participants and others involved, and individuals whose presence is required, of date and time of each meeting. Notify Owner and Architect of scheduled meeting dates and times.
  - 2. Agenda: Prepare the meeting agenda. Distribute the agenda to all invited attendees.
  - 3. Minutes: Entity responsible for conducting meeting will record significant discussions and agreements achieved. Distribute the meeting minutes to everyone concerned, including Owner and Architect, within three (3) days of the meeting.
- B. Preconstruction Conference: Schedule and conduct a preconstruction conference before starting construction, at a time convenient to Owner and Architect, but no later than fifteen (15) days after execution of the Agreement.
  - 1. Conduct the conference to review responsibilities and personnel assignments.
  - 2. Attendees: Authorized representatives of Owner, Owner's Commissioning Authority, Architect, and their consultants; Contractor and its superintendent; major subcontractors; suppliers; and other concerned parties shall attend the conference. Participants at the conference shall be familiar with Project and authorized to conclude matters relating to the Work.
  - 3. Agenda: Discuss items of significance that could affect progress, including the following:
    - a. Tentative construction schedule.
    - b. Phasing.
    - c. Critical work sequencing and long-lead items.
    - d. Designation of key personnel and their duties.
    - e. Lines of communications.



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- f. Procedures for processing field decisions and Change Orders.
- g. Procedures for RFIs.
- h. Procedures for testing and inspecting.
- i. Submittal procedures.
- j. Preparation of record documents.
- k. Work restrictions.
- I. Working hours.
- m. Responsibility for temporary facilities and controls.
- n. Procedures for moisture and mold control.
- o. Construction waste management and recycling.
- p. Office, work, and storage areas.
- q. Equipment deliveries and priorities.
- r. First aid.
- s. Security.
- t. Progress cleaning.
- 4. Minutes: Entity responsible for conducting meeting will record and distribute meeting minutes.
- C. Pre-installation Conferences: Conduct a pre-installation conference at Project site before each construction activity that requires coordination with other construction.
  - 1. Attendees: Installer and representatives of manufacturers and fabricators involved in or affected by the installation and its coordination or integration with other materials and installations that have preceded or will follow, shall attend the meeting. Advise Architect, and Owner's Commissioning Authority of scheduled meeting dates.
  - 2. Agenda: Review progress of other construction activities and preparations for the particular activity under consideration, including requirements for the following:
    - a. Contract Documents.
    - b. Options.
    - c. Related RFIs.
    - d. Related Change Orders.
    - e. Purchases.
    - f. Deliveries.
    - g. Submittals.
    - h. Review of mockups.
    - i. Possible conflicts.
    - j. Compatibility requirements.
    - k. Time schedules.
    - I. Weather limitations.
    - m. Manufacturer's written instructions.
    - n. Warranty requirements.
    - o. Compatibility of materials.
    - p. Acceptability of substrates.
    - q. Temporary facilities and controls.
    - r. Space and access limitations.
    - s. Regulations of authorities having jurisdiction.
    - t. Testing and inspecting requirements.
    - u. Installation procedures.
    - v. Coordination with other work.
    - w. Required performance results.
    - x. Protection of adjacent work.
    - y. Protection of construction and personnel.



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- 3. Record significant conference discussions, agreements, and disagreements, including required corrective measures and actions.
- 4. Reporting: Distribute minutes of the meeting to each party present and to other parties requiring information.
- 5. Do not proceed with installation if the conference cannot be successfully concluded. Initiate whatever actions are necessary to resolve impediments to performance of the Work and reconvene the conference at earliest feasible date.
- D. Project Closeout Conference: Schedule and conduct a project closeout conference, at a time convenient to Owner and Architect, but no later than ninety (90) days prior to the scheduled date of Substantial Completion.
  - 1. Conduct the conference to review requirements and responsibilities related to Project closeout.
  - 2. Attendees: Authorized representatives of Owner, Owner's Commissioning Authority, Architect, and their consultants; Contractor and its superintendent; major subcontractors; suppliers; and other concerned parties shall attend the meeting. Participants at the meeting shall be familiar with Project and authorized to conclude matters relating to the Work.
  - 3. Agenda: Discuss items of significance that could affect or delay Project closeout, including the following:
    - a. Preparation of record documents.
    - b. Procedures required prior to inspection for Substantial Completion and for final inspection for acceptance.
    - c. Submittal of written warranties.
    - d. Requirements for preparing operations and maintenance data.
    - e. Requirements for delivery of material samples, attic stock, and spare parts.
    - f. Requirements for demonstration and training.
    - g. Preparation of Contractor's punch list.
    - h. Procedures for processing Applications for Payment at Substantial Completion and for final payment.
    - i. Submittal procedures.
    - j. Owner's partial occupancy requirements.
    - k. Installation of Owner's furniture, fixtures, and equipment.
    - I. Responsibility for removing temporary facilities and controls.
  - 4. Minutes: Entity conducting meeting will record and distribute meeting minutes.
- E. Progress Meetings: Conduct progress meetings at weekly.
  - 1. Coordinate dates of meetings with preparation of payment requests.
    - 2. Attendees: In addition to representatives of Owner, Owner's Commissioning Authority and Architect, each contractor, subcontractor, supplier, and other entity concerned with current progress or involved in planning, coordination, or performance of future activities shall be represented at these meetings. All participants at the meeting shall be familiar with Project and authorized to conclude matters relating to the Work.
  - 3. Agenda: Review and correct or approve minutes of previous progress meeting. Review other items of significance that could affect progress. Include topics for discussion as appropriate to status of Project.
    - a. Contractor's Construction Schedule: Review progress since the last meeting. Determine whether each activity is on time, ahead of schedule, or behind schedule, in relation to Contractor's construction schedule. Determine how construction behind schedule will be expedited; secure commitments from parties involved to do so. Discuss whether schedule revisions are required to ensure that current and subsequent activities will be completed within the Contract Time.
      - 1) Review schedule for next period.
    - b. Review present and future needs of each entity present, including the following:
      - 1) Interface requirements.
      - 2) Sequence of operations.



- 3) Status of submittals.
- 4) Deliveries.
- 5) Off-site fabrication.
- 6) Access.
- 7) Site utilization.
- 8) Temporary facilities and controls.
- 9) Progress cleaning.
- 10) Quality and work standards.
- 11) Status of correction of deficient items.
- 12) Field observations.
- 13) Status of RFIs.
- 14) Status of proposal requests.
- 15) Pending changes.
- 16) Status of Change Orders.
- 17) Pending claims and disputes.
- 18) Documentation of information for payment requests.
- 4. Minutes: Entity responsible for conducting the meeting will record and distribute the meeting minutes to each party present and to parties requiring information.
  - a. Schedule Updating: Revise Contractor's construction schedule after each progress meeting where revisions to the schedule have been made or recognized. Issue revised schedule concurrently with the report of each meeting.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS (Not Used)

PART 3 - EXECUTION (Not Used)

END OF SECTION 01 31 00



SECTION 01 32 00 - CONSTRUCTION PROGRESS DOCUMENTATION

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for documenting the progress of construction during performance of the Work, including the following:
    - 1. Startup construction schedule.
    - 2. Contractor's construction schedule.
    - 3. Construction schedule updating reports.
    - 4. Daily construction reports.
    - 5. Material location reports.
    - 6. Site condition reports.
    - 7. Special reports.
  - B. Related Requirements:
    - 1. Section 013300 "Submittal Procedures" for submitting schedules and reports.
    - 2. Section 014000 "Quality Requirements" for submitting a schedule of tests and inspections.

## 1.3 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Format for Submittals: Submit required submittals in the following format:
  - 1. Working electronic copy of schedule file, where indicated.
  - 2. PDF electronic file.
- B. Startup construction schedule.
  - 1. Approval of cost-loaded, startup construction schedule will not constitute approval of schedule of values for cost-loaded activities.
- C. Startup Network Diagram: Of size required to display entire network for entire construction period. Show logic ties for activities.
- D. Contractor's Construction Schedule: Initial schedule, of size required to display entire schedule for entire construction period.
  - 1. Submit a working electronic copy of schedule, using software indicated, and labeled to comply with requirements for submittals. Include type of schedule (initial or updated) and date on label.
- E. CPM Reports: Concurrent with CPM schedule, submit each of the following reports. Format for each activity in reports shall contain activity number, activity description, cost and resource loading, original duration, remaining duration, early start date, early finish date, late start date, late finish date, and total float in calendar days.
  - 1. Activity Report: List of all activities sorted by activity number and then early start date, or actual start date if known.
  - 2. Logic Report: List of preceding and succeeding activities for all activities, sorted in ascending order by activity number and then early start date, or actual start date if known.
  - 3. Total Float Report: List of all activities sorted in ascending order of total float.
- F. Construction Schedule Updating Reports: Submit with Applications for Payment.
- G. Daily Construction Reports: Submit as required.
- H. Material Location Reports: Submit as required.
- I. Site Condition Reports: Submit at time of discovery of differing conditions.
- J. Special Reports: Submit at time of unusual event.
- K. Qualification Data: For scheduling consultant.
- 1.4 COORDINATION
  - A. Coordinate preparation and processing of schedules and reports with performance of construction activities and with scheduling and reporting of separate contractors.



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- B. Coordinate Contractor's construction schedule with the schedule of values, submittal schedule, progress reports, payment requests, and other required schedules and reports.
  - 1. Secure time commitments for performing critical elements of the Work from entities involved.
  - 2. Coordinate each construction activity in the network with other activities and schedule them in proper sequence.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 CONTRACTOR'S CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE, GENERAL

- A. Time Frame: Extend schedule from date established for commencement of the Work to date of final completion.
  - 1. Contract completion date shall not be changed by submission of a schedule that shows an early completion date, unless specifically authorized by Change Order.
- B. Activities: Treat each story or separate area as a separate numbered activity for each main element of the Work. Comply with the following:
  - 1. Procurement Activities: Include procurement process activities for the following long lead items and major items, requiring a cycle of more than 60 days, as separate activities in schedule. Procurement cycle activities include, but are not limited to, submittals, approvals, purchasing, fabrication, and delivery.
  - 2. Submittal Review Time: Include review and resubmittal times indicated in Section 013300 "Submittal Procedures" in schedule. Coordinate submittal review times in Contractor's construction schedule with submittal schedule.
  - 3. Startup and Testing Time: Include no fewer than fifteen (15) days for startup and testing.
  - 4. Substantial Completion: Indicate completion in advance of date established for Substantial Completion, and allow time for Architect's administrative procedures necessary for certification of Substantial Completion.
  - 5. Punch List and Final Completion: Include not more than thirty (30) days for completion of punch list items and final completion.
- C. Constraints: Include constraints and work restrictions indicated in the Contract Documents and as follows in schedule, and show how the sequence of the Work is affected.
  - 1. Owner-Furnished Products: Include a separate activity for each product. Include delivery date indicated in Section 011000 "Summary." Delivery dates indicated stipulate the earliest possible delivery date.
  - 2. Work Restrictions: Show the effect of the following items on the schedule:
    - a. Partial occupancy before Substantial Completion.
    - b. Provisions for future construction.
    - c. Seasonal variations.
    - d. Environmental control.
  - 3. Work Stages: Indicate important stages of construction for each major portion of the Work, including, but not limited to, the following:
    - a. Submittals.
    - b. Mockups.
    - c. Fabrication.
    - d. Sample testing.
    - e. Installation.
    - f. Tests and inspections.
    - g. Adjusting.
    - h. Curing.
    - i. Building flush-out.
    - j. Startup and placement into final use and operation.
  - 4. Construction Areas: Identify each major area of construction for each major portion of the Work. Indicate where each construction activity within a major area must be sequenced or integrated with other construction activities to provide for the following:



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- a. Structural completion.
- b. Temporary enclosure and space conditioning.
- c. Permanent space enclosure.
- d. Completion of mechanical installation.
- e. Completion of electrical installation.
- f. Substantial Completion.
- D. Upcoming Work Summary: Prepare summary report indicating activities scheduled to occur or commence prior to submittal of next schedule update. Summarize the following issues:
  - 1. Unresolved issues.
  - 2. Unanswered Requests for Information.
  - 3. Rejected or unreturned submittals.
  - 4. Notations on returned submittals.
  - 5. Pending modifications affecting the Work and Contract Time.
- E. Recovery Schedule: When periodic update indicates the Work is fourteen (14) or more calendar days behind the current approved schedule, submit a separate recovery schedule indicating means by which Contractor intends to regain compliance with the schedule. Indicate changes to working hours, working days, crew sizes, and equipment required to achieve compliance, and date by which recovery will be accomplished.
- 2.2 STARTUP CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE
  - A. Bar-Chart Schedule: Submit startup, horizontal, bar-chart-type construction schedule within seven (7) days of date established for commencement of the Work.
  - B. Preparation: Indicate each significant construction activity separately. Identify first workday of each week with a continuous vertical line. Outline significant construction activities for first **90** days of construction. Include skeleton diagram for the remainder of the Work and a cash requirement prediction based on indicated activities.
- 2.3 CONTRACTOR'S CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE (CPM SCHEDULE)
  - A. General: Prepare network diagrams using AON (activity-on-node) format.
  - B. CPM Schedule: Prepare Contractor's construction schedule using a cost- and resource-loaded, timescaled CPM network analysis diagram for the Work.
    - 1. Develop network diagram in sufficient time to submit CPM schedule so it can be accepted for use no later than sixty 60 days after date established for commencement of the Work.
      - a. Failure to include any work item required for performance of this Contract shall not excuse Contractor from completing all work within applicable completion dates, regardless of Architect's approval of the schedule.
    - 2. Conduct educational workshops to train and inform key Project personnel, including subcontractors' personnel, in proper methods of providing data and using CPM schedule information.
    - 3. Establish procedures for monitoring and updating CPM schedule and for reporting progress. Coordinate procedures with progress meeting and payment request dates.
    - 4. Use "one workday" as the unit of time for individual activities. Indicate nonworking days and holidays incorporated into the schedule in order to coordinate with the Contract Time.
  - C. CPM Schedule Preparation: Prepare a list of all activities required to complete the Work. Using the startup network diagram, prepare a skeleton network to identify probable critical paths.
    - 1. Activities: Indicate the estimated time duration, sequence requirements, and relationship of each activity in relation to other activities. Include estimated time frames for the following activities:
      - a. Preparation and processing of submittals.
      - b. Mobilization and demobilization.
      - c. Delivery.
      - d. Fabrication.
      - e. Installation.
      - f. Testing and commissioning.
      - g. Punch list and final completion.



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- h. Activities occurring following final completion.
- 2. Critical Path Activities: Identify critical path activities, including those for interim completion dates. Scheduled start and completion dates shall be consistent with Contract milestone dates.
- 3. Processing: Process data to produce output data on a computer-drawn, time-scaled network. Revise data, reorganize activity sequences, and reproduce as often as necessary to produce the CPM schedule within the limitations of the Contract Time.
- 4. Format: Mark the critical path. Locate the critical path near center of network; locate paths with most float near the edges.
  - a. Sub-networks on separate sheets are permissible for activities clearly off the critical path.
- D. Contract Modifications: For each proposed contract modification and concurrent with its submission, prepare a time-impact analysis using a network fragment to demonstrate the effect of the proposed change on the overall project schedule.
- E. Initial Issue of Schedule: Prepare initial network diagram from a sorted activity list indicating straight "early start-total float." Identify critical activities. Prepare tabulated reports showing the following:
  - 1. Contractor or subcontractor and the Work or activity.
  - 2. Description of activity.
  - 3. Main events of activity.
  - 4. Immediate preceding and succeeding activities.
  - 5. Early and late start dates.
  - 6. Early and late finish dates.
  - 7. Activity duration in workdays.
  - 8. Total float or slack time.
  - 9. Average size of workforce.
- F. Schedule Updating: Concurrent with making revisions to schedule, prepare tabulated reports showing the following:
  - 1. Identification of activities that have changed.
  - 2. Changes in early and late start dates.
  - 3. Changes in early and late finish dates.
  - 4. Changes in activity durations in workdays.
  - 5. Changes in the critical path.
  - 6. Changes in total float or slack time.
  - 7. Changes in the Contract Time.
- G. Value Summaries: Prepare two cumulative value lists, sorted by finish dates.
  - 1. In first list, tabulate activity number, early finish date, dollar value, and cumulative dollar value.
  - 2. In second list, tabulate activity number, late finish date, dollar value, and cumulative dollar value.
  - 3. In subsequent issues of both lists, substitute actual finish dates for activities completed as of list date.
  - 4. Prepare list for ease of comparison with payment requests; coordinate timing with progress meetings.
    - a. In both value summary lists, tabulate "actual percent complete" and "cumulative value completed" with total at bottom.
    - b. Submit value summary printouts one week before each regularly scheduled progress meeting.

## 2.4 REPORTS

- A. Daily Construction Reports: Prepare a daily construction report recording the following information concerning events at Project site:
  - 1. List of subcontractors at Project site.
  - 2. Approximate count of personnel at Project site.
  - 3. Equipment at Project site.
  - 4. Material deliveries.
  - 5. Accidents.



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- 6. Meetings and significant decisions.
- 7. Unusual events (see special reports).
- 8. Stoppages, delays, shortages, and losses.
- 9. Emergency procedures.
- 10. Orders and requests of authorities having jurisdiction.
- 11. Change Orders received and implemented.
- 12. Construction Change Directives received and implemented.
- 13. Equipment or system tests and startups.
- 14. Partial completions and occupancies.
- 15. Substantial Completions authorized.
- B. Material Location Reports: At monthly intervals, prepare and submit a comprehensive list of materials delivered to and stored at Project site. List shall be cumulative, showing materials previously reported plus items recently delivered. Include with list a statement of progress on and delivery dates for materials or items of equipment fabricated or stored away from Project site. Indicate the following categories for stored materials:
  - 1. Material stored prior to previous report and remaining in storage.
  - 2. Material stored prior to previous report and since removed from storage and installed.
  - 3. Material stored following previous report and remaining in storage.
- C. Site Condition Reports: Immediately on discovery of a difference between site conditions and the Contract Documents, prepare and submit a detailed report. Submit with a Request for Information. Include a detailed description of the differing conditions, together with recommendations for changing the Contract Documents.

#### 2.5 SPECIAL REPORTS

- A. General: Submit special reports directly to Owner within **one** day(s) of an occurrence. Distribute copies of report to parties affected by the occurrence.
- B. Reporting Unusual Events: When an event of an unusual and significant nature occurs at Project site, whether or not related directly to the Work, prepare and submit a special report. List chain of events, persons participating, response by Contractor's personnel, evaluation of results or effects, and similar pertinent information. Advise Owner in advance when these events are known or predictable.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.1 CONTRACTOR'S CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

- A. Contractor's Construction Schedule Updating: At monthly intervals, update schedule to reflect actual construction progress and activities. Issue schedule one week before each regularly scheduled progress meeting.
  - 1. Revise schedule immediately after each meeting or other activity where revisions have been recognized or made. Issue updated schedule concurrently with the report of each such meeting.
  - 2. Include a report with updated schedule that indicates every change, including, but not limited to, changes in logic, durations, actual starts and finishes, and activity durations.
  - 3. As the Work progresses, indicate final completion percentage for each activity.
- B. Distribution: Distribute copies of approved schedule to Architect, Owner, separate contractors, testing and inspecting agencies, and other parties identified by Contractor with a need-to-know schedule responsibility.
  - 1. Post copies in Project meeting rooms and temporary field offices.
  - 2. When revisions are made, distribute updated schedules to the same parties and post in the same locations. Delete parties from distribution when they have completed their assigned portion of the Work and are no longer involved in performance of construction activities.

END OF SECTION 01 32 00



## SECTION 01 32 33 - PHOTOGRAPHIC DOCUMENTATION

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for the following:
    - 1. Periodic construction photographs.
    - 2. Final completion construction photographs.
  - B. Related Requirements:
    - 1. Section 012200 "Unit Prices" for procedures for unit prices for extra photographs.
    - 2. Section 013300 "Submittal Procedures" for submitting photographic documentation.
    - 3. Section 017700 "Closeout Procedures" for submitting photographic documentation as project record documents at Project closeout.
    - 4. Section 017900 "Demonstration and Training" for submitting video recordings of demonstration of equipment and training of Owner's personnel.
    - 5. Section 311000 "Site Clearing" for photographic documentation before site clearing operations commence.
- 1.3 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS
  - A. Key Plan: Submit key plan of Project site and building with notation of vantage points marked for location and direction of each photograph. Indicate elevation or story of construction. Include same information as corresponding photographic documentation.
  - B. Digital Photographs: Submit image files within seven (7) days of taking photographs.
    - 1. Digital Camera: Minimum sensor resolution of 10 megapixels.
    - 2. Format: Minimum 3200 by 2400 pixels, in unaltered original files, with same aspect ratio as the sensor, uncropped, date and time stamped, in folder named by date of photograph, accompanied by key plan file.
    - 3. Identification: Provide the following information with each image description in file metadata tag:
      - a. Name of Project.
      - b. Date photograph was taken.
      - c. Description of vantage point, indicating location, direction (by compass point), and elevation or story of construction.
      - d. Unique sequential identifier keyed to accompanying key plan.
- 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Photographer Qualifications: An individual who has been regularly engaged as a professional photographer of construction projects for not less than three years.
- 1.5 USAGE RIGHTS
  - A. Obtain and transfer copyright usage rights from photographer to Owner for unlimited reproduction of photographic documentation.
- PART 2 PRODUCTS
- 2.1 PHOTOGRAPHIC MEDIA
  - A. Digital Images: Provide images in JPG format, produced by a digital camera with minimum sensor size of 8 megapixels, and at an image resolution of not less than 3200 by 2400 pixels.
- PART 3 EXECUTION
- 3.1 CONSTRUCTION PHOTOGRAPHS
  - A. Photographer: Engage a qualified photographer to take construction photographs.
  - B. General: Take photographs using the maximum range of depth of field, and that are in focus, to clearly show the Work. Photographs with blurry or out-of-focus areas will not be accepted.
    - 1. Maintain key plan with each set of construction photographs that identifies each photographic location.



- C. Digital Images: Submit digital images exactly as originally recorded in the digital camera, without alteration, manipulation, editing, or modifications using image-editing software.
  - 1. Date and Time: Include date and time in file name for each image.
  - 2. Field Office Images: Maintain one set of images accessible in the field office at Project site, available at all times for reference. Identify images in the same manner as those submitted to Architect.
- D. Periodic Construction Photographs: Take twenty (20) photographs monthly, coinciding with the cutoff date associated with each Application for Payment. Select vantage points to show status of construction and progress since last photographs were taken.
- E. Architect-Directed Construction Photographs: From time to time, Architect will instruct photographer about number and frequency of photographs and general directions on vantage points. Select actual vantage points and take photographs to show the status of construction and progress since last photographs were taken.
- F. Final Completion Construction Photographs: Take twenty (20) color photographs after date of Substantial Completion for submission as project record documents. Architect will inform photographer of desired vantage points.
  - 1. Do not include date stamp.

END OF SECTION 01 32 33



SECTION 01 33 00 - SUBMITTAL PROCEDURES

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section includes requirements for the submittal schedule and administrative and procedural requirements for submitting Shop Drawings, Product Data, Samples, and other submittals.
  - B. Related Requirements:
    - 1. Section 012900 "Payment Procedures" for submitting Applications for Payment and the schedule of values.
    - 2. Section 013200 "Construction Progress Documentation" for submitting schedules and reports, including Contractor's construction schedule.
    - 3. Section 017823 "Operation and Maintenance Data" for submitting operation and maintenance manuals.
    - 4. Section 017839 "Project Record Documents" for submitting record Drawings, record Specifications, and record Product Data.
    - 5. Section 017900 "Demonstration and Training" for submitting video recordings of demonstration of equipment and training of Owner's personnel.

#### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Action Submittals: Written and graphic information and physical samples that require Architect's responsive action. Action submittals are those submittals indicated in individual Specification Sections as "action submittals."
- B. File Transfer Protocol (FTP): Communications protocol that enables transfer of files to and from another computer over a network and that serves as the basis for standard Internet protocols. An FTP site is a portion of a network located outside of network firewalls within which internal and external users are able to access files.
- C. Portable Document Format (PDF): An open standard file format licensed by Adobe Systems used for representing documents in a device-independent and display resolution-independent fixed-layout document format.

#### 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Submittal Schedule: Submit a schedule of submittals, arranged in chronological order by dates required by construction schedule. Include time required for review, ordering, manufacturing, fabrication, and delivery when establishing dates. Include additional time required for making corrections or revisions to submittals noted by Architect and additional time for handling and reviewing submittals required by those corrections.
  - 1. Coordinate submittal schedule with list of subcontracts, the schedule of values, and Contractor's construction schedule.
  - 2. Initial Submittal: Submit concurrently with startup construction schedule. Include submittals required during the first 60 days of construction. List those submittals required to maintain orderly progress of the Work and those required early because of long lead time for manufacture or fabrication.
  - 3. Final Submittal: Submit concurrently with the first complete submittal of Contractor's construction schedule.
    - a. Submit revised submittal schedule to reflect changes in current status and timing for submittals.
  - 4. Format: Arrange the following information in a tabular format:
    - a. Scheduled date for first submittal.
    - b. Specification Section number and title.
    - c. Submittal category: Action; informational.
    - d. Name of subcontractor.
    - e. Description of the Work covered.
    - f. Scheduled date for Architect's final release or approval.



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- g. Scheduled date of fabrication.
- h. Scheduled dates for purchasing.
- i. Scheduled dates for installation.
- j. Activity or event number.

## 1.5 SUBMITTAL ADMINISTRATIVE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Coordination: Coordinate preparation and processing of submittals with performance of construction activities.
  - 1. Coordinate each submittal with fabrication, purchasing, testing, delivery, other submittals, and related activities that require sequential activity.
  - 2. Submit all submittal items required for each Specification Section concurrently unless partial submittals for portions of the Work are indicated on approved submittal schedule.
  - 3. Submit action submittals and informational submittals required by the same Specification Section as separate packages under separate transmittals.
  - 4. Coordinate transmittal of different types of submittals for related parts of the Work so processing will not be delayed because of need to review submittals concurrently for coordination.
    - a. Architect reserves the right to withhold action on a submittal requiring coordination with other submittals until related submittals are received.
  - B. Processing Time: Allow time for submittal review, including time for re-submittals, as follows. Time for review shall commence on Architect's receipt of submittal. No extension of the Contract Time will be authorized because of failure to transmit submittals enough in advance of the Work to permit processing, including re-submittals.
    - 1. Initial Review: Allow twenty one (21) days for initial review of each submittal. Allow additional time if coordination with subsequent submittals is required. Architect will advise Contractor when a submittal being processed must be delayed for coordination.
    - 2. Intermediate Review: If intermediate submittal is necessary, process it in same manner as initial submittal.
    - 3. Resubmittal Review: Allow fourteen (14) days for review of each re-submittal.
    - 4. Sequential Review: Where sequential review of submittals by Architect's consultants, Owner, or other parties is indicated, allow twenty eight (28) days for initial review of each submittal.
  - C. Electronic Submittals: Identify and incorporate information in each electronic submittal file as follows:
    - 1. Assemble complete submittal package into a single indexed file incorporating submittal requirements of a single Specification Section and transmittal form with links enabling navigation to each item.
    - 2. Name file with submittal number or other unique identifier, including revision identifier.
      - a. File name shall use project identifier and Specification Section number followed by a decimal point and then a sequential number (e.g., LNHS-061000.01). Re-submittals shall include an alphabetic suffix after another decimal point (e.g., LNHS-061000.01.A).
    - 3. Provide means for insertion to permanently record Contractor's review and approval markings and action taken by Architect.
    - 4. Transmittal Form for Electronic Submittals: Use electronic form acceptable to Owner, containing the following information:
      - a. Project name.
      - b. Date.
      - c. Name and address of Architect.
      - d. Name of Construction Manager.
      - e. Name of Contractor.
      - f. Name of firm or entity that prepared submittal.
      - g. Names of subcontractor, manufacturer, and supplier.
      - h. Category and type of submittal.
      - i. Submittal purpose and description.
      - j. Specification Section number and title.



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- k. Specification paragraph number or drawing designation and generic name for each of multiple items.
- I. Drawing number and detail references, as appropriate.
- m. Location(s) where product is to be installed, as appropriate.
- n. Related physical samples submitted directly.
- o. Indication of full or partial submittal.
- p. Transmittal number, numbered consecutively.
- q. Submittal and transmittal distribution record.
- r. Other necessary identification.
- s. Remarks.
- 5. Metadata: Include the following information as keywords in the electronic submittal file metadata:
  - a. Project name.
  - b. Number and title of appropriate Specification Section.
  - c. Manufacturer name.
  - d. Product name.
- D. Options: Identify options requiring selection by Architect.
- E. Deviations and Additional Information: On an attached separate sheet, prepared on Contractor's letterhead, record relevant information, requests for data, revisions other than those requested by Architect on previous submittals, and deviations from requirements in the Contract Documents, including minor variations and limitations. Include same identification information as related submittal.
- F. Resubmittals: Make re-submittals in same form and number of copies as initial submittal.
  - 1. Note date and content of previous submittal.
  - 2. Note date and content of revision in label or title block and clearly indicate extent of revision.
  - 3. Resubmit submittals until they are marked with approval notation from Architect's action stamp.
- G. Distribution: Furnish copies of final submittals to manufacturers, subcontractors, suppliers, fabricators, installers, authorities having jurisdiction, and others as necessary for performance of construction activities. Show distribution on transmittal forms.
- H. Use for Construction: Retain complete copies of submittals on Project site. Use only final action submittals that are marked with approval notation from Architect's action stamp.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.1 SUBMITTAL PROCEDURES

- A. General Submittal Procedure Requirements: Prepare and submit submittals required by individual Specification Sections. Types of submittals are indicated in individual Specification Sections.
  - 1. Post electronic submittals as PDF electronic files directly to Architect's FTP site specifically established for Project.
    - a. Architect will return annotated file. Annotate and retain one copy of file as an electronic Project record document file.
  - 2. Submit electronic submittals via email as PDF electronic files.
    - a. Architect, will return annotated file. Annotate and retain one copy of file as an electronic Project record document file.
  - 3. Certificates and Certifications Submittals: Provide a statement that includes signature of entity responsible for preparing certification. Certificates and certifications shall be signed by an officer or other individual authorized to sign documents on behalf of that entity.
    - a. Provide a digital signature with digital certificate on electronically submitted certificates and certifications where indicated.
  - B. Product Data: Collect information into a single submittal for each element of construction and type of product or equipment.
    - 1. If information must be specially prepared for submittal because standard published data are not suitable for use, submit as Shop Drawings, not as Product Data.
    - 2. Mark each copy of each submittal to show which products and options are applicable.



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- 3. Include the following information, as applicable:
  - a. Manufacturer's catalog cuts.
  - b. Standard color charts.
  - c. Statement of compliance with specified referenced standards.
  - d. Testing by recognized testing agency.
  - e. Application of testing agency labels and seals.
  - f. Notation of coordination requirements.
- 4. For equipment, include the following in addition to the above, as applicable:
  - a. Clearances required to other construction, if not indicated on accompanying Shop Drawings.
- 5. Submit Product Data before or concurrent with Samples.
- 6. Submit Product Data in the following format:
  - a. PDF electronic file.
- C. Shop Drawings: Prepare Project-specific information, drawn accurately to scale. Do not base Shop Drawings on reproductions of the Contract Documents or standard printed data,.
  - 1. Preparation: Fully illustrate requirements in the Contract Documents. Include the following information, as applicable:
    - a. Identification of products.
    - b. Compliance with specified standards.
    - c. Notation of coordination requirements.
    - d. Notation of dimensions established by field measurement.
    - e. Relationship and attachment to adjoining construction clearly indicated.
    - Sheet Size: Except for templates, patterns, and similar full-size drawings, submit Shop Drawings on sheets at least 8-1/2 by 11 inches (215 by 280 mm), but no larger than 30 by 42 inches (750 by 1067 mm).
    - 3. Submit Shop Drawings in the following format:
      - a. PDF electronic file.
- D. Samples: Submit Samples for review of kind, color, pattern, and texture for a check of these characteristics with other elements and for a comparison of these characteristics between submittal and actual component as delivered and installed.
  - 1. Transmit Samples that contain multiple, related components such as accessories together in one submittal package.
  - 2. Identification: Attach label on unexposed side of Samples that includes the following:
    - a. Generic description of Sample.
    - b. Product name and name of manufacturer.
    - c. Sample source.
    - d. Number and title of applicable Specification Section.
    - e. Specification paragraph number and generic name of each item.
  - 3. For projects where electronic submittals are required, provide corresponding electronic submittal of Sample transmittal, digital image file illustrating Sample characteristics, and identification information for record.
  - 4. Disposition: Maintain sets of approved Samples at Project site, available for quality-control comparisons throughout the course of construction activity. Sample sets may be used to determine final acceptance of construction associated with each set.
    - a. Samples not incorporated into the Work, or otherwise designated as Owner's property, are the property of Contractor.
  - 5. Samples for Initial Selection: Submit manufacturer's color charts consisting of units or sections of units showing the full range of colors, textures, and patterns available.
    - a. Number of Samples: Submit **one** full set(s) of available choices where color, pattern, texture, or similar characteristics are required to be selected from manufacturer's product line. Architect will return submittal with options selected.



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- E. Coordination Drawing Submittals: Comply with requirements specified in Section 013100 "Project Management and Coordination."
- F. Contractor's Construction Schedule: Comply with requirements specified in Section 013200 "Construction Progress Documentation."
- G. Application for Payment and Schedule of Values: Comply with requirements specified in Section 012900 "Payment Procedures."
- H. Test and Inspection Reports and Schedule of Tests and Inspections Submittals: Comply with requirements specified in Section 014000 "Quality Requirements."
- I. Closeout Submittals and Maintenance Material Submittals: Comply with requirements specified in Section 017700 "Closeout Procedures."
- J. Maintenance Data: Comply with requirements specified in Section 017823 "Operation and Maintenance Data."
- K. Qualification Data: Prepare written information that demonstrates capabilities and experience of firm or person. Include lists of completed projects with project names and addresses, contact information of architects and owners, and other information specified.
- L. Welding Certificates: Prepare written certification that welding procedures and personnel comply with requirements in the Contract Documents. Submit record of Welding Procedure Specification and Procedure Qualification Record on AWS forms. Include names of firms and personnel certified.
- M. Installer Certificates: Submit written statements on manufacturer's letterhead certifying that Installer complies with requirements in the Contract Documents and, where required, is authorized by manufacturer for this specific Project.
- N. Manufacturer Certificates: Submit written statements on manufacturer's letterhead certifying that manufacturer complies with requirements in the Contract Documents. Include evidence of manufacturing experience where required.
- O. Product Certificates: Submit written statements on manufacturer's letterhead certifying that product complies with requirements in the Contract Documents.
- P. Material Certificates: Submit written statements on manufacturer's letterhead certifying that material complies with requirements in the Contract Documents.
- Q. Material Test Reports: Submit reports written by a qualified testing agency, on testing agency's standard form, indicating and interpreting test results of material for compliance with requirements in the Contract Documents.
- R. Product Test Reports: Submit written reports indicating that current product produced by manufacturer complies with requirements in the Contract Documents. Base reports on evaluation of tests performed by manufacturer and witnessed by a qualified testing agency, or on comprehensive tests performed by a qualified testing agency.

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.1 CONTRACTOR'S REVIEW

- A. Action and Informational Submittals: Review each submittal and check for coordination with other Work of the Contract and for compliance with the Contract Documents. Note corrections and field dimensions. Mark with approval stamp before submitting to Architect.
- B. Project Closeout and Maintenance Material Submittals: See requirements in Section 017700 "Closeout Procedures."
- C. Approval Stamp: Stamp each submittal with a uniform, approval stamp. Include Project name and location, submittal number, Specification Section title and number, name of reviewer, date of Contractor's approval, and statement certifying that submittal has been reviewed, checked, and approved for compliance with the Contract Documents.
- 3.2 ARCHITECT'S ACTION
  - A. Action Submittals: Architect will review each submittal, make marks to indicate corrections or revisions required, and return it. Architect will stamp each submittal with an action stamp and will mark stamp appropriately to indicate **action**.
  - B. Informational Submittals: Architect will review each submittal and will not return it, or will return it if it does not comply with requirements. Architect will forward each submittal to appropriate party.



- C. Partial submittals prepared for a portion of the Work will be reviewed when use of partial submittals has received prior approval from Architect.
- D. Incomplete submittals are unacceptable, will be considered nonresponsive, and will be returned for resubmittal without review.
- E. Submittals not required by the Contract Documents may be returned by the Architect without action.

END OF SECTION 01 33 00



### SECTION 01 50 00 - TEMPORARY FACILITIES AND CONTROLS

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

# 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes requirements for temporary utilities, support facilities, and security and protection facilities.
- B. Related Requirements:
  - 1. Section 011000 "Summary" for work restrictions and limitations on utility interruptions.
  - 2. Section 312319 "Dewatering" for disposal of ground water at Project site.
  - 3. Section 321216 "Asphalt Paving" for construction and maintenance of asphalt pavement for temporary roads and paved areas.
  - 4. Section 321313 "Concrete Paving" for construction and maintenance of cement concrete pavement for temporary roads and paved areas.

### 1.3 USE CHARGES

- A. General: Installation and removal of and use charges for temporary facilities shall be included in the Contract Sum unless otherwise indicated. Allow other entities to use temporary services and facilities without cost, including, but not limited to, Architect, testing agencies, and authorities having jurisdiction.
- B. Sewer Service: Pay sewer-service use charges for sewer usage by all entities for construction operations.
- C. Water Service: Pay water-service use charges for water used by all entities for construction operations.
- D. Electric Power Service: Pay electric-power-service use charges for electricity used by all entities for construction operations.

### 1.4 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Site Plan: Show temporary facilities, utility hookups, staging areas, and parking areas for construction personnel.
- B. Erosion- and Sedimentation-Control Plan: Show compliance with requirements of EPA Construction General Permit or authorities having jurisdiction, whichever is more stringent.
- C. Fire-Safety Program: Show compliance with requirements of NFPA 241 and authorities having jurisdiction. Indicate Contractor personnel responsible for management of fire-prevention program.
- D. Moisture-Protection Plan: Describe procedures and controls for protecting materials and construction from water absorption and damage.
  - 1. Describe delivery, handling, and storage provisions for materials subject to water absorption or water damage.
  - 2. Indicate procedures for discarding water-damaged materials, protocols for mitigating water intrusion into completed Work, and replacing water-damaged Work.
  - 3. Indicate sequencing of work that requires water, such as sprayed fire-resistive materials, plastering, and terrazzo grinding, and describe plans for dealing with water from these operations. Show procedures for verifying that wet construction has dried sufficiently to permit installation of finish materials.
- E. Dust- and HVAC-Control Plan: Submit coordination drawing and narrative that indicates the dust- and HVAC-control measures proposed for use, proposed locations, and proposed time frame for their operation. Identify further options if proposed measures are later determined to be inadequate. Include the following:
  - 1. Locations of dust-control partitions at each phase of work.
  - 2. HVAC system isolation schematic drawing.
  - 3. Location of proposed air-filtration system discharge.
  - 4. Waste handling procedures.
  - 5. Other dust-control measures.
- 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Electric Service: Comply with NECA, NEMA, and UL standards and regulations for temporary electric service. Install service to comply with NFPA 70.



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- B. Tests and Inspections: Arrange for authorities having jurisdiction to test and inspect each temporary utility before use. Obtain required certifications and permits.
- C. Accessible Temporary Egress: Comply with applicable provisions in the U.S. Architectural & Transportation Barriers Compliance Board's ADA-ABA Accessibility Guidelines and Texas Accessibility Standards

### 1.6 PROJECT CONDITIONS

A. Temporary Use of Permanent Facilities: Engage Installer of each permanent service to assume responsibility for operation, maintenance, and protection of each permanent service during its use as a construction facility before Owner's acceptance, regardless of previously assigned responsibilities.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.1 MATERIALS

- A. Chain-Link Fencing: Minimum 2-inch (50-mm), 0.148-inch- (3.8-mm-) thick, galvanized-steel, chain-link fabric fencing; minimum 6 feet (1.8 m) high with galvanized-steel pipe posts; minimum 2-3/8-inch- (60-mm-) OD line posts and 2-7/8-inch- (73-mm-) OD corner and pull posts, with 1-5/8-inch- (42-mm-) OD top rails.
- B. Dust-Control Adhesive-Surface Walk-off Mats: Provide mats minimum 36 by 60 inches (914 by 1624 mm).

### 2.2 TEMPORARY FACILITIES

- A. Field Offices, General: Prefabricated or mobile units with serviceable finishes, temperature controls, and foundations adequate for normal loading.
- B. Common-Use Field Office: Of sufficient size to accommodate needs of Owner, Architect, and construction personnel office activities and to accommodate Project meetings specified in other Division 01 Sections. Keep office clean and orderly. Furnish and equip offices as follows:
  - 1. Furniture required for Project-site documents including file cabinets, plan tables, plan racks, and bookcases.
  - 2. Conference room of sufficient size to accommodate meetings of **10** individuals. Provide electrical power service and 120-V ac duplex receptacles, with no fewer than one receptacle on each wall. Furnish room with conference table, chairs, and 4-foot- (1.2-m-) square tack and marker boards.
  - 3. Drinking water and private toilet.
  - 4. Coffee machine and supplies.
  - 5. Heating and cooling equipment necessary to maintain a uniform indoor temperature of 68 to 72 deg F (20 to 22 deg C).
  - 6. Lighting fixtures capable of maintaining average illumination of 20 fc (215 lx) at desk height.
  - 7. Provide internet and wi-fi accessibility to Owner and Design team during course of construction.
- C. Storage and Fabrication Sheds: Provide sheds sized, furnished, and equipped to accommodate materials and equipment for construction operations.
  - 1. Store combustible materials apart from building.

## 2.3 EQUIPMENT

- A. Fire Extinguishers: Portable, UL rated; with class and extinguishing agent as required by locations and classes of fire exposures.
- B. HVAC Equipment: Unless Owner authorizes use of permanent HVAC system, provide vented, selfcontained, liquid-propane-gas or fuel-oil heaters with individual space thermostatic control.
  - 1. Use of gasoline-burning space heaters, open-flame heaters, or salamander-type heating units is prohibited.
  - 2. Heating Units: Listed and labeled for type of fuel being consumed, by a qualified testing agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction, and marked for intended location and application.
  - 3. Permanent HVAC System: If Owner authorizes use of permanent HVAC system for temporary use during construction, provide filter with MERV of **8** at each return-air grille in system and remove at end of construction, and clean HVAC system as required in Section 017700 "Closeout Procedures"
- C. Air-Filtration Units: Primary and secondary HEPA-filter-equipped portable units with four-stage filtration. Provide single switch for emergency shutoff. Configure to run continuously.

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSTALLATION, GENERAL



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- A. Locate facilities where they will serve Project adequately and result in minimum interference with performance of the Work. Relocate and modify facilities as required by progress of the Work.
  - 1. Locate facilities to limit site disturbance as specified in Section 011000 "Summary."
- B. Provide each facility ready for use when needed to avoid delay. Do not remove until facilities are no longer needed or are replaced by authorized use of completed permanent facilities.
- 3.2 TEMPORARY UTILITY INSTALLATION
  - A. General: Install temporary service or connect to existing service.
    - 1. Arrange with utility company, Owner, and existing users for time when service can be interrupted, if necessary, to make connections for temporary services.
  - B. Sewers and Drainage: Provide temporary utilities to remove effluent lawfully.
    - 1. Connect temporary sewers to municipal system as directed by authorities having jurisdiction.
  - C. Water Service: Install water service and distribution piping in sizes and pressures adequate for construction.
  - D. Sanitary Facilities: Provide temporary toilets, wash facilities, and drinking water for use of construction personnel. Comply with requirements of authorities having jurisdiction for type, number, location, operation, and maintenance of fixtures and facilities.
  - E. Heating and Cooling: Provide temporary heating and cooling required by construction activities for curing or drying of completed installations or for protecting installed construction from adverse effects of low temperatures or high humidity. Select equipment that will not have a harmful effect on completed installations or elements being installed.
  - F. Ventilation and Humidity Control: Provide temporary ventilation required by construction activities for curing or drying of completed installations or for protecting installed construction from adverse effects of high humidity. Select equipment that will not have a harmful effect on completed installations or elements being installed. Coordinate ventilation requirements to produce ambient condition required and minimize energy consumption.
    - 1. Provide dehumidification systems when required to reduce substrate moisture levels to level required to allow installation or application of finishes.
  - G. Electric Power Service: Provide electric power service and distribution system of sufficient size, capacity, and power characteristics required for construction operations.
    - 1. Install electric power service underground unless otherwise indicated.
  - H. Lighting: Provide temporary lighting with local switching that provides adequate illumination for construction operations, observations, inspections, and traffic conditions.
    - 1. Install and operate temporary lighting that fulfills security and protection requirements without operating entire system.
    - 2. Install lighting for Project identification sign.
  - I. Telephone Service: Provide temporary telephone service in common-use facilities for use by all construction personnel. Install **one** telephone line(s) for each field office.
    - 1. Provide additional telephone lines for the following:
      - a. Provide a dedicated telephone line for each facsimile machine in each field office.
    - 2. At each telephone, post a list of important telephone numbers.
      - a. Police and fire departments.
      - b. Ambulance service.
      - c. Contractor's home office.
      - d. Contractor's emergency after-hours telephone number.
      - e. Architect's office.
      - f. Engineers' offices.
      - g. Owner's office.
      - h. Principal subcontractors' field and home offices.
    - 3. Provide superintendent with cellular telephone or portable two-way radio for use when away from field office.
- 3.3 SUPPORT FACILITIES INSTALLATION



- A. General: Comply with the following:
  - 1. Provide construction for temporary offices, shops, and sheds located within construction area or within 30 feet (9 m) of building lines that is noncombustible according to ASTM E 136. Comply with NFPA 241.
  - 2. Maintain support facilities until Architect schedules Substantial Completion inspection. Remove before Substantial Completion. Personnel remaining after Substantial Completion will be permitted to use permanent facilities, under conditions acceptable to Owner.
- B. Temporary Roads and Paved Areas: Construct and maintain temporary roads and paved areas adequate for construction operations. Locate temporary roads and paved areas within construction limits indicated on Drawings.
  - 1. Provide dust-control treatment that is nonpolluting and nontracking. Reapply treatment as required to minimize dust.
- C. Temporary Use of Permanent Roads and Paved Areas: Locate temporary roads and paved areas in same location as permanent roads and paved areas. Construct and maintain temporary roads and paved areas adequate for construction operations. Extend temporary roads and paved areas, within construction limits indicated, as necessary for construction operations.
  - 1. Coordinate elevations of temporary roads and paved areas with permanent roads and paved areas.
  - 2. Prepare subgrade and install subbase and base for temporary roads and paved areas according to Section 312000 "Earth Moving."
  - 3. Recondition base after temporary use, including removing contaminated material, regrading, proofrolling, compacting, and testing.
- D. Parking: Provide temporary parking areas for construction personnel.
- E. Dewatering Facilities and Drains: Comply with requirements of authorities having jurisdiction. Maintain Project site, excavations, and construction free of water.
  - 1. Dispose of rainwater in a lawful manner that will not result in flooding Project or adjoining properties or endanger permanent Work or temporary facilities.
  - 2. Remove snow and ice as required to minimize accumulations.
- F. Project Signs: Provide Project signs as indicated. Unauthorized signs are not permitted.
  - 1. Identification Signs: Provide 4'X8'project identification signs with painted graphics, locate as directed by Architect.
  - 2. Temporary Signs: Provide other signs as indicated and as required to inform public and individuals seeking entrance to Project.
    - a. Provide temporary, directional signs for construction personnel and visitors.
  - 3. Maintain and touchup signs so they are legible at all times.
- G. Waste Disposal Facilities: Comply with requirements specified in Section 017419 "Construction Waste Management and Disposal."
- H. Lifts and Hoists: Provide facilities necessary for hoisting materials and personnel.
  - 1. Truck cranes and similar devices used for hoisting materials are considered "tools and equipment" and not temporary facilities.
- I. Temporary Elevator Use: Use of elevators is not permitted
- J. Temporary Stairs: Until permanent stairs are available, provide temporary stairs where ladders are not adequate.
- K. Temporary Use of Permanent Stairs: Use of new stairs for construction traffic will be permitted, provided stairs are protected and finishes restored to new condition at time of Substantial Completion.
- 3.4 SECURITY AND PROTECTION FACILITIES INSTALLATION
  - A. Protection of Existing Facilities: Protect existing vegetation, equipment, structures, utilities, and other improvements at Project site and on adjacent properties, except those indicated to be removed or altered. Repair damage to existing facilities.
  - B. Environmental Protection: Provide protection, operate temporary facilities, and conduct construction as required to comply with environmental regulations and that minimize possible air, waterway, and subsoil contamination or pollution or other undesirable effects.
    - 1. Comply with work restrictions specified in Section 011000 "Summary."



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- C. Temporary Erosion and Sedimentation Control: Comply with requirements of 2003 EPA Construction General Permit or authorities having jurisdiction, whichever is more stringent and requirements specified in Section 311000 "Site Clearing."
- D. Storm water Control: Comply with requirements of authorities having jurisdiction. Provide barriers in and around excavations and sub-grade construction to prevent flooding by runoff of storm water from heavy rains.
- E. Tree and Plant Protection: Install temporary fencing located as indicated or outside the drip line of trees to protect vegetation from damage from construction operations. Protect tree root systems from damage, flooding, and erosion.
- F. Pest Control: Engage pest-control service to recommend practices to minimize attraction and harboring of rodents, roaches, and other pests and to perform extermination and control procedures at regular intervals so Project will be free of pests and their residues at Substantial Completion. Perform control operations lawfully, using environmentally safe materials.
- G. Site Enclosure Fence: Before construction operations begin, furnish and install site enclosure fence in a manner that will prevent people and animals from easily entering site except by entrance gates.
  - 1. Extent of Fence: As required to enclose entire Project site or portion determined sufficient to accommodate construction operations.
  - 2. Maintain security by limiting number of keys and restricting distribution to authorized personnel. Furnish one set of keys to Owner.
- H. Security Enclosure and Lockup: Install temporary enclosure around partially completed areas of construction. Provide lockable entrances to prevent unauthorized entrance, vandalism, theft, and similar violations of security. Lock entrances at end of each work day.
- I. Barricades, Warning Signs, and Lights: Comply with requirements of authorities having jurisdiction for erecting structurally adequate barricades, including warning signs and lighting.
- J. Temporary Egress: Maintain temporary egress from existing occupied facilities as indicated and as required by authorities having jurisdiction.

#### 3.5 MOISTURE AND MOLD CONTROL

- A. Contractor's Moisture-Protection Plan: Avoid trapping water in finished work. Document visible signs of mold that may appear during construction.
- B. Partially Enclosed Construction Phase: After installation of weather barriers but before full enclosure and conditioning of building, when installed materials are still subject to infiltration of moisture and ambient mold spores, protect as follows:
  - 1. Do not load or install drywall or other porous materials or components, or items with high organic content, into partially enclosed building.
  - 2. Keep interior spaces reasonably clean and protected from water damage.
  - 3. Periodically collect and remove waste containing cellulose or other organic matter.
  - 4. Discard or replace water-damaged material.
  - 5. Do not install material that is wet.
  - 6. Discard, replace, or clean stored or installed material that begins to grow mold.
  - 7. Perform work in a sequence that allows any wet materials adequate time to dry before enclosing the material in drywall or other interior finishes.
- C. Controlled Construction Phase of Construction: After completing and sealing of the building enclosure but prior to the full operation of permanent HVAC systems, maintain as follows:
  - 1. Control moisture and humidity inside building by maintaining effective dry-in conditions.
  - 2. Use permanent HVAC system to control humidity.
  - 3. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions for temperature, relative humidity, and exposure to water limits.
    - a. Hygroscopic materials that may support mold growth, including wood and gypsum-based products, that become wet during the course of construction and remain wet for 48 hours are considered defective.
    - b. Measure moisture content of materials that have been exposed to moisture during construction operations or after installation. Record readings beginning at time of exposure



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and continuing daily for 48 hours. Identify materials containing moisture levels higher than allowed. Report findings in writing to Architect.

c. Remove materials that cannot be completely restored to their manufactured moisture level within 48 hours.

#### 3.6 OPERATION, TERMINATION, AND REMOVAL

- A. Supervision: Enforce strict discipline in use of temporary facilities. To minimize waste and abuse, limit availability of temporary facilities to essential and intended uses.
- B. Maintenance: Maintain facilities in good operating condition until removal.
  - 1. Maintain operation of temporary enclosures, heating, cooling, humidity control, ventilation, and similar facilities on a 24-hour basis where required to achieve indicated results and to avoid possibility of damage.
- C. Operate Project-identification-sign lighting daily from dusk until 12:00 midnight.
- D. Temporary Facility Changeover: Do not change over from using temporary security and protection facilities to permanent facilities until Substantial Completion.
- E. Termination and Removal: Remove each temporary facility when need for its service has ended, when it has been replaced by authorized use of a permanent facility, or no later than Substantial Completion. Complete or, if necessary, restore permanent construction that may have been delayed because of interference with temporary facility. Repair damaged Work, clean exposed surfaces, and replace construction that cannot be satisfactorily repaired.
  - 1. Materials and facilities that constitute temporary facilities are property of Contractor. Owner reserves right to take possession of Project identification signs.
  - 2. Remove temporary roads and paved areas not intended for or acceptable for integration into permanent construction. Where area is intended for landscape development, remove soil and aggregate fill that do not comply with requirements for fill or subsoil. Remove materials contaminated with road oil, asphalt and other petrochemical compounds, and other substances that might impair growth of plant materials or lawns. Repair or replace street paving, curbs, and sidewalks at temporary entrances, as required by authorities having jurisdiction.
  - 3. At Substantial Completion, repair, renovate, and clean permanent facilities used during construction period. Comply with final cleaning requirements specified in Section 017700 "Closeout Procedures."

END OF SECTION 01 50 00



# SECTION 01 60 00 - PRODUCT REQUIREMENTS

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for selection of products for use in Project; product delivery, storage, and handling; manufacturers' standard warranties on products; special warranties; and comparable products.
  - B. Related Requirements:
    - 1. Section 012100 "Allowances" for products selected under an allowance.
    - 2. Section 012300 "Alternates" for products selected under an alternate.
    - 3. Section 012500 "Substitution Procedures" for requests for substitutions.

### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Products: Items obtained for incorporating into the Work, whether purchased for Project or taken from previously purchased stock. The term "product" includes the terms "material," "equipment," "system," and terms of similar intent.
  - 1. Named Products: Items identified by manufacturer's product name, including make or model number or other designation shown or listed in manufacturer's published product literature, that is current as of date of the Contract Documents.
  - 2. New Products: Items that have not previously been incorporated into another project or facility. Products salvaged or recycled from other projects are not considered new products.
  - 3. Comparable Product: Product that is demonstrated and approved through submittal process to have the indicated qualities related to type, function, dimension, in-service performance, physical properties, appearance, and other characteristics that equal or exceed those of specified product.
- B. Basis-of-Design Product Specification: A specification in which a specific manufacturer's product is named and accompanied by the words "basis-of-design product," including make or model number or other designation, to establish the significant qualities related to type, function, dimension, in-service performance, physical properties, appearance, and other characteristics for purposes of evaluating comparable products of additional manufacturers named in the specification.

#### 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Comparable Product Requests: Submit request for consideration of each comparable product. Identify product or fabrication or installation method to be replaced. Include Specification Section number and title and Drawing numbers and titles.
  - 1. Include data to indicate compliance with the requirements specified in "Comparable Products" Article.
  - 2. Architect's Action: If necessary, Architect will request additional information or documentation for evaluation within one week of receipt of a comparable product request. Architect will notify Contractor of approval or rejection of proposed comparable product request within 15 days of receipt of request, or seven days of receipt of additional information or documentation, whichever is later.
    - a. Form of Approval: As specified in Section 013300 "Submittal Procedures."
    - b. Use product specified if Architect does not issue a decision on use of a comparable product request within time allocated.
- B. Basis-of-Design Product Specification Submittal: Comply with requirements in Section 013300 "Submittal Procedures." Show compliance with requirements.

## 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Compatibility of Options: If Contractor is given option of selecting between two or more products for use on Project, select product compatible with products previously selected, even if previously selected products were also options.

## 1.6 PRODUCT DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver, store, and handle products using means and methods that will prevent damage, deterioration, and loss, including theft and vandalism. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions.
- B. Delivery and Handling:



- 1. Schedule delivery to minimize long-term storage at Project site and to prevent overcrowding of construction spaces.
- 2. Coordinate delivery with installation time to ensure minimum holding time for items that are flammable, hazardous, easily damaged, or sensitive to deterioration, theft, and other losses.
- 3. Deliver products to Project site in an undamaged condition in manufacturer's original sealed container or other packaging system, complete with labels and instructions for handling, storing, unpacking, protecting, and installing.
- 4. Inspect products on delivery to determine compliance with the Contract Documents and to determine that products are undamaged and properly protected.

## C. Storage:

- 1. Store products to allow for inspection and measurement of quantity or counting of units.
- 2. Store materials in a manner that will not endanger Project structure.
- 3. Store products that are subject to damage by the elements, under cover in a weathertight enclosure above ground, with ventilation adequate to prevent condensation.
- 4. Protect foam plastic from exposure to sunlight, except to extent necessary for period of installation and concealment.
- 5. Comply with product manufacturer's written instructions for temperature, humidity, ventilation, and weather-protection requirements for storage.
- 6. Protect stored products from damage and liquids from freezing.

# 1.7 PRODUCT WARRANTIES

- A. Warranties specified in other Sections shall be in addition to, and run concurrent with, other warranties required by the Contract Documents. Manufacturer's disclaimers and limitations on product warranties do not relieve Contractor of obligations under requirements of the Contract Documents.
  - 1. Manufacturer's Warranty: Written warranty furnished by individual manufacturer for a particular product and specifically endorsed by manufacturer to Owner.
  - 2. Special Warranty: Written warranty required by the Contract Documents to provide specific rights for Owner.
- B. Special Warranties: Prepare a written document that contains appropriate terms and identification, ready for execution.
  - 1. Manufacturer's Standard Form: Modified to include Project-specific information and properly executed.
  - 2. See other Sections for specific content requirements and particular requirements for submitting special warranties.
- C. Submittal Time: Comply with requirements in Section 017700 "Closeout Procedures."

# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

# 2.1 PRODUCT SELECTION PROCEDURES

- A. General Product Requirements: Provide products that comply with the Contract Documents, are undamaged and, unless otherwise indicated, are new at time of installation.
  - 1. Provide products complete with accessories, trim, finish, fasteners, and other items needed for a complete installation and indicated use and effect.
  - 2. Standard Products: If available, and unless custom products or nonstandard options are specified, provide standard products of types that have been produced and used successfully in similar situations on other projects.
  - 3. Owner reserves the right to limit selection to products with warranties not in conflict with requirements of the Contract Documents.
  - 4. Where products are accompanied by the term "as selected," Architect will make selection.
  - 5. Descriptive, performance, and reference standard requirements in the Specifications establish salient characteristics of products.
  - 6. Or Equal: For products specified by name and accompanied by the term "or equal," or "or approved equal," or "or approved," comply with requirements in "Comparable Products" Article to obtain approval for use of an unnamed product.
- B. Product Selection Procedures:



- 1. Product: Where Specifications name a single manufacturer and product, provide the named product that complies with requirements. Comparable products or substitutions for Contractor's convenience will not be considered.
- 2. Manufacturer/Source: Where Specifications name a single manufacturer or source, provide a product by the named manufacturer or source that complies with requirements. Comparable products or substitutions for Contractor's convenience will not be considered.
- 3. Products:
  - a. Restricted List: Where Specifications include a list of names of both manufacturers and products, provide one of the products listed that complies with requirements. Comparable products or substitutions for Contractor's convenience will be considered unless otherwise indicated.
- 4. Manufacturers:
  - a. Restricted List: Where Specifications include a list of manufacturers' names, provide a product by one of the manufacturers listed that complies with requirements. Comparable products or substitutions for Contractor's convenience will be considered unless otherwise indicated.
- 5. Basis-of-Design Product: Where Specifications name a product, or refer to a product indicated on Drawings, and include a list of manufacturers, provide the specified or indicated product or a comparable product by one of the other named manufacturers. Drawings and Specifications indicate sizes, profiles, dimensions, and other characteristics that are based on the product named. Comply with requirements in "Comparable Products" Article for consideration of an unnamed product by one of the other named manufacturers.

### 2.2 COMPARABLE PRODUCTS

- A. Conditions for Consideration: Architect will consider Contractor's request for comparable product when the following conditions are satisfied. If the following conditions are not satisfied, Architect may return requests without action, except to record noncompliance with these requirements:
  - 1. Evidence that the proposed product does not require revisions to the Contract Documents, that it is consistent with the Contract Documents and will produce the indicated results, and that it is compatible with other portions of the Work.
  - 2. Detailed comparison of significant qualities of proposed product with those named in the Specifications. Significant qualities include attributes such as performance, weight, size, durability, visual effect, and specific features and requirements indicated.
  - 3. Evidence that proposed product provides specified warranty.
  - 4. List of similar installations for completed projects with project names and addresses and names and addresses of architects and owners, if requested.
  - 5. Samples, if requested.

PART 3 - EXECUTION (Not Used) END OF SECTION 01 60 00



## SECTION 01 73 00 - EXECUTION

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section includes general administrative and procedural requirements governing execution of the Work including, but not limited to, the following:
    - 1. Construction layout.
    - 2. Field engineering and surveying.
    - 3. Installation of the Work.
    - 4. Cutting and patching.
    - 5. Progress cleaning.
    - 6. Starting and adjusting.
    - 7. Protection of installed construction.
    - 8. Correction of the Work.
  - B. Related Requirements:
    - 1. Section 011000 "Summary" for limits on use of Project site.
    - 2. Section 013300 "Submittal Procedures" for submitting surveys.
    - 3. Section 017700 "Closeout Procedures" for submitting final property survey with Project Record Documents, recording of Owner-accepted deviations from indicated lines and levels, and final cleaning.

## 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Cutting: Removal of in-place construction necessary to permit installation or performance of other work.
- B. Patching: Fitting and repair work required to restore construction to original conditions after installation of other work.

## 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Land Surveyor Qualifications: A professional land surveyor who is legally qualified to practice in jurisdiction where Project is located and who is experienced in providing land-surveying services of the kind indicated.
- B. Cutting and Patching: Comply with requirements for and limitations on cutting and patching of construction elements.
  - 1. Structural Elements: When cutting and patching structural elements, notify Architect of locations and details of cutting and await directions from Architect before proceeding. Shore, brace, and support structural elements during cutting and patching. Do not cut and patch structural elements in a manner that could change their load-carrying capacity or increase deflection
  - 2. Operational Elements: Do not cut and patch operating elements and related components in a manner that results in reducing their capacity to perform as intended or that results in increased maintenance or decreased operational life or safety. Operational elements include the following:
    - a. Primary operational systems and equipment.
    - b. Fire separation assemblies.
    - c. Air or smoke barriers.
    - d. Fire-suppression systems.
    - e. Mechanical systems piping and ducts.
    - f. Control systems.
    - g. Communication systems.
    - h. Fire-detection and -alarm systems.
    - i. Conveying systems.
    - j. Electrical wiring systems.
    - k. Operating systems of special construction.
  - 3. Other Construction Elements: Do not cut and patch other construction elements or components in a manner that could change their load-carrying capacity that results in reducing their capacity to



perform as intended, or that result in increased maintenance or decreased operational life or safety. Other construction elements include but are not limited to the following:

- a. Water, moisture, or vapor barriers.
- b. Membranes and flashings.
- c. Exterior curtain-wall construction.
- d. Sprayed fire-resistive material.
- e. Equipment supports.
- f. Piping, ductwork, vessels, and equipment.
- g. Noise- and vibration-control elements and systems.
- 4. Visual Elements: Do not cut and patch construction in a manner that results in visual evidence of cutting and patching. Do not cut and patch exposed construction in a manner that would, in Architect's opinion, reduce the building's aesthetic qualities. Remove and replace construction that has been cut and patched in a visually unsatisfactory manner.
- C. Manufacturer's Installation Instructions: Obtain and maintain on-site manufacturer's written recommendations and instructions for installation of products and equipment.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 MATERIALS

- A. General: Comply with requirements specified in other Sections.
- B. In-Place Materials: Use materials for patching identical to in-place materials. For exposed surfaces, use materials that visually match in-place adjacent surfaces to the fullest extent possible.
  - 1. If identical materials are unavailable or cannot be used, use materials that, when installed, will provide a match acceptable to Architect for the visual and functional performance of in-place materials.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Existing Conditions: The existence and location of underground and other utilities and construction indicated as existing are not guaranteed. Before beginning site work, investigate and verify the existence and location of underground utilities, mechanical and electrical systems, and other construction affecting the Work.
  - 1. Before construction, verify the location and invert elevation at points of connection of sanitary sewer, storm sewer, and water-service piping; underground electrical services, and other utilities.
  - 2. Furnish location data for work related to Project that must be performed by public utilities serving Project site.
- B. Examination and Acceptance of Conditions: Before proceeding with each component of the Work, examine substrates, areas, and conditions, with Installer or Applicator present where indicated, for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance. Record observations.
  - 1. Examine roughing-in for mechanical and electrical systems to verify actual locations of connections before equipment and fixture installation.
  - 2. Examine walls, floors, and roofs for suitable conditions where products and systems are to be installed.
  - 3. Verify compatibility with and suitability of substrates, including compatibility with existing finishes or primers.
- C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected. Proceeding with the Work indicates acceptance of surfaces and conditions.

### 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Existing Utility Information: Furnish information to local utility that is necessary to adjust, move, or relocate existing utility structures, utility poles, lines, services, or other utility appurtenances located in or affected by construction. Coordinate with authorities having jurisdiction.
- B. Field Measurements: Take field measurements as required to fit the Work properly. Recheck measurements before installing each product. Where portions of the Work are indicated to fit to other construction, verify dimensions of other construction by field measurements before fabrication. Coordinate fabrication schedule with construction progress to avoid delaying the Work.



- C. Space Requirements: Verify space requirements and dimensions of items shown diagrammatically on Drawings.
- D. Review of Contract Documents and Field Conditions: Immediately on discovery of the need for clarification of the Contract Documents caused by differing field conditions outside the control of Contractor, submit a request for information to Architect according to requirements in Section 013100 "Project Management and Coordination."
- E. Surface and Substrate Preparation: Comply with manufacturer's written recommendations for preparation of substrates to receive subsequent work.

### 3.3 CONSTRUCTION LAYOUT

- A. Verification: Before proceeding to lay out the Work, verify layout information shown on Drawings, in relation to the property survey and existing benchmarks. If discrepancies are discovered, notify Architect promptly.
- B. General: Engage a land surveyor to lay out the Work using accepted surveying practices.
  - 1. Establish benchmarks and control points to set lines and levels at each story of construction and elsewhere as needed to locate each element of Project.
  - 2. Establish limits on use of Project site.
  - 3. Establish dimensions within tolerances indicated. Do not scale Drawings to obtain required dimensions.
  - 4. Inform installers of lines and levels to which they must comply.
  - 5. Check the location, level and plumb, of every major element as the Work progresses.
  - 6. Notify Architect when deviations from required lines and levels exceed allowable tolerances.
  - 7. Close site surveys with an error of closure equal to or less than the standard established by authorities having jurisdiction.
- C. Site Improvements: Locate and lay out site improvements, including pavements, grading, fill and topsoil placement, utility slopes, and rim and invert elevations.
- D. Building Lines and Levels: Locate and lay out control lines and levels for structures, building foundations, column grids, and floor levels, including those required for mechanical and electrical work. Transfer survey markings and elevations for use with control lines and levels. Level foundations and piers from two or more locations.
- E. Record Log: Maintain a log of layout control work. Record deviations from required lines and levels. Include beginning and ending dates and times of surveys, weather conditions, name and duty of each survey party member, and types of instruments and tapes used. Make the log available for reference by Architect.

## 3.4 FIELD ENGINEERING

- A. Reference Points: Locate existing permanent benchmarks, control points, and similar reference points before beginning the Work. Preserve and protect permanent benchmarks and control points during construction operations.
  - 1. Do not change or relocate existing benchmarks or control points without prior written approval of Architect. Report lost or destroyed permanent benchmarks or control points promptly. Report the need to relocate permanent benchmarks or control points to Architect before proceeding.
  - 2. Replace lost or destroyed permanent benchmarks and control points promptly. Base replacements on the original survey control points.
- B. Benchmarks: Establish and maintain a minimum of two permanent benchmarks on Project site, referenced to data established by survey control points. Comply with authorities having jurisdiction for type and size of benchmark.
  - 1. Record benchmark locations, with horizontal and vertical data, on Project Record Documents.
  - 2. Where the actual location or elevation of layout points cannot be marked, provide temporary reference points sufficient to locate the Work.
  - 3. Remove temporary reference points when no longer needed. Restore marked construction to its original condition.

#### 3.5 INSTALLATION

A. General: Locate the Work and components of the Work accurately, in correct alignment and elevation, as indicated.



- 1. Make vertical work plumb and make horizontal work level.
- 2. Where space is limited, install components to maximize space available for maintenance and ease of removal for replacement.
- 3. Conceal pipes, ducts, and wiring in finished areas unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions and recommendations for installing products in applications indicated.
- C. Install products at the time and under conditions that will ensure the best possible results. Maintain conditions required for product performance until Substantial Completion.
- D. Conduct construction operations so no part of the Work is subjected to damaging operations or loading in excess of that expected during normal conditions of occupancy.
- E. Sequence the Work and allow adequate clearances to accommodate movement of construction items on site and placement in permanent locations.
- F. Tools and Equipment: Do not use tools or equipment that produce harmful noise levels.
- G. Templates: Obtain and distribute to the parties involved templates for work specified to be factory prepared and field installed. Check Shop Drawings of other work to confirm that adequate provisions are made for locating and installing products to comply with indicated requirements.
- H. Attachment: Provide blocking and attachment plates and anchors and fasteners of adequate size and number to securely anchor each component in place, accurately located and aligned with other portions of the Work. Where size and type of attachments are not indicated, verify size and type required for load conditions.
  - 1. Mounting Heights: Where mounting heights are not indicated, mount components at heights directed by Architect.
  - 2. Allow for building movement, including thermal expansion and contraction.
  - 3. Coordinate installation of anchorages. Furnish setting drawings, templates, and directions for installing anchorages, including sleeves, concrete inserts, anchor bolts, and items with integral anchors, that are to be embedded in concrete or masonry. Deliver such items to Project site in time for installation.
- I. Joints: Make joints of uniform width. Where joint locations in exposed work are not indicated, arrange joints for the best visual effect. Fit exposed connections together to form hairline joints.
- J. Hazardous Materials: Use products, cleaners, and installation materials that are not considered hazardous.

## 3.6 CUTTING AND PATCHING

- A. Cutting and Patching, General: Employ skilled workers to perform cutting and patching. Proceed with cutting and patching at the earliest feasible time, and complete without delay.
  - 1. Cut in-place construction to provide for installation of other components or performance of other construction, and subsequently patch as required to restore surfaces to their original condition.
- B. Temporary Support: Provide temporary support of work to be cut.
- C. Protection: Protect in-place construction during cutting and patching to prevent damage. Provide protection from adverse weather conditions for portions of Project that might be exposed during cutting and patching operations.
- D. Cutting: Cut in-place construction by sawing, drilling, breaking, chipping, grinding, and similar operations, including excavation, using methods least likely to damage elements retained or adjoining construction. If possible, review proposed procedures with original Installer; comply with original Installer's written recommendations.
  - 1. In general, use hand or small power tools designed for sawing and grinding, not hammering and chopping. Cut holes and slots neatly to minimum size required, and with minimum disturbance of adjacent surfaces. Temporarily cover openings when not in use.
  - 2. Finished Surfaces: Cut or drill from the exposed or finished side into concealed surfaces.
  - 3. Concrete and Masonry: Cut using a cutting machine, such as an abrasive saw or a diamond-core drill.
  - 4. Excavating and Backfilling: Comply with requirements in applicable Sections where required by cutting and patching operations.



- 5. Mechanical and Electrical Services: Cut off pipe or conduit in walls or partitions to be removed. Cap, valve, or plug and seal remaining portion of pipe or conduit to prevent entrance of moisture or other foreign matter after cutting.
- 6. Proceed with patching after construction operations requiring cutting are complete.
- E. Patching: Patch construction by filling, repairing, refinishing, closing up, and similar operations following performance of other work. Patch with durable seams that are as invisible as practicable. Provide materials and comply with installation requirements specified in other Sections, where applicable.
  - 1. Inspection: Where feasible, test and inspect patched areas after completion to demonstrate physical integrity of installation.
  - 2. Exposed Finishes: Restore exposed finishes of patched areas and extend finish restoration into retained adjoining construction in a manner that will minimize evidence of patching and refinishing.
    - a. Clean piping, conduit, and similar features before applying paint or other finishing materials.
    - b. Restore damaged pipe covering to its original condition.
  - 3. Floors and Walls: Where walls or partitions that are removed extend one finished area into another, patch and repair floor and wall surfaces in the new space. Provide an even surface of uniform finish, color, texture, and appearance. Remove in-place floor and wall coverings and replace with new materials, if necessary, to achieve uniform color and appearance.
    - a. Where patching occurs in a painted surface, prepare substrate and apply primer and intermediate paint coats appropriate for substrate over the patch, and apply final paint coat over entire unbroken surface containing the patch. Provide additional coats until patch blends with adjacent surfaces.
  - 4. Ceilings: Patch, repair, or rehang in-place ceilings as necessary to provide an even-plane surface of uniform appearance.
  - 5. Exterior Building Enclosure: Patch components in a manner that restores enclosure to a weather tight condition and ensures thermal and moisture integrity of building enclosure.
- F. Cleaning: Clean areas and spaces where cutting and patching are performed. Remove paint, mortar, oils, putty, and similar materials from adjacent finished surfaces.

### 3.7 PROGRESS CLEANING

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- A. General: Clean Project site and work areas daily, including common areas. Enforce requirements strictly. Dispose of materials lawfully.
  - 1. Comply with requirements in NFPA 241 for removal of combustible waste materials and debris.
  - 2. Do not hold waste materials more than seven days during normal weather or three days if the temperature is expected to rise above 80 deg F (27 deg C).
  - 3. Containerize hazardous and unsanitary waste materials separately from other waste. Mark containers appropriately and dispose of legally, according to regulations.
    - Use containers intended for holding waste materials of type to be stored.
  - 4. Coordinate progress cleaning for joint-use areas where Contractor and other contractors are working concurrently.
  - B. Site: Maintain Project site free of waste materials and debris.
  - C. Work Areas: Clean areas where work is in progress to the level of cleanliness necessary for proper execution of the Work.
    - 1. Remove liquid spills promptly.
    - 2. Where dust would impair proper execution of the Work, broom-clean or vacuum the entire work area, as appropriate.
  - D. Installed Work: Keep installed work clean. Clean installed surfaces according to written instructions of manufacturer or fabricator of product installed, using only cleaning materials specifically recommended. If specific cleaning materials are not recommended, use cleaning materials that are not hazardous to health or property and that will not damage exposed surfaces.
  - E. Concealed Spaces: Remove debris from concealed spaces before enclosing the space.
  - F. Exposed Surfaces in Finished Areas: Clean exposed surfaces and protect as necessary to ensure freedom from damage and deterioration at time of Substantial Completion.



- G. Waste Disposal: Do not bury or burn waste materials on-site. Do not wash waste materials down sewers or into waterways. Comply with waste disposal requirements in **Section 017419 "Construction Waste Management and Disposal."**
- H. During handling and installation, clean and protect construction in progress and adjoining materials already in place. Apply protective covering where required to ensure protection from damage or deterioration at Substantial Completion.
- I. Clean and provide maintenance on completed construction as frequently as necessary through the remainder of the construction period. Adjust and lubricate operable components to ensure operability without damaging effects.
- J. Limiting Exposures: Supervise construction operations to assure that no part of the construction, completed or in progress, is subject to harmful, dangerous, damaging, or otherwise deleterious exposure during the construction period.

### 3.8 STARTING AND ADJUSTING

- A. Coordinate startup and adjusting of equipment and operating components with requirements in Section 019113 "General Commissioning Requirements."
- B. Start equipment and operating components to confirm proper operation. Remove malfunctioning units, replace with new units, and retest.
- C. Adjust equipment for proper operation. Adjust operating components for proper operation without binding.
- D. Test each piece of equipment to verify proper operation. Test and adjust controls and safeties. Replace damaged and malfunctioning controls and equipment.
- E. Manufacturer's Field Service: Comply with qualification requirements in Section 014000 "Quality Requirements."

### 3.9 PROTECTION OF INSTALLED CONSTRUCTION

- A. Provide final protection and maintain conditions that ensure installed Work is without damage or deterioration at time of Substantial Completion.
- B. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions for temperature and relative humidity.

END OF SECTION 01 73 00



SECTION 01 74 19 - CONSTRUCTION WASTE MANAGEMENT AND DISPOSAL

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for the following:
    - 1. Disposing of nonhazardous construction waste.
  - B. Related Requirements:
    - 1. Section 042000 "Unit Masonry" for disposal requirements for masonry waste.
    - 2. Section 311000 "Site Clearing" for disposition of waste resulting from site clearing and removal of above- and below-grade improvements.

### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Construction Waste: Building and site improvement materials and other solid waste resulting from construction, remodeling, renovation, or repair operations. Construction waste includes packaging.
- B. Disposal: Removal off-site of demolition and construction waste and subsequent sale, recycling, reuse, or deposit in landfill or incinerator acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.
- 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Regulatory Requirements: Comply with hauling and disposal regulations of authorities having jurisdiction.
- PART 2 PRODUCTS (Not Used)

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.1 PLAN IMPLEMENTATION

- A. General: Implement approved waste management plan. Provide handling, containers, storage, signage, transportation, and other items as required to implement waste management plan during the entire duration of the Contract.
  - 1. Comply with operation, termination, and removal requirements in Section 015000 "Temporary Facilities and Controls."
- B. Training: Train workers, subcontractors, and suppliers on proper waste management procedures, as appropriate for the Work.
  - 1. Distribute waste management plan to everyone concerned within three days of submittal return.
  - 2. Distribute waste management plan to entities when they first begin work on-site. Review plan procedures and locations established for salvage, recycling, and disposal.
- C. Site Access and Temporary Controls: Conduct waste management operations to ensure minimum interference with roads, streets, walks, walkways, and other adjacent occupied and used facilities.
  - 1. Designate and label specific areas on Project site necessary for separating materials that are to be salvaged, recycled, reused, donated, and sold.
  - 2. Comply with Section 015000 "Temporary Facilities and Controls" for controlling dust and dirt, environmental protection, and noise control.

#### 3.2 DISPOSAL OF WASTE

- A. General: Except for items or materials to be salvaged, recycled, or otherwise reused, remove waste materials from Project site and legally dispose of them in a landfill or incinerator acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.
  - 1. Except as otherwise specified, do not allow waste materials that are to be disposed of accumulate on-site.
  - 2. Remove and transport debris in a manner that will prevent spillage on adjacent surfaces and areas.
- B. Burning: Do not burn waste materials.
- C. Disposal: Remove waste materials from Owner's property and legally dispose of them.

END OF SECTION 01 74 19



# SECTION 01 77 00 - CLOSEOUT PROCEDURES

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for contract closeout, including, but not limited to, the following:
    - 1. Substantial Completion procedures.
    - 2. Final completion procedures.
    - 3. Warranties.
    - 4. Final cleaning.
    - 5. Repair of the Work.
  - B. Related Requirements:
    - 1. Section 013233 "Photographic Documentation" for submitting final completion construction photographic documentation.
    - 2. Section 017300 "Execution" for progress cleaning of Project site.
    - 3. Section 017823 "Operation and Maintenance Data" for operation and maintenance manual requirements.
    - 4. Section 017839 "Project Record Documents" for submitting record Drawings, record Specifications, and record Product Data.
    - 5. Section 017900 "Demonstration and Training" for requirements for instructing Owner's personnel.

## 1.3 CLOSEOUT PROCEDURES MEETING

- A. Prior to organizing, assembling and submitting closeout documents, schedule with the Architect and Owner, a closeout meeting to discuss the process and submission of the items noted below.
- B. Present at the meeting shall be the contractor's project's manager and superintendent.
- C. The Owner reserves the right to modify the format of the closeout documents and this meeting shall serve as the means to discuss such preference.

## 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For cleaning agents.
- B. Contractor's List of Incomplete Items: Initial submittal at Substantial Completion.
- C. Certified List of Incomplete Items: Final submittal at Final Completion.

## 1.5 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Certificates of Release: From authorities having jurisdiction.
- B. Certificate of Insurance: For continuing coverage.
- C. Field Report: For pest control inspection.
- 1.6 MAINTENANCE MATERIAL SUBMITTALS
  - A. Schedule of Maintenance Material Items: For maintenance material submittal items specified in other Sections.
- 1.7 SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION PROCEDURES
  - A. Contractor's List of Incomplete Items: Prepare and submit a list of items to be completed and corrected (Contractor's punch list), indicating the value of each item on the list and reasons why the Work is incomplete.
  - B. Submittals Prior to Substantial Completion: Complete the following a minimum of 10 days prior to requesting inspection for determining date of Substantial Completion. List items below that are incomplete at time of request.
    - 1. Certificates of Release: Obtain and submit releases from authorities having jurisdiction permitting Owner unrestricted use of the Work and access to services and utilities. Include occupancy permits, operating certificates, and similar releases.
    - 2. Submit closeout submittals specified in other Division 01 Sections, including project record documents, operation and maintenance manuals, final completion construction photographic documentation, damage or settlement surveys, property surveys, and similar final record information.



- 3. Submit closeout submittals specified in individual Sections, including specific warranties, workmanship bonds, maintenance service agreements, final certifications, and similar documents.
- C. Procedures Prior to Substantial Completion: Complete the following a minimum of 10 days prior to requesting inspection for determining date of Substantial Completion. List items below that are incomplete at time of request.
  - 1. Advise Owner of pending insurance changeover requirements.
  - 2. Make final changeover of permanent locks and deliver keys to Owner. Advise Owner's personnel of changeover in security provisions.
  - 3. Instruct Owner's personnel in operation, adjustment, and maintenance of products, equipment, and systems. Submit demonstration and training video recordings specified in Section 017900 "Demonstration and Training."
  - 4. Advise Owner of changeover in heat and other utilities.
  - 5. Complete final cleaning requirements, including touchup painting.
  - 6. Touch up and otherwise repair and restore marred exposed finishes to eliminate visual defects.
- D. Inspection: Submit a written request for inspection to determine Substantial Completion a minimum of 10 days prior to date the work will be completed and ready for final inspection and tests. On receipt of request, Architect will either proceed with inspection or notify Contractor of unfulfilled requirements. Architect will prepare the Certificate of Substantial Completion after inspection or will notify Contractor of items, either on Contractor's list or additional items identified by Architect, that must be completed or corrected before certificate will be issued.
  - 1. Reinspection: Request reinspection when the Work identified in previous inspections as incomplete is completed or corrected.
  - 2. Results of completed inspection will form the basis of requirements for final completion.

### 1.8 FINAL COMPLETION PROCEDURES

- A. Submittals Prior to Final Completion: Before requesting final inspection for determining final completion, complete the following:
  - 1. Submit a final Application for Payment according to Section 012900 "Payment Procedures."
  - 2. Certified List of Incomplete Items: Submit certified copy of Architect's Substantial Completion inspection list of items to be completed or corrected (punch list), endorsed and dated by Architect. Certified copy of the list shall state that each item has been completed or otherwise resolved for acceptance.
  - 3. Certificate of Insurance: Submit evidence of final, continuing insurance coverage complying with insurance requirements.
  - 4. Submit pest-control final inspection report.
- B. Inspection: Submit a written request for final inspection to determine acceptance a minimum of 10 days prior to date the work will be completed and ready for final inspection and tests. On receipt of request, Architect will either proceed with inspection or notify Contractor of unfulfilled requirements. Architect will prepare a final Certificate for Payment after inspection or will notify Contractor of construction that must be completed or corrected before certificate will be issued.
  - 1. Reinspection: Request reinspection when the Work identified in previous inspections as incomplete is completed or corrected.

## 1.9 LIST OF INCOMPLETE ITEMS (PUNCH LIST)

- A. Organization of List: Include name and identification of each space and area affected by construction operations for incomplete items and items needing correction including, if necessary, areas disturbed by Contractor that are outside the limits of construction. Use CSI Form 14.1A.
  - 1. Organize list of spaces in sequential order, starting with exterior areas first and proceeding from lowest floor to highest floor.
  - 2. Organize items applying to each space by major element, including categories for ceiling, individual walls, floors, equipment, and building systems.
  - 3. Include the following information at the top of each page:
    - a. Project name.
    - b. Date.
    - c. Name of Architect.



- d. Name of Contractor.
- e. Page number.
- 4. Submit list of incomplete items in the following format:
  - a. MS Excel electronic file. Architect will return annotated file.

## 1.10 SUBMITTAL OF PROJECT WARRANTIES

- A. Time of Submittal: Submit written warranties on request of Architect for designated portions of the Work where commencement of warranties other than date of Substantial Completion is indicated, or when delay in submittal of warranties might limit Owner's rights under warranty.
  - B. Partial Occupancy: Submit properly executed warranties within 15 days of completion of designated portions of the Work that are completed and occupied or used by Owner during construction period by separate agreement with Contractor.
  - C. Organize warranty documents into an orderly sequence based on the table of contents of Project Manual.
    - 1. Bind warranties and bonds in heavy-duty, three-ring, vinyl-covered, loose-leaf binders, thickness as necessary to accommodate contents, and sized to receive 8-1/2-by-11-inch (215-by-280-mm) paper.
    - 2. Provide heavy paper dividers with plastic-covered tabs for each separate warranty. Mark tab to identify the product or installation. Provide a typed description of the product or installation, including the name of the product and the name, address, and telephone number of Installer.
    - 3. Identify each binder on the front and spine with the typed or printed title "WARRANTIES," Project name, and name of Contractor.
    - 4. Warranty Electronic File: Scan warranties and bonds and assemble complete warranty and bond submittal package into a single indexed electronic PDF file with links enabling navigation to each item. Provide bookmarked table of contents at beginning of document.
- D. Provide additional copies of each warranty to include in operation and maintenance manuals.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.1 MATERIALS

- A. Cleaning Agents: Use cleaning materials and agents recommended by manufacturer or fabricator of the surface to be cleaned. Do not use cleaning agents that are potentially hazardous to health or property or that might damage finished surfaces.
  - 1. Use cleaning products that comply with Green Seal's GS-37, or if GS-37 is not applicable, use products that comply with the California Code of Regulations maximum allowable VOC levels.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.1 FINAL CLEANING

- A. General: Perform final cleaning. Conduct cleaning and waste-removal operations to comply with local laws and ordinances and Federal and local environmental and antipollution regulations.
- B. Cleaning: Employ experienced workers or professional cleaners for final cleaning. Clean each surface or unit to condition expected in an average commercial building cleaning and maintenance program. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions.
  - 1. Complete the following cleaning operations before requesting inspection for certification of Substantial Completion for entire Project or for a designated portion of Project:
    - a. Clean Project site, yard, and grounds, in areas disturbed by construction activities, including landscape development areas, of rubbish, waste material, litter, and other foreign substances.
    - b. Sweep paved areas broom clean. Remove petrochemical spills, stains, and other foreign deposits.
    - c. Remove tools, construction equipment, machinery, and surplus material from Project site.
    - d. Clean exposed exterior and interior hard-surfaced finishes to a dirt-free condition, free of stains, films, and similar foreign substances. Avoid disturbing natural weathering of exterior surfaces. Restore reflective surfaces to their original condition.
    - e. Remove debris and surface dust from limited access spaces, including roofs, plenums, shafts, trenches, equipment vaults, manholes, attics, and similar spaces.
    - f. Sweep concrete floors broom clean in unoccupied spaces.
    - g. Vacuum carpet and similar soft surfaces, removing debris and excess nap; clean according to manufacturer's recommendations if visible soil or stains remain.



- h. Clean transparent materials, including mirrors and glass in doors and windows. Remove glazing compounds and other noticeable, vision-obscuring materials. Polish mirrors and glass, taking care not to scratch surfaces.
- i. Remove labels that are not permanent.
- j. Wipe surfaces of mechanical and electrical equipment and similar equipment. Remove excess lubrication, paint and mortar droppings, and other foreign substances.
- k. Clean plumbing fixtures to a sanitary condition, free of stains, including stains resulting from water exposure.
- I. Replace disposable air filters and clean permanent air filters. Clean exposed surfaces of diffusers, registers, and grills.
- m. Clean ducts, blowers, and coils if units were operated without filters during construction or that display contamination with particulate matter on inspection.
  - 1) Clean HVAC system in compliance with NADCA Standard 1992-01. Provide written report on completion of cleaning.
- n. Clean light fixtures, lamps, globes, and reflectors to function with full efficiency.
- o. Leave Project clean and ready for occupancy.
- C. Construction Waste Disposal: Comply with waste disposal requirements in Section 017419 "Construction Waste Management and Disposal."
- 3.2 REPAIR OF THE WORK
  - A. Complete repair and restoration operations before requesting inspection for determination of Substantial Completion.
  - B. Repair or remove and replace defective construction. Repairing includes replacing defective parts, refinishing damaged surfaces, touching up with matching materials, and properly adjusting operating equipment. Where damaged or worn items cannot be repaired or restored, provide replacements. Remove and replace operating components that cannot be repaired. Restore damaged construction and permanent facilities used during construction to specified condition.
    - 1. Remove and replace chipped, scratched, and broken glass, reflective surfaces, and other damaged transparent materials.
    - 2. Touch up and otherwise repair and restore marred or exposed finishes and surfaces. Replace finishes and surfaces that that already show evidence of repair or restoration.
      - a. Do not paint over "UL" and other required labels and identification, including mechanical and electrical nameplates. Remove paint applied to required labels and identification.
    - 3. Replace parts subject to operating conditions during construction that may impede operation or reduce longevity.
    - 4. Replace burned-out bulbs, bulbs noticeably dimmed by hours of use, and defective and noisy starters in fluorescent and mercury vapor fixtures to comply with requirements for new fixtures.

END OF SECTION 01 77 00



## SECTION 01 78 23 - OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE DATA

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

## 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for preparing operation and maintenance manuals, including the following:
  - 1. Operation and maintenance documentation directory.
  - 2. Operation manuals for systems, subsystems, and equipment.
  - 3. Product maintenance manuals.
  - 4. Systems and equipment maintenance manuals.
- B. Related Requirements:
  - 1. Section 013300 "Submittal Procedures" for submitting copies of submittals for operation and maintenance manuals.
  - 2. Section 019113 "General Commissioning Requirements" for verification and compilation of data into operation and maintenance manuals.

### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. System: An organized collection of parts, equipment, or subsystems united by regular interaction.
- B. Subsystem: A portion of a system with characteristics similar to a system.
- 1.4 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS
  - A. Manual Content: Operations and maintenance manual content is specified in individual Specification Sections to be reviewed at the time of Section submittals. Submit reviewed manual content formatted and organized as required by this Section.
    - 1. Architect will comment on whether content of operations and maintenance submittals are acceptable.
    - 2. Where applicable, clarify and update reviewed manual content to correspond to revisions and field conditions.
  - B. Format: Submit operations and maintenance manuals in the following format:
    - 1. PDF electronic file. Assemble each manual into a composite electronically indexed file. Submit on digital media acceptable to Architect.
      - a. Name each indexed document file in composite electronic index with applicable item name. Include a complete electronically linked operation and maintenance directory.
      - b. Enable inserted reviewer Comments on draft submittals.
    - 2. Two paper copies. Include a complete operation and maintenance directory. Enclose title pages and directories in clear plastic sleeves. Architect will return **two** copies.
  - C. Initial Manual Submittal: Submit draft copy of each manual at least 30 days before commencing demonstration and training. Architect will comment on whether general scope and content of manual are acceptable.
  - D. Final Manual Submittal: Submit each manual in final form prior to requesting inspection for Substantial Completion and at least 15 days before commencing demonstration and training. Architect will return copy with comments.
    - 1. Correct or revise each manual to comply with Architect's comments. Submit copies of each corrected manual within 15 days of receipt of Architect's comments and prior to commencing demonstration and training.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE DOCUMENTATION DIRECTORY

- A. Directory: Prepare a single, comprehensive directory of emergency, operation, and maintenance data and materials, listing items and their location to facilitate ready access to desired information. Include a section in the directory for each of the following:
  - 1. List of documents.



- 2. List of systems.
- 3. List of equipment.
- 4. Table of contents.
- B. List of Systems and Subsystems: List systems alphabetically. Include references to operation and maintenance manuals that contain information about each system.
- C. List of Equipment: List equipment for each system, organized alphabetically by system. For pieces of equipment not part of system, list alphabetically in separate list.
- D. Tables of Contents: Include a table of contents for each emergency, operation, and maintenance manual.
- E. Identification: In the documentation directory and in each operation and maintenance manual, identify each system, subsystem, and piece of equipment with same designation used in the Contract Documents. If no designation exists, assign a designation according to ASHRAE Guideline 4, "Preparation of Operating and Maintenance Documentation for Building Systems."
- 2.2 REQUIREMENTS FOR EMERGENCY, OPERATION, AND MAINTENANCE MANUALS
  - A. Organization: Unless otherwise indicated, organize each manual into a separate section for each system and subsystem, and a separate section for each piece of equipment not part of a system. Each manual shall contain the following materials, in the order listed:
    - 1. Title page.
    - 2. Table of contents.
    - 3. Manual contents.
    - B. Title Page: Include the following information:
      - 1. Subject matter included in manual.
      - 2. Name and address of Project.
      - 3. Name and address of Owner.
      - 4. Date of submittal.
      - 5. Name and contact information for Contractor.
      - 6. Cross-reference to related systems in other operation and maintenance manuals.
    - C. Table of Contents: List each product included in manual, identified by product name, indexed to the content of the volume, and cross-referenced to Specification Section number in Project Manual.
      - 1. If operation or maintenance documentation requires more than one volume to accommodate data, include comprehensive table of contents for all volumes in each volume of the set.
    - D. Manual Contents: Organize into sets of manageable size. Arrange contents alphabetically by system, subsystem, and equipment. If possible, assemble instructions for subsystems, equipment, and components of one system into a single binder.
    - E. Manuals, Electronic Files: Submit manuals in the form of a multiple file composite electronic PDF file for each manual type required.
      - 1. Electronic Files: Use electronic files prepared by manufacturer where available. Where scanning of paper documents is required, configure scanned file for minimum readable file size.
      - 2. File Names and Bookmarks: Enable bookmarking of individual documents based on file names. Name document files to correspond to system, subsystem, and equipment names used in manual directory and table of contents. Group documents for each system and subsystem into individual composite bookmarked files, then create composite manual, so that resulting bookmarks reflect the system, subsystem, and equipment names in a readily navigated file tree. Configure electronic manual to display bookmark panel on opening file.

## 2.3 OPERATION MANUALS

- A. Content: In addition to requirements in this Section, include operation data required in individual Specification Sections and the following information:
  - 1. System, subsystem, and equipment descriptions. Use designations for systems and equipment indicated on Contract Documents.
  - 2. Operating standards.
  - 3. Operating procedures.
  - 4. Operating logs.



- 5. Wiring diagrams.
- 6. Control diagrams.
- 7. Piped system diagrams.
- 8. Precautions against improper use.
- 9. License requirements including inspection and renewal dates.
- B. Descriptions: Include the following:
  - 1. Product name and model number. Use designations for products indicated on Contract Documents.
  - 2. Manufacturer's name.
  - 3. Equipment identification with serial number of each component.
  - 4. Equipment function.
  - 5. Operating characteristics.
  - 6. Limiting conditions.
  - 7. Performance curves.
  - 8. Engineering data and tests.
  - 9. Complete nomenclature and number of replacement parts.
- C. Operating Procedures: Include the following, as applicable:
  - 1. Startup procedures.
  - 2. Equipment or system break-in procedures.
  - 3. Routine and normal operating instructions.
  - 4. Regulation and control procedures.
  - 5. Instructions on stopping.
  - 6. Normal shutdown instructions.
  - 7. Seasonal and weekend operating instructions.
  - 8. Required sequences for electric or electronic systems.
  - 9. Special operating instructions and procedures.
- D. Systems and Equipment Controls: Describe the sequence of operation, and diagram controls as installed.
- E. Piped Systems: Diagram piping as installed, and identify color-coding where required for identification.

# 2.4 PRODUCT MAINTENANCE MANUALS

- A. Content: Organize manual into a separate section for each product, material, and finish. Include source information, product information, maintenance procedures, repair materials and sources, and warranties and bonds, as described below.
- B. Source Information: List each product included in manual, identified by product name and arranged to match manual's table of contents. For each product, list name, address, and telephone number of Installer or supplier and maintenance service agent, and cross-reference Specification Section number and title in Project Manual and drawing or schedule designation or identifier where applicable.
- C. Product Information: Include the following, as applicable:
  - 1. Product name and model number.
  - 2. Manufacturer's name.
  - 3. Color, pattern, and texture.
  - 4. Material and chemical composition.
  - 5. Reordering information for specially manufactured products.
- D. Maintenance Procedures: Include manufacturer's written recommendations and the following:
  - 1. Inspection procedures.
  - 2. Types of cleaning agents to be used and methods of cleaning.
  - 3. List of cleaning agents and methods of cleaning detrimental to product.
  - 4. Schedule for routine cleaning and maintenance.
  - 5. Repair instructions.



- E. Repair Materials and Sources: Include lists of materials and local sources of materials and related services.
- F. Warranties and Bonds: Include copies of warranties and bonds and lists of circumstances and conditions that would affect validity of warranties or bonds.
- 1. Include procedures to follow and required notifications for warranty claims.

#### 2.5 SYSTEMS AND EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE MANUALS

- A. Content: For each system, subsystem, and piece of equipment not part of a system, include source information, manufacturers' maintenance documentation, maintenance procedures, maintenance and service schedules, spare parts list and source information, maintenance service contracts, and warranty and bond information, as described below.
- B. Source Information: List each system, subsystem, and piece of equipment included in manual, identified by product name and arranged to match manual's table of contents. For each product, list name, address, and telephone number of Installer or supplier and maintenance service agent, and cross-reference Specification Section number and title in Project Manual and drawing or schedule designation or identifier where applicable.
- C. Manufacturers' Maintenance Documentation: Manufacturers' maintenance documentation including the following information for each component part or piece of equipment:
  - 1. Standard maintenance instructions and bulletins.
  - 2. Drawings, diagrams, and instructions required for maintenance, including disassembly and component removal, replacement, and assembly.
  - 3. Identification and nomenclature of parts and components.
  - 4. List of items recommended to be stocked as spare parts.
- D. Maintenance Procedures: Include the following information and items that detail essential maintenance procedures:
  - 1. Test and inspection instructions.
  - 2. Troubleshooting guide.
  - 3. Precautions against improper maintenance.
  - 4. Disassembly; component removal, repair, and replacement; and reassembly instructions.
  - 5. Aligning, adjusting, and checking instructions.
  - 6. Demonstration and training video recording, if available.
- E. Maintenance and Service Schedules: Include service and lubrication requirements, list of required lubricants for equipment, and separate schedules for preventive and routine maintenance and service with standard time allotment.
  - 1. Scheduled Maintenance and Service: Tabulate actions for daily, weekly, monthly, quarterly, semiannual, and annual frequencies.
  - 2. Maintenance and Service Record: Include manufacturers' forms for recording maintenance.
- F. Spare Parts List and Source Information: Include lists of replacement and repair parts, with parts identified and cross-referenced to manufacturers' maintenance documentation and local sources of maintenance materials and related services.
- G. Warranties and Bonds: Include copies of warranties and bonds and lists of circumstances and conditions that would affect validity of warranties or bonds.
  - 1. Include procedures to follow and required notifications for warranty claims.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 MANUAL PREPARATION

- A. Operation and Maintenance Documentation Directory: Prepare a separate manual that provides an organized reference to emergency, operation, and maintenance manuals.
- B. Product Maintenance Manual: Assemble a complete set of maintenance data indicating care and maintenance of each product, material, and finish incorporated into the Work.
- C. Operation and Maintenance Manuals: Assemble a complete set of operation and maintenance data indicating operation and maintenance of each system, subsystem, and piece of equipment not part of a system.



- 1. Engage a factory-authorized service representative to assemble and prepare information for each system, subsystem, and piece of equipment not part of a system.
- 2. Prepare a separate manual for each system and subsystem, in the form of an instructional manual for use by Owner's operating personnel.
- D. Manufacturers' Data: Where manuals contain manufacturers' standard printed data, include only sheets pertinent to product or component installed. Mark each sheet to identify each product or component incorporated into the Work. If data include more than one item in a tabular format, identify each item using appropriate references from the Contract Documents. Identify data applicable to the Work and delete references to information not applicable.
  - 1. Prepare supplementary text if manufacturers' standard printed data are not available and where the information is necessary for proper operation and maintenance of equipment or systems.
- E. Drawings: Prepare drawings supplementing manufacturers' printed data to illustrate the relationship of component parts of equipment and systems and to illustrate control sequence and flow diagrams. Coordinate these drawings with information contained in record Drawings to ensure correct illustration of completed installation.
  - 1. Do not use original project record documents as part of operation and maintenance manuals.
  - 2. Comply with requirements of newly prepared record Drawings in Section 017839 "Project Record Documents."
- F. Comply with Section 017700 "Closeout Procedures" for schedule for submitting operation and maintenance documentation.

END OF SECTION 01 78 23



# SECTION 01 78 39 - PROJECT RECORD DOCUMENTS

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for project record documents, including the following:
    - 1. Record Drawings.
    - 2. Record Specifications.
- B. Related Requirements:

# Section 017300 "Execution" for final property survey.

- 2. Section 017700 "Closeout Procedures" for general closeout procedures.
- 3. Section 017823 "Operation and Maintenance Data" for operation and maintenance manual requirements.
- 1.3 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS
  - A. Record Drawings: Comply with the following:
    - 1. Number of Copies: Submit **one** set of marked-up record prints.
    - 2. Number of Copies: Submit copies of record Drawings as follows:
      - a. Initial Submittal:
        - 1) Submit record digital data files and **one** set of plots.
        - 2) Architect will indicate whether general scope of changes, additional information recorded, and quality of drafting are acceptable.
      - b. Final Submittal:
        - 1) Submit one paper-copy set(s) of marked-up record prints.
        - 2) Submit record digital data files and three set(s) of record digital data file plots.
        - 3) Plot each drawing file, whether or not changes and additional information were recorded.
        - 4) Include chronologically any ASI, RFI response, and / or change in scope directive respectively with its associated sheet.
  - B. Record Specifications: Submit annotated PDF electronic files of Project's Specifications, including addenda and contract modifications.
  - C. Reports: Submit written report weekly indicating items incorporated into project record documents concurrent with progress of the Work, including revisions, concealed conditions, field changes, product selections, and other notations incorporated.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

# 2.1 RECORD DRAWINGS

- A. Record Prints: Maintain one set of marked-up paper copies of the Contract Drawings and Shop Drawings, incorporating new and revised drawings as modifications are issued.
  - 1. Preparation: Mark record prints to show the actual installation where installation varies from that shown originally. Require individual or entity who obtained record data, whether individual or entity is Installer, subcontractor, or similar entity, to provide information for preparation of corresponding marked-up record prints.
    - a. Give particular attention to information on concealed elements that would be difficult to identify or measure and record later.
    - b. Accurately record information in an acceptable drawing technique.
    - c. Record data as soon as possible after obtaining it.
    - d. Record and check the markup before enclosing concealed installations.
    - e. Cross-reference record prints to corresponding archive photographic documentation.
  - 2. Content: Types of items requiring marking include, but are not limited to, the following:
    - a. Dimensional changes to Drawings.



- b. Revisions to details shown on Drawings.
- c. Depths of foundations below first floor.
- d. Locations and depths of underground utilities.
- e. Revisions to routing of piping and conduits.
- f. Revisions to electrical circuitry.
- g. Actual equipment locations.
- h. Duct size and routing.
- i. Locations of concealed internal utilities.
- j. Changes made by Change Order, Construction Change Directive, RFI response, ASI, or field directive.
- k. Changes made following Architect's written orders.
- I. Details not on the original Contract Drawings.
- m. Field records for variable and concealed conditions.
- n. Record information on the Work that is shown only schematically.
- 3. Mark the Contract Drawings and Shop Drawings completely and accurately. Use personnel proficient at recording graphic information in production of marked-up record prints.
- 4. Mark record sets with erasable, red-colored pencil. Use other colors to distinguish between changes for different categories of the Work at same location.
- 5. Mark important additional information that was either shown schematically or omitted from original Drawings.
- 6. Note Construction Change Directive numbers, alternate numbers, Change Order numbers, and similar identification, where applicable.
- B. Record Digital Data Files: Immediately before inspection for Certificate of Substantial Completion, review marked-up record prints with Architect. When authorized, prepare a full set of corrected digital data files of the Contract Drawings, as follows:
  - 1. Format: Same digital data software program, version, and operating system as the original Contract Drawings. **Owner may opt to have files in .PDF format.**
  - 2. Incorporate changes and additional information previously marked on record prints. Delete, redraw, and add details and notations where applicable.
  - 3. Refer instances of uncertainty to Architect for resolution.
  - 4. Architect will furnish Contractor one set of digital data files of the Contract Drawings for use in recording information.
    - a. See Section 013300 "Submittal Procedures" for requirements related to use of Architect's digital data files.
    - b. Architect will provide data file layer information. Record markups in separate layers.
- C. Format: Identify and date each record Drawing; include the designation "PROJECT RECORD DRAWING" in a prominent location.
  - 1. Record Prints: Organize record prints and newly prepared record Drawings into manageable sets. Bind each set with durable paper cover sheets. Include identification on cover sheets.
  - Record Digital Data Files: Organize digital data information into separate electronic files that correspond to each sheet of the Contract Drawings. Name each file with the sheet identification. Include identification in each digital data file. Include corresponding change (change order, change directive, etc.) following its respective sheet identification.
  - 3. Identification: As follows:
    - a. Project name.
    - b. Date.
    - c. Designation "PROJECT RECORD DRAWINGS."
    - d. Name of Architect.
    - e. Name of Contractor.
- 2.2 RECORD SPECIFICATIONS



- A. Preparation: Mark Specifications to indicate the actual product installation where installation varies from that indicated in Specifications, addenda, and contract modifications.
  - 1. Give particular attention to information on concealed products and installations that cannot be readily identified and recorded later.
  - 2. Mark copy with the proprietary name and model number of products, materials, and equipment furnished, including substitutions and product options selected.
  - 3. Record the name of manufacturer, supplier, Installer, and other information necessary to provide a record of selections made.
  - 4. For each principal product, indicate whether record Product Data has been submitted in operation and maintenance manuals instead of submitted as record Product Data.
  - 5. Note related Change Orders, record Product Data, and record Drawings where applicable.
- B. Format: Submit record Specifications as scanned PDF electronic file(s) of marked-up paper copy of Specifications.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.1 RECORDING AND MAINTENANCE

- A. Recording: Maintain one copy of each submittal during the construction period for project record document purposes. Post changes and revisions to project record documents as they occur; do not wait until end of Project.
- B. Maintenance of Record Documents and Samples: Store record documents and Samples in the field office apart from the Contract Documents used for construction. Do not use project record documents for construction purposes. Maintain record documents in good order and in a clean, dry, legible condition, protected from deterioration and loss. Provide access to project record documents for Architect's reference during normal working hours.

END OF SECTION 01 78 39



## SECTION 01 79 00 - DEMONSTRATION AND TRAINING

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section includes administrative and procedural requirements for instructing Owner's personnel, including the following:
    - 1. Demonstration of operation of systems, subsystems, and equipment.
    - 2. Training in operation and maintenance of systems, subsystems, and equipment.
    - 3. Demonstration and training video recordings.

### 1.3 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Instruction Program: Submit outline of instructional program for demonstration and training, including a list of training modules and a schedule of proposed dates, times, length of instruction time, and instructors' names for each training module. Include learning objective and outline for each training module.
  - 1. Indicate proposed training modules using manufacturer-produced demonstration and training video recordings for systems, equipment, and products in lieu of video recording of live instructional module.
- B. Qualification Data: For facilitator, instructor and videographer.
- C. Attendance Record: For each training module, submit list of participants and length of instruction time.
- D. Evaluations: For each participant and for each training module, submit results and documentation of performance-based test.

### 1.4 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

A. Demonstration and Training Video Recordings: Submit two copies within seven days of end of each training module.

- 1. Identification: On each copy, provide an applied label with the following information:
  - a. Name of Project.
  - b. Name and address of videographer.
  - c. Name of Architect.
  - d. Name of Construction Manager.
  - e. Name of Contractor.
  - f. Date of video recording.
- 2. Transcript: Prepared and bound in format matching operation and maintenance manuals. Mark appropriate identification on front and spine of each binder. Include a cover sheet with same label information as the corresponding video recording. Include name of Project and date of video recording on each page.
- 3. Transcript: Prepared in PDF electronic format. Include a cover sheet with same label information as the corresponding video recording and a table of contents with links to corresponding training components. Include name of Project and date of video recording on each page.
- 4. At completion of training, submit complete training manual(s) for Owner's use prepared and bound in format matching operation and maintenance manuals.

## 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Facilitator Qualifications: A firm or individual experienced in training or educating maintenance personnel in a training program similar in content and extent to that indicated for this Project, and whose work has resulted in training or education with a record of successful learning performance.
- B. Instructor Qualifications: A factory-authorized service representative, complying with requirements in Section 014000 "Quality Requirements," experienced in operation and maintenance procedures and training.
- C. Videographer Qualifications: A professional videographer who is experienced photographing demonstration and training events similar to those required.



- D. Pre-instruction Conference: Conduct conference at Project site to comply with requirements in Section 013100 "Project Management and Coordination." Review methods and procedures related to demonstration and training including, but not limited to, the following:
  - 1. Inspect and discuss locations and other facilities required for instruction.
  - 2. Review and finalize instruction schedule and verify availability of educational materials, instructors' personnel, audiovisual equipment, and facilities needed to avoid delays.
  - 3. Review required content of instruction.
  - 4. For instruction that must occur outside, review weather and forecasted weather conditions and procedures to follow if conditions are unfavorable.

# 1.6 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate instruction schedule with Owner's operations. Adjust schedule as required to minimize disrupting Owner's operations and to ensure availability of Owner's personnel.
- B. Coordinate instructors, including providing notification of dates, times, length of instruction time, and course content.
- C. Coordinate content of training modules with content of approved emergency, operation, and maintenance manuals. Do not submit instruction program until operation and maintenance data has been reviewed and approved by Architect.

# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.1 INSTRUCTION PROGRAM

- A. Program Structure: Develop an instruction program that includes individual training modules for each system and for equipment not part of a system, as required by individual Specification Sections.
- B. Training Modules: Develop a learning objective and teaching outline for each module. Include a description of specific skills and knowledge that participant is expected to master. For each module, include instruction for the following as applicable to the system, equipment, or component:
  - 1. Basis of System Design, Operational Requirements, and Criteria: Include the following:
    - a. System, subsystem, and equipment descriptions.
    - b. Performance and design criteria if Contractor is delegated design responsibility.
    - c. Operating standards.
    - d. Regulatory requirements.
    - e. Equipment function.
    - f. Operating characteristics.
    - g. Limiting conditions.
    - h. Performance curves.
  - 2. Documentation: Review the following items in detail:
    - a. Emergency manuals.
    - b. Operations manuals.
    - c. Maintenance manuals.
    - d. Project record documents.
    - e. Identification systems.
    - f. Warranties and bonds.
    - g. Maintenance service agreements and similar continuing commitments.
    - Emergencies: Include the following, as applicable:
      - a. Instructions on meaning of warnings, trouble indications, and error messages.
      - b. Instructions on stopping.
      - c. Shutdown instructions for each type of emergency.
      - d. Operating instructions for conditions outside of normal operating limits.
      - e. Sequences for electric or electronic systems.
      - f. Special operating instructions and procedures.
  - 4. Operations: Include the following, as applicable:
    - a. Startup procedures.
    - b. Equipment or system break-in procedures.

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- c. Routine and normal operating instructions.
- d. Regulation and control procedures.
- e. Control sequences.
- f. Safety procedures.
- g. Instructions on stopping.
- h. Normal shutdown instructions.
- i. Operating procedures for emergencies.
- j. Operating procedures for system, subsystem, or equipment failure.
- k. Seasonal and weekend operating instructions.
- I. Required sequences for electric or electronic systems.
- m. Special operating instructions and procedures.
- 5. Adjustments: Include the following:
  - a. Alignments.
  - b. Checking adjustments.
  - c. Noise and vibration adjustments.
  - d. Economy and efficiency adjustments.
- 6. Troubleshooting: Include the following:
  - a. Diagnostic instructions.
  - b. Test and inspection procedures.
- 7. Maintenance: Include the following:
  - a. Inspection procedures.
  - b. Types of cleaning agents to be used and methods of cleaning.
  - c. List of cleaning agents and methods of cleaning detrimental to product.
  - d. Procedures for routine cleaning
  - e. Procedures for preventive maintenance.
  - f. Procedures for routine maintenance.
  - g. Instruction on use of special tools.
  - Repairs: Include the following:
    - a. Diagnosis instructions.
    - b. Repair instructions.
    - c. Disassembly; component removal, repair, and replacement; and reassembly instructions.
    - d. Instructions for identifying parts and components.
    - e. Review of spare parts needed for operation and maintenance.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

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## 3.1 PREPARATION

- A. Assemble educational materials necessary for instruction, including documentation and training module. Assemble training modules into a training manual organized in coordination with requirements in Section 017823 "Operation and Maintenance Data."
- B. Set up instructional equipment at instruction location.

## 3.2 INSTRUCTION

- A. Facilitator: Engage a qualified facilitator to prepare instruction program and training modules, to coordinate instructors, and to coordinate between Contractor and Owner for number of participants, instruction times, and location.
- B. Engage qualified instructors to instruct Owner's personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain systems, subsystems, and equipment not part of a system.
  - 1. Architect will furnish an instructor to describe basis of system design, operational requirements, criteria, and regulatory requirements.
  - 2. Owner will furnish an instructor to describe Owner's operational philosophy.
  - 3. Owner will furnish Contractor with names and positions of participants.



- C. Scheduling: Provide instruction at mutually agreed on times. For equipment that requires seasonal operation, provide similar instruction at start of each season.
  - 1. Schedule training with Owner, through Architect, with at least seven days' advance notice.
- D. Training Location and Reference Material: Conduct training on-site in the completed and fully operational facility using the actual equipment in-place. Conduct training using final operation and maintenance data submittals.
- E. Cleanup: Collect used and leftover educational materials and remove from Project site. Remove instructional equipment. Restore systems and equipment to condition existing before initial training use.
- 3.3 DEMONSTRATION AND TRAINING VIDEO RECORDINGS
  - A. General: Engage a qualified commercial videographer to record demonstration and training video recordings. Record each training module separately. Include classroom instructions and demonstrations, board diagrams, and other visual aids, but not student practice.
    - 1. At beginning of each training module, record each chart containing learning objective and lesson outline.
    - B. Video: Provide minimum 640 x 480 video resolution converted to format file type acceptable to Owner, on electronic media.
      - 1. Electronic Media: Read-only format compact disc acceptable to Owner, with commercial-grade graphic label.
      - 2. File Hierarchy: Organize folder structure and file locations according to project manual table of contents. Provide complete screen-based menu.
      - 3. File Names: Utilize file names based upon name of equipment generally described in video segment, as identified in Project specifications.
      - 4. Contractor and Installer Contact File: Using appropriate software, create a file for inclusion on the Equipment Demonstration and Training DVD that describes the following for each Contractor involved on the Project, arranged according to Project table of contents:
        - a. Name of Contractor/Installer.
        - b. Business address.
        - c. Business phone number.
        - d. Point of contact.
        - e. E-mail address.
    - C. Recording: Mount camera on tripod before starting recording, unless otherwise necessary to adequately cover area of demonstration and training. Display continuous running time.
      - 1. Film training session(s) in segments not to exceed 15 minutes.
        - a. Produce segments to present a single significant piece of equipment per segment.
        - b. Organize segments with multiple pieces of equipment to follow order of Project Manual table of contents.
        - c. Where a training session on a particular piece of equipment exceeds 15 minutes, stop filming and pause training session. Begin training session again upon commencement of new filming segment.
    - D. Light Levels: Verify light levels are adequate to properly light equipment. Verify equipment markings are clearly visible prior to recording.
      - 1. Furnish additional portable lighting as required.
  - E. Pre-produced Video Recordings: Provide video recordings used as a component of training modules in same format as recordings of live training.

END OF SECTION 01 79 00



### **SECTION 03 20 00 - CONCRETE REINFORCEMENT**

PART 1 GENERAL

#### 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Reinforcing steel, welded wire fabric, tie wires and other related accessories.
- B. Work includes reinforcing for interior and exterior cast-in-place concrete and reinforced concrete unit masonry Work.
- 1.2 RELATED SECTIONS
  - A. Section 033000 Cast-In-Place Concrete.

#### 1.3 REFERENCES

- A. American Concrete Institute (ACI):
  - 1. 301, Structural Concrete.
  - 2. 315, Manual of Standard Practice for Detailing Reinforced Concrete Structures.
  - 3. 318, Building Code Requirements for Reinforced Concrete.
- B. American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM):
  - 1. A82, Cold Drawn Steel Wire for Concrete Reinforcement.
  - 2. A185, Welded Steel Wire Fabric for Concrete Reinforcement.
  - 3. A615, Deformed and Plain Billet Steel Bars for Concrete Reinforcement (including supplementary requirements)
- C. Concrete Reinforcing Steel Institute (CRSI):
  - 1. Manual of Practice.
  - 2. 63, Recommended Practice For Placing Reinforcing Bars.
  - 3. 65, Recommended Practice for Placing Bar Supports, Specifications and Nomenclature.
- 1.4 SUBMITTALS
  - A. Submit:
    - 1. Shop drawings. Provide electronic (pdf format) file of submittals. Electronic submittals shall be organized into a single pdf file.
      - a. Show reinforcing steel and wire fabric sizes, spacings, locations and quantities, bending and cutting schedules and supporting and spacing devices.
      - b. Indicate visual method of identification of bar strengths following ASTM standard for steel type used.
    - 2. Certified copies of mill test reports of reinforcement materials analysis upon request.
  - B. Provide submittals within 30 days after Contract date.
- 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Fabrication and Placement Tolerances: Follow ACI 301.
- 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING
  - A. Deliver to Site free of rust and scale, clearly marked as to bar strength.
  - B. Store reinforcing materials on pallets or other materials off ground. Avoid surface contamination before placement and prevent bending or warping.



#### 1.7 ALLOWANCE

- A. Include in lump sum allowance for additional reinforcing steel material (fabricated and installed) required to complete the work equal to 8.0 ton of reinforcing steel any unused tonnage will be credited to the owner at a cost of \$2,000.00 per ton.
- PART 2 PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 MATERIALS

- A. Reinforcing Steel: ASTM A615, Grade 60 (60,000 psi yield strength) billet steel bars; unfinished. Provide in sizes shown on plans provide deformed bars typically and plain bars where dowels are shown.
- B. Stirrup Steel: #3 reinforcing bars may by ASTM A615 Grade 40.
- C. Welded Wire Fabric (WWF): ASTM A185, plain type; unfinished. Provide in sheet form not in rolls. Provide as sized if shown or as follows if not shown:
  - 1. Provide 1 layer of 6 x 6 W1.4/W1.4 in sidewalk and toppings 4" or less in thickness.

#### 2.2 ACCESSORIES

- A. Tie Wire: Minimum 16 gauge (0.06") annealed type.
- B. Chairs, Bolsters, Bar Supports and Spacers: Sized and shaped for strength and support of reinforcement during concrete placement conditions.
- C. Special Chairs, Bolsters, Bar Supports and Spacers Adjacent to Weather Exposed Concrete Surfaces: Stainless steel type; sizes and shapes required.
- 2.3 FABRICATION
  - A. Fabrication: Follow CRSI Manual of Practice.
  - B. Locate reinforcing splices not shown at points of minimum stress.

# PART 3 EXECUTION

#### 3.1 PREPARATION

- A. Foundations and Footings:
  - 1. Clean excavations of loose debris and earth. Cut sides of excavations square and remove loose material.
  - 2. Pump out standing water from excavations before placing reinforcement. Remove and replace mud or frozen soil with lean concrete.
- B. Clean reinforcement completely before concrete placement. Reinforcement shall be free from loose, flaky rust, mud, oil or other coatings that would destroy or reduce bond with concrete at time concrete is placed. Re-inspect reinforcement and clean off any dried cement, mortar or dirt when placement is delayed.
- C. Obtain Owner's Engineer's approval of reinforcement installations prior to placement of any concrete.

# 3.2 ERECTION / INSTALLATION / APPLICATION



- A. Position reinforcement following ACI 301, ACI 315 and drawn details.
- B. Provide reinforcing steel in concrete footings, foundation walls, thickened slabs, retaining walls and elsewhere shown.
- C. Provide corner reinforcing steel in footings at corners and at intersections of walls unless shown otherwise:
  - 1. Bar size and spacing shall match wall or footing reinforcing.
  - 2. Return bars minimum of 36 diameters on each end.
  - 3. WELDING OF REINFORCING IS NOT PERMITTED.
- D. Provide the following minimum concrete cover requirements for reinforcing steel unless shown otherwise:
  - 1. Concrete Cast Against and Permanently Exposed to Earth: 3".
  - 2. Concrete Exposed to Earth or Weather:
    - a. #5 Bars and Smaller: 1-1/2".
      - b. Others: 2".
- E. Provide minimum splice requirements for reinforcing steel shown or required by ACI 318. Stagger splices so that no more than 1/2 of horizontal reinforcing steel is spliced at any given cross section.
- F. Provide a bond breaker such as plastic sleeves at all dowel bars occurring at control and expansion joints.
- G. Place, support and secure reinforcement against displacement. Do not deviate from required position.
  - 1. Provide bolsters and chairs required to maintain reinforcing steel at proper elevation in slab.
- H. Lap welded wire fabric minimum 6" or 1 full mesh on sides and 1 foot or 2 full meshes on ends and extend to within 2" of slab edges. Chair support welded wire fabric so that welded wire fabric is in upper half of slab while placing slabs on grade unless specifically shown otherwise.
- I. Carry welded wire fabric and reinforcing steel through control (contraction) joints but not through construction and expansion joints unless shown otherwise.
  - 1. Grease dowels thoroughly and paper wrap to allow for horizontal movement at expansion joints.
  - 2. Cut alternate wires of welded wire fabric at control joints.
- J. Take care to avoid disturbing reinforcement and vapor retarder during placing of concrete. Remove and reinstall disturbed or improperly installed reinforcement when discovered or instructed by Owner's Engineer before continuing concrete placement.
- K. Accommodate placement of formed openings.
- L. Do not allow the installation of conduit, plumbing or piping within the slab thickness without first requesting authorization from Architectural and Engineer design team.

#### END OF SECTION 032000



# SECTION 03 30 00 - CAST-IN-PLACE CONCRETE

- PART 1 GENERAL
- 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES
  - A. Interior and exterior plain and reinforced site-placed concrete, vapor retarders, expansion joints, curing compounds and other related accessories.
- 1.2 PRODUCTS INSTALLED BUT NOT FURNISHED UNDER THIS SECTION
  - A. Anchor bolts.
  - B. Reinforcement.
  - C. Embed Plates
  - D. Masonry Wall Dowels
- 1.3 RELATED SECTIONS
  - A. Section 032000 Concrete Reinforcement.
  - B. Section 042200 Concrete Masonry Units
- 1.4 REFERENCES
  - A. American Concrete Institute (ACI):
    - 1. 301, Structural Concrete.
    - 2. 302, Guide for Concrete Floor and Slab Construction.
    - 3. 304, Measuring, Mixing, Transporting and Placing Concrete.
    - 4. 305R, Hot Weather Concreting.
    - 5. 308, Curing Concrete.
    - 6. 309, Recommended Practice for Consolidation of Concrete.
    - 7. 318, Building Code Requirements for Reinforced Concrete.
  - B. American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM):
    - 1. C31, Making and Curing Concrete Test Specimens in the Field.
    - 2. C33, Concrete Aggregates.
    - 3. C39, Compressive Strength of Cylindrical Concrete Specimens.
    - 4. C94, Ready Mixed Concrete.
    - 5. C143, Test Method for Slump of Portland Cement Concrete.
    - 6. C150, Portland Cement.
    - 7. C171, Sheet Materials for Curing Concrete.
    - 8. C172, Sampling Freshly Mixed Concrete.
    - 9. C231, Air Content of Freshly Mixed Concrete by the Pressure Method.
    - 10. C260, Air Entraining Admixtures for Concrete.
    - 11. C309, Liquid Membrane Forming Compounds for Curing Concrete.
    - 12. C494, Chemical Admixtures for Concrete.
    - 13. C618, Fly Ash and Raw or Calcinated Natural Pozzolan for Use as a Mineral Admixture in Portland Cement Concrete.

#### 1.5 DEFINITIONS

A. Concealed: For Work required under this Section, the term "concealed" will mean "not exposed to view in finished construction."



B. Exposed: For Work required under this Section, the term "exposed" will mean "exposed to view in finished construction."

#### 1.6 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit: Submittal shall be provided in electronic (pdf format) format. Electronic submittal shall be provided in a single pdf file.
  - 1. Concrete mix designs. Follow ACI 301. Submit a mix design for each class of concrete required within 30 days after Contract date and prior to placing any concrete.
  - 2. Product data including installation requirements for water/moist curing methods, mineral and chemical admixtures, vapor retarder and joint devices.
  - 3. Concrete delivery tickets.
    - a. Submit to Owner's Third Party Independent Inspector at Site.
    - b. Follow ASTM C94. Also include:
      - 1) Batch number.
      - 2) Mix by class of concrete and bag content with maximum aggregate size used
      - 3) Air content.
      - 4) Quantities and types of admixtures.
      - 5) Slump.
      - 6) Time of loading.
    - c. Delivery tickets not showing time of loading will be grounds for rejection of load.
  - 4. Testing laboratory reports.
    - a. Submit directly to Owner's Engineer, Contractor and ready-mix supplier.
  - 5. Certification or test results indicating compliance of material or source of material with these specifications upon request.
- 1.7 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Acquire cement and aggregate from same source for all Work.
  - B. Tolerances: Place and finish cast-in-place concrete within tolerance limits specified in ACI 301 and as follows:
    - 1. Formed Surfaces: Follow ACI 301 (Table 4.3.1.).
  - C. Acceptance Of Work: Presence or evidence of nonconforming Work shall be sufficient cause for Owner's Engineer to require entire section of concrete affected be torn out and rebuilt properly at Contractor's expense.
    - 1 Such unacceptable Work includes:
      - a. Horizontal or vertical misalignment.
      - b. Cracking.
      - c. Honeycombing.
      - d. Spalling.
      - e. Embedded debris.
    - 2. If by tests or on-site observation, Owner's Engineer determines that any of Contract requirements have not been fully met in completion of this Work, he may require additional testing or retesting to determine composition, soundness and actual structural capacity of any concrete.
    - 3. Costs for such testing shall be paid by Contractor if such tests subsequently establish that Work is unacceptable and by Owner if Work is found to be acceptable.
    - 4. Remove and replace all unacceptable Work including related Work which was acceptable but which must be disturbed as a result of replacement if such tests establish that Work is unacceptable with regard to compliance with these specifications.
- 1.8 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING



- A. Concrete Delivery: Follow ACI 304 and ASTM C94.
- B. Deliver packaged materials in manufacturer's unopened, labeled containers.
- C. Store materials to provide protection from weather and damage.
- D. Deliver concrete in agitating or revolving type equipment. DO NOT USE NON-AGITATING EQUIPMENT.
- E. Discharge concrete at Site within 1-1/2 hours or 300 revolutions, whichever comes first, after water has been added to cement and aggregates or cement batches with aggregates unless a longer time is specifically authorized by Owner's Engineer.
- F. Owner's Engineer may require a reduction in this elapsed time during hot weather, when high early strength cement is being used or under other conditions contributing to quick stiffening of concrete.

#### 1.9 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Coordinate Work of other trades who will furnish and install items of Work (sleeves, piping, conduit, inserts, etc.) to be cast in concrete. Place no concrete until such items are in place.
- B. Place concrete at ambient temperatures between 50° and 95°F.
- C. Follow instructions for special procedures at end of this Section should it be necessary to place concrete in colder or hotter weather.
- D. Protect freshly placed concrete from rainfall, water leaks, falling objects, traffic of any kind and other hazards to surfaces. Provide barricades and lights if necessary.
- PART 2 PRODUCTS

### 2.1 MATERIALS

- A. Portland Cement:
  - 1. ASTM C150 Type I (Normal) or Type II (Moderate).
  - 2. Cement shall be free of false set when tested following ASTM C451.
  - 3. Use same brand, type and source throughout.
- B. Aggregates:
  - 1. Fine Aggregate: ASTM C33; natural or manufactured sand, clean, hard and durable, uncoated grains, free from deleterious matter. Average fineness modulus shall be between 2.5 and 3.0.
  - 2. Coarse Aggregate: ACI 301 and ASTM C33.
    - a. Interior and Concealed Exterior Applications: Crushed gravel or stone, durable uncoated particles free from deleterious matter.
    - b. Exposed Exterior Applications: Crushed dolomite, granite or limestone.
    - c. Grading: ASTM C33 No. 57. Exception: Use grade size No. 8 masonry core fill.
- C. Admixtures:
  - 1. Mineral Admixtures:
    - a. Fly Ash: ASTM C618 Class C or Class F; loss on ignition 6% maximum.
    - b. Fly ash source must be approved by Owner's Engineer. Preapproved sources are:
      - 1) Class C: Boral Manufacturing
  - 2. Chemical Admixtures:
    - a. Water Reducing Admixtures: ASTM C494 Type A (Water Reducing).



- 1) Type E (Water Reducing and Accelerating) may be used during cold weather and Type D (Water Reducing and Retarding) during hot weather with Engineer's prior approval.
- 2) Type F (Water Reducing High Range) or Type G (Water Reducing High Range and Retarding) admixtures (superplasticizers) may used be used with Engineer's prior approval.
- b. Calcium chloride, thiocyanates, corrosive admixtures or admixtures containing more than 0.05% chloride ions (total) are not permitted.
- 3. DO NOT USE ANY OTHER ADMIXTURES WITHOUT ARCHITECT'S PRIOR WRITTEN APPROVAL.
- D. Water: Potable; free from objectionable quantities of foreign materials harmful to concrete such as silt, organic matter, acids, alkali, salt and other deleterious substances.
- E. Vapor Retarders: Class "A" vapor retarder with a water vapor transmission rate not greater than 0.1 perms (per ASTM E-96). Clear or black fungus resistant polyethylene or fabric reinforced plastic film recommended for below grade application; 10 mil thick.
- F. Expansion Joint Filler Strips: ASTM D1751 non-extruding and resilient type, asphalt impregnated fiberboard or felt or ASTM D1752 closed cell foam with resiliency recovery of 95% if not compressed more than 50% of original thickness; 3/8" thick for interior and 1/2" thick for exterior unless shown otherwise.
- G. Liquid Curing/Sealer Compound (Typical): ASTM C309 Type 1; approved by Asphalt and Vinyl Composition Tile Institute; 30% minimum solids content.
- H. Sheet Curing Membranes: ASTM C171; absorptive mats, waterproof paper or polyethylene film.

# 2.2 CONCRETE MIXES

- A. General Requirements:
  - 1. Concrete Mixing: Follow ASTM C94. BATCH MIXING OF CONCRETE ON SITE IS NOT PERMITTED EXCEPT FOR MISCELLANEOUS MIXES.
  - 2. Mixing Procedures: Follow ACI 301.
  - 3. Handling and Weighing: Follow ACI 304.
  - 4. Measure water, air entraining admixtures and water reducing admixtures by weight or volume. Measure all other materials by weight.
  - 5. AIR ENTRAINED CEMENT IS NOT ACCEPTABLE.
    - a. Provide only non-air entrained concrete.
  - 6. Provide water reducing admixtures in all Classes of concrete Work.
  - 7. No dry-packaged mixtures are allowed.
  - 8. Fly ash may be provided as supplementary cementitious material in concrete Work. Fly ash content shall not exceed 25% of the cementitious material weight within a concrete batch.
  - 9. Exposed concrete is to meet requirements for potentially destructive exposure.
  - 10. Admixtures are to be added at batch plant.
  - 11. Do not add water to mix on job unless previously approved by Owner's Engineer. Note amount of water added on delivery ticket.
  - 12. Nominal maximum allowable slump of concrete (except for controlled density fill) is 4".
  - 13. Concrete shall have a water/cement ratio of between .48 and .52
  - 14. Provide minimum 3 day compressive strength of 1800 psi for concrete used for floors.
- B. Concrete Properties and Proportions:
  - 1. Provide concrete meeting the following properties and performance specifications
    - a. Cast-In Place Concrete (Class I)

F'c

3,000 psi (28-day compressive strength)



Portland Cement ASTM C 150 - 86 Type 1 Fly Ash ASTM C 618 (Maximum of 25% cementitious material) Slump 5" (+/-1") measured from the discharge of the truck **Coarse Aggregate** 1" maximum with gradation requirements prescribed in Table 2 of ASTM C33 Size No. 57.

Provide non-air entrained concrete

b. Masonry Grout Fill (Class 2)

F'c Portland Cement	3,000 psi (28-day compressive strength) ASTM C 150 Type I/II
Fly Ash	ASTM C 618 Class C (Maximum of 25% cementitious
Material)	
Slump	8" to 11" measured the discharge of the truck
Coarse Aggregate	3/8" maximum with gradation requirements prescribed in Table 2 of ASTM C33 Size No. 8.

#### PART 3 **EXECUTION**

- 3.1 **EXAMINATION** 
  - Α. Examine Site conditions and excavations for earth forms to verify that they are neatly and accurately cut and correctly located.
  - Β. Examine formwork to verify that it is sound and correctly located, that conditions are proper for concrete installation and that excavations are sufficient to permit placement, inspection and removal of forms.
  - C. Examine reinforcement to verify requirements for concrete cover.
  - D. Examine areas of Work to be cast to determine that substrates are properly installed, required reinforcement, inserts and embedded items are in place and that correct finish top of cast elevations can be obtained.
    - Verify that conduit and piping is installed below slab. NO UTILITIES ARE TO BE BUILT INTO 1. SLAB OR TOPPING.
    - 2. Verify depths of depressed conditions are correct for specified delayed finishes. Slabs to receive finishes over 1/8" in thickness shall be depressed as required to allow for alignment with adjacent finish materials.
    - 3. Verify base and sub-base slope correctly at floor drains. Slab thickness shall be maintained in sloped areas.
  - Ε. Do not start Work until unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

#### 3.2 PREPARATION

- Ensure availability of sufficient labor, equipment and materials to place concrete correctly following Α. Project requirements and scheduled casting.
- Β. Notify Owner's Engineer at least 48 hours in advance of placing any concrete. Place concrete only when Owner's Engineer is present unless this requirement is specifically waived. Excavations must be inspected and approved by soils engineer.
- Place no concrete before embedded items are in place and before forms, reinforcing and affected Work C. of other trades have been examined.



- 1. Coordinate placement of joint devices with erection of formwork and placement of form accessories.
- D. Drill holes in previously poured concrete, insert steel dowels and pack solid with non-shrink grout in locations where new concrete is dowelled to existing Work including at bases and pads.
- E. Immediately Before Placing Concrete:
  - 1. Clean debris from forms, decks, base slabs, bottoms of forms, etc. to receive concrete.
  - 2. Thoroughly wet base of slabs poured directly on earth, sand, stone, concrete or gravel.
  - 3. Verify sizes and locations of openings required.
  - 4. Secure approval of conditions from Owner's Engineer. Allow a minimum of 1 hour for Owner's Engineer's inspection after installation of reinforcing and before placing concrete.
- 3.3 ERECTION / INSTALLATION / APPLICATION
  - A. Follow ACI 301.
  - B. Place concrete only when Owner's Engineer is present unless this requirement is specifically waived by Owner's Engineer upon notice of scheduled pour.
  - C. Notify Owner's Engineer not less than 48 hours (excluding holidays and weekends) in advance of placing concrete.
  - D. Provide concrete of following various classes unless shown otherwise.
    - 1. Class I: Cast-In Place Concrete .
  - E. Provide uniform slope at rate shown on structural foundation plans. Exterior walkways shall slope as indicated on Architectural plans.
  - F. Install vapor retarder under interior and exterior slabs, walks, bases and pads on grade. All vapor retarder shall be installed per manufacturer's installation instructions and ASTM E1643.
    - 1. Lay film directly on slab base just before setting reinforcing and pouring concrete slabs. Provide widest widths practical and oriented to obtain least lineal footage of joint.
    - 2. Lap and seal joints. Lap film a minimum of 6" at joints with top lap placed in direction of spreading of concrete. Seal joints watertight by taping or applying sealant at overlapping edges and ends.
    - 3. Carry film up walls, columns, etc. and secure in place with cement or tape. Fold and cement corners or otherwise make vaporproof.
    - 4. Provide sealed contact with piping and other penetrating items. Cut film carefully around opening for pipes, ducts, conduit, wiring, etc. Tape film to insure maximum barrier effectiveness.
    - 5. Exercise care so that film is not punctured. Seal joints, cuts, punctures, etc. with tape, cement or hot iron.
    - 6. Trim exposed film at floor line after concrete has cured and hardened.
    - 7. Repair vapor retarder damaged during placement of concrete reinforcing.
  - G. Provide sufficient workmen to allow for placement of concrete and other operations within time limits required.
  - H. Keep delivery carts and buggies on runways. Do not allow them to bear on reinforcing or uncured concrete.
  - I. Deposit concrete within 6 feet of its final location to avoid segregation due to rehandling or flowing. Do not drop concrete freely where reinforcing will cause segregation. Chuting procedure is subject to approval of Owner's Engineer. Maximum allowable drop is 5 feet. SPREADING WITH VIBRATORS IS PROHIBITED.



- J. Place concrete quickly and vibrate thoroughly with a vibratory screed or other device approved by Owner's Engineer. Maintain specified position of mesh and reinforcement. Follow ACI 309 for use and type of vibrators.
- K. Deposit concrete continuously, or when continuous placement is not possible, provide construction joints at locations approved by Owner's Engineer.
- L. Do not deposit partially set concrete, retempered concrete or any concrete failing slump or air content tests.
- M. Consolidate concrete by internal vibration to maximum practical density so that it is free from pockets of coarse aggregate and trapped air, fits tightly against subgrades, forms and embedded items and leaves smooth, dense surfaces.
- N. Operate vibrators using experienced workers and where possible use same operators throughout Project. DO NOT USE VIBRATORS AGAINST FORMS OR REINFORCEMENT.
- O. Finishes: Follow ACI 301 (Chapter 11). Perform finishing using only experienced, skilled workers.
  - 1. Slab-on-Grade:
    - a. Slab-on-Grade shall be steel trowed smooth finish, meeting the following floor flatness/floor levelness tolerances per ACI 117.
      - i. Specified overall F<sub>F</sub>/F<sub>L</sub> values
        - F<sub>F</sub>=25
        - F∟=20
      - ii. Minimum local F<sub>F</sub>/F<sub>L</sub> values
        - F⊧=17
        - F∟=13

Compliance with specified overall  $F_{\text{F}}/F_{\text{L}}$  values shall be as measured and determined in accordance with ASTM E1155.

- 2. Vertical and Miscellaneous Work:
  - a. Exposed Surfaces: Smooth, Do Not Rub Cement Paste on Exposed Concrete Surfaces.
  - b. Concealed Surfaces: Rough form finish.
- P. Control (Contraction) Joints:
  - 1. General Requirements:
    - a. Provide joints in walks, pads, slabs and toppings shown or specified.
    - b. Make joints approximately 1/8" wide and minimum depth of 1/4 slab thickness.
    - c. Locate as shown or as follows if not shown. Verify final locations with Owner's Engineer before proceeding.
  - 2. Interior Locations:
    - a. Provide sawed control joints where shown or at maximum 20 feet on center in each direction in slabs and toppings if not shown.
    - V. Install sawed joints immediately after final finishing to depth of 1-1/2" with Soff-Cut saw.
    - VI. Saw control joints 1/8" wide unless otherwise approved. A keyed construction joint may be located where sawed joint is required.
- Q. Curing and Protection: Follow ACI 308.
  - 1. Prevent excessive moisture loss from concrete surfaces. Cure exposed slab surfaces by moistcuring for a minimum of 7 days.
    - a. Begin water curing as soon as concrete has hardened sufficiently to prevent damage from water or cover material.
    - b. Water curing shall consist of ponding or with sprinkling, spraying or covering with wet burlap, sand or waterproof barrier such as polyethylene or building paper.



c. Maintain 100% coverage continuously over water cured slabs for minimum of 4 days for ponding and for 7 days for spraying and membrane curing.

### 3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Test and inspect materials and operations as Work progresses. Failure to detect defective Work shall not prevent rejection when defect is discovered nor shall it obligate Owner for final acceptance.
- B. Costs for any retesting resulting from Work found to be in non-compliance shall be paid for by Contractor.
- C. Strength: ASTM C31, C39 and C172.
  - 1. Conduct strength tests of all classes of concrete (except miscellaneous mixes).
  - Secure composite samples following ASTM C172. For strength tests, a sample shall be obtained from same batch of concrete on a representative, random basis. A sample consists of six specimens.
  - 3. Mold and cure each sample following ASTM C31.
  - 4. Test 1 specimen at 7 days, test 2 specimens at 28 days and 1 specimen at 56 days following ASTM C39. Results shall be average of strengths of 2 specimens, except that if 1 specimen in a test manifests evidence of improper sampling, molding or testing, it shall be discarded.
  - 5. Record exact location of Work represented by each sample on test reports.
  - 6. Provide a sample for each amount or fraction thereof of each class of concrete placed each day as follows:
    - a. 0-150 Cubic Yards: 1 Sample.
- E. Air Content: ASTM C231.
- F. Slump: ASTM C143.

#### 3.5 ADJUSTING AND CLEANING

- A. Provide materials, methods and finishes for cleaning, patching and other repairs consistent with similar concrete Work in place, approved by Owner's Engineer before beginning repair Work and performed at Contractor's expense.
- B. Repair any slabs which do not meet finish requirements performing all grinding, filling of cracks or patching and leveling procedures as required. Replace slabs which cannot be successfully repaired.
- C. Point carefully around piping, conduit and other penetrations on both interior and exterior surfaces.
- D. Obtain Owner's Engineer prior approval of any corrective measures for slabs which are dusting or showing other signs of improper curing. These may include additional applications of sealer or hardener, grinding or covering with coating or topping.
- E. Remove from interior and exterior exposed surfaces any stain-producing elements such as pyrites, nails, wire, reinforcing steel and form ties immediately prior to final acceptance.
- F. Remove stains completely. Use of weak acids or patented cleaners is acceptable but surface is to be completely neutralized after use.
- G. Blend in surfaces of exposed repairs inconspicuously with surrounding surfaces.

#### 3.6 PROTECTION

- A. Protect newly placed concrete from weather and construction traffic damage.
- 3.7 SPECIAL PROCEDURES



- A. It is Project intent to continue concrete Work required to keep Project on schedule throughout summer and winter.
- B. Hot Weather Concreting:
  - 1. Follow ACI 305R.
  - 2. Obtain approval to use a retarder in concrete.
  - 3. Temperature of concrete shall not exceed 95°F.
  - 4. Cool water and aggregate to lower temperature of concrete.
  - 5. Cool subgrade and forms by sprinklering with water immediately before placing.
  - 6. Schedule trucks to reduce waiting time at Site.
  - 7. Cure immediately after finishing.
- C. Replace any concrete injured or destroyed by reason of freezing, hot or cold weather at Contractor's own expense including cost of replacing any Work embedded in concrete.

#### END OF SECTION 033000



# SECTION 042200 - CONCRETE UNIT MASONRY (ARCHITECTURAL)

# PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

# 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes:
  - 1. Concrete masonry units.
  - 2. Decorative concrete masonry units.
  - 3. Mortar and grout.
  - 4. Steel reinforcing bars.
  - 5. Masonry joint reinforcement.
  - 6. Ties and anchors.
  - 7. Embedded flashing.
  - 8. Miscellaneous masonry accessories.
  - B. Related Sections:
    - 1. Section 033000 "Cast-in-Place Concrete" for installing dovetail slots for masonry anchors.
    - 2. Section 071900 "Water Repellents" for water repellents applied to concrete unit masonry.
    - 3. Section 076200 "Sheet Metal Flashing and Trim" for exposed sheet metal flashing and for furnishing manufactured reglets installed in masonry joints.

# 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. CMU(s): Concrete masonry unit(s).
- B. Reinforced Masonry: Masonry containing reinforcing steel in grouted cells.
- 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS
  - A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated.
  - B. Samples for Initial Selection:
    - 1. Decorative CMUs, in the form of small-scale units.
    - 2. Weep holes/vents.
  - C. Samples for Verification: For each type and color of the following:
    - 1. Exposed CMUs.
    - 2. Decorative CMUs.
    - 3. Pigmented mortar. Make Samples using same sand and mortar ingredients to be used on Project.
    - 4. Accessories embedded in masonry.
- 1.5 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS
  - A. List of Materials Used in Constructing Mockups: List generic product names together with manufacturers, manufacturers' product names, model numbers, lot numbers, batch numbers, source of supply, and other information as required to identify materials used. Include mix proportions for mortar and grout and source of aggregates.
    - 1. Submittal is for information only. Neither receipt of list nor approval of mockup constitutes approval of deviations from the Contract Documents unless such deviations are specifically brought to the attention of Architect and approved in writing.
  - B. Material Certificates: For each type and size of the following:
    - 1. Masonry units.
      - a. Include [material test reports substantiating compliance with requirements].
    - 2. Cementitious materials. Include brand, type, and name of manufacturer.
    - 3. Pre-blended, dry mortar mixes. Include description of type and proportions of ingredients.
    - 4. Grout mixes. Include description of type and proportions of ingredients.
    - 5. Reinforcing bars.
    - 6. Joint reinforcement.
    - 7. Anchors, ties, and metal accessories.
  - C. Mix Designs: For each type of mortar[ and grout]. Include description of type and proportions of ingredients.



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- 1. Include test reports for mortar mixes required to comply with property specification. Test according to ASTM C 109/C 109M for compressive strength, ASTM C 1506 for water retention, and ASTM C 91 for air content.
- 2. Include test reports, according to ASTM C 1019, for grout mixes required to comply with compressive strength requirement.
- D. Cold-Weather and Hot-Weather Procedures: Detailed description of methods, materials, and equipment to be used to comply with requirements.
- 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Source Limitations for Masonry Units: Obtain exposed masonry units of a uniform texture and color, or a uniform blend within the ranges accepted for these characteristics, from single source from single manufacturer for each product required.
  - B. Source Limitations for Mortar Materials: Obtain mortar ingredients of a uniform quality, including color for exposed masonry, from single manufacturer for each cementitious component and from single source or producer for each aggregate.
  - C. Masonry Standard: Comply with ACI 530.1/ASCE 6/TMS 602 unless modified by requirements in the Contract Documents.
  - D. Sample Panels: Build sample panels to verify selections made under sample submittals and to demonstrate aesthetic effects. Comply with requirements in Section 014000 "Quality Requirements" for mockups.
    - 1. Build sample panels for each type of exposed unit masonry construction in sizes approximately 60 inches (1500 mm) long by 48 inches (1200 mm) high.
    - 2. Where masonry is to match existing, erect panels adjacent and parallel to existing surface.
    - 3. Protect approved sample panels from the elements with weather-resistant membrane.
  - E. Pre-installation Conference: Conduct conference at Project site to comply with requirements in Section 013100 "Project Management and Coordination."

#### 1.7 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Store masonry units on elevated platforms in a dry location. If units are not stored in an enclosed location, cover tops and sides of stacks with waterproof sheeting, securely tied. If units become wet, do not install until they are dry.
- B. Store cementitious materials on elevated platforms, under cover, and in a dry location. Do not use cementitious materials that have become damp.
- C. Store aggregates where grading and other required characteristics can be maintained and contamination avoided.
- D. Deliver pre-blended, dry mortar mix in moisture-resistant containers designed for use with dispensing silos. Store pre-blended, dry mortar mix in delivery containers on elevated platforms, under cover, and in a dry location or in covered weatherproof dispensing silos.
- E. Store masonry accessories, including metal items, to prevent corrosion and accumulation of dirt and oil.
- 1.8
  - PROJECT CONDITIONS
     A. Protection of Masonry: During construction, cover tops of walls, projections, and sills with waterproof
  - A. Protection of Masonry: During construction, cover tops of walls, projections, and sins with waterproof sheeting at end of each day's work. Cover partially completed masonry when construction is not in progress.
    - 1. Extend cover a minimum of 24 inches (600 mm) down both sides of walls and hold cover securely in place.
  - B. Do not apply uniform floor or roof loads for at least 12 hours and concentrated loads for at least three days after building masonry walls or columns.
  - C. Stain Prevention: Prevent grout, mortar, and soil from staining the face of masonry to be left exposed or painted. Immediately remove grout, mortar, and soil that come in contact with such masonry.
    - 1. Protect base of walls from rain-splashed mud and from mortar splatter by spreading coverings on ground and over wall surface.
    - 2. Protect sills, ledges, and projections from mortar droppings.
    - 3. Protect surfaces of window and door frames, as well as similar products with painted and integral finishes, from mortar droppings.
    - 4. Turn scaffold boards near the wall on edge at the end of each day to prevent rain from splashing mortar and dirt onto completed masonry.



- D. Cold-Weather Requirements: Do not use frozen materials or materials mixed or coated with ice or frost. Do not build on frozen substrates. Remove and replace unit masonry damaged by frost or by freezing conditions. Comply with cold-weather construction requirements contained in ACI 530.1/ASCE 6/TMS 602.
  - 1. Cold-Weather Cleaning: Use liquid cleaning methods only when air temperature is 40 deg F (4 deg C) and higher and will remain so until masonry has dried, but not less than 7 days after completing cleaning.
- E. Hot-Weather Requirements: Comply with hot-weather construction requirements contained in ACI 530.1/ASCE 6/TMS 602.

# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 MASONRY UNITS, GENERAL
  - A. Defective Units: Referenced masonry unit standards may allow a certain percentage of units to contain chips, cracks, or other defects exceeding limits stated in the standard. Do not use units where such defects will be exposed in the completed Work.
  - B. Fire-Resistance Ratings: Where indicated, provide units that comply with requirements for fireresistance ratings indicated as determined by testing according to ASTM E 119, by equivalent masonry thickness, or by other means, as acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.
- 2.2 CONCRETE MASONRY UNITS
  - A. Shapes: Provide shapes indicated and as follows, with exposed surfaces matching exposed faces of adjacent units unless otherwise indicated.
    - 1. Provide special shapes for lintels, corners, jambs, sashes, movement joints, headers, bonding, and other special conditions.
    - 2. Provide bullnose units for outside corners unless otherwise indicated.
  - B. Integral Water Repellent: Provide units made with integral water repellent [for exposed units].
    - 1. Integral Water Repellent: Liquid polymeric, integral water-repellent admixture that does not reduce flexural bond strength. Units made with integral water repellent, when tested according to ASTM E 514 as a wall assembly made with mortar containing integral water-repellent manufacturer's mortar additive, with test period extended to 24 hours, shall show no visible water or leaks on the back of test specimen.
      - a. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, available products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
        - 1) Grace Construction Products, W. R. Grace & Co. Conn.; Dry-Block.
  - C. CMUs: ASTM C 90.

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- 1. Density Classification: Lightweight unless otherwise indicated.
- 2. Size (Width): Manufactured to dimensions 3/8 inch less than nominal dimensions.
- 3. Exposed Faces: Provide color and texture matching the range represented by Architect's sample.
- Decorative CMUs: ASTM C 90.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, [available products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following]:
  - a. Featherlite Building Products.2. Density Classification: Lightweight.
  - Size (Width): Manufactured to dimensions specified in "CMUs" Paragraph.
  - 4. Pattern and Texture:
    - a. Standard pattern, burnished finish at front façade at all exterior faces
  - 5. Colors: Architect to select from manufacturer's full range.

# 2.3 MASONRY LINTELS

- A. General: Provide one of the following:
- B. Masonry Lintels: Prefabricated or built-in-place masonry lintels made from bond beam CMUs with reinforcing bars placed as indicated and filled with coarse grout. Cure precast lintels before handling and installing. Temporarily support built-in-place lintels until cured.
- 2.4 MORTAR AND GROUT MATERIALS
  - A. Portland Cement: ASTM C 150, Type I or II, except Type III may be used for cold-weather construction. Provide natural color or white cement as required to produce mortar color indicated.
  - B. Hydrated Lime: ASTM C 207, Type S.



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- C. Portland Cement-Lime Mix: Packaged blend of portland cement and hydrated lime containing no other ingredients.
- D. Mortar Pigments: Natural and synthetic iron oxides and chromium oxides, compounded for use in mortar mixes and complying with ASTM C 979. Use only pigments with a record of satisfactory performance in masonry mortar.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, available products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
    - a. Davis Colors; True Tone Mortar Colors.
    - b. Solomon Colors, Inc.; SGS Mortar Colors.
- E. Aggregate for Mortar: ASTM C 144.
  - 1. For mortar that is exposed to view, use washed aggregate consisting of natural sand or crushed stone.
  - 2. For joints less than 1/4 inch (6 mm) thick, use aggregate graded with 100 percent passing the No. 16 (1.18-mm) sieve.
- F. Aggregate for Grout: ASTM C 404.
- G. Water-Repellent Admixture: Liquid water-repellent mortar admixture intended for use with CMUs, containing integral water repellent by same manufacturer.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, [available products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following]:
    - a. Grace Construction Products, W. R. Grace & Co. Conn.; Dry-Block Mortar Admixture.

# H. Water: Potable.

# 2.5 REINFORCEMENT

- A. Uncoated Steel Reinforcing Bars: ASTM A 615/A 615M or ASTM A 996/A 996M, Grade 60 (Grade 420).
- B. Masonry Joint Reinforcement, General: ASTM A 951/A 951M.
  - 1. Interior Walls: Mill- galvanized, carbon steel.
  - 2. Exterior Walls: Hot-dip galvanized, carbon steel.
  - 3. Wire Size for Side Rods: 0.187-inch (4.76-mm) diameter.
  - 4. Wire Size for Cross Rods: 0.187-inch (4.76-mm) diameter.
  - 5. Spacing of Cross Rods, Tabs, and Cross Ties: Not more than 16 inches (407 mm) o.c.
  - 6. Provide in lengths of not less than 10 feet (3 m), with prefabricated corner and tee units.
- C. Masonry Joint Reinforcement for Single-Wythe Masonry: Either ladder or truss type with single pair of side rods.

### 2.6 TIES AND ANCHORS

- A. Materials: Provide ties and anchors specified in this article that are made from materials that comply with the following unless otherwise indicated.
  - 1. Hot-Dip Galvanized, Carbon-Steel Wire: ASTM A 82/A 82M; with ASTM A 153/A 153M, Class B-2 coating.
  - 2. Galvanized Steel Sheet: ASTM A 653/A 653M, Commercial Steel, G60 (Z180) zinc coating.
  - 3. Steel Sheet, Galvanized after Fabrication: ASTM A 1008/A 1008M, Commercial Steel, with ASTM A 153/A 153M, Class B coating.
- B. Adjustable Anchors for Connecting to Concrete: Provide anchors that allow vertical or horizontal adjustment but resist tension and compression forces perpendicular to plane of wall.
  - 1. Connector Section: Dovetail tabs for inserting into dovetail slots in concrete and attached to tie section; formed from 01.05-inch- (2.66-mm-) thick, steel sheet, galvanized after fabrication.
    - a. 0.108-inch- (2.74-mm-) thick, galvanized sheet may be used at interior walls unless otherwise indicated.
  - Tie Section: Triangular-shaped wire tie, sized to extend within 1 inch (25 mm) of masonry face, made from [0.187-inch- (4.76-mm-)] [0.25-inch- (6.35-mm-)] diameter, [hot-dip galvanized steel] [stainless-steel] wire.[ Mill-galvanized wire may be used at interior walls unless otherwise indicated.]
- C. Partition Top Anchors: 0.105-inch- (2.66-mm-) thick metal plate with 3/8-inch- (9.5-mm-) diameter metal rod 6 inches (152 mm) long welded to plate and with closed-end plastic tube fitted over rod that allows rod to move in and out of tube. Fabricate from [steel, hot-dip galvanized after fabrication] [stainless steel].



- D. Rigid Anchors: Fabricate from steel bars [1-1/2 inches (38 mm) wide by 1/4 inch (6.35 mm) thick by 24 inches (610 mm) long, with ends turned up 2 inches (51 mm) or with cross pins unless otherwise indicated] [bent to configuration indicated].
  - 1. Corrosion Protection: [Hot-dip galvanized to comply with ASTM A 153/A 153M] [Epoxy coating 0.020 inch (0.51 mm) thick] [Rust-inhibitive paint].
- 2.7 MISCELLANEOUS ANCHÓRS
  - A. Dovetail Slots in Concrete: Furnish dovetail slots with filler strips, of slot size indicated, fabricated from 0.034-inch (0.86-mm), galvanized steel sheet.
  - B. Anchor Bolts: [Headed] [or] [L-shaped] steel bolts complying with ASTM A 307, Grade A (ASTM F 568M, Property Class 4.6); with ASTM A 563 (ASTM A 563M) hex nuts and, where indicated, flat washers; hot-dip galvanized to comply with ASTM A 153/A 153M, Class C; of dimensions indicated.
  - C. Postinstalled Anchors: [Torque-controlled expansion anchors] [or] [chemical anchors].
    - 1. Load Capacity: Capable of sustaining, without failure, a load equal to six times the load imposed when installed in unit masonry and four times the load imposed when installed in concrete, as determined by testing according to ASTM E 488, conducted by a qualified independent testing agency.
    - 2. Material for Interior Locations: Carbon-steel components zinc plated to comply with ASTM B 633 or ASTM F 1941 (ASTM F 1941M), Class Fe/Zn 5 unless otherwise indicated.
- 2.8 EMBEDDED FLASHING MATERIALS
  - A. Flexible Flashing: Use[ one of] the following unless otherwise indicated:
    - 1. Copper-Laminated Flashing: [5-oz./sq. ft. (1.5-kg/sq. m)] [7-oz./sq. ft. (2-kg/sq. m)] copper sheet bonded between 2 layers of glass-fiber cloth. Use only where flashing is fully concealed in masonry.
      - a. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, [available products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following]:
        - 1) Hohmann & Barnard, Inc.; H & B C-Fab Flashing.
        - 2) York Manufacturing, Inc.; Multi-Flash 500.
  - B. Application: Unless otherwise indicated, use the following:
    - 1. Where flashing is indicated to receive counterflashing, use metal flashing.
    - 2. Where flashing is indicated to be turned down at or beyond the wall face, use metal flashing.
    - 3. Where flashing is fully concealed, use [flexible flashing].
  - C. Solder and Sealants for Sheet Metal Flashings: [ As specified in Section 076200 "Sheet Metal Flashing and Trim."]
    - 1. Solder for Stainless Steel: ASTM B 32, Grade Sn60, with acid flux of type recommended by stainless-steel sheet manufacturer.
    - 2. Solder for Copper: ASTM B 32, Grade Sn50, 50 percent tin and 50 percent lead.
    - 3. Elastomeric Sealant: ASTM C 920, chemically curing [urethane] [polysulfide] [silicone] sealant; of type, grade, class, and use classifications required to seal joints in sheet metal flashing and trim and remain watertight.
  - D. Adhesives, Primers, and Seam Tapes for Flashings: Flashing manufacturer's standard products or products recommended by flashing manufacturer for bonding flashing sheets to each other and to substrates.
- 2.9 MISCELLANEOUS MASONRY ACCESSORIES
  - A. Compressible Filler: Premolded filler strips complying with ASTM D 1056, Grade 2A1; compressible up to 35 percent; of width and thickness indicated; formulated from [neoprene] [urethane] [or] [PVC].
  - B. Preformed Control-Joint Gaskets: Made from [styrene-butadiene-rubber compound, complying with ASTM D 2000, Designation M2AA-805] [or] [PVC, complying with ASTM D 2287, Type PVC-65406] and designed to fit standard sash block and to maintain lateral stability in masonry wall; size and configuration as indicated.
  - C. Reinforcing Bar Positioners: Wire units designed to fit into mortar bed joints spanning masonry unit cells and hold reinforcing bars in center of cells. Units are formed from 0.148-inch (3.77-mm) steel wire, hot-dip galvanized after fabrication. Provide units designed for number of bars indicated.
    - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, [available products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following]:
      - a. Heckmann Building Products Inc.; No. 376 Rebar Positioner.



- b. Hohmann & Barnard, Inc.; #RB or #RB-Twin Rebar Positioner.
- c. Wire-Bond; O-Ring or Double O-Ring Rebar Positioner.
- 2.10 MORTAR AND GROUT MIXES
  - A. General: Do not use admixtures, including pigments, air-entraining agents, accelerators, retarders, water-repellent agents, antifreeze compounds, or other admixtures unless otherwise indicated.
    - 1. Do not use calcium chloride in mortar or grout.
    - 2. Use [portland cement-lime] mortar unless otherwise indicated.
    - 3. For exterior masonry, use [portland cement-lime] mortar.
    - 4. For reinforced masonry, use [portland cement-lime] mortar.
    - 5. Add cold-weather admixture (if used) at same rate for all mortar that will be exposed to view, regardless of weather conditions, to ensure that mortar color is consistent.
  - B. Preblended, Dry Mortar Mix: Furnish dry mortar ingredients in form of a preblended mix. Measure quantities by weight to ensure accurate proportions, and thoroughly blend ingredients before delivering to Project site.
  - C. Pigmented Mortar: Use colored cement product[ or select and proportion pigments with other ingredients to produce color required. Do not add pigments to colored cement products].
    - 1. Pigments shall not exceed 10 percent of portland cement by weight.
    - 2. Application: Use pigmented mortar for exposed mortar joints with the following units:
      - a. Decorative CMUs.
  - D. Grout for Unit Masonry: Comply with ASTM C 476.
    - 1. Use grout of type indicated or, if not otherwise indicated, of type (fine or coarse) that will comply with Table 1.15.1 in ACI 530.1/ASCE 6/TMS 602 for dimensions of grout spaces and pour height.
    - 2. Proportion grout in accordance with ASTM C 476, [Table 1] [or] [paragraph 4.2.2 for specified 28day compressive strength indicated, but not less than 2000 psi (14 MPa)].
    - 3. Provide grout with a slump of [8 to 11 inches (203 to 279 mm)] [10 to 11 inches (254 to 279 mm)] as measured according to ASTM C 143/C 143M.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine conditions, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
  - 1. For the record, prepare written report, endorsed by Installer, listing conditions detrimental to performance of work.
  - 2. Verify that foundations are within tolerances specified.
  - 3. Verify that reinforcing dowels are properly placed.
  - B. Before installation, examine rough-in and built-in construction for piping systems to verify actual locations of piping connections.
- C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

#### 3.2 INSTALLATION, GENERAL

- A. Build chases and recesses to accommodate items specified in this and other Sections.
- B. Leave openings for equipment to be installed before completing masonry. After installing equipment, complete masonry to match the construction immediately adjacent to opening.
- C. Use full-size units without cutting if possible. If cutting is required to provide a continuous pattern or to fit adjoining construction, cut units with motor-driven saws; provide clean, sharp, unchipped edges. Allow units to dry before laying unless wetting of units is specified. Install cut units with cut surfaces and, where possible, cut edges concealed.

# 3.3 TOLERANCES

- A. Dimensions and Locations of Elements:
  - 1. For dimensions in cross section or elevation do not vary by more than plus 1/2 inch (12 mm) or minus 1/4 inch (6 mm).
  - 2. For location of elements in plan do not vary from that indicated by more than plus or minus 1/2 inch (12 mm).
  - 3. For location of elements in elevation do not vary from that indicated by more than plus or minus 1/4 inch (6 mm) in a story height or 1/2 inch (12 mm) total.
- B. Lines and Levels:



- 1. For bed joints and top surfaces of bearing walls do not vary from level by more than 1/4 inch in 10 feet (6 mm in 3 m), or 1/2 inch (12 mm) maximum.
- 2. For conspicuous horizontal lines, such as lintels, sills, parapets, and reveals, do not vary from level by more than 1/8 inch in 10 feet (3 mm in 3 m), 1/4 inch in 20 feet (6 mm in 6 m), or 1/2 inch (12 mm) maximum.
- 3. For vertical lines and surfaces do not vary from plumb by more than 1/4 inch in 10 feet (6 mm in 3 m), 3/8 inch in 20 feet (9 mm in 6 m), or 1/2 inch (12 mm) maximum.
- 4. For conspicuous vertical lines, such as external corners, door jambs, reveals, and expansion and control joints, do not vary from plumb by more than 1/8 inch in 10 feet (3 mm in 3 m), 1/4 inch in 20 feet (6 mm in 6 m), or 1/2 inch (12 mm) maximum.
- 5. For lines and surfaces do not vary from straight by more than 1/4 inch in 10 feet (6 mm in 3 m), 3/8 inch in 20 feet (9 mm in 6 m), or 1/2 inch (12 mm) maximum.
- 6. For vertical alignment of exposed head joints, do not vary from plumb by more than 1/4 inch in 10 feet (6 mm in 3 m), or 1/2 inch (12 mm) maximum.
- C. Joints:
  - 1. For bed joints, do not vary from thickness indicated by more than plus or minus 1/8 inch (3 mm), with a maximum thickness limited to 1/2 inch (12 mm).
  - 2. For exposed bed joints, do not vary from bed-joint thickness of adjacent courses by more than 1/8 inch (3 mm).
  - 3. For head and collar joints, do not vary from thickness indicated by more than plus 3/8 inch (9 mm) or minus 1/4 inch (6 mm).
  - 4. For exposed head joints, do not vary from thickness indicated by more than plus or minus 1/8 inch (3 mm).
- 3.4 LAYING MASONRY WALLS
  - A. Lay out walls in advance for accurate spacing of surface bond patterns with uniform joint thicknesses and for accurate location of openings, movement-type joints, returns, and offsets. Avoid using lessthan-half-size units, particularly at corners, jambs, and, where possible, at other locations.
  - B. Bond Pattern for Exposed Masonry: Unless otherwise indicated, lay exposed masonry in [running bond]; do not use units with less than nominal 4-inch (100-mm) horizontal face dimensions at corners or jambs.
  - C. Lay concealed masonry with all units in a wythe in running bond or bonded by lapping not less than [4inches (100-mm)]. Bond and interlock each course of each wythe at corners. Do not use units with less than nominal 4-inch (100-mm) horizontal face dimensions at corners or jambs.
  - D. Stopping and Resuming Work: Stop work by racking back units in each course from those in course below; do not tooth. When resuming work, clean masonry surfaces that are to receive mortar before laying fresh masonry.
  - E. Built-in Work: As construction progresses, build in items specified in this and other Sections. Fill in solidly with masonry around built-in items.
  - F. Fill space between steel frames and masonry solidly with mortar unless otherwise indicated.
  - G. Where built-in items are to be embedded in cores of hollow masonry units, place a layer of metal lath, wire mesh, or plastic mesh in the joint below and rod mortar or grout into core.
  - H. Fill cores in hollow CMUs with grout 24 inches (600 mm) under bearing plates, beams, lintels, posts, and similar items unless otherwise indicated.
  - I. Build non-load-bearing interior partitions full height of story to underside of solid floor or roof structure above unless otherwise indicated.
    - 1. Install compressible filler in joint between top of partition and underside of structure above.
    - Fasten partition top anchors to structure above and build into top of partition. Grout cells of CMUs solidly around plastic tubes of anchors and push tubes down into grout to provide 1/2-inch (13-mm) clearance between end of anchor rod and end of tube. Space anchors [48 inches (1200 mm)] <Insert spacing> o.c. unless otherwise indicated.
    - 3. Wedge non-load-bearing partitions against structure above with small pieces of tile, slate, or metal. Fill joint with mortar after dead-load deflection of structure above approaches final position.
    - 4. At fire-rated partitions, treat joint between top of partition and underside of structure above to comply with Section 078446 "Fire-Resistive Joint Systems."



# 3.5 MORTAR BEDDING AND JOINTING

A. Lay hollow CMUs as follows:

- 1. With face shells fully bedded in mortar and with head joints of depth equal to bed joints.
- 2. With webs fully bedded in mortar in all courses of piers, columns, and pilasters.
- 3. With webs fully bedded in mortar in grouted masonry, including starting course on footings.
- 4. With entire units, including areas under cells, fully bedded in mortar at starting course on footings where cells are not grouted.
- B. Set cast-stone trim units in full bed of mortar with full vertical joints. Fill dowel, anchor, and similar holes.
  - 1. Clean soiled surfaces with fiber brush and soap powder and rinse thoroughly with clear water.
  - 2. Allow cleaned surfaces to dry before setting.
  - 3. Wet joint surfaces thoroughly before applying mortar.
- C. Tool exposed joints slightly concave when thumbprint hard, using a jointer larger than joint thickness unless otherwise indicated.
- D. Cut joints flush for masonry walls to receive plaster or other direct-applied finishes (other than paint) unless otherwise indicated.
- 3.6 MASONRY JOINT REINFORCEMENT
  - A. General: Install entire length of longitudinal side rods in mortar with a minimum cover of 5/8 inch (16 mm) on exterior side of walls, 1/2 inch (13 mm) elsewhere. Lap reinforcement a minimum of 6 inches (150 mm).
    - 1. Space reinforcement not more than 16 inches (406 mm) o.c.
    - 2. Space reinforcement not more than 8 inches (203 mm) o.c. in foundation walls and parapet walls.
    - 3. Provide reinforcement not more than 8 inches (203 mm) above and below wall openings and extending 12 inches (305 mm) beyond openings[ in addition to continuous reinforcement].
  - B. Interrupt joint reinforcement at control and expansion joints unless otherwise indicated.
  - C. Provide continuity at wall intersections by using prefabricated T-shaped units.
  - D. Provide continuity at corners by using prefabricated L-shaped units.
  - E. Cut and bend reinforcing units as directed by manufacturer for continuity at[ corners,] returns, offsets, column fireproofing, pipe enclosures, and other special conditions.
- 3.7 ANCHORING MASONRY TO STRUCTURAL STEEL AND CONCRETE
  - A. Anchor masonry to structural steel and concrete where masonry abuts or faces structural steel or concrete to comply with the following:
    - 1. Provide an open space not less than [1/2 inch (13 mm)] [1 inch (25 mm)] [2 inches (50 mm)] wide between masonry and structural steel or concrete unless otherwise indicated. Keep open space free of mortar and other rigid materials.
    - 2. Anchor masonry with anchors embedded in masonry joints and attached to structure.
    - 3. Space anchors as indicated, but not more than 24 inches (610 mm) o.c. vertically and 36 inches (915 mm) o.c. horizontally.
- 3.8 CONTROL AND EXPANSION JOINTS
  - A. General: Install control and expansion joint materials in unit masonry as masonry progresses. Do not allow materials to span control and expansion joints without provision to allow for in-plane wall or partition movement.
  - B. Form control joints in concrete masonry [as follows] [using one of the following methods]:
    - 1. Fit bond-breaker strips into hollow contour in ends of CMUs on one side of control joint. Fill resultant core with grout and rake out joints in exposed faces for application of sealant.

# 3.9 LINTELS

- A. Provide [masonry] lintels where shown and where openings of more than 12 inches (305 mm) for bricksize units and 24 inches (610 mm) for block-size units are shown without structural steel or other supporting lintels.
- B. Provide minimum bearing of 8 inches (200 mm) at each jamb unless otherwise indicated.
- 3.10 FLASHING
  - A. General: Install embedded flashing in masonry at lintels, ledges, other obstructions to downward flow of water in wall, and where indicated.
  - B. Install flashing as follows unless otherwise indicated:



- 1. Prepare masonry surfaces so they are smooth and free from projections that could puncture flashing. Where flashing is within mortar joint, place through-wall flashing on sloping bed of mortar and cover with mortar. Before covering with mortar, seal penetrations in flashing with adhesive, sealant, or tape as recommended by flashing manufacturer.
- 2. At lintels, extend flashing a minimum of 6 inches (150 mm) into masonry at each end. At heads and sills, extend flashing 6 inches (150 mm) at ends and turn up not less than 2 inches (50 mm) to form end dams.
- 3. Interlock end joints of ribbed sheet metal flashing by overlapping ribs not less than 1-1/2 inches (38 mm) or as recommended by flashing manufacturer, and seal lap with elastomeric sealant complying with requirements in Section 079200 "Joint Sealants" for application indicated.
- 4. Install metal [drip edges] [and] [sealant stops] with ribbed sheet metal flashing by interlocking hemmed edges to form hooked seam. Seal seam with elastomeric sealant complying with requirements in Section 079200 "Joint Sealants" for application indicated.
- 5. Cut flexible flashing off flush with face of wall after masonry wall construction is completed.
- C. Install reglets and nailers for flashing and other related construction where they are shown to be built into masonry.
- 3.11 REINFORCED UNIT MASONRY INSTALLATION
  - A. Temporary Formwork and Shores: Construct formwork and shores as needed to support reinforced masonry elements during construction.
    - 1. Construct formwork to provide shape, line, and dimensions of completed masonry as indicated. Make forms sufficiently tight to prevent leakage of mortar and grout. Brace, tie, and support forms to maintain position and shape during construction and curing of reinforced masonry.
    - 2. Do not remove forms and shores until reinforced masonry members have hardened sufficiently to carry their own weight and other loads that may be placed on them during construction.
    - B. Placing Reinforcement: Comply with requirements in ACI 530.1/ASCE 6/TMS 602.
    - C. Grouting: Do not place grout until entire height of masonry to be grouted has attained enough strength to resist grout pressure.
      - 1. Comply with requirements in ACI 530.1/ASCE 6/TMS 602 for cleanouts and for grout placement, including minimum grout space and maximum pour height.
      - 2. Limit height of vertical grout pours to not more than [60 inches (1520 mm)] [12.67 ft. (3.86 m)] </br>
- 3.12 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL
  - A. Testing and Inspecting: Owner will engage special inspectors to perform tests and inspections and prepare reports. Allow inspectors access to scaffolding and work areas, as needed to perform tests and inspections. Retesting of materials that fail to meet specified requirements shall be done at Contractor's expense.
  - B. Inspections: [Level 1] special inspections according to the "International Building Code."
    - 1. Begin masonry construction only after inspectors have verified proportions of site-prepared mortar.
    - 2. Place grout only after inspectors have verified compliance of grout spaces and of grades, sizes, and locations of reinforcement.
    - 3. Place grout only after inspectors have verified proportions of site-prepared grout.
  - C. Testing Prior to Construction: One set of tests.
  - D. Testing Frequency: One set of tests for each 5000 sq. ft. (464 sq. m) of wall area or portion thereof.
  - E. Concrete Masonry Unit Test: For each type of unit provided, according to ASTM C 140 for compressive strength.
  - F. Mortar Aggregate Ratio Test (Proportion Specification): For each mix provided, according to ASTM C 780.
  - G. Mortar Test (Property Specification): For each mix provided, according to ASTM C 780. Test mortar for [mortar air content] [and] [compressive strength].
  - H. Grout Test (Compressive Strength): For each mix provided, according to ASTM C 1019.
  - I. Prism Test: For each type of construction provided, according to ASTM C 1314 at [7 days and at ]28 days.
- 3.13 PARGING



- A. Parge exterior faces of below-grade masonry walls, where indicated, in 2 uniform coats to a total thickness of 3/4 inch (19 mm). Dampen wall before applying first coat and scarify first coat to ensure full bond to subsequent coat.
- B. Use a steel-trowel finish to produce a smooth, flat, dense surface with a maximum surface variation of 1/8 inch per foot (3 mm per 300 mm). Form a wash at top of parging and a cove at bottom.
- C. Damp-cure parging for at least 24 hours and protect parging until cured.
- 3.14 REPAIRING, POINTING, AND CLEANING
  - A. Remove and replace masonry units that are loose, chipped, broken, stained, or otherwise damaged or that do not match adjoining units. Install new units to match adjoining units; install in fresh mortar, pointed to eliminate evidence of replacement.
  - B. Pointing: During the tooling of joints, enlarge voids and holes, except weep holes, and completely fill with mortar. Point up joints, including corners, openings, and adjacent construction, to provide a neat, uniform appearance. Prepare joints for sealant application, where indicated.
  - C. In-Progress Cleaning: Clean unit masonry as work progresses by dry brushing to remove mortar fins and smears before tooling joints.
  - D. Final Cleaning: After mortar is thoroughly set and cured, clean exposed masonry as follows:
    - 1. Remove large mortar particles by hand with wooden paddles and nonmetallic scrape hoes or chisels.
    - 2. Test cleaning methods on sample wall panel; leave one-half of panel uncleaned for comparison purposes. Obtain Architect's approval of sample cleaning before proceeding with cleaning of masonry.
    - 3. Protect adjacent stone and nonmasonry surfaces from contact with cleaner by covering them with liquid strippable masking agent or polyethylene film and waterproof masking tape.
    - 4. Wet wall surfaces with water before applying cleaners; remove cleaners promptly by rinsing surfaces thoroughly with clear water.
    - 5. Clean concrete masonry by cleaning method indicated in NCMA TEK 8-2A applicable to type of stain on exposed surfaces.
- 3.15 MASONRY WASTE DISPOSAL
  - A. Salvageable Materials: Unless otherwise indicated, excess masonry materials are Contractor's property. At completion of unit masonry work, remove from Project site.
  - B. Excess Masonry Waste: Remove excess clean masonry waste that cannot be used as fill, as described above, and other masonry waste, and legally dispose of off Owner's property.

END OF SECTION 042200



# SECTION 04 22 00 - CONCRETE MASONRY UNITS

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES
- A. Concrete masonry units, lintels, mortar and other related accessories.
- 1.2 PRODUCTS INSTALLED BUT NOT FURNISHED UNDER THIS SECTION
  - A. Reinforcing steel.
  - B. Masonry accessories.
- 1.3 RELATED SECTIONS
  - A. Section 032000 Concrete Reinforcement
  - B. Section 033000 Cast-In-Place Concrete
- 1.4 REFERENCES
  - A. American Concrete Institute (ACI):
    - 1. 530, Building Code Requirements for Masonry Structures.
    - 2. 530.1, Specifications for Masonry Structures.
  - B. American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM):
    - 1. C33, Concrete Aggregates.
    - 2. C90, Load-Bearing Concrete Masonry Units.
    - 3. C140, Methods of Testing Concrete Masonry Units.
    - 4. C150, Portland Cement.
    - 5. C331, Lightweight Aggregates for Concrete Masonry Units.
    - 6. C618, Fly Ash and Raw or Calcined Natural Pozzolan for Use as a Mineral Admixture in Portland Cement Concrete.
  - C. Portland Cement Association (PCA): Recommended Practices For Laying Concrete Block.

#### 1.5 DEFINITIONS

- A. Concealed: For Work required under this Section, the term "concealed" will mean "not exposed to view in finished construction."
- B. Exposed: For Work required under this Section, the term "exposed" will mean "exposed to view in finished construction."

# 1.6 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit: Provide electronic (PDF) copies of all required submittal information.
  - 1. Provide independent test reports following ASTM C140 for sampling and testing of CMU. Test reports shall be dated within six months of start of project. Test reports shall include net area compressive strength, absorption and density results, average width, height and length of each unit, minimum face shell thickness, average face shell thickness, minimum web thickness, average web thickness, and all other test reporting requirements as noted in ASTM C140.
  - 2. Color samples for precolored units.
  - 3. Masonry unit assembly components such as horizontal wire reinforcement, control joint material and masonry veneer ties.
- 1.7 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Follow ACI 530 and 530.1.
  - B. Maintain 1 copy of each referenced document at Site.
  - C. Manufacturer: Current NCMA member.
  - D. Provide units from single manufacturing source to ensure uniform texture for continuous and visually related areas.
- 1.8 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING
  - A. Deliver to Site only units properly cured and following these specifications.
  - B. Protect masonry units from damage and against moisture and weather, particularly against freezing and thawing. Maintain hollow concrete masonry units in their initial dry state until after they are laid up in wall.
  - C. Stack masonry units in dry place, off ground on prepared plank platform and in manner to promote circulation of air through and around block. Protect stacked block by shed roof or tarpaulin arranged to allow for circulation of air around and above stacked block.
  - D. Carefully handle masonry units. Do not build units into Work with chipped edges, spalls or other damage to their appearance which would show in finished wall.
  - E. Do not store adjacent to materials which can cause staining or discoloration.
- 1.9 PROJECT CONDITIONS
  - A. Do not erect masonry when, in Owner's Engineer's opinion, atmospheric conditions or limited facilities prevent proper setting, bonding and curing.



- B. Protect tops of masonry walls against weather. Use strong, non-staining waterproof membrane secured with metal masonry wall clamps or properly weighted down. Maintain this protection during construction of walls and after their completion, properly anchored, repaired and replaced until tops of walls are covered by Work of others.
- C. Leave necessary openings for passage of pipes, drains, ducts, wires and utility lines. Form chases shown, required or directed. Return and solidly close all openings at completion of Work of other trades. Remove rubbish and sweep out area before closing up any pipe chase, duct space or similar limited access or inaccessible area.
- D. Coordinate with other trades and make provisions that will permit installation of their Work in manner to avoid cutting and patching. Build in items furnished by other trades as Work progresses.

# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

# 2.1 MATERIALS

- A. Portland Cement: ASTM C150 Type 1.
- B. Lime: ASTM C207 Type S.
- C. Pozzolans: ASTM C618.
- D. Aggregates: ASTM D33 normal weight or ASTM C331 lightweight. Provide either normal, medium or light weight units unless shown otherwise.
- E. Mortar: Type S, following ASTM C270 Unit Proportion Requirements using preblended masonry cement.
- F. Integral Water Repellent: ASTM E514 Class E.
  - 1. Approved Product: Grace Construction Products' "Dry-Block" admixture.
- G. Integral Color: Integral color pigment mixed with cement and aggregates during fabrication to match local licensee's color selection(s).

# 2.2 CONCRETE BLOCK

- A. Hollow Units: ASTM C90 Type I; 1900 psi minimum compressive strength (net).
- 2.3 FABRICATION:
  - A. Follow ACI and NCMA.
  - B. Provide the following finishes and colors:
    - 1. Exterior Concrete Block: Manufacturer's regular (smooth) molded finish and precolored during fabrication.
  - C. Provide integral water repellent in all exterior concrete block and exterior split face block units.
  - D. Provide concrete masonry units with modular dimension; standard units 7-5/8" high, 1'-3-5/8" long and 3/8" less nominal widths or thicknesses shown or required, with permissible variation of 1/16".
  - E. Provide special units for 90° corners, bond beams, bullnosed corners, control joint fillers, etc. shown or required.
  - F. Cure units minimum 14 days in presence of moist air following ASTM C426.
    - 1. Provide block properly cured to 30% of maximum absorption. Questionable block will be tested and shipment rejected if average moisture content is found to exceed specification limits.
    - 2. Do not build in block with moisture content exceeding specification requirements into Work. Dry block containing excess moisture to acceptable maximum either by further air drying or use of heat before being used.
    - 3. No extension of time for completion will be allowed due to delay cause by failure of Contractor to maintain stored block at acceptable moisture content.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 EXAMINATION
  - A. Verify that field conditions are acceptable and are ready to receive Work.
  - B. Inspect materials for defects before starting installation.
  - C. Reject any chipped or broken block. DO NOT BUILD DAMAGED UNITS INTO WORK.
- 3.2 PREPARATION
  - A. Direct and coordinate placement of metal anchors supplied to other sections.
  - B. Provide temporary bracing during installation of masonry Work. Maintain in place until building structure provides permanent bracing.
- 3.3 ERECTION / INSTALLATION / APPLICATION
  - A. Follow ACI and NCMA.
  - B. See Sections under which materials to be installed are furnished for additional installation requirements.
  - C. Use thoroughly dry concrete block with sharp, square, unbroken corners and edges and no cracks. DO NOT WET MASONRY UNITS.



- D. Take special care in handling and storage of units for exposed block Work. Do not install chipped or marred block where exposed.
- E. Lay block in running bond with each course lapping block below by 1/2 block unless shown otherwise.
- F. Lay solid block units with full mortar coverage on head and bed joints and hollow block units with face shell bedding on head and bed joints. Mortar hollow block unit web joints in load bearing piers or pilasters, in starting course on footings or solid foundation walls and next to cores grouted solid.
  - 1. Do not shift or tap masonry after mortar has achieved initial set. Remove mortar and replace where adjustments must be made.
  - 2. Buttering corners of joints or excessive furring of mortar joints are not permitted.
- G. Build walls and partitions true to dimension, plumb and square, laid to line in level courses, accurately spaced and coordinated with other Work. Keep individual face units "in plane" with walls rising together. Use double lines in multiple-tier walls with each tier plumb and all units "in plane."
- H. Lay out Work to avoid fractional pieces. Interlock external corners. Set partitions on structural floor slabs before finish floor is laid unless shown otherwise.
- I. Perform required cutting with power equipment which will produce true, straight, clean edges free of chipping and undamaged surfaces. CUTTING WITH HAMMER AND CHISEL WILL NOT BE PERMITTED. Use 100% solid block where webs would be exposed. Minimum length of cut units on exposed Work shall be 1/2 unit.
- J. Cut units accurately to fit around pipes, ducts, openings, structural framing, etc. and slush voids full.
- K. Take particular care to embed conduits and pipes within block without fracturing exposed shells and to fit units around switch, receptacle and other boxes set in walls. Grind and cut units before building in service where electric conduit, outlets, switch boxes and similar items occur.
- L. Fill voids and joints between block and different types of materials with mortar.
- M. Make joints approx. 3/8" wide. Line up joints vertically. Remove burrs with burlap or carpet after tooling.
- N. Neatly tool interior and exterior joints below grade and in exposed masonry firm to slightly concave profile when mortar is thumbprint hard unless shown otherwise. Cut off flush and brush off surplus as Work progresses. Tool vertically then horizontally. Furnish all masons with joint tools of same diameter. Exception: Strike flush interior concealed joints (such as in chases and plenums) or those covered with directly applied finish materials.
- O. Install vertical and horizontal masonry reinforcing where shown. Grout cores solid full length of reinforcing with masonry core grout specified in Section 03300. Maintain position of reinforcing within 1/2" of dimensioned position.
- P. Fill voids receiving anchor bolts, wedge anchors, expansion bolts, etc. solid with masonry grout specified under Section 033000.
- Q. Provide solid masonry bearing surface under lintels, beams, bearing plates, etc. as shown. Provide the following minimum solid bearing (as applicable) if not shown:
  - 1. Lintels: Solid masonry bearing for full thickness of wall by length of bearing plus 8" by 8" high.
  - 2. Beams: Solid masonry bearing for full thickness of wall by length of bearing plus 1'-4" by 2 ft high.
- R. Provide solid masonry for course directly below corbelled masonry walls. Max corbel for each course is 1".
- S. Provide closure, lintels, bond beams, jamb units, sash, corners headers and other special shapes shown or required. Provide standard manufactured sizes or cut full size block for fractional course heights and lengths. Provide sash blocks or other shapes designed to receive specified control joint filler strips.
- T. Provide bullnosed units at exterior corners unless shown otherwise. Field grind to Owner's Engineer's satisfaction all external corners not installed bullnosed.
  - 1. Exception: Provide square cornered blocks at window jambs.
- U. Step back unfinished Work for joining with new Work. Toothing will not be permitted unless specifically approved by Owner's Engineer. Remove loose masonry and mortar and clean thoroughly before new Work is started.
- V. Build in chases, openings, reinforcement, anchors, access doors, lintels, flashings and other items required. Provide centering required to properly support masonry until mortar attains design strength. Build in sleeves except where shown to be installed in other Sections.
- W. Build hollow metal door frames into wall. Plumb and brace. Thoroughly embed frame anchors. Slush frame jambs full with mortar. Allow 1/4" for caulking around frame in exterior walls and 1/8" on interior unless shown otherwise. Rake out joints for caulking.
- X. Fill masonry units solid with mortar 2 cores wide at each door jamb and 1 core wide at each window jamb for full height of opening.



- Y. Hold block down approximately 2" below roof structural members such as beams, joists and roof deck subject to deflection at non-bearing walls.
- Z. Provide control and expansion joints in all block Work. Reference Architectural Contract Drawings for masonry joint locations. Joints spacing shall not exceed 22 ft. on center nor shall a joint be located within two feet of an opening.
- AA. Build in control joint filler strips in control joints as masonry is laid up allowing for caulking on each side of wall. Reference architectural for caulking material. Exception: Do not carry horizontal joint reinforcement through control or expansion joints.
- BB. Maintain lateral support of intersecting masonry non- load bearing walls with wire mesh ties placed across joint between walls and spaced 1'-4" on center vertically.
- CC. Install concealed masonry flashing where shown. Provide clean smooth surfaces set in full mortar bed and cover with full mortar bed. Seal penetrations and joints with mastic.
- DD. Build in exposed sheet metal flashing, expansion joints and reglets occurring in masonry. Cut out mortar joint and set flashing or reglet in new mortar bed in existing construction.
- EE. Build in bond beams grouting full and carefully position reinforcing where shown. Lap rebars a minimum length of 48 bar diameters. Field modify standard units required to receive required reinforcing where bond beam units are not available in specified finish.
- FF. Any masonry Work found deficient in respect to these specifications will require entire wall to be removed and relayed at Contractor's expense.

# 3.4 TOLERÂNCES

- A. Maximum Variation From Unit to Adjacent Unit: 1/32".
- B. Maximum Variation From Plane of Wall: 1/4" in 10 feet and 1/2" in 20 feet or more.
- C. Maximum Variation From Plumb: 1/4" per story non-cumulative; 1/2" in 2 stories or more.
- D. Maximum Variation From Level Coursing: 1/8" in 3 feet, 1/4" in 10 feet and 1/2" in 30 feet.
- E. Maximum Variation From Joint Thickness: 1/8" in 3 feet.
- F. Maximum Variation From Cross Sectional Thickness of Walls: 1/4".
- 3.5 ADJUSTING AND CLEANING
  - A. Replace any masonry units which are loose or damaged and repair defective mortar joints. Make these repairs such that evidence of repair is not apparent.
  - B. Remove surplus mortar, drippings, splatter, etc. from exterior and interior masonry as Work progresses.
  - C. Clean, point & dry brush all exposed Work at end of each working day. Fill holes from line pins and nails.
  - D. Point joints to provide a neat uniform appearance. Cut out unrepairable defective joints. Fill solidly with mortar and tool to match adjacent Work. DO NOT CORRECT IMPERFECTIONS WITH SPACKLE.
  - E. Thoroughly rub out exposed Work to remove any projections. Fill indentations flush with surface.
  - F. Clean masonry surfaces upon completion from top down with water and fiber brushes to remove stains. ACID CLEANING OF MASONRY IS NOT PERMITTED.

END OF SECTION 042200



SECTION 06 10 00 - ROUGH CARPENTRY (ARCHITECTURAL)

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section Includes:
    - 1. Wood blocking, cants, and nailers.
    - 2. Plywood backing panels.
  - B. Related Requirements:
    - 1. Section 313116 "Termite Control" for site application of borate treatment to wood framing.
- 1.3 DEFINITIONS
  - A. Dimension Lumber: Lumber of 2 inches nominal (38 mm actual) or greater but less than 5 inches nominal (114 mm actual) in least dimension.
  - B. Lumber grading agencies, and the abbreviations used to reference them, include the following:
  - 1. SPIB: The Southern Pine Inspection Bureau.

# 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of process and factory-fabricated product. Indicate component materials and dimensions and include construction and application details.
  - 1. Include data for wood-preservative treatment from chemical treatment manufacturer and certification by treating plant that treated materials comply with requirements. Indicate type of preservative used and net amount of preservative retained.
  - 2. For products receiving a waterborne treatment, include statement that moisture content of treated materials was reduced to levels specified before shipment to Project site.
  - 3. Include copies of warranties from chemical treatment manufacturers for each type of treatment.

# 1.5 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Material Certificates: For dimension lumber specified to comply with minimum allowable unit stresses. Indicate species and grade selected for each use and design values approved by the ALSC Board of Review.
- B. Evaluation Reports: For the following, from ICC-ES:
  - 1. Wood-preservative-treated wood.
  - 2. Power-driven fasteners.
  - 3. Powder-actuated fasteners.
  - 4. Expansion anchors.
- 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Testing Agency Qualifications: For testing agency providing classification marking for fire-retardant treated material, an inspection agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction that periodically performs inspections to verify that the material bearing the classification marking is representative of the material tested.
- 1.7 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING
  - A. Stack lumber flat with spacers beneath and between each bundle to provide air circulation. Protect lumber from weather by covering with waterproof sheeting, securely anchored. Provide for air circulation around stacks and under coverings.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 WOOD PRODUCTS, GENERAL
  - A. Lumber: DOC PS 20 and applicable rules of grading agencies indicated. If no grading agency is indicated, provide lumber that complies with the applicable rules of any rules-writing agency certified by the ALSC Board of Review. Provide lumber graded by an agency certified by the ALSC Board of Review to inspect and grade lumber under the rules indicated.
    - 1. Factory mark each piece of lumber with grade stamp of grading agency.



- 2. Where nominal sizes are indicated, provide actual sizes required by DOC PS 20 for moisture content specified. Where actual sizes are indicated, they are minimum dressed sizes for dry lumber.
- 3. Provide dressed lumber, S4S, unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Maximum Moisture Content of Lumber: 15 percent for 2-inch nominal (38-mm actual) thickness or less, 19 percent for more than 2-inch nominal (38-mm actual) thickness unless otherwise indicated.

# 2.2 WOOD-PRESERVATIVE-TREATED LUMBER

- A. Preservative Treatment by Pressure Process: AWPA U1; Use Category UC2 for interior construction not in contact with the ground, Use Category UC3b for exterior construction not in contact with the ground, and Use Category UC4a for items in contact with the ground.
  - 1. Preservative Chemicals: Acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction and containing no arsenic or chromium. Do not use inorganic boron (SBX) for sill plates.
- B. Kiln-dry lumber after treatment to a maximum moisture content of 19 percent. Do not use material that is warped or that does not comply with requirements for untreated material.
- C. Mark lumber with treatment quality mark of an inspection agency approved by the ALSC Board of Review.
- D. Application: Treat all rough carpentry unless otherwise indicated.
  - 1. Wood cants, nailers, curbs, equipment support bases, blocking, stripping, and similar members in connection with roofing, flashing, vapor barriers, and waterproofing.
  - 2. Wood sills, sleepers, blocking, and similar concealed members in contact with masonry or concrete.

# 3. Ceiling finish (plywood) as indicated on room finish schedule and reflected ceiling plan.

# 2.3 MISCELLANEOUS LUMBER

- A. General: Provide miscellaneous lumber indicated and lumber for support or attachment of other construction, including the following:
  - 1. Blocking.
  - 2. Nailers.
  - 3. Cants.
- B. For items of dimension lumber size, provide Construction or No. 2 grade lumber and the following species:
  - 1. Mixed southern pine; SPIB.
- C. For concealed boards, provide lumber with **15** percent maximum moisture content and any of the following species and grades:
  - 1. Mixed southern pine; No. **2** grade; SPIB.
- D. For blocking not used for attachment of other construction, Utility, Stud, or No. 3 grade lumber of any species may be used provided that it is cut and selected to eliminate defects that will interfere with its attachment and purpose.
- E. For blocking and nailers used for attachment of other construction, select and cut lumber to eliminate knots and other defects that will interfere with attachment of other work.

# 2.4 PLYWOOD BACKING PANELS

A. Equipment Backing Panels: DOC PS 1, Exterior, C-C Plugged in thickness indicated or, if not indicated, not less than 3/4-inch (19-mm) nominal thickness.

# 2.5 FASTENERS

- A. General: Provide fasteners of size and type indicated that comply with requirements specified in this article for material and manufacture.
  - 1. Where rough carpentry is exposed to weather, in ground contact, pressure-preservative treated, or in area of high relative humidity, provide fasteners with hot-dip zinc coating complying with ASTM A 153/A 153M.
- B. Nails, Brads, and Staples: ASTM F 1667.
- C. Power-Driven Fasteners: NES NER-272.
- D. Wood Screws: ASME B18.6.1.
- E. Lag Bolts: ASME B18.2.1 (ASME B18.2.3.8M).



- F. Bolts: Steel bolts complying with ASTM A 307, Grade A (ASTM F 568M, Property Class 4.6); with ASTM A 563 (ASTM A 563M) hex nuts and, where indicated, flat washers.
- G. Expansion Anchors: Anchor bolt and sleeve assembly of material indicated below with capability to sustain, without failure, a load equal to six times the load imposed when installed in unit masonry assemblies and equal to four times the load imposed when installed in concrete as determined by testing per ASTM E 488 conducted by a qualified independent testing and inspecting agency.
  - 1. Material: Carbon-steel components, zinc plated to comply with ASTM B 633, Class Fe/Zn 5.

# 2.6 MISCELLANEOUS MATERIALS

A. Flexible Flashing: Composite, self-adhesive, flashing product consisting of a pliable, butyl rubber or rubberized-asphalt compound, bonded to a high-density polyethylene film, aluminum foil, or spunbonded polyolefin to produce an overall thickness of not less than 0.025 inch (0.6 mm).

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 INSTALLATION, GENERAL
  - A. Provide blocking and framing as indicated and as required to support facing materials, fixtures, specialty items, and trim.
    - 1. Provide metal clips for fastening gypsum board or lath at corners and intersections where framing or blocking does not provide a surface for fastening edges of panels. Space clips not more than 16 inches (406 mm) o.c.
  - B. Sort and select lumber so that natural characteristics will not interfere with installation or with fastening other materials to lumber. Do not use materials with defects that interfere with function of member or pieces that are too small to use with minimum number of joints or optimum joint arrangement.
  - C. Comply with AWPA M4 for applying field treatment to cut surfaces of preservative-treated lumber.
    - 1. Use inorganic boron for items that are continuously protected from liquid water.
    - 2. Use copper naphthenate for items not continuously protected from liquid water.
  - D. Securely attach rough carpentry work to substrate by anchoring and fastening as indicated, complying with the following:
    - 1. NES NER-272 for power-driven fasteners.
    - 2. Table 2304.9.1, "Fastening Schedule," in ICC's International Building Code.
  - E. Use steel common nails unless otherwise indicated. Select fasteners of size that will not fully penetrate members where opposite side will be exposed to view or will receive finish materials. Make tight connections between members. Install fasteners without splitting wood. Drive nails snug but do not countersink nail heads unless otherwise indicated.

#### 3.2 PROTECTION

- A. Protect wood that has been treated with inorganic boron (SBX) from weather. If, despite protection, inorganic boron-treated wood becomes wet, apply EPA-registered borate treatment. Apply borate solution by spraying to comply with EPA-registered label.
- B. Protect rough carpentry from weather. If, despite protection, rough carpentry becomes sufficiently wet that moisture content exceeds that specified, apply EPA-registered borate treatment. Apply borate solution by spraying to comply with EPA-registered label.

END OF SECTION 06 10 00



SECTION 064113 - WOOD-VENEER-FACED ARCHITECTURAL CABINETS (OPAQUE FINISH)

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section Includes:
    - 1. Wood-veneer-faced architectural cabinets.
    - 2. Wood furring, blocking, shims, and hanging strips for installing architectural cabinets that are not concealed within other construction.

#### 1.3 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate sizes and locations of framing, blocking, furring, reinforcements, and other related units of Work specified in other Sections to support loads imposed by installed and fully loaded cabinets.
- B. Hardware Coordination: Distribute copies of approved hardware schedule specified in to manufacturer of architectural cabinets; coordinate Shop Drawings and fabrication with hardware requirements.

#### 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Shop Drawings: For architectural cabinets.
  - 1. Include plans, elevations, sections, and attachment details.
  - 2. Show large-scale details.
  - 3. Show locations and sizes of furring, blocking, and hanging strips, including concealed blocking and reinforcement specified in other Sections.
  - 4. Show locations and sizes of cutouts and holes for items installed in architectural cabinets.
- 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING
- A. Do not deliver cabinets until painting and similar finish operations that might damage architectural cabinets have been completed in installation areas. Store cabinets in installation areas or in areas where environmental conditions comply with requirements specified in "Field Conditions" Article.

#### 1.6 FIELD CONDITIONS

- A. Field Measurements: Where cabinets are indicated to fit to other construction, verify dimensions of other construction by field measurements before fabrication, and indicate measurements on Shop Drawings. Coordinate fabrication schedule with construction progress to avoid delaying the Work.
  - 1. Locate concealed framing, blocking, and reinforcements that support cabinets by field measurements before being enclosed/concealed by construction, and indicate measurements on Shop Drawings.
- B. Established Dimensions: Where cabinets are indicated to fit to other construction, establish dimensions for areas where cabinets are to fit. Provide allowance for trimming at site, and coordinate construction to ensure that actual dimensions correspond to established dimensions.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

# 2.1 CABINETS, GENERAL

- A. Quality Standard: Unless otherwise indicated, comply with the Architectural Woodwork Standards for grades of architectural cabinets indicated for construction, finishes, installation, and other requirements.
- 2.2 WOOD CABINETS FOR OPAQUE FINISH
  - A. Architectural Woodwork Standards Grade: Custom.
  - B. Type of Construction: Face frame.
  - C. Door and Drawer-Front Style: Flush overlay.
  - D. Species for Exposed Lumber Surfaces: Any closed-grain hardwood.
  - E. Panel Product for Exposed Surfaces: Any closed grain hardwood plywood.
  - F. Semi-exposed Surfaces:
    - 1. Surfaces Other Than Drawer Bodies: Match materials indicated for exposed surfaces.
    - 2. Drawer Sides and Backs: Solid-hardwood lumber.
    - 3. Drawer Bottoms: Hardwood plywood.
  - G. Doors and Drawer Fronts: Flush panel with hardwood edge banding
  - H. Drawer Construction: Fabricate with exposed fronts fastened to subfront with mounting screws from interior of body.



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- 1. Join subfronts, backs, and sides with glued rabbeted joints supplemented by mechanical fasteners or glued dovetail joints.
- 2.3 WOOD MATERIALS
  - A. Wood Products: Provide materials that comply with requirements of referenced quality standard for each type of architectural cabinet and quality grade specified unless otherwise indicated.
    - 1. Do not use plain-sawn softwood lumber with exposed, flat surfaces more than 3 inches wide.
    - 2. Wood Moisture Content: 5 to 10 percent.
  - B. Composite Wood and Agrifiber Products: Provide materials that comply with requirements of referenced quality standard for each type of architectural cabinet and quality grade specified unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Composite Wood Products: Products shall be made without urea formaldehyde.
- 2.4 CABINET HARDWARE AND ACCESSORIES
  - A. General: Provide cabinet hardware and accessory materials associated with architectural cabinets except for items specified in
  - B. Butt Hinges: 2-3/4-inch, five-knuckle steel hinges made from 0.095-inch- thick metal, and as follows:
     1. Semiconcealed Hinges for Flush Doors: BHMA A156.9, B01361.
  - C. Wire Pulls: Back mounted, solid metal, 4 inches long, 5/16 inch in diameter.
  - D. Adjustable Shelf Standards and Supports: BHMA A156.9, B04071; with shelf rests, B04081 BHMA A156.9, B04102; with shelf brackets, B04112.
  - E. Shelf Rests: BHMA A156.9, B04013; metal.
  - F. Drawer Slides: BHMA A156.9.
    - 1. Grade 1 and Grade 2: Side mounted and extending under bottom edge of drawer.
      - a. Type: Full extension.
      - b. Material: Epoxy-coated steel with polymer rollers.
    - 2. Grade 1HD-100 and Grade 1HD-200: Side mounted; full-extension type; zinc-plated-steel, ball-bearing slides.
    - 3. For drawers not more than 3 inches high and not more than 24 inches wide, provide Grade 2 Grade 1.
    - 4. For drawers more than 3 inches high, but not more than 6 inches high and not more than 24 inches wide, provide Grade 1 Grade 1HD-100.
    - 5. For drawers more than 6 inches high or more than 24 inches wide, provide Grade 1HD-100 Grade 1HD-200.
  - G. Door Locks: BHMA A156.11, E07121.
  - H. Drawer Locks: BHMA A156.11, E07041.
  - I. Door and Drawer Silencers: BHMA A156.16, L03011.
  - J. Exposed Hardware Finishes: For exposed hardware, provide finish that complies with BHMA A156.18 for BHMA finish number indicated.
    - 1. Satin Stainless Steel: BHMA 630.
  - K. For concealed hardware, provide manufacturer's standard finish that complies with product class requirements in BHMA A156.9.
- 2.5 MISCELLANEOUS MATERIALS
- A. Furring, Blocking, Shims, and Hanging Strips: Softwood or hardwood lumber, kiln-dried to less than 15 percent moisture content.
- B. Adhesives: Do not use adhesives that contain urea formaldehyde.
- 2.6 FABRICATION
  - A. Fabricate architectural cabinets to dimensions, profiles, and details indicated. Ease edges and corners to 1/16-inch radius unless otherwise indicated.
  - B. Complete fabrication, including assembly and hardware application, to maximum extent possible before shipment to Project site. Disassemble components only as necessary for shipment and installation. Where necessary for fitting at site, provide ample allowance for scribing, trimming, and fitting.
  - C. Shop-cut openings to maximum extent possible to receive hardware, appliances, electrical work, and similar items. Locate openings accurately and use templates or roughing-in diagrams to produce accurately sized and shaped openings. Sand edges of cutouts to remove splinters and burrs.



# PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 PREPARATION

- A. Before installation, condition cabinets to humidity conditions in installation areas for not less than 72 hours.
   3.2 INSTALLATION
  - A. Architectural Woodwork Standards Grade: Install cabinets to comply with quality standard grade of item to be installed.
  - B. Assemble cabinets and complete fabrication at Project site to extent that it was not completed in the shop.
  - C. Anchor cabinets to anchors or blocking built in or directly attached to substrates. Secure with countersunk, concealed fasteners and blind nailing. Use fine finishing nails or finishing screws for exposed fastening, countersunk and filled flush with cabinet surface.
    - 1. For shop-finished items, use filler matching finish of items being installed.
  - D. Install cabinets level, plumb, and true in line to a tolerance of 1/8 inch in 96 inchesusing concealed shims.
    - 1. Scribe and cut cabinets to fit adjoining work, refinish cut surfaces, and repair damaged finish at cuts.
    - 2. Install cabinets without distortion so doors and drawers fit openings and are accurately aligned. Adjust hardware to center doors and drawers in openings and to provide unencumbered operation. Complete installation of hardware and accessory items as indicated.
    - 3. Maintain veneer sequence matching of cabinets with transparent finish.
    - 4. Fasten wall cabinets through back, near top and bottom, and at ends not more than 16 inches o.c. with No. 10 wafer-head screws sized for not less than 1-1/2-inch penetration into wood framing, blocking, or hanging strips.
  - E. Field Finishing: See Section 099123 "Interior Painting" for finishing of installed architectural cabinets.

#### 3.3 ADJUSTING AND CLEANING

- A. Repair damaged and defective cabinets, where possible, to eliminate functional and visual defects. Where not possible to repair, replace architectural cabinets. Adjust joinery for uniform appearance.
- B. Clean, lubricate, and adjust hardware.

C. Clean cabinets on exposed and semiexposed surfaces. Touch up finishes to restore damaged or soiled areas. END OF SECTION 064113



# SECTION 06 41 16 - PLASTIC-LAMINATE-CLAD COUNTERTOPS

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
- A. Section includes plastic-laminate countertops.
- 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS
  - A. Product Data: For each type of product, including, panel products, high-pressure decorative laminate and adhesive for bonding plastic laminate.
    - 1. Include data for fire-retardant treatment from chemical-treatment manufacturer and certification by treating plant that treated materials comply with requirements.
  - B. Shop Drawings: Show location of each item, dimensioned plans and elevations, large-scale details, attachment devices, and other components.
    - 1. Show locations and sizes of cutouts and holes for plumbing fixtures and other items installed in plastic-laminate countertops.
  - C. Samples for Initial Selection:
    - 1. Plastic laminates.
- 1.4 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS
  - A. Qualification Data: For fabricator.
  - B. Product Certificates: For each type of product:
    - 1. Composite wood and agrifiber products.
    - 2. High-pressure decorative laminate.
    - 3. Adhesives.
- C. Woodwork Quality Standard Compliance Certificates: AWI Quality Certification Program certificates.
- 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Fabricator Qualifications: Shop that employs skilled workers who custom fabricate products similar to those required for this Project and whose products have a record of successful in-service performance. Shop is a certified participant in AWI's Quality Certification Program.
  - B. Installer Qualifications: Fabricator of products.
  - C. Testing Agency Qualifications: For testing agency providing classification marking for fire-retardant-treated material, an inspection agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction that periodically performs inspections to verify that the material bearing the classification marking is representative of the material tested.

# 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

A. Do not deliver countertops until painting and similar operations that could damage countertops have been completed in installation areas. If countertops must be stored in other than installation areas, store only in areas where environmental conditions comply with requirements specified in "Field Conditions" Article.

# 1.7 FIELD CONDITIONS

- A. Environmental Limitations: Do not deliver or install countertops until building is enclosed, wet work is complete, and HVAC system is operating and maintaining temperature and relative humidity at occupancy levels during the remainder of the construction period.
- B. Environmental Limitations: Do not deliver or install countertops until building is enclosed, wet work is complete, and HVAC system is operating and maintaining temperature between 60 and 90 deg F (16 and 32 deg C) and relative humidity between 43 and 70 percent during the remainder of the construction period.
- C. Field Measurements: Where countertops are indicated to fit to other construction, verify dimensions of other construction by field measurements before fabrication, and indicate measurements on Shop Drawings. Coordinate fabrication schedule with construction progress to avoid delaying the Work.
- D. Established Dimensions: Where countertops are indicated to fit to other construction, establish dimensions for areas where countertops are to fit. Provide allowance for trimming at site, and coordinate construction to ensure that actual dimensions correspond to established dimensions.



# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

# 2.1 PLASTIC-LAMINATE COUNTERTOPS

- A. Quality Standard: Unless otherwise indicated, comply with the "Architectural Woodwork Standards" for grades indicated for construction, installation, and other requirements.
  - 1. Provide labels and certificates from AWI certification program indicating that countertops, including installation, comply with requirements of grades specified.
  - 2. The Contract Documents contain selections chosen from options in the quality standard and additional requirements beyond those of the quality standard. Comply with those selections and requirements in addition to the quality standard.
- B. Grade: Premium.

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- C. Regional Materials: Plastic-laminate countertops shall be manufactured within 500 miles (800 km) of Project site.
- D. High-Pressure Decorative Laminate: NEMA LD 3, Grade HGS.
  - Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. Formica Corporation.
    - b. Wilsonart International; Div. of Premark International, Inc.
- E. Colors, Patterns, and Finishes: Provide materials and products that result in colors and textures of exposed laminate surfaces complying with the following requirements:
  - 1. As indicated by manufacturer's designations.
  - 2. Match Architect's sample.
  - 3. As selected by Architect from manufacturer's full range in the following categories:
    - a. Solid colors, matte finish.
    - b. Solid colors with core same color as surface, matte finish.
    - c. Wood grains, matte finish.
    - d. Patterns, matte finish.
  - 4. Grain Direction: Parallel to cabinet fronts.
- F. Edge Treatment: Same as laminate cladding on horizontal surfaces.
- G. Core Material: Medium-density fiberboard.
- H. Core Material at Sinks: medium-density fiberboard made with exterior glue.
- I. Core Thickness: 3/4 inch (19 mm).
  - 1. Build up countertop thickness to 1-1/2 inches (38 mm) at front, back, and ends with additional layers of core material laminated to top.

# 2.2 WOOD MATERIALS

- A. Wood Products: Provide materials that comply with requirements of referenced quality standard unless otherwise indicated.
  - 1. Wood Moisture Content: 8 to 13 percent.
- B. Composite Wood and Agrifiber Products: Provide materials that comply with requirements of referenced quality standard for each type of woodwork and quality grade specified unless otherwise indicated.
  - 1. Medium-Density Fiberboard: ANSI A208.2, Grade 130, made with binder containing no urea formaldehyde.

# 2.3 ACCESSORIES

- A. Grommets for Cable Passage through Countertops: 2-inch (51-mm) OD, black, molded-plastic grommets and matching plastic caps with slot for wire passage.
  - 1. Product: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide "OG series" by Doug Mockett & Company, Inc.
- 2.4 MISCELLANEOUS MATERIALS
  - A. Adhesives: Do not use adhesives that contain urea formaldehyde.
  - B. Adhesive for Bonding Plastic Laminate: Un-pigmented contact cement.
    - 1. Adhesive for Bonding Edges: Hot-melt adhesive or adhesive specified above for faces.
- 2.5 FABRICATION



- A. Fabricate countertops to dimensions, profiles, and details indicated. Provide front and end overhang of 1 inch (25 mm) over base cabinets. Ease edges to radius indicated for the following:
  - 1. Solid-Wood (Lumber) Members: 1/16 inch (1.5 mm) unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Complete fabrication, including assembly, to maximum extent possible before shipment to Project site. Disassemble components only as necessary for shipment and installation. Where necessary for fitting at site, provide ample allowance for scribing, trimming, and fitting.
  - 1. Notify Architect seven days in advance of the dates and times woodwork fabrication will be complete.
  - 2. Trial fit assemblies at fabrication shop that cannot be shipped completely assembled. Install dowels, screws, bolted connectors, and other fastening devices that can be removed after trial fitting. Verify that various parts fit as intended and check measurements of assemblies against field measurements before disassembling for shipment.
- C. Shop cut openings to maximum extent possible to receive appliances, plumbing fixtures, electrical work, and similar items. Locate openings accurately and use templates or roughing-in diagrams to produce accurately sized and shaped openings. Sand edges of cutouts to remove splinters and burrs.
  - 1. Seal edges of openings in countertops with a coat of varnish.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

# 3.1 PREPARATION

- A. Before installation, condition countertops to average prevailing humidity conditions in installation areas.
- B. Before installing countertops, examine shop-fabricated work for completion and complete work as required, including removal of packing and back priming.

# 3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Grade: Install countertops to comply with same grade as item to be installed.
- B. Assemble countertops and complete fabrication at Project site to the extent that it was not completed in the shop.
  - 1. Provide cutouts for appliances, plumbing fixtures, electrical work, and similar items.
  - 2. Seal edges of cutouts by saturating with varnish.
- C. Field Jointing: Where possible, make in the same manner as shop jointing, using dowels, splines, adhesives, and fasteners recommended by manufacturer. Prepare edges to be joined in shop so Project-site processing of top and edge surfaces is not required. Locate field joints where shown on Shop Drawings.
  - 1. Secure field joints in plastic-laminate countertops with concealed clamping devices located within 6 inches (150 mm) of front and back edges and at intervals not exceeding 24 inches (600 mm). Tighten according to manufacturer's written instructions to exert a constant, heavy-clamping pressure at joints.
- D. Install countertops level, plumb, true, and straight. Shim as required with concealed shims. Install level and plumb to a tolerance of 1/8 inch in 96 inches (3 mm in 2400 mm).
- E. Scribe and cut countertops to fit adjoining work, refinish cut surfaces, and repair damaged finish at cuts.
- F. Countertops: Anchor securely by screwing through corner blocks of base cabinets or other supports into underside of countertop.
  - 1. Install countertops with no more than 1/8 inch in 96-inch (3 mm in 2400-mm) sag, bow, or other variation from a straight line.
  - 2. Secure backsplashes to tops with concealed metal brackets at 16 inches (400 mm) o.c. and to walls with adhesive.
  - 3. Seal junctures of tops, splashes, and walls with mildew-resistant silicone sealant or another permanently elastic sealing compound recommended by countertop material manufacturer.

#### 3.3 ADJUSTING AND CLEANING

- A. Repair damaged and defective countertops, where possible, to eliminate functional and visual defects; where not possible to repair, replace woodwork. Adjust joinery for uniform appearance.
- B. Clean countertops on exposed and semi exposed surfaces. Touch up shop-applied finishes to restore damaged or soiled areas.

END OF SECTION 06 41 17



#### SECTION 07 84 13 - PENETRATION FIRESTOPPING

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section Includes:
    - 1. Penetrations in fire-resistance-rated walls.
    - 2. Penetrations in horizontal assemblies.
- 1.3 SUBMITTALS
  - A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated.
  - B. Product Schedule: For each penetration firestopping system. Include location and design designation of qualified testing and inspecting agency.
    - 1. Where Project conditions require modification to a qualified testing and inspecting agency's illustration for a particular penetration firestopping condition, submit illustration, with modifications marked, approved by penetration firestopping manufacturer's fire-protection engineer as an engineering judgment or equivalent fire-resistance-rated assembly.
  - C. Qualification Data: For qualified Installer.
  - D. Installer Certificates: From Installer indicating penetration firestopping has been installed in compliance with requirements and manufacturer's written recommendations.
  - E. Product Test Reports: Based on evaluation of comprehensive tests performed by a qualified testing agency, for penetration firestopping.
- 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Installer Qualifications: A firm experienced in installing penetration firestopping similar in material, design, and extent to that indicated for this Project, whose work has resulted in construction with a record of successful performance. Qualifications include having the necessary experience, staff, and training to install manufacturer's products per specified requirements. Manufacturer's willingness to sell its penetration firestopping products to Contractor or to Installer engaged by Contractor does not in itself confer qualification on buyer.
  - B. Fire-Test-Response Characteristics: Penetration firestopping shall comply with the following requirements:
    - 1. Penetration firestopping tests are performed by a qualified testing agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.
    - 2. Penetration firestopping is identical to those tested per testing standard referenced in "Penetration Firestopping" Article. Provide rated systems complying with the following requirements:
      - a. Penetration firestopping products bear classification marking of qualified testing and inspecting agency.
      - b. Classification markings on penetration firestopping correspond to designations listed by the following:
        - 1) UL in its "Fire Resistance Directory."
- 1.5 PROJECT CONDITIONS
  - A. Environmental Limitations: Do not install penetration firestopping when ambient or substrate temperatures are outside limits permitted by penetration firestopping manufacturers or when substrates are wet because of rain, frost, condensation, or other causes.
  - B. Install and cure penetration firestopping per manufacturer's written instructions using natural means of ventilations or, where this is inadequate, forced-air circulation.

# 1.6 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate construction of openings and penetrating items to ensure that penetration firestopping is installed according to specified requirements.
- B. Coordinate sizing of sleeves, openings, core-drilled holes, or cut openings to accommodate penetration firestopping.



- C. Notify Owner's testing agency at least seven days in advance of penetration firestopping installations; confirm dates and times on day preceding each series of installations.
- PART 2 PRODUCTS
- 2.1 MANUFACTURERS
  - A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, [provide products by one of the following]:
    - 1. Grace Construction Products.
    - 2. RectorSeal Corporation.
    - 3. 3M Fire Protection Products.
    - 4. Tremco, Inc.; Tremco Fire Protection Systems Group.
    - 5. USG Corporation.
- 2.2 PENETRATION FIRESTOPPING
  - A. Provide penetration firestopping that is produced and installed to resist spread of fire according to requirements indicated, resist passage of smoke and other gases, and maintain original fire-resistance rating of construction penetrated. Penetration firestopping systems shall be compatible with one another, with the substrates forming openings, and with penetrating items if any.
  - B. Penetrations in Fire-Resistance-Rated Walls: Provide penetration firestopping with ratings determined per ASTM E 814 or UL 1479, based on testing at a positive pressure differential of 0.01-inch wg (2.49 Pa).
    - 1. Fire-resistance-rated walls include [fire walls] [fire-barrier walls] [smoke-barrier walls] [and] [fire partitions].
    - 2. F-Rating: Not less than the fire-resistance rating of constructions penetrated.
  - C. Penetrations in Horizontal Assemblies: Provide penetration firestopping with ratings determined per ASTM E 814 or UL 1479, based on testing at a positive pressure differential of 0.01-inch wg (2.49 Pa).
    - 1. Horizontal assemblies include [floors] [floor/ceiling assemblies] [and] [ceiling membranes of roof/ceiling assemblies].
    - 2. F-Rating: At least 1 hour, but not less than the fire-resistance rating of constructions penetrated.
    - 3. T-Rating: At least 1 hour, but not less than the fire-resistance rating of constructions penetrated except for floor penetrations within the cavity of a wall.
  - D. Accessories: Provide components for each penetration firestopping system that are needed to install fill materials and to maintain ratings required. Use only those components specified by penetration firestopping manufacturer and approved by qualified testing and inspecting agency for firestopping indicated.
    - 1. Substrate primers.
    - 2. Collars.
    - 3. Steel sleeves.

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- 2.4 FILL MATERIALS
  - A. Intumescent Putties: Nonhardening dielectric, water-resistant putties containing no solvents, inorganic fibers, or silicone compounds.
  - B. Silicone Sealants: Single-component, silicone-based, neutral-curing elastomeric sealants of grade indicated below:
    - 1. Grade: Pourable (self-leveling) formulation for openings in floors and other horizontal surfaces, and nonsag formulation for openings in vertical and sloped surfaces, unless indicated firestopping limits use of nonsag grade for both opening conditions.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 EXAMINATION
  - A. Examine substrates and conditions, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements for opening configurations, penetrating items, substrates, and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
  - B. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.



## 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Surface Cleaning: Clean out openings immediately before installing penetration firestopping to comply with manufacturer's written instructions and with the following requirements:
  - 1. Remove from surfaces of opening substrates and from penetrating items foreign materials that could interfere with adhesion of penetration firestopping.
  - 2. Clean opening substrates and penetrating items to produce clean, sound surfaces capable of developing optimum bond with penetration firestopping. Remove loose particles remaining from cleaning operation.
  - 3. Remove laitance and form-release agents from concrete.
- B. Priming: Prime substrates where recommended in writing by manufacturer using that manufacturer's recommended products and methods. Confine primers to areas of bond; do not allow spillage and migration onto exposed surfaces.
- C. Masking Tape: Use masking tape to prevent penetration firestopping from contacting adjoining surfaces that will remain exposed on completion of the Work and that would otherwise be permanently stained or damaged by such contact or by cleaning methods used to remove stains. Remove tape as soon as possible without disturbing firestopping's seal with substrates.
- 3.3 INSTALLATION
  - A. General: Install penetration firestopping to comply with manufacturer's written installation instructions and published drawings for products and applications indicated.
  - B. Install forming materials and other accessories of types required to support fill materials during their application and in the position needed to produce cross-sectional shapes and depths required to achieve fire ratings indicated.
    - 1. After installing fill materials and allowing them to fully cure, remove combustible forming materials and other accessories not indicated as permanent components of firestopping.
  - C. Install fill materials for firestopping by proven techniques to produce the following results:
    - 1. Fill voids and cavities formed by openings, forming materials, accessories, and penetrating items as required to achieve fire-resistance ratings indicated.
    - 2. Apply materials so they contact and adhere to substrates formed by openings and penetrating items.

# 3.4 IDENTIFICATION

- A. Identify penetration firestopping with preprinted metal or plastic labels. Attach labels permanently to surfaces adjacent to and within 6 inches (150 mm) of firestopping edge so labels will be visible to anyone seeking to remove penetrating items or firestopping. Use mechanical fasteners or self-adhering-type labels with adhesives capable of permanently bonding labels to surfaces on which labels are placed. Include the following information on labels:
  - 1. The words "Warning Penetration Firestopping Do Not Disturb. Notify Building Management of Any Damage."
  - 2. Contractor's name, address, and phone number.
  - 3. Designation of applicable testing and inspecting agency.
  - 4. Date of installation.
  - 5. Manufacturer's name.
  - 6. Installer's name.

# 3.5 CLEANING AND PROTECTION

- A. Clean off excess fill materials adjacent to openings as the Work progresses by methods and with cleaning materials that are approved in writing by penetration firestopping manufacturers and that do not damage materials in which openings occur.
- B. Provide final protection and maintain conditions during and after installation that ensure that penetration firestopping is without damage or deterioration at time of Substantial Completion. If, despite such protection, damage or deterioration occurs, immediately cut out and remove damaged or deteriorated penetration firestopping and install new materials to produce systems complying with specified requirements.

#### 3.6 PENETRATION FIRESTOPPING SCHEDULE

A. Where UL-classified systems are indicated, they refer to system numbers in UL's "Fire Resistance Directory" under product Category XHEZ.



END OF SECTION 07 84 13



# SECTION 07 92 00 - JOINT SEALANTS

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section Includes:
    - 1. Silicone joint sealants.
    - 2. Acoustical joint sealants.
  - B. Related Sections:
    - 1. Section 04810 "Unit Masonry Assemblies" for masonry control and expansion joint fillers and gaskets.
    - 2. Section 08800 "Glazing" for glazing sealants.
    - 3. Section 09250 "Gypsum Board" for sealing perimeter joints.
    - 4. Section 09310 "Ceramic Tile" for sealing tile joints.
    - 5. Section 09511 "Acoustical Panel Ceilings" for sealing edge moldings at perimeters with acoustical sealants.
- 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS

# 1.4 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Test Reports: Based on evaluation of comprehensive tests performed by a qualified testing agency, indicating that sealants comply with requirements.
- B. Warranties: Sample of special warranties.

# 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Installer Qualifications: Manufacturer's authorized representative who is trained and approved for installation of units required for this Project.
- B. Source Limitations: Obtain each kind of joint sealant from single source from single manufacturer.

# 1.6 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Do not proceed with installation of joint sealants under the following conditions:
  - 1. When ambient and substrate temperature conditions are outside limits permitted by joint-sealant manufacturer.
  - 2. When joint substrates are wet.
  - 3. Where joint widths are less than those allowed by joint-sealant manufacturer for applications indicated.
  - 4. Where contaminants capable of interfering with adhesion have not yet been removed from joint substrates.

# 1.7 WARRANTY

- A. Special warranties specified in this article exclude deterioration or failure of joint sealants from the following:
  - 1. Movement of the structure caused by structural settlement or errors attributable to design or construction resulting in stresses on the sealant exceeding sealant manufacturer's written specifications for sealant elongation and compression.
  - 2. Disintegration of joint substrates from natural causes exceeding design specifications.
  - 3. Mechanical damage caused by individuals, tools, or other outside agents.
  - 4. Changes in sealant appearance caused by accumulation of dirt or other atmospheric contaminants.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

# 2.1 MATERIALS, GENERAL

A. Compatibility: Provide joint sealants, backings, and other related materials that are compatible with one another and with joint substrates under conditions of service and application, as demonstrated by joint-sealant manufacturer, based on testing and field experience.



- B. Stain-Test-Response Characteristics: Where sealants are specified to be nonstaining to porous substrates, provide products that have undergone testing according to ASTM C 1248 and have not stained porous joint substrates indicated for Project.
- C. Suitability for Contact with Food: Where sealants are indicated for joints that will come in repeated contact with food, provide products that comply with 21 CFR 177.2600.
- D. Colors of Exposed Joint Sealants: As selected by Architect from manufacturer's full range.
- 2.2 SILICONE JOINT SEALANTS
  - A. Single-Component, Nonsag, Neutral-Curing Silicone Joint Sealant: ASTM C 920, Type S, Grade NS, Class 100/50, for Use NT.
- 2.3 PICK PROOF & TAMPER RESISTANT JOINT SEALANT:
  - A. 2-component, 100% solids, moisture-tolerant, low-modulus, non-sag paste-consistency, epoxy resin binder.
    - 1. Sikadur 23 Lo-Mod Gel, Sika Corporation
      - a. At all interior corridors
- 2.4 ACOUSTICAL JOINT SEALANTS
  - A. Acoustical Joint Sealant: Manufacturer's standard nonsag, paintable, nonstaining latex sealant complying with ASTM C 834. Product effectively reduces airborne sound transmission through perimeter joints and openings in building construction as demonstrated by testing representative assemblies according to ASTM E 90.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 EXAMINATION
  - A. Examine joints indicated to receive joint sealants, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements for joint configuration, installation tolerances, and other conditions affecting joint-sealant performance.
  - B. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

# 3.2 PREPARATION

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- A. Surface Cleaning of Joints: Clean out joints immediately before installing joint sealants to comply with jointsealant manufacturer's written instructions and the following requirements:
  - 1. Remove all foreign material from joint substrates that could interfere with adhesion of joint sealant, including dust, paints (except for permanent, protective coatings tested and approved for sealant adhesion and compatibility by sealant manufacturer), old joint sealants, oil, grease, waterproofing, water repellents, water, surface dirt, and frost.
  - 2. Clean porous joint substrate surfaces by brushing, grinding, mechanical abrading, or a combination of these methods to produce a clean, sound substrate capable of developing optimum bond with joint sealants. Remove loose particles remaining after cleaning operations above by vacuuming or blowing out joints with oil-free compressed air. Porous joint substrates include the following:
    - a. Concrete.
    - b. Masonry.
    - c. Unglazed surfaces of ceramic tile.
    - Remove laitance and form-release agents from concrete.
- 3.3 INSTALLATION OF JOINT SEALANTS
  - A. General: Comply with joint-sealant manufacturer's written installation instructions for products and applications indicated, unless more stringent requirements apply.
  - B. Sealant Installation Standard: Comply with recommendations in ASTM C 1193 for use of joint sealants as applicable to materials, applications, and conditions indicated.
  - C. Install sealants using proven techniques that comply with the following and at the same time backings are installed:
    - 1. Place sealants so they directly contact and fully wet joint substrates.
    - 2. Completely fill recesses in each joint configuration.
    - 3. Produce uniform, cross-sectional shapes and depths relative to joint widths that allow optimum sealant movement capability.
  - D. Tooling of Nonsag Sealants: Immediately after sealant application and before skinning or curing begins, tool sealants according to requirements specified in subparagraphs below to form smooth, uniform beads



of configuration indicated; to eliminate air pockets; and to ensure contact and adhesion of sealant with sides of joint.

- 1. Remove excess sealant from surfaces adjacent to joints.
- 2. Use tooling agents that are approved in writing by sealant manufacturer and that do not discolor sealants or adjacent surfaces.
- 3. Provide concave joint profile per Figure 8A in ASTM C 1193, unless otherwise indicated.
- 4. Provide flush joint profile where indicated per Figure 8B in ASTM C 1193.
- 5. Provide recessed joint configuration of recess depth and at locations indicated per Figure 8C in ASTM C 1193.
- E. Acoustical Sealant Installation: At sound-rated assemblies and elsewhere as indicated, seal construction at perimeters, behind control joints, and at openings and penetrations with a continuous bead of acoustical sealant. Install acoustical sealant at both faces of partitions at perimeters and through penetrations. Comply with ASTM C 919 and with manufacturer's written recommendations.
- 3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL
  - A. Evaluation of Field-Adhesion Test Results: Sealants not evidencing adhesive failure from testing or noncompliance with other indicated requirements will be considered satisfactory. Remove sealants that fail to adhere to joint substrates during testing or to comply with other requirements. Retest failed applications until test results prove sealants comply with indicated requirements.

#### 3.5 CLEANING

A. Clean off excess sealant or sealant smears adjacent to joints as the Work progresses by methods and with cleaning materials approved in writing by manufacturers of joint sealants and of products in which joints occur.

#### 3.6 PROTECTION

A. Protect joint sealants during and after curing period from contact with contaminating substances and from damage resulting from construction operations or other causes so sealants are without deterioration or damage at time of Substantial Completion. If, despite such protection, damage or deterioration occurs, cut out and remove damaged or deteriorated joint sealants immediately so installations with repaired areas are indistinguishable from original work.

END OF SECTION 07 92 00



## SECTION 07 95 13 - EXPANSION JOINT COVER ASSEMBLIES

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section Includes:
    - 1. Floor expansion joint cover assemblies.
    - 2. Wall / Ceiling expansion joint cover assemblies.
    - 3. Fire-rated expansion joint cover assemblies.
  - B. Related Sections:
    - 1. Division 7 Section "Flashing and Sheet Metal" for sheet metal roof and wall expansion joint systems.
    - 2. Division 7 Section "Joint Sealers" for elastomeric sealants and compression seals without metal frames.

# 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data inform of manufacturer's product specifications, installation instructions, and general recommendations for each type of expansion joint cover assembly indicated.
- B. Product Test Reports: Based on evaluation of comprehensive tests performed by a qualified testing agency, for each product.
- C. Shop drawings showing full extent of expansion joint cover assemblies; include large-scale details indicating profiles of each type of expansion joint cover assembly, spite joints between sections, joinery with other types, special end conditions, anchorages, fasteners and relationship to adjoining work and finishes. Include description of materials and finishes.
- D. Samples for each type of metal finish indicated on metal of same thickness and alloy to be used in work. Where normal color and texture variations are to be expected, include 2 or more units in each set of samples showing limits of such variations.
- 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Manufacturer's Instructions: In addition to requirements of these specifications, comply with manufacturer's instructions recommendations for all phases of work, including preparation of substrate, applying materials, and protection of installed units.
  - B. Single-Source Responsibility: Obtain expansion joint cover assemblies from one source from a single manufacturer.
  - C. Fire performance Characteristics: Where indicated, provide expansion joint cover assemblies identical to those of assemblies whose fire resistance has been determined per ANSI/UIL 263, NFPA 251, U.B.C. 43-1, or ASTME E 119 and E 814 including hose stream test at full-rated period by a nationally recognized testing and inspecting organization or by another means, as acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.
    - 1. Fire rating: Not less than the rating of adjacent construction.
- PART 2 PRODUCTS

# 2.1 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

- A. Available Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated in the work include but are not limited to the following:
  - 1. Balco, Inc.
  - 2. Metalines, Inc.
  - 3. MM Systems Corp.
  - 4. Construction Specialties
- 2.2 MATERIALS
  - A. Metals:
    - 1. Aluminum: ASTME B221, alloy 6063—T5 for extrusions; ASTM B 209, alloy 6061-T6, sheet and plate.
      - a. Protect aluminum surfaces in contact with cementitious materials with zinc chromate primer or chromate conversion coating.
  - B. Nonmetal Products:



- 1. Extruded Preformed Seals: Single or multilayered rubber extrusions as classified under ASTM D 2000, designed with or without continuous, longitudinal, internal baffles and formed to fit compatible frames, in color indicated, or, if not indicated, as selected by Architect from manufacturer's standard colors.
- 2. Fire barriers: Designed for indicated or required dynamic structural movement without material degradation or fatigue. Tested in maximum joint width condition with a field splice as a component of an expansion joint cover in accordance with ANSI/UIL 263, NFPA 251, U.B.C. 43-1, or ASTM E 119 and E 814 including hose stream test at full-rated period by a nationally recognized testing and inspecting organization or by another means, as acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.
- C. Accessories: Manufacturer's standard anchors, fasteners, set screws, spacers, flexible vapor seals and filler materials, drain tubes, adhesive, and other accessories compatible with materials in contact, as indicated or required for complete installation.
- D. Basis of Design:
  - 1. Floor cover assembly basis of design: Balco, Inc., NBA-1
  - 2. Wall cover assembly basis of design: Balco, Inc., 6TW-1
  - 3. Acoustical lay-in ceiling / cmu wall cover assembly basis of design: Balco, Inc., ACWL-2
- 2.3 FABRICATION
  - A. General: Provide expansion joint cover assemblies of design, basic profile, materials, and operation indicated. Select units comparable to those indicated or required to accommodate joint sie, variations in adjacent surfaces, and structural movement. Furnish units in longest practical lengths to minimize number of end joints. Provide hairline mitered corners where joint changes directions or abuts other materials. Include closure materials and transition pieces, tee-joints, corners, curbs, cross-connections, and other accessories as required to provide continuous joint cover assemblies.
  - B. Metal Joint Cover Assemblies: Provide continuous extruded metal frames of profile indicated with seating surface and raised floor rim to accommodate flooring and concealed bolt and steel anchors for embedment in concrete. Provide assemblies formed to receive cover plates of design indicated and to receive filler materials (if any) between raised rim of frame and edge of plate. Furnish depth and configuration to suit type of construction and to produce a continuous flush wearing surface with adjoining finish floor surface.
- 2.4 METAL FINISHES
  - A. General: Comply with NAAMM "Metal finishes Manual" for finish designations and application recommendations, except as otherwise indicated. Apply finishes in factory after products are fabricated. Protect finishes on exposed surfaces with protective cover before shipment.
  - B. Aluminum Finishes:
    - 1. Mill Finish: AA-M10 (unspecified mill finish) at floor and soffit conditions.
    - 2. Clear anodized Finish: AA-C22A41; medium matte etched finish with 0.17-mil minimum thick anodic coating at wall and ceiling conditions.
    - 3. Factory-Primed Concealed Surfaces: Product concealed metal surfces that will be in contact with concrete and masonry surfaces when installed by applying a shop coat of manufacturer's standard primer to contact surfaces. Provide minimum dry film thickness of 2.0 mils.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 PREPARATION
  - A. Coordinate and furnish anchorages, setting drawings, templates, and instructions for installation of expansion joint cover assemblies to be embedded in concrete or have recesses formed into edges of concrete slab for later placement and grouting-in of frames.

# 3.2 INSTALLATION

A. Fastening to In-Place Construction: Provide anchorage devices and fasteners where necessary for securing expansion joint cover assemblies to in-place construction, including threaded fasteners with drilled-in expansion shields for masonry and concrete where anchoring members are not embedded in concrete. Provide fastners of metal, type, and size to suit type of construction indicated and provide for secure attachment of expansion joint cover assemblies.



- B. Cutting, Fitting and Placement: Perform all cutting, drilling, and fitting required for installation of expansion joint covers. Install joint cover assemblies in true alignment and proper relationship to expansion joints and adjoining finished surfaces measured from established lines and levels. Allow adequate free movement for thermal expansion and contraction of metal to avoid buckling. Set floor covers at elevations to be flush with adjacent finished floor materials. Locate wall, ceiling, roof, and soffit covers in continuous contact with adjacent surfaces. Securely attach in place with all required accessories. Locate anchors at interval recommended by manufacturer, but not less than 3 inches from each end and not more than 24 inches on centers.
- C. Joinery and Continuity: Maintain continuity of expansion joint cover assemblies with end joints held to a minimum and metal members aligned mechanically using splice joints. Cut and fit ends to produce joints that will accommodate thermal expansion and contraction of metal to avoid buckling of frames. Adhere flexible filler materials (if any) to frames with adhesive or pressure-sensitive tape as recommended by manufacturer.
- D. Installation of Extruded Preformed Seals: Install seals to comply with manufacturer's instructions and with minimum number of end joints. For straight sections provide preformed seals in continuous lengths. Vulcanize or heat-seal all field splice joints in preformed seal material to provide watertight joints using manufacturer's recommended procedures. Apply manufacturer's approved adhesives, epoxy, or lubricant-adhesive to both frame interfaces prior to installing preformed seal. Seal transitions in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- E. Installation of Fire Barriers: Install fire barriers in accordance with federal, state, and local, building codes using manufacturer's recommended procedures. Install transition and end joints to provide continuous fire resistance and in accordance with manufacturer's instruction.
- 3.3 CLEANING AND PROTECTION
  - A. Do not remove strippable protective material until finish work in adjacent areas is complete. When protective material is removed, clean exposed metal surfaces to comply with manufacturer's instructions.

END OF SECTION 07 95 13



# SECTION 08 11 13 - HOLLOW METAL DOORS AND FRAMES

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section includes hollow-metal work.
  - B. Related Requirements:
    - 1. Section 087100 "Door Hardware" for door hardware for hollow-metal doors.
- 1.3 DEFINITIONS
  - A. Minimum Thickness: Minimum thickness of base metal without coatings according to NAAMM-HMMA 803 or SDI A250.8.

# 1.4 COORDINATION

A. Coordinate anchorage installation for hollow-metal frames. Furnish setting drawings, templates, and directions for installing anchorages, including sleeves, concrete inserts, anchor bolts, and items with integral anchors. Deliver such items to Project site in time for installation.

# 1.5 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product.
  - 1. Include construction details, material descriptions, core descriptions, fire-resistance ratings, and finishes.
- B. Shop Drawings: Include the following:
  - 1. Elevations of each door type.
  - 2. Details of doors, including vertical- and horizontal-edge details and metal thicknesses.
  - 3. Frame details for each frame type, including dimensioned profiles and metal thicknesses.
  - 4. Locations of reinforcement and preparations for hardware.
  - 5. Details of each different wall opening condition.
  - 6. Details of anchorages, joints, field splices, and connections.
  - 7. Details of accessories.
  - 8. Details of moldings, removable stops, and glazing.
  - 9. Details of conduit and preparations for power, signal, and control systems.
- C. Schedule: Provide a schedule of hollow-metal work prepared by or under the supervision of supplier, using same reference numbers for details and openings as those on Drawings. Coordinate with final Door Hardware Schedule.

# 1.6 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Test Reports: For each type of hollow-metal door and frame assembly, for tests performed by a qualified testing agency.
- 1.7 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING
  - A. Deliver hollow-metal work palletized, packaged, or crated to provide protection during transit and Projectsite storage. Do not use non-vented plastic.
    - 1. Provide additional protection to prevent damage to factory-finished units.
  - B. Deliver welded frames with two removable spreader bars across bottom of frames, tack welded to jambs and mullions.
  - C. Store hollow-metal work vertically under cover at Project site with head up. Place on minimum 4-inch-(102-mm-) high wood blocking. Provide minimum 1/4-inch (6-mm) space between each stacked door to permit air circulation.

# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 MANUFACTURERS
- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Ceco Door Products; an Assa Abloy Group company.
  - 2. Curries Company; an Assa Abloy Group company.
  - 3. Republic Doors and Frames.



- 4. Steelcraft; an Ingersoll-Rand company.
- B. Source Limitations: Obtain hollow-metal work from single source from single manufacturer.

# 2.2 REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

- A. Fire-Rated Assemblies: Complying with NFPA 80 and listed and labeled by a qualified testing agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction for fire-protection ratings indicated, based on testing at positive pressure according to NFPA 252 or UL 10C.
- B. Fire-Rated, Borrowed-Light Assemblies: Complying with NFPA 80 and listed and labeled by a testing and inspecting agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction for fire-protection ratings indicated, based on testing according to NFPA 257 or UL 9.

# 2.3 INTERIOR DOORS AND FRAMES

- A. Construct interior doors and frames to comply with the standards indicated for materials, fabrication, hardware locations, hardware reinforcement, tolerances, and clearances, and as specified.
  - 1. Physical Performance: Level A according to SDI A250.4.
  - 2. Doors:
    - a. Type: As indicated in the Door and Frame Schedule.
    - b. Thickness: 1-3/4 inches (44.5 mm.)
    - c. Face: Uncoated, cold-rolled steel sheet, minimum thickness of 0.042 inch (1.0 mm).
    - d. Edge Construction: Continuously welded with no visible seam.
    - e. Core: Steel stiffened.
  - 3. Frames:
    - a. Materials: Uncoated steel sheet, minimum thickness of 0.067 inch (1.7 mm).
    - b. Construction: Full profile welded.
  - 4. Exposed Finish: Prime.
- 2.4 EXTERIOR HOLLOW-METAL DOORS AND FRAMES
- A. Construct exterior doors and frames to comply with the standards indicated for materials, fabrication, hardware locations, hardware reinforcement, tolerances, and clearances, and as specified.
  - B. Commercial Doors and Frames: NAAMM-HMMA 861. At all steel exterior doors
    - 1. Physical Performance: Level A according to SDI A250.4.
    - 2. Doors:
      - a. Type: As indicated in the Door and Frame Schedule.
      - b. Thickness: 1-3/4 inches (44.5 mm.)
      - c. Face: Metallic-coated steel sheet, minimum thickness of 0.053 inch (1.30 mm), with minimum G60 (Z180 or)A60 (ZF180) coating.
      - d. Edge Construction: Continuously welded with no visible seam.
      - e. Core: Steel stiffened.
        - 1) Thermal-Rated Doors: Provide doors fabricated with thermal-resistance value (R-value) of not less than 2.1 deg F x h x sq. ft./Btu (0.370 K x sq. m/W) when tested according to ASTM C 1363.
    - 3. Frames:
      - a. Materials: Metallic-coated steel sheet, minimum thickness of 0.067 inch (1.7 mm), with minimum G60 (Z180 or)A60 (ZF180) coating.
      - b. Construction: Full profile welded.
    - 4. Exposed Finish: Prime.

# 2.5 FRAME ANCHORS

- A. Jamb Anchors:
  - 1. Masonry Type: Adjustable strap-and-stirrup or T-shaped anchors to suit frame size, not less than 0.042 inch (1.0 mm) thick, with corrugated or perforated straps not less than 2 inches (51 mm) wide by 10 inches (254 mm) long; or wire anchors not less than 0.177 inch (4.5 mm) thick.
  - 2. Stud-Wall Type: Designed to engage stud, welded to back of frames; not less than 0.042 inch (1.0 mm) thick.



- B. Floor Anchors: Formed from same material as frames, minimum thickness of 0.042 inch (1.0 mm), and as follows:
  - 1. Monolithic Concrete Slabs: Clip-type anchors, with two holes to receive fasteners.

# 2.6 MATERIALS

- A. Cold-Rolled Steel Sheet: ASTM A 1008/A 1008M, Commercial Steel (CS), Type B; suitable for exposed applications.
- B. Hot-Rolled Steel Sheet: ASTM A 1011/A 1011M, Commercial Steel (CS), Type B; free of scale, pitting, or surface defects; pickled and oiled.
- C. Metallic-Coated Steel Sheet: ASTM A 653/A 653M, Commercial Steel (CS), Type B.
- D. Frame Anchors: ASTM A 879/A 879M, Commercial Steel (CS), 04Z (12G) coating designation; mill phosphatized.
  - 1. For anchors built into exterior walls, steel sheet complying with ASTM A 1008/A 1008M or ASTM A 1011/A 1011M, hot-dip galvanized according to ASTM A 153/A 153M, Class B.
- E. Inserts, Bolts, and Fasteners: Hot-dip galvanized according to ASTM A 153/A 153M.
- F. Power-Actuated Fasteners in Concrete: Fastener system of type suitable for application indicated, fabricated from corrosion-resistant materials, with clips or other accessory devices for attaching hollow-metal frames of type indicated.
- G. Grout: ASTM C 476, except with a maximum slump of 4 inches (102 mm), as measured according to ASTM C 143/C 143M.
- H. Mineral-Fiber Insulation: ASTM C 665, Type I (blankets without membrane facing); consisting of fibers manufactured from slag or rock wool; with maximum flame-spread and smoke-developed indexes of 25 and 50, respectively; passing ASTM E 136 for combustion characteristics.
- I. Glazing: Comply with requirements in Section 08800 "Glazing."
- J. Bituminous Coating: Cold-applied asphalt mastic, compounded for 15-mil (0.4-mm) dry film thickness per coat. Provide inert-type noncorrosive compound free of asbestos fibers, sulfur components, and other deleterious impurities.

# 2.7 FABRICATION

- A. Fabricate hollow-metal work to be rigid and free of defects, warp, or buckle. Accurately form metal to required sizes and profiles, with minimum radius for metal thickness. Where practical, fit and assemble units in manufacturer's plant. To ensure proper assembly at Project site, clearly identify work that cannot be permanently factory assembled before shipment.
- B. Hollow-Metal Doors:
  - 1. Vertical Edges for Single-Acting Doors: Bevel edges 1/8 inch in 2 inches (3.2 mm in 51 mm).
  - 2. Top Edge Closures: Close top edges of doors with [inverted closures] [flush closures] [inverted closures, except provide flush closures at exterior doors] of same material as face sheets.
  - 3. Bottom Edge Closures: Close bottom edges of doors where required for attachment of weather stripping with end closures or channels of same material as face sheets.
  - 4. Exterior Doors: Provide weep-hole openings in bottoms of exterior doors to permit moisture to escape. Seal joints in top edges of doors against water penetration.
  - 5. Astragals: Provide overlapping astragal on one leaf of pairs of doors where required by NFPA 80 for fire-performance rating or where indicated. Extend minimum 3/4 inch (19 mm) beyond edge of door on which astragal is mounted or as required to comply with published listing of qualified testing agency.
- C. Hollow-Metal Frames: Where frames are fabricated in sections due to shipping or handling limitations, provide alignment plates or angles at each joint, fabricated of same thickness metal as frames.
  - 1. Sidelight and Transom Bar Frames: Provide closed tubular members with no visible face seams or joints, fabricated from same material as door frame. Fasten members at crossings and to jambs by butt welding.
  - 2. Provide countersunk, flat- or oval-head exposed screws and bolts for exposed fasteners unless otherwise indicated.
  - 3. Floor Anchors: Weld anchors to bottoms of jambs with at least four spot welds per anchor; however, for slip-on drywall frames, provide anchor clips or countersunk holes at bottoms of jambs.
  - 4. Jamb Anchors: Provide number and spacing of anchors as follows:



- a. Masonry Type: Locate anchors not more than 16 inches (406 mm) from top and bottom of frame. Space anchors not more than 32 inches (813 mm) o.c., to match coursing, and as follows:
  - 1) Two anchors per jamb up to 60 inches (1524 mm) high.
  - 2) Three anchors per jamb from 60 to 90 inches (1524 to 2286 mm) high.
  - 3) Four anchors per jamb from 90 to 120 inches (2286 to 3048 mm) high.
  - 4) Four anchors per jamb plus one additional anchor per jamb for each 24 inches (610 mm) or fraction thereof above 120 inches (3048 mm) high.
- b. Stud-Wall Type: Locate anchors not more than 18 inches (457 mm) from top and bottom of frame. Space anchors not more than 32 inches (813 mm) o.c. and as follows:
  - 1) Three anchors per jamb up to 60 inches (1524 mm) high.
  - 2) Four anchors per jamb from 60 to 90 inches (1524 to 2286 mm) high.
  - 3) Five anchors per jamb from 90 to 96 inches (2286 to 2438 mm) high.
  - 4) Five anchors per jamb plus one additional anchor per jamb for each 24 inches (610 mm) or fraction thereof above 96 inches (2438 mm) high.
- 5. Head Anchors: Two anchors per head for frames more than 42 inches (1067 mm) wide and mounted in metal-stud partitions.
- 6. Door Silencers: Except on weather-stripped frames, drill stops to receive door silencers as follows. Keep holes clear during construction.
  - a. Single-Door Frames: Drill stop in strike jamb to receive three door silencers.
  - b. Double-Door Frames: Drill stop in head jamb to receive two door silencers.
- D. Fabricate concealed stiffeners and edge channels from either cold- or hot-rolled steel sheet.
- E. Hardware Preparation: Factory prepare hollow-metal work to receive templated mortised hardware; include cutouts, reinforcement, mortising, drilling, and tapping according to SDI A250.6, the Door Hardware Schedule, and templates.
  - 1. Reinforce doors and frames to receive nontemplated, mortised, and surface-mounted door hardware.
  - 2. Comply with applicable requirements in SDI A250.6 and BHMA A156.115 for preparation of hollowmetal work for hardware.
- F. Stops and Moldings: Provide stops and moldings around glazed lites and louvers where indicated. Form corners of stops and moldings with mitered hairline joints.
  - 1. Single Glazed Lites: Provide fixed stops and moldings welded on secure side of hollow-metal work.
  - 2. Multiple Glazed Lites: Provide fixed and removable stops and moldings so that each glazed lite is capable of being removed independently.
  - 3. Provide fixed frame moldings on outside of exterior and on secure side of interior doors and frames.
  - 4. Provide loose stops and moldings on inside of hollow-metal work.
  - 5. Coordinate rabbet width between fixed and removable stops with glazing and installation types indicated.
- 2.8 STEEL FINISHES
  - A. Prime Finish: Clean, pretreat, and apply manufacturer's standard primer.
    - 1. Shop Primer: Manufacturer's standard, fast-curing, lead- and chromate-free primer complying with SDI A250.10; recommended by primer manufacturer for substrate; compatible with substrate and field-applied coatings despite prolonged exposure.

# 2.9 ACCESSORIES

- A. Louvers: Provide louvers for interior doors, where indicated, which comply with SDI 111C, with blades or baffles formed of 0.020-inch- (0.5-mm-) thick, cold-rolled steel sheet set into 0.032-inch- (0.8-mm-) thick steel frame.
  - 1. Sight proof Louver: Stationary louvers constructed with inverted-V or inverted-Y blades.
  - 2. Fire-Rated Automatic Louvers: Louvers constructed with movable blades closed by actuating fusible link, and listed and labeled for use in fire-rated door assemblies of type and fire-resistance rating indicated by same qualified testing and inspecting agency that established fire-resistance rating of door assembly.



# PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 EXAMINATION
  - A. Examine substrates, areas, and conditions, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
  - B. Examine roughing-in for embedded and built-in anchors to verify actual locations before frame installation.
  - C. Prepare written report, endorsed by Installer, listing conditions detrimental to performance of the Work.
  - D. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

# 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Remove welded-in shipping spreaders installed at factory. Restore exposed finish by grinding, filling, and dressing, as required to make repaired area smooth, flush, and invisible on exposed faces.
- B. Drill and tap doors and frames to receive nontemplated, mortised, and surface-mounted door hardware.

# 3.3 INSTALLATION

- A. General: Install hollow-metal work plumb, rigid, properly aligned, and securely fastened in place. Comply with Drawings and manufacturer's written instructions.
- B. Hollow-Metal Frames: Install hollow-metal frames of size and profile indicated. Comply with SDI A250.11 or NAAMM-HMMA 840 as required by standards specified.
  - 1. Set frames accurately in position; plumbed, aligned, and braced securely until permanent anchors are set. After wall construction is complete, remove temporary braces, leaving surfaces smooth and undamaged.
    - a. At fire-rated openings, install frames according to NFPA 80.
    - b. Where frames are fabricated in sections because of shipping or handling limitations, field splice at approved locations by welding face joint continuously; grind, fill, dress, and make splice smooth, flush, and invisible on exposed faces.
    - c. Install frames with removable stops located on secure side of opening.
    - d. Install door silencers in frames before grouting.
    - e. Remove temporary braces necessary for installation only after frames have been properly set and secured.
    - f. Check plumb, square, and twist of frames as walls are constructed. Shim as necessary to comply with installation tolerances.
    - g. Field apply bituminous coating to backs of frames that will be filled with grout containing antifreezing agents.
  - 2. Floor Anchors: Provide floor anchors for each jamb and mullion that extends to floor, and secure with postinstalled expansion anchors.
    - a. Floor anchors may be set with power-actuated fasteners instead of postinstalled expansion anchors if so indicated and approved on Shop Drawings.
  - 3. Metal-Stud Partitions: Solidly pack mineral-fiber insulation inside frames.
  - 4. Masonry Walls: Coordinate installation of frames to allow for solidly filling space between frames and masonry with grout.
  - 5. Installation Tolerances: Adjust hollow-metal door frames for squareness, alignment, twist, and plumb to the following tolerances:
    - a. Squareness: Plus or minus 1/16 inch (1.6 mm), measured at door rabbet on a line 90 degrees from jamb perpendicular to frame head.
    - b. Alignment: Plus or minus 1/16 inch (1.6 mm), measured at jambs on a horizontal line parallel to plane of wall.
    - c. Twist: Plus or minus 1/16 inch (1.6 mm), measured at opposite face corners of jambs on parallel lines, and perpendicular to plane of wall.
    - d. Plumbness: Plus or minus 1/16 inch (1.6 mm), measured at jambs at floor.
- C. Hollow-Metal Doors: Fit hollow-metal doors accurately in frames, within clearances specified below. Shim as necessary.
  - 1. Non-Fire-Rated Steel Doors:
    - a. Between Door and Frame Jambs and Head: 1/8 inch (3.2 mm) plus or minus 1/32 inch (0.8 mm).



- b. Between Edges of Pairs of Doors: 1/8 inch (3.2 mm) to 1/4 inch (6.3 mm) plus or minus 1/32 inch (0.8 mm).
- c. At Bottom of Door: 5/8 inch (15.8 mm) plus or minus 1/32 inch (0.8 mm).
- d. Between Door Face and Stop: 1/16 inch (1.6 mm) to 1/8 inch (3.2 mm) plus or minus 1/32 inch (0.8 mm).
- 2. Fire-Rated Doors: Install doors with clearances according to NFPA 80.
- D. Glazing: Comply with installation requirements in Section 08800 "Glazing" and with hollow-metal manufacturer's written instructions.
  - 1. Secure stops with countersunk flat- or oval-head machine screws spaced uniformly not more than 9 inches (230 mm) o.c. and not more than 2 inches (51 mm) o.c. from each corner.

## 3.4 ADJUSTING AND CLEANING

- A. Final Adjustments: Check and readjust operating hardware items immediately before final inspection. Leave work in complete and proper operating condition. Remove and replace defective work, including hollow-metal work that is warped, bowed, or otherwise unacceptable.
- B. Remove grout and other bonding material from hollow-metal work immediately after installation.
- C. Prime-Coat Touchup: Immediately after erection, sand smooth rusted or damaged areas of prime coat and apply touchup of compatible air-drying, rust-inhibitive primer.
- D. Metallic-Coated Surface Touchup: Clean abraded areas and repair with galvanizing repair paint according to manufacturer's written instructions.

END OF SECTION 08 11 13



# SECTION 08 14 16 - FLUSH WOOD DOORS

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section Includes:
    - 1. Solid-core doors with wood-veneer faces.
    - 2. Factory finishing flush wood doors.
    - 3. Factory fitting flush wood doors to frames and factory machining for hardware.
  - B. Related Sections:
    - 1. Section 08 80 00 "Glazing" for glass view panels in flush wood doors.
- 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS
  - A. Product Data: For each type of door indicated. Include details of core and edge construction and trim for openings. Include factory-finishing specifications.
  - B. Shop Drawings: Indicate location, size, and hand of each door; elevation of each kind of door; construction details not covered in Product Data; location and extent of hardware blocking; and other pertinent data.
    - 1. Indicate dimensions and locations of mortises and holes for hardware.
    - 2. Indicate dimensions and locations of cutouts.
    - 3. Indicate requirements for veneer matching.
    - 4. Indicate doors to be factory finished and finish requirements.
    - 5. Indicate fire-protection ratings for fire-rated doors.
  - C. Samples for Initial Selection: For factory-finished doors.
- 1.4 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS
- A. Warranty: Sample of special warranty.
- 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Source Limitations: Obtain flush wood doors from single manufacturer.
  - B. Quality Standard: In addition to requirements specified, comply with AWI's "Architectural Woodwork Quality Standards Illustrated."
  - C. Fire-Rated Wood Doors: Doors complying with NFPA 80 that are listed and labeled by a qualified testing agency, for fire-protection ratings indicated, based on testing at positive pressure according to NFPA 252.
    - 1. Oversize Fire-Rated Door Assemblies: For units exceeding sizes of tested assemblies, provide certification by a qualified testing agency that doors comply with standard construction requirements for tested and labeled fire-rated door assemblies except for size.

# 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Comply with requirements of referenced standard and manufacturer's written instructions.
- B. Package doors individually in cardboard cartons and wrap bundles of doors in plastic sheeting.
- C. Mark each door on top and bottom rail with opening number used on Shop Drawings.

# 1.7 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Environmental Limitations: Do not deliver or install doors until spaces are enclosed and weathertight, wet work in spaces is complete and dry, and HVAC system is operating and maintaining ambient temperature and humidity conditions at occupancy levels during the remainder of the construction period.
- B. Environmental Limitations: Do not deliver or install doors until spaces are enclosed and weathertight, wet work in spaces is complete and dry, and HVAC system is operating and maintaining temperature between 60 and 90 deg F (16 and 32 deg C) and relative humidity between 43 and 70 percent during the remainder of the construction period.
- 1.8 WARRANTY
  - A. Special Warranty: Manufacturer's standard form in which manufacturer agrees to repair or replace doors that fail in materials or workmanship within specified warranty period.
    - 1. Failures include, but are not limited to, the following:



- a. Warping (bow, cup, or twist) more than 1/4 inch (6.4 mm) in a 42-by-84-inch (1067-by-2134-mm) section.
- b. Telegraphing of core construction in face veneers exceeding 0.01 inch in a 3-inch (0.25 mm in a 76.2-mm) span.
- 2. Warranty shall also include installation and finishing that may be required due to repair or replacement of defective doors.
- 3. Warranty Period for Solid-Core Interior Doors: Life of installation.

# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

# 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Buell Door Company Inc.
  - 2. Eggers Industries.
  - 3. Graham; an Assa Abloy Group company.
  - 4. Oshkosh Architectural Door Company.
  - 5. VT Industries Inc.
- 2.2 DOOR CONSTRUCTION, GENERAL
  - A. Low-Emitting Materials: Fabricate doors with adhesives and composite wood products that do not contain urea formaldehyde.
  - B. Particleboard-Core Doors:
    - 1. Particleboard: ANSI A208.1, Grade LD-2, made with binder containing no urea-formaldehyde resin.
    - 2. Particleboard: Straw-based particleboard complying with ANSI A208.1, Grade LD-2 or M-2, except for density.
    - 3. Blocking: Provide wood blocking in particleboard-core doors as needed to eliminate through-bolting hardware. or as follows, whichever is greater:
      - a. 5-inch (125-mm) top-rail blocking, in doors indicated to have closers.
      - b. 5-inch (125-mm) bottom-rail blocking, in exterior doors and doors indicated to have kick, mop, or armor plates.
        - 5-inch (125-mm) midrail blocking, in doors indicated to have exit devices.
  - C. Fire-Protection-Rated Doors: Provide core specified or mineral core as needed to provide fire-protection rating indicated.
    - 1. Edge Construction: Provide edge construction with intumescent seals concealed by outer stile. Comply with specified requirements for exposed edges.
    - 2. Pairs: Provide fire-retardant stiles that are listed and labeled for applications indicated without formed-steel edges and astragals. Provide stiles with concealed intumescent seals. Comply with specified requirements for exposed edges.
    - 3. Pairs: Provide formed-steel edges and astragals with intumescent seals.
      - a. Finish steel edges and astragals with baked enamel same color as doors.
  - D. Mineral-Core Doors:

C.

- 1. Core: Noncombustible mineral product complying with requirements of referenced quality standard and testing and inspecting agency for fire-protection rating indicated.
- 2. Blocking: Provide composite blocking with improved screw-holding capability approved for use in doors of fire-protection ratings indicated as needed to eliminate through-bolting hardware, or as follows, whichever is greater:
  - a. 5-inch (125-mm) top-rail blocking.
  - b. 5-inch (125-mm) bottom-rail blocking, in doors indicated to have protection plates.
  - c. 5-inch (125-mm) midrail blocking, in doors indicated to have exit devices.
- 3. Edge Construction: At hinge stiles, provide laminated-edge construction with improved screwholding capability and split resistance. Comply with specified requirements for exposed edges.
- 2.3 VENEERED-FACED DOORS FOR TRANSPARENT FINISH
  - A. Interior Solid-Core Doors
    - 1. Grade: Premium, with Grade A faces



- 2. Species: White Maple
- 3. Cut: Plain sliced (flat sliced).
- 4. Match between Veneer Leaves: Pleasing match.
- 5. Assembly of Veneer Leaves on Door Faces: Running match.
- 6. Pair and Set Match: Provide for doors hung in same opening or separated only by mullions.
- 7. Exposed Vertical Edges: Same species as faces or a compatible species.
- 8. Core: Particleboard.
- 9. Construction: Five or seven plies. Stiles and rails are bonded to core, then entire unit abrasive planed before veneering.
- 10. Construction: Seven plies, either bonded or non-bonded construction.

# 2.4 LOUVERS AND LIGHT FRAMES

- A. Wood Beads for Light Openings in Wood Doors: Provide manufacturer's standard wood beads as follows unless otherwise indicated.
  - 1. Wood Species: Same species as door faces.
  - 2. Profile: Manufacturer's standard shape.
  - 3. At wood-core doors with 20-minute fire-protection ratings, provide wood beads and metal glazing clips approved for such use.
  - B. Wood-Veneered Beads for Light Openings in Fire-Rated Doors: Manufacturer's standard wood-veneered noncombustible beads matching veneer species of door faces and approved for use in doors of fire-protection rating indicated. Include concealed metal glazing clips where required for opening size and fire-protection rating indicated.

## 2.5 FABRICATION

- A. Factory fit doors to suit frame-opening sizes indicated. Comply with clearance requirements of referenced quality standard for fitting unless otherwise indicated.
  - 1. Comply with requirements in NFPA 80 for fire-rated doors.
- B. Factory machine doors for hardware that is not surface applied. Locate hardware to comply with DHI-WDHS-3. Comply with final hardware schedules, door frame Shop Drawings, DHI A115-W series standards, and hardware templates.
  - 1. Metal Astragals: Factory machine astragals and formed-steel edges for hardware for pairs of firerated doors.
  - 2. Fabricate door and transom panels with full-width, solid-lumber[, rabbeted,] meeting rails. Provide factory-installed spring bolts for concealed attachment into jambs of metal door frames.
- C. Openings: Cut and trim openings through doors in factory.
  - 1. Light Openings: Trim openings with moldings of material and profile indicated.
  - 2. Glazing: Factory install glazing in doors indicated to be factory finished. Comply with applicable requirements in Section 08800 "Glazing."

# 2.6 FACTORY FINISHING

- A. General: Comply with referenced quality standard for factory finishing. Complete fabrication, including fitting doors for openings and machining for hardware that is not surface applied, before finishing.
  - 1. Finish faces, all four edges, edges of cutouts, and mortises. Stains and fillers may be omitted on bottom edges, edges of cutouts, and mortises.
- B. Finish doors at factory.
- C. Transparent Finish:
  - 1. Grade: Premium.
  - 2. Finish: AWI conversion varnish or catalyzed polyurethane system.
  - 3. Staining: As selected by Architect from manufacturer's full range.
  - 4. Sheen: Satin.

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 EXAMINATION
  - A. Examine doors and installed door frames before hanging doors.



- 1. Verify that frames comply with indicated requirements for type, size, location, and swing characteristics and have been installed with level heads and plumb jambs.
- 2. Reject doors with defects.
- B. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

# 3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Hardware: For installation, see Section 08710 "Door Hardware" and Section 08712 "Door Hardware (Descriptive Specification)."
- B. Installation Instructions: Install doors to comply with manufacturer's written instructions and the referenced quality standard, and as indicated.
  - 1. Install fire-rated doors in corresponding fire-rated frames according to NFPA 80.
- C. Factory-Fitted Doors: Align in frames for uniform clearance at each edge.
- D. Factory-Finished Doors: Restore finish before installation if fitting or machining is required at Project site.

# 3.3 ADJUSTING

- A. Operation: Rehang or replace doors that do not swing or operate freely.
- B. Finished Doors: Replace doors that are damaged or that do not comply with requirements. Doors may be repaired or refinished if work complies with requirements and shows no evidence of repair or refinishing.

END OF SECTION 08 14 16



# SECTION 08 91 19 - FIXED LOUVERS

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section Includes:
    - 1. Fixed, extruded-aluminum louvers.
- 1.3 DEFINITIONS
  - A. Louver Terminology: Definitions of terms for metal louvers contained in AMCA 501 apply to this Section unless otherwise defined in this Section or in referenced standards.
  - B. Horizontal Louver: Louver with horizontal blades (i.e., the axes of the blades are horizontal).
  - C. Wind-Driven-Rain-Resistant Louver: Louver that provides specified wind-driven rain performance, as determined by testing according to AMCA 500-L.
- 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS
  - A. Product Data: For each type of product.
    - 1. For louvers specified to bear AMCA seal, include printed catalog pages showing specified models with appropriate AMCA Certified Ratings Seals.
  - B. Shop Drawings: For louvers and accessories. Include plans, elevations, sections, details, and attachments to other work. Show frame profiles and blade profiles, angles, and spacing.
    - 1. Show weep paths, gaskets, flashing, sealant, and other means of preventing water intrusion.
    - 2. Show mullion profiles and locations.
  - C. Samples: For each type of metal finish required.
- 1.5 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS
- Product Test Reports: Based on evaluation of comprehensive tests performed according to AMCA 500-L by a qualified testing agency or by manufacturer and witnessed by a qualified testing agency, for each type of louver and showing compliance with performance requirements specified.
  - B. Windborne-debris-impact-resistance test reports.
- 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Welding Qualifications: Qualify procedures and personnel according to the following:
    - 1. AWS D1.2/D1.2M, "Structural Welding Code Aluminum."
- 1.7 FIELD CONDITIONS
  - A. Field Measurements: Verify actual dimensions of openings by field measurements before fabrication.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 MANUFACTURERS
  - A. Source Limitations: Obtain louvers from single source from a single manufacturer where indicated to be of same type, design, or factory-applied color finish (architect to select from industry's full range of Kynar 500 colors).
- 2.2 PERFORMANCÉ REQUIREMENTS
  - A. Structural Performance: Louvers shall withstand the effects of gravity loads and the following loads and stresses within limits and under conditions indicated without permanent deformation of louver components, noise or metal fatigue caused by louver-blade rattle or flutter, or permanent damage to fasteners and anchors. Wind pressures shall be considered to act normal to the face of the building.
    - 1. Wind Loads: Determine loads based on pressures as indicated on Drawings.
  - B. Windborne-Debris-Impact Resistance: Louvers located within 30 feet (9.1 m) of grade shall pass basic-protection, large-missile testing requirements in ASTM E 1996 for Wind Zone 2 when tested according to ASTM E 1886. Test specimens shall be no smaller in width and length than louvers indicated for use on Project.
  - C. SMACNA Standard: Comply with recommendations in SMACNA's "Architectural Sheet Metal Manual" for fabrication, construction details, and installation procedures.
- 2.3 FIXED, EXTRUDED-ALUMINUM LOUVERS
  - A. Horizontal, Wind-Driven-Rain-Resistant Louver:
    - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, available manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:



- 2. Basis-of-Design Product: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide Construction Specialties Inc., C/S 6" (152.6mm) High Performance Drainable Fixed Mullion Louver Model A6177, or comparable product by one of the following:
  - Airolite Company, LLC (The). а
  - Greenheck Fan Corporation. b.
  - Ruskin Company: Tomkins PLC. C.
- 3. Louver Depth: 6 inches (150 mm).
- Frame and Blade Nominal Thickness: Not less than 0.080 inch (2.03 mm) for blades and 0.080 4. inch (2.03 mm) for frames.
- 5. AMCA Seal: Mark units with AMCA Certified Ratings Seal.
- 2.4 LOUVER SCREENS
  - Α. General: Provide screen at each exterior louver.
    - 1. Screen Location for Fixed Louvers: Interior face.
    - Screening Type: Insect screening. 2.
  - Β. Secure screen frames to louver frames with stainless-steel machine screws, spaced a maximum of 6 inches (150 mm) from each corner and at 12 inches (300 mm) o.c.
  - Louver Screen Frames: Fabricate with mitered corners to louver sizes indicated. C.
    - Same type and form of metal as indicated for louver to which screens are 1. Metal: attached. Reinforce extruded-aluminum screen frames at corners with clips.
    - 2. Finish: Same finish as louver frames to which louver screens are attached.
    - Type: Rewirable frames with a driven spline or insert. 3.
  - D. Louver Screening for Aluminum Louvers:
    - Insect Screening: Aluminum, 18-by-16 (1.4-by-1.6-mm) mesh, 0.012-inch (0.30-mm) wire. 1

#### 2.5 MATERIALS

- Aluminum Extrusions: ASTM B 221 (ASTM B 221M), Alloy 6063-T5, T-52, or T6. Α.
- В. Aluminum Sheet: ASTM B 209 (ASTM B 209M), Alloy 3003 or 5005 with temper as required for forming, or as otherwise recommended by metal producer for required finish. C.
  - Fasteners: Use types and sizes to suit unit installation conditions.
    - Use tamper-resistant screws for exposed fasteners unless otherwise indicated. 1.
    - 2. For fastening aluminum, use aluminum or 300 series stainless-steel fasteners.
    - For color-finished louvers, use fasteners with heads that match color of louvers. 3.
- Post-installed Fasteners for Concrete and Masonry: Torque-controlled expansion anchors, made from D. stainless-steel components, with capability to sustain, without failure, a load equal to 4 times the loads imposed, for concrete, or 6 times the load imposed for masonry, as determined by testing according to ASTM E 488, conducted by a qualified independent testing agency.
- Bituminous Paint: Cold-applied asphalt emulsion complying with ASTM D 1187. E.

#### 2.6 FABRICATION

- Factory assemble louvers to minimize field splicing and assembly. Disassemble units as necessary for Α. shipping and handling limitations. Clearly mark units for reassembly and coordinated installation.
- Β. Maintain equal louver blade spacing, including separation between blades and frames at head and sill, to produce uniform appearance.
- C. Fabricate frames, including integral sills, to fit in openings of sizes indicated, with allowances made for fabrication and installation tolerances, adjoining material tolerances, and perimeter sealant joints.
  - 1. Frame Type: Channel unless otherwise indicated.
- Include supports, anchorages, and accessories required for complete assembly. D.
- Provide vertical mullions of type and at spacings indicated, but not more than is recommended by Ε. manufacturer, or 72 inches (1830 mm) o.c., whichever is less.
  - Fully Recessed Mullions: Where indicated, provide mullions fully recessed behind louver blades. 1. Where length of louver exceeds fabrication and handling limitations, fabricate with close-fitting blade splices designed to permit expansion and contraction.
- Provide subsills made of same material as louvers for recessed louvers. F.
- G. Join frame members to each other and to fixed louver blades with fillet welds concealed from view unless otherwise indicated or size of louver assembly makes bolted connections between frame members necessary.
- 2.7 **ALUMINUM FINISHES** Α. Finish louvers after assembly.



- B. High-Performance Organic Finish: Three-coat fluoropolymer finish complying with AAMA 2605 and containing not less than 70 percent PVDF resin by weight in both color coat and clear topcoat. Prepare, pre-treat, and apply coating to exposed metal surfaces to comply with coating and resin manufacturers' written instructions.
  - 1. Color and Gloss: As selected by Architect from manufacturer's full range.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 EXAMINATION
  - A. Examine substrates and openings, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
  - B. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.
- 3.2 PREPARATION
  - A. Coordinate setting drawings, diagrams, templates, instructions, and directions for installation of anchorages that are to be embedded in concrete or masonry construction. Coordinate delivery of such items to Project site.
- 3.3 INSTALLATION
  - A. Locate and place louvers level, plumb, and at indicated alignment with adjacent work.
  - B. Use concealed anchorages where possible. Provide brass or lead washers fitted to screws where required to protect metal surfaces and to make a weather tight connection.
  - C. Form closely fitted joints with exposed connections accurately located and secured.
  - D. Provide perimeter reveals and openings of uniform width for sealants and joint fillers, as indicated.
  - E. Protect unpainted galvanized and nonferrous-metal surfaces that are in contact with concrete, masonry, or dissimilar metals from corrosion and galvanic action by applying a heavy coating of bituminous paint or by separating surfaces with waterproof gaskets or nonmetallic flashing.
  - F. Install concealed gaskets, flashings, joint fillers, and insulation as louver installation progresses, where weather tight louver joints are required. Comply with Section 079200 "Joint Sealants" for sealants applied during louver installation.
- 3.4 ADJUSTING AND CLEANING
  - A. Clean exposed louver surfaces that are not protected by temporary covering, to remove fingerprints and soil during construction period. Do not let soil accumulate during construction period.
  - B. Before final inspection, clean exposed surfaces with water and a mild soap or detergent not harmful to finishes. Thoroughly rinse surfaces and dry.
  - C. Restore louvers damaged during installation and construction so no evidence remains of corrective work. If results of restoration are unsuccessful, as determined by Architect, remove damaged units and replace with new units.
    - 1. Touch up minor abrasions in finishes with air-dried coating that matches color and gloss of, and is compatible with, factory-applied finish coating.

END OF SECTION 08 91 19



SECTION 09 22 16 - NON-LOAD-BEARING STEEL FRAMING

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section Includes:
    - 1. Non-load-bearing steel framing systems for interior gypsum board assemblies.
    - 2. Suspension systems for interior gypsum ceilings, soffits, and grid systems.
  - B. Related Requirements:
    - 1. Section 05400 "Cold-Formed Metal Framing" exterior wall studs.
- 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS
  - A. Product Data: For each type of product.
- PART 2 PRODUCTS
- 2.1 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS
  - A. Fire-Test-Response Characteristics: For fire-resistance-rated assemblies that incorporate non-loadbearing steel framing, provide materials and construction identical to those tested in assembly indicated, according to ASTM E 119 by an independent testing agency.

# 2.2 FRAMING SYSTEMS

- A. Framing Members, General: Comply with ASTM C 754 for conditions indicated.
  - 1. Steel Sheet Components: Comply with ASTM C 645 requirements for metal unless otherwise indicated.
  - 2. Protective Coating: ASTM A 653/A 653M, G40 (Z120),
- B. Studs and Runners: ASTM C 645. Use steel studs and runners.
  - 1. Steel Studs and Runners:
    - a. Minimum Base-Metal Thickness: min 22 ga. or as indicated on Drawings.
    - b. Depth: As indicated on Drawings.
- C. Cold-Rolled Channel Bridging: Steel, 0.053-inch (1.34-mm) minimum base-metal thickness, with minimum 1/2-inch- (13-mm-) wide flanges.
  - 1. Depth: 1-1/2 inches (38 mm).
  - 2. Clip Angle: Not less than 1-1/2 by 1-1/2 inches (38 by 38 mm), 0.068-inch- (1.72-mm-) thick, galvanized steel.

# 2.3 SUSPENSION SYSTEMS

- A. Tie Wire: ASTM A 641/A 641M, Class 1 zinc coating, soft temper, 0.062-inch- (1.59-mm-) diameter wire, or double strand of 0.048-inch- (1.21-mm-) diameter wire.
- B. Wire Hangers: ASTM A 641/A 641M, Class 1 zinc coating, soft temper, 0.16 inch (4.12 mm) in diameter.
- C. Carrying Channels: Cold-rolled, commercial-steel sheet with a base-metal thickness of 0.053 inch (1.34 mm) and minimum 1/2-inch- (13-mm-) wide flanges.
  - 1. Depth: 1-1/2 inches (38 mm).
  - 2. Hat-Shaped, Rigid Furring Channels: ASTM C 645, 7/8 inch (22 mm) deep.
    - a. Minimum Base-Metal Thickness: 0.033 inch (0.84 mm).

# 2.4 AUXILIARY MATERIALS

- A. General: Provide auxiliary materials that comply with referenced installation standards.
  - 1. Fasteners for Metal Framing: Of type, material, size, corrosion resistance, holding power, and other properties required to fasten steel members to substrates.
- B. Isolation Strip at Exterior Walls: Provide the following:
  - 1. Foam Gasket: Adhesive-backed, closed-cell vinyl foam strips that allow fastener penetration without foam displacement, 1/8 inch (3.2 mm) thick, in width to suit steel stud size.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION



- A. Examine areas and substrates, with Installer present, and including welded hollow-metal frames, cast-in anchors, and structural framing, for compliance with requirements and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
- B. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

## 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Suspended Assemblies: Coordinate installation of suspension systems with installation of overhead structure to ensure that inserts and other provisions for anchorages to building structure have been installed to receive hangers at spacing required to support the Work and that hangers will develop their full strength.
  - 1. Furnish concrete inserts and other devices indicated to other trades for installation in advance of time needed for coordination and construction.

## 3.3 INSTALLATION, GENERAL

- A. Installation Standard: ASTM C 754.
  - 1. Portland Cement Plaster Assemblies: Also comply with requirements in ASTM C 1063 that apply to framing installation.
  - 2. Gypsum Board Assemblies: Also comply with requirements in ASTM C 840 that apply to framing installation.
  - B. Install supplementary framing, and blocking to support fixtures, equipment services, heavy trim, grab bars, toilet accessories, furnishings, or similar construction.
  - C. Install bracing at terminations in assemblies.
  - D. Do not bridge building control and expansion joints with non-load-bearing steel framing members. Frame both sides of joints independently.

## 3.4 INSTALLING FRAMED ASSEMBLIES

- A. Install framing system components according to spacings indicated, but not greater than spacings required by referenced installation standards for assembly types.
  - 1. Single-Layer Application: 16 inches (406 mm) o.c. unless otherwise indicated.
  - 2. Multilayer Application: 16 inches (406 mm) o.c. unless otherwise indicated.
  - 3. Tile Backing Panels: 16 inches (406 mm) o.c. unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Where studs are installed directly against exterior masonry walls or dissimilar metals at exterior walls, install isolation strip between studs and exterior wall.
- C. Install studs so flanges within framing system point in same direction.
- D. Install tracks (runners) at floors and overhead supports. Extend framing full height to structural supports or substrates above suspended ceilings except where partitions are indicated to terminate at suspended ceilings. Continue framing around ducts penetrating partitions above ceiling.
  - 1. Door Openings: Screw vertical studs at jambs to jamb anchor clips on door frames; install runner track section (for cripple studs) at head and secure to jamb studs.
    - a. Install two studs at each jamb.
    - b. Install cripple studs at head adjacent to each jamb stud, with a minimum 1/2-inch (13-mm) clearance from jamb stud to allow for installation of control joint in finished assembly.
    - c. Extend jamb studs through suspended ceilings and attach to underside of overhead structure.
  - 2. Other Framed Openings: Frame openings other than door openings the same as required for door openings unless otherwise indicated. Install framing below sills of openings to match framing required above door heads.
  - 3. Fire-Resistance-Rated Partitions: Install framing to comply with fire-resistance-rated assembly indicated and support closures and to make partitions continuous from floor to underside of solid structure.
- E. Direct Furring:
  - 1. Attach to concrete or masonry with stub nails, screws designed for masonry attachment, or powderdriven fasteners spaced 24 inches (610 mm) o.c.
- F. Installation Tolerance: Install each framing member so fastening surfaces vary not more than 1/8 inch (3 mm) from the plane formed by faces of adjacent framing.
- 3.5 INSTALLING SUSPENSION SYSTEMS



- A. Install suspension system components according to spacing indicated, but not greater than spacings required by referenced installation standards for assembly types.
  - 1. Hangers: 48 inches (1219 mm) o.c.
  - 2. Carrying Channels (Main Runners): 48 inches (1219 mm) o.c.
  - 3. Furring Channels (Furring Members): 16 inches (406 mm) o.c.
- B. Isolate suspension systems from building structure where they abut or are penetrated by building structure to prevent transfer of loading imposed by structural movement.
- C. Suspend hangers from building structure as follows:
  - 1. Install hangers plumb and free from contact with insulation or other objects within ceiling plenum that are not part of supporting structural or suspension system.
    - a. Splay hangers only where required to miss obstructions and offset resulting horizontal forces by bracing, counter splaying, or other equally effective means.
  - 2. Where width of ducts and other construction within ceiling plenum produces hanger spacings that interfere with locations of hangers required to support standard suspension system members, install supplemental suspension members and hangers in the form of trapezes or equivalent devices.
    - a. Size supplemental suspension members and hangers to support ceiling loads within performance limits established by referenced installation standards.
  - 3. Wire Hangers: Secure by looping and wire tying, either directly to structures or to inserts, eye screws, or other devices and fasteners that are secure and appropriate for substrate, and in a manner that will not cause hangers to deteriorate or otherwise fail.
  - 4. Do not attach hangers to steel roof deck.
  - 5. Do not attach hangers to permanent metal forms. Furnish cast-in-place hanger inserts that extend through forms.
  - 6. Do not attach hangers to rolled-in hanger tabs of composite steel floor deck.
  - 7. Do not connect or suspend steel framing from ducts, pipes, or conduit.
- D. Fire-Resistance-Rated Assemblies: Wire tie furring channels to supports.
- E. Installation Tolerances: Install suspension systems that are level to within 1/8 inch in 12 feet (3 mm in 3.6 m) measured lengthwise on each member that will receive finishes and transversely between parallel members that will receive finishes.

END OF SECTION 09 22 16



# SECTION 09 29 00 - GYPSUM BOARD

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section Includes:
    - 1. Interior gypsum board.
  - B. Related Requirements:
    - 1. Section 061600 "Sheathing" for gypsum sheathing for exterior walls.
    - 2. Section 092216 "Non-Load-Bearing Steel Framing" for non-structural framing and suspension systems that support gypsum board panels.
- 1.3 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING
  - A. Store materials inside under cover and keep them dry and protected against weather, condensation, direct sunlight, construction traffic, and other potential causes of damage. Stack panels flat and supported on risers on a flat platform to prevent sagging.

# 1.4 FIELD CONDITIONS

- A. Environmental Limitations: Comply with ASTM C 840 requirements or gypsum board manufacturer's written recommendations, whichever are more stringent.
- B. Do not install paper-faced gypsum panels until installation areas are enclosed and conditioned.
- C. Do not install panels that are wet, those that are moisture damaged, and those that are mold damaged.
  - 1. Indications that panels are wet or moisture damaged include, but are not limited to, discoloration, sagging, or irregular shape.
  - 2. Indications that panels are mold damaged include, but are not limited to, fuzzy or splotchy surface contamination and discoloration.

# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

# 2.1 GYPSUM BOARD, GENERAL

A. Size: Provide maximum lengths and widths available that will minimize joints in each area and that correspond with support system indicated.

# 2.2 INTERIOR GYPSUM BOARD

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. CertainTeed Corp.
  - 2. Georgia-Pacific Gypsum LLC.
  - 3. USG Corporation.
- B. Gypsum Board, Type X: ASTM C 1396/C 1396M with moisture and mold resistant core and paper surfaces.
  - 1. Thickness: 5/8 inch (15.9 mm).Type X
  - 2. Long Edges: Tapered.
  - 3. Mold Resistance: ASTM D3273, score of 10 as rated according to ASTM D 3274

# 2.3 TRIM ACCESSORIES

- A. Interior Trim: ASTM C 1047.
  - 1. Material: Galvanized or aluminum-coated steel sheet.
  - 2. Shapes:
    - a. Cornerbead.
    - b. Expansion (control) joint.

# 2.4 JOINT TREATMENT MATERIALS

- A. General: Comply with ASTM C 475/C 475M.
- B. Joint Tape:
  - 1. Interior Gypsum Board: Paper.



- C. Joint Compound for Interior Gypsum Board: For each coat use formulation that is compatible with other compounds applied on previous or for successive coats.
  - 1. Pre-filling: At open joints, rounded or beveled panel edges, and damaged surface areas, use setting-type taping compound.
  - 2. Embedding and First Coat: For embedding tape and first coat on joints, fasteners, and trim flanges, use drying-type, all-purpose compound.
  - 3. Fill Coat: For second coat, use drying-type, all-purpose compound.
  - 4. Finish Coat: For third coat, use drying-type, all-purpose compound.

# 2.5 AUXILIARY MATERIALS

- A. General: Provide auxiliary materials that comply with referenced installation standards and manufacturer's written recommendations.
  - B. Steel Drill Screws: ASTM C 1002, unless otherwise indicated.
    - 1. Use screws complying with ASTM C 954 for fastening panels to steel members from 0.033 to 0.112 inch (0.84 to 2.84 mm) thick.
  - C. Sound Attenuation Blankets: ASTM C 665, Type I (blankets without membrane facing) produced by combining thermosetting resins with mineral fibers manufactured from glass, slag wool, or rock wool.
    - 1. Fire-Resistance-Rated Assemblies: Comply with mineral-fiber requirements of assembly.
  - D. Acoustical Joint Sealant: Manufacturer's standard non-sag, paintable, non-staining latex sealant complying with ASTM C 834. Product effectively reduces airborne sound transmission through perimeter joints and openings in building construction as demonstrated by testing representative assemblies according to ASTM E 90.
    - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
      - a. Accumetric LLC; BOSS 824 Acoustical Sound Sealant.
      - b. USG Corporation; SHEETROCK Acoustical Sealant.
    - 2. Acoustical joint sealant shall comply with the testing and product requirements of the California Department of Health Services' "Standard Practice for the Testing of Volatile Organic Emissions from Various Sources Using Small-Scale Environmental Chambers."

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

# 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine areas and substrates including welded hollow-metal frames and framing, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements and other conditions affecting performance.
- B. Examine panels before installation. Reject panels that are wet, moisture damaged, and mold damaged.
- C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.
- 3.2 APPLYING AND FINISHING PANELS, GENERAL
  - A. Comply with ASTM C 840.
  - B. Install ceiling panels across framing to minimize the number of abutting end joints and to avoid abutting end joints in central area of each ceiling. Stagger abutting end joints of adjacent panels not less than one framing member.
  - C. Install panels with face side out. Butt panels together for a light contact at edges and ends with not more than 1/16 inch (1.5 mm) of open space between panels. Do not force into place.
  - D. Locate edge and end joints over supports, except in ceiling applications where intermediate supports or gypsum board back-blocking is provided behind end joints. Do not place tapered edges against cut edges or ends. Stagger vertical joints on opposite sides of partitions. Do not make joints other than control joints at corners of framed openings.
  - E. Form control and expansion joints with space between edges of adjoining gypsum panels.
  - F. Cover both faces of support framing with gypsum panels in concealed spaces (above ceilings, etc.), except in chases braced internally.
    - 1. Unless concealed application is indicated or required for sound, fire, air, or smoke ratings, coverage may be accomplished with scraps of not less than 8 sq. ft. (0.7 sq. m) in area.
    - 2. Fit gypsum panels around ducts, pipes, and conduits.



- 3. Where partitions intersect structural members projecting below underside of floor/roof slabs and decks, cut gypsum panels to fit profile formed by structural members; allow 1/4- to 3/8-inch- (6.4- to 9.5-mm-) wide joints to install sealant.
- G. Isolate perimeter of gypsum board applied to non-load-bearing partitions at structural abutments, except floors. Provide 1/4- to 1/2-inch- (6.4- to 12.7-mm-) wide spaces at these locations and trim edges with edge trim where edges of panels are exposed. Seal joints between edges and abutting structural surfaces with acoustical sealant.
- H. Attachment to Steel Framing: Attach panels so leading edge or end of each panel is attached to open (unsupported) edges of stud flanges first.
- I. Install sound attenuation blankets before installing gypsum panels unless blankets are readily installed after panels have been installed on one side.

# 3.3 APPLYING INTERIOR GYPSUM BOARD

- A. Install interior gypsum board in the following locations:
  - Type X: Vertical surfaces unless otherwise indicated.
  - B. Single-Layer Application:

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- 1. On ceilings, apply gypsum panels before wall/partition board application to greatest extent possible and at right angles to framing unless otherwise indicated.
- 2. On partitions/walls, apply gypsum panels vertically (parallel to framing) unless otherwise indicated or required by fire-resistance-rated assembly, and minimize end joints.
  - a. Stagger abutting end joints not less than one framing member in alternate courses of panels.
  - b. At stairwells and other high walls, install panels horizontally unless otherwise indicated or required by fire-resistance-rated assembly.
- 3. On Z-furring members, apply gypsum panels vertically (parallel to framing) with no end joints. Locate edge joints over furring members.
- 4. Fastening Methods: Apply gypsum panels to supports with steel drill screws.

# 3.4 INSTALLING TRIM ACCESSORIES

- A. General: For trim with back flanges intended for fasteners, attach to framing with same fasteners used for panels. Otherwise, attach trim according to manufacturer's written instructions.
- B. Interior Trim: Install in the following locations:
  - 1. Corner bead: Use at outside corners.
  - 2. Control Joints: Install control joints according to ASTM 840 and in specific locations approved by Architect for visual effect. Install control joints at a maximum distance of 24 feet lengths or as directed by Architect (or in accordance with ASTM 840, whichever is more stringent.)

#### 3.5 FINISHING GYPSUM BOARD

- A. General: Treat gypsum board joints, interior angles, edge trim, control joints, penetrations, fastener heads, surface defects, and elsewhere as required to prepare gypsum board surfaces for decoration. Promptly remove residual joint compound from adjacent surfaces.
- B. Pre-fill open joints, rounded or beveled edges, and damaged surface areas.
- C. Apply joint tape over gypsum board joints, except for trim products specifically indicated as not intended to receive tape.
- D. Gypsum Board Finish Levels: Finish panels to levels indicated below and according to ASTM C 840:
  - 1. Level 1: Ceiling plenum areas, concealed areas, and where indicated.
  - 2. Level 2: Panels that are substrate for tile.
  - 3. Level 4: At panel surfaces that will be exposed to view unless otherwise indicated.

a. Primer and its application to surfaces are specified in Section 09900 "Painting."

# 3.6 PROTECTION

- A. Protect adjacent surfaces from drywall compound and promptly remove from floors and other non-drywall surfaces. Repair surfaces stained, marred, or otherwise damaged during drywall application.
- B. Protect installed products from damage from weather, condensation, direct sunlight, construction, and other causes during remainder of the construction period.
- C. Remove and replace panels that are wet, moisture damaged, and mold damaged.



- 1. Indications that panels are wet or moisture damaged include, but are not limited to, discoloration, sagging, or irregular shape.
- 2. Indications that panels are mold damaged include, but are not limited to, fuzzy or splotchy surface contamination and discoloration.

END OF SECTION 09 29 00



## SECTION 093000 - TILING

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section Includes:
    - 1. Ceramic tile.
    - 2. Stone thresholds.
    - 3. Waterproof membrane.
    - 4. Crack isolation membrane.
    - 5. Tile backing panels.
    - 6. Metal edge strips.
- 1.3 DEFINITIONS
  - A. General: Definitions in the ANSI A108 series of tile installation standards and in ANSI A137.1 apply to Work of this Section unless otherwise specified.
  - B. ANSI A108 Series: ANSI A108.01, ANSI A108.02, ANSI A108.1A, ANSI A108.1B, ANSI A108.1C, ANSI A108.4, ANSI A108.5, ANSI A108.6, ANSI A108.8, ANSI A108.9, ANSI A108.10, ANSI A108.11, ANSI A108.12, ANSI A108.13, ANSI A108.14, ANSI A108.15, ANSI A108.16, and ANSI A108.17, which are contained in "American National Standard Specifications for Installation of Ceramic Tile."
  - C. Module Size: Actual tile size plus joint width indicated.
  - D. Face Size: Actual tile size, excluding spacer lugs.

# 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated.
- B. Samples for Initial Selection: For each type of tile and grout indicated. Include Samples of accessories involving color selection.
- 1.5 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS
  - A. Qualification Data: For qualified Installer.
  - B. Product Certificates: For each type of product, signed by product manufacturer.
  - C. Material Test Reports: For each tile-setting and -grouting product.

# 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Source Limitations for Tile: Obtain tile of each type and color or finish from one source or producer.
  - 1. Obtain tile of each type and color or finish from same production run and of consistent quality in appearance and physical properties for each contiguous area.
- B. Source Limitations for Setting and Grouting Materials: Obtain ingredients of a uniform quality for each mortar, adhesive, and grout component from one manufacturer and each aggregate from one source or producer.
- C. Source Limitations for Other Products: Obtain each of the following products specified in this Section from a single manufacturer for each product:
  - 1. Stone thresholds.
  - 2. Crack isolation membrane.
  - 3. Joint sealants.
  - 4. Cementitious backer units.
  - 5. Metal edge strips.
- 1.7 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING
  - A. Deliver and store packaged materials in original containers with seals unbroken and labels intact until time of use. Comply with requirements in ANSI A137.1 for labeling tile packages.
  - B. Store tile and cementitious materials on elevated platforms, under cover, and in a dry location.
  - C. Store aggregates where grading and other required characteristics can be maintained, and contamination can be avoided.
  - D. Store liquid materials in unopened containers and protected from freezing.
  - E. Handle tile that has temporary protective coating on exposed surfaces to prevent coated surfaces from contacting backs or edges of other units. If coating does contact bonding surfaces of tile, remove coating from bonding surfaces before setting tile.
- 1.8 PROJECT CONDITIONS



A. Environmental Limitations: Do not install tile until construction in spaces is complete and ambient temperature and humidity conditions are maintained at the levels indicated in referenced standards and manufacturer's written instructions.

# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 PRODUCTS, GENERAL
  - A. ANSI Ceramic Tile Standard: Provide tile that complies with ANSI A137.1 for types, compositions, and other characteristics indicated.
    - 1. Provide tile complying with Standard grade requirements unless otherwise indicated.
  - B. ANSI Standards for Tile Installation Materials: Provide materials complying with ANSI A108.02, ANSI standards referenced in other Part 2 articles, ANSI standards referenced by TCA installation methods specified in tile installation schedules, and other requirements specified.
  - C. Low-Emitting Materials: Tile flooring systems shall comply with the testing and product requirements of the California Department of Health Services' "Standard Practice for the Testing of Volatile Organic Emissions from Various Sources Using Small-Scale Environmental Chambers."
  - D. Factory Blending: For tile exhibiting color variations within ranges, blend tile in factory and package so tile units taken from one package show same range in colors as those taken from other packages and match approved Samples.
  - E. Mounting: For factory-mounted tile, provide back- or edge-mounted tile assemblies as standard with manufacturer unless otherwise indicated.
    - 1. Where tile is indicated for installation in wet areas, do not use back- or edge-mounted tile assemblies unless tile manufacturer specifies in writing that this type of mounting is suitable for installation indicated and has a record of successful in-service performance.
  - F. Factory-Applied Temporary Protective Coating: Where indicated under tile type, protect exposed surfaces of tile against adherence of mortar and grout by pre-coating with continuous film of petroleum paraffin wax, applied hot. Do not coat unexposed tile surfaces.

# 2.2 TILE PRODUCTS

- A. Tile Type CT-1: Double load porcelain floor tile.
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, available manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
    - a. Daltile Division of Dal-Tile International Inc. (Basis of Design Colorbody Porcelain)
    - b. American Olean; Division of Dal-Tile International Inc.
  - 2. Composition: Porcelain.
  - 3. Module Size: 24 by 24 inches (60 cm by 60 cm). Checkered pattern with 12 by 24
  - 4. Module Size: 12 by 24 inches (30 cm by 60 cm). Checkered pattern with 24 by 24
  - 5. Thickness: 3/8 inch (11.43 cm).
  - 6. Face: Plain with Tru-Edge edges.
  - 7. Surface: Unpolished.
  - 8. Tile Color and Pattern: As selected by Architect from manufacturer's full range.
  - 9. Grout Color: As selected by Architect from manufacturer's full range.
  - 10. Trim Units: Coordinated with sizes and coursing of adjoining flat tile where applicable and matching characteristics of adjoining flat tile. Provide shapes as follows, selected from manufacturer's standard shapes:
    - a. Tapered Transition Tile: Shape designed to effect transition between thickness of tile floor and adjoining floor finishes of different thickness, tapered to provide reduction in thickness from 1/2 to 1/4 inch (12.7 to 6.35 mm) across nominal 4-inch (100-mm) dimension.
  - B. Tile Type CT-2: Porcelain wall tile.
    - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, available manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
      - a. Daltile: Division of Dal- Tile International Inc. (Basis of Design Colorbody Porcelain)
      - b. American Olean; Division of Dal-Tile International Inc.
    - 2. Module Size: 12 by 24 inches (30 cm by 60 cm).
    - 3. Accent Size: 6 by 24 inches (15 cm by 60cm). Two (2) bands of accent per wall
    - 4. Thickness: 3/8 inch (11.43 cm).
    - 5. Face: Plain with Tru-Edge edges.
    - 6. Surface: Polished
    - 7. Tile Color and Pattern: As selected by Architect from manufacturer's full range.



- 8. Grout Color: As selected by Architect from manufacturer's full range.
- 9. Mounting: Factory, back mounted.
- 10. Trim Units: Coordinated with sizes and coursing of adjoining flat tile where applicable and matching characteristics of adjoining tile. Provide shapes as follows, selected from manufacturer's standard shapes:
  - a. Cove base: Straight, module size 6 by 12 inches (15 by 30 cm).
  - b. Wainscot Cap for Thin-Set Mortar Installations: Surface bullnose, module size 3 by 12 inches.
  - c. External Corners for Thin-Set Mortar Installations: Surface bullnose, same size as adjoining tile.
  - d. Internal Corners: Field-butted square corners. For coved base and cap use angle pieces designed to fit with stretcher shapes.
- C. Tile Type CT-3: Glazed Wall Tile. (At STU excluding student restrooms)
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with the requirements, available manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
    - a. Daltile: Division of Dal- Tile International Inc. (Basis of Design Semi-gloss Color Trends)
    - b. American Olean: Division of Dal-Tile International Inc.
  - 2. Module Size: 4 ¼ by 4 ¼ inches (152 cm by 152 cm)
  - 3. Thickness: 5/16 inches (9.53 cm)
  - 4. Face: Plain with cushioned edges
  - 5. Surface: Glazed (Semi-gloss)
  - 6. Tile Color and Pattern: As selected by Architect from manufacturer's full range. Four (4) color pattern.
  - 7. Grout Color: As selected by Architect from manufacturer's full range
  - 8. Mounting: Factory, back mounted
  - 9. Trim Units: Coordinated with sizes and coursing of adjoining flat tile where applicable and matching characteristics of adjoining tile. Provide shapes as follows, selected from manufacturer's standard shapes.
    - a. Cove base: Straight, module size 4 ¼ by 4 ¼ inches
    - b. Wainscot Cap for thin-set mortar installations: Surface bullnose, module size 4 ¼ by 4 ¼ inches.
    - c. External Corner for thin-set mortar installation: Surface bullnose same size as adjoining tile.
    - d. Internal Corners: Field-butter square corners. For coved base and cap use angle pieces designed to fit with stretcher shapes.
- D. Tile Type CT-4: Unglazed quarry Tile (At STU)
  - 1. Manufacturers:
    - a. Daltile Division of Dal- Tile International Inc. (Basis of Design Quarry Textures)
    - b. American Olean: Division of DalTile International Inc.
  - 2. Module Size: 6 by 6 inches (15.20 cm by 15.20 cm)
  - 3. Thickness: ½ inch
  - 4. Face: Stain and slip-resistant
  - 5. Surface: Unglazed and textured
  - 6. Grout Color: As selected by Architect from manufacturer's full range
  - 7. Trim Units: Coordinated with sizes and coursing of adjoining flat tile where applicable and matching characteristics of adjoining tile. Provide shapes as follows, selected from manufacturer's standard shapes.
    - a. Tapered Transition Tile: Shape designed to effect transition between thickness of tile floor and adjoining floor finishes of different thickness, tapered to provide reduction in thickness from 1/2 to 1/4 inch (12.7 to 6.35 mm) across nominal 4-inch (100-mm) dimension.
- 2.3 THRESHOLDS
  - A. General: Fabricate to sizes and profiles indicated or required to provide transition between adjacent floor finishes.
    - 1. Bevel edges at 1:2 slope, with lower edge of bevel aligned with or up to 1/16 inch (1.5 mm) above adjacent floor surface. Finish bevel to match top surface of threshold. Limit height of threshold to 1/2 inch (12.7 mm) or less above adjacent floor surface.



- B. Marble Thresholds: ASTM C 503, with a minimum abrasion resistance of 10 per ASTM C 1353 or ASTM C 241 and with honed finish.
  - 1. Description: Uniform, fine- to medium-grained white stone with gray veining.
- 2.4 TILE BACKING PANELS
- A. Glass-Mat, Water-Resistant Backing Board with Water-Resistant Coating: ASTM C 1178/C 1178M.
  - 1. Basis-of-Design Product: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide Georgia-Pacific Gypsum LLC; "DensShield Tile Backer" or a comparable product by another manufacturer.
  - 2. Core: 1/2 inch (12.7 mm), regular type.
  - 3. Long Edges: Square.
- 2.5 CRACK ISOLATION MEMBRANE
  - A. General: Manufacturer's standard product, selected from the following that complies with ANSI A118.12 for high performance and is recommended by the manufacturer for the application indicated. Include reinforcement and accessories recommended by manufacturer.
  - B. Fabric-Reinforced, Fluid-Applied Membrane: System consisting of liquid-latex rubber or elastomeric polymer and fabric reinforcement.
    - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, available products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
      - a. Bonsal American; an Oldcastle company; B 6000 Waterproof Membrane with Glass Fabric.
      - b. Custom Building Products; 9240 Waterproofing and Anti-Fracture Membrane.
      - c. Laticrete International, Inc.; Laticrete 9235 Waterproof Membrane.
      - d. MAPEI Corporation; Mapelastic HPG with MAPEI Fiberglass Mesh.

# 2.6 SETTING MATERIALS

- A. Latex-Portland Cement Mortar (Thin Set): ANSI A118.4.
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, [available manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following]:
    - a. Custom Building Products.
    - b. Laticrete International, Inc.
    - c. MAPEI Corporation.
  - 2. Provide prepackaged, dry-mortar mix combined with acrylic resin liquid-latex additive at Project site.
  - 3. For wall applications, provide mortar that complies with requirements for non-sagging mortar in addition to the other requirements in ANSI A118.4.
  - B. Organic Adhesive: ANSI A136.1, Type I, that complies with the testing and prouct requirements of the California Department of Health Services' "Standard Practice for the Testing of Volatile Organic Emissions from Various Sources Using Small-Scale Environmental Chambers."
    - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, [available manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following]:
      - a. Bonsal American; an Oldcastle company.
      - b. Custom Building Products.
      - c. Laticrete International, Inc.
      - d. MAPEI Corporation.
- 2.7 GROUT MATERIALS
  - A. Sand-Portland Cement Grout: ANSI A108.10, composed of white or gray cement and white or colored aggregate as required to produce color indicated.
  - B. Polymer-Modified Tile Grout: ANSI A118.7.
    - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, available manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
      - a. Bonsal American; an Oldcastle company.
      - b. Custom Building Products.
      - c. Laticrete International, Inc.
      - d. MAPEI Corporation.
    - 2. Polymer Type: Acrylic resin in liquid-latex form for addition to prepackaged dry-grout mix.

#### 2.8 ELASTOMERIC SEALANTS

A. General: Provide sealants, primers, backer rods, and other sealant accessories that comply with the following requirements and with the applicable requirements in Section 079200 "Joint Sealants."



- 1. Sealants shall have a VOC content of 250 g/L or less when calculated according to 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24).
- 2. Use primers, backer rods, and sealant accessories recommended by sealant manufacturer.
- B. Colors: Provide colors of exposed sealants to match colors of grout in tile adjoining sealed joints unless otherwise indicated.
- C. One-Part, Mildew-Resistant Silicone Sealant: ASTM C 920; Type S; Grade NS; Class 25; Uses NT, G, A, and, as applicable to nonporous joint substrates indicated, O; formulated with fungicide, intended for sealing interior ceramic tile joints and other nonporous substrates that are subject to in-service exposures of high humidity and extreme temperatures.

# 2.9 MISCELLANEOUS MATERIALS

- A. Trowelable Underlayments and Patching Compounds: Latex-modified, portland cement-based formulation provided or approved by manufacturer of tile-setting materials for installations indicated.
- B. Metal Edge Strips: Angle or L-shape, height to match tile and setting-bed thickness, metallic or combination of metal and PVC or neoprene base, designed specifically for flooring applications; stainless-steel, ASTM A 666, 300 Series exposed-edge material.
- C. Temporary Protective Coating: Either product indicated below that is formulated to protect exposed surfaces of tile against adherence of mortar and grout; compatible with tile, mortar, and grout products; and easily removable after grouting is completed without damaging grout or tile.
  - 1. Petroleum paraffin wax, fully refined and odorless, containing at least 0.5 percent oil with a melting point of 120 to 140 deg F (49 to 60 deg C) per ASTM D 87.
  - 2. Grout release in form of manufacturer's standard proprietary liquid coating that is specially formulated and recommended for use as temporary protective coating for tile.
- D. Tile Cleaner: A neutral cleaner capable of removing soil and residue without harming tile and grout surfaces, specifically approved for materials and installations indicated by tile and grout manufacturers.
- E. Grout Sealer: Manufacturer's standard silicone product for sealing grout joints and that does not change color or appearance of grout.
- 2.10 MIXING MORTARS AND GROUT
  - A. Mix mortars and grouts to comply with referenced standards and mortar and grout manufacturers' written instructions.
  - B. Add materials, water, and additives in accurate proportions.
  - C. Obtain and use type of mixing equipment, mixer speeds, mixing containers, mixing time, and other procedures to produce mortars and grouts of uniform quality with optimum performance characteristics for installations indicated.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 EXAMINATION
  - A. Examine substrates, areas, and conditions where tile will be installed, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of installed tile.
    - 1. Verify that substrates for setting tile are firm, dry, clean, free of coatings that are incompatible with tile-setting materials including curing compounds and other substances that contain soap, wax, oil, or silicone; and comply with flatness tolerances required by ANSI A108.01 for installations indicated.
    - 2. Verify that concrete substrates for tile floors installed with adhesives, bonded mortar bed or thinset mortar comply with surface finish requirements in ANSI A108.01 for installations indicated.
      - a. Verify that surfaces that received a steel trowel finish have been mechanically scarified.
      - b. Verify that protrusions, bumps, and ridges have been removed by sanding or grinding.
    - 3. Verify that installation of grounds, anchors, recessed frames, electrical and mechanical units of work, and similar items located in or behind tile has been completed.
    - 4. Verify that joints and cracks in tile substrates are coordinated with tile joint locations; if not coordinated, adjust joint locations in consultation with Architect.
- B. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

# 3.2 PREPARATION

A. Fill cracks, holes, and depressions in concrete substrates for tile floors installed with adhesives or thinset mortar with trowelable leveling and patching compound specifically recommended by tile-setting material manufacturer.



- B. Where indicated, prepare substrates to receive waterproofing by applying a reinforced mortar bed that complies with ANSI A108.1A and is sloped 1/4 inch per foot (1:50) toward drains.
- C. Blending: For tile exhibiting color variations, verify that tile has been factory blended and packaged so tile units taken from one package show same range of colors as those taken from other packages and match approved Samples. If not factory blended, either return to manufacturer or blend tiles at Project site before installing.
- D. Field-Applied Temporary Protective Coating: If indicated under tile type or needed to prevent grout from staining or adhering to exposed tile surfaces, precoat them with continuous film of temporary protective coating, taking care not to coat unexposed tile surfaces.
- 3.3 TILE INSTALLATION
  - A. Comply with TCA's "Handbook for Ceramic Tile Installation" for TCA installation methods specified in tile installation schedules. Comply with parts of the ANSI A108 Series "Specifications for Installation of Ceramic Tile" that are referenced in TCA installation methods, specified in tile installation schedules, and apply to types of setting and grouting materials used.
    - 1. For the following installations, follow procedures in the ANSI A108 Series of tile installation standards for providing 95 percent mortar coverage:
      - a. Tile floors in wet areas.
      - b. Tile floors composed of tiles 8 by 8 inches (200 by 200 mm) or larger.
      - c. Tile floors composed of rib-backed tiles.
  - B. Extend tile work into recesses and under or behind equipment and fixtures to form complete covering without interruptions unless otherwise indicated. Terminate work neatly at obstructions, edges, and corners without disrupting pattern or joint alignments.
  - C. Accurately form intersections and returns. Perform cutting and drilling of tile without marring visible surfaces. Carefully grind cut edges of tile abutting trim, finish, or built-in items for straight aligned joints. Fit tile closely to electrical outlets, piping, fixtures, and other penetrations so plates, collars, or covers overlap tile.
  - D. Provide manufacturer's standard trim shapes where necessary to eliminate exposed tile edges.
  - E. Jointing Pattern: Lay tile in grid pattern unless otherwise indicated. Lay out tile work and center tile fields in both directions in each space or on each wall area. Lay out tile work to minimize the use of pieces that are less than half of a tile. Provide uniform joint widths unless otherwise indicated.
    - 1. For tile mounted in sheets, make joints between tile sheets same width as joints within tile sheets so joints between sheets are not apparent in finished work.
    - 2. Where adjoining tiles on floor, base, walls, or trim are specified or indicated to be same size, align joints.
    - 3. Where tiles are specified or indicated to be whole integer multiples of adjoining tiles on floor, base, walls, or trim, align joints unless otherwise indicated.
  - F. Joint Widths: Unless otherwise indicated, install tile with the following joint widths:
    - 1. Ceramic Mosaic Tile: 1/16 inch (1.6 mm).
      - 2. Glazed Wall Tile: 1/16 inch (1.6 mm).
  - G. Lay out tile wainscots to dimensions indicated or to next full tile beyond dimensions indicated.
  - H. Expansion Joints: Provide expansion joints and other sealant-filled joints, including control, contraction, and isolation joints, where indicated. Form joints during installation of setting materials, mortar beds, and tile. Do not saw-cut joints after installing tiles.
    - 1. Where joints occur in concrete substrates, locate joints in tile surfaces directly above them.
    - 2. Prepare joints and apply sealants to comply with requirements in Section 079200 "Joint Sealants."
  - I. Stone Thresholds: Install stone thresholds in same type of setting bed as adjacent floor unless otherwise indicated.
    - 1. At locations where mortar bed (thickset) would otherwise be exposed above adjacent floor finishes, set thresholds in latex-portland cement mortar (thin set).
    - 2. Do not extend cleavage membrane, waterproofing or crack isolation membrane under thresholds set in latex-portland cement mortar. Fill joints between such thresholds and adjoining tile set on cleavage membrane, waterproofing or crack isolation membrane with elastomeric sealant.
  - J. Metal Edge Strips: Install where exposed edge of tile flooring meets carpet, wood, or other flooring that finishes flush with top of tile [where exposed edge of tile flooring meets carpet, wood, or other flooring that finishes flush with or below top of tile and no threshold is indicated].



- K. Grout Sealer: Apply grout sealer to cementitious grout joints in tile floors according to grout-sealer manufacturer's written instructions. As soon as grout sealer has penetrated grout joints, remove excess sealer and sealer from tile faces by wiping with soft cloth.
- 3.4 TILE BACKING PANEL INSTALLATION
- A. Install cementitious backer units and treat joints according to ANSI A108.11 and manufacturer's written instructions for type of application indicated. Use latex-portland cement mortar for bonding material unless otherwise directed in manufacturer's written instructions.
- 3.5 CRACK ISOLATION MEMBRANE INSTALLATION
- A. Install crack isolation membrane to comply with ANSI A108.17 and manufacturer's written instructions to produce membrane of uniform thickness and bonded securely to substrate.
- B. Do not install tile or setting materials over crack isolation membrane until membrane has cured.

## 3.6 CLEANING AND PROTECTING

- A. Cleaning: On completion of placement and grouting, clean all ceramic tile surfaces so they are free of foreign matter.
  - 1. Remove epoxy and latex-portland cement grout residue from tile as soon as possible.
  - 2. Clean grout smears and haze from tile according to tile and grout manufacturer's written instructions but no sooner than 10 days after installation. Use only cleaners recommended by tile and grout manufacturers and only after determining that cleaners are safe to use by testing on samples of tile and other surfaces to be cleaned. Protect metal surfaces and plumbing fixtures from effects of cleaning. Flush surfaces with clean water before and after cleaning.
  - 3. Remove temporary protective coating by method recommended by coating manufacturer and that is acceptable to tile and grout manufacturer. Trap and remove coating to prevent drain clogging.
- B. Protect installed tile work with kraft paper or other heavy covering during construction period to prevent staining, damage, and wear. If recommended by tile manufacturer, apply coat of neutral protective cleaner to completed tile walls and floors.
- C. Prohibit foot and wheel traffic from tiled floors for at least seven days after grouting is completed.
- D. Before final inspection, remove protective coverings and rinse neutral protective cleaner from tile surfaces.
- 3.7 INTERIOR TILE INSTALLATION SCHEDULE
  - A. Interior Floor Installations, Concrete Subfloor:
    - 1. Tile Installation F113: Thin-set mortar; TCA F113.
      - a. Tile Type: CT-1.
      - b. Thin-Set Mortar: Latex- portland cement mortar.
      - c. Grout: Polymer-modified sanded grout.
  - B. Interior Wall Installations, Masonry or Concrete:
    - 1. Tile Installation W202: Thin-set mortar; TCA W202.
      - a. Tile Type: CT-2.
      - b. Thin-Set Mortar: Latex- portland cement mortar.
      - c. Grout: Polymer-modified sanded grout.
  - C. Interior Wall Installations, Metal Studs or Furring:
    - 1. Tile Installation W245: Thin-set mortar on coated glass-mat, water-resistant gypsum backer board; TCA W245.
      - a. Tile Type: CT-2.
      - b. Thin-Set Mortar: Latex- portland cement mortar.
      - c. Grout: Polymer-modified sanded grout.

END OF SECTION 093000



SECTION 09 51 13 - ACOUSTICAL PANEL CEILINGS

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section includes acoustical panels and exposed suspension systems for ceilings.
  - B. Products furnished, but not installed under this Section, include anchors, clips, and other ceiling attachment devices to be cast in concrete.
- 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS
  - A. Product Data: For each type of product.
  - B. Samples: For each exposed product and for each color and texture specified, 6 inches (150 mm) in size.
  - C. Samples for Initial Selection: For components with factory-applied color finishes.
- 1.4 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS
  - A. Coordination Drawings: Reflected ceiling plans, drawn to scale, on which the following items are shown and coordinated with each other, using input from installers of the items involved:
    - 1. Suspended ceiling components.
    - 2. Structural members to which suspension systems will be attached.
    - 3. Size and location of initial access modules for acoustical panels.
    - 4. Items penetrating finished ceiling including the following:
      - a. Lighting fixtures.
      - b. Air outlets and inlets.
      - c. Speakers.
      - d. Sprinklers.
      - e. Access panels.
    - 5. Perimeter moldings.
    - B. Product Test Reports: For each acoustical panel ceiling, for tests performed by a qualified testing agency.
- C. Evaluation Reports: For each acoustical panel ceiling suspension system and anchor and fastener type, from ICC-ES.
- 1.5 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS
- A. Maintenance Data: For finishes to include in maintenance manuals.
- 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING
  - A. Deliver acoustical panels, suspension-system components, and accessories to Project site in original, unopened packages and store them in a fully enclosed, conditioned space where they will be protected against damage from moisture, humidity, temperature extremes, direct sunlight, surface contamination, and other causes.
  - B. Before installing acoustical panels, permit them to reach room temperature and a stabilized moisture content.
  - C. Handle acoustical panels carefully to avoid chipping edges or damaging units in any way.
- 1.7 FIELD CONDITIONS
  - A. Environmental Limitations: Do not install acoustical panel ceilings until spaces are enclosed and weatherproof, wet work in spaces is complete and dry, work above ceilings is complete, and ambient temperature and humidity conditions are maintained at the levels indicated for Project when occupied for its intended use.
    - 1. Pressurized Plenums: Operate ventilation system for not less than 48 hours before beginning acoustical panel ceiling installation.

# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 ACOUSTICAL PANELS, GENERAL
  - A. Source Limitations:
    - 1. Acoustical Ceiling Panel: Obtain each type from single source from single manufacturer.
    - 2. Suspension System: Obtain each type from single source from single manufacturer.



- B. Glass-Fiber-Based Panels: Made with binder containing no urea formaldehyde.
- C. Acoustical Panel Standard: Provide manufacturer's standard panels of configuration indicated that comply with ASTM E 1264 classifications as designated by types, patterns, acoustical ratings, and light reflectances unless otherwise indicated.
  - 1. Mounting Method for Measuring NRC: Type E-400; plenum mounting in which face of test specimen is 15-3/4 inches (400 mm) away from test surface according to ASTM E 795.
- D. Acoustical Panel Colors and Patterns: Match appearance characteristics indicated for each product type.
  - 1. Where appearance characteristics of acoustical panels are indicated by referencing pattern designations in ASTM E 1264 and not manufacturers' proprietary product designations, provide products selected by Architect from each manufacturer's full range that comply with requirements indicated for type, pattern, color, light reflectance, acoustical performance, edge detail, and size.

## 2.2 ACOUSTICAL PANELS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Armstrong World Industries, Inc.
  - 2. CertainTeed Corp.
  - 3. USG Interiors, Inc.; Subsidiary of USG Corporation.
  - B. Classification: Provide panels complying with ASTM E 1264 for type, form, and pattern as follows:
  - C. Available Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, products which may be incorporated in the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
    - 1. Non-Fire rated High NRC Ceiling Panels Water Felted, Mineral based panel with Painted Finish and Perforated and Fissured Pattern, Non-Fire-Resistance Rated:
      - a. Fine Fissured Open Plan # 1713 Armstrong World Interiors Inc.
      - b. Fine Fissured High NRC # HHF-457 HNRC- Certainteed Ceilings
      - c. Radar Clima Plus High NRC # 22111- USG Interiors.
    - 2. Non-Perforated Ceiling Panel mineral fiber composite with scrubbable factory applied vinyl plastic finish (at STU excluding Campus Store-101 and Student restrooms 104 & 105).
      - a. Clean Room VL, Armstrong World Industries, Inc.
      - b. Vinyl Shield A #1102 crf-1, Certainteed Ceilings
      - c. Clim Plus #56099, USG Interiors, Inc.
    - 3. Sound Control Ceiling Panels Thermoformed plastic: 2X2, diffuser shall be molded in one-piece special barrel shape (at COM, Lab-111 and CST, Sound-122)
    - a. Respond Barrel Diffuser, Conwed, Designscape
- 2.3 METAL SUSPENSION SYSTEM
  - A. Metal Suspension-System Standard: Provide manufacturer's standard direct-hung metal suspension systems of types, structural classifications, and finishes indicated that comply with applicable requirements in ASTM C 635/C 635M.
    - 1. High-Humidity Finish: Comply with ASTM C 635/C 635M requirements for "Coating Classification for Severe Environment Performance" where high-humidity finishes are indicated.
  - B. Attachment Devices: Size for five times the design load indicated in ASTM C 635/C 635M, Table 1, "Direct Hung," unless otherwise indicated.
    - a. Corrosion Protection: Carbon-steel components zinc plated to comply with ASTM B 633, Class Fe/Zn 5 (0.005 mm) for Class SC 1 service condition.
  - C. Wire Hangers, Braces, and Ties: Provide wires complying with the following requirements:
    - 1. Zinc-Coated, Carbon-Steel Wire: ASTM A 641/A 641M, Class 1 zinc coating, soft temper.
    - Size: Select wire diameter so its stress at three times hanger design load (ASTM C 635/C 635M, Table 1, "Direct Hung") will be less than yield stress of wire, but provide not less than 0.135-inch-(3.5-mm-) diameter wire.
  - D. Hold-Down Clips: In all restroom scheduled to receive acoustical panel ceilings, provide manufacturer's standard hold-down clips spaced 24 inches (610 mm) o.c. on all cross tees.
- 2.4 METAL SUSPENSION SYSTEM
  - A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
     1. Armstrong World Industries, Inc.



- 2. CertainTeed Corp.
- 3. USG Interiors, Inc.; Subsidiary of USG Corporation.
- B. Wide-Face, Capped, Double-Web, Steel Suspension System: Main and cross runners roll formed from cold-rolled steel sheet; pre-painted, electrolytically zinc coated, or hot-dip galvanized according to ASTM A 653/A 653M, not less than G30 (Z90) coating designation; with prefinished 15/16-inch- (24-mm-) wide metal caps on flanges.
  - 1. Structural Classification: Intermediate system.
  - 2. End Condition of Cross Runners: butt-edge type.
  - 3. Face Design: Flat, flush.
  - 4. Cap Material: Steel cold-rolled sheet.
  - 5. Cap Finish: Painted
- 2.5 METAL EDGE MOLDINGS AND TRIM
  - A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - 1. Armstrong World Industries, Inc.
    - 2. CertainTeed Corp.
    - 3. USG Interiors, Inc.; Subsidiary of USG Corporation.
  - B. Roll-Formed, Sheet-Metal Edge Moldings and Trim: Type and profile indicated or, if not indicated, manufacturer's standard moldings for edges and penetrations; formed from sheet metal of same material, finish, and color as that used for exposed flanges of suspension-system runners.
    - 1. Provide manufacturer's standard edge moldings that fit acoustical panel edge details and suspension systems indicated and that match width and configuration of exposed runners unless otherwise indicated.
    - 2. For circular penetrations of ceiling, provide edge moldings fabricated to diameter required to fit penetration exactly.
- 2.6 SUSPENDED PERIMETER TRIM (for Cementitious Wood Fiber Acoustical Panels Ceilings)
  - A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - 1. Armstrong World Industries, Inc.
    - 2. CertainTeed Corp.
    - 3. USG Interiors, Inc.; Subsidiary of USG Corporation.
  - B. Sheet-Metal Perimeter Trim: Edge trim system for suspended ceiling system. formed from cold-rolled steel sheet; pre-painted, electrolytically zinc coated, or hot-dip galvanized according to ASTM A 653/A 653M, not less than G30 (Z90) coating designation
    - 1. Trim Channel: 4" wide face with 3/4 inch horizontal legs.
    - 2. Straight sections with special bosses formed for attachment to the tee-bar connection clip or hanging clip; commercial quality, factory-finished to match suspension system.
    - 3. Provide complete system including corner pieces, connectors, etc.
- PART 3 EXECUTION
- 3.1 EXAMINATION
  - A. Examine substrates, areas, and conditions, including structural framing to which acoustical panel ceilings attach or abut, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements specified in this and other Sections that affect ceiling installation and anchorage and with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of acoustical panel ceilings.
  - B. Examine acoustical panels before installation. Reject acoustical panels that are wet, moisture damaged, or mold damaged.
  - C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.
- 3.2 PREPARATION
  - A. Measure each ceiling area and establish layout of acoustical panels to balance border widths at opposite edges of each ceiling. Avoid using less-than-half-width panels at borders, and comply with layout shown on reflected ceiling plans.
- 3.3 INSTALLATION



- A. General: Install acoustical panel ceilings to comply with ASTM C 636/C 636M and seismic design requirements indicated, according to manufacturer's written instructions and CISCA's "Ceiling Systems Handbook."
- B. Suspend ceiling hangers from building's structural members and as follows:
  - 1. Install hangers plumb and free from contact with insulation or other objects within ceiling plenum that are not part of supporting structure or of ceiling suspension system.
  - 2. Splay hangers only where required to miss obstructions; offset resulting horizontal forces by bracing, countersplaying, or other equally effective means.
  - 3. Where width of ducts and other construction within ceiling plenum produces hanger spacings that interfere with location of hangers at spacings required to support standard suspension-system members, install supplemental suspension members and hangers in form of trapezes or equivalent devices.
  - 4. Secure wire hangers to ceiling-suspension members and to supports above with a minimum of three tight turns. Connect hangers directly either to structures or to inserts, eye screws, or other devices that are secure and appropriate for substrate and that will not deteriorate or otherwise fail due to age, corrosion, or elevated temperatures.
  - 5. When steel framing does not permit installation of hanger wires at spacing required, install carrying channels or other supplemental support for attachment of hanger wires.
  - 6. Do not attach hangers to steel deck tabs.
  - 7. Do not attach hangers to steel roof deck. Attach hangers to structural members.
  - 8. Space hangers not more than 48 inches (1200 mm) o.c. along each member supported directly from hangers unless otherwise indicated; provide hangers not more than 8 inches (200 mm) from ends of each member.
  - 9. Size supplemental suspension members and hangers to support ceiling loads within performance limits established by referenced standards and publications.
- C. Secure bracing wires to ceiling suspension members and to supports with a minimum of four tight turns. Suspend bracing from building's structural members as required for hangers, without attaching to permanent metal forms, steel deck, or steel deck tabs. Fasten bracing wires into concrete with cast-inplace or postinstalled anchors.
- D. Install edge moldings and trim of type indicated at perimeter of acoustical ceiling area and where necessary to conceal edges of acoustical panels.
  - 1. Screw attach moldings to substrate at intervals not more than 16 inches (400 mm) o.c. and not more than 3 inches (75 mm) from ends, leveling with ceiling suspension system to a tolerance of 1/8 inch in 12 feet (3.2 mm in 3.6 m). Miter corners accurately and connect securely.
  - 2. Do not use exposed fasteners, including pop rivets, on moldings and trim.
- E. Install suspension-system runners so they are square and securely interlocked with one another. Remove and replace dented, bent, or kinked members.
- F. Install acoustical panels with undamaged edges and fit accurately into suspension-system runners and edge moldings. Scribe and cut panels at borders and penetrations to provide a neat, precise fit.
  - 1. Arrange directionally patterned acoustical panels as follows:
    - a. As indicated on reflected ceiling plans.
    - b. Install panels in a basket-weave pattern.
  - 2. For square-edged panels, install panels with edges fully hidden from view by flanges of suspensionsystem runners and moldings.
  - 3. Paint cut edges of panel remaining exposed after installation; match color of exposed panel surfaces using coating recommended in writing for this purpose by acoustical panel manufacturer.
  - 4. Install hold-down clips in areas indicated, in areas required by authorities having jurisdiction, and for fire-resistance ratings; space as recommended by panel manufacturer's written instructions unless otherwise indicated.
- 3.4 CLEANING
  - A. Clean exposed surfaces of acoustical panel ceilings, including trim, edge moldings, and suspension-system members. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions for cleaning and touchup of minor finish



damage. Remove and replace ceiling components that cannot be successfully cleaned and repaired to permanently eliminate evidence of damage.

END OF SECTION 09 51 13



SECTION 09 65 13 - RESILIENT WALL BASE AND ACCESSORIES

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section Includes:
    - 1. Resilient base.
    - 2. Resilient molding accessories.
  - B. Related Sections:
    - 1. Section 09651 "Resilient Floor Tile for resilient floor tile."
- 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS
  - A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated.
  - B. Samples for Initial Selection: For each type of product indicated.
  - C. Product Schedule: For resilient products.
- 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Fire-Test-Response Characteristics: As determined by testing identical products according to ASTM E 648 or NFPA 253 by a qualified testing agency.
    - 1. Critical Radiant Flux Classification: Class I, not less than 0.45 W/sq. cm.

## 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

A. Store resilient products and installation materials in dry spaces protected from the weather, with ambient temperatures maintained within range recommended by manufacturer, but not less than 50 deg F (10 deg C) or more than 90 deg F (32 deg C).

## 1.6 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Maintain ambient temperatures within range recommended by manufacturer, but not less than 70 deg F (21 deg C) or more than 95 deg F (35 deg C), in spaces to receive resilient products during the following time periods:
  - 1. 48 hours before installation.
  - 2. During installation.
  - 3. 48 hours after installation.
  - B. Until Substantial Completion, maintain ambient temperatures within range recommended by manufacturer, but not less than 55 deg F (13 deg C) or more than 95 deg F (35 deg C).
- C. Install resilient products after other finishing operations, including painting, have been completed.
- PART 2 PRODUCTS

# 2.1 RESILIENT BASE

- A. Resilient Base:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, [available manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following]:
    - a. Armstrong World Industries, Inc.
    - b. Burke Mercer Flooring Products; Division of Burke Industries, Inc.
    - c. Johnsonite.
    - d. Roppe Corporation, USA.
- B. Resilient Base Standard: ASTM F 1861.
  - 1. Material Requirement: Type TS (rubber, vulcanized thermoset).
  - 2. Manufacturing Method: Group I (solid, homogeneous).
  - 3. Style: Cove (base with toe).
- C. Minimum Thickness: 0.125 inch (3.2 mm)
- D. Height: 4 inches (102 mm).
- E. Lengths: Coils in manufacturer's standard length.



- F. Outside Corners: Preformed.
- G. Inside Corners: Preformed.
- H. Finish: Matte.
- I. Colors and Patterns: As selected by Architect from full range of industry colors.
- 2.2 RESILIENT MOLDING ACCESSORY
  - A. Resilient Molding Accessory:
    - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, [available manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following]:
      - a. Johnsonite.
      - b. Roppe Corporation, USA.
      - c. Burke Mercer Flooring Products
  - B. Description: Provide as required for complete installation
    - 1. Carpet edge for glue-down applications,
    - 2. Nosing for carpet
    - 3. Nosing for resilient floor covering
    - 4. Reducer strip for resilient floor covering
    - 5. Joiner for tile and carpet
    - 6. Transition strips.
  - C. Material: Rubber.
  - D. Profile and Dimensions: Manufactures standard profile and dimensions.
  - E. Colors and Patterns: As selected by Architect from manufacturer's full range.
- 2.3 INSTALLATION MATERIALS
  - A. Trowelable Leveling and Patching Compounds: Latex-modified, portland cement based or blended hydraulic-cement-based formulation provided or approved by manufacturer for applications indicated.
  - B. Adhesives: Water-resistant type recommended by manufacturer to suit resilient products and substrate conditions indicated.
    - 1. Adhesives shall comply with the testing and product requirements of the California Department of Health Services' "Standard Practice for the Testing of Volatile Organic Emissions from Various Sources Using Small-Scale Environmental Chambers."
  - C. Metal Edge Strips: Extruded aluminum with mill finish of width shown, of height required to protect exposed edges of tiles, and in maximum available lengths to minimize running joints.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine substrates, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements for maximum moisture content and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
- B. Verify that finishes of substrates comply with tolerances and other requirements specified in other Sections and that substrates are free of cracks, ridges, depressions, scale, and foreign deposits that might interfere with adhesion of resilient products.
- C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

## 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Prepare substrates according to manufacturer's written instructions to ensure adhesion of resilient products.
- B. Fill cracks, holes, and depressions in substrates with trowelable leveling and patching compound and remove bumps and ridges to produce a uniform and smooth substrate.
- C. Do not install resilient products until they are same temperature as the space where they are to be installed.
  - 1. Move resilient products and installation materials into spaces where they will be installed at least 48 hours in advance of installation.
- D. Sweep and vacuum clean substrates to be covered by resilient products immediately before installation.
- 3.3 RESILIENT BASE INSTALLATION



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- A. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions for installing resilient base.
- B. Apply resilient base to walls, columns, pilasters, casework and cabinets in toe spaces, and other permanent fixtures in rooms and areas where base is required.
- C. Install resilient base in lengths as long as practicable without gaps at seams and with tops of adjacent pieces aligned.
- D. Tightly adhere resilient base to substrate throughout length of each piece, with base in continuous contact with horizontal and vertical substrates.
- E. Do not stretch resilient base during installation.
- F. On masonry surfaces or other similar irregular substrates, fill voids along top edge of resilient base with manufacturer's recommended adhesive filler material.
- G. Preformed Corners: Install preformed corners before installing straight pieces.

#### 3.4 RESILIENT ACCESSORY INSTALLATION

- A. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions for installing resilient accessories.
- B. Resilient Molding Accessories: Butt to adjacent materials and tightly adhere to substrates throughout length of each piece. Install reducer strips at edges of [carpet] [resilient floor covering] that would otherwise be exposed.

#### 3.5 CLEANING AND PROTECTION

- A. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions for cleaning and protection of resilient products.
- B. Perform the following operations immediately after completing resilient product installation:
  - 1. Remove adhesive and other blemishes from exposed surfaces.
  - 2. Sweep and vacuum surfaces thoroughly.
  - 3. Damp-mop surfaces to remove marks and soil.
- C. Protect resilient products from mars, marks, indentations, and other damage from construction operations and placement of equipment and fixtures during remainder of construction period.
- D. Cover resilient products until Substantial Completion.

END OF SECTION 09 65 13



SECTION 09 65 19 - RESILIENT FLOOR TILE

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section Includes:
    - 1. Vinyl composition floor tile.
    - 2. Luxury Vinyl tile.
  - B. Related Sections:
    - 1. Section 09653 "Resilient Wall Base and Accessories" for resilient base, reducer strips, and other accessories installed with resilient floor coverings.

## 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated.
- B. Shop Drawings: For each type of floor tile. Include floor tile layouts, edges, columns, doorways, enclosing partitions, built-in furniture, cabinets, and cutouts.
  - 1. Show details of special patterns.
- C. Samples for Initial Selection: For each type of floor tile indicated.
- D. Product Schedule: For floor tile. Use same designations indicated on Drawings.

# 1.4 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

A. Maintenance Data: For each type of floor tile to include in maintenance manuals.

# 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Fire-Test-Response Characteristics: As determined by testing identical products according to ASTM E 648 or NFPA 253 by a qualified testing agency.
  - 1. Critical Radiant Flux Classification: Class I, not less than 0.45 W/sq. cm.

## 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

A. Store floor tile and installation materials in dry spaces protected from the weather, with ambient temperatures maintained within range recommended by manufacturer, but not less than 50 deg F (10 deg C) or more than 90 deg F (32 deg C). Store floor tiles on flat surfaces.

## 1.7 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Maintain ambient temperatures within range recommended by manufacturer, but not less than 70 deg F (21 deg C) or more than 95 deg F (35 deg C), in spaces to receive floor tile during the following time periods:
  - 1. 48 hours before installation.
  - 2. During installation.
  - 3. 48 hours after installation.
  - B. Until Substantial Completion, maintain ambient temperatures within range recommended by manufacturer, but not less than 55 deg F (13 deg C) or more than 95 deg F (35 deg C).
  - C. Close spaces to traffic during floor tile installation.
- D. Close spaces to traffic for 48 hours after floor tile installation.
- E. Install floor tile after other finishing operations, including painting, have been completed.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 LUXURY VINYL TILE (LVT)
  - A. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - 1. Mohawk Group Global Entry (Basis of Design)
      - 2. Mannington Mills, Inc.
      - 3. Bolyu
  - B. Tile Standard: ASTM 1700, Class III, Type A
  - C. Gauge: 0.10" (2.5mm)
  - D. Wear layer: 20 mil (0.5mm)
  - E. Size: The following sizes are basis of design. Variations to these shall be submitted for review and approval 10 calendar days PRIOR to bid date. To be considered as equal to basis of design, substitute products must approximate pattern and color line of the LVT specified above. Requests for substitutions



that do not submit complete, straightforward, and referenced information for product comparison will be considered non-responsive and rejected without further notice. Basis of Design as follows:

- 1. Corridors and Classrooms: 18" X 36" (457.2mm x 914.mm)
- 2. Offices and Conference Rooms: 48" plank

## 2.2 INSTALLATION MATERIALS

- A. Trowelable Leveling and Patching Compounds: Latex-modified, portland cement based or blended hydraulic-cement-based formulation provided or approved by manufacturer for applications indicated.
- B. Adhesives: Water-resistant type recommended by manufacturer to suit floor tile and substrate conditions indicated.
  - 1. Adhesives shall comply with the following limits for VOC content when calculated according to 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24):
    - a. VCT and Asphalt Tile Adhesives: Not more than 50 g/L.
  - 2. LVT Adhesive shall be from manufacturer's products as required and installed in accordance with manufacturer's requirements.
- C. Floor Polish: Provide protective liquid floor polish products as recommended by manufacturer.

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine substrates, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements for maximum moisture content and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
- B. Verify that finishes of substrates comply with tolerances and other requirements specified in other Sections and that substrates are free of cracks, ridges, depressions, scale, and foreign deposits that might interfere with adhesion of floor tile.
- C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

#### 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Prepare substrates according to manufacturer's written instructions to ensure adhesion of resilient products.
- B. Concrete Substrates: Prepare according to ASTM F 710.
  - 1. Verify that substrates are dry and free of curing compounds, sealers, and hardeners.
  - 2. Remove substrate coatings and other substances that are incompatible with adhesives and that contain soap, wax, oil, or silicone, using mechanical methods recommended by manufacturer. Do not use solvents.
  - 3. Alkalinity and Adhesion Testing: Perform tests recommended by manufacturer. Proceed with installation only after substrates pass testing.
  - 4. Moisture Testing: Perform tests recommended by manufacturer and as follows. Proceed with installation only after substrates pass testing.
    - a. Perform relative humidity test using in situ probes, ASTM F 2170. Proceed with installation only after substrates have a maximum 75% relative humidity level measurement.
- C. Fill cracks, holes, and depressions in substrates with trowelable leveling and patching compound and remove bumps and ridges to produce a uniform and smooth substrate. Floorstone as required to achieve working conditions.
- D. Do not install floor tiles until they are same temperature as space where they are to be installed.
  - 1. Move resilient products and installation materials into spaces where they will be installed at least 48 hours in advance of installation.
- E. Sweep and vacuum clean substrates to be covered by resilient products immediately before installation.

#### 3.3 FLOOR TILE INSTALLATION

- A. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions for installing floor tile.
- B. Lay out floor tiles from center marks established with principal walls, discounting minor offsets, so tiles at opposite edges of room are of equal width. Adjust as necessary to avoid using cut widths that equal less than one-half tile at perimeter.
  - 1. Lay tiles square with room axis in pattern indicated.
- C. Match floor tiles for color and pattern by selecting tiles from cartons in the same sequence as manufactured and packaged, if so numbered. Discard broken, cracked, chipped, or deformed tiles.



- 1. Lay tiles with grain direction alternating in adjacent tiles (basket-weave pattern) and in pattern of colors and sizes indicated.
- D. Scribe, cut, and fit floor tiles to butt neatly and tightly to vertical surfaces and permanent fixtures including built-in furniture, cabinets, pipes, outlets, and door frames.
- E. Extend floor tiles into toe spaces, door reveals, closets, and similar openings. Extend floor tiles to center of door openings.
- F. Maintain reference markers, holes, and openings that are in place or marked for future cutting by repeating on floor tiles as marked on substrates. Use chalk or other nonpermanent, nonstaining marking device.
- G. Adhere floor tiles to flooring substrates using a full spread of adhesive applied to substrate to produce a completed installation without open cracks, voids, raising and puckering at joints, telegraphing of adhesive spreader marks, and other surface imperfections.

# 3.4 CLEANING AND PROTECTION

- A. Comply with manufacturer's written instructions for cleaning and protection of floor tile.
- B. Perform the following operations immediately after completing floor tile installation:
  - 1. Remove adhesive and other blemishes from exposed surfaces.
  - 2. Sweep and vacuum surfaces thoroughly.
  - 3. Damp-mop surfaces to remove marks and soil.
- C. Protect floor tile products from mars, marks, indentations, and other damage from construction operations and placement of equipment and fixtures during remainder of construction period.
- D. Floor Polish: Remove soil, visible adhesive, and surface blemishes from floor tile surfaces before applying liquid floor polish.
  - 1. Apply five coats.
- E. Cover floor tile until Substantial Completion.

END OF SECTION 09 65 19



SECTION 09 91 13 - PAINTING

PART 1 - GENERAL

# 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

A. Drawings and general provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification sections, apply to this section.

# 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes surface preparation, painting, and finishing of exposed interior and exterior items and surfaces.
  - 1. Surface preparation, priming, and finish coats specified in this section are in addition to shop priming and surface treatment specified under other sections.
- B. Paint exposed surfaces whether or not colors are designated in "schedules," except where a surface or material is specifically indicated not to be painted or is to remain natural. Where an item or surface is not specifically mentioned, paint the same as similar adjacent materials or surfaces. If color or finish is not designated, the Architect will select from standard colors or finishes available.
  - 1. Painting includes field painting exposed bare and covered pipes and ducts (including color coding), hangers, exposed steel and iron work, and primed metal surfaces of mechanical and electrical equipment.
- C. Painting is not required on prefinished items, finished metal surfaces, concealed surfaces, operating parts, and labels.
  - 1. Prefinished items not to be painted include the following factory-finished components:
    - a. Architectural woodwork and casework.
    - b. Finished mechanical and electrical equipment.
    - c. Light fixtures.
    - d. Switchgear.
    - e. Distribution cabinets.
  - 2. Concealed surfaces not to be painted include wall or ceiling surfaces in the following generally inaccessible areas:
    - a. Foundation spaces.
    - b. Furred areas.
    - c. Utility tunnels.
    - d. Pipe spaces.
  - 3. Finished metal surfaces not to be painted include:
    - a. Anodized aluminum.
    - b. Stainless steel.
    - c. Chromium plate.
    - d. Copper.
    - e. Bronze.
    - f. Brass.
  - 4. Operating parts not to be painted include moving parts of operating equipment such as the following:
    - a. Valve and damper operators.
    - b. Linkages.
    - c. Sensing devices.
    - d. Motor and fan shafts.
  - 5. Labels: Do not paint over Underwriter's Laboratories, Factory Mutual or other code-required labels or equipment name, identification, performance rating, or nomenclature plates.
- D. Related Sections: The following sections contain requirements that relate to this section:
  - 1. Division 5 Section "Structural Steel" for shop priming structural steel.
  - 2. Division 5 Section "Metal Fabrications" for shop priming ferrous metal.



- 3. Division 6 Section "Architectural Woodwork" for shop priming architectural woodwork.
- 4. Division 8 Section "Steel Doors and Frames" for shop priming steel doors and frames.
- 5. Division 9 Section "Special Coatings" for special coatings.
- 1.3 DEFINITIONS
  - A. "Paint" includes coating systems materials, primers, emulsions, enamels, stains, sealers and fillers, and other applied materials whether used as prime, intermediate, or finish coats.
- 1.4 SUBMITTALS
  - A. Product Data: Manufacturer's technical information, label analysis, and application instructions for each material proposed for use.
    - 1. List each material and cross-reference the specific coating and finish system and application. Identify each material by the manufacturer's catalog number and general classification.
    - 2. VOC content.
  - C. Samples for verification purposes: Provide samples of each color and material to be applied, with texture to simulate actual conditions, on representative samples of the actual substrate. Define each separate coat, including block fillers and primers. Use representative colors when preparing samples for review. Resubmit until required sheen, color, and texture are achieved.
    - 1. Provide a list of material and application for each coat of each sample. Label each sample as to location and application.
    - 2. Submit samples on the following substrates for the Architect's review of color and texture only:
      - a. Concrete: Provide two 4-inch-square samples for each color and finish.
      - b. Concrete Masonry: Provide two 4- by-8-inch samples of masonry, with mortar joint in the center, for each finish and color.
      - c. Painted Wood: Provide two 12- by 12-inch samples of each color and material on hardboard.
      - d. Stained or Natural Wood: Provide two 4- by 8-inch samples of natural and stained wood finish on actual wood surfaces.
      - e. Ferrous Metal: Provide two 4-inch-square samples of flat metal and two 8-inch-long samples of solid metal for each color and finish.

#### 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Single-Source Responsibility: Provide primers and undercoat paint produced by the same manufacturer as the finish coats.
- B. Coordination of Work: Review other sections in which primers are provided to ensure compatibility of the total systems for various substrates. On request, furnish information on characteristics of finish materials to ensure use of compatible primers.
  - 1. Notify the Architect of problems anticipated using the materials specified.
- C. Field Samples: On wall surfaces and other exterior and interior components, duplicate finishes of prepared samples. Provide full- coat finish samples on at least 100 sq. ft. of surface until required sheen, color and texture are obtained; simulate finished lighting conditions for review of in-place work.
  - 1. Final acceptance of colors will be from job-applied samples.
  - 2. The Architect will select one room or surface to represent surfaces and conditions for each type of coating and substrate to be painted. Apply coatings in this room or surface in accordance with the schedule or as specified. After finishes are accepted, this room or surface will be used for evaluation of coating systems of a similar nature.
- D. Material Quality: Provide the manufacturer's best quality trade sale paint material of the various coating types specified. Paint material containers not displaying manufacturer's product identification will not be acceptable.
  - 1. Proprietary names used to designate colors or materials are not intended to imply that products named are required or to exclude equal products of other manufacturers.
  - 2. Federal Specifications establish a minimum quality level for paint materials, except where other product identification is used. Provide written certification from the manufacturer that materials provided meet or exceed these criteria.



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- 3. Products that comply with qualitative requirements of applicable Federal Specifications, yet differ in quantitative requirements, may be considered for use when acceptable to the Architect. Furnish material data and manufacturer's certificate of performance to Architect for proposed substitutions.
- E. VOC Content: Products shall comply with VOC limits of authorities having jurisdiction and, for interior paints and coatings applied at Project site, the following VOC limits, exclusive of colorants added to a tint base, when calculated according to 40 CFR 59, Subpart D (EPA Method 24).
  - 1. Flat Paints and Coatings: 50 g/L.
  - 2. Nonflat Paints and Coatings: 150 g/L.
  - 3. Dry-Fog Coatings: 400 g/L.
  - 4. Primers, Sealers, and Undercoaters: 200 g/L.
  - 5. Anticorrosive and Antirust Paints Applied to Ferrous Metals: 250 g/L.
  - 6. Zinc-Rich Industrial Maintenance Primers: 340 g/L.
  - 7. Pretreatment Wash Primers: 420 g/L.
  - 8. Floor Coatings: 100 g/L.
  - 9. Shellacs, Clear: 730 g/L.
  - 10. Shellacs, Pigmented: 550 g/L.

#### 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver materials to the job site in the manufacturer's original, unopened packages and containers bearing manufacturer's name and label and the following information:
  - 1. Product name or title of material.
  - 2. Product description (generic classification or binder type).
  - 3. Federal Specification number, if applicable.
  - 4. Manufacturer's stock number and date of manufacture.
  - 5. Contents by volume, for pigment and vehicle constituents.
  - 6. Thinning instructions.
  - 7. Application instructions.
  - 8. Color name and number.
- B. Store materials not in use in tightly covered containers in a well-ventilated area at a minimum ambient temperature of 45 deg F (7 deg C). Maintain containers used in storage in a clean condition, free of foreign materials and residue.
  - 1. Protect from freezing. Keep storage area neat and orderly. Remove oily rags and waste daily. Take necessary measures to ensure that workers and work areas are protected from fire and health hazards resulting from handling, mixing, and application.

#### 1.7 JOB CONDITIONS

- A. Apply water-based paints only when the temperature of surfaces to be painted and surrounding air temperatures are between 50 deg F (10 deg C) and 90 deg F (32 deg C).
- B. Apply solvent-thinned paints only when the temperature of surfaces to be painted and surrounding air temperatures are between 45 deg F (7 deg C) and 95 deg F (35 deg C).
- C. Do not apply paint in snow, rain, fog, or mist, when the relative humidity exceeds 85 percent, at temperatures less than 5 deg F (3 deg C) above the dew point, or to damp or wet surfaces.
  - 1. Painting may continue during inclement weather if surfaces and areas to be painted are enclosed and heated within temperature limits specified by the manufacturer during application and drying periods.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Available Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated in the work include but are not limited to the following:
  - 1. Benjamin Moore and Co. (Moore).
  - 2. Pratt and Lambert (P & L).



3. The Sherwin-Williams Company (S-W).

# 2.2 MASONRY BLOCK FILLER

- A. High-Performance Latex Block Filler: Heavy-duty latex block fillers used for filling open textured interior and exterior concrete masonry block before application of top coats:
  - 1. S-W: Prep Rite Block Filler B25W25.

# 2.3 PRIMERS

- A. Exterior Primer Coating: Exterior latex wood primer used for priming mineral-fiber-reinforced cement panels under a flat acrylic emulsion finish:
  - 1. S-W: Exterior Latex Primer
- B. Interior Masonry Latex-Based Paint: Alkali-resistant paint used as a primer over concrete and masonry under flat and semigloss enamel:
  - 1. S-W:
    - Loxon Concrete & Masonry Primer, A24W8300.
- C. Interior Flat Latex-Based Paint: Flat latex paint used as a primer on plaster under flat, semigloss, and full-gloss alkyd finishes:
  - 1. S-W: Premium Wall and Wood Primer, B28W8111.
- D. Latex-Based Interior White Primer: Latex-based primer coating used on interior gypsum drywall under a flat latex paint or an alkyd semigloss enamel.
  - 1. S-W: Pro Green 200 Latex Wall Primer.
- E. Synthetic, Rust-Inhibiting Primer: Quick-drying, rust-inhibiting primer for priming ferrous metal on the exterior under full-gloss and flat alkyd enamel and on the interior under flat latex paint or odorless alkyd semigloss or alkyd gloss enamels:
  - S-W: Pro Cryl Universal Metal Primer B66W310.
- F. Galvanized Metal Primer: Primer used to prime interior and exterior zinc-coated (galvanized) metal surfaces:
   1. S-W: Pro Cryl Universal Metal Primer B66W310.

## 2.4 UNDERCOAT MATERIALS

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- A. Interior Enamel Undercoat: Ready-mixed enamel for use on the interior as an undercoat over a primer on filled concrete masonry under an odorless semigloss enamel finish:
  - S-W: Premium Wall & Wood Primer, B28W8111.
- B. Interior Enamel Undercoat: Ready-mixed enamel for use as an undercoat over wood and hardboard under an odorless alkyd semigloss enamel or full gloss alkyd enamel:
  - 1. S-W: Premium Wall & Wood Primer, B28W8111.
- C. Interior Enamel Undercoat: Ready-mixed enamel for use as an undercoat over a primer on ferrous or zinc-coated metal under an interior alkyd semigloss enamel or a full-gloss alkyd enamel:
  - 1. S-W: Premium Wall & Wood Primer, B28W8111.
- 2.5 EXTERIOR FINISH PAINT MATERIAL
  - A. Exterior Acrylic Emulsion: Quick-drying, flat, acrylic paint for use on the exterior over concrete, stucco, masonry (including concrete masonry block), and mineral-fiber-reinforced cement-panel surfaces:
    - S-W: A-100 Acrylic Latex Flat Exterior Finish A- 6 Series.
  - B. Exterior Semi-transparent Oil Stain: Semi-transparent oil based exterior wood stains:
    - 1. S-W: WoodScapes Semi-Transparent Polyurethane Exterior Stain (A15T5).
  - C. Exterior Full-Gloss Enamel: Full-Gloss Alkyd enamel for use over prime-coated ferrous metal:
    - 1. S-W: Industrial Alkyd Urethane B54W150.
- 2.6 INTERIOR FINISH PAINT MATERIAL
  - A. Latex-Based Interior Semi-Gloss Paint: Ready-mixed, latex-based paint for use as a semi gloss finish over concrete and masonry surfaces, including filled concrete masonry block, mineral-fiber-reinforced cement panels, and plaster and over prime-coated gypsum drywall, ferrous metal, and zinc-coated (galvanized) metal surfaces:
    - 1. S-W:
- Pro Mar 200 Zero VOC Semigloss Wall Paint.



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- B. Interior Semigloss Odorless Acrylic Paint: Ready-mixed, low-odor interior semigloss acrylic enamel for use over concrete, masonry, and plaster wood, hardwood, gypsum drywall, and metal surfaces:
  - 1. S-W: Pro Industrial 0 VOC Acrylic Eg-Shell.
- C. Latex-based, Interior Flat Paint: Ready-mixed, latex based paint for use over acoustical plaster surfaces and as a "size" on cotton or canvas covering over insulation:
  - 1. S-W: Pro Mar 200 Zero VOC Flat Wall Paint, B30W2600 Series.
- D. Exposed Steel Roof Structure and Acoustical Tectum Panels: 2 coats with total dry film thickness not less than 4 mils.
  - 1. First Coat: S-W Low VOC Waterborne Acrylic Dryfall, B42W00081.
  - 2. Second Coat: S-W Low VOC Waterborne Acrylic Dryfall, B42W00081.

#### 2.7 MISCELLANEOUS WOOD FINISHING MATERIALS

- A. Varnish-Type Surface Sealer: Sealer for open-grain wood for use as a surface sealer over exterior plywood before application of a prime coat:
  - 1. S-W: A-100 Exterior Latex Primer.
- B. Oil-Type Interior Wood Stain: Slow-penetrating oil-type wood stain for general use on interior wood surfaces under varnishes or wax finishes:
  - S-W: S-W Minwax Low VOC Waterborne Stain.
- C. Waterborne Varnish: Clear, oil-type rubbing varnish for use on interior stained or natural-finished woodwork:
  - 1. S-W: S-W Minwax Polyurethane Varnish.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

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## 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine substrates and conditions under which painting will be performed for compliance with requirements for application of paint. Do not begin paint application until unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.
  - 1. Start of painting will be construed as the Applicator's acceptance of surfaces and conditions within a particular area.

# 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. General Procedures: Remove hardware and hardware accessories, plates, machined surfaces, lighting fixtures, and similar items in place that are not to be painted, or provide surface-applied protection prior to surface preparation and painting. Remove these items if necessary for complete painting of the items and adjacent surfaces. Following completion of painting operations in each space or area, have items reinstalled by workers skilled in the trades involved.
  - 1. Clean surfaces before applying paint or surface treatments. Remove oil and grease prior to cleaning. Schedule cleaning and painting so that dust and other contaminants from the cleaning process will not fall on wet, newly painted surfaces.
- B. Surface Preparation: Clean and prepare surfaces to be painted in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions for each particular substrate condition and as specified.
  - 1. Provide barrier coats over incompatible primers or remove and reprime. Notify Architect in writing of problems anticipated with using the specified finish-coat material with substrates primed by others.
  - 2. Cementitious Materials: Prepare concrete, concrete masonry block, cement plaster, and mineral-fiber-reinforced cement panel surfaces to be painted. Remove efflorescence, chalk, dust, dirt, grease, oils, and release agents. Roughen as required to remove glaze. If hardeners or sealers have been used to improve curing, use mechanical methods of surface preparation.
    - a. Use abrasive blast-cleaning methods if recommended by the paint manufacturer.
    - b. Determine alkalinity and moisture content of surfaces by performing appropriate tests. If surfaces are sufficiently alkaline to cause blistering and burning of finish paint, correct this condition before application. Do not paint surfaces where moisture content exceeds that permitted in manufacturer's printed directions.
    - c. Clean concrete floors to be painted with a 5 percent solution of muriatic acid or other etching cleaner. Flush the floor with clean water to remove acid, neutralize with ammonia, and rinse;



allow to dry and vacuum before painting.

- 3. Wood: Clean surfaces of dirt, oil, and other foreign substances with scrapers, mineral spirits, and sandpaper, as required. Sand surfaces exposed to view smooth and dust off.
  - a. Scrape and clean small, dry, seasoned knots and apply a thin coat of white shellac or other recommended knot sealer before application of primer. After priming, fill holes and imperfections in finish surfaces with putty or plastic wood filler. Sand smooth when dried.
  - b. Prime, stain, or seal wood to be painted immediately upon delivery. Prime edges, ends, faces, undersides, and backsides of wood, including cabinets, counters, cases, and paneling.
  - c. When transparent finish is required, backprime with spar varnish.
  - d. Backprime paneling on interior partitions where masonry, plaster, or other wet wall construction occurs on backside.
  - e. Seal tops, bottoms, and cutouts of unprimed wood doors with a heavy coat of varnish or sealer immediately upon delivery.
- 4. Ferrous Metals: Clean nongalvanized ferrous-metal surfaces that have not been shop coated; remove oil, grease, dirt, loose mill scale, and other foreign substances. Use solvent or mechanical cleaning methods that comply with recommendations of the Steel Structures Painting Council.
  - a. Blast steel surfaces clean as recommended by the paint system manufacturer and in accordance with requirements of SSPC specification SSPC-SP 10.
  - b. Treat bare and sandblasted or pickled clean metal with a metal treatment wash coat before priming.
  - c. Touch up bare areas and shop-applied prime coats that have been damaged. Wire-brush, clean with solvents recommended by the paint manufacturer, and touch up with the same primer as the shop coat.
- 5. Galvanized Surfaces: Clean galvanized surfaces with non- petroleum-based solvents so that the surface is free of oil and surface contaminants. Remove pretreatment from galvanized sheet metal fabricated from coil stock by mechanical methods.
- C. Materials Preparation: Carefully mix and prepare paint materials in accordance with manufacturer's directions.
  - 1. Maintain containers used in mixing and application of paint in a clean condition, free of foreign materials and residue.
  - 2. Stir material before application to produce a mixture of uniform density; stir as required during application. Do not stir surface film into material. Remove film and, if necessary, strain material before using.
  - 3. Use only thinners approved by the paint manufacturer, and only within recommended limits.
- D. Tinting: Tint each undercoat a lighter shade to facilitate identification of each coat where multiple coats of the same material are applied. Tint undercoats to match the color of the finish coat, but provide sufficient differences in shade of undercoats to distinguish each separate coat.

## 3.3 APPLICATION

- A. Apply paint in accordance with manufacturer's directions. Use applicators and techniques best suited for substrate and type of material being applied.
- B. Do not paint over dirt, rust, scale, grease, moisture, scuffed surfaces, or conditions detrimental to formation of a durable paint film.
  - 1. Paint colors, surface treatments, and finishes are indicated in "schedules."
  - 2. Provide finish coats that are compatible with primers used.
  - 3. The number of coats and film thickness required is the same regardless of the application method. Do not apply succeeding coats until the previous coat has cured as recommended by the manufacturer. Sand between applications where sanding is required to produce an even smooth surface in accordance with the manufacturer's directions.
  - 4. Apply additional coats when undercoats, stains, or other conditions show through final coat of paint until paint film is of uniform finish, color, and appearance. Give special attention to ensure that surfaces, including edges, corners, crevices, welds, and exposed fasteners, receive a dry film



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thickness equivalent to that of flat surfaces.

- 5. The term "exposed surfaces" includes areas visible when permanent or built-in fixtures, convector covers, covers for finned tube radiation, grilles, and similar components are in place. Extend coatings in these areas as required to maintain the system integrity and provide desired protection.
- 6. Paint surfaces behind movable equipment and furniture same as similar exposed surfaces. Paint surfaces behind permanently fixed equipment or furniture with prime coat only before final installation of equipment.
- 7. Paint interior surfaces of ducts, where visible through registers or grilles, with a flat, nonspecular black paint.
- 8. Paint back sides of access panels and removable or hinged covers to match exposed surfaces.
- 9. Finish interior of wall and base cabinets and similar field- finished casework to match exterior.
- 10. Finish exterior doors on tops, bottoms, and side edges same as exterior faces.
- 11. Sand lightly between each succeeding enamel or varnish coat.
- 12. Omit primer on metal surfaces that have been shop-primed and touch up painted.
- C. Scheduling Painting: Apply first coat to surfaces that have been cleaned, pretreated, or otherwise prepared for painting as soon as practicable after preparation and before subsequent surface deterioration.
  - 1. Allow sufficient time between successive coats to permit proper drying. Do not recoat until paint has dried to where it feels firm, and does not deform or feel sticky under moderate thumb pressure and where application of another coat of paint does not cause lifting or loss of adhesion of the undercoat.
- D. Minimum Coating Thickness: Apply materials at not less than the manufacturer's recommended spreading rate. Provide a total dry film thickness of the entire system as recommended by the manufacturer.
- E. Mechanical and Electrical Work: Painting mechanical and electrical work is limited to items exposed in mechanical equipment rooms and in occupied spaces.
- F. Mechanical items to be painted include but are not limited to:
  - 1. Piping, pipe hangers, and supports.
  - 2. Heat exchangers.
  - 3. Tanks.
  - 4. Ductwork.
  - 5. Insulation.
  - 6. Supports.

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- 7. Motors and mechanical equipment.
- 8. Accessory items.
- Electrical items to be painted include but are not limited to:
  - 1. Conduit and fittings.
  - 2. Switchgear.
- H. Block Fillers: Apply block fillers to concrete masonry block at a rate to ensure complete coverage with pores filled.
- I. Prime Coats: Before application of finish coats, apply a prime coat of material as recommended by the manufacturer to material that is required to be painted or finished and has not been prime coated by others. Recoat primed and sealed surfaces where evidence of suction spots or unsealed areas in first coat appears, to assure a finish coat with no burn through or other defects due to insufficient sealing.
- J. Pigmented (Opaque) Finishes: Completely cover to provide an opaque, smooth surface of uniform finish, color, appearance, and coverage. Cloudiness, spotting, holidays, laps, brush marks, runs, sags, ropiness, or other surface imperfections will not be acceptable.
- K. Transparent (Clear) Finishes: Use multiple coats to produce a glass-smooth surface film of even luster. Provide a finish free of laps, cloudiness, color irregularity, runs, brush marks, orange peel, nail holes, or other surface imperfections.
  - 1. Provide satin finish for final coats.
- L. Completed Work: Match approved samples for color, texture, and coverage. Remove, refinish, or repaint



work not in compliance with specified requirements.

- 3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL
  - A. The Owner reserves the right to invoke the following test procedure at any time and as often as the Owner deems necessary during the period when paint is being applied:
    - 1. The Owner will engage the services of an independent testing laboratory to sample the paint material being used. Samples of material delivered to the project will be taken, identified, sealed, and certified in the presence of the Contractor.
    - 2. The testing laboratory will perform appropriate tests for the following characteristics as required by the Owner:
      - a. Quantitative materials analysis.
      - b. Abrasion resistance.
      - c. Apparent reflectivity.
      - d. Flexibility.
      - e. Washability.
      - f. Absorption.
      - g. Accelerated weathering.
      - h. Dry opacity.
      - i. Accelerated yellowness.
      - j. Recoating.
      - k. Skinning.
      - I. Color retention.
      - m. Alkali and mildew resistance.
    - 3. If test results show material being used does not comply with specified requirements, the Contractor may be directed to stop painting, remove noncomplying paint, pay for testing, repaint surfaces coated with rejected paint, and remove rejected paint from previously painted surfaces if, upon repainting with specified paint, the two coatings are noncompatible.

# 3.5 CLEANING

- A. Cleanup: At the end of each work day, remove empty cans, rags, rubbish, and other discarded paint materials from the site.
- B. Upon completion of painting, clean glass and paint-spattered surfaces. Remove spattered paint by washing and scraping, using care not to scratch or damage adjacent finished surfaces.

## 3.6 PROTECTION

- A. Protect work of other trades, whether to be painted or not, against damage by painting. Correct damage by cleaning, repairing or replacing, and repainting, as acceptable to Architect.
- B. Provide "wet paint" signs to protect newly painted finishes. Remove temporary protective wrappings provided by others for protection of their work after completion of painting operations.
  - 1. At completion of construction activities of other trades, touch up and restore damaged or defaced painted surfaces.

## 3.7 EXTERIOR PAINT SCHEDULE

- A. General: Provide the following paint systems for the various substrates indicated.
- B. Ferrous Metal: Primer is not required on shop-primed items.
  - 1. Lusterless Alkyd Enamel: 2 finish coats over primer.
    - a. Primer: Synthetic Rust-Inhibiting Primer (FS TT-P-664).
    - b. First Coat: Lusterless Alkyd Enamel (FS TT-E-527).
    - c. Second Coat: Lusterless Alkyd Enamel (FS TT-E-527).
- C. Zinc-Coated Metal:
  - 1. Lusterless Alkyd Enamel: 2 finish coats over primer.
    - a. Primer: Galvanized Metal Primer (FS TT-P-641).



- b. First Coat: Alkyd Gloss Enamel (FS TT-E-489).
- c. Second Coat: Alkyd Gloss Enamel (FS TT-E-489).
- 3.8 INTERIOR PAINT SCHEDULE
  - A. General: Provide the following paint systems for the various substrates, as indicated.
  - B. Concrete and Masonry (Other than concrete masonry units):
    - 1. Semi-gloss Enamel Finish: 3 coats with total dry film thickness not less than 3.5 mils.
      - a. Primer: Latex-Based Interior Flat Paint (FS TT-P-29).
      - b. Undercoat: Interior Enamel Undercoat (FS TT-E-543).
      - c. Finish Coat: Interior semi-gloss Odorless Alkyd Enamel (FS TT-E-509).
  - C. Concrete Masonry Units:
    - 1. Semi-gloss Alkyd Enamel Finish: 2 coats over filled surface with total dry film thickness not less than 3.5 mils, excluding filler coat.
      - a. Block Filler: High Performance Latex Block Filler.
      - b. Undercoat: Interior Enamel Undercoat (FS TT-E-543).
      - c. Finish Coat: Interior semi-gloss Odorless Alkyd Enamel (FS TT-E-509).
  - D. Gypsum Drywall Systems:
    - 1. Odorless semi-gloss Alkyd Enamel Finish: 3 coats with total dry film thickness not less than 2.5 mils.
      - a. Primer: Interior Latex-Based White Primer (FS TT-P-650).
      - b. First Coat: Interior Egg-Shell Odorless Alkyd Enamel (FS TT-E-509).
      - c. Second Coat: Interior semi-gloss Odorless Alkyd Enamel (FS TT-E-509).
  - E. Woodwork and Hardboard:
    - 1. Semigloss Enamel Finish: 3 coats.
      - a. Undercoat: Interior Enamel Undercoat (FS TT-E-543).
      - b. First Coat: Interior semi-gloss Odorless Alkyd Enamel (FS TT-E-509).
      - c. Second Coat: Interior semi-gloss Odorless Alkyd Enamel (FS TT-E-509).
  - F. Stained Woodwork:
    - 1. Stained-Varnish Rubbed Finish: 3 finish coats over stain plus filler on open-grain wood. Wipe filler before applying first varnish coat.
      - a. Stain Coat: Oil-Type Interior Wood Stain (FS TT-S-711).
      - b. First Coat: Cut Shellac (FS TT-S-300).
      - c. Filler Coat: Paste Wood Filler (FS TT-F-336).
      - d. Second Coat: Oil Rubbing Varnish (FS TT-V-86).
      - e. Third Coat: Oil Rubbing Varnish (FS TT-V-86).
  - G. Ferrous Metal:
    - 1. Lusterless (Flat) Finish: 2 finish coats over primer with total dry film thickness not less than 2.5 mils.
      - a. Primer: Synthetic Rust-Inhibiting Primer (FS TT-P-664).
      - b. First Coat: Latex-Based Interior Flat Paint (FS TT-P-29).
      - c. Second Coat: Latex-Based Interior Flat Paint (FS TT-P-29).
    - 2. Semigloss Enamel Finish: 2 coats over primer with total dry film thickness not less than 2.5 mils.
      - a. Primer: Synthetic Rust-Inhibiting Primer (FS TT-P-664).
      - b. Undercoat: Interior Enamel Undercoat (FS TT-E-543).
      - c. Finish Coat: Interior semigloss Odorless Alkyd Enamel (FS TT-E-509).
  - H. Zinc-Coated Metal:
    - 1. Lusterless (Flat) Finish: 2 finish coats over primer with total dry film thickness not less than 2.5 mils.
      - a. Primer: Galvanized Metal Primer (FS TT-P-641).
      - b. First Coat: Latex-Based Interior Flat Paint (FS TT-P-29).



- c. Second Coat: Latex-Based Interior Flat Paint (FS TT-P-29).
- 2. Semigloss Finish: 2 coats over primer, with total dry film thickness not less than 2.5 mils.
  - a. Primer: Galvanized Metal Primer (FS TT-P- 641).
    - b. Undercoat: Interior Enamel Undercoat (FS TT-E-543).
    - c. Finish Coat: Interior semi-gloss Odorless Alkyd Enamel (FS TT-E-509).

END OF SECTION 09 91 13



SECTION 100100 – MISCELLANEOUS SPECIALTIES

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY

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- A. Section Includes:
  - 1. Rapid Entry System (Fireman's Lock Box)
  - 2. Kiln Hood
  - Related Requirements:
    - 1. Section 04200- Unit Masonry."
- 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS
  - Product Data: For each type of product specified within this specification.
    - 1. Manufacturer's Specifications
    - 2. Manufacturer's Installation Instructions
  - B. Shop Drawings: Show sizes, locations and installation details. Include utility (electrical, water, gas) requirements.
- 1.4 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS
- A. Maintenance Data: For each type of product specified within this specification.
- 1.5 COORDINATION
  - A. Coordinate Work of this Section with work of other sections in which items are to be installed.
- PART 2 PRODUCTS
- 2.1 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS
  - A. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- 2.2 APPROVED MANUFACTURERS
  - A. Specifications are based on named products and manufacturers. Other manufacturers must have a minimum of five (5) years' experience manufacturing products meeting or exceeding the specifications and comply with Division 1requirements regarding substitutions to be considered.
- 2.3 RAPID ENTRY SYSTEM (FIREMAN'S LOCK BOX)
  - A. Fire Department Lock Box (main entry): Knox Company No. 4400 recessed single lock, with recessed mounting kit.
  - B. Provide alarm tamper switches (UL Listed) for connection to building's security system.
  - C. Color selected by Architect from manufacturer's available colors.
  - D. Location: Location to be determined by Fire Authority having jurisdiction and as directed by Architect.
- 2.4 KILN HOOD
  - A. Kiln Hood shall be GREENHECK UL Listed, NSF approved Model GO, in compliance with NFPA Pamphlet No. 96, and local governing codes. Unit is to consist of One (1) 60" L x 60" W x 24" H hood as shown on drawings. Contractor is to field verify all dimensions and clearances before ordering units.
  - B. Heat and Fume hood(s) shall be of the Type II, exhaust only canopy.
  - C. The hood(s) shall be constructed of a minimum of 18 gauge 304 series stainless steel. The hood(s) shall be constructed using the standing seam method for optimum strength and with a Performance Enhancing Lip (PEL) to improve capture efficiency by turning air back into the hood. All seams, joints and penetrations of the hood enclosure shall be welded and/or liquid tight.
  - D. Provide minimum 12 hood overhang over all sides of kiln.
  - E. Control associated exhaust fan with wall mounted switch.
- 2.5 GENERAL FINISH REQUIREMENTS
  - A. Appearance of Finished Work: Noticeable variations in same piece are not acceptable. Variations in appearance of adjoining components are acceptable if they are within the range of approved Samples and are assembled or installed to minimize contrast.
- PART 3 EXECUTION
- 3.1 EXAMINATION
  - A. Verify utility (electrical, water, and gas) requirements, where applicable, are installed and ready for connection.
  - B. Examine walls and partitions for suitable framing depth and blocking where items are indicated to be installed.
  - C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.



- 3.2 INSTALLATION
  - A. General: Install items in locations and at mounting heights indicated or if not indicated then as directed by Architect.
  - B. Install all items in accordance with manufacturer's printed instructions in locations shown on drawings.
- 3.3 ADJUSTING AND CLEANING
  - A. Remove temporary protective coverings and strippable films, if any, as items are installed unless otherwise indicated in manufacturers written installation instructions.
  - B. Adjust items to operate properly.
  - C. On completion of installation of item, clean interior and exterior surfaces as recommended by manufacturer.
  - D. Touch up marred finishes, or replace items that cannot be restored to factory-finished appearance. Use only materials and procedures recommended or furnished by manufacturers.
  - E. Replace items that have been damaged or have deteriorated beyond successful repair by finish touchup or similar minor repair procedures.

END OF SECTION 100100



## SECTION 10 11 16 - VISUAL DISPLAY SURFACES

#### PART 1- GENERAL

- 1.01 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.02 SUMMARY
  - A. Section Includes:
    - 1. Markerboards, Rolling Markerboards, and Tackboards.
    - 2. Display Cases.
    - 3. Bulletin Boards.
  - B. Related Sections include the following:
    - 1. Division 09 Section "Gypsum Board Assemblies."
    - 2. Division 06 Section "Rough Carpentry", for block in walls.
- 1.03 QAULTIY ASSURANCE
  - A. Manufacturers: Except as otherwise indicated, major components are to be supplied by one manufacturer and are herein specified by manufacturer and type to define overall quality. Substitutions shall b\e submitted to the Architect for approval.
  - B. Basis of Design products are by Claridge Products and Equipment, Inc., Harrison, AR 72602.

## 1.04 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: Submit manufacturer's specification and installation instructions for each product. Include methods of installation for each type of substrate.
- B. LEED Submittals:
  - 1. Product Data for Credit E 2.2:
    - a. For each composite-wood product used, documentation indicating that the bonding agent contains no urea formaldehyde.
    - b. For each adhesive used, documentation including printed statement of VOC content.
  - 2. Product Data for Credit ME 4.1.1: For products having recycled content, documentation indicating percentages by weight of postconsumer and pre-consumer recycled content. Include statement indicating costs for each product having recycled content.
- C. Samples: Submit samples of color and materials of all products.
- D. Shop Drawings: Submit shop drawings for all products. Include sections of typical installation and complete dimensions. Show details of design, anchorage, and accessories.
- 1.05 WARRANTY
  - A. Markerboard and Tackboard Lifetime of original installation, manufacturer warrants that the porcelain enamel shall not exhibit fading of color, crazing, crackling or flaking. Display case warranty shall be for one year.

## PART 2 – PRODUCTS

#### 2.01 MATERIALS, GENERAL

- A. VOC Content of Interior Adhesives: Provide adhesives for flooring system that comply with VOC limits of the applicable category of SCAQMD Rule 1168, Adhesives and Sealant Applications (current version).
- B. Composite Wood and Agrifiber Products: Provide materials that comply with requirements of reference quality standard for each type of woodwork and quality grade specified unless otherwise indicated.
  - 1. Medium-Density Fiberboard: ANSI A208.2, Grade 130, made with binder containing no urea formaldehyde.
  - 2. Particleboard: ANSI A208.1, Grade M-2, made with binder containing no urea formaldehyde.
- 2.02 MATERIALS
  - A. Markerboard: Porcelain enamel, single piece panel of 24 gauge galvanized sheet steel laminated to 7/16" hardboard or 3/8" particle board with .015" aluminum back sheet laminated to hardboard. Factory



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assembled, ½" thick, square cornered, panel equal to Claridge "Series 4", Type "A". Color: White. Surface: LCS-II (low gloss for better projection). Aluminum frame.

- 1. Size: 4'-0" tall x widths as show in Drawings.
- B. Markerboard Accessories: One piece full length Claridge Chalk trough No. 371, 1" display (map) rail with end stops, (4) map hooks with clips and (2) flag holders per classroom.
- C. Rolling Markerboard: Reversible, Mobile Board, Porcelain enamel with cork reverse side. Factory assembled equip to Claridge "Premiere Series", Type "LCS69". Color: White with tan cork. Surface: LCS-II (low gloss for better projection). Aluminum frame.
  - 1. Size: 4'-0" tall x 6'-0" wide.
  - 2. Provide 2 locking and 2 non-locking castors.
  - 3. Full length accessory tray.
- D. Tackboard: Vinyl covered ¼" corkboard laminated to ¼" hardboard equal to Claridge "Series 4." Or PSI Wall Panel Systems resilient tack board panels with aluminum trim.
  - 1. Size: 4'-0" tall x widths as show in Drawings.
- E. Trim: Satin anodized extruded aluminum compatible with supplied chalkboards and tackboards.
- F. Wall Anchorage: Angle hangers top and bottom.
- G. Color: Vinyl material shall be white. Provide color samples of manufacturer's standard with colors for selection by Architect.
- H. Display Case: 4' H x 6' W x 18 inches D surface mounted cabinet shall be Claridge Recessed Trophy Cases 370 or approved equal.
  - 1. Aluminum powder coat finish.
  - 2. Tackable back panel with Claridge Designer Fabric in color as selected by Architect.
  - 3. Sliding 3/16" tempered glass shelves.
  - 4. 12" wide adjustable tempered glass shelves.
  - 5. Recessed units equipped with angle hangers to be mounted on CMU.
  - 6. Header panel.
  - 7. Fluorescent lights.

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.01 INSPECTION

- A. Verify that surfaces and internal wall blocking are ready to receive work, and opening dimension are as indicated on shop drawings.
- B. Beginning of installation means acceptance of existing surfaces. Verify with Architect horizontal dimensions from perpendicular wall surface.

#### 3.02 INSTALLATION

- A. Install products in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- B. Provide fire-retardant 2x8 stud spacing wood blocking in drywall partitions.
- C. Establish top of chalk rail at 34" above finished floor.
- D. Secure units level and plumb.

#### 3.03 CLEANING

- A. Clean all surfaces in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- B. Cover all surfaces with protective cover, taped to frame.
- C. Remove protective cover at Substantial Completion.

#### END OF SECTION 101100



SECTION 10 14 16 - PLAQUES (BASE BID)

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section includes plaques.
  - B. Related Requirements:
    - 1. Section 101423 "Interior Signage" for signs, with or without frames that are made of materials other than solid metal.
- 1.3 DEFINITIONS
  - A. Accessible: In accordance with the accessibility standard.
- 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS
  - A. Product Data: For each type of product.
  - B. Shop Drawings: For plaques.
    - 1. Include fabrication and installation details and attachments to other work.
    - 2. Show plaque mounting heights, locations of supplementary supports to be provided by others, and accessories.
    - 3. Show message list, typestyles, graphic elements, including raised characters and Braille, and layout for each plaque at least half size.
  - C. Samples for Initial Selection: For each type of plaque, exposed component, and exposed finish.
  - D. Plaque Schedule: Use same designations specified or indicated on Drawings or in a plaque or sign schedule.
- 1.5 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS
- A. Sample Warranty: For special warranty.
- 1.6 WARRANTY
  - A. Special Warranty: Manufacturer agrees to repair or replace components of plaques that fail in materials or workmanship within specified warranty period.
    - 1. Failures include, but are not limited to, the following:
      - a. Deterioration of finishes beyond normal weathering.
    - 2. Warranty Period: Life of the building, from date of Substantial Completion.

# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

# 2.1 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

A. Accessibility Standard: Comply with applicable provisions in ICC A117.1 for signs.

## 2.2 PLAQUES (Include in Base Bid)

- A. Etched Plaque : Chemically etched or photo chemically engraved metal sheet or plate with texture, border, and characters having uniform faces, sharp corners, and precisely formed lines and profiles; and as follows:
  - 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. Corpus Christi Stamp Works, Inc.
    - b. A. R. K. Ramos Signage Systems.
    - c. Gemini Incorporated.
    - d. Metal Arts; Division of L & H Mfg. Co.
  - 2. Plaque Material: Sheet or plate aluminum.
  - 3. Type:
    - a. Building Dedication Plaque as indicated on drawings
    - b. FEMA Required Signage as indicated on drawings
  - 4. Plaque Thickness: 0.250 inch (6.35 mm).
  - 5. Finishes:
    - a. Integral Aluminum Finish: Clear anodized



- 6. Integral Edge Style: As indicated.
- 7. Mounting: Concealed studs.
- 8. Size: Refer to drawings (OR 18" X 24" whichever is bigger)

# 2.3 MATERIALS

- A. Aluminum Sheet and Plate: ASTM B 209 (ASTM B 209M), alloy and temper recommended by aluminum producer and finisher for type of use and finish indicated.
- B. Aluminum Extrusions: ASTM B 221 (ASTM B 221M), alloy and temper recommended by aluminum producer and finisher for type of use and finish indicated.

# 2.4 ACCESSORIES

- A. Fasteners and Anchors: Manufacturer's standard as required for secure anchorage of plaques, noncorrosive and compatible with each material joined, and complying with the following:
  - 1. Use concealed fasteners and anchors unless indicated to be exposed.
  - 2. Exposed Metal-Fastener Components, General:
    - a. Fabricated from same basic metal and finish of fastened metal unless otherwise indicated.
  - 3. Plaque Mounting Fasteners:
    - a. Concealed Studs: Concealed (blind), threaded studs welded or brazed to back of plaque, screwed into back of plaque, or screwed into tapped lugs cast integrally into back of plaque, unless otherwise indicated.

#### 2.5 FABRICATION

- A. General: Provide manufacturer's standard plaques according to requirements indicated.
  - 1. Preassemble plaques in the shop to greatest extent possible. Disassemble plaques only as necessary for shipping and handling limitations. Clearly mark units for reassembly and installation; apply markings in locations concealed from view after final assembly.
  - 2. Mill joints to a tight, hairline fit. Form assemblies and joints exposed to weather to resist water penetration and retention.
  - 3. Comply with AWS for recommended practices in welding and brazing. Provide welds and brazes behind finished surfaces without distorting or discoloring exposed side. Clean exposed welded and brazed connections of flux, and dress exposed and contact surfaces.
  - 4. Conceal connections if possible; otherwise, locate connections where they are inconspicuous.
  - 5. Provide rebates, lugs, and brackets necessary to assemble components and to attach to existing work. Drill and tap for required fasteners. Use concealed fasteners where possible; use exposed fasteners that match plaque finish.
  - B. Surface-Engraved Graphics: Machine engrave characters and other graphic devices into panel surface indicated to produce precisely formed copy, incised to uniform depth.
  - 1. Engraved Metal: Fill engraved graphics with manufacturer's standard baked enamel.

## 2.6 GENERAL FINISH REQUIREMENTS

- A. Protect mechanical finishes on exposed surfaces from damage by applying a strippable, temporary protective covering before shipping.
- B. Appearance of Finished Work: Noticeable variations in same piece are not acceptable. Variations in appearance of adjoining components are acceptable if they are within the range of approved Samples and are assembled or installed to minimize contrast.
- C. Organic, Anodic, and Chemically Produced Finishes: Apply to formed metal after fabrication but before applying contrasting polished finishes on raised features unless otherwise indicated.

## 2.7 ALUMINUM FINISHES

- A. Clear Anodic Finish: AAMA 611, Class I, 0.018 mm or thicker.
- PART 3 EXECUTION

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine substrates, areas, and conditions, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of plaque work.
- B. Verify that plaque-support surfaces are within tolerances to accommodate plaques without gaps or irregularities between backs of plaques and support surfaces unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.



#### 3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. General: Install plaques using mounting methods indicated and according to manufacturer's written instructions.
  - 1. Install plaques level, plumb, true to line, and at locations and heights indicated, with plaque surfaces free of distortion and other defects in appearance.
  - 2. Install plaques so they do not protrude or obstruct according to the accessibility standard.
  - 3. Before installation, verify that plaque surfaces are clean and free of materials or debris that would impair installation.
  - 4. Corrosion Protection: Coat concealed surfaces of exterior aluminum in contact with grout, concrete, masonry, wood, or dissimilar metals, with a heavy coat of bituminous paint.

#### B. Mounting Methods:

- 1. Concealed Studs: Using a template, drill holes in substrate aligning with studs on back of plaque. Remove loose debris from hole and substrate surface.
  - a. Masonry Substrates: Fill holes with adhesive. Leave recess space in hole for displaced adhesive. Place plaque in position and push until flush to surface, embedding studs in holes. Temporarily support plaque in position until adhesive fully sets.

#### 3.3 ADJUSTING AND CLEANING

- A. Remove and replace damaged or deformed plaques and plaques that do not comply with specified requirements. Replace plaques with damaged or deteriorated finishes or components that cannot be successfully repaired by finish touchup or similar minor repair procedures.
- B. Remove temporary protective coverings and strippable films as plaques are installed.
- C. On completion of installation, clean exposed surfaces of plaques according to manufacturer's written instructions, and touch up minor nicks and abrasions in finish. Maintain plaques in a clean condition during construction and protect from damage until acceptance by Owner.

END OF SECTION 10 14 16



SECTION 10 14 23 - INTERIOR SIGNAGE (ALLOWANCE)

PART 1 GENERAL

- 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES
  - A. Interior Signage Systems:
    - 1. Room and Building Identification Signage.
    - 2. Changeable Message Insert Panels.
- 1.2 REFERENCES
  - A. Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA).
  - B. American National Standards Institute (ANSI):
    - 1. ANSI A117.1 Accessible and Usable Buildings and Facilities Standards.
- 1.3 PROJECT CONDITIONS
  - A. Maintain environmental conditions (temperature, humidity, and ventilation) within limits recommended by manufacturer for optimum results. Do not install products under environmental conditions outside manufacturer's absolute limits.

#### PART 2 PRODUCTS

- 2.1 INTERIOR SIGNAGE SYSTEM: Room and Building Identification.
  - A. AlumaSet© (ALS) Series Signage: ADA compliant room identification signage system.
    - 1. Model No.:
      - a. ALS-CA-GP2-LAM-05.5-07.5
      - b. ALS-CM-GP2-LAM-PP-05.5-07.5
      - c. ALS-RR-GP2-LAM-09-06
    - Description: ADA compliant sign with extruded aluminum frame. ADA text, pictograms welded to acrylic core using VisiTouch®; DuraDot© Braille rasters as specified; Changeable message (CM) inserts as specified;
      - a. Size: 8 inch by 8 inch
    - 3. Extruded Aluminum Frame: Single Piece Extrusion
      - a. Finish: Clear Satin Anodized
    - 4. Room Number Panel: Color Laminate on acrylic substrate.
    - 5. Room Name Panel for Changeable Message: 3/16" Clear Non-Glare Acrylic lens for message insert.
    - 6. Room Name Panel for Room Identification and Restroom Signs: Color Laminate on Acrylic substrate.
  - B. Lettering, Numbering and Symbols
    - 1. Braille: Tactile Grade 2 DuraDot© Braille integral with sign face, raised 1/32 inch (0.8 mm).
      - a. Rasters: Acrylic rasters with .059 inch (1.5 mm) surface diameter, body of sphere pressure secured below face laminate. Glued-on dots are not acceptable.
    - 2. VisiTouch® Raised Symbols: 3 inches (76 mm) min. high, raised 1/32 inch (0.8 mm) from sign face, unitized with acrylic sign core.
    - 4. VisiTouch® Raised Lettering: 5/8 inch (16 mm) high minimum, raised 1/32 inch (0.8 mm) from sign face, unitized with acrylic sign core.
      - a. Color: As selected by Architect.
      - b. Lettering Style: Helvetica 721.
    - 5. VisiTouch® Raised Room Number: 5/8 inch (16 mm) high minimum, raised 1/32 inch (0.8 mm) from sign face, unitized with acrylic sign core
      - b. Color: As selected by Architect.
      - a. Lettering Style: Helvetica 721.
      - Copy: All Lettering, numbering and symbols contrast with background, eggshell matte finish.
- 2.1 GRAPHIC APPLICATION METHODS
  - A. GP-1 Engraved.

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- B. GP-2 VisiTouch® with DuraDot© Braille: ADA compliant.
  - 1. Description: Dimensional letters precision cut from plastic and chemically welded through the face laminate to the acrylic core, producing an integral raised letter, 1/32 inch (0.8 mm). Colors to be selected from standard color chart.
- C. GP6 Digital Print
  - 1. Description: Printing from a digital based image directly to paper or vinyl

# PART 3 EXECUTION

- 3.1 EXAMINATION
  - A. Installer shall examine signs for defects, damage, and compliance with specifications.
  - B. Inspect conditions of substrate and other conditions which may affect installation of signage.
  - C. Installation shall not proceed until satisfactory conditions are achieved.
  - D. Do not begin installation until substrates are within manufacturer's specified tolerances and have been prepared in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
  - E. If substrate preparation is the responsibility of another installer, do not proceed with installation. Notify Architect of any unsatisfactory conditions immediately.
  - F. Commencement of work is deemed as acceptance of installation conditions.

# 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Verify mounting heights and locations for signage will comply with specified requirements, including accessibility requirements.
- B. Prepare surfaces using the methods recommended by the manufacturer for achieving the best result for the substrate under the project conditions. Clean mounting locations of dirt, dust, grease or similar conditions that would prevent proper installation.

## 3.3 INSTALLATION

- A. Install in accordance with manufacturer's printed installation instructions, and in proper relationship with adjacent work.
- B. Use mounting methods and fasteners as recommended by the manufacturer.
- C. Install interior room identification signage by means of double sided tape and silicone, installed so that the base line of the highest line of raised text is no more than 60 inches (1524 mm) above finished floor and the baseline of the lowest line of raised text is no less than 48 inches above finish floor adjacent to the latch side of the door in accordance with ADA SAD 2010 requirements, unless otherwise noted. Where there is no wall space, including double leaf doors, sign shall be placed on the nearest adjacent wall.
- D. Set level, plumb, rigid and at heights indicated with surfaces free from defects.

## 3.4 PROTECTION

- A. Protect installed products until completion of project.
- B. Touch-up, repair or replace damaged products before Substantial Completion.

END OF SECTION 10 14 00



# SECTION 10 21 13 - TOILET COMPARTMENTS

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section Includes:
    - 1. Solid-polymer toilet compartments configured as toilet enclosures and urinal screens.
  - B. Related Sections:
    - 1. Section 102800 "Toilet, Bath, and Laundry Accessories" for toilet tissue dispensers, grab bars, purse shelves, and similar accessories.

## 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated. Include construction details, material descriptions, dimensions of individual components and profiles, and finishes.
- B. Shop Drawings: For toilet compartments. Include plans, elevations, sections, details, and attachments to other work.
  - 1. Show locations of cutouts for compartment-mounted toilet accessories.
  - 2. Show locations of reinforcements for compartment-mounted grab bars.
  - 3. Show locations of centerlines of toilet fixtures.
- C. Samples for Initial Selection: For each type of unit indicated. Include Samples of hardware and accessories involving material and color selection.

## 1.4 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

A. Product Certificates: For each type of toilet compartment, from manufacturer.

# 1.5 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

A. Maintenance Data: For toilet compartments to include in maintenance manuals.

## 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Regulatory Requirements: Comply with applicable provisions in the U.S. Architectural & Transportation Barriers Compliance Board's "Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and Architectural Barriers Act (ABA) Accessibility Guidelines for Buildings and Facilities" and ICC/ANSI A117.1 for toilet compartments designated as accessible.

# 1.7 PROJECT CONDITIONS

A. Field Measurements: Verify actual locations of toilet fixtures, walls, columns, ceilings, and other construction contiguous with toilet compartments by field measurements before fabrication.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

# 2.1 MATERIALS

- A. Aluminum Castings: ASTM B 26/B 26M.
- B. Aluminum Extrusions: ASTM B 221 (ASTM B 221M).
- C. Stainless-Steel Sheet: ASTM A 666, Type 304, stretcher-leveled standard of flatness.
- D. Stainless-Steel Castings: ASTM A 743/A 743M.

# 2.2 SOLID-POLYMER UNITS

- A. Basis-of-Design Product: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide Eclipse by Scranton Products or comparable product by one of the following:
  - 1. No substitutions
- B. Toilet-Enclosure Style: Floor mounted, overhead braced.
- C. Urinal-Screen Style: Floor anchored.
- D. Metal Posts: 82.75 inches high, heavy duty extruded aluminum, clear anodized finish, fastened to stanchions with stainless steel tamper resistant screw.
- E. Door and Panel Construction: Solid, high-density polyethylene (HDPE) panel material, not less than 1 inch (25 mm) thick, seamless, with eased edges, and with homogenous color and pattern throughout thickness of material.
  - 1. 72 inches high, mounted 4 to 10 inches above finished floor.



- 2. Doors: 60 degree angle on two opposite edges.
- 3. Dividing panels: Two modular pieces, both slotted on one edge to accept wall bracket.
- F. Hidden Shoe (Foot) / Stanchion: One-piece molded polyethylene invisible shoe inserted into metal post and secured to metal post with stainless steel tamper resistant screw.
- G. Headrail Cap and Corner Cap: One-piece molded polyethylene secured to metal post with stainless steel tamper resistant screw; adjustable to level headrail to finished floor.
- H. Hidden Wall Brackets: 71 inches long, heavy duty extruded aluminum, clear anodized finish, inserted into slotted panel and fastened to panels with stainless steel tamper resistant screws.
- I. Headrail: Heavy duty extruded aluminum, designer anti-grip design, clear anodized finish, fastened to headrail bracket with stainless steel tamper resistant screw and to headrail cap or corner cap with stainless steel tamper resistant screw
- J. Urinal-Screen Post: Manufacturer's standard post design of material matching the thickness and construction of posts with shoe and sleeve (cap) matching that on the post.
- K. Brackets (Fittings):
  - 1. Full-Height (Continuous) Type: Manufacturer's standard design; extruded aluminum.
- L. Overhead Cross Bracing for Ceiling-Hung Units: As recommended by manufacturer and fabricated from solid polymer.
- M. COLORS: Architect to select from Manufacturer's full color range
- N. TEXTURE: Architect to select from Manufacturer's full texture range

# 2.3 ACCESSORIES

- A. Hardware and Accessories: Manufacturer's standard design, heavy-duty operating hardware and accessories.
  - 1. Hinges for inswing doors:
    - a. Hidden pivot type fabricated of heavy duty cast aluminum.
    - b. Auto-close feature, adjustable to 15 degree open position.
    - c. Mounted to doors with stainless steel Torx head screws and through bolted to metal post with tamper proof Torx head sex bolts.
    - d. Hinge pivot point: 6 to 8 inches from edge of door; maintain sufficient clearance to water closet.
  - 2. Hinges for Outswinging Doors:
    - a. Fabricated from extruded aluminum.
    - b. Auto-close feature, adjustable to 15 degree open position.
    - c. Surface mounted to doors with stainless steel Torx head screws and fastened to metal posts with countersunk tamper proof screws.
  - 3. Latch and Keeper:
    - a. 3.5 inches long, fabricated from heavy duty extruded aluminum, clear anodized finish.
    - b. Mount in gap between dividing panel and door.
    - c. Provide units that comply with regulatory requirements for accessibility at compartments designated as accessible.
  - 4. Coat Hook: Manufacturer's standard combination hook and rubber-tipped bumper, sized to prevent in-swinging door from hitting compartment-mounted accessories. Provide one per stall
  - 5. Door Bumper: Manufacturer's standard rubber-tipped bumper at out-swinging doors.
  - 6. Door Pull:
    - a. Heavy duty extruded aluminum, clear anodized finish.
    - b. Single component providing door pull capability on outswing doors
    - c. For compartments designated as accessible, provide pulls that complies with regulatory requirements for accessibility. Provide on both sides of doors at compartments designated as accessible.
- B. Anchorages and Fasteners: Manufacturer's standard exposed fasteners of stainless steel or chromeplated steel or brass, finished to match the items they are securing, with theft-resistant-type heads. Provide sex-type bolts for through-bolt applications. For concealed anchors, use stainless steel, hot-dip galvanized steel, or other rust-resistant, protective-coated steel.



#### 2.4 FABRICATION

- A. Overhead-Braced Units: Provide manufacturer's standard corrosion-resistant supports, leveling mechanism, and anchors at posts to suit floor conditions.
- B. Floor-Anchored Units: Provide manufacturer's standard corrosion-resistant anchoring assemblies with leveling adjustment nuts at posts for structural connection to floor.
- C. Urinal-Screen Posts: Provide manufacturer's standard corrosion-resistant anchoring assemblies with leveling adjustment at tops and bottoms of posts.
- D. Door Size and Swings: Unless otherwise indicated, provide full width in-swinging doors for standard toilet compartments and out-swinging doors with a minimum 32-inch- (813-mm-) wide, clear opening for compartments designated as accessible.

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. General: Comply with manufacturer's written installation instructions. Install units rigid, straight, level, and plumb. Secure units in position with manufacturer's recommended anchoring devices.
  - 1. Maximum Clearances:
    - a. Posts and Panels: 3/8 inch (13 mm).
    - b. Panels and Walls: 3/8 inch (13 mm).

#### 3.2 ADJUSTING

A. Hardware Adjustment: Adjust and lubricate hardware according to hardware manufacturer's written instructions for proper operation. Set hinges on in-swinging doors to hold doors open approximately 30 degrees from closed position when unlatched. Set hinges on out-swinging doors to return doors to fully closed position.

END OF SECTION 10 21 13



## SECTION 10 28 00 - TOILET AND BATH ACCESSORIES

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- 1.2 SUMMARY
  - A. Section Includes:
    - 1. Public-use washroom accessories.
    - 2. Public-use shower room accessories.
    - 3. Under lavatory guards.
    - 4. Custodial accessories.

## 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated. Include the following:
  - 1. Construction details and dimensions.
  - 2. Anchoring and mounting requirements, including requirements for cutouts in other work and substrate preparation.
  - 3. Material and finish descriptions.
  - 4. Features that will be included for Project.
  - 5. Manufacturer's warranty.
- B. Samples: Full size, for each accessory item to verify design, operation, and finish requirements.
  - 1. Approved full-size Samples will be returned and may be used in the Work.
- C. Product Schedule: Indicating types, quantities, sizes, and installation locations by room of each accessory required.
  - 1. Identify locations using room designations indicated.
  - 2. Identify products using designations indicated.
- 1.4 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS
- A. Warranty: Sample of special warranty.
- 1.5 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS
  - A. Maintenance Data: For toilet and bath accessories to include in maintenance manuals.

## 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Source Limitations: For products listed together in the same Part 2 articles, obtain products from single source from single manufacturer.
- B. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.

## 1.7 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate accessory locations with other work to prevent interference with clearances required for access by people with disabilities, and for proper installation, adjustment, operation, cleaning, and servicing of accessories.
- B. Deliver inserts and anchoring devices set into concrete or masonry as required to prevent delaying the Work.

## 1.8 WARRANTY

- A. Special Mirror Warranty: Manufacturer's standard form in which manufacturer agrees to replace mirrors that develop visible silver spoilage defects and that fail in materials or workmanship within specified warranty period.
  - 1. Warranty Period: 15 years from date of Substantial Completion.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 MATERIALS

A. Brass: ASTM B 19, flat products; ASTM B 16/B 16M, rods, shapes, forgings, and flat products with finished edges; or ASTM B 30, castings.



- B. Steel Sheet: ASTM A 1008/A 1008M, Designation CS (cold rolled, commercial steel), 0.036-inch (0.9-mm) minimum nominal thickness.
- C. Galvanized-Steel Sheet: ASTM A 653/A 653M, with G60 (Z180) hot-dip zinc coating.
- D. Galvanized-Steel Mounting Devices: ASTM A 153/A 153M, hot-dip galvanized after fabrication.
- E. Fasteners: Screws, bolts, and other devices of same material as accessory unit and tamper-and-theft resistant where exposed, and of galvanized steel where concealed.
- F. Chrome Plating: ASTM B 456, Service Condition Number SC 2 (moderate service).
- G. Mirrors: ASTM C 1503, Mirror Glazing Quality, clear-glass mirrors, nominal 6.0 mm thick.
- H. ABS Plastic: Acrylonitrile-butadiene-styrene resin formulation.
- 2.2 PUBLIC-USE WASHROOM ACCESSORIES
- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, available manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
  - 1. A & J Washroom Accessories, Inc.
  - 2. American Specialties, Inc.
  - 3. Bobrick Washroom Equipment, Inc.
  - 4. Bradley Corporation.
  - B. Toilet Tissue (Roll) Dispenser:
    - 1. Basis-of-Design Product: AJW U862-SM
    - 2. Description: Waste Disposal & Toilet Tissue Dispenser Combination Unit.
    - 3. Mounting: Surface mounted.
    - 4. Capacity: Designed for two standard diameter tissue rolls.
    - 5. Material and Finish: #22 gauge Stainless steel, No. 4 finish (satin).
  - C. Combination Towel (Roll) Dispenser/Waste Receptacle:
    - 1. Basis-of-Design Product: A&J U673AW-S2
    - 2. Description: Combination unit for dispensing preset length of roll paper towels, with removable waste receptacle.
    - 3. Mounting: Semi-recessed. Collar, 2"wall opening
    - 4. Minimum Towel-Dispenser Capacity: 600 c-fold or 800 multifold
    - 5. Minimum Waste Receptacle Capacity: 12 gal. (1.60 cu ft).
    - 6. Material and Finish: #22 gauge Stainless steel, No. 4 finish (satin).
    - 7. Lockset: Pin Tumbler type commercial quality keyed like al other AJW cabinets.
  - D. Liquid-Soap Dispenser:
    - 1. Basis-of-Design Product: AJW U126
    - 2. Description: Designed for dispensing soap in liquid or lotion form.
    - 3. Mounting: Vertically oriented, surface mounted.
    - 4. Capacity: 40 fl. oz.
    - 5. Materials and Finish: #22 gague Stainless steel, No. 4 finish (satin).
  - E. Grab Bar:

3.

- 1. Basis-of-Design Product: AJW UG2-A.
- 2. Mounting: Flanges with concealed fasteners.
  - Material: #18 gauge Stainless steel, 180 gauge (1.2 mm) thick.
  - a. Finish: Smooth, No. 4 finish (satin).
- 4. Outside Diameter: 1-1/4 inches (32 mm).
- 5. Configuration and Length: As indicated on Drawing.
- F. Mirror Unit
  - 1. Basis-of-Design Product: AJW U711 Series.
  - 2. Frame: #20 gauge Stainless-steel channel.
    - a. Corners: One piece frame channel frame  $(\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2})$  with mitered corners.
  - 3. Hangers: Produce rigid, tamper- and theft-resistant installation, using method indicated below.



- a. One-piece, galvanized-steel, wall-hanger device with spring-action locking mechanism to hold mirror unit in position with no exposed screws or bolts.
- 4. Size: 24" x 36".

# 2.3 PUBLIC-USE SHOWER ROOM ACCESSORIES

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, available manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
  - 1. A & J Washroom Accessories, Inc.
  - 2. American Specialties, Inc.
  - 3. Bobrick Washroom Equipment, Inc.
  - 4. Bradley Corporation.
  - 5. GAMCO Specialty Accessories; a division of Bobrick Washroom Equipment, Inc.
  - B. Shower Curtain Rod
    - 1. Basis-of-Design Product: AJW UX1K
    - 2. Description: 1 inch 25-mm OD; fabricated from nominal 18 guage- 1.0-mm- thick stainless steel.
    - 3. Mounting Flanges: Stainless-steel flanges designed concealed fasteners.
    - 4. Finish: No. 4 (satin).
  - C. Shower Curtain:
    - 1. Basis-of-Design Product: AJW UX250W
    - 2. Size: Minimum 42 inches (1067 mm) by 72 inches (1828 mm) high.
    - 3. Material: Vinyl, minimum 10 oz. (284 g) or 0.008-inch- (0.2-mm-) thick vinyl, with integral antibacterial agent.
    - 4. Color: White.
    - 5. Grommets: Nickle plated brass at minimum 6 inches (152 mm) o.c. through top hem.
    - 6. Shower Curtain Hooks: Chrome-plated or stainless-steel, spring wire curtain hooks with snap fasteners, sized to accommodate specified curtain rod. Provide one hook per curtain grommet.
  - D. Folding Shower Seat:
    - 1. Basis-of-Design Product: Bobrick B 5181
    - 2. Configuration: Reversible L-shaped seat, designed for wheelchair access.
    - 3. Seat: Phenolic or polymeric composite of slat-type or one-piece construction in color as selected by Architect.
    - 4. Mounting Mechanism: Stainless steel, No. 4 finish (satin)
    - 5. Dimensions: Manufactures standard handicap accessible.
  - E. Soap Dish:
    - 1. Basis-of-Design Product: Bobrick B 6807.
    - 2. Description: Without washcloth bar.
    - 3. Mounting: Surface mounted.
    - 4. Material and Finish: Stainless steel, No. 4 finish (satin).
- 2.4 WARM-AIR DRYERS
  - A. Manufacturer: Subject to compliance with the requirements, available manufacturers offering products that may beincorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to the following:
    - 1. A & J Washroom Accessories
    - 2. American Specialties, Inc.
    - 3. Bobrick Washroom Equipment, Inc.
    - 4. Bradley Corporation
  - B. Warm Air Dryer
    - 1. Basis of Design Product: A&J Washroom Accessories U1525EA/020A
    - 2. Mounting: Semirecessed
    - 3. Operation: Sensor activated with timed power cut-off switch
    - a. Operation Time: 30-40 seconds
    - 4. Elecrical Requirements: 115V, 20A, 2300W



# 2.5 UNDERLAVATORY GUARDS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, available manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
  - 1. Plumberex Specialty Products, Inc.
  - 2. Truebro by IPS Corporation.
  - B. Underlavatory Guard:
    - 1. Description: Insulating pipe covering for supply and drain piping assemblies that prevent direct contact with and burns from piping; allow service access without removing coverings.
    - 2. Material and Finish: Antimicrobial, molded plastic, white.

# 2.6 CUSTODIAL ACCESSORIES

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, available manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
  - 1. A & J Washroom Accessories, Inc.
  - 2. American Specialties, Inc.
  - 3. Bobrick Washroom Equipment, Inc.
  - 4. Bradley Corporation.
  - B. Mop and Broom Holder:
    - 1. Basis-of-Design Product: AJW UJ13 Series
    - 2. Description: Surface mounted mop/broom holder
    - 3. Length: 36 inches (914 mm).
    - 4. Mop/Broom Holders: Three, spring-loaded, rubber hat, cam type.
    - 5. Material and Finish: #18 gauge Stainless steel, No. 4 finish (satin).
  - C. Paper Towel (Roll) Dispenser :
    - 1. Basis-of-Design Product: AJW U169FL.
    - 2. Description: pull-towel mechanism dispenses 12" (305mm) length per pull.
    - 3. Mounting: Surface mounted.
    - 4. Minimum Capacity: 8-inch- (203-mm-) wide, 800-foot- (244-m-) long roll.
    - 5. Material and Finish: #22 gauge Stainless steel, No. 4 finish (satin).
- 2.7 FABRICATION
  - A. General: Fabricate units with tight seams and joints, and exposed edges rolled. Hang doors and access panels with full-length, continuous hinges. Equip units for concealed anchorage and with corrosion-resistant backing plates.
  - B. Keys: Provide universal keys for internal access to accessories for servicing and resupplying. Provide minimum of six keys to Owner's representative.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 INSTALLATION
  - A. Install accessories according to manufacturers' written instructions, using fasteners appropriate to substrate indicated and recommended by unit manufacturer. Install units level, plumb, and firmly anchored in locations and at heights indicated.
  - B. Grab Bars: Install to withstand a downward load of at least 250 lbf (1112 N), when tested according to ASTM F 446.
- 3.2 ADJUSTING AND CLEANING
  - A. Adjust accessories for unencumbered, smooth operation. Replace damaged or defective items.
  - B. Remove temporary labels and protective coatings.
  - C. Clean and polish exposed surfaces according to manufacturer's written recommendations.

END OF SECTION 10 28 00



SECTION 10 44 16- FIRE EXTINGUISHERS, CABINETS, AND ACCESSORIES

# PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS
  - A. Drawings and general provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

# 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes the following:
  - 1. Fire extinguishers.
  - 2. Fire extinguisher cabinets.
  - 3. Mounting brackets.

# 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. General: Submit the following in accordance with Conditions of Contract and Division 1 Specification Sections.
- B. Product data for each type of product specified. For fire extinguisher cabinets include rough-in dimensions, details showing mounting methods, relationships of box and trim to surrounding construction, door hardware, cabinet type and materials, trim style, door construction, panel style, and materials.
- C. Samples for verification purposes of each type of metal finish required, prepared on metal samples of same thickness and alloy indicated for final unit of Work. Where finishes involve normal color and texture variations, include sample sets showing full range of variations expected.

# 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Single-Source Responsibility: Obtain fire extinguishers and cabinets from one source from a single manufacturer.
- B. UL-Listed Products: Fire extinguishers UL-listed and bear UL "Listing Mark" for type, rating, and classification of extinguisher.

# PART 2 - PRODUCTS

# 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Available Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated in the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
  - 1. J.L. Industries.
  - 2. Larsen's Manufacturing Co.
  - 3. Walter Kidde, Division of Kidde, Inc.
  - 4. American Specialties Inc.
- 2.2 FIRE EXTINGUISHERS
  - A. General: Provide fire extinguishers for each extinguisher cabinet and other locations indicated, in colors and finishes selected by Architect from manufacturer's standard, which comply with requirements of governing authorities.
    - 1. Fill and service extinguishers to comply with requirements of governing authorities and manufacturer.
    - 2. Abbreviations indicated below identify extinguisher types related to UL classification and rating system and not necessarily to type and amount of extinguishing material contained in extinguisher.
  - B. Multipurpose Dry Chemical Type: UL-rated 4-A:60-B:C, 10-lb. nominal capacity, in enameled steel container.

# 2.3 MOUNTING BRACKETS

- A. Provide brackets designed to prevent accidental dislodgement of extinguisher, of sizes required for type and capacity of extinguisher indicated in plated finish.
  - 1. Provide brackets for extinguishers not located in cabinets.
- 2.4 FIRE EXTINGUISHER CABINETS
  - A. General: Provide fire extinguisher cabinets where indicated, of suitable size for housing fire extinguishers of types and capacities indicated.
  - B. Construction: Manufacturer's standard enameled steel box, with trim, frame, door, and hardware to suit



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cabinet type, trim style, and door style indicated. Weld all joints and grind smooth. Miter and weld perimeter door frames.

- C. Cabinet Type: Suitable for mounting conditions indicated, of the following types:
  - 1. Semirecessed: Cabinet box (tub) partially recessed in walls of shallow depth.
- D. Trim Style: Fabricate trim in one piece with corners mitered, welded, and ground smooth.
  - 1. Exposed Trim: One-piece combination trim and perimeter door frame overlapping surrounding wall surface with exposed trim face and wall return at outer edge (backbend).
    - a. Rolled-Edge Trim with 2-1/2-inch backbend depth.
    - b. Trim Metal: Of same metal and finish as door.
- E. Door Material and Construction: Manufacturer's standard door construction, of material indicated, coordinated with cabinet types and trim styles selected.
  - 1. Enameled Steel: Manufacturer's standard finish, hollow steel door construction with tubular stiles and rails.
- F. Door Style: Manufacturer's standard design.
  - 1. Full Glass Panel: Float glass, 1/8-inch thick.
- G. Door Hardware: Provide manufacturer's standard door-operating hardware of proper type for cabinet type, trim style, and door material and style indicated. Provide either lever handle with cam action latch, or door pull, exposed or concealed, and friction latch. Provide concealed or continuous-type hinge permitting door to open 180 deg.
- 2.5 FINISHES FOR FIRE EXTINGUISHER CABINETS, GENERAL
  - A. Comply with NAAMM "Metal Finishes Manual" for recommendations relative to application and designations of finishes.
  - B. Protect mechanical finishes on exposed surfaces from damage by application of strippable, temporary protective covering prior to shipment.
- 2.6 STEEL FIRE EXTINGUISHER CABINET FINISHES
  - A. Surface Preparation: Solvent-clean surfaces in compliance with SSPS-SP 1 to remove dirt, oil, grease, and other contaminants that could impair paint bond. Remove mill scale and rust, if present, from uncoated steel in compliance with SSPC-SP 5 (White Metal Blast Cleaning) or SSPC-SP 8 (Pickling).
  - B. Baked Enamel Finish: Immediately after cleaning and pretreatment, apply manufacturer's standard 2-coat baked enamel finish consisting of prime coat and thermosetting topcoat. Comply with paint manufacturer's instructions for application and baking to achieve a minimum dry film thickness of 2.0 mils.
    - 1. Color and Gloss: As selected by Architect from manufacturer's standard choices for color and gloss.
      - a. Exterior of cabinet except for those surfaces indicated to receive another finish.
      - b. Interior of cabinet.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

# 3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Install items included in this section in locations and at mounting heights indicated, or if not indicated, at heights to comply with applicable regulations of governing authorities.
  - 1. Prepare recesses in walls for fire extinguisher cabinets as required by type and size of cabinet and style of trim and to comply with manufacturer's instructions.
  - 2. Securely fasten mounting brackets and fire extinguisher cabinets to structure, square and plumb, to comply with manufacturer's instructions.
  - 3. Where exact location of surface-mounted cabinets and bracket-mounted fire extinguishers is not indicated, locate as directed by Architect.
- B. Identify existence of fire extinguisher in cabinet with lettering spelling "fire extinguisher" applied to door by process indicated below. Provide lettering to comply with requirements indicated for letter style, color, size, spacing and location or, if not manufacturer's standard arrangements.
  - 1. Application Process: Silkscreen.

END OF SECTION 10 44 16



# SECTION 12 30 00 - MANUFACTURED CASEWORK

# PART 1 GENERAL

- 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES
  - A. Fixed modular casework furniture.
  - B. Countertops.
  - C. Sinks, faucets, and plumbing accessories.
  - D. Electrical fixtures and accessories.
  - E. Fume hoods.
  - F. Utility-space closure panels between base cabinets and at exposed ends of utility spaces.
  - G. Utility-space framing at backs of base cabinets and between backs of base cabinets.
  - H. Related equipment.
- 1.2 RELATED SECTIONS
  - A. Section 06100 Rough Carpentry: Framing and blocking in walls, floors and ceiling to support equipment.
  - B. Section 09650 Resilient Flooring: base for casework including floor cabinets and table legs.
  - C. Section 15000 Basic Mechanical Materials and Methods: Connections for drain lines, service piping, vents, re-vents, in-line vacuum breakers, special plumbing fixtures, traps and tailpieces to service fixtures.
  - D. Section 16000 Basic Electrical Materials and Methods: Connections for electrical service lines, wire and conduit to service fixtures.

# 1.3 REFERENCES

- A. ADA (ATBCB ADAAG): Americans with Disabilities Act Accessibility Guidelines.
- B. ANSI/AIHA 9.5: American National Standard for Laboratory Ventilation.
- C. ANSI/ASHRAE 110: Method of Testing Performance of Laboratory Fume Hoods.
- D. ANSI 2358.1: Minimum Performance Requirements for Emergency Showers.
- E. ASTM A167: Standard Specification for Stainless and Heat-Resisting Chromium-Nickel Steel Plate, Sheet, and Strip.
- F. ASTM A 666: Standard Specification for Annealed or Cold-Worked Austenitic Stainless Steel Sheet, Strip, Plate, and Flat Bar.
- G. Architectural Woodwork Institute (AWI): Quality Standards.
- H. FS W-C-596: Electrical Power Connector, Plug, Receptacle, and Cable Outlet.
- I. NEMA WD 1: General Color Requirements for Wiring Devices.
- J. NEMA WD 6: Devices-Dimensional Requirements.
- K. NEMA LD 3: High Pressure Decorative Laminates.
- L. NFPA 30: Flammable and Combustible Liquids Code.
- M. NFPA-45: Standard for Fire Protection for Laboratories Using Chemicals.
- N. OSHA 29-CFR-1910.1450: Occupational Exposure to Hazardous Chemicals in Laboratories.
- O. SEFA 1: Laboratory Fume Hoods Recommended Practices.
- P. SEFA 7: Laboratory and Hospital Fixtures--Recommended Practices.
- Q. SEFA 8: Laboratory Furniture--Casework, Shelving and Tables--Recommended Practices.
- R. UL 498: Attachment Plugs and Receptacles.
- S. UL 1805: Laboratory Hoods and cabinets, where applicable.

# 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit under provisions of Section 01300.
- B. <u>Product Data</u>: Manufacturer's data sheets on each product to be used, including:
  - 1. Test reports certifying that the casework finish complies with SEFA-8 standards for chemical and physical resistance performance requirements.
  - 2. Performance test reports from an independent testing lab on each specified top material.
  - 3. Preparation instructions and recommendations.
  - 4. Storage and handling requirements and recommendations.
  - 5. Installation methods.
- C. Shop Drawings: Include plans, elevations, sections, details, and attachments to other work.
  - 1. Indicate locations of blocking and reinforcements required for installing laboratory casework.
  - 2. Indicate locations and types of service fittings, together with associated service supply connection required.



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- 3. Include details of utility spaces.
- 4. Include indicators of exposed conduits, if required, for service fittings.
- 5. Indicate locations of and clearances from adjacent walls, doors, windows, other building components, and other laboratory equipment.
- 6. Include coordinated dimensions for laboratory equipment specified in other Sections.
- D. Selection Samples: For each finish product specified, one complete set of color chips representing manufacturer's full range of available colors and patterns.
  - 1. One set of samples indicating full range of finishes for countertop specified.
  - 2. One set of casework samples indicating full range of finishes for casework specified.

# 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Manufacturer Qualifications: Not less than 5 years experience in the actual production of specified products.
- B. Installer Qualifications: Firm with 5 years experience in installation or application of systems similar in complexity to those required for this Project, plus the following.
  - 1. Authorized distributor of manufacturer.
- C. Mock-Up: Provide a mock-up for evaluation of fabrication techniques and application workmanship.
  - 1. Installation in area designated by Architect.
  - 2. Do not proceed with remaining work until installation is approved by Architect.
  - 3. As selected and required by Architect's request for mock-up: Install base cabinet with drawer and cupboard, one adjustable shelf, hinged door and applicable hardware. Wall case with adjustable shelf, hinged door and applicable hardware. Tall case with adjustable shelves, fixed center shelf, hinged door and applicable hardware, including a 3-point latching system.
- 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING
  - A. Store products in manufacturer's unopened packaging until project conditions are ready for installation.
- 1.7 PROJECT CONDITIONS
  - A. For delivery and installation of laboratory casework and equipment, building conditions shall comply with AWI Standard 1700-G-3 and 1700-G-4 and be as follows:
    - 1. Flooring required to be placed under casework and equipment installed.
    - 2. Wood or metal blocking (wall grounds) installed within partitions to allow for immediate installation upon delivery.
    - 3. Heating and air conditioning systems providing consistent temperature and humidity conditions to comply with by AWI Standard 1700-G-4 and 1700-G-5.
    - 4. Relative humidity not less than 40 percent, nor more than 60 percent.
    - 5. Temperatures not less than 65 degrees F (18 degrees C) and not greater than 80 degrees F (27 degrees C) in areas of casework and equipment installation.
    - 6. Overhead mechanical, electrical and plumbing rough-in work is complete.
    - 7. Wet operations complete prior to delivery.
    - 8. Ceiling grids (with or without ceiling tiles), overhead soffits, ductwork and lighting installed.
    - 9. Painting complete.

# 1.8 WARRANTY

- A. Casework Manufacturer Warranty: 3 years from date of delivery. Warranty is for the conditions indicated below, and when notified in writing from Owner, manufacturer shall promptly investigate and address said deficiencies.
  - 1. Defects in materials and workmanship.
  - 2. Deterioration of material and surface performance below minimum SEFA 8 standards as certified by independent third party testing laboratory.
  - 3. Within the warranty period, we shall, at our option, repair, replace, or refund the purchase price of defective casework.
- B. Casework manufacturer shall be notified immediately of defective products, and be given a reasonable opportunity to inspect the goods prior to return. Casework manufacturer will not assume responsibility, or compensation, for unauthorized repairs or labor. Casework manufacturer makes no other warranty, expressed or implied, to the merchantability, fitness for a particular purpose, design, sale, installation, or use, of casework; and, shall not be liable for incidental or consequential damages, losses of or expenses, resulting from the use of their products.
  - 1. The warranty with respect to products from another company sold by the casework



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manufacturer is limited to the warranty extended by that other company.

# PART 2 PRODUCTS

- 2.1 MANUFACTURERS
  - A. Acceptable Manufacturer:

1. CampbellRhea: 1865 N. Market St. ; Paris, TN 38242; Tel: 731-642-4251; Fax: 731-642-4262; Email: <u>request info</u>; Web: <u>www.campbellrhea.com</u> 2. ALC/Collegedale

B. Product Designations: Drawings indicate sizes and configurations of laboratory casework by referencing designated manufacturer's catalog numbers. Other manufacturers' laboratory casework of similar sizes, similar door and drawer configurations, and complying with the Specifications, including certification to SEFA-8 standards for construction and chemical resistance, may be requested for approved substitution. Requests for substitutions will be considered in accordance with

- provisions of Section 01600. 2.2 APPLICATIONS/SCOPE
  - A. Casework Group: Manufacturer shall offer an integrated product line serving the user function indicated with a coordinated design, supply and installation of casework, equipment, work surfaces, and accessories:
    - 1. Laboratory.
- 2.3 CONSTRUCTION

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- A. Wood veneer on plywood core: CampbellRhea Casework.
  - Cabinet Surface Finish:
    - 1. Wood Species: Oak.
    - 2. Finish: As selected by the Architect.
- C. Drawer and Door Styles:
  - 1. Classic Drawer and Door Styling: Both door and drawer fronts are 13/16 inch (20.6 mm) thick, have a squared back edge and a 13/32 inch (10.3mm) radius to the front edges. Drawers have horizontal grain, doors have solid lumber rails and vertical grain wood veneer face and back.
- D. Door and Drawer Hardware Style:
  - Drawer and door pulls:
    - a. AL-3BK: Black powder-coated extruded aluminum bow style rod design.
  - 2. Hinges:

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- a. BK-1: Heavy-duty, institutional type, 5-knuckle hospital tipped, and is made from 0.083 inch (2 mm) thick black powder-coated steel. Hinge is semi-concealed, 2 3/4 inches (70mm) high and has off-set wings; each wing has 5 screw holes for the door leaf and 4 screw holes for the case leaf, two of which are slotted for adjustability. Hinges are attached with Euro screws.
- 3. Latching Handle:
  - a. BK: Latching handle BK LH-1 is black powder-coated, 4 1/4 inches (108 mm) long and streamline in design. Handle operates with 1/4 turn. Double door cases have latching handles on the right door and dummy handles on the left door. A three point latching system provides a positive engagement at the top and bottom of the door with tapered aluminum rods, which pull the door snug when they engage plastic strike plates. The rods are 5/16 inch (8 mm) in diameter and move in nylon guides attached to the back of the door. The middle of the door is secured by a latch plate, which engages the side of the case, or latches behind the left door on cases with double doors.
- 4. Locking Handle:
  - a. BK: Black powder coated locking handle is a latching handle with a lock mechanism incorporated into the handle head. On double door cases, the left door has a dummy handle, and the right door has the locking handle. Lock is laboratory grade with a 5-disc tumbler mechanism with a black powder-coated face. Tumblers and keys are brass, while the plug and cylinder is die cast zinc alloy. There are 500 key changes standard. Locks are keyed differently, master keyed and furnished with 2 keys per lock. Locks and corresponding keys are alpha-numerically coded for a quick match.
- 5. Locks: Removable core standards:
  - a. BK: Lock BK SL-1 is laboratory grade, cylinder cam lock, with a 5-disc tumbler



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mechanism with a black powder-coated face. Tumblers and keys are brass, while plug and cylinder is die cast zinc alloy. A 180-degree turn of the key moves the lock cam into, or out of, a slot cut to receive it. There are 500 key changes standard. Locks are keyed differently, master keyed and furnished with 2 keys per lock. Locks and corresponding keys are alpha-numerically coded for a quick match. Lock BK SL-1 is equipped with a removable core, keying control. With the use of a control key, the key core of the lock assembly can be removed and a new key core inserted, changing the entire locking system in a matter of minutes. Key cores can be held out of the lock assembly until the project is completed, removing the security risk of lost or stolen keys during installation and construction. Casework manufacturer can provide control keys and replacement cores as required. Locks are furnished only when specified.

- 6. Drawer Slides:
  - a. Drawer slides DS-1: Epoxy powder coated, cold rolled steel, heavy-duty with a 100 lbs (45 kilograms) load capacity. They are equipped with heavy-duty, nylon rollers for smooth effortless operation. Slides have automatic positive stop to prevent drawer's accidental removal, but allow for quick removal without tools.
- 7. File Drawer Slides:
  - a. File drawer slides FD-1: Epoxy coated, cold rolled steel, heavy-duty, side mounted, and have a 125 lbs (56.25 kg) load capacity. They are equipped with heavy-duty, ball bearing nylon rollers for smooth effortless operation. Slides are full extension with a positive stop, and a trigger finger release.

# 2.4 MATERIALS

- A. Oak Lumber: Grade FAS or better, air-dried and kiln dried to 6 percent moisture content, then tempered to 7 to 8 percent prior to fabrication. Lumber exposed to view, is free of stains, splits, shakes, season checks and other similar defects. Other hardwoods are grade FAS or better, air dried to 6 percent moisture content, then tempered to 7 to 8 percent prior to fabrication. Other hardwoods are used in semi-exposed, or unexposed, areas and comply with NHLA grading for FAS or better lumber.
- B. Hardboard used in drawer bottoms and unexposed backs, consists of super-refined wood fibers and chips, highly compressed into a hard, dense, 1/4 inch (6 mm) thick, homogeneous sheet, faced with wood grain pattern melamine on the exposed face. Physical properties: Average MOR is 5,000 lbs/sq inches (3.5 kgf/sq mm); density is 48 lbs/cu ft (0.6 kg/cu m); and MOE of 500,000 psi (350 kgf/sq mm).

# 2.5 FABRICATION

- A. Units and configurations designated for accessibility by users shall comply with ATBCB ADAAG (ADA standards).
- B. Design, material and construction of casework, shelving and tables shall comply with SEFA 8 performance and resistance standards.
- C. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, Article 100, by a testing agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction, and marked for its intended use.
- CampbellRhea Base cabinets have a 2 1/4 inches (57 mm) by 1 inch (25 mm), solid hardwood D. horizontal front top frame member and 2 1/8 inches (54 mm) by 1 inch (25 mm), solid hardwood horizontal rear and side top frame members. Front intermediate rails are 3/4 inch (19 mm) by 2 1/2 inches (64 mm) solid wood. Back intermediate rails are furnished only when drawer separators are specified. Exposed exterior backs are 3/4 inch (19 mm) plywood. Cabinets with exposed interiors but unexposed exteriors have 1/4 inch (6 mm) plywood backs. Cabinets with unexposed interiors and exteriors have 1/4 inch (6 mm) thick hardboard with wood grained melamine face backs. Exposed end panels are 3/4 inch (19 mm) plywood. Unexposed end panels are 3/4 inch (19 mm) hardwood plywood. End panels with unexposed interior and unexposed exterior are 3/4 inch (19 mm) hardwood plywood. Bottom, shelves, and dividers in cabinets with exposed interiors are 3/4 inch (19 mm) plywood; with unexposed interiors is 3/4 inch (19 mm) hardwood plywood. If cabinet exceeds 36 inches (914 mm) in width, shelves shall be 1inch (25mm) thick. Exposed edges of front top horizontal frame and intermediate rail members; end panels, bottom, shelves, and dividers are edged with 1/8 inch (3 mm) solid wood. Drawer separators, furnished only when specified, are 1/4 inch (6 mm) thick hardboard with wood grained melamine face.



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- E. Cabinet construction is bored, doweled, dadoed, glued and screwed construction. Cabinets are enclosed without the use of common partitions. A full horizontal top frame with bored, doweled and glued joints, intermediate front rails and bottom rear horizontal parting rails and separators are provided as required. Separators where specified, are let into routed intermediate rails. Backs are recessed and encapsulated into dadoed end panels then screwed to the top and bottom case members. An enclosed toe space, 2 1/4 inches (57 mm) by 4 inches (102 mm) high, is provided, with the toe rail bored, doweled and glued to end panels. Shelves are supported on heavy-duty, laboratory grade, twin pin plastic shelf clips, which fit into two double rows of holes drilled 1 1/4 inches (32 mm) on centers, in the case end panels, for maximum shelf adjustability.
- F. Construction Wall and Upper Cases: Wall and upper cases have a 1 inch (25 mm) plywood top and bottom panel. Adjustable shelves are 1 inch (25 mm) finished plywood in cases with exposed interiors and 1 inch (25 mm) hardwood plywood in cases with unexposed interiors. Backs are 1/4 inch (6 mm) finished plywood in cases with exposed interiors and 1/4 inch (6 mm) thick hardboard with melamine face in cases with unexposed interiors. End panels in cabinets with exposed interiors are 3/4 inch (19 mm) finished plywood; end panels in cabinets with unexposed interiors are 3/4 inch (19 mm) hardwood plywood. Exterior hanger rails are 4 inches (102 mm) by 3/4 inch (19 mm) hardwood plywood.
- G. Construction Tall Cases:
  - 1. Top panels, in cases with exposed interiors, are 1 inch (25 mm) plywood. Top panels, in cases with unexposed interiors, are 1 inch (25 mm) hardwood plywood.
  - 2. Bottom panels in cases with exposed interiors are 3/4 inch (19 mm) plywood. Bottom panels in cases with unexposed interiors are 3/4 inch (19 mm) hardwood plywood.
  - 3. Adjustable shelves in are 1 inch (25 mm) plywood.
  - 4. Backs, in cases with exposed interiors and exposed exteriors are 1/4 inch (6 mm) plywood. Backs in cases with unexposed interiors and unexposed exteriors are 1/4 inch (6 mm) hardboard with wood grained melamine face.
  - 5. End panels, in cabinets with exposed end panels, are 3/4 inch (19 mm) plywood. End panels, in cabinets with unexposed end panels, are 3/4 inch (19 mm) hardwood plywood.
  - 6. Exposed edges of end panels, dividers and shelves are edged with 1/8 inch (3 mm) solid wood.
  - 7. Exterior back cross rails: 4 inches by 3/4 inch (102 mm by 19 mm) hardwood plywood.
  - 8. Cases are rigidly constructed, integral units with the strongest most advanced joinery methods utilized of bored, doweled, dadoed, glued and screwed construction. Each case is completely enclosed without the use of common partitions, and has flush construction with overlapping doors, which provides a dust resistant interior. Top panel is bored, doweled and glued into end panels. Bottom panel is bored, doweled and glued into end panels and glued and screwed to the back. An exterior back cross rail is provided at the top of each case, screwed to the top panel and bored, doweled and glued into the end panels. Additional back cross rails are provided, as required. Backs are recessed and encapsulated into dadoed end panels and screwed to the top and bottom case members. An enclosed toe space, 2 1/4 inches by 4 inches (57 mm by 102 mm) high, is provided with toe rail securely bored, doweled and glued to end panels and bottom panel. Adjustable shelves are supported on heavy-duty laboratory grade, twin pin plastic shelf clips, which fit into two rows of holes drilled 1 1/4 inches (32 mm) on centers in the end panels, for maximum shelf adjustability.
- H. Drawer front is 13/16 inch (20.6 mm) thick. Squared edged styles drawer faces are screwed to the face of a full drawer box. Drawer box front, sides and back are 1/2 inch (12 mm), 9-ply laminated hardwood plywood. Drawer bottom is 1/4 inch (6 mm) thick hardboard with wood grained melamine face. All four corners of the drawer are dovetailed and glued. The top edges of drawer box are radiused. Drawer bottom is let in on four sides, and securely glued underneath with a continuous bead of glue around the perimeter of the drawer bottom. In cabinets 24 inches (610 mm) or less in width, drawers have one pull. In cabinets over 24 inches (610 mm) wide, drawers have two pulls.
  I. Construction Hinged Doors:
  - 1. Hinged solid doors 48 inches (1219 mm) or less in height, 13/16 inch (20.6 mm) thick and overlap the opening on all sides. Doors have one pull. Door has two heavy duty, institutional type, and 5-knuckle hinges. Doors are secured by a friction roller catch and a metal strike plate.



- 2. Hinged solid doors over 48 inches (1219 mm) in height, 13/16 inch (20.6 mm) thick and overlap the opening on all sides. Single doors and right door of double doors have a latching handle. A three point latching system provides single doors and right door of double doors positive engagements at the top and bottom of the door with tapered aluminum rods, which engage plastic, strike plates and pull the door snug. The rods are 5/16-inch (8 mm) in diameter and move in nylon guides attached to the back of the door. The middle of the door is secured by a latch plate, which engages the side of the case, or latches behind the left door on cases with double doors and securely hold the door shut. Right door of double doors lap over the machined integral astragal on left door in lipped styles; square edged styles have an applied astragal on the left door. Plastic laminate style doors have particleboard core, and no astragal. Doors have four hinges. On double doors left door is additionally secured with two friction roller catches with metal strike plates.
- J. Construction Tables
  - 1. Open Frame Table exterior rails are 4-13/16 inches (122 mm) by 13/16 inch (21 mm), solid lumber. Interior rails are minimum of 3/4 inch (19 mm) hardwood plywood. Compartment bottoms are 1/4 inch (6 mm) plywood. Legs: 2 1/4 inches (57 mm) square solid wood. Leg stretchers, when specified, are 2 1/8 inches (54 mm) by 1 inch (25 mm) thick, solid wood. Openings are routed in the one-piece rail when drawers or compartments are required. A minimum of two interior cross rails are doweled and glued into exterior rails. Compartment bottoms are let into dadoed grooves in cross rails and the front and back rails, then glued on all four edges. Exterior rails receive heavy steel corner braces, attached with Euro screws. Legs are secured to the steel corner brace and table rails with a 5/16-inch (8 mm) threaded hanger bolt, machine screwed into the leg a depth of at least two inches. Legs have molded black polyethylene, closed bottom, leg shoes. Exterior rails are also grooved to accept Z- clips for attaching the top.
  - 2. Pedestal Table center rails are 4 1/2 inches (114 mm) by 1 1/16 inches (27 mm), solid wood. End rails are 4 1/2 inches (114 mm) by 1 1/16 inches (27 mm), solid wood. Pedestal legs are 1 3/16 inches (30 mm) particleboard core with oak plywood faces. Vertical edges are edged with 3mm solid wood. Feet are 2 1/4 inches (57 mm) thick and 2 1/4 inches (57 mm) high overall, solid wood. Leg stretcher is 3 inches (57 mm) by 1 inch (25 mm) thick, solid wood. Tables have a rigid understructure with a center rail running the length of the table, two end rails across the width, pedestal legs with feet, and one leg stretcher. Center and end rails are notched to interlock and then fasten to the top and pedestal legs. Feet are routed to receive pedestals. Each pedestal is glued, and fastened to the foot with two, 3 inches (76 mm) by 3/4 inch (6 mm) lag bolts. Each foot has two 1 1/2 inches (38 mm) plastic floor glides. Leg stretchers are secured with four, 3 inches (76 mm) by 3/4 inch (6 mm) lag bolts through the pedestal legs. Plastic Z glides for tote trays are attached to the underside of the tabletop.

# 2.6 FINISHES

- A. Wood Cabinets: Exterior and interior surfaces of cabinets receive the full finishing process consisting of baked on: specified NGR stain, two coats of protective moisture resistant sealer and two applications of a topcoat of clear catalyzed chemical resistant conversion varnish.
  - 1. Interior Surfaces: The unexposed interior surfaces of cupboards, wall cases, upper cases, and tall cases must match exterior color and receive stain (color coat), a protective coat of moisture resistant sealer, and two applications of a clear, catalyzed, chemical resistant conversion varnish topcoat.
  - 2. Other Surfaces: Unexposed surfaces such as unexposed end panels, unexposed backs, drawer sides and drawer bottoms are processed through standard finishing steps and receive a baked on protective coat of moisture resistant sealer, baked on clear catalyzed chemical resistant conversion varnish, but no stain (color coat).
  - 3. Finish shall comply with SEFA-8 resistance standard acceptable levels for casework surfaces. An independent 3rd party testing facility's written certification must be provided to establish that final finish has no more than three, SEFA-8 "Level 3" conditions.
  - 4. Any deviations from the specified finishing procedures will be considered defective Work and rejected by the Architect.

# 2.7 CABINET HARDWARE

A. Provide laboratory casework manufacturer's standard finish, commercial-quality, heavy-duty



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hardware complying with requirements indicated for each type.

- B. Friction roller catch is zinc plated steel catch with a spring cushioned; polyethylene roller, and a metal strike plate. Screw mounted catches and strike plate have slotted holes for adjustability.
- C. Shelf clips are made from clear polycarbonate and are laboratory standard grade. Clips have double, 3/16 inch (5 mm) diameter pins and are equipped with shelf lock hold down tabs for 3/4 inch (18 mm) or 1 inch (25 mm) thick shelves.
- D. Leg shoes are closed-bottom style, 2 1/4 inches (57 mm) square, and molded of 1/8 inch (3 mm) black polyethylene.
- 2.8 COUNTER TOPS
  - A. Rhearesin is 1 inch (25 mm) thick, molded from a modified epoxy resin. Exposed edges and corners are radiused, and a drip groove is provided under surface in areas where sinks are installed. Curb is 4 inches (102 mm) high.
    - 1. Color: As selected by Architect from manufacturer's standards
- 2.9 ACCESSORIES:
  - A. Burette Rods: 1/2 inch (12 mm) diameter, anodized aluminum, and either 18 inches (457 mm) or 24 inches (610 mm)long. Rods are furnished with a tapered aluminum adapter to fit rod socket.
  - B. Rod Sockets: Mushroom type, machined from a solid aluminum rod. Sockets are held in place by a heavy aluminum lock nut and washer.
  - C. Plastic Tote Tray.
  - D. Pegboards: Clear acrylic, epoxy, or phenolic-composite pegboards with removable polypropylene pegs and stainless-steel drip troughs with drain outlet.

# 2.10 SERVICE FIXTURES

- A. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories shall be labeled to comply with NFPA 70, Article 100 and marked for its intended use.
- B. Provide service fixtures and fittings that comply with SEFA 7.
  - 1. Provide service fixtures and fittings that comply with recommendations of SEFA 7.
- C. Electrical Fixtures are 3-wire grounded, 20 A, 125V AC, with stainless steel cover plates and cadmium-plated steel boxes. Pedestal boxes are black, cast aluminum with conduit nipples and lock nuts. When specified, G.F.C.I., ground fault circuit interrupter fixtures are available. G.F.C.I. fixtures are 20 A, 125V AC, with black nylon faceplate.
  - 1. Receptacles: Comply with NEMA WD 1, NEMA WD 6, FS W-C-596, and UL 498. Duplex type, Configuration 5 20R.
- D. Epoxy resin sinks are drop-in style, non-glaring black, and specially modified epoxy resins, molded in one solid piece or optimum physical and chemical resistance. Inside corners are coved and the bottom is dished to the outlet. Outlets are polypropylene with 1 1/2 inch (38 mm) NPS threads.
- E. Service Fixtures: Triple chrome plating or electro-statically applied polyester powder coating, heavyduty construction for water, gas, steam, or other services and specifically designed for laboratory use. Hot and/or cold Water Faucets are cast from red brass with color-coded index handles. Faucets have serrated hose nozzles, unless specified otherwise. Goosenecks are rigid. Fixture outlets are tapped 3/8-inch (10 mm) I.P.S. for aerators, vacuum breakers, hose connections, or other accessories.
  - 1. Faucets with an integral vacuum breaker.
- 2.11 EQUIPMENT AND APPLIANCES
  - A. Flammable Liquid Storage Cabinets: Provide units that comply with requirements of NFPA 30.
     1. Wood, UL rated cabinet.
- 2.12 FUME HOODS
  - A. Hoods shall be airfoil design and steel frame construction. The design shall provide for safe efficient removal of all fumes, both heavy and light, with the least amount of turbulence as the air enters the hood. Standard airfoil bench superstructures are tested in accordance with the current ASHRAE Test Procedure and comply with the American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists performance recommendations.
  - B. Materials:
    - 1. Metal is prime furniture steel, free of scales, buckles, or other defects, ASTM A366.
    - 2. Stainless Steel is 304 or 316 type, as noted, commercial grade. No.4 finish, ASTM A167.
    - 3. Safety Glass is 7/32 inch (6 mm) laminated; conforming to ANSI Z97.1 for impact, and to CPSC 16 CFR 1201 for Category II Safety Glazing.



- 4. PVC is black in color and extruded.
- 5. Hood Liner is white chemical resistant, fiberglass reinforced thermoset resin sheet.
- C. Construction:
  - 1. Hood superstructures have a double wall construction consisting of an outer shell of sheet metal and an inner liner of corrosion resistant material as indicated. Attachment of interior lining material to the steel-framing members is made with non-metallic fasteners. The double wall shall house and conceal steel framing members, attaching brackets and remote operating service fixture valves. The exterior side panels of the superstructure are constructed of 18 gage steel and are removable for access into the interior housing. Access may also be gained through removable panels in the interior liner.
  - 2. Each superstructure shall have an internal baffle system of the same material as the interior lining. This baffle system shall provide for safe efficient removal of fumes when the superstructure is connected to a properly installed exhaust system. A manual adjustment is provided on the upper part of the baffle to allow the operator to set the hood for heavy or light fumes. All baffles are removable for cleaning. Unless specified for use in a variable air volume (VAV) system, the superstructures shall be provided with an air bypass system feature unless; a thin wall or demo hood is specified. The bypass, located at the upper front interior of the hood, shall open as the sash is lowered, providing for a relatively constant exhaust volume of the superstructure. The upper front exterior panel of the superstructure shall be furnished with bypass louvers. These louvers provide for proper operation of bypass when the top of superstructure is closed off to the ceiling.
  - 3. A two tube, T-8 ballast, with rapid start, vapor sealed fluorescent light fixture of maximum length shall be provided on each superstructure. Each fixture shall include two soft white fluorescent tubes. Light fixtures are changed from the top front of the superstructure.
  - 4. Exhaust outlets shall be round, 18 gage stainless steel. Hoods with stainless steel interior lining shall have 18 gage stainless steel exhaust collars welded in place.
  - 5. Hoods shall have a full view, vertical rising, laminated safety glass sash framed with a solid black PVC edging, unless otherwise noted. The sash shall not require the use of a center mullion. Sash guides shall be extruded, black PVC. The sash shall be counterbalanced with a single weight located in the center rear of the superstructure. Two 18 inch (3 mm) diameter stainless steel cables connect the sash to the weight. The use of two cables acts as a safety mechanism keeping the sash from falling in the event one cable would fail. The cables ride on 2 inches (51 mm) diameter nylon ball bearing pulleys. The cable/pulley assembly shall have an adjustment located on the top of the superstructure for proper alignment of the sash.
  - 6. A lower stainless steel airfoil shall act as the sash stop. In addition, the airfoil shall provide a 1 inch (25 mm) space between the bottom of the sash, in the closed position, and the work surface. This 1 inch (25 mm) space shall provide for a continuous sweep of fumes from the work surface.
- D. Hood Types:
  - Barrier Free Hoods (ADA): Shall have an 18-gage, epoxy coated steel, combination horizontal / vertical sash with viewing panel. The sash is glazed with laminated safety glass and has a single counterweight. The vertical sash shall ride in PVC sash guides. The horizontal sliding panels shall glide on a dual track. A stainless steel containment trough incorporates the lower airfoil. The airfoil is hinged for access to clean the trough. The upper portion of the hood interior has a remote adjustable baffle. The control for the baffle is located on the front post of the hood. All other features are as specified under "Construction". These hoods are UL 1805 classified and meet SEFA 1 - 2002 standards.
  - Bypass Airfoil Hoods: Bypass feature provides relatively constant velocity of air through the face of the hood, regardless of the sash position as described in the above specifications. All other features are as specified under "Construction". These hoods are UL 1805 classified and meet SEFA 1 - 2002 Standards.

# PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

Α.

- Do not begin installation until substrates have been properly prepared.
  - 1. Walls and openings are plumb, straight and square.
  - 2. Concrete floors level within 1/8 inch (3 mm) level per 10 foot (3000 mm) run, non-



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accumulative, when tested with a straight edge in any one direction.

- B. If substrate preparation is the responsibility of another installer, notify Architect of unsatisfactory preparation before proceeding.
- 3.2 COORDINATION
  - A. Laboratory equipment contractor shall furnish equipment to the building, setting in place, leveling and scribing to walls and floors. Furnish plumbing and electrical fixtures, including nipples and lock nuts needed to secure each fixture to the equipment.
  - B. Coordination with mechanical contractor who shall furnish, install and connect drain lines, service piping, vents, re-vents, in-line vacuum breakers, special plumbing fixtures, traps and tailpieces. Work to be completed through, under or along backs of working surfaces as required and complete final connection of services. Assemble, install and make final connections of service fixtures furnished by casework contractor, including service fixtures in fume hoods. Furnish, install and connect service piping within fume hoods, including final connection.
  - C. Coordination with electrical contractor who shall furnish, install and connect electrical service lines, wire and conduit within the equipment, including reagent racks and fume hoods. Work to be completed through, under or along backs of working surfaces as required and complete final connection of services. Install and make final connections of electrical fixtures provided by casework installer, including electrical fixtures in fume hoods.

#### 3.3 PREPARATION

- A. Clean surfaces thoroughly prior to installation.
- B. Prepare surfaces using the methods recommended by the manufacturer for achieving the best result for the substrate under the project conditions.
- 3.4 INSTALLATION
  - A. Install casework in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
    - 1. Installation of casework shall be plumb, level, true and straight, with no distortions.
    - 2. Use concealed shims as required.
    - 3. Where laboratory casework or equipment butts against other finished work, scribe and cut for an accurate fit.
    - 4. Lubricate operating hardware as recommended by the manufacturer.
  - B. Install countertop and edge surfaces in one plane with flush hairline seams. Locate seams where shown on Shop Drawings.
    - 1. Provide required holes and cutouts for service fittings as shown on Shop Drawings.
    - 2. Seal unfinished edges and cutouts in plastic-laminate countertops.
    - 3. Provide scribe moldings for closures at junctures of countertop, curb, and splash, with walls as recommended by manufacturer for materials involved. Match materials and finish to adjacent laboratory casework. Use chemical-resistant, permanently elastic sealing compound where recommended by manufacturer.
    - 4. Carefully dress joints smooth, remove surface scratches, and clean entire surface.
  - C. Coordination with Mechanical, Plumbing and Electrical Contractors: Coordinate work of this Section with work of other Sections including but not limited to:
    - 1. Water and laboratory gas service fittings, piping, electrical devices, and wiring.
    - 2. Installation of fittings according to Shop Drawings and manufacturer's written instructions.
    - 3. Setting bases and flanges of sink and countertop-mounted fittings in sealant recommended by manufacturer of sink or countertop material.
    - 4. Anchorage of fittings, piping, and conduit to laboratory casework, unless otherwise indicated.
- 3.5 PROTECTION
  - A. Cover installed casework and equipment with 4-mil polyethylene.
  - B. Protect installed products until completion of project.
  - C. Touch-up, repair or replace damaged products before Substantial Completion.
  - D. A qualified manufacturer representative shall demonstrate operation and maintenance procedures of the installed casework and equipment to the Owners personnel.

END OF SECTION 12300



# SECTION 12 24 13 - WINDOW ROLLER SHADES

PART 1 GENERAL

- 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES
  - A. Manually operated, roll-up fabric interior window shades including mounting and operating hardware.
- 1.2 RELATED SECTIONS
  - A. Section 06100 Rough Carpentry: Blocking for support of window shade hardware
  - B. Section 07900 Joint Sealants: Sealants for perimeter of shade system
  - C. Section 09260 Gypsum Board Assemblies: Suspended gypsum board ceilings to contain recessed window shade pockets
  - D. Section 09510 Panel Ceilings: Suspended ceiling panel systems to contain recessed window shade pockets.
- 1.3 REFERENCES
  - A. NFPA 701-99 Fire Tests for Flame-Resistant Textiles and Films.
  - B. GREENGUARD Environmental Institute Children & Schools
  - C. US Green Building Council.
- 1.4 SUBMITTALS
  - A. Submit under provisions of Section 01 33 26 Source Quality Control Reporting:
  - B. Product Data: Manufacturer's data sheets on each product specified, including:
    - 1. Preparation instructions and recommendations.
    - 2. Installation and maintenance instructions.
    - 3. Styles, material descriptions, dimensions of individual components, profiles, features, finishes and operating instructions.
    - 4. Storage and handling requirements and recommendations.
    - 5. Mounting details and installation methods.
  - C. Shop Drawings: Plans, elevations, sections, product details, installation details, operational clearances, wiring diagrams and relationship to adjacent work.
  - D. Window Treatment Schedule: For all roller shades. Use same room designations as indicated on the Drawings, field verified window dimensions, quantities, type of shade, controls, fabric, and color, and include opening sizes and key to typical mounting details.
  - E. Selection Samples: For each finish product specified, two complete sets of shade cloth options and aluminum finish color samples representing manufacturer's full range of available colors and patterns.
  - F. Verification Samples: For each finish product specified, two complete sets of shade components, unassembled, demonstrating compliance with specified requirements. Shade fabric sample and aluminum finish sample as selected, representing actual product, color, and patterns. Mark face of material to indicate interior faces.
  - G. Maintenance Data: Methods for maintaining roller shades, precautions regarding cleaning materials and methods, instructions for operating hardware and controls.
  - H. Manufacturer's Certificates: Certify products meet or exceed specified requirements.
- 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE
  - A. Manufacturer Qualifications: Obtain roller shades through one source from a single manufacturer with a minimum of twenty years experience in manufacturing products comparable to those specified in this section.
  - B. NFPA Flame-Test: Passes NFPA 701. Materials tested shall be identical to products proposed for use.
  - C. Mock-Up: Provide a mock-up of one of each type roller shade assembly specified for evaluation of mounting, appearance and accessories.
    - 1. Locate mock-up in window(s) designated by Architect.
    - 2. Do not proceed with remaining work until mock-up is accepted by Architect.
- 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING
  - A. Do not deliver window shades until building is enclosed and construction within spaces where shades will be installed is substantially complete.



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- B. Deliver products in manufacturer's original, unopened, undamaged containers with labels intact.
- C. Label containers and shades according to Window Shade Schedule.
- D. Store products in manufacturer's unopened packaging until ready for installation.
- 1.7 SEQUENCING
  - A. Ensure that locating templates and other information required for installation of products of this section are furnished to affected trades in time to prevent interruption of construction progress.
  - B. Ensure that products of this section are supplied to affected trades in time to prevent interruption of construction progress.
- 1.8 PROJECT CONDITIONS
  - A. Install roller shades after finish work and ambient temperature, humidity and ventilation conditions are maintained at levels recommended for project upon completion.

# 1.9 WARRANTY

- A. Hardware and Shade Fabric: Draper's standard twenty-five year limited warranty.
- PART 2 PRODUCTS
- 2.1 MANUFACTURERS
  - A. Acceptable Manufacturer: Draper, Inc., which is located at: 411 S. Pearl P. O. Box 425; Spiceland, IN 47385-0425; Toll Free Tel: 800-238-7999; Tel: 765-987-7999; Fax: 866-637-5611; Email:<u>drapercontract@draperinc.com</u>; Web:<u>www.draperinc.com</u>
  - B. Requests for substitutions will be considered in accordance with provisions of Section 01600.
- 2.2 BEAD CHAIN CLUTCH OPERATED WINDOW SHADES
  - A. Manually Operated Window Shades with Independent Control: Manually operated, vertical roll-up, fabric window shade with components necessary for complete installation; Manual FlexShade as manufactured by Draper, Inc.
    - 1. Operation: Bead chain and clutch operating mechanism allowing shade to stop when chain is released. Designed never to need adjustment or lubrication. Provide limit stops to prevent shade from being raised or lowered too far.
      - a. Clutch mechanism: Fabricated from high carbon steel and molded fiberglass reinforced polyester or injected molded nylon.
      - b. Bead chain loop: Stainless steel bead chain hanging at side of window.
      - c. Bead chain loop: Plastic bead chain hanging at side of window, lvory, Grey, or Black color as selected by Architect.
      - d. Idler Assembly: Provide roller idler assembly of molded nylon with adjustable length idler pin to facilitate easy installation, and removal of shade for service.
    - 2. Mounting:
      - a. Mounting brackets.
      - b. Endcaps and headbox.
    - 3. Roller Tube: Fabricated from extruded aluminum, galvanized steel, or enameled steel. Diameter, wall thickness, and material selected by manufacturer to accommodate shade type and size. Fabric connected to the roller tube with LSE (low surface energy) double sided adhesive specifically developed to attach coated textiles to metal. Adhesive attachment to eliminate horizontal impressions in fabric.
    - 4. Endcaps: Stamped steel with universal design suitable for mounting to ceiling, wall, and jamb. Provide size compatible with roller size.
      - a. Endcap covers: To match fascia or headbox color.
    - 5. Brackets: Plated stamped steel. Provide size compatible with roller size.
      - a. Mounted to ceiling.
      - b. Mounted to wall.
      - c. Mounted to jamb.
    - 6. Fascia: L shaped aluminum extrusion to conceal shade roller and hardware.
      - a. Attachment: Snaps onto endcaps without requiring exposed fasteners of any kind. Fascia can be mounted continuously across two or more shade bands.



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- b. Finish: Clear anodized.
- 7. Headbox Ceiling/Wall style: Aluminum fabrication with removable closure, endcaps, and back and top cover piece:
  - a. Finish: Clear anodized.
- 8. Headbox, Pocket Style: Aluminum fabrication with removable closure, endcaps, and U-shaped pocket:
  - a. Finish: Clear anodized.

### 2.3 FABRIC

- A. Light-Filtering Fabrics
  - 1. SheerWeave Infinity by Phifer: Composed of 30 percent ThermoPlastic Oletin (TPO) fiberyarn and 70 percent TPO coating on TPO yarn. Made of 100 percent recycled post-industrial products. Recyclable, lead free, PVC free. GREENGUARD Children & Schools certified as a low emitting fabric. Manufacturer to supply GREENGUARD Children & Schools certificate. Fire rating: NFPA-701-1999TM#1 (small scale). Microbial and fungal resistant.
    - a. Average 3 percent open. Available in 63 inch, 84 inch and 98 inch roll widths.
- B. Color and pattern: To be selected by Architect from manufacturer's standard range
- PART 3 EXECUTION
- 3.1 EXAMINATION
  - A. Do not begin installation until substrates have been properly prepared.
  - B. If substrate preparation is the responsibility of another installer, notify Architect of unsatisfactory preparation before proceeding.
- 3.2 PREPARATION
  - A. Coordinate requirements for blocking and structural supports to ensure adequate means for installation of window shades.
- 3.3 INSTALLATION
  - A. Install in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
  - B. Install roller shades level, plumb, square, and true. Allow proper clearances for window operation hardware.
  - C. Install the following items to conceal roller and operating mechanism. Do not use exposed fasteners.
    - 1. Closure panels
- 3.4 TESTING AND DEMONSTRATION
  - A. During daylight hours, lower shades and turn off interior lights. Verify that there are no light leaks at perimeter or within shade assembly. Correct deficiencies.
  - B. Demonstrate operation of shades to Owner's designated representative.

# 3.5 PROTECTION

- A. Protect installed products until completion of project.
- B. Touch-up, repair or replace damaged products before Substantial Completion.
- 3.6 SCHEDULES
  - A. Provide roller shades at each exterior window.

END OF SECTION 12 24 13



# SECTION 22 02 00 - BASIC MATERIALS AND METHODS

PART 1 - GENERAL

### 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all Work herein.
- B. The Contract Drawings indicate the extent and general arrangement of the systems. If any departure from the Contract Drawings is deemed necessary by the Contractor, details of such departure and the reasons therefore shall be submitted to the Architect/Engineer for approval as soon as reasonably practicable. No such departures shall be made without the prior written approval of the Architect/Engineer.
- C. Notwithstanding any reference in the Specifications to any article, device, product, material, fixture, form or type of construction by name, make or catalog number, such reference shall not be construed as limiting competition; and the Contractor, in such cases, may at his option use any article, device, product, material, fixture, form or type of construction which in the judgment of the Architect/Engineer, expressed in writing, is equal to that specified.

#### 1.2 SCOPE OF WORK

- A. The Work included under this Contract consists of the furnishing and installation of all equipment and material necessary and required to form the complete and functioning systems in all of their various phases, all as shown on the accompanying Drawings and/or described in these Specifications. The Contractor shall review all pertinent Drawings, including those of other contracts, prior to commencement of Work.
- B. This Division requires the furnishing and installing of all items as specified herein, indicated on the Drawings, or reasonably inferred as necessary for safe and proper operation; including every article, device or accessory (whether or not specifically called for by item) reasonably necessary to facilitate each system's functioning as indicated by the design and the equipment specified. Elements of the work include, but are not limited to: materials, labor, supervision, transportation, storage, equipment, utilities, all required permits, licenses and inspections. All work performed under this Section shall be in accordance with the Project Manual, Drawings and Specifications and is subject to the terms and conditions of the Contract.
- C. The approximate locations of Plumbing and Fire Protection items are indicated on the Drawings. These Drawings are not intended to give complete and accurate details with regards to location of outlets, apparatus, etc. Exact locations are to be determined by actual measurements at the building/job-site, and will in all cases be subject to the Review of the Owner or Engineer, who reserves the right to make any reasonable changes in the locations indicated without additional cost to the Owner.
- D. Items specifically mentioned in the Specifications but not shown on the Drawings and/or items shown on Drawings but not specifically mentioned in the Specifications shall be installed by the Contractor under the appropriate section of work as if they were both specified and shown.



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- E. All discrepancies between the Contract Documents and actual job-site conditions shall be reported to the Owner or Engineer so that they will be resolved prior to bidding. Where this cannot be done at least seven (7) working days prior to bid; the greater or more costly of the discrepancy shall be bid. All labor and materials required to perform the work described shall be included as part of this Contract.
- F. It is the intention of this Section of the specifications to outline minimum requirements to furnish the Owner with a turn-key and fully operating system in cooperation with other trades.
- G. It is the intent of the above "Scope" to give the Contractor a general outline of the extent of the Work involved; however, it is not intended to include each and every item required for the Work. Anything omitted from the "Scope" but shown on the Drawings, or specified elsewhere, or necessary for complete and functioning plumbing systems shall be considered a part of the overall "Scope".
- H. The Contractor shall rough-in fixtures and equipment furnished by others from rough-in and placement drawings furnished by others. The Contractor shall make final connection to fixtures and equipment furnished by others.
- I. The Contractor shall participate in the Commissioning process as required; including, but not necessarily limited to: meeting attendance, completion of checklists, and participation in functional testing.

# 1.3 SCHEMATIC NATURE OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

- A. The contract documents are schematic in nature in that they are only to establish scope and a minimum level of quality. They are not to be used as actual working construction drawings. The actual working construction drawings shall be the reviewed Shop Drawings.
- B. All piping, fixture, or equipment locations as indicated on the documents do not indicate every transition, offset, or exact location. All transitions, offsets, clearances and exact locations shall be established by actual field measurements, coordination with the structural, architectural and reflected ceiling plans, and other trades. Submit Shop Drawings for review.
- C. All transitions, offsets and relocations as required by actual field conditions shall be performed by the Contractor at no additional cost to the owner.
- D. Additional coordination with Electrical Subcontractor may be required to allow adequate clearances of electrical equipment, fixtures, and associated appurtenances. Contractor to notify Architect and Engineer of unresolved clearances, conflicts, or equipment locations.

#### 1.4 SITE VISIT AND FAMILIARIZATION

A. Before submitting a bid, it will be necessary for each Contractor whose work is involved to visit the site and ascertain for himself the conditions to be met therein in installing his work and make due provision for same in his bid. It will be assumed that this Contractor in submitting his bid has visited the premises and that his bid covers all work necessary to properly install the piping, fixtures and equipment shown. Failure on the part of the Contractor to comply with this requirement shall not be considered justification for the omission or faulty installation of any work covered by these Specifications and Drawings.



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- B. Understand the existing utilities from which services will be supplied; verify locations of utility services, and determine requirements for connections.
- C. Determine in advance that equipment and materials proposed for installation fit into the confines indicated.

#### 1.5 WORK SPECIFIED IN OTHER SECTIONS

- A. Finish painting is specified. Prime and protective painting is included in the work of this Division.
- B. Owner and General Contractor furnished equipment shall be properly connected to plumbing systems.
- C. Furnishing and installing all required plumbing equipment, control relays and electrical interlock devices, conduit, wire and junction boxes are included in the Work of this Division.

#### 1.6 PERMITS, TESTS, INSPECTIONS

- A. Arrange and pay for all permits, fees, tests, and all inspections as required by governmental authorities.
- 1.7 DATE OF FINAL ACCEPTANCE
  - A. The date of final acceptance shall be the date of Owner occupancy, or the date all punch list items have been completed, or the date final payment has been received. Refer to Division 01 for additional requirements.
  - B. The date of final acceptance shall be documented in writing and signed by the Architect, Owner and Contractor.

#### 1.8 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver products to the project properly identified with names, model numbers, types, grades, compliance labels, and other information needed for identification.
- B. Deliver products to the project at such times as the project is ready to receive the equipment, pipe or valves properly protected from incidental damage and weather damage.
- C. Damaged equipment, valves or pipe shall be promptly removed from the site and new, undamaged equipment, valves and pipe shall be provided in its place promptly with no additional charge to the Owner.

#### 1.9 NOISE AND VIBRATION

- A. The plumbing systems and the component parts thereof shall be guaranteed to operate without objectionable noise and vibration.
- B. Provide foundations, supports and isolators as specified or indicated, properly adjusted to prevent transmission of vibration to the building structure, piping and other items.



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- C. Carefully fabricate pipe and fittings with smooth interior finish to prevent turbulence and generation or regeneration of noise.
- D. All equipment shall be selected to operate with minimum of noise and vibration. If, in the opinion of the Architect/Engineer, objectionable noise or vibration is produced or transmitted to or through the building structure by equipment, piping or other parts of the Work, the Contractor shall rectify such conditions without extra cost to the Owner.

#### 1.10 APPLICABLE CODES

- A. Obtain all required permits and inspections for all work required by the Contract Documents and pay all required fees in connection thereof.
- B. Arrange with the serving utility companies for the connection, relocation, and upgrade of all required utilities and pay all charges, meter charges, connection fees and inspection fees, if required.
- C. Comply with all applicable codes, specifications, local ordinances, industry standards, utility company regulations and the applicable requirements of the following nationally accepted codes and standards, including, but not necessarily limited to:
  - 1. American Standards Association, ASA.
  - 2. American Society of Heating, Refrigerating, and Air-Conditioning Engineers, Inc., ASHRAE.
  - 3. American Society of Mechanical Engineers, ASME.
  - 4. American Society of Plumbing Engineers, ASPE.
  - 5. American Society of Testing Materials, ASTM.
  - 6. American Water Works Association, AWWA.
  - 7. National Bureau of Standards, NBS.
  - 8. National Fire Protection Association, NFPA.
  - 9. UL, LLC (formerly Underwriters Laboratories).
  - 10. FM Global.
  - 11. International Energy Conservation Code, IECC.
  - 12. International Fire Code.
  - 13. International Gas Code.
- D. Where differences exist between the Contract Documents and applicable state or city building codes, state and local ordinances, industry standards, utility company regulations and the applicable requirements of the above listed nationally accepted codes and standards, the more stringent or costly application shall govern. Promptly notify the Architect/Engineer in writing of all differences.
- E. When directed in writing by the Architect/Engineer, remove all work installed that does not comply with the Contract Documents and applicable state or city building codes, state and local ordinances, industry standards, utility company regulations and the applicable requirements of the above listed nationally accepted codes and standards. Correct the deficiencies and complete the work at no additional cost to the Owner.

#### 1.11 DEFINITIONS AND SYMBOLS

A. General Explanation: A substantial amount of construction and Specification language constitutes definitions for terms found in other Contract Documents, including Drawings which must be recognized as diagrammatic and schematic in nature and not completely



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descriptive of requirements indicated thereon. Certain terms used in Contract Documents are defined generally in this article, unless defined otherwise in Division 01.

- B. Definitions and explanations of this Section are not necessarily either complete or exclusive, but are general for work to the extent not stated more explicitly in another provision of the Contract Documents.
- C. Indicated: The term "Indicated" is a cross-reference to details, notes or schedules on the Drawings, to other paragraphs or schedules in the Specifications and to similar means of recording requirements in Contract Documents. Where such terms as "Shown", "Noted", "Scheduled", "Specified" and "Detailed" are used in lieu of "Indicated", it is for the purpose of helping the reader locate cross-reference material, and no limitation of location is intended except as specifically shown.
- D. Directed: Where not otherwise explained, terms such as "Directed", "Requested", "Accepted", and "Permitted" mean by the Architect or Engineer. However, no such implied meaning will be interpreted to extend the Architect's or Engineer's responsibility into the Contractor's area of construction supervision.
- E. Reviewed: Where used in conjunction with the Engineer's response to submittals, requests for information, applications, inquiries, reports and claims by the Contractor the meaning of the term "Reviewed" will be held to limitations of Architect's and Engineer's responsibilities and duties as specified in the General and Supplemental Conditions. In no case will "Reviewed" by Engineer be interpreted as a release of the Contractor from responsibility to fulfill the terms and requirements of the Contract Documents.
- F. Furnish: Except as otherwise defined in greater detail, the term "Furnish" is used to mean supply and deliver new to the project site, ready for unloading, unpacking, assembly, installation, etc., as applicable in each instance.
- G. Install: Except as otherwise defined in greater detail, the term "Install" is used to describe operations at the project site including unloading, unpacking, assembly, erection, placing, anchoring, applying, working to dimension, finishing, curing, protection, cleaning and similar operations, as applicable in each instance.
- H. Provide: Except as otherwise defined in greater detail, the term "Provide" is used to mean "Furnish and Install", complete and ready for intended use, as applicable in each instance.
- I. Installer: Entity (person or firm) engaged by the Contractor or its Subcontractor for performance of a particular unit of work at the project site, including unloading, unpacking, assembly, erection, placing, anchoring, applying, working to dimension, finishing, curing, protection, cleaning and similar operations, as applicable in each instance. It is a general requirement that such entities (Installers) be expert in the operations they are engaged to perform.
- J. Imperative Language: Used generally in Specifications. Except as otherwise indicated, requirements expressed imperatively are to be performed by the Contractor. For clarity of reading at certain locations, contrasting subjective language is used to describe responsibilities that must be fulfilled indirectly by the Contractor, or when so noted by other identified installers or entities.



- K. Minimum Quality/Quantity: In every instance, the quality level or quantity shown or specified is intended as minimum quality level or quantity of work to be performed or provided. Except as otherwise specifically indicated, the actual work may either comply exactly with that minimum (within specified tolerances), or may exceed that minimum within reasonable tolerance limits. In complying with requirements, indicated or scheduled numeric values are either minimums or maximums as noted or as appropriate for the context of the requirements. Refer instances of uncertainty to Owner or Engineer via a request for information (RFI) for decision before proceeding.
- L. Abbreviations and Symbols: The language of Specifications and other Contract Documents including Drawings is of an abbreviated type in certain instances, and implies words and meanings which will be appropriately interpreted. Actual word abbreviations of a self-explanatory nature have been included in text of Specifications and Drawings. Specific abbreviations and symbols have been established, principally for lengthy technical terminology and primarily in conjunction with coordination of Specification requirements with notations on Drawings and in Schedules. These are frequently defined in Section at first instance of use or on a Legend and Symbol Drawing. Trade and industry association names and titles of generally recognized industry standards are frequently abbreviated. Singular words will be interpreted as plural and plural words will be interpreted as singular where applicable and where full context of Contract Documents so indicate. Except as otherwise indicated, graphic symbols and abbreviations used on Drawings and in Specifications are those recognized in construction industry for indicated purposes. Where not otherwise noted symbols and abbreviations are defined by 2009 ASHRAE Fundamentals Handbook, chapter 34 "Abbreviations and Symbols", ASME and ASPE published standards.

# 1.12 DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS

- A. These Specifications are intended to supplement the Drawings. It will not be the province of the Specifications to mention any part of the work which the Drawings are competent to fully explain in every particular and such omission shall not to relieve the Contractor from carrying out portions indicated on the Drawings only.
- B. Should items be required by these Specifications and not indicated on the Drawings, they are to be supplied even if of such nature that they could have been indicated thereon. In case of disagreement between Drawings and Specifications, or within either Drawings or Specifications, the better quality or greater quantity of work shall be estimated and the matter referred to the Architect or Engineer for review with a request for information and clarification at least seven (7) working days prior to bid opening date for issuance of an addendum.
- C. The listing of product manufacturers, materials and methods in the various sections of the Specifications, and indicated on the Drawings, is intended to establish a standard of quality only. It is not the intention of the Owner or Engineer to discriminate against any product, material or method that is equal to the standards as indicated and/or specified, nor is it intended to preclude open, competitive bidding. The fact that a specific manufacturer is listed as an acceptable manufacturer should not be interpreted to mean that the manufacturers' standard product will meet the requirements of the project design, Drawings, Specifications and space constraints.
- D. The Architect or Engineer and Owner shall be the sole judge of quality and equivalence of equipment, materials and methods.



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- E. Products by other reliable manufacturers, other materials, and other methods, will be accepted as outlined, provided they have equal capacity, construction, and performance. However, under no circumstances shall any substitution by made without the written permission of the Architect or Engineer and Owner. Request for prior approval must be made in writing at least ten (10) days prior to the bid date without fail.
- F. Wherever a definite product, material or method is specified and there is not a statement that another product, material or method will be acceptable, it is the intention of the Owner or Engineer that the specified product, material or method is the only one that shall be used without prior approval.
- G. Wherever a definite material or manufacturer's product is specified and the Specification states that products of similar design and equal construction from the specified list of manufacturers may be substituted, it is the intention of the Owner or Engineer that products of manufacturers that are specified are the only products that will be acceptable and that products of other manufacturers will not be considered for substitution without approval.
- H. Wherever a definite product, material or method is specified and there is a statement that "OR EQUAL" product, material or method will be acceptable, it is the intention of the Owner or Engineer that the specified product, material or method or an "OR EQUAL" product, material or method may be used if it complies with the specifications and is submitted for review to the Engineer as outline herein.
- I. Where permission to use substituted or alternative equipment on the project is granted by the Owner or Engineer in writing, it shall be the responsibility of the Contractor or Subcontractor involved to verify that the equipment will fit in the space available which includes allowances for all required Code and maintenance clearances, and to coordinate all equipment structural support, plumbing and electrical requirements and provisions with the Mechanical and Plumbing Design Documents and all other trades, including Division 26.
- J. Changes in architectural, structural, electrical, mechanical, and plumbing requirements for the substitution shall be the responsibility of the bidder wishing to make the substitution. This shall include the cost of redesign by the affected designer(s). Any additional cost incurred by affected Subcontractors shall be the responsibility of this bidder and not the Owner.
- K. If any request for a substitution of product, material or method is rejected, the Contractor will automatically be required to furnish the product, material or method named in the Specifications. Repetitive requests for substitutions will not be considered.
- L. The Owner or Engineer will investigate all requests for substitutions when submitted in accordance with above and if accepted, will issue a written acceptance allowing the substitutions.
- M. Where equipment other than that used in the design as specified or shown on the Drawings is substituted (either from an approved manufacturers list or by submittal review), it shall be the responsibility of the substituting Contractor to coordinate space requirements, building provisions and connection requirements with his trades and all other trades and pay all additional costs to other trades, the Owner, the Architect or Engineer, if any, due to the substitutions.



# 1.13 SUBMITTALS

- A. Coordinate with Division 01 for submittal timetable requirements, unless noted otherwise within thirty (30) days after the Contract is awarded. The Contractor shall submit an electronic copy of a complete set of Shop Drawings and complete data covering each item of equipment or material. The submittal of each item requiring a submittal must be received by the Architect or Engineer within the above thirty (30) day period. The Architect or Engineer shall not be responsible for any delays or costs incurred due to excessive Shop Drawing review time for submittals received after the thirty (30) day time limit. The Architect and Engineer will retain a copy of all Shop Drawings for their files. All literature pertaining to items subject to Shop Drawing submittal shall be submitted at one time. Submittals shall be placed in one electronic file in PDF 8.0 format and bookmarked for individual specification sections. Individual electronic files of submittals for individual specifications shall not be permitted. Each submittal shall include the following items:
  - 1. A cover sheet with the names and addresses of the Project, Architect, MEP Engineer, General Contractor and the Subcontractor making the submittal. The cover sheet shall also contain the section number covering the item or items submitted and the item nomenclature or description.
  - 2. An index page with a listing of all data included in the Submittal.
  - 3. A list of variations page with a listing all variations, including unfurnished or additional required accessories, items or other features, between the submitted equipment and the specified equipment. If there are no variations, then this page shall state "NO VARIATIONS". Where variations affect the work of other Contractors, then the Contractor shall certify on this page that these variations have been fully coordinated with the affected Contractors and that all expenses associated with the variations will be paid by the submitting Contractor. This page will be signed by the submitting Contractor.
  - 4. Equipment information including manufacturer's name and designation, size, performance and capacity data as applicable. All applicable Listings, Labels, Approvals and Standards shall be clearly indicated.
  - 5. Dimensional data and scaled drawings as applicable to show that the submitted equipment will fit the space available with all required Code and maintenance clearances clearly indicated and labeled at a minimum scale of 1/4" = 1'-0", as required to demonstrate that the alternate or substituted product will fit in the space available.
  - 6. Identification of each item of material or equipment matching that indicated on the Drawings.
  - 7. Sufficient pictorial, descriptive and diagrammatic data on each item to show its conformance with the Drawings and Specifications. Any options or special requirements or accessories shall be so indicated. All applicable information shall be clearly indicated with arrows or another approved method.
  - 8. Additional information as required in other Sections of this Division.
  - 9. Certification by the General Contractor and Subcontractor that the material submitted is in accordance with the Drawings and Specifications, signed and dated in long hand. Submittals that do not comply with the above requirements shall be returned to the Contractor and shall be marked "REVISE AND RESUBMIT".
- B. Refer to Division 00 and Division 01 for additional information on Shop Drawings and submittals.



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- C. Equipment and materials submittals and Shop Drawings will be reviewed for compliance with design concept only. It will be assumed that the submitting Contractor has verified that all items submitted can be installed in the space allotted. Review of Shop Drawings and submittals shall not be considered as a verification or guarantee of measurements or building conditions.
- D. Where Shop Drawings and submittals are marked "REVIEWED", the review of the submittal does not indicate that submittals have been checked in detail nor does it in any way relieve the Contractor from his responsibility to furnish material and perform work as required by the Contract Documents.
- E. Shop Drawings shall be reviewed and returned to the Contractor with one of the following categories indicated:
  - 1. REVIEWED: Contractor need take no further submittal action, shall include this submittal in the O&M manual and may order the equipment submitted on.
  - 2. REVIEWED AS NOTED: Contractor shall submit a letter verifying that required exceptions to the submittal have been received and complied with including additional accessories or coordination action as noted, and shall include this submittal and compliance letter in the O&M manual. The Contractor may order the equipment submitted on at the time of the returned submittal providing the Contractor complies with the exceptions noted.
  - 3. NOT APPROVED: Contractor shall resubmit new submittal on material, equipment or method of installation when the alternate or substitute is not approved, the Contractor will automatically be required to furnish the product, material or method named in the Specifications and/or Drawings. Contractor shall not order equipment that is not approved. Repetitive requests for substitutions will not be considered.
  - 4. REVISE AND RESUBMIT: Contractor shall resubmit new submittal on material, equipment or method of installation when the alternate or substitute is marked revise and resubmit, the Contractor will automatically be required to furnish the product, material or method named in the Specifications and/or provide as noted on previous Shop Drawings. Contractor shall not order equipment marked revise and resubmit. Repetitive requests for substitutions will not be considered.
  - 5. CONTRACTOR'S CERTIFICATION REQUIRED: Contractor shall resubmit submittal on material, equipment or method of installation. The Contractor's stamp is required stating the submittal meets all conditions of the contract documents. The stamp shall be signed by the General Contractor. The submittal will not be reviewed if the stamp is not placed and signed on all Shop Drawings.
  - 6. MANUFACTURER NOT AS SPECIFIED: Contractor shall resubmit new submittal on material, equipment or method of installation when the alternate or substitute is marked manufacturer not as specified, the Contractor will automatically be required to furnish the product, material or method named in the specifications. Contractor shall not order equipment where submittal is marked manufacturer not as specified. Repetitive requests for substitutions will not be considered.
- F. Materials and equipment which are purchased or installed without Shop Drawing review shall be at the risk of the Contractor and the cost for removal and replacement of such materials and equipment and related work which is judged unsatisfactory by the Owner or Engineer for any reason shall be at the expense of the Contractor. The responsible Contractor shall remove the material and equipment noted above and replace with



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specified equipment or material at his own expense when directed in writing by the Architect or Engineer.

- G. Shop Drawing Submittals shall be complete and checked prior to submission to the Engineer for review.
- H. Submittals are required for, but not necessarily limited to, the following items:
  - 1. Basic Materials.
  - 2. Plumbing Fixtures and Valves.
  - 3. Supports and Carriers.
  - 4. Floor Drains, Roof Drains, and Cleanouts.
  - 5. Interceptors/Traps (All Types).
  - 6. Water Heaters.
  - 7. Expansion Tanks.
  - 8. Water Softeners.
  - 9. Water Treatment Equipment.
  - 10. Water Filters.
  - 11. Backflow Preventers.
  - 12. Plumbing Piping.
  - 13. Piping, Vessel, and Equipment Insulation.
  - 14. Expansion Fittings and Devices.
  - 15. Noise and Vibration Controls.
  - 16. Pipe and Equipment Hangers and Supports.
  - 17. Plumbing Specialties.
  - 18. Coordination Drawings.
- I. Refer to other Division 22 sections for additional Shop Drawing and submittal requirements. Provide samples of actual materials and/or equipment to be used on the Project upon request of the Owner or Engineer.

#### 1.14 COORDINATION DRAWINGS

- A. Prepare coordination drawings to a scale of 1/4"=1'-0" or larger; detailing major elements, components, and systems of plumbing equipment and materials in relationship with other systems, installations, and building components. Indicate locations where space is limited for installation and access and where sequencing and coordination of installations are of importance to the efficient flow of the Work, including (but not necessarily limited to) the following:
  - 1. Indicate the proposed locations of pipe, equipment, and other materials. Include the following:
    - a. Wall locations and types.
    - b. Clearances for installing and maintaining insulation.
    - c. Locations of light fixtures and sprinkler heads.
    - d. Clearances for servicing and maintaining equipment, including tube removal and space for equipment disassembly required for periodic maintenance.
    - e. Equipment connections and support details.
    - f. Exterior wall and foundation penetrations.
    - g. Routing of storm, sanitary sewer piping and plumbing piping.
    - h. Fire-rated wall and floor penetrations.
    - i. Sizes and location of required concrete pads and bases.



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- Valve stem movement.
- j. Structural floor, wall and roof opening sizes and details. k.
- 2. Indicate scheduling, sequencing, movement, and positioning of large equipment into the building during construction.
- 3. Prepare floor plans, elevations, and details to indicate penetrations in floors, walls, and ceilings and their relationship to other penetrations and installations.
- B. This Contractor shall be responsible for coordination of all items that will affect the installation of the work of this Division. This coordination shall include, but not be limited to: voltage, ampacity, capacity, electrical and piping connections, space requirements, sequence of construction, building requirements and special conditions.
- C. By submitting Shop Drawings on the project, this Contractor is indicating that all necessary coordination has been completed and that the systems, products and equipment submitted can be installed in the building and will operate as specified and intended, in full coordination with all other Contractors and Subcontractors.

#### **RECORD DOCUMENTS** 1.15

- Prepare Record Documents in accordance with the requirements of Division 00 and Α. Division 01, in addition to the requirements specified in Division 22.
- Β. The Contractor shall maintain a separate set of clearly and legibly marked Record Drawings on the job site to record all changes and modifications, including, but not limited to the following: work details, alterations to meet site conditions, and changes made by "Change Order" notices. Mark the drawings with colored pencil(s). These shall be available for review by the Owner, Architect or Engineer during the entire construction stage.
- C. The Record Drawings shall be updated concurrently as construction progresses, and in no case less frequently than a daily basis. They shall indicate accurate dimensions for all buried or concealed work; precise locations of all concealed pipe; locations of all valves, controls and operable devices; and any deviations from the work shown on the Construction Documents. All dimensions shall include at least two dimensions to permanent structure points.
- D. Record Drawings shall indicate, at a minimum, the following installed conditions:
  - 1. Mains and branches of piping systems, with valves and control devices located and numbered, unions located, and with items requiring maintenance located (i.e., traps, strainers, expansion fittings, tanks, etc.). Valve location diagrams, complete with valve tag chart. Indicate actual inverts and horizontal locations of underground piping.
  - 2. Equipment locations (exposed and concealed), dimensioned from prominent building lines.
  - Approved substitutions, Contract Modifications, and actual equipment and 3. materials installed.
  - Contract Modifications, actual equipment and materials installed. 4.
- E. Engage the services of a Land Surveyor or Professional Engineer registered in the state in which the project is located as specified herein to record the locations and invert elevations of underground installations.



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- F. If the Contractor does not keep an accurate set of Record Documents, the pay request may be altered or delayed at the request of the Architect. Delivery of Record Documents is a condition of final acceptance. Record Drawings shall be furnished in addition to Shop Drawings.
- G. Upon completion of the Work, the Contractor shall submit three (3) full size sets of Record Drawing prints to the Architect or Engineer for review prior to scheduling the final inspection at the completion of the work. The drawings shall have the name(s) and seal(s) of the Engineer(s) removed or blanked out and shall be clearly marked and signed on each sheet as follows:

CERTIFIED RECORD DRAWINGS

DATE:

(NAME OF GENERAL CONTRACTOR)

BY:\_\_\_\_\_

(SIGNATURE)

(NAME OF SUBCONTRACTOR)

Y:\_\_\_\_\_

(SIGNATURE)

# 1.16 CERTIFICATIONS AND TEST REPORTS

- A. Submit a detailed schedule for completion and testing of each system indicating scheduled dates for completion of system installation and outlining tests to be performed and scheduled dates for each test. This detailed completion and test schedule shall be submittal at least ninety (90) days before the projected Project completion date.
- B. Test result reporting forms shall be submitted for review no later than the date of the detailed schedule submitted.
- C. Submit four (4) copies of all certifications and test reports to the Architect or Engineer for review adequately in advance of completion of the Work to allow for remedial action as required to correct deficiencies discovered in equipment and systems.
- D. Certifications and test reports to be submitted shall include, but not be limited to those items outlined in other Sections of Division 22.

### 1.17 OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE MANUALS

- A. Prepare Operations and Maintenance manuals in accordance with the requirements of Division 01 and Division 22. In addition to the requirements of other Sections, this shall include the following information for fixtures, specialties, and equipment items:
  - 1. Identifying names, name tags designations and locations for all equipment.
  - 2. Valve tag lists with valve number, type, color coding, location and function.
  - 3. Reviewed Shop Drawing submittals with exceptions noted compliance letter.
  - 4. Fabrication drawings.



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- 5. Equipment and device bulletins and data sheets clearly highlighted to show equipment installed on the project and including performance curves and data as applicable, i.e., description of function, normal operating characteristics and limitations, performance curves, engineering data and tests, and complete nomenclature and model numbers of replacement parts.
- 6. Manufacturer's printed operating procedures to include start-up, break-in, and routine and normal operating instructions; regulation, control, stopping, shutdown, and emergency instructions; and summer and winter operating instructions.
- 7. Maintenance procedures for routine preventative maintenance and troubleshooting; disassembly, repair, and reassembly; aligning and adjusting instructions.
- 8. Servicing instructions and lubrication charts and schedules.
- 9. Equipment and motor name plate data.
- 10. Wiring diagrams.
- 11. Exploded parts views and parts lists for all equipment and devices.
- 12. Color coding charts for all painted equipment and conduit.
- 13. Location and listing of all spare parts and special keys and tools furnished to the Owner.
- 14. Furnish recommended lubrication schedule for all required lubrication points with listing of type and approximate amount of lubricant required.
- B. Coordinate with Division 01 for Operations and Maintenance manual requirements. Unless noted otherwise, bind together in "D ring" style three-ring binders (National model no. 79-883 or equivalent). Binders shall be large enough to allow ¼" of spare capacity. Include three (3) sets with all approved Shop Drawing submittals, fabrication drawings, bulletins, maintenance instructions, operating instructions and parts exploded views and lists for each and every piece of equipment furnished under this Specification. All sections shall be typed and indexed into sections with tabbed insertable dividers, labeled for easy reference. Utilize the individual specification section numbers shown in the Plumbing Specifications as an organization guideline. Bulletins containing information about equipment that is not installed on the project shall be properly marked up or stripped and reassembled. All pertinent information required by the Owner for proper operation and maintenance of equipment supplied by Division 22 shall be clearly and legibly set forth in memoranda that shall, likewise, be bound with bulletins.
- C. In addition to the bound "hard-copy" Operation and Maintenance manuals referenced above, provide an identical electronic copy in searchable PDF format, with all sections bookmarked within the file for easy reference. Provide a USB flash drive with the final manual to the Owner.
- D. Operating and Maintenance Manuals shall be turned over to the Owner or Engineer for review a minimum of fourteen (14) working days prior to the beginning of the operator training period.
- E. **Operating and Maintenance Manuals which the Engineer deems incomplete, poorly organized, or otherwise unacceptable will be rejected in writing**. The Contractor will subsequently be required to again turn over Operating and Maintenance Manuals, with all deficiencies corrected, until deemed acceptable by the Engineer.

# 1.18 OPERATOR TRAINING



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- A. The Contractor shall furnish the services of factory trained specialists to instruct the Owner's operating personnel. The Owner's operator training shall include a minimum of 12 hours of on- site training in three (3) shifts of four (4) hours each.
- B. Before proceeding with the instruction of Owner's Personnel, prepare a typed outline in triplicate, listing the subjects that will be covered in this instruction, and submit the outline for review by the Owner. At the conclusion of the instruction period, obtain the signature of each person being instructed on each copy of the reviewed outline to signify that he or she has a proper understanding of the operation and maintenance of the systems and then resubmit the signed outlines.
- C. Refer to other Sections of Division 22 for additional Operator Training requirements.

#### 1.19 FINAL COMPLETION

- A. At the completion of the work, all equipment, operable appurtenances, and systems shall be tested. All faulty equipment and material shall be repaired or replaced. Refer to other Sections of Division 22 for additional requirements.
- B. Clean and adjust all fixtures, flushometers, valves and operable devices. Replace faulty or otherwise damaged parts immediately prior to final acceptance.
- C. Touch up and/or refinish any scratched equipment and devices immediately prior to final acceptance. This shall be acceptable **only for minor superficial scratches**, the determination of which rests solely on the judgment of the Architect or Engineer.

#### 1.20 CONTRACTOR'S GUARANTEE

- A. Use of the Plumbing systems to provide temporary service during the construction period shall not be allowed without written permission from the Owner, and, if granted, shall not be cause for the warranty period to start, except as defined below.
- B. Contractor shall guarantee to keep the entire installation in repair and perfect working order for a period of one (1) year after its completion and final acceptance, and shall furnish free of additional cost to the Owner all materials and labor necessary to comply with the above guarantee throughout the year beginning from the date of issue of Substantial Completion, Beneficial Occupancy by the Owner, or the Certificate of Final Payment as agreed upon by all parties.
- C. This guarantee shall not include cleaning or changing filters except as required by testing, adjusting and balancing.
- D. Refer to other Sections of Division 22 for additional guarantee or warranty requirements.

#### 1.21 TRANSFER OF ELECTRONIC FILES

A. Project documents are not intended or represented to be suitable for re-use by Architect/Owner or others on extensions of this project or on any other project. Any such re-use or modification without written verification or adaptation by Engineer, as appropriate for the specific purpose intended, will be at Architect/Owner's risk and without liability or legal exposure to Engineer or its consultants from all claims, damages, losses and expense, including attorney's fees arising out of or resulting thereof.



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- B. Because data stored in electric media format can deteriorate or be modified inadvertently, or otherwise without authorization of the data's creator, the party receiving the electronic files agrees that it will perform acceptance tests or procedures within sixty (60) days of receipt, after which time the receiving party shall be deemed to have accepted the data thus transferred to be acceptable. Any errors detected within the sixty (60) day acceptance period will be corrected by the party delivering the electronic files. Engineer is not responsible for maintaining documents stored in electronic media format after acceptance by the Architect/Owner.
- C. When transferring documents in electronic media format, Engineer makes no representations as to the long-term compatibility, usability or readability of documents resulting from the use of software application packages, operating systems, or computer hardware differing from those used by Engineer at the beginning of the Project.
- D. Any re-use or modifications will be Contractor's sole risk and without liability or legal exposure to Architect, Engineer or any consultant.
- E. The Texas Board of Architectural Examiners (TBAE) has stated that it is in violation of Texas law for persons other than the Architect of record to revise the Architectural drawings without the Architect's written consent.
  - 1. It is agreed that "MEP" hard copy or computer-generated documents will not be issued to any other party except directly to the Architect/Owner. The Contract Documents are contractually copyrighted and cannot be used for any other project or purpose except as specifically indicated in AIA B-141 Standard Form of Agreement Between Architect and Owner.
  - 2. If the client, Architect/Owner, or developer of the project requires electronic media for "record purposes", then an AutoCAD based compact disc ("CD") will be prepared. The "CD" will be submitted with all title block references intact and will be formatted in a "plot" format to permit the end user to only view and plot the drawings. Revisions will not be permitted in this configuration.
- E. At the Architect/Owner's request, Engineer will prepare one "CD" of electronic media to assist the Contractor in the preparation of submittals. The Engineer will prepare and submit the "CD" to the Architect/Owner for distribution to the Contractor.
  - 1. The "CD" will be prepared and all title blocks, names and dates will be removed. The "CD" will be prepared in a ".dwg" format to permit the end user to revise the drawings.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 MATERIALS

- A. Provide materials and equipment manufactured by a domestic United States manufacturer and assembled in the United States for all local and Federal Government projects. These materials and equipment shall comply with "Buy American Act."
- B. Access Doors: Provide access doors as required for access to equipment, valves, controls, cleanouts and other apparatus where concealed. Access doors shall have concealed hinges and screw driver cam locks unless indicated otherwise.
- C. All access panels located in wet areas such as toilet rooms, locker rooms, shower rooms,



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natatoriums, kitchens, and any other wet areas shall be constructed of stainless steel.

- D. Access doors shall be as follows:
  - 1. Plastic Surfaces: Milcor Style K.
  - 2. Ceramic Tile Surfaces: Milcor Style M.
  - 3. Drywall Surfaces: Milcor Style DW.
  - 4. Install panels only in locations approved by the Architect.

#### 2.2 EQUIPMENT PADS

- A. Provide four (4) inch high concrete pads for indoor floor mounted equipment. Pads shall conform to the shape of the equipment with a minimum extension of six (6) inches beyond the equipment. Top and sides of pads shall be troweled to a smooth finish, equivalent to the floor. External corners shall be bull-nosed to a 3/4" radius, unless shown otherwise.
- B. Provide six (6) inch high concrete pads for all exterior mounted equipment. Pads shall conform to the shape of the equipment with a minimum extension of six (6) inches beyond the equipment. Provide a four (4) foot monolithic extension to the pad in front of the equipment for service when mounted on a non-finished area (i.e. landscape, gravel, clay, etc.) Top and sides of pads shall be troweled to a smooth finish. External corners shall be bull-nosed to a 3/4" radius, unless shown otherwise.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 ROUGH-IN

- A. Verify final locations for rough-ins with field measurements and with the requirements of the actual equipment to be connected via reviewed submittals.
- B. Refer to equipment specifications in other Divisions (10, 11, 12, 13, 21, 22, etc.) for additional rough-in requirements as necessary and provide accordingly.

#### 3.2 PLUMBING INSTALLATIONS

- A. General: Sequence, coordinate, and integrate the various elements of plumbing and fire systems, materials, and equipment. Comply with the following requirements:
  - 1. Coordinate plumbing and fire protection systems, equipment, and materials installation with other building components.
  - 2. Verify all dimensions by field measurements.
  - 3. Arrange for chases, slots, leave-outs, and other openings in building components during progress of construction to allow for plumbing installations.
  - 4. Coordinate the installation of required supporting devices, sleeves, and pathways to be set in poured-in-place concrete and other structural components, as they are constructed.
  - 5. Sequence, coordinate, and integrate installations of plumbing materials and equipment for efficient flow of the Work. Give particular attention to large equipment requiring positioning prior to closing in the building.
  - 6. Where mounting heights are not detailed or dimensioned, install systems, materials, and equipment to provide the maximum headroom possible.



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- 7. Coordinate connection of plumbing and fire protection systems with exterior underground and overhead utilities and services. Comply with requirements of governing regulations, franchised service companies, and controlling agencies. Provide required connection for each service.
- 8. Install systems, materials, and equipment to conform with architectural action markings on submittal, including coordination drawings, to greatest extent possible. Conform to arrangements indicated by the Contract Documents, recognizing that portions of the Work are shown only in diagrammatic form. Where coordination requirements conflict with individual system requirements, resolve conflicts and submit proposed solution to the Architect for review.
- 9. Install systems, materials, and equipment level and plumb, parallel and perpendicular to other building systems and components, where installed exposed in finished spaces.
- 10. Install equipment to facilitate servicing, maintenance, and repair or replacement of equipment components. As much as practical, connect equipment for ease of disconnecting, with minimum of interference with other installations. Extend grease fittings to an accessible location and label.
- 11. Install access panels or doors where valves, operable devices, and equipment are concealed behind finished surfaces. Refer to Article 2.1 of this Section and to Architectural documents for specifications and locations.
- 12. Install systems, materials, and equipment giving right-of-way priority to systems required to be installed at a specified slope.
- 13. Provide roof curbs for all roof mounted equipment. Coordinate with roof construction for pitched roof. Provide roof curb to match roof slope. Refer to architectural drawings and details.
- 14. The equipment to be furnished under this Specification shall be essentially the standard product of the manufacturer. Where two or more units of the same class of equipment are required, these units shall be products of a single manufacturer; however, the component parts of the system need not be the product of the same manufacturer.
- 15. The architectural and structural features of the building and the space limitations shall be considered in selection of all equipment. No equipment shall be furnished which will not suit the arrangement and space limitations indicated.
- 16. Lubrication: Prior to start-up, check and properly lubricate all bearings as recommended by the manufacturer.
- 17. Where the word "Concealed" is used in these Specifications in connection with insulating, painting, piping, valves, etc., it shall be understood to mean hidden from sight as in chases, furred spaces or suspended ceilings. "Exposed" shall be understood to mean the opposite of concealed.
- 18. Identification of Plumbing Equipment:
  - a. Plumbing equipment shall be identified by means of nameplates permanently attached to the equipment. Nameplates shall be engraved laminated plastic or etched metal. Shop Drawings shall include dimensions and lettering format for approval. Attachments shall be with escutcheon pins, self-tapping screws, or machine screws.
  - b. Tags shall be attached to all valves, including control valves, with nonferrous chains. Tags shall be brass and at least 1-1/2 inches in diameter. Nameplate and tag symbols shall correspond to the identification symbols on the Record Drawings.

#### 3.3 CUTTING AND PATCHING



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- A. Protection of Installed Work: During cutting and patching operations, protect adjacent installations.
- B. Perform cutting, fitting, and patching of plumbing equipment and materials required to:
  - 1. Uncover Work to provide for installation of ill-timed Work.
  - 2. Remove and replace defective Work.
  - 3. Remove and replace Work not conforming to requirements of the Contract Documents.
  - 4. Remove samples of installed Work as specified for testing.
  - 5. Install equipment and materials in existing structures.
  - 6. Upon written instructions from the Engineer, uncover and restore Work to provide for Engineer/Owner's observation of concealed Work, without additional cost to the Owner.
  - 7. Patch existing finished surfaces and building components using new materials matching existing materials and experienced Installers. Patch finished surfaces and building components using new materials specified for the original installation and experienced Installers; refer to the materials and methods required for the surface and building components being patched; Refer to Article 1.11 DEFINITIONS AND SYMBOLS for definition of "Installer."
- C. Cut, remove and legally dispose of selected plumbing equipment, components, and materials as indicated, including but not limited to removal of plumbing piping, equipment, plumbing fixtures and trim, and other plumbing items made obsolete by the new Work.
- D. Protect the structure, furnishings, finishes, and adjacent materials not indicated or scheduled to be removed.
- E. Provide and maintain temporary partitions or dust barriers adequate to prevent the spread of dust and dirt to adjacent areas.
- 3.4 WORK SEQUENCE, TIMING, COORDINATION WITH OWNER, ARCHITECT AND ENGINEER
  - A. The Owner will cooperate with the Contractor, however, the following provisions must be observed:
    - 1. A meeting will be held at the project site, prior to any construction, between the Owner's Representative, the General Contractor, the Subcontractors and the Architect/Engineer to discuss Contractor's employee parking space, access, storage of equipment or materials, and use of the Owner's facilities or utilities. The Owner's decisions regarding such matters shall be final.
    - 2. During the construction of this project, normal facility activities will continue in existing buildings until renovated areas are completed. Plumbing, fire protection, lighting, electrical, communications, heating, air conditioning, and ventilation systems will have to be maintained in service within the occupied spaces of the existing building.
  - B. Start-up for major plumbing and fire protection equipment shall be performed by a factory authorized technician. Such equipment shall include, but not necessarily be limited to, the following: domestic water boilers and packaged water heating systems, water softeners, ultra-pure water equipment systems, domestic water booster pumps, fire pumps, and break tank level alarm systems. Refer to other Sections of Divisions 21 and 22 for additional requirements.



- 3.5 DEMOLITION AND WORK WITHIN EXISTING BUILDINGS
  - A. In the preparation of these documents every effort has been made to show the approximate locations of, and connections to the existing piping, utilities, equipment and other apparatus related to this phase of the work. However, this Contractor shall be responsible for verifying all of the above information. This Contractor shall visit the existing site to inspect the facilities and related areas. This Contractor shall inspect and verify all details and requirements of all the Contract Documents, prior to the submission of a proposal. All discrepancies between the Contract Documents and actual job-site conditions shall be resolved by this Contractor, who shall produce drawings that shall be submitted to the Architect/Engineer for review. All labor and materials required to perform the work described shall be a part of this Contract.
  - B. All equipment and/or systems noted on the Drawings "To Remain" shall be inspected and tested on site to certify its working condition. A written report on the condition of all equipment to remain, including a copy of the test results and recommended remedial actions and costs shall be made by this Contractor to the Architect/Engineer for review.
  - C. All equipment and/or systems noted on the Drawings "To Be Removed" shall be removed including, associated pipe, supports, and hangers. Where pipe is to be capped for future or end of line use, it shall be properly tagged with its function or service appropriately identified. Where existing equipment is to be removed or relocated and has an electric motor or connection, the Electrical Contractor shall disconnect motor or connection, remove wiring to a safe point and this Contractor shall remove or relocate motor or connection along with the equipment.
  - D. Ensure existing piping and equipment to remain that is adjacent to and impacted by the scope of Work is properly supported, fastened, and secure.
  - E. During the construction and remodeling, portions of the Project shall remain in service. Construction equipment, material tools, extension cords, etc., shall be arranged so as to present minimum hazard or interruption to the occupants of the building. None of the construction work shall interfere with the proper operation of the existing facility or be so conducted as to cause harm or danger to persons on the premises. All fire exits, stairs or corridors required for proper access, circulation or exit shall remain clear of equipment, materials or debris. The General Contractor shall maintain barricades, other separations in corridors and other spaces where work is conducted.
  - F. Certain work during the demolition phase of construction may require overtime, night time, or weekend shifts or temporary evacuation of the occupants. Coordinate and schedule all proposed down time with the Owner at least seventy-two (72) hours in advance in writing.
  - G. Any salvageable equipment as determined by the Owner, shall be delivered to the Owner, and placed in storage at the location of his choice. All other debris shall be removed from the site immediately and disposed of lawfully.
  - H. Equipment, piping or other potential hazards to the working occupants of the building or the general public shall not be left overnight outside of the designated working or construction area.
  - I. Make every effort to minimize damage to the existing building and the Owner's property. Repair, patch or replace as required any damage that occurs as a result of work at the



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site. Care shall be taken to minimize interference with the Owner's activities during construction and to keep construction disrupted areas to a minimum. Coordinate with the Owner and other trades in scheduling and performance of the work.

- J. Include in the contract price all rerouting of existing pipe, utilities, etc., and the reconnecting of the existing equipment and plumbing fixtures as necessitated by field conditions to allow the installation of the new systems regardless of whether or not such rerouting, reconnecting or relocating is shown on the Drawings. Provide all temporary pipe, utilities, controls, etc., as required to maintain heating, cooling, ventilation and plumbing services for the existing areas with a minimum of interruption.
- K. All existing plumbing fixtures, pipe, utilities, materials, equipment, controls and appurtenances not included in the remodel or alteration areas are to remain in place.
- L. Pipe, utilities, equipment and controls serving mechanical, plumbing and owner's equipment, etc., which is to remain but which is served by pipe, utilities, equipment and controls that are disturbed by the remodeling work, shall be reconnected in such a manner as to leave this equipment in proper operating condition.
- M. No portion of the **fire protection systems** shall be turned off, modified or changed in any way without the express knowledge and written permission of the Owner's representative in order to protect systems that shall remain in service.
- N. It is the intention of this Section of the Specifications to outline minimum requirements to furnish the Owner with a turn-key and operating system in cooperation with other trades with a minimum of disruption or downtime.
- O. Refer to Architectural Demolition and/or Alteration plans for actual locations of walls, ceiling, etc., being removed and/or remodeled.

#### END OF SECTION



### SECTION 22 03 00 - PLUMBING DEMOLITION FOR REMODELING

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES
  - A. Demolition of plumbing systems and components.
  - B. The drawings do not show all demolition work required. The contractor shall make himself familiar with the required scope of work to accomplish the work required by these documents. All demolition work implied or required shall be included in the scope of this contract.
  - C. Outages of services as required by the new installation will be permitted but only at a time approved by the Owner. The contractor shall allow the Owner 2 weeks in order to schedule required outages. The time allowed for outages will not be during normal working hours unless otherwise approved by the Owner. All costs of outages, including overtime charges, shall be included in the contract amount.
- 1.2 RELATED SECTIONS
  - A. Alteration Project Procedures (may be present under Division 01).
  - B. Selective Demolition (may be present under Division 02).
- 1.3 WORK SEQUENCE, TIMING, COORDINATION WITH OWNER
  - A. The Owner will corporate with the Contractor, however, the following provisions must be observed:
    - 1. During the construction of this project, normal facility activities will continue in existing buildings until new buildings or renovated areas are completed. Plumbing, fire protection, lighting, electrical, communications, heating, air conditioning, and ventilation systems will have to be maintained in service within the occupied spaces of the existing building.
    - 2. A meeting will be held at the project site, prior to any construction, between the Owner's Representative, the General Contractor, the Sub-Contractors and the Engineer to discuss Contractor's employee parking space, access, storage of equipment or materials, and use of the Owner's facilities or utilities. The Owner's decisions regarding such matters shall be final.

#### 1.4 DEMOLITION AND WORK WITHIN EXISTING BUILDINGS

A. In the preparation of these documents every effort has been made to show the approximate locations of, and connections to the existing piping, systems, equipment and other apparatus related to this phase of the work. However, this Contractor shall be responsible for verifying all of the above information. This Contractor shall visit the existing site to inspect the facilities and related areas. This Contractor shall inspect and verify all details and requirements of all the Contract Documents, prior to the submission of a proposal. All discrepancies between the Contract Documents and actual job-site conditions shall be resolved by his contractor, who shall produce drawings which shall be



submitted to the Architect/Engineer for review. All labor and materials required to perform the work described shall be a part of this Contract.

- B. All equipment and/or systems noted on the Drawings "To Remain" shall be inspected and tested on site to certify its working condition. A written report on the condition of all equipment to remain, including a copy of the test results and recommended remedial actions and costs shall be made by this Contractor to the Architect/Engineer for review.
- C. All equipment and/or systems noted on the Drawings "To Be Removed" should be removed including, associated pipe, fittings, and hangers and/or line supports. Where pipe is to be capped for future or end of line use, it shall be properly tagged with its function or service appropriately identified. Where existing equipment is to be removed or relocated and has an electric motor or connection, the Electrical Contractor shall disconnect motor or connection, remove wiring to a safe point and this Contractor shall remove or relocate motor or connection along with the equipment.
- D. During the construction and remodeling, portions of the Project shall remain in service. Construction equipment, material tools, extension cords, etc., shall be arranged so as to present minimum hazard or interruption to the occupants of the building. None of the construction work shall interfere with the proper operation of the existing facility or be so conducted as to cause harm or danger to persons on the premises. All fire exits, stairs or corridors required for proper access, circulation or exit shall remain clear of equipment, materials or debris. The General Contractor shall maintain barricades, other separations in corridors and other spaces where work is conducted.
- E. Certain work during the demolition and construction phases of construction may require overtime or night time shifts or temporary evacuation of the occupants. Coordinate and schedule all proposed down time with the Project Administrator at least seventy-two (72) hours in advance in writing.
- F. Any salvageable equipment as determined by the Owner, shall be delivered to the Owner, and placed in storage at the location of his choice. All other debris shall be removed from the site immediately.
- G. Equipment, piping or other potential hazards to the occupants of the building shall not be left overnight outside of the designated working or construction area.
- H. Make every effort to minimize damage to the existing building and the owner's property. Repair, patch or replace as required any damage which might occur as a result of work at the site. Care shall be taken to minimize interference with the Owner's activities during construction and to keep construction disrupted areas to a minimum. Corporate with the Owner and other trades in scheduling and performance of the work.
- I. Include in the contract price all rerouting of existing pipe, etc., and the reconnecting of the existing equipment and plumbing fixtures as necessitated by field conditions to allow the installation of the new systems regardless of whether or not such rerouting, reconnecting or relocating is shown on the drawings. Furnish all temporary pipe, duct, controls, etc., as required to maintain heating, cooling, ventilation and plumbing services for the existing areas with a minimum of interruption.
- J. All existing plumbing fixtures, pipe, materials, equipment, and appurtenances not included in the remodel or alteration areas are to remain in place.



- K. Pipe, duct, equipment and controls serving mechanical, plumbing and owner's equipment, etc., which is to remain but which is served by pipe, duct, equipment and controls that are disturbed by the remodeling work, shall be reconnected in such a manner as to leave this equipment in proper operating condition.
- L. No portion of the **fire protection systems** shall be turned off, modified or changed in any way without the express knowledge and written permission of the Owner's representative in order to protect systems that shall remain in service.
- M. It is the intention of this Section of the Specifications to outline minimum requirements to furnish the Owner with a turn-key and operating system in cooperation with other trades with a minimum of disruption or downtime.
- N. Refer to Architectural "Demolition and/or Alteration" plans for actual location of walls, ceiling, etc., being removed and/or remodeled.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT

A. Materials and equipment for patching and extending work: As specified in individual Sections.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Field verify measurements and piping arrangements are as shown on Drawings.
- B. Verify that abandoned piping and equipment serve only abandoned facilities.
- C. Demolition Drawings are based on casual field observation and existing record documents. Report discrepancies to Owner before disturbing existing installation.
- D. Beginning of demolition means installer accepts existing conditions.

#### 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Disconnect plumbing systems in walls, floors, and ceilings scheduled for removal.
- B. Coordinate utility service outages with Utility Company.
- C. Provide temporary connections to maintain existing systems in service during construction. When work must be performed on energized equipment, use personnel experienced in such operations.
- D. Existing Service: Maintain existing system in service until new system is complete and ready for service. Disable system only to make switchovers and connections. Obtain permission from Owner at least 24 hours before partially or completely disabling system. Minimize outage duration. Make temporary connections to maintain service in areas adjacent to work area.
- E. Existing Fire Alarm System: Maintain existing system in service until new system is



accepted. Disable system only to make switchovers and connections. Notify Owner and local fire service at least 24 hours before partially or completely disabling system. Minimize outage duration. Make temporary connections to maintain service in areas adjacent to work area.

#### 3.3 DEMOLITION AND EXTENSION OF EXISTING PLUMBING WORK

- A. Demolish and extend existing plumbing work under related provisions of Division 1, Division 2, and this Section.
- B. Remove, relocate, and extend existing installations to accommodate new construction.
- C. Remove abandoned piping to source of supply.
- D. Remove exposed abandoned piping systems, including abandoned systems above accessible ceiling finishes. Cut systems flush with walls and floors, and patch surfaces.
- E. Repair adjacent construction and finishes damaged during demolition and extension work.
- F. Maintain access to existing installations which remain active. Modify installation or provide access panels as appropriate.
- G. Extend existing installations using materials and methods compatible with existing installations, or as specified.

### 3.4 CLEANING AND REPAIR

A. Clean and repair existing materials and equipment which remain or are to be reused.

#### 3.5 INSTALLATION

A. Install relocated materials and equipment under the provisions of Alteration Project Procedures Section.

#### 3.6 REMOVAL OF MATERIALS

- A. The contractor shall modify, remove, and/or relocate all materials and items so indicated on the drawings or required by the installation of new facilities. All removals and/or dismantling shall be conducted in a manner as to produce maximum salvage. Salvage materials shall remain the property of the Owner, and shall be delivered to such destination as directed by the Owner. Materials and/or items scheduled for relocation and which are damaged during dismantling or reassembly operations shall be repaired and restored to good operative condition. The contractor may, at his discretion and upon the approval of the Owner, substitute new materials and/or items of like design and quality in lieu of materials and/or items to be relocated.
- B. All items which are to be relocated shall be carefully removed in reverse to original assembly or placement and protected until relocated. The contractor shall clean and repair and provide all new materials, fittings, and appurtenances required to complete the relocations and to restore to good operative order. All relocations shall be performed by workmen skilled in the work and in accordance with standard practice of the trades



involved.

- C. When items scheduled for relocation are found to be in damaged condition before work has been started on dismantling, the contractor shall call the attention of the Owner to such items and receive further instructions before removal. Items damaged in repositioning operations are the contractor's responsibility and shall be repaired or replaced by the contractor as approved by the Owner, at no additional cost to the Owner.
- D. Service lines and wiring to items to be removed, salvaged, or relocated shall be removed to points indicated on the drawings, specified, or acceptable to the Owner. Service lines and wiring not scheduled for reuse shall be removed to the points at which reuse is to be continued or service is to remain. Such services shall be sealed, capped, or otherwise tied-off or disconnected in a safe manner acceptable to the Owner. All disconnections or connections into the existing facilities shall be done in such a manner as to result in minimum interruption of services to adjacent occupied areas. Services to existing areas or facilities which must remain in operation during the construction period shall not be interrupted without prior specific approval of the Owner as hereinbefore specified.
- E. Certain work during the demolition phase of construction may require overtime or nighttime shifts or temporary evacuation of the occupants. Coordinate and schedule all proposed down time with the Owner's Representative at least 72 hours in advance.
- F. Make every effort to minimize damage to the existing building and the Owner's property. Repair, patch, or replace as required any damage which might occur as a result of work at the site. Care shall be taken to minimize interference with the Owner's activities during construction. Cooperate with the Owner and other trades in scheduling and performance of the work.
- G. Include in the contract price all rerouting of existing conduits, wiring, outlet boxes, fixtures, etc., and the reconnecting of existing fixtures as necessitated by field conditions to allow the installation of the new systems. Furnish all temporary conduit, wiring, boxes, etc., as required to maintain lighting and power service for the existing areas with a minimum of interruption. Remove wire and conduit back to nearest accessible active junction box and extend to existing homeruns as required.
- H. The contractor shall be responsible for loss or damage to the existing facilities caused by him and his workmen, and shall be responsible for repairing such loss or damage. The contractor shall send proper notices, make necessary arrangements, and perform other services required for the care, protection and in-service maintenance of all electrical services for the new and existing facilities. The contractor shall erect temporary barricades, with necessary safety devices, as required to protect personnel from injury, removing all such temporary protection upon completion of the work.
- I. Where existing construction is removed to provide working and extension access to existing utilities, contractor shall remove doors, piping, conduit, outlet boxes, wiring, light fixtures, air conditioning ductwork and equipment, etc., to provide this access and shall reinstall same upon completion of work in the areas affected.
- J. Where partitions, walls, floors, or ceilings of existing construction are being removed, all contractors shall remove and reinstall in locations approved by the Architect all devices required for the operation of the various systems installed in the existing construction.



**END OF SECTION** 



# SECTION 22 05 29 - HANGERS AND SUPPORT FOR PLUMBING PIPING AND EQUIPMENT

### PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 WORK INCLUDED
  - A. Pipe, and equipment hangers, supports, and associated anchors.
  - B. Sleeves and seals.
  - C. Flashing and sealing equipment and pipe stacks.

### 1.2 RELATED WORK

- A. Section 22 02 00 Basic Materials and Methods
- B. Section 22 07 19 Plumbing Piping Insulation
- C. Section 22 10 00 Plumbing Piping

#### 1.3 REFERENCES

A. ANSI/ASME B31.1 - Power Piping.

#### 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Supports for Sprinkler Piping: In conformance with NFPA 13.
- B. Supports for Standpipes: In conformance with NFPA 14.

#### 1.5 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit shop drawings and product data under provisions of Division One.
- B. Indicate hanger and support framing and attachment methods.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 PIPE HANGERS AND SUPPORTS

- A. Hangers for Pipe Sizes 1/2 to 1-1/2 Inch Malleable iron, adjustable swivel, split ring.
- B. Hangers for Pipe Sizes 2 to 4 Inches Carbon steel, adjustable, clevis.
- C. Hangers for Pipe Sizes 6 Inches and Over: Adjustable steel yoke, cast iron roll, double hanger.
- D. Multiple or Trapeze Hangers: Steel channels with welded spacers and hanger rods; cast iron roll and stand for pipe sizes 6 inches and over.
- E. Wall Support for Pipe Sizes to 3 Inches: Cast iron hook.
- F. Wall Support for Pipe Sizes 4 Inches and Over: adjustable steel yoke and cast iron roll.



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- G. Vertical Support: Steel riser clamp.
- H. Floor Support for Pipe Sizes to 4 Inches: Cast iron adjustable pipe saddle, locknut nipple, floor flange, and concrete pier or steel support.
- I. Floor Support for Pipe Sizes 6 Inches and Over: Adjustable cast iron roll and stand, steel screws, and concrete pier or steel support.
- J. Roof Pipe Supports and Hangers: Galvanized Steel Channel System as manufactured by Portable Pipe Hangers, Inc. or approved equal.

For pipes 2-1/2" and smaller – Type PP10 with roller For pipes 3" through 8" – Type PS For multiple pipes – Type PSE - Custom

- K. Copper Pipe Support and Hangers: Electro-galvanized with thermoplastic elastomer cushions; Unistrut "Cush-A-Clamp" or equal. Hangers: Plastic coated; Unistrut or equal.
- L. For installation of protective shields refer to specification section 22 07 19 -3.3.
- M. Shields for Vertical Copper Pipe Risers: Sheet lead.
- N. Pipe Rough-In Supports in Walls/Chases: Provide preformed plastic pipe supports, Sioux Chief "Pipe Titan" hold rite or equal.

#### 2.2 HANGER RODS

A. Galvanized Hanger Rods: Threaded both ends, threaded one end, or continuous threaded.

#### 2.3 INSERTS

A. Inserts: Malleable iron case of galvanized steel shell and expander plug for threaded connection with lateral adjustment, top slot for reinforcing rods, lugs for attaching to forms; size inserts to suit threaded hanger rods.

### 2.4 FLASHING

- A. Metal Flashing: 20 gage galvanized steel.
- B. Lead Flashing: 4 lb./sq. ft. sheet lead for waterproofing; 1 lb./sq. ft. sheet lead for soundproofing.
- C. Caps: Steel, 20 gage minimum; 16 gage at fire resistant elements.
- D. Coordinate with roofing contractor/architect for type of flashing on metal roofs.

#### 2.5 EQUIPMENT CURBS

- A. Fabricate curbs of hot dipped galvanized steel.
- 2.6 SLEEVES



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- A. Sleeves for Pipes Through Non-fire Rated Floors: Form with 18 gage galvanized steel, tack welded to form a uniform sleeve.
- B. Sleeves for Pipes Through Non-fire Rated Beams, Walls, Footings, and Potentially Wet Floors: Form with steel pipe, schedule 40.
- C. Sleeves for Pipes Through Fire Rated and Fire Resistive Floors and Walls, and Fireproofing: Prefabricated fire rated steel sleeves including seals, UL listed.
- D. Fire Stopping Insulation: Glass fiber type, non-combustible, U.L. listed.
- E. Caulk: Paintable 25-year acrylic sealant.
- F. Pipe Alignment Guides: Factory fabricated, of cast semi-steel or heavy fabricated steel, consisting of bolted, two-section outer cylinder and base with two-section guiding spider that bolts tightly to pipe. Length of guides shall be as recommended by manufacturer to allow indicated travel.

#### 2.7 FABRICATION

- A. Size sleeves large enough to allow for movement due to expansion and contraction. Provide for continuous insulation wrapping.
- B. Design hangers without disengagement of supported pipe.
- C. Design roof supports without roof penetrations, flashing or damage to the roofing material.

#### 2.8 FINISH

A. Prime coat exposed steel hangers and supports. Hangers and supports located in crawl spaces, pipe shafts, and suspended ceiling spaces are not considered exposed.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 INSERTS

- A. Provide inserts for suspending hangers from reinforced concrete slabs and sides of reinforced concrete beams. Coordinate with structural engineer for placement of inserts.
- B. Provide hooked rod to concrete reinforcement section for inserts carrying pipe over 4 inches.
- C. Where concrete slabs form finished ceiling, provide inserts to be flush with slab surface.
- D. Where inserts are omitted, drill through concrete slab from below and provide thru-bolt with recessed square steel plate and nut recessed into and grouted flush with slab. Verify with structural engineer prior to start of work.
- 3.2 PIPE HANGERS AND SUPPORTS
  - A. Support horizontal piping as follows:



PIPE SIZE	MAX. HANGER SPACING	HANGER DIAMETER
(Steel Pipe)		
1/2 to 1-1/4 inch	7'-0"	3/8"
1-1/2 to 3 inch	10'-0"	3/8"
4 to 6 inch	10'-0"	1/2"
8 to 10 inch	10'-0"	5/8"
12 to 14 inch	10'-0"	3/4"
15 inch and over	10'-0"	7/8"
(Copper Pipe)		
1/2 to 1-1/4 inch	5'-0"	3/8"
1-1/2 to 2-1/2 inch	8'-0"	3/8"
3 to 4 inch	10'-0"	3/8"
6 to 8 inch	10'-0"	1/2"
(Cast Iron)		
2 to 3 inch	5'-0"	3/8"
4 to 6 inch	10'-0"	1/2"
8 to 10 inch	10'-0"	5/8"
12 to 14 inch	10'-0"	3/4"
15 inch and over	10'-0"	7/8"
(PVC Pipe)		
1-1/2 to 4 inch	4'-0"	3/8"
6 to 8 inch	4'-0"	1/2"
10 and over	4'-0"	5/8"

- B. Install hangers to provide minimum 1/2 inch space between finished covering and adjacent work.
- C. Place a hanger within 12 inches of each horizontal elbow and at the vertical horizontal transition.
- D. Use hangers with 1-1/2 inch minimum vertical adjustment.
- E. Support horizontal cast iron pipe adjacent to each hub, with 5 feet maximum spacing between hangers.
- F. Support vertical piping at every floor. Support vertical cast iron pipe at each floor at hub.
- G. Where several pipes can be installed in parallel and at same elevation, provide multiple or trapeze hangers.
- H. Support riser piping independently of connected horizontal piping.
- I. Install hangers with nut at base and above hanger; tighten upper nut to hanger after final installation adjustments.
- J. Portable pipe hanger systems shall be installed per manufactures instructions.
- 3.3 Insulated Piping: Comply with the following installation requirements.
  - A. Clamps: Attach galvanized clamps, including spacers (if any), to piping with clamps projecting through insulation; do not exceed pipe stresses allowed by ASME B31.9.



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- B. Saddles: Install galvanized protection saddles MSS Type 39 where insulation without vapor barrier is indicated. Fill interior voids with segments of insulation that match adjoining pipe insulation.
- C. Shields: Install protective shields MSS Type 40 on cold and chilled water piping that has vapor barrier. Shields shall span an arc of 180 degrees and shall have dimensions in inches not less than the following:

<u>NPS</u>	<u>LENGTH</u>	THICKNESS
1/4 THROUGH 3-1/2	12	0.048
4	12	0.060
5&6	18	0.060
8 THROUGH 14	24	0.075
16 THROUGH 24	24	0.105

- D. Piping 2" and larger provide galvanized sheet metal shields with calcium silicate at hangers/supports.
- E. Insert material shall be at least as long as the protective shield.
- F. Thermal Hanger Shields: Install where indicated, with insulation of same thickness as piping.

#### 3.4 EQUIPMENT BASES AND SUPPORTS

- A. Provide equipment bases of concrete.
- B. Provide templates, anchor bolts, and accessories for mounting and anchoring equipment.
- C. Construct support of steel members. Brace and fasten with flanges bolted to structure.
- D. Provide rigid anchors for pipes after vibration isolation components are installed.

#### 3.5 FLASHING

- A. Provide flexible flashing and metal counter flashing where piping and ductwork penetrate weather or waterproofed walls, floors, and roofs.
- B. Flash vent and soil pipes projecting 8 inches minimum above finished roof surface with lead worked one inch minimum into hub, 8 inches minimum clear on sides with 24 x 24 inches sheet size. For pipes through outside walls, turn flanges back into wall and caulk, metal counter flash and seal.
- C. Flash floor drains in floors with topping over finished areas with lead, 10 inches clear on sides with minimum 36 x 36 inch sheet size. Fasten flashing to drain clamp device.
- D. Seal floor shower mop sink and all other drains watertight to adjacent materials.
- E. Provide curbs for mechanical roof installations 8 inches minimum high above roofing surface. Contact architect for all flashing details and roof construction. Seal penetrations watertight.



### 3.6 SLEEVES

- A. Set sleeves in position in formwork. Provide reinforcing around sleeves.
- B. Extend sleeves through floors minimum one inch above finished floor level. Caulk sleeves full depth with fire rated thermfiber and 3M caulking and provide floor plate.
- C. Where piping penetrates floor, ceiling, or wall, close off space between pipe and adjacent work with U.L. listed fire stopping insulation and caulk seal air tight. Provide close fitting metal collar or escutcheon covers at both sides of penetration.

# END OF SECTION



### SECTION 22 05 48 - VIBRATION AND SEISMIC CONTROLS FOR PLUMBING PIPING

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 WORK INCLUDED
  - A. Vibration and sound control products.

#### 1.2 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of Contract including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division One specification sections, apply to work of this section
- B. This section is Division-22 Basic Materials and Methods section, and is part of each Division-22 section making reference to vibration control products specified herein.

#### 1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Manufacturer's Qualifications: Firms regularly engaged in manufacture of vibration control products, of type, size, and capacity required, whose products have been in satisfactory use in similar service for not less than 5 years.
- B. Vibration and sound control products shall conform to ASHRAE criteria for average noise criteria curves for all equipment at full load conditions.
- C. Except as otherwise indicated, sound and vibration control products shall be provided by a single manufacturer.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. SHOP DRAWINGS: Indicate size, material, and finish. Show locations and installation procedures. Include details of joints, attachments, and clearances.
- B. PRODUCT DATA: Submit schedules, charts, literature, and illustrations to indicate the performance, fabrication procedures, product variations, and accessories.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

- A. Amber/Booth Company, Inc.
- B. Mason Industries, Inc.
- C. Noise Control, Inc.
- 2.2 GENERAL
  - A. Provide vibration isolation supports for equipment, piping and ductwork, to prevent transmission of vibration and noise to the building structures that may cause discomfort to the occupants.



B. Model numbers of Amber/Booth products are included for identification. Products of the additional manufacturers will be acceptable provided they comply with all of the requirements of this specification.

### 2.3 BASE MOUNTED PUMPS

- A. Amber/Booth type SP-NR style E flexplate pad isolators consisting of two layers of 3/8" thick alternate ribbed neoprene pad bonded to a 16 gage galvanized steel separator plate.
- B. Pads shall be sized for approximately 40 PSI loading and 1/8" deflection.

### 2.4 PIPING

A. Furnish line size flexible connectors at supply and return of pumps, amber/booth style 2800 single sphere EPDM construction, connector shall include 150 lb. cadmium plated carbon steel floating flanges.

### 2.5 CORROSION PROTECTION

- A. All vibration isolators shall be designed and treated for resistance to corrosion.
- B. Steel components: PVC coated or phosphated and painted with industrial grade enamel. Nuts, bolts, and washers: zinc-electroplated.

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 All equipment shall be installed in accordance with the manufacturers recommendations and printed installation instructions.
- 3.2 All items required for a complete and proper installation are not necessarily indicated on the plans or in the specifications. Provide all items required as per manufacturers requirements.
- 3.3 The vibration isolation supplier shall certify in writing that he has inspected the installation and that all external isolation materials and devices are installed correctly and functioning properly.

# END OF SECTION



### SECTION 22 05 53 - IDENTIFICATION FOR PLUMBING PIPING AND EQUIPMENT

PART 1 - GENERAL

### 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all work herein.
- B. The Basic Materials and Methods, Section 22 02 00, are included as a part of this Section as though written in full in this document.

#### 1.2 SCOPE

- A. The scope of the work shall include the furnishing and complete installation of the items covered by this Section, with all appurtenances, ready for owner's use.
- B. Refer to Architectural Sections for any additional requirements.

#### 1.3 RELATED WORK

- A. Section 22 10 00 Plumbing Piping
- B. Section 22 07 19 Plumbing Piping Insulation

#### 1.4 REFERENCES

A. ANSI/ASME A13.1 – 2015 – Scheme for the Identification of Piping Systems

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 VALVE AND PIPE IDENTIFICATION
  - A. Valves:
    - 1. All valves shall be identified with a 1-1/2" diameter brass disc wired onto the handle. The disc shall be stamped with 1/2" high depressed black filled identifying numbers. These numbers shall be numerically sequenced for all valves on the job.
    - 2. The number and description indicating make, size, model number and service of each valve shall be listed in proper operational sequence, properly typewritten. Three copies to be turned over to Owner at completion.
    - 3. Tags shall be fastened with approved meter seal and 4 ply 0.018 smooth copper wire. Tags and fastenings shall be manufactured by the Seton Nameplate Corporation or approved equal.
    - 4. All valves shall be numbered serially with all valves of any one system and/or trade grouped together.
  - B. Pipe Marking:
    - 1. All interior visible piping located in accessible spaces shall be provided with pipe markers. Accessible spaces shall include, but not necessarily be limited to, the



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following: above accessible ceilings, inside equipment rooms and utility spaces, in attic spaces, in crawl spaces, and in chase spaces, etc. viewable via access panels.

- 2. All exterior visible piping shall be provided with pipe markers.
- 3. Peel-off, self-adhesive, sticker type labels shall not be acceptable.
- 4. Pipe markers shall be manufactured with rigid vinyl PVC, printed with UV resistant ink, abrasion and chemical resistant, suited for indoor or outdoor use and for a service temperature of -40 degrees F to 160 degrees F.
  - a. For pipes up to 6" provide cylindrically pre-coiled markers that snap into place without the need for tape or adhesives.
  - b. For pipes 6" and larger provide flat snap-around markers installed using manufacturer's heavy-duty nylon ties or stainless steel strapping.
  - c. Markers shall indicate the pipe service, include flow directional arrows, and meet ANSI/ASME A13.1-2015.
- 5. Acceptable manufacturers:
  - a. Seton Setmark Pipe Markers
  - b. Brimar Industries Pipemarker System 1 Pipe Markers
  - c. Brady Corporation
- 6. Markers shall be provided after final insulating, painting, jacketing, etc. of piping and per manufacturer's installation instructions. Strapping (applies to large diameter markers only) shall be snug but shall not compromise any insulation. All such strapping shall also be cleanly trimmed of excess material.
- 7. Markers shall be provided in accordance with ANSI/ASME A13.1-2015 requirements. Specific items indicated below are not intended as a substitute for this complete standard. Markers shall be provided:
  - a. On both sides of each floor or wall penetration.
  - b. On each side of each tee.
  - c. On each side of each valve and/or valve group.
  - d. On each side of each piece of equipment.
  - e. On straight pipe runs at equally spaced intervals not to exceed 50 feet.
  - f. In congested areas, on each pipe at the point it enters and exits the area.
  - g. At the point of connection to each piece of equipment and automatic control valve.
  - h. Where they are readily visible to personnel from the point of normal approach.
  - i. With letter height and length of color field according to the size of the pipe served.
  - j. For **non-potable water** not less than once per room and at equally spaced intervals not to exceed 20 feet.
- 8. Color scheme of markers shall be as indicated below and otherwise in accordance with ANSI/ASME color recommendations. Legend color indicates color of legend text and flow directional arrow:

SYSTEM	LABEL COLOR	LEGEND	LEGEND COLOR
Sanitary Sewer	Green	Sanitary Sewer	White
	Green	Plumbing Vent	White
Storm Drain	Green	Storm Drain	White
	Green	Overflow	White
Domestic Water	Green	Domestic Cold Water	White
Domestic Hot Water	Green	Domestic Hot Water	White
Domestic Hot Water Return	Green	Domestic Hot Water Return	White



Fire Protection	e Protection Red Fire Protection		White
	Red	Fire Sprinkler	White
Fuel Gas	Yellow	Natural Gas	Black
	Yellow	Propane Gas	Black
Diesel	Yellow	Diesel Oil	Black
Compressed Air	Blue	Compressed Air	White
Nitrogen	Orange	Nitrogen Black	
Carbon Dioxide	Orange	Carbon Dioxide	Black
Non-Potable Water	Yellow	Caution: Non-Potable Water, Do Not Drink	Black
Deionized Water	Green	Deionized Water	White
Reverse Osmosis Water	Green	R.O. Water White	
Acid Waste Orange		Acid Waste	Black
		Acid Vent	Black

- C. Pipe Painting:
  - 1. All piping exposed to view shall be painted as indicated or as directed by the Architect in the field. Confirm all color selections with Architect prior to installation.
  - 2. The entire fire protection piping system shall be painted red.
  - 3. All piping located in mechanical rooms and exterior piping shall be painted as indicated below:

<u>System</u>	Color
Storm Sewer	White
Sanitary Sewer Waste and Vent	Light Gray
Domestic Cold Water	Dark Blue
Domestic Hot Water Supply and Return	Orange

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

- A. All labeling equipment shall be installed per manufacturer's printed installation instructions.
- B. All items required for a complete and proper installation are not necessarily indicated on the plans or in the specifications. Contractor's price shall include all items as required per manufacturers' requirements.
- C. All piping shall be cleaned of rust, dirt, oil and all other contaminants prior to painting. Install primer and a quality latex paint over all surfaces of pipe.

# END OF SECTION



# SECTION 22 07 19 – PLUMBING PIPING INSULATION

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS
  - A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all work herein.
  - B. The Basic Materials and Methods, Section 22 02 00, are included as a part of this Section as though written in full in this document.

#### 1.2 SCOPE

- A. Scope of the Work shall include the furnishing and complete installation of the equipment covered by this Section, with all auxiliaries, ready for owner's use.
- B. Furnish and install piping insulation to:
  - 1. Interior domestic hot water and hot water return piping.
  - 2. Interior domestic cold water piping.
  - 3. Exterior domestic cold water piping.
  - 4. Drain bodies and associated piping.
  - 5. Condensate drainage piping.
  - 6. All pipes subject to freezing conditions shall be insulated.
- C. Work specified elsewhere.
  - 1. Painting.
  - 2. Pipe hangers and supports.
- D. For insulation purposes, piping is defined as the complete piping system including supplies and returns, pipes, valves, automatic control valve bodies, fittings, flanges, strainers, thermometer wells, unions, pressure reducing stations, and orifice assemblies.

#### 1.3 WARRANTY

- A. Warrant the Work specified herein for one year against becoming unserviceable or causing an objectionable appearance resulting from either defective or nonconforming materials or workmanship.
- B. Defects shall include, but not be limited to, the following:
  - 1. Mildewing.
  - 2. Peeling, cracking, and blistering.
  - 3. Condensation on exterior surfaces.

### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. SHOP DRAWINGS: Indicate size, material, and finish. Show locations and installation procedures. Include details of joints, attachments, and clearances.
- B. PRODUCT DATA: Submit schedules, charts, literature, and illustrations to indicate the



performance, fabrication procedures, project variations, and accessories.

- 1.5 DELIVERY AND STORAGE
  - A. DELIVERY: Deliver undamaged materials in the manufacturer's unopened containers. Containers shall be clearly labeled with the insulation's flame and smoke ratings.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 It is the intent of these specifications to secure superior quality workmanship resulting in an absolutely satisfactory installation of insulation from the standpoint of both function and appearance. Particular attention shall be given to valves, fittings, pumps, etc., requiring low temperature insulation to insure full thickness of insulation and proper application of the vapor seal. All flaps of vapor barrier jackets and/or canvas covering must be neatly and securely smoothed and sealed down.
- 2.2 The type of insulation and its installation shall be in strict accordance with these specifications for each service, and the application technique shall be as recommended by the manufacturer. All insulation types, together with adhesives and finishes shall be submitted and approved prior to installation.
- 2.3 A sample quantity of each type of insulation and each type application shall be installed and approval secured prior to proceeding with the main body of the work. Condensation caused by improper installation of insulation shall be corrected by Installing Contractor. Any damage caused by condensation shall be made good at no cost to the Owner or Architect/Engineer.
- 2.4 All insulation shall have composite (insulation, jacket or facing, and adhesive used to adhere the facing or jacket to insulation) fire and smoke hazard as tested by Procedure ASTM E084, NFPA 255 and UL 723 not exceeding:

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- 2.5 Accessories, such as adhesives, mastics and cements shall have the same component ratings as listed above.
- 2.6 All products or their shipping cartons shall have a label affixed, indicating flame and smoke ratings do not exceed the above requirements.
- 2.7 APPROVED MANUFACTURERS
  - A. Calcium silicate materials shall be as manufactured by Johns Manville.
  - B. Glass fiber materials shall be as manufactured by Johns Manville or Owens-Corning and shall have the same thermal properties, density, fire rating, vapor barrier, etc., as the types specified herein, subject to review by the Engineer.
  - C. Adhesives shall be as manufactured by Childers, Foster, HB Fuller or Armstrong, and shall have the same adhesive properties, fire rating, vapor seal, etc., as the types specified herein, subject to review by the Engineer.
  - D. Armaflex elastomeric cellular thermal insulation by Armstrong.



- E. Phenolic foam insulation shall be as manufactured by Kooltherm Insulation (Koolphen).
- F. Metal jacketing and fitting covers shall be as manufactured by Childers or RPR Products, Inc.

### 2.8 MATERIALS

- A. INTERIOR DOMESTIC WATER PIPE: provide fiberglass pipe insulation with all service jackets with self sealing lap joint.
- B. EXTERIOR DOMESTIC WATER PIPE: Provide elastomeric cellular thermal, or preformed phenolic foam pipe insulation with secured aluminum jacketing.
- C. DRAIN BODIES AND DOWNSPOUTS: Insulate underside of roof and overflow drain bodies, associated horizontal piping, including first turn down to vertical conductor. Insulate chilled water waste lines from drinking fountain to junction with main waste stacks. Insulate branch lines including traps and exposed underside of floor drains receiving cooling coil condensate, same as water piping where exposed to building occupant view. When concealed, insulation may be same as specified for external duct wrap.
- D. CONDENSATE DRAINAGE PIPING: Fire resistant fiberglass insulation; insulation not required when piping is exposed on roof.
- E. ALUMINUM OR STAINLESS STEEL JACKETING: Utilize strap-on type jacketing, banding, and accessories. Provide pre-formed fitting covers for all elbows and tees.

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 All insulation shall be installed in accordance with the manufacturers' recommendations and printed installation instructions, including high density inserts at all hangers and pipe supports to prevent compression of insulation.
- 3.2 All items required for a complete and proper installation are not necessarily indicated on the plans or in the specifications. Provide all items required as per manufacturers requirements.
- 3.3 Pipes located outdoors or in tunnels shall be insulated same as concealed piping; and in addition shall have a jacket of 0.016 inch thick, smooth aluminum with longitudinal modified Pittsburg Z-Lock seam and 2 inch overlap. Jacketing shall be easily removed and replaced without damage. All butt joints shall be sealed with gray silicone. Galvanized banding is not acceptable.
- 3.4 All insulated piping located over driveways shall have an aluminum shield permanently banded over insulation to protect it from damage from car antennas.

### 3.5 WATER PIPE INSULATION INSTALLATION

A. The insulation shall be applied to clean, dry pipes with all joints firmly butted together. Where piping is interrupted by fittings, flanges, valves or hangers and at intervals not to exceed 25 feet on straight runs, an isolating seal shall be formed between the vapor barrier jacket and the bare pipe. The seal shall be by the applications of adhesive to the exposed insulation joint faces, carried continuously down to and along 4 inches of pipe and up to and along 2 inches of jacket.



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- B. Pipe fittings and valves shall be insulated with pre-molded or shop fabricated glass fiber covers finished with two brush coats of vapor barrier mastic reinforced with glass fabric.
- C. All under lap surfaces shall be clean and free of dust, etc. before the SSL is sealed. These laps shall be firmly rubbed to insure a positive seal. A brush coat of vapor retarder shall be applied to all edges of the vapor barrier jacket.
- D. At hangers and supports, provide a high density foam insulation insert that extends 2" beyond the shield on each side and a protective shield/saddle to prevent compression/damage. Secure shield/saddle to insulation using mastic or strapping tape.

#### 3.6 FIRE RATED INSULATION

- A. All pipe penetrations through walls and concrete floors shall be fire rated by applying USG Thermafiber in the space between the concrete and the pipe.
- B. The fire rating shall be additionally sealed by using 3M brand model CP 25 or 303 fire barrier caulk and putty.
- C. All fire rating material shall be insulated in accordance with manufacturer's printed instructions.

#### PART 4 - SCHEDULES

4.1	LOW	TEMPEF	RATURE SURFACES	MINIMUM INSULATION THICKNESS BASED ON FIBERGLASS	
	Α.	Expos	ed exterior domestic water pipe:	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> inch	
	В.	Interio	r domestic cold water pipe:	1 inch	
	C.	Conde	ensate drain lines:	<sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> inch	
	D.	D. Drains receiving condensate:		1 inch	
	E. Concealed piping from roof drains:		aled piping from roof drains:	1½ inch blanket wrap	
	F.	Exposed piping from roof drains:		1 inch thick rigid with all service jacket	
4.2	HIGH	H TEMPERATURE SURFACES		MINIMUM INSULATION THICKNESS	
	Α.	Dome	stic Hot Water and Domestic Hot Water R	Return Piping	
			Pipe sizes 1-1/4 inch and smaller with Operating temperatures of 140°F or less	s 1 inch	
		2.	Pipe sizes 1-1/2 inch and larger with Operating temperatures of 140°F or less	s 1-1/2 inch	
		3.	Pipe sizes 1-1/4 inch and smaller with Operating temperatures greater than 14 22 07 19-4	10°F 1-1/2 inch	



4. Pipe sizes 1-1/2 inch and larger with Operating temperatures greater than 140°F 2 inch

# **END OF SECTION**



# SECTION 22 10 00 - PLUMBING PIPING

PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all work herein.
- B. The Basic Materials and Methods, Section 22 02 00, are included as a part of this Section as though written in full in this document.

#### 1.2 SCOPE

- A. The scope of the work shall include the furnishing and complete installation of the piping covered by this Section, with all appurtenances, ready for the Owner's use.
- B. Include the following work in addition to items normally part of this Section:
  - 1. Pipe and pipe fittings:
    - a. Sanitary drainage piping system.
    - b. Acid waste drainage piping system.
    - c. Domestic water piping system.
  - 2. Adapters, Transitions, Unions, Couplings, Flanges, Connectors
  - 3. Valves
  - 4. Excavation, Bedding, and Backfill

#### 1.3 RELATED WORK

- A. Section 22 05 29 Hangers and Support for Plumbing Piping and Equipment.
- B. Section 22 05 48 Vibration and Seismic Controls for Plumbing Piping.
- C. Section 22 05 53 Identification for Plumbing Piping and Equipment.
- D. Section 22 07 19 Plumbing Piping Insulation.
- E. Section 22 11 16 Domestic Water Piping Cross-Linked Polyethylene (PEX)
- F. Section 22 11 19 Plumbing Specialties.
- G. Section 22 30 00 Plumbing Equipment.
- H. Section 22 40 00 Plumbing Fixtures.
- 1.4 REFERENCES



- A. ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code.
- B. ASME Section IX Welding and Brazing Qualifications.
- C. ASME B1.20.1 Pipe Threads, General Purpose.
- D. ASME B16.1 Gray Iron Pipe Flanges and Flanged Fittings: Classes 25, 125, and 250.
- E. ASME B16.3 Malleable Iron Threaded Fittings: Classes 150 and 300.
- F. ASME B16.4 Gray Iron Threaded Fittings: Classes 125 and 250.
- G. ASME B16.5 Pipe Flanges and Flanged Fittings: NPS 1/2 through NPS 24 Metric/Inch Standard.
- H. ASME B16.9 Factory-Made Wrought Buttwelding Fittings
- I. ASME B16.14 Ferrous Pipe Plugs, Bushings, and Locknuts with Pipe Threads.
- J. ASME B16.22 Wrought Copper and Copper Alloy Solder-Joint Pressure Fittings.
- K. ASME B16.23 Cast Copper Alloy Solder Joint Drainage Fittings: DWV.
- L. ASME B16.51 Copper and Copper Alloy Press-Connect Pressure Fittings.
- M. ASME B31.3 Process Piping.
- N. ASME B31.9 Building Services Piping.
- O. ASTM A47 Standard Specification for Ferritic Malleable Iron Castings.
- P. ASTM A53 Standard Specification for Pipe, Steel, Black and Hot-Dipped, Zinc Coated, Welded and Seamless.
- Q. ASTM A74 Standard Specification for Cast Iron Soil Pipe and Fittings.
- R. ASTM A126 Standard Specification for Gray Iron Castings for Valves, Flanges, and Pipe Fittings.
- S. ASTM A153 Standard Specification for Zinc Coating (Hot-Dip) on Iron and Steel Hardware.
- T. ASTM A197 Standard Specification for Cupola Malleable Iron.
- U. ASTM A312 Standard Specification for Seamless, Welded, and Heavily Cold Worked Austenitic Stainless Steel Pipes
- V. ASTM A395 Standard Specification for Ferritic Ductile Iron Pressure-Retaining Castings for Use at Elevated Temperatures.
- W. ASTM A403 Standard Specification for Wrought Austenitic Stainless Steel Piping Fittings



- X. ASTM A536 Standard Specification for Ductile Iron Castings.
- Y. ASTM A582 Standard Specification for Free-Machining Stainless Steel Bars.
- Z. ASTM B32 Standard Specification for Solder Metal.
- AA. ASTM B42 Standard Specification for Seamless Copper Pipe, Standard Sizes.
- BB. ASTM B43 Standard Specification for Seamless Red Brass Pipe, Standard Sizes.
- CC. ASTM B62 Standard Specification for Composition Bronze or Ounce Metal Castings.
- DD. ASTM B75 Standard Specification for Seamless Copper Tube.
- EE. ASTM B88 Standard Specification for Seamless Copper Water Tube.
- FF. ASTM B148 Standard Specification for Aluminum-Bronze Sand Castings.
- GG. ASTM B306 Standard Specification for Copper Drainage Tube (DWV).
- HH. ASTM B584 Standard Specification for Copper Alloy Sand Castings for General Applications.
- II. ASTM B828 Standard Practice for Making Capillary Joints by Soldering of Copper and Copper Alloy Tube and Fittings.
- JJ. ASTM C33/C33M Standard Specification for Concrete Aggregates.
- KK. ASTM C94 Standard Specification for Ready-Mix Concrete.
- LL. ASTM C150 Standard Specification for Portland Cement.
- MM. ASTM C564 Standard Specification for Rubber Gaskets for Cast Iron Soil Pipe and Fittings.
- NN. ASTM C1053 Standard Specification for Borosilicate Glass Pipe and Fittings for Drain, Waste, and Vent (DWV) Applications.
- OO. ASTM C1173 Standard Specification for Flexible Transition Couplings for Underground Piping Systems.
- PP. ASTM C1277 Standard Specification for Shielded Couplings Joining Hubless Cast Iron Soil Pipe and Fittings.
- QQ. ASTM C1540 Standard Specification for Heavy Duty Shielded Couplings Joining Hubless Cast Iron Soil Pipe and Fittings.
- RR. ASTM D635 Standard Test Method for Rate of Burning and/or Extent and Time of Burning of Plastics in a Horizontal Position.
- SS. ASTM D1784 Standard Specification for Rigid Poly (Vinyl Chloride) (PVC) Compounds and Chlorinated Poly (Vinyl Chloride) (CPVC) Compounds.



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- TT. ASTM D1785 Standard Specification for Poly (Vinyl Chloride) (PVC) Plastic Pipe, Schedules 40, 80, and 120.
- UU. ASTM D2241 Standard Specification for Poly (Vinyl Chloride) (PVC) Pressure-Rated Pipe (SDR Series).
- VV. ASTM D2321 Standard Practice for Underground Installation of Thermoplastic Pipe for Sewers and Other Gravity-Flow Applications.
- WW. ASTM D2464 Standard Specification for Threaded Poly (Vinyl Chloride) (PVC) Plastic Pipe Fittings, Schedule 80.
- XX. ASTM D2466 Standard Specification for Poly (Vinyl Chloride) (PVC) Plastic Pipe Fittings, Schedule 40.
- YY. ASTM D2467 Standard Specification for Poly (Vinyl Chloride) (PVC) Plastic Pipe Fittings, Schedule 80.
- ZZ. ASTM D2564 Standard Specification for Solvent Cements for Poly (Vinyl Chloride) (PVC) Plastic Piping Systems.
- AAA. ASTM D2665 Standard Specification for Poly (Vinyl Chloride) (PVC) Plastic Drain, Waste, and Vent Pipe and Fittings.
- BBB. ASTM D2672 Standard Specification for Joints for IPS PVC Pipe Using Solvent Cement.
- CCC. ASTM D2729 Standard Specification for Poly (Vinyl Chloride) (PVC) Sewer Pipe and Fittings.
- DDD. ASTM D2774 Standard Practice for Underground Installation of Thermoplastic Pressure Piping.
- EEE. ASTM D2843 Standard Test Method for Density of Smoke from the Burning or Decomposition of Plastics.
- FFF. ASTM D2846 Standard Specification for Chlorinated Poly (Vinyl Chloride) (CPVC) Plastic Hot and Cold Water Distribution Systems.
- GGG. ASTM D2855 Standard Practice for the Two-Step (Primer and Solvent Cement) Method of Joining Poly (Vinyl Chloride) (PVC) or Chlorinated Poly (Vinyl Chloride) (CPVC) Pipe and Piping Components with Tapered Sockets.
- HHH. ASTM D3034 Standard Specification for Type PSM Poly (Vinyl Chloride) (PVC) Sewer Pipe and Fittings.
- III. ASTM D3139 Standard Specification for Joints for Plastic Pressure Pipes Using Flexible Elastomeric Seals.
- JJJ. ASTM D3212 Standard Specification for Joints for Drain and Sewer Plastic Pipes Using Flexible Elastomeric Seals.



- KKK. ASTM D3311 Standard Specification for Drain, Waste, and Vent (DWV) Plastic Fittings Patterns.
- LLL. ASTM D4976 Standard Specification for Polyethylene Plastics Molding and Extrusion Materials.
- MMM. ASTM D5926 Standard Specification for Poly (Vinyl Chloride) (PVC) Gaskets for Drain, Waste, and Vent (DWV), Sewer, Sanitary, and Storm Plumbing Systems.
- NNN. ASTM D6707 Standard Specification for Circular-Knit Geotextile for Use in Subsurface Drainage Applications.
- OOO. ASTM E84 Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials.
- PPP. ASTM F439 Standard Specification for Chlorinated Poly (Vinyl Chloride) (CPVC) Plastic Pipe Fittings, Schedule 80.
- QQQ. ASTM F441 Standard Specification for Chlorinated Poly (Vinyl Chloride) (CPVC) Plastic Pipe, Schedules 40 and 80.
- RRR. ASTM F477 Standard Specification for Elastomeric Seals (Gaskets) for Joining Plastic Pipe.
- SSS. ASTM F493 Standard Specification for Solvent Cements for Chlorinated Poly (Vinyl Chloride) (CPVC) Plastic Pipe and Fittings.
- TTT. ASTM F656 Standard Specification for Primers for Use in Solvent Cement Joints of Poly (Vinyl Chloride) (PVC) Plastic Pipe and Fittings.
- UUU. ASTM F913 Standard Specification for Thermoplastic Elastomeric Seals (Gaskets) for Joining Plastic Pipe.
- VVV. ASTM F1336 Standard Specification for Poly (Vinyl Chloride) (PVC) Gasketed Sewer Fittings.
- WWW. ASTM F1476 Standard Specification for Performance of Gasketed Mechanical Couplings for Use in Piping Applications.
- XXX. ASTM F1548 Standard Specification for Performance of Fittings for Use with Gasketed Mechanical Couplings Used in Piping Applications.
- YYY. AWS A5.8 Specification for Filler Metals for Brazing and Braze Welding.
- ZZZ. AWS 5.31 Specification for Fluxes for Brazing and Braze Welding.
- AAAA. AWWA C105 Standard for Polyethylene Encasement for Ductile-Iron Pipe Systems.
- BBBB. AWWA C111 Rubber-Gasket Joints for Ductile Iron Pressure Pipe and Fittings.
- CCCC. AWWA C209 Standard for Cold-Applied Tape Coatings for the Exterior of Special Sections, Connections, and Fittings for Steel Water Pipelines.



DDDD. AWWA C219 – Bolted, Sleeve-Type Couplings for Plain-End Pipe.

- EEEE. AWWA C509 Resilient-Seated Gate Valves for Water Supply Service.
- FFFF. AWWA C515 Reduced-Wall, Resilient-Seated Gate Valves for Water Supply Services.
- GGGG. AWWA C651 Disinfecting Water Mains.
- HHHH. CISPI 301 Standard Specification for Hubless Cast Iron Soil Pipe and Fittings for Sanitary and Storm Drain, Waste, and Vent Piping Applications.
- III. CISPI 310 Specification for Coupling for Use in Connection with Hubless Cast Iron Soil Pipe and Fittings for Sanitary and Storm Drain, Waste, and Vent Piping Applications.
- JJJJ. ASSE 1003 Performance Requirements for Water Pressure Reducing Valves for Domestic Water Distribution Systems.
- KKKK. ASSE 1079 Performance Requirements for Dielectric Pipe Unions.
- LLLL. UL 94 Standard for Tests for Flammability of Plastic Materials for Parts in Devices and Appliances.
- MMMM. UL 1285 Standard for Safety Pipe and Couplings, PVC and PVCO for Underground Fire Service.
- NNNN. NSF/ANSI 61 Drinking Water System Components Health Effects.
- OOOO. NSF/ANSI 372 Drinking Water System Components Lead Content.
- PPPP. Federal Specifications and Standards DD-G-541B Glass (Laboratory).

#### 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Manufacturer: For each product specified, provide components by the same manufacturer throughout.
- B. Valves: Manufacturer's name, size, and pressure rating shall be cast or marked on valve body or handle.
- C. Piping shall be labeled along its entire length indicating size, class, material specification, manufacturer's name and **country of origin**.
- D. Foreign pipe, fittings or valves are unacceptable.
- E. All cast iron soil pipe and fittings shall be marked with the collective trademark of the Cast Iron Soil Pipe Institute (CISPI) and shall be listed by NSF International.
- F. Welding Materials and Procedures: Conform to ASME Code and applicable state labor regulations.
- G. Welders Certification: In accordance with ASME Section IX.



- 1.6 SUBMITTALS
  - A. Submit under provisions of Division One.
  - B. Submit product data under provisions of Division One.
  - C. Include pipe materials, pipe fittings, valves, and accessories. Provide manufacturer's catalog information, product certifications, and **country of origin**. Indicate valve data and ratings.

#### 1.7 PROJECT RECORD DOCUMENTS

- A. Submit under provisions of Division One.
- B. Record actual locations of valves.
- 1.8 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE DATA
  - A. Submit under provisions of Division One.
  - B. Maintenance Data: Include installation instructions, spare parts lists, exploded assembly views.

#### 1.9 QUALIFICATIONS

- A. Manufacturer: Company specializing in manufacturing the Products specified in this section with a minimum of 5 years documented experience and must be a domestic manufacturer.
- B. Installer: Company specializing in performing the work of this section with a minimum of 5 years documented experience.

#### 1.10 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. DELIVERY: Deliver clearly labeled piping and valves to; and store, protect and handle products on site in accordance with the provisions of Division One.
- B. TIMING AND COORDINATION: Arrange for delivery of materials to allow for minimum storage time at the project site. Coordinate with the scheduled time of installation.
- C. ACCEPTANCE: Accept product on site in original factory packaging. Receive valves on site in shipping containers with labeling in place. Inspect for damage. Damaged valves shall not be acceptable.
- D. STORAGE: Store materials in a clean, dry location, protected from weather and damage.
- E. Provide temporary protective coating on cast iron and steel valves.
- F. Provide temporary end caps and closures on piping and fittings. Maintain in place until installation.



G. Protect installed piping systems from entry of foreign materials by providing temporary covers, as completing sections of the work, and isolating parts of completed systems. Tape will not be allowed as an acceptable end cover.

### 1.11 EXTRA MATERIALS

- A. Furnish under provisions of Division One.
- 1.12 REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS
  - A. Perform work in accordance with plumbing and building codes having jurisdiction.
  - B. No PVC pipe or fittings, or similar un-rated material, will be allowed in any areas where pipe is to penetrate a fire rated assembly or is to be installed in a return air plenum unless the entire length of all such piping is encased within a minimum two (2) hour fire rated enclosure.
  - C. Provide a water pressure regulating valve assembly at the service entry where incoming water supply pressure is greater than 70 psi.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 SANITARY SOIL, WASTE AND VENT PIPING, BURIED WITHIN 5 FEET OF BUILDING, BELOW GRADE
  - A. PVC Pipe: ASTM D1785/D2665 schedule 40 solid wall; installed per ASTM D2321.
    - 1. Fittings: PVC, ASTM D3311/D2665 drainage pattern, with bell and spigot ends. Furnished by the same manufacturer as pipe or approved equal.
    - 2. Joints: solvent weld with ASTM D2564 solvent cement, clear, medium bodied, for sizes 3" and smaller and gray, heavy bodied, for sizes 4" and larger. Mating surfaces shall be prepared with ASTM F656 purple primer immediately prior to cement application.
- 2.2 SANITARY SOIL, WASTE AND VENT PIPING, WITHIN BUILDING, ABOVE GRADE
  - A. Cast Iron Pipe: ASTM A74 service weight.
    - 1. Fittings: Cast iron, ASTM A74 drainage pattern.
    - 2. Joints: Hub and spigot, ASTM C564 neoprene, compression type gaskets or lead and oakum.
    - 3. Acceptable manufacturers (all pipe and fittings shall be from a single manufacturer):
      - a. Tyler Pipe
      - b. Charlotte Pipe
      - c. AB&I Foundry
- 2.1 ACID WASTE AND VENT PIPING SYSTEM
  - A. ACID WASTE BELOW GRADE



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- 1. Pipe and Fittings: Shall be schedule 40 acid resistant special waste pipe and drainage pattern fittings and the product of a single manufacturer. Polypropylene (PP) material shall meet ASTM D4101, fittings shall meet ASTM D3311, and all components shall meet ASTM D1599, ASTM D2122, and **ASTM F1412**.
- 2. Joints: Shall be full socket electrofusion welded joints and conform to ASTM F1290 and manufacturer's recommendations.
- 3. Acceptable manufacturers:
  - a. Georg Fischer (GF) Piping Systems Fuseal PP
  - b. Zurn Fusion-Lock PP
  - c. Orion Socket Fusion PP ("brownline")
- 4. Connections between polypropylene and other piping materials shall be made using manufacturer's recommended adapters.
- B. ACID WASTE PIPING, ABOVE GRADE (EXPOSED OR IN A RETURN AIR PLENUM)
  - 1. Pipe and Fittings: Shall be flame-retardant schedule 40 acid resistant special waste pipe and drainage pattern fittings and the product of a single manufacturer. All components of the system shall be tested to UL 273/ASTM E84 and listed as having flame spread/smoke developed values not to exceed 25/50. Polyvinylidene fluoride (PVDF) material shall meet ASTM D3222, fittings shall meet ASTM D3311, and all components shall meet ASTM D1599, ASTM D2122, and **ASTM F1673**.
  - 2. Joints: Shall be full socket electrofusion welded joints and conform to ASTM F1290 and manufacturer's recommendations.
  - 3. Acceptable manufacturers:
    - a. Georg Fischer (GF) Piping Systems Fuseal 25/50 PVDF
    - b. Zurn Fusion-Lock PVDF
    - c. Orion Socket Fusion PVDF
  - 4. Connections between PVDF and other piping materials shall be made using manufacturer's recommended adapters
- C. ACID WASTE PIPING, ABOVE GRADE (CONCEALED AND <u>NOT</u> IN A RETURN AIR PLENUM)
  - 1. Pipe and Fittings: Shall be **flame-retardant** schedule 40 acid resistant special waste pipe and drainage pattern fittings and the product of a single manufacturer. Flame retardant polypropylene (PP) material shall meet ASTM D4101, fittings shall meet ASTM D3311, and all components shall meet ASTM D1599, ASTM D2122, and **ASTM F1412.** Additionally, the material shall demonstrate a flammability rating not to exceed V-2 per UL 94 and a classification of HB per ASTM D635.
  - 2. Joints: Shall be full socket electrofusion welded joints (unless specifically stated otherwise below) and conform to ASTM F1290 and manufacturer's recommendations.
  - 4. Acceptable manufacturers:
    - a. George Fischer (GF) Piping Systems Fuseal FRPP
    - b. Zurn Fusion-Lock FRPP
    - c. Orion Socket Fusion FRPP ("blueline")
  - 5. Connections between flame-retardant polypropylene and other piping materials shall be made using manufacturer's recommended adapters.
  - 6. Provide the same manufacturer's mechanical joint type fittings (in lieu of socket fusion) for piping located in the following special situations:
    - a. Within accessible equipment chases.
    - b. Within millwork designed for piping access.



- c. Immediately below all fixtures including fixture traps and trap arms.
- A. CPVC Pipe and Fittings (Above and below grade): All system pipe and fittings shall be from a single manufacturer, Schedule 40 CPVC manufactured of material in conformance with ASTM D1784 and in produced in accordance with ASTM F2618 from CPVC Type IV, ASTM Cell Classification 23447.
  - 1. All pipe shall meet the dimensional requirements of ASTM F441 and all pipe markings shall be accompanied by a yellow stripe for ease of identification.
  - 2. All fittings shall be drainage pattern meeting the requirements of ASTM D3311 and specialty patterns according to the manufacturer's specifications.
  - 3. Joining shall be by solvent cement welding, using "one step" primer-less type CPVC cement specially formulated for chemical waste applications and manufactured in accordance with ASTM F493. Only cement from the system manufacturer shall be acceptable.
  - 4. Mechanical connections for transition to other system materials shall be as specified by the pipe system manufacturer.
  - 5. All installation shall be in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions and applicable codes.
  - 6. Compliance: Pipe material shall be tested to UL 273/ASTM E84 (or other such protocol acceptable to the local AHJ), shall be documented as having demonstrated flame spread/smoke developed values not to exceed 25/50, and as such be approved by the local AHJ as acceptable for use in return air plenums.
  - 7. Acceptable Manufacturers:
    - a. Spears Manufacturing Company Lab Waste CPVC Drainage System.
    - b. Charlotte Pipe and Foundry Chem-Drain CPVC Drainage System.
- 2.2 DOMESTIC WATER PIPE, BURIED WITHIN 5 FEET OF BUILDING EDGE, BELOW GRADE
  - A. Copper Tubing: ASTM B88, Type K, soft annealed. Provide for pipe sizes up to and including 2-1/2".
    - 1. Fittings: ASTM B16.22 wrought copper pressure fittings.
    - 2. Joints shall be as follows:
      - c. No joints shall be permitted for pipe sizes 2" and smaller. All such piping must be run continuous below slab on grade and brought up to no less than 12" above the finished floor before any joint is provided.
      - d. For sizes larger than 2", joints between copper pipe and fittings shall be brazed and shall be made in accordance with all the applicable portions of ASTM B828, manufacturer's recommendations, and AWS requirements. Brazing filler metal shall be in accordance with AWS A5.8 and any required flux shall meet AWS A5.31, Type FB3-A or FB3-C.
    - 3. Beginning at no closer than the 5'-0" mark from the building, all piping buried or in contact with concrete shall be provided with one of the following, which shall also extend to a minimum of 6" above the finished floor:
      - a. AWWA C209 cold-applied, integrated primer type, elastomeric adhesive, laminate polymeric tape coating, minimum 35 mil nominal thickness, in accordance with manufacturer's installation guidelines. Chase Construction Products Tapecoat H35 or approved equivalent.
      - b. Continuous polyethylene lining, minimum 60 mil nominal thickness.



- B. Stainless Steel Pre-Fabricated In-Building Riser (acceptable for sizes 2" through 10")
  - 1. Corrosion resistant Type 304 stainless steel construction single, extended 90 degree fitting.
  - 2. UL listed, FM approved and NFPA 24 compliant.
  - 3. Lead free and NSF/ANSI 61 (372) certified.
  - 4. Acceptable manufacturers:
    - a. Ames Fire & Waterworks Series IBR (4" through 10") and IBR2 (2", 2-1/2", and 3")
    - b. Zurn Wilkins Model WBR (4" through 10")
  - 5. <u>Note</u>: For this application, the inlet joint for larger diameter (4" through 10") piping (which <u>shall not</u> be located below a building slab or foundation) can be rubber gasketed push-on type, ANSI/AWWA C111/A21.11. Installation shall be in accordance with ANSI/AWWA C600.
  - 6. Provide continuous polyethylene encasement for all piping buried or in contact with concrete in accordance with ANSI/AWWA C105/A21.5, beginning at no closer than the 5'-0" mark from the building and to a minimum of 6" above the finished floor.

### 2.3 DOMESTIC WATER PIPING, WITHIN BUILDING, BELOW GRADE

- A. Copper Tubing: ASTM B88, Type K, soft annealed.
  - 1. No joints allowed below slab, run tubing continuous.
  - 2. Provide AWWA C209 cold-applied, integrated primer type, elastomeric adhesive, laminate polymeric tape coating, minimum 35 mil nominal thickness, in accordance with manufacturer's installation guidelines, for all piping buried or in contact with concrete, to a minimum of 6" above finished floor. Chase Construction Products Tapecoat H35 or approved equivalent.
  - 3. Applies to installations including services to island sinks and trap primer lines.
- 2.4 DOMESTIC WATER PIPING, WITHIN BUILDING, ABOVE GRADE
  - A. Copper Tubing: ASTM B88, Type L, hard drawn.
    - 1. Fittings: ASME B16.18, cast bronze or ASTM B16.22 wrought copper alloy solder joint pressure fittings.
    - 2. Joints between copper pipe and fittings shall be made in accordance with ASTM B828 using ASTM B32 Alloy HB lead-free solder.
    - 3. Fittings and joints for pipe sizes 1/2" through 4" may be mechanical press-connect system joints with ASME B16.51 lead-free copper bodied fittings with integral ethylene-propylene diene monomer rubber (EPDM) sealing gaskets. All fittings, couplings, and adapters shall be the product of a single system manufacturer and only that manufacturer's approved press tools, kits, and jaws shall be used.
      - a. EPDM o-rings shall be pre-installed and lubricated with ANSI/NSF 61 listed lubricant.
      - b. All installers of copper press-connect fittings shall be trained by the fitting manufacturer's appointed representative and carry such credentials for the duration of the project.
      - c. The fitting manufacturer's representative shall conduct periodic inspections of the installation and shall provide written reports of such inspections to the Contractor and Engineer, including any observed deviations from the manufacturer's recommended installation practices.



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- d. Acceptable system manufacturers: Viega or pre-approved equal.
- 4. Fittings and joints for pipe sizes 2-1/2 inch and larger shall be rolled groove type for copper tubing with all tools, couplings, adapters, fittings, gaskets, and **valves** the product of a single system manufacturer.
  - a. Fittings shall be cast bronze using lead-free alloys per ASTM B584 or copper wrought copper constructed to ASTM B75, compliant with NSF/ANSI 61 for potable water service applications, and meet ASTM F1548.
  - b. Couplings shall be epoxy/enamel (rust-inhibiting) coated ductile iron housings conforming to ASTM A536.
  - Gaskets shall be EPDM for potable water, meeting ASTM F1476, and NSF 61/NSF 372 certified for potable water service from 30 degrees to 180 degrees F.
  - d. Acceptable system manufacturers: Victaulic, Grinnell, Anvil Gruvlok.
- B. Stainless Steel Pipe <u>FOR DISTILLED WATER</u>: ASTM A312, schedule 10S, welded or seamless pipe, Type 304/L.
  - 1. Fittings: ASTM A403, wrought stainless steel butt-welding fittings of same Type and wall thickness as piping. Manufactured to the dimensional requirements of ASME B16.9. Chemical composition of the filler metal shall comply with AWS A5.9 based on the alloy content of the piping.
  - 2. Alternatively, rolled grooving with grooved NSF approved stainless steel fittings of the same Type and wall thickness as the piping, complete with the couplings and gaskets of a single approved system manufacturer may be provided throughout.
    - a. Such mechanical joints shall comply with ASTM F1476 and ASTM F1548.
    - b. Acceptable system manufacturers: Victaulic, Grinnell, Anvil Gruvlok.
  - 3. Joints between pipe and fittings and transition joints to other materials shall be made in accordance with the manufacturer's installation instructions and using fittings, etc. designed for the specific transition.
  - 4. All pipe, fittings, and installation shall be compliant with NFPA 20, NSF 372, and shall be in accordance with the requirements of NSF 61.

#### 2.14 ADAPTERS, TRANSITIONS, UNIONS, COUPLINGS, FLANGES, CONNECTORS

- A. (Non-Acid Waste) Drainage Applications:
  - 1. Provide approved listed adapter and transition fittings appropriate to the specific pipe transition and in accordance with code requirements.
  - 2. For dissimilar piping above ground, provide stainless steel shielded, molded elastomeric couplings and adapters meeting ASTM C564 and ASTM C1460. Applies to installations including cast iron to PVC transitions immediately adjacent to building slabs on grade.
  - 3. For dissimilar underground piping <u>not</u> below building slab, provide shear resistant .012" thick 300 series stainless steel shielded, PVC gasketed flexible couplings and adapters meeting ASTM D5926 and ASTM C1173. For direct-bury applications, provide AWWA C209 cold-applied, integrated primer type, elastomeric adhesive, laminate polymeric tape coating, minimum 35 mil nominal thickness, in accordance with manufacturer's installation guidelines, to completely wrap the shield, banding, and screws. Chase Construction Products Tapecoat H35 or approved equivalent.
  - 4. Acceptable manufacturers:



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- a. Anaco-Husky/Cremco
- b. Mission Rubber Company LLC
- a. Fernco, Inc.
- b. Fernco, Inc. Strong Back RC 1000 Series (underground piping, not below building slab; or readily accessible underground piping transitions in backwater valve pits, etc.)
- 5. Adapters, couplings, bushings for copper DWV pipe shall be cast bronze or wrought copper, ASME B16.23/B16.29.
- B. Domestic Water Applications:
  - 1. Provide joints between various materials with approved adapter and transition fittings appropriate to the specific pipe transition and in accordance with code requirements and the manufacturer's instructions.
  - 2. For copper tube and pipe: adapters, bushings, plugs, caps, and couplings shall be wrought copper or cast bronze; flanges (minimum class 150) and unions shall be cast bronze. Provide with solder or threaded connections as necessary and as produced to applicable ASME standards B16.15, B16.18, B16.22, B16.24, B16.50, B1.20.1. All such appurtenances shall be for use in above ground potable water systems.
  - 3. Above slab transitions for water service entries:
    - a. 100% fusion bonded epoxy coated ASTM A536 cast ductile iron construction coupling with acrylonitrile butadiene rubber (NBR) gaskets and EPDM insulating boot for water service. 5/8 inch high strength stainless steel bolts and nuts. Coupling shall meet AWWA C219. Romac Industries, Inc. IC501 or pre-approved equivalent.
    - b. 100% fusion bonded 14 mil epoxy coated coupling with ASTM A536 cast ductile iron rings. Complete with acrylonitrile butadiene rubber (NBR) gaskets and type 304 stainless steel bridge, spacers, nuts, and bolts. Coupling shall meet AWWA C219, NSF 61, and NSF 372. Krausz USA Hymax Grip Coupling Restraint or pre-approved equivalent.
  - 4. Dielectric connections:
    - a. For pipe sizes 2 inch and smaller, provide lead-free dielectric unions, rated to 180 F at 250 psi and compliant to ASSE 1079.
    - b. For pipe sizes larger than 2 inches, provide lead-free dielectric flanged pipe fittings, rated to 180 F at 175 psi and meeting ASME B16.1.
    - c. For grooved copper joining systems, provide grooved end dielectric transition fitting from system manufacturer, with virgin polypropylene internal lining, meeting NSF 61.
- C. General:
  - 1. Unions for ferrous pipe shall be ASTM B16.39 galvanized malleable iron, threaded, minimum pressure class 150.
  - 2. Plugs and bushings for ferrous pipe shall be ASME B16.14 galvanized malleable iron, threaded.
  - 3. Nipples for ferrous pipe shall be schedule 40, galvanized, ASTM A53 welded steel pipe nipples, threaded, meeting ASTM A733.
  - 4. Couplings for ferrous pipe shall be galvanized steel, threaded, manufactured in accordance with ASTM A865.



- 5. Flanges for ferrous pipe shall be galvanized forged steel construction, either socket weld or slip-on weld type, minimum pressure class 150, manufactured to ASME B16.5.
- 6. Bolts, nuts, and gaskets for flanged connections shall be appropriate to the pipe material, fluid type, temperature, and pressure. 1/16" thick pre-formed neoprene, typical.
- 7. Provide flexible stainless steel connectors at pumps and other such equipment, in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations. Connectors shall have corrugated hose and braided 300 series stainless steel jacketing. Carbon steel flanged or grooved ends as appropriate. NSF 372 lead-free for all potable water applications. Metraflex Company or pre-approved equivalent.
- A. Fusion bonded epoxy coated ASTM A536 ductile iron bodied, class 125 gate valve with bolted bonnet, non-rising Type 304 stainless steel stem, resilient wedge. End connections as suited for adjacent piping. Provide with square operating nut for extended handle operation or with hand-wheel as appropriate for depth of burial and access. Certified lead-free to NSF 61/NSF 372 and AWWA C509 & C515 compliant (3" and larger).
- B. Basis of design:
  - 1. NIBCO 619 series for sizes 2" through 12".
- C. Applies to outdoor, buried below grade domestic water main installations beyond 5 feet from the building edge. <u>Not to be used inside of buildings</u>.

# 2.15 BALL VALVES

- A. All bronze cast construction two-piece 600 psi body, blow-out proof stem, Teflon seated, lead-free, with stainless steel trim (including ball, stem, and valve handle). Threaded connections. Certified lead-free to NSF 61/NSF 372 and suited to 180 degrees F.
- B. Basis of design (bronze valves):
  - 1. NIBCO T-585-66-LF (full port) for all sizes up through 2".
  - 2. NIBCO T-580-66-LF (conventional port) for sizes 2-1/2" and 3".
- C. Valves 4" and larger shall be split body stainless steel construction, 275 psi cold working pressure, blow-out proof stem, PTFE seated, type 316 stainless steel trimmed, class 150, full port design with manual gear operator. NIBCO F-515-S6-F-66-FS.
- D. Acceptable alternate manufacturers:
  - 1. Apollo 77 CLF-A series (full port) for all sizes up through 2".
  - 2. Milwaukee UPBA-400S (full port) for all sizes up through 2".
  - 3. Apollo 77 CLF-A series (full port) for size 2-1/2" and Apollo 70LF-140 series (standard port) for 3".
  - 4. Milwaukee UPBA-100S (standard port) for sizes 2-1/2" and 3".
- E. Applies to domestic water system installations.
- F. Provide valves complete with extended lever handles as required to accommodate insulation and full valve operation.



G. Provide valves complete with memory stop kit where used for balancing applications.

### 2.16 CHECK VALVES (BRONZE)

- A. ASTM B62/ASTM B584 bronze body and disc, minimum 200 psi (cold working pressure) Y-pattern horizontal swing type check valve with removable bronze bonnet, Type 300 series stainless steel nuts and hinge pin, and PTFE disc seat. Threaded connections. Certified lead-free to NSF 61/NSF 372 and suited to 180 degrees F.
- B. ASTM A126 cast iron bodied, (minimum) class 125 globe style spring loaded (silent) check valve with ASTM B584 bronze disc and seat. Flanged connections. Certified lead-free to NSF 61/NSF 372 and suited to 200 degrees F.
- C. Basis of design:
  - 1. NIBCO T-413-Y-LF (Y-pattern swing type) for sizes up through 2".
  - 2. NIBCO F-910-B-LF (globe style spring loaded type) for sizes 2-1/2" and larger.
- D. Acceptable alternate manufacturers:
  - 1. Apollo (for sizes up through 2")
- E. Applies to domestic water system installations including associated pump discharge lines. Valves shall be suited for installation in both horizontal lines and vertical lines with upward flow, in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.
- 2.17 PRESSURE REGULATING VALVES (PRV's)
  - A. ASTM B62/ASTM B584 bronze bodied direct acting, ASSE 1003 single diaphragm type pressure regulating valve with removable bronze bonnet, in-line stainless steel strainer and spring, and FDA approved EPDM seat disc and Buna-N diaphragm. Threaded connections. Certified lead-free to NSF 61/NSF 372 and suited to 180 degrees F.
  - B. NSF 61 epoxy coated ductile iron bodied pilot-operated globe style pressure regulating valve assembly. Complete with low-flow bypass and stainless steel, bronze, and copper trim and fittings. NSF 61 EPDM seat disc and diaphragm. Threaded or flanged connections. Suited to 180 degrees F.
  - C. Basis of design:
    - 1. Apollo PRH-T-Y-LF (36HLF series) for direct acting valves, sizes up through 3".
    - 2. Apollo A127-LF series for pilot operated valves, sizes 1-1/4" through 4".
  - D. Acceptable alternate manufacturers:
    - 1. Cla-Val
    - 2. Victaulic (pilot-operated valves)
  - E. PRV's shall automatically reduce inlet pressure to a steady lower downstream pressure, regardless of changing flow rate. Provide complete with inlet strainer, inlet and outlet pressure gauges, isolation valves, and unions. Provide bypass line around assembly with normally closed valve.



### 2.18 BALANCING VALVES

- A. Self-contained, fully automatic thermally actuated balancing valve shall continuously adjust flow to maintain the desired domestic hot water temperature within the branch line, regardless of system operating pressure. Valve shall modulate between open and closed position within a 10 degrees F range. Valve body and all internal components shall be constructed of stainless steel with major components constructed of Type 303 stainless. Rated for 200 psi maximum working pressure and no less than 250 degrees F maximum working temperature. Lead-free and ANSI/NSF 61 compliant. Threaded connections.
- B. Basis of design:
  - 1. ThermOmegaTech Circuit Solver, sizes 1/2" through 2". Provide a union and ball type shutoff valve on both sides of the balancing valve.
  - 2. ThermOmegaTech Circuit Solver with integrated union (CSU) assembly, sizes 1/2" and 3/4". Balancing valve assembly shall come complete with union body and ball type shutoff valves on both sides.
- C. Applies to circulated domestic hot water system installations including multi-branch parallel piping circuits and single-loop piping circuits.
  - 1. Provide balancing valve at end of **each** domestic hot water supply line (after last fixture served) just prior to the hot water return line, as indicated on Drawings and in accordance with manufacturer's installation recommendations.
  - 2. Provide a pipe tee or elbow with bushing as appropriate, 3/4" threaded thermowell, and bi-metal adjustable angle 3 inch dial thermometer upstream of each balancing valve. Thermowell stem length and thermometer temperature probe length to be suited for pipe size, insulation thickness, and to ensure clearance for maintenance access and easy viewing of thermometer. Trerice bimetal/sensor, threadedstepped shank thermowell (style 76) of lead-free brass (PBF) material. Trerice Model B836 thermometer with 300 stainless steel case and stem, hermetically sealed, double strength glass windowed, aluminum white-faced dial, complete with external reset and 0 to 200 degrees F range. Thermowell and thermometer face to be oriented upright for readability.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 EXCAVATION, BEDDING AND BACKFILL

- A. This section shall apply for the excavation, bedding, and backfill of all buried piping unless specifically noted otherwise. All work shall be coordinated with any job site subsurface drainage/dewatering and adjusted accordingly.
- B. Establish elevations of buried piping outside the building to ensure the following:
  - 1. Not less than 2 feet of cover, or not less than maximum depth of frost penetration, whichever is the greater.
  - 2. For water lines intended for fire protection service, the depth of cover shall be:
    - a. Not less than 2'-6" in those locations where frost is not a factor.
      - b. Not less than 1'-0" below the frost line for the locality.
      - c. Not less than 3'-0" for piping under driveways.
      - d. Not less than 1'-0" below the bottom of the building foundation/footers.



- e. In full compliance with the requirements of NFPA 13 and NFPA 24.
- C. Excavation:
  - 1. Excavate trenches for underground piping to the required depths.
  - 2. The bottom of the trench or excavation shall be cut to a uniform grade.
  - 3. Should rock be encountered, excavate 6 inches below grade, fill with bedding material and tamp to existing density.
  - 4. Coordinate alignment of pipe trenches to avoid obstructions. Ensure that proposed routing of pipe will not interfere with building foundation before any trenching has begun. Should conflicts occur, contact Architect/Engineer before proceeding.
  - 5. Should any sleeving of the building foundation be required, this shall be provided as directed by the structural engineer of record AND in accordance with the prevailing code, but in no case shall the sleeve be any less than two (2) pipe sizes greater than the pipe it serves.
- D. Bedding and Backfill:
  - Backfill shall not be placed until the piping has been inspected, tested and approved. Complete backfill to the surface of natural ground or to the lines and grades indicated on drawings. Provide 6 inch stabilized sand bed with 4 inch stabilized sand cover around each pipe. Provide select fill up to finished surface or grade, unless indicated otherwise by project geotechnical report or specified otherwise in Division 02.
  - 2. Compacting Backfill: Place material in uniform layers of 8 inches maximum, loose measure and compact to not less than 95% of maximum soil density as determined by ASTM D-698 Standard Proctor.
  - 3. Restoration: Compact backfill, where trenching or excavation is required in improved areas such as pavements, walks and similar areas, to a condition equal to the adjacent undisturbed earth and restore surface of the area to the condition existing prior to trenching or excavating operation.
  - 4. A clay fill "trench plug" extending 3 feet inside the building line and 5 feet outside the building line shall be placed to completely surround utility lines passing beneath the foundation and grade beam. The materials shall consist of on-site soils with a plasticity index (PI) between 30 and 40 percent compacted to at least 95 percent of the Standard Proctor and maximum dry density as determined by ASTM D-698.
- E. Cement Stabilized Sand:
  - 1. Materials:
    - a. Cement shall be Type I Portland cement conforming to ASTM C150.
    - b. Sand shall be clean, durable sand meeting grading requirements for fine aggregates of ASTM C33 and free of organic matter and deleterious substances.
    - c. Water shall be potable and free of oils, acids, alkalis, organic matter, or other deleterious substances, meeting requirements of ASTM C94.
  - 2. Mixture:
    - a. Product shall consist of not less than 1.5 sacks of Portland cement per ton of dry sand.
    - b. Mixture shall contain sufficient water to hydrate the cement and be thoroughly mixed in a pugmill type mixer.



- F. For water lines (including In-Building Risers) intended for fire protection service, provide joint restraints by way of concrete thrust blocks in accordance with the requirements of NFPA 13 and NFPA 24.
- G. Aggressive Soil Conditions: Soil shall be considered aggressive and protection of buried metallic piping shall be provided as specified if any of the following situations exist:
  - 1. Conditions are identified as such by the project geotechnical report or project geotechnical engineer.
  - 2. The soil environment is a landfill area, swamp, marsh, polluted river bottom, cinder bed, or has alkaline soils.
  - 3. A score of ten or higher is tallied when applying the soil assessment tool detailed in Appendix A of AWWA C105. An excerpt of this evaluation procedure is provided below for reference but is not intended as a substitute for the complete and latest Standard:

Soil Parameter	Assigned Points	
Resistivity (ohm-cm)		
<700	10	
700 – 1,000	8	
1,000 – 1,200	5	
1,200 – 1,500	2	
1,500 – 2,000	1	
>2,000	0	
рН		
0 – 2	5	
2-4	3	
4 - 6.5	0	
6.5 – 7.5	0	
7.5 – 8.5	0	
>8.5	3	
Redox Potential (mV)		
>100	0	
50 – 100	3.5	
0 – 50	4	
<0	5	
Sulfides		
Positive	3.5	
Trace	2	
Negative	0	
Moisture		
Poor drainage continuously wet	2	
Fair drainage generally moist	1	

# Numerical Corrosivity Scale



Good drainage generally dry	0

### 3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. General requirements for piping:
  - 1. Ream pipe and tube ends. Remove burrs. Bevel plain end ferrous pipe.
  - 2. Remove any scale, oil and dirt, on inside and outside, before assembly.
  - 3. Prepare piping connections to equipment with flanges or unions.
  - 4. Confirm pipe placement, depth/elevation, and flow lines prior to any installation.
- B. General requirements for valves:
  - 1. Install valves with stems upright or horizontal, not inverted.
  - 2. Valves shall be line-sized unless specifically noted otherwise.
  - 3. Provide clearance for installation of insulation and access to valves and operable fittings. Valves installed beyond reasonable reach shall be provided with a chain operator.
  - 4. Provide access doors where valves and operable fittings are not otherwise accessible. Access doors shall be of approved types set in locations pre-approved by submittal to the Architect.
  - 5. Gate valves installed below grade shall be covered with an adjustable cast iron roadway box extended to grade. Cover shall be cast iron with 'water' cast on top of cover and shall be set flush to finished paving or 2" above finished earthen grade. Box shall be supported from undisturbed soil or concrete base and shall not introduce any stress to piping under all traffic conditions.
- C. Install all materials in accordance with the manufacturer's published instructions.
- D. All exposed sewer and water pipe in toilet rooms or other finished areas of the building shall be chrome plated.
- E. Provide non-conducting dielectric connections wherever joining dissimilar metals.
- F. Route piping in an orderly manner, parallel and perpendicular to building column grid lines, unless indicated otherwise on drawings, and maintain gradients.
- G. Install piping to conserve building space and not conflict with other trades or interfere with intended use of space.
- H. Group piping whenever practical at common elevations.
- I. Install piping to allow for expansion and contraction without stressing pipe, joints, or connected equipment.
- J. Where pipe support members are welded to structural building framing, scrape, brush clean, and apply one coat of zinc rich primer to welding.
- K. Provide encasement for and support for utility meters in accordance with the requirements of utility companies.
- L. Prepare pipe, fittings, supports, and accessories not pre-finished, ready for finish painting.



- M. Maintain uniformity in the installation of piping materials and joining methods. Do not mix material types.
- N. Where connecting new underground sanitary, storm, or vent piping to existing piping of dissimilar material, provide suitable mechanical transition fittings complete with corrosion protection for metallic elements. Chase Construction Products Tapecoat H35 or approved equivalent and a final coat of coal tar to completely cover the transition.
- O. Solder joints shall be wiped clean at each joint, remove excess metal while molten and flux residue when cooled.
- P. Waste nipple from wall to tapped tee shall be schedule 40 threaded galvanized steel pipe or brass or copper with threaded adapter.
- Q. General requirements for cast iron piping installation:
  - 1. Install all pipe and fittings in accordance with published recommendations from the manufacturer and the Cast Iron Soil Pipe Institute (CISPI). Specific items referenced below are not intended as a substitute for the complete and latest recommendations.
  - 2. Install bell and spigot type pipe with bell end upstream.
  - 3. Above ground horizontal pipe (suspended) shall:
    - a. Be supported at no less than at every joint, and within 18" of the hub or coupling.
    - b. Be maintained in alignment. Sagging or grade reversal shall be unacceptable.
    - c. Be supported at terminal ends of all runs or branches and at each change of direction or alignment.
    - d. Have all closet bends, traps, trap arms, and similar branches firmly secured.
    - e. Be braced to prevent movement or joint separation.
    - f. Be provided with suitable sway bracing (such as clamps, rods, and hardware) where pipe and fittings are suspended in excess of 18" by means of non-rigid hangers.
  - 4. Above ground vertical pipe shall:
    - a. Be secured at each stack base.
    - b. Be secured at each floor and riser clamps shall be provided on no greater than 15'-0" intervals.
    - c. Be adequately supported to keep the system (pipe and contents) in alignment.
  - 5. Provide seismic restraints in seismically active areas, whether specifically required by the prevailing code or not.
- R. For all underground non-metallic piping outside the building, provide minimum 14 AWG solid copper tracer wire (ASTM B-1, B-3) with high molecular weight polyethylene insulation (HMWPE) per ASTM D-1248. Wire shall be suited for direct bury applications to facilitate the detection and tracing of underground piping systems. THHN wire and other such nylon jacketing shall <u>not</u> be allowed. Insulation color shall be provided per the particular utility, in accordance with the American Public Works Association (APWA) uniform color code. Provide corrosion proof wire connectors with twist locking design and protective dielectric sealant. Copperhead Industries, LLC Snakebite or pre-approved equivalent. Tracer wire shall be placed in the same orientation as the installed pipe and laid six inches directly



above the piping. One end of the tracer wire shall be brought aboveground at a building wall or riser for easy identification.

- S. No PVC pipe or fittings, or similar un-rated material, will be allowed in any areas where pipe is to penetrate a fire rated assembly or is to be installed in a return air plenum unless the entire length of all such piping is encased within a minimum two (2) hour fire rated enclosure
- T. Installations of underground thermoplastic piping systems shall be in strict conformity with the manufacturer's published instructions and the requirements of ASTM D2321 (gravity pipe) and ASTM D2774 (pressure pipe).
- U. Installation of above ground thermoplastic piping systems shall be in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations. The specific items indicated below are not intended as a substitute for the complete and latest manufacturer's recommendations.
  - 1. Hangers and supports shall not compress, distort, cut, or abrade the piping. Nor shall they force the pipe and fittings into position.
  - 2. Piping shall be supported at intervals sufficiently close to maintain pipe alignment and to prevent any sagging or grade reversal. System maximum operating temperature will determine support spacing.
  - 3. Piping shall be supported at all branch ends and at all changes of direction, as close as practical to the fitting to avoid introducing excessive torsional stresses into the system.
  - 4. Directly support (or if need be, immediately adjacent to) concentrated loads in the system, such as valves and other appurtenances.
  - 5. Allowances must be made for thermal expansion and contraction of the piping system where temperature fluctuations can reasonably be expected to produce such movement. Provide and place hangers accordingly so as not to restrict.
  - 6. Plastic piping systems shall not be placed alongside steam or other high temperature pipe lines or other high temperature objects.
  - 7. Drainage piping shall be supported at trap arms as close as possible to the trap and all closet bends shall be supported and braced.
- V. Installation of solvent cement joints for PVC and CPVC piping shall be in strict conformity with the requirements of ASTM D2855 and manufacturer's published instructions.
- W. Provide approved heavy duty transition coupling at each transition from above ground cast iron pipe to underground PVC pipe as specified elsewhere in this section. Transition shall be made as close as possible to the floor for sanitary DWV piping systems and at test tee "minimum 12 inches A.F.F." for storm drainage piping. Support vertical cast iron pipe from floor anchors using riser clamp and galvanized all thread rod as specified in Section 22 05 29.
- X. All grooved system tools and components (couplings, adapters, fittings, gaskets, **valves**, and specialties) shall be the product of a single domestic system manufacturer.
- Y. Grooved pipe system manufacturer shall provide on-site training for contractor's field personnel by a factory trained representative in the proper use of grooving tools, application of groove, and product installation. Factory trained representative shall periodically visit the job site and inspect installation. Contractor shall remove and replace any improperly installed products at no additional cost to the owner.



## 3.3 APPLICATION

- A. Provide union downstream of all valves at equipment or apparatus connections.
- B. Provide male adapters each side of threaded valves in copper piped system. Sweat solder adapters to tube prior to make-up of threaded connections.
- C. Provide approved isolation valves for shut-off and to isolate all equipment items and distinct parts of systems. Isolation valves shall be provided for both hot and cold water in locations including, but not necessarily limited to, the following:
  - 1. At each floor for each domestic water tap branching off from a vertical riser.
  - 2. At each domestic water branch line capped for future use.
  - 3. At each restroom or restroom group.
  - 4. At each hose bibb, wall hydrant, hose reel, and trap primer device (except for flush valve or tailpiece type trap primer devices).
  - 5. At each domestic water branch line within 24" of the corresponding main.
  - 6. At each plumbing fixture not otherwise served by a localized fixture group isolation valve.
- D. Each plumbing water rough-in stub out shall be fitted with a supply stop.
- E. Valves installed in insulated piping shall be fitted with extended lever operators of sufficient length to raise handle above the insulation jacket material. Where valve is used for throttling service, the valve handle shall be equipped with adjustable memory stop device.
- F. Provide non-slam type check valves on discharge lines from all water pumps. Install at a minimum length of 5 times the pipe diameter from the pump and in accordance with manufacturer's installation recommendations.

### 3.4 ERECTION TOLERANCES

- A. All gravity drainage lines in the building shall have 1/4 inch per foot fall where possible and not less than 1/8 inch per foot fall toward the main sewer. Pipe must be laid so that the slope will be uniform and continuous. Permission shall be secured from the Architect and Engineer before proceeding with any Work where existing conditions prevent the installation at the minimum grade specified.
- B. All vent and branch vent pipes shall be graded and connected as to drip back by gravity to the drainage pipe it serves. A slope of 1 inch per 40 feet will suffice for this requirement, subject to the approval of the local Authority Having Jurisdiction.
- C. Slope all horizontal water piping with uniform pitch of 1/8 inch per 10 feet to low points to allow for complete system drainage. For long runs, where constant pitch cannot be maintained, provide intermediate low points and rise up again from such locations. Slope horizontal branches back to mains or risers. Provide clearly identified supplementary drain valves where hose bibbs, hydrants, or sill cocks will not suffice for this requirement.

### 3.5 DISINFECTION OF DOMESTIC WATER PIPING SYSTEM

A. Prior to starting work, all domestic water systems shall be complete, thoroughly flushed clean and free of all foreign matter or erection residue.



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- B. Ensure PH of water to be treated is between 7.4 and 7.6 by adding alkali (caustic soda or soda ash) or acid (hydrochloric).
- C. On building side of the main shut off valve, provide a 3/4" connection through which chlorine can be introduced into the water piping
- D. Inject disinfectant, free chlorine in liquid, powder, tablet or gas form, in sufficient quantity to obtain 50 to 80 mg/L residual free chlorine solution throughout the entire domestic water piping systems.
- E. Bleed water from outlets as required to ensure complete distribution and test for disinfectant residual at a minimum 15 percent of total outlets.
- F. Maintain disinfectant in system for 24 hours.
- G. If final disinfectant residual tests less than 25 mg/L, repeat treatment.
- H. Flush disinfectant from system until residual equal to that of incoming water or 1.0 mg/L.
- I. Take samples no sooner than 24 hours after flushing, from 5 percent of outlets and from water entry, and analyze in accordance with AWWA C651.

### 3.6 SERVICE CONNECTIONS

- A. Provide new sanitary and storm sewer services connecting to existing building services or utility lines as shown on the drawings.
- B. Before commencing work, field verify invert elevations required for sewer connections, confirm inverts and ensure that these can be properly connected with slope for drainage and cover as required.
- C. Provide new domestic water service connecting to existing building services or utility lines as shown on plans. Assure connections are in compliance with requirements of the jurisdiction having authority.
- D. Extension of services to the building shall be fabricated from the same materials as the utility service lines or those materials specified herein.
- E. Should points of connection vary from those indicated on the drawings contractor shall properly allow for this in the actual connections field fabricated.

#### 3.7 RODDING SEWERS

- A. All sanitary soil and waste lines, both in the building and out, shall be rodded out after completion of the installation.
- B. This Work shall be done, as part of the contract, to make certain that all lines are clear, and any obstruction that may be discovered shall be removed immediately. Rodding shall be accomplished by utilizing a rotary cutter, which shall be full size of pipe being cleaned.

### 3.8 TESTING OF PLUMBING PIPING SYSTEMS



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- A. During the progress of the work and upon completion, tests shall be made as specified herein and as required by Authorities Having Jurisdiction, including Inspectors, Owner or Architect. The Architect or duly authorized Construction Inspector shall be notified in writing at least 2 working days prior to each test or other Specification requirement which requires action on the part of the Construction Inspector.
- B. Tests shall be conducted as part of this work and shall include all necessary instruments, equipment, apparatus, and service as required to perform the tests with qualified personnel. Submit proposed test procedures, recording forms, and test equipment for approval prior to the execution of testing.
- C. Tests shall be performed before piping of various systems have been covered or furred-in. For insulated piping systems testing shall be accomplished prior to the application of insulation.
- D. All piping systems shall be tested and proved absolutely tight for a period of not less than 24 hours. Tests shall be witnessed by the Architect or an authorized representative and pronounced satisfactory before pressure is removed or any water drawn off.
- E. Leaks, damage or defects discovered or resulting from test shall be repaired or replaced to a like new condition. Leaking pipe joints, or defective pipe, shall be removed and replaced with acceptable materials. Test shall be repeated after repairs are completed and shall continue until such time as the entire test period expires without the discovery of any leaks.
- F. Wherever conditions permit, each piping system shall thereafter be subjected to its normal operating pressure and temperature for a period of no less than five 5 days. During that period, it shall be kept under the most careful observation. The piping systems must demonstrate the propriety of their installation by remaining absolutely tight during this period.
- G. Domestic Water: Pressure test at one and one half times the normal working pressure or 125 psig, whichever is the greater, for 24 hours.
- H. Sanitary Soil, Waste and Vents and Storm Sewer:
  - 1. After the rough-in soil, waste and vent and other parts of the sanitary sewer including branch laterals have been set from the lowest level, at point of connection to existing utility lines, to above the floor line, all outlets shall be temporarily plugged or capped, except as are required for testing as described herein. Ground work shall not permit the backfill of trenches to cover any joints until the completion of testing. Back fill shall be limited to mid sections of full joints of piping only. For pipe in ground the piping shall be readied as described herein and filled with water to a verifiable and visible level to 10' above the lowest portions of the system being tested.
  - 2. On multi-level buildings only one floor level shall be tested at a time. Each floor shall be tested from a level below the structure of the floor, or the outlet of the building in the case of the lowest level, to a level of 12 inches above the floor immediately above the floor being tested, or the top of the highest vent in the case of the highest building level. The pipes for the level being tested shall be filled with water to a verifiable and visible level as described above and be allowed to remain so for 24 hours. If after 24 hours the level of the water has been lowered by



leakage, the leaks must be found and stopped, and the water level shall again be raised to the level described, and the test repeated until, after a 24 hour retention period, there shall be no perceptible lowering of the water level in the system being tested.

3. Should the completion of these tests leave any reasonable question or doubt of the integrity of the installation, additional tests including peppermint smoke, or other measures shall be performed to demonstrate the reliability of these systems to the complete satisfaction of the Owner's duly authorized representative. Such tests shall be conducted and completed before any joints in plumbing are concealed or made inaccessible.

### 3.9 COMPLETE FUNCTIONING OF WORK

A. All work reasonably implied as essential to the complete functioning of the systems shown on the Drawings and Specification shall be completed as part of the work of this Division, unless specifically stated otherwise. It is the intention of the Drawings and Specification to establish the type and function of systems but not to set forth each item essential to the functioning of any system. In case of doubt as to the work intended or in the event of amplification or clarification thereof, the Contractor shall call upon the Architect for Supplementary Instructions and Drawings, etc.

## END OF SECTION



### SECTION 22 11 19 - PLUMBING SPECIALTIES

PART 1 - GENERAL

### 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all work herein.
- B. The Basic Materials and Methods, Section 22 02 00, are included as a part of this Section as though written in full in this document.

### 1.2 SCOPE

- A. The scope of the work shall include the furnishing and complete installation of the specialties covered by this Section, with all appurtenances, ready for the Owner's use.
- B. Include the following work in addition to items normally part of this Section:
  - 1. Hose Bibbs and Hydrants
  - 2. Backflow Preventers
  - 3. Water Hammer Arresters
  - 4. Strainers and Filters
  - 5. Thermostatic Mixing Valves
  - 6. Floor Drains and Floor Sinks
  - 7. Cleanouts
  - 8. Trap Primers
  - 9. Interceptors and Separators

### 1.3 RELATED WORK

- A. Section 22 05 29 Hangers and Support for Plumbing Piping and Equipment
- B. Section 22 10 00 Plumbing Piping
- C. Section 22 30 00 Plumbing Equipment
- D. Section 22 40 00 Plumbing Fixtures
- 1.4 REFERENCES
  - A. ANSI/ASSE 1010 Performance Requirements for Water Hammer Arresters
  - B. ANSI/ASSE 1011 Performance Requirements for Hose Connection Vacuum Breakers



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- C. ANSI/ASSE 1012 Performance Requirements for Backflow Preventers with an Intermediate Atmospheric Vent
- D. ANSI/ASSE 1013 -- Performance Requirements for Reduced Pressure Principle Backflow Preventers and Reduced Pressure Principle Fire Protection Backflow Preventers
- E. ANSI/ASSE 1015 Performance Requirements for Double Check Backflow Prevention Assemblies and Double Check Fire Protection Backflow Prevention Assemblies
- F. ANSI/ASSE 1019 Performance Requirements for Wall Hydrants with Backflow Protection and Freeze Resistance
- G. ANSI/ASSE 1057 Performance Requirements for Freeze Resistant Sanitary Yard Hydrants with Backflow Protection
- H. ASME A112.6.3 Floor Drains and Trench Drains
- I. ASME A112.6.7 Sanitary Floor Sinks
- J. ASME A112.6.4 Roof, Deck, and Balcony Drains
- K. ASME A112.14.1 Backwater Valves
- L. ASME A112.14.3 Grease Interceptors
- M. ASME/ANSI A112.26.1 Water Hammer Arresters
- N. PDI WH-201 Water Hammer Arresters
- O. AWWA C506 Standard for Backflow Prevention Devices Reduced Pressure Principle and Double Check Valve Types
- P. AWWA C510 Standard for Double Check Valve Backflow Prevention Assembly
- Q. ASSE 1069 Performance Requirements for Automatic Temperature Control Mixing Valves
- R. ASSE 1070 Performance Requirements for Water Temperature Limiting Devices
- S. PDI G-101 Testing and Rating Procedure for Hydro Mechanical Grease Interceptors
- T. NSF/ANSI Standard 61: Drinking Water System Components Health Effects
- U. NSF/ANSI 372: Drinking Water System Components Lead Content

#### 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Manufacturer: For each product specified, provide components by the same manufacturer throughout.
- 1.6 SUBMITTALS



- A. Submit under provisions of Division One.
- B. Submit shop drawings and product data under provisions of Division One.
- C. Include component sizes, rough-in requirements, service sizes, and finishes.
- D. Manufacturer's Installation Instructions: Indicate assembly and support requirements.

### 1.7 PROJECT RECORD DOCUMENTS

- A. Submit under provisions of Division One.
- B. Record actual locations of equipment and backflow preventers.
- 1.8 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE DATA
  - A. Submit under provisions of Division One.
  - B. Operation Data: Indicate frequency of treatment required for interceptors and separators.
  - C. Maintenance Data: Include installation instructions, spare parts lists, exploded assembly views.

### 1.9 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. DELIVERY: Deliver clearly labeled specialties to; and store, protect and handle products on site in accordance with the provisions of Division One.
- B. TIMING AND COORDINATION: Arrange for delivery of materials to allow for minimum storage time at the project site. Coordinate with the scheduled time of installation.
- C. ACCEPTANCE: Accept specialties on site in original factory packaging. Inspect for damage. Damaged specialties shall not be acceptable.
- D. STORAGE: Store materials in a clean, dry location, protected from weather and damage.

### 1.10 EXTRA MATERIALS

- A. Furnish under provisions of Division One.
- B. Provide two loose keys for hose bibbs and hydrants and spare hose end vacuum breakers.

### 1.11 REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

- A. Conform to applicable codes for the provision and installation of all required backflow prevention devices.
- B. Provide certificate of compliance from authority having jurisdiction indicating approval of installation of backflow prevention devices.



C. Provide backflow prevention assembly test and maintenance report for all devices. A printed and signed form by the licensed tester that performed the work shall be provided both to the Owner and to the Public Water System in accordance with TCEQ (Texas Commission on Environmental Quality) requirements.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 HOSE BIBBS/HYDRANTS

- A. Hose Bibb: Bronze or brass construction, replaceable stem assembly, hose thread spout, complete with vandal resistant lockshield and ASSE 1011 integral vacuum breaker. Provide chrome plated and with removable key where exposed in public areas.
- B. Wall Hydrant: Bronze or brass construction, replaceable stem assembly, hose thread spout, non-freeze, self-draining type with integral vacuum breaker. ASSE 1019. Unless specifically noted otherwise, provide recessed complete with heavy cast aluminum or nickel plated brass lockable box and loose key operator.
- C. Floor Hydrant: Bronze or brass construction, replaceable stem assembly, hose thread spout, non-freeze, self-draining type with ASSE 1052 approved backflow preventer and vacuum breaker. All brass pipe and stem of suitable bury depth. Provide recessed in flush-mounted nickel plated brass lockable box with loose key operator. Ensure to located out of heavy traffic area unless box is appropriately rated.
- D. Roof/Post Hydrant: Free-standing, low-lead, self-draining, non-freeze hydrant with cast iron handle and hose thread brass spout atop galvanized pipe riser. Complete with ASSE 1052 anti-siphon vacuum breaker. For rooftop applications provide complete with manufacturer's recommended mounting hardware for a secure installation and coordinate with roofing contractor to ensure a watertight seal is provided per the roofing system and any local code requirements.
- E. ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS:
  - 1. J.R. Smith
  - 2. Zurn
  - 3. Mifab
  - 4. Watts
  - 5. Wade
  - 6. Josam
  - 7. Chicago (interior use hose bibbs only)
  - 8. Woodford
  - 9. Prier

### 2.2 RECESSED VALVE BOX

- A. Washing Machine: Pre-formed galvanized rough-in box with brass long shank valves with wheel handles, threaded drain fitting for waste, and matching secured faceplate.
- B. Refrigerator: Pre-formed galvanized rough-in box with brass long shank valve with wheel or quarter-turn handle and matching secured faceplate.
- C. ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS:



- 1. Guy Gray
- 2. Mifab
- 3. Sioux Chief
- 4. Oatey

### 2.3 BACKFLOW PREVENTERS

- A. General Requirements: All assemblies shall be suited for the system anticipated working pressure and temperature as well as the intended orientation (vertical or horizontal) of the installation. All assemblies shall be lead-free per NSF/ANSI 372, unless specifically noted otherwise on the Drawings.
- B. Strainer Requirements: Lead-free compliant strainers shall be provided at all backflow preventers on the upstream side of each assembly. Strainer bodies shall be either bronze/cast copper alloy or of cast iron/ductile iron construction with an FDA approved epoxy coating. Screens and internal components shall be stainless steel.
- C. Reduced Pressure Backflow Preventers: ANSI/ASSE 1013; Bronze or FDA approved epoxy coated cast iron body with corrosion resistant internal parts and stainless steel springs; two independently operating, spring loaded check valves; intermediate internal pressure intermediate relief valve with water outlet; test cocks and isolation valves.
- D. Double Check Valve Assemblies: ANSI/ASSE 1015; Cast copper alloy or FDA approved epoxy coated cast iron body with corrosion resistant internal parts and stainless steel springs; two independently operating check valves, test cocks and isolation valves.
- E. Dual Check Valve with Intermediate Atmospheric Vent: ANSI/ASSE 1012; Brass body with corrosion resistant internal parts and stainless steel springs; two independently operating check valves with intermediate atmospheric vent.
- F. ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS:
  - 1. Watts
  - 2. Wilkins
  - 3. Ames
  - 4. Febco
  - 5. Conbraco

### 2.4 WATER HAMMER ARRESTERS

- A. Engineered water hammer arresters: ASSE 1010 listed, lead-free, pre-charged, permanently sealed, maintenance- free, suited for concealed installation, with a working temperature range of 33 to no less than 212 degrees F and a maximum working pressure of no less than 250 psi during pressure surges. Stainless steel or copper body construction. Shall be sized and located in accordance with Plumbing Drainage Institute standard PDI-WH 201.
- B. ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS:
  - 1. J.R. Smith
  - 2. Zurn
  - 3. Mifab



- 4. Wade
- 5. Josam
- 6. P.P.P.
- 7. Sioux Chief

### 2.5 THERMOSTATIC MIXING VALVES

- A. Provide thermostatic mixing valves in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations and as indicated and scheduled on Drawings.
  - 1. Unless scheduled otherwise, all units other than under-counter point of use units shall be provided complete in lockable cabinet of 16 gage (1.5 mm) prime coated steel when located in finished areas.
  - 2. All under-counter point of use units shall be provided complete with integral checks and dual stainless steel strainers on inlets for protection against fouling.

### B. ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS:

- 1. Bradley
- 2. Powers
- 3. Symmons
- 4. Acorn

### 2.6 FLOOR DRAINS AND FLOOR SINKS

- A. Provide floor drains and floor sinks in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations, as appropriate for floor construction, and as indicated and scheduled on Drawings.
- B. Provide clamping devices for all drains in membrane floor areas.
- C. ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS:
  - 1. J.R. Smith
  - 2. Zurn
  - 3. Mifab
  - 4. Watts
  - 5. Wade
  - 6. Josam
- D. Provide drains of suitable and compatible material for specialized piping systems conveying acid waste.

### 2.7 CLEANOUTS

- A. General: Provide cleanouts as indicated and scheduled on Drawings and also as required by the prevailing code, whether shown on the Drawings or not.
- B. Construction: All cleanouts shall have tapered bronze plugs.
- C. Provide clamping devices for all cleanouts in membrane floor areas.
- D. Provide cleanouts of suitable and compatible material for specialized piping systems conveying acid waste.



- E. Types:
  - 1. Finished floor cleanouts: Provide cast iron body, with adjustable floor level assembly, and round nickel bronze scoriated top.
  - 2. Resilient or tile finished floor cleanouts: Provide cast iron body, with adjustable floor level assembly, and round nickel-bronze top with gasketed water tight cover and depressed top to receive flooring finish material.
  - 3. Interior finished wall cleanouts: Provide cast iron tee body or cleanout ferrule as required for wall construction and provide counter-sunk bronze plug with stainless steel access cover and securing screw(s).
  - 4. Interior unfinished accessible cleanouts: Calked or threaded type. Provide bolted stack cleanouts on vertical rainwater leaders.

### F. ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS:

- 1. J.R. Smith
- 2. Zurn
- 3. Mifab
- 4. Watts
- 5. Wade
- 6. Josam

### 2.8 TRAP PRIMERS

A. General: Provide trap primers as indicated and scheduled on Drawings and in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.

### B. ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS:

- 1. J.R. Smith
- 2. Zurn
- 3. Mifab
- 4. Watts
- 5. Wade
- 6. Josam
- 7. P.P.P.
- 8. Sioux Chief

### 2.9 INTERCEPTORS

- A. Acid Neutralizing tank Precast Concrete
  - 1. Construction: Refer to detail(s) on Drawings.
  - 2. Provide buried installation in accordance with manufacturer's requirements. Provide complete with traffic rated access covers at finished elevation, complete with lid liners for odor control.
  - 3. Unit Rating: Refer to Drawings for flow rating, connection sizes, and oil capacity.
    - ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS:
      - a. Park-USA
      - b. Old Castle Precast

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### 2.10 BACKWATER VALVES

A. ASME A112.14.1; Lacquered cast iron body and cover, brass valve, access cover, extension sleeve as required and cover at finished elevation.

#### B. ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS:

- 1. J.R. Smith
- 2. Zurn
- 3. Mifab
- 4. Watts
- 5. Wade
- 6. Josam

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 INSTALLATION AND APPLICATION

- A. Install specialties in accordance with manufacturer's instructions to provide intended performance.
- B. The contractor shall provide water hammer arresters as shown on Drawings and also in accordance with PDI Standard WH-201, whether shown on Drawings or not. Water hammer arresters shall be PDI certified and sized and placed as recommended by manufacturer. Provide above lay-in ceiling, within chase or wall or above solid ceiling complete with access panel, or otherwise accessible location complete with isolation valve to facilitate replacement.
- C. The use of air chambers for the control of water hammer shock shall not be acceptable.
- D. Provide strainers at all backflow preventers.
- E. Contractor shall certify all newly installed backflow preventers and provide proof of certification to the Owner.
- F. Pipe relief line from backflow preventer via manufacturer's air gap assembly, full size to nearest drain. Such routing shall not pose a trip hazard.
- G. All backflow preventers shall be securely supported with wall supports and/or pipe stands as appropriate for the size and weight of the unit and shall be installed with sufficient access and clearance for testing and maintenance. Unless specifically noted otherwise on Drawings, all backflow preventers shall be installed at 48"-60" above finished floor.
- H. Extend cleanouts to finished floor or wall surface. Lubricate threaded cleanout plugs with mixture of graphite and linseed oil. Ensure clearance at cleanouts for rodding of drainage system.
- I. All cleanouts outside of building on grade shall be set in an 18" x 18" x 4" thick concrete pad, flush with final grade/paving.
- J. All cleanouts shall be the same nominal size as the pipe they serve, up to 4 inches. For pipes larger than 4 inches, provide a 4 inch cleanout.



- K. Coordinate with casework to ensure that all interceptors are readily accessible and removable for servicing and cleaning.
- L. Coordinate with casework to ensure that all point of use interceptors do not interfere with required accessibility requirements. Provide offset(s) as required and in accordance with code.
- M. Provide approved sampling well downstream of centralized interceptors and separators.

# END OF SECTION



### SECTION 22 11 21 - NATURAL GAS PIPING SYSTEMS

PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all work herein.
- B. The Basic Materials and Methods, Section 22 02 00, are included as a part of this Section as though written in full in this document.

### 1.2 SCOPE

- A. Scope of the Work shall include the furnishing, complete installation and testing of the gas piping system, with all metering, valves, piping and auxiliaries, ready for owner's use.
- B. Coordinate with the gas company and pay all fees and permits required for a complete and operating gas service to the project.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 All gas piping above ground shall be Schedule 40 black steel as manufactured by National Tube, Republic, Youngstown, or approved equal domestic manufacturer.
- 2.2 All gas piping larger than 2" shall be of welded construction. Screwed fittings will only be permitted for size 2" and smaller. Unions and valves will not be permitted above furred ceiling areas or in walls or chases.
- 2.3 All pipe fittings shall be of materials as follows:
  - A. All welding fittings shall be factory-made and shall be full line size, for each tee, branch, elbow, etc., with reducers after fittings, if required.
  - B. All screwed fittings shall be Crane, or approved equal, Class 150 malleable iron. Screw joints shall be made up with graphite and oil or Teflon tape. Screwed threads shall be in accordance with American Pipe Thread Standards.
  - C. All piping and fittings shall be from a domestic manufacturer.
- 2.4 All underground gas piping with 5 pound working pressure or less shall be as follows:
  - A. The pipe shall be yellow polyethylene with socket heat fusion joints and fittings. Pipe sizes 1-1/2" and 2" shall be SDR 11, (PE 2406) and pipe sizes 3" and 4" shall be SDR 11.5 (PE 2406).
  - B. All socket heat fusion fittings shall be D.O.T. approved and meet ASTM D-2513 and ANSI B31.8 codes.
  - C. All gas valves shall be polyethylene ball type, doubled union, rated for natural gas use. All valves shall be placed in a cast-iron valve box of an adequate size for accessibility and maintenance.



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- D. All transition meter risers shall be D.O.T. approved anode-less service type, fusion coupled and PE 2406 rated.
- E. The contractor shall take thermal expansion under consideration during installation. The contractor shall follow all requirements set by the manufacturer to protect the system from damage due to thermal expansion.
- F. The contractor shall provide detector tape approximately 12" above all gas piping.
- G. Wrap pipe with 18 gauge minimum copper tracer wire.
- 2.5 Gas piping installed in unventilated spaces shall be routed in properly vented continuous sleeve where required by the building code.
- 2.6 Gas valves shall be U.L. listed as follows:
  - A. Ball Valves: Nibco T585-70-UL for <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" to 1" and T580-70-UL for 1-<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" to 3".
  - B. Plug Valves: DeZurick Series 425 or 435 Eccentric valves with RS 49 plug seals.
- 2.7 Gas pressure regulators shall be capable of reducing 75 psi pressure gas to 0.5 psi gas at capacities required by Gas Demand. Install per A.G.A. Bulletin 90. Regulators shall be as manufactured by Rockwell, Fisher-Governor or approved equal.
- 2.8 All gas regulators located inside the building shall be vented to atmosphere with schedule 40 black steel pipe. This includes all regulators provided with mechanical and plumbing equipment and all other regulators provided under this contract. Vent piping shall be the full size of regulatory port opening, or as recommended by regulator manufacturer, and shall run independent of any other regulator vent through to point of termination.

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- 3.1 All piping shall be installed in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations and printed installation instructions.
- 3.2 All items required for a complete and proper installation are not necessarily indicated on the plans or in the specifications. Provide all items required as per manufacturer's requirements.
- 3.3 All underground gas piping shall be laid on 6" of wet compact banksand approximately 24" below grade. Backfill trench with wet compacted banksand to 6" above pipe. The remainder of backfill shall be selected backfill and shall meet all compaction requirements set forth by the general trenching and backfill requirements.
- 3.4 Provide lever handle gas valve, drip leg and union to each piece of equipment and where indicated.
- 3.5 All gas lines entering building shall be valved on the exterior of the building above grade.

#### PART 4 - TESTING

4.1 TESTING OF GAS PIPING SYSTEMS



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- A. All gas system testing shall be in compliance with local codes or as required in NFPA 54 National Fuel Gas Code whichever is the more stringent requirement.
- B. All work shall be performed by a Journeyman Plumber holding current State and local licenses.
- C. All tests shall be accomplished during normal working hours and after having given due notification to building owner, construction manager or designee, of tests to be performed. All tests shall be performed in the presence of and witnessed by the building owners representative or designee
- D. All gas system piping shall be subjected to a pneumatic test pressure of 60 psig for not less than 2 hours upon completion of all rough-in work and prior to covering. While the systems are subjected to this air pressure test, all joints shall have a soapy water solution applied and shall be observed for leaks. During test period there shall be no perceptible drop in test gage pressure
- E. A final test shall be performed after all portions of the piping system are completely installed and covered. The entire system shall be tested, with all system outlets plugged or capped, before any equipment or appliances are connected to the piping.
  - 1. Final test shall be with mercury, measured with a manometer or slope gage. Test pressures shall in no case be less than one and one half times the normal operating pressure or as listed below; which ever is the greater:
    - a. 10.5 inches mercury (5 psig) for 4 ounce system.
    - b. 21.0 inches mercury (10 psig) for 8 ounce system.
  - 2. Tests shall be for a period of not less than 30 minutes and shall prove absolutely tight, showing no perceptible drop, for the entire test period.
- F. Purge air from test piping before connecting equipment or appliances. Purge air to outdoors or to ventilated space of sufficient volume to prevent accumulation of flammable mixtures.

## END OF SECTION



## SECTION 22 30 00 - PLUMBING EQUIPMENT

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES
  - A. Water Heaters.
  - B. Water softeners.
  - C. In-line circulator pumps.

### 1.2 RELATED SECTIONS

- A. Section 22 05 29 Hangers and Support for Plumbing Piping and Equipment.
- B. Section 22 05 48 Vibration and Seismic Controls for Plumbing Equipment.
- C. Section 22 10 00 Plumbing Piping.
- D. Section 22 11 19 Plumbing Specialties.
- E. Section 26 05 19 Wire, Cable, and Related Materials.

### 1.3 REFERENCES

- A. ANSI/ASHRAE 90A Energy Conservation in New Building Design.
- B. ASME Section VIIID Pressure Vessels; Boiler and Pressure Vessel Codes.
- C. ANSI/NFPA 54 National Fuel Gas Code.
- D. ANSI/NFPA 70 National Electrical Code.
- E. ANSI/UL 1453 Electric Booster and Commercial Storage Tank Water Heaters.

### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit under provisions of Division One.
- B. Shop Drawings:
  - 1. Include water heater dimensions. size of tappings, and performance data.
  - 2. Include dimensions of tanks, tank lining methods, anchors, attachments, lifting points, tappings, and drains.
- C. Product Data:
  - 1. Include dimension drawings of water heaters indicating components and connections to other equipment and piping.
  - 2. Indicate pump type, capacity, power requirements, and affected adjacent construction.
  - 3. Submit certified pump curves showing pump performance characteristics with



- pump and system operating point plotted. Include NPSH curve when applicable.Provide electrical characteristics and connection requirements.
- D. Manufacturer's Installation Instructions.

### 1.5 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE DATA

- A. Submit under provisions of Division 22.
- B. Include operation, maintenance, and inspection data, replacement part numbers and availability, and service depot location and telephone number.

### 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Perform Work in accordance with authorities having jurisdiction.
- B. Provide pumps with manufacturer's name, model number, and rating/capacity identified.
- C. Ensure products and installation of specified products are in conformance with recommendations and requirements of the following organizations:
  - 1. American Gas Association (AGA).
  - 2. National Sanitation Foundation (NSF).
  - 3. American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME).
  - 4. National Board of Boiler and Pressure Vessel Inspectors (NBBPVI).
  - 5. National Electrical Manufacturers' Association (NEMA).
  - 6. Underwriters Laboratories (UL).
  - 7. American Society of Plumbing Engineers (ASPE)
- D. Ensure pumps operate at specified system fluid temperatures without vapor binding and cavitation, are non-overloading in parallel or individual operation, operate within 25 percent of midpoint of published maximum efficiency curve.

### 1.7 REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

- A. Conform to AGA NSF ANSI/NFPA 54 ANSI/NFPA 70 ANSI/UL 1453 requirements for water heaters.
- B. Conform to ASME Section VIIID for manufacture of pressure vessels for heat exchangers.
- 1.8 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING
  - A. Deliver, store, protect and handle products to site under provisions of Section Division One.
  - B. Provide temporary inlet and outlet caps. Maintain caps in place until installation.

### 1.9 WARRANTY

- A. Provide five year warranty under provisions of Division One.
- B. Warranty: Include coverage of domestic water heaters, water storage tanks, and



packaged water heating systems.

### 1.10 EXTRA MATERIALS

- A. Furnish under provisions of Division One.
- B. Provide two sets of electric heater elements.

### 1.11 OPERATIONS PERSONNEL TRAINING

- A. Provide a training session for the owner's operations personnel. Training session shall be performed by a qualified person who is knowledgeable in the subject system/equipment. Submit a training agenda two weeks prior to the proposed training session for review and approval. Training session shall include at the minimum:
  - 1. Purpose of equipment.
  - 2. Principle of how the equipment works
  - 3. Important parts and assemblies
  - 4. How the equipment achieves its purpose and necessary operating conditions
  - 5. Most likely failure modes, causes and corrections
  - 6. On site demonstration

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.1 COMMERCIAL ELECTRIC WATER HEATERS

- A. Manufacturers:
  - 1. A.O. Smith
  - 2. Other acceptable manufacturers offering equivalent products.
    - a. State
    - b. Rheem.
    - c. Bradford White.
    - d. Bock.
- B. Type: Factory-assembled and wired, electric, vertical storage.
- C. Tank: Glass lined welded steel; 4 inch diameter inspection port (when applicable), thermally insulated with minimum 2 inches glass fiber encased in corrosion-resistant steel jacket; baked-on enamel finish.
- D. Controls: Automatic immersion water thermostat; externally adjustable temperature range from 60 to 180 degrees F, flanged or screw-in nichrome elements, high temperature limit thermostat.
- E. Accessories: Brass water connections and dip tube, drain valve, high-density magnesium anode, and ASME rated temperature and pressure relief valve.
- F. Provide training per 1.11.
- 2.2 IN-LINE CIRCULATOR PUMPS
  - A. Manufacturers:



- Bell & Gossett.
   Other acceptab
  - Other acceptable manufacturers offering equivalent products.
    - a. TACO.
      - b. Grundfos.
- B. Casing: Bronze, rated for 125 psig working pressure.
- C. Impeller: Bronze.
- D. Shaft: Alloy steel with integral thrust collar and two oil lubricated bronze sleeve bearings.
- E. Seal: Carbon rotating against a stationary ceramic seat.
- F. Drive: Flexible coupling.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 WATER HEATER INSTALLATION

- A. Install water heaters in accordance with manufacturer's instructions and to AGA NSF ANSI/NFPA 54 UL requirements.
- B. Coordinate with plumbing piping and related work to achieve operating system.

### 3.2 PUMP INSTALLATION

- A. Install in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- B. Provide line sized isolating valve and strainer on suction and line sized soft seated check valve and balancing valve on discharge.

## END OF SECTION



### SECTION 22 40 00 - PLUMBING FIXTURES

PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all work herein.
- B. The Basic Materials and Methods, Section 22 02 00, are included as a part of this Section as though written in full in this document.

#### 1.2 SCOPE

- A. The scope of the work shall include the furnishing and complete installation of the fixtures covered by this Section, with all appurtenances, ready for the Owner's use.
- B. Include the following work in addition to items normally part of this Section:
  - 1. Plumbing Fixtures
  - 2. Fixture Carriers
  - 3. Faucets, Supplies, and Trim
  - 4. Flushometers

#### 1.3 RELATED WORK

- A. Section 22 05 29 Hangers and Support for Plumbing Piping and Equipment
- B. Section 22 10 00 Plumbing Piping
- C. Section 22 11 19 Plumbing Specialties
- D. Section 22 30 00 Plumbing Equipment

#### 1.4 REFERENCES

- A. ASME A112.4.3 Plastic Fittings for Connecting Water Closets to the Sanitary Drainage System
- B. ASME A112.6.1M Floor Affixed Supports for Off-the-Floor Plumbing Fixtures for Public Use
- C. ASME A112.18.1 Plumbing Supply Fittings
- D. ASME A112.18.2 Plumbing Waste Fittings
- E. ASME A112.18.9 Protectors/Insulators for Exposed Waste and Supplies on Accessible Fixtures



- F. ASME A112.19.1 Enameled Cast Iron and Enameled Steel Plumbing Fixtures
- G. ASME A112.19.2 Ceramic Plumbing Fixtures
- H. ASME A112.19.3 Stainless Steel Plumbing Fixtures
- I. ASME A112.19.7 Hydromassage Bathtub Systems
- J. NSF/ANSI 61 Drinking Water System Components Health Effects
- K. ANSI Z358.1 Emergency Eyewash and Shower Equipment
- L. ASSE 1016 Performance Requirements for Individual Thermostatic, Pressure Balancing, and Combination Pressure Balancing and Thermostatic Control Valves for Individual Fixture Fittings.
- M. ASSE 1037 Performance Requirements for Pressurized Flushing Devices for Plumbing Fixtures
- N. ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act)
- O. TAS (Texas Accessibility Standards)

### 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Manufacturer: For each product specified, provide components by the same manufacturer throughout.
- B. Warranty: Warrant the work specified herein for one year against becoming unserviceable or causing an objectionable appearance resulting from defective or non-conforming materials and workmanship.
- C. Defects shall include, but not necessarily be limited to, the following:
  - 1. Noisy operation.
  - 2. Noticeable deterioration of finish.
  - 3. Leakage of water.

### 1.6 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit under provisions of Division One.
- B. Submit product data under provisions of Division One.
- C. Include component sizes, rough-in requirements, service sizes, finishes, materials, dimensions, performance information, and accessories.
- D. Manufacturer's Installation Instructions: Indicate assembly and support requirements.

### 1.7 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE DATA

A. Submit under provisions of Division One.



B. Provide pre-printed operating and maintenance instructions for each item specified. Instruct and demonstrate the proper operation and maintenance to the Owner's designated representative.

### 1.8 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. DELIVERY: Deliver clearly labeled specialties to; and store, protect and handle products on site in accordance with the provisions of Division One.
- B. TIMING AND COORDINATION: Arrange for delivery of materials to allow for minimum storage time at the project site. Coordinate with the scheduled time of installation.
- C. ACCEPTANCE: Accept specialties on site in original factory packaging. Inspect for damage. Damaged specialties shall not be acceptable.
- D. STORAGE: Store materials in a clean, dry location, protected from weather and damage.

### 1.9 FIELD MEASUREMENTS

- A. Verify that field measurements are as indicated on the Contract Documents.
- B. Confirm and field coordinate that millwork is constructed with adequate provisions for the installation of counter top lavatories and sinks.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 PLUMBING FIXTURES
  - A. GENERAL: Provide plumbing fixtures in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations and as indicated and scheduled on Drawings. Acceptable manufacturers of each fixture type are as indicated below.
    - 1. Provide floor-affixed fixture carriers as appropriate for all wall-hung plumbing fixtures unless specifically noted otherwise.
    - 2. Fixture drilling shall match faucet spread and match any related trim and accessories.
  - B. WATER CLOSETS, URINALS, LAVATORIES (Vitreous China)
    - 1. American Standard
    - 2. Kohler
    - 3. Zurn
    - 4. Sloan
    - 5. Toto
  - C. MOP SINKS
    - 1. Stern-Williams
    - 2. Fiat
    - 3. E.L. Mustee & Sons

## D. EMERGENCY SAFETY FIXTURES



- 1. Bradley
- 2. Guardian
- 3. Chicago
- 4. Haws
- 5. Speakman

### E. DRINKING FOUNTAINS AND WATER COOLERS

- 1. Halsey Taylor
- 2. Elkay
- 3. Haws
- 4. Oasis

## 2.2 FAUCETS, SUPPLIES, AND TRIM

- A. GENERAL: Provide faucets, supplies, and trim in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations, as appropriate for fixtures to be served, and as indicated and scheduled on Drawings. Acceptable manufacturers for each type of appurtenance are as indicated below.
  - 1. Flushometer flush rate shall match gallon-per-flush criteria of fixtures served.
  - Strainers shall be heavy cast brass chrome plated with matching grid type strainer, with or without overflow as required, 17 gauge seamless brass tailpiece of length determined by installation requirements. Provide complete with washers and brass locknut.
  - 3. P-traps shall be 17 gauge seamless chrome plated brass, adjustable type. Provide complete with cleanout plug, chrome plated brass slip nuts, wall bend, and wrought brass escutcheon of depth determined by installation requirements.
  - 4. Angle stops shall be lead-free commercial pattern chrome plated brass, quarter turn ball type with loose key handles. Provide complete with chrome plated copper supply risers and wrought brass escutcheon of depth determined by installation requirements.
  - 5. Toilet seats shall be commercial grade and provided complete with stainless steel posts and self-sustaining check hinges.
  - 6. Pipe trim insulation shall be compliant, white molded vinyl, fade/discoloration-resistant, bacteria/fungal-resistant insulation.

### B. FAUCETS

- 1. Chicago
- 2. T&S Brass
- 3. Zurn
- 4. Moen Commercial
- 5. Delta Commercial
- 6. American Standard
- 7. Kohler
- 8. Symmons Commercial
- 9. Speakman
- C. SHOWER VALVES
  - 1. Acorn
  - 2. Bradley



- 3. Symmons Commercial
- 4. Chicago
- 5. Powers
- 6. Zurn
- 7. Speakman

### D. FLUSHOMETERS

- 1. Sloan
- 2. Zurn
- 3. Moen Commercial
- 4. Delta Commercial
- 5. American Standard
- 6. Toto
- E. SUPPLY STOPS
  - 1. McGuire
  - 2. Zurn
  - 3. Chicago

## F. CHROME PLATED TUBULAR BRASS

- 1. McGuire
- 2. Zurn
- 3. Kohler

### G. TOILET SEATS

- 1. Church
- 2. Bemis
- 3. American Standard
- 4. Zurn
- 5. Toto
- H. PIPE TRIM INSULATION
  - 1. Truebro
  - 2. McGuire
  - 3. Plumberex

### 2.3 FIXTURE CARRIERS

- A. GENERAL: ANSI/ ASME A112.6.1M; Provide floor-affixed fixture carriers as appropriate for all wall-hung plumbing fixtures unless specifically noted otherwise. Fixture carrier foot supports shall be securely anchored to the floor with 1/2" bolts and anchors at all locations.
  - 1. Chair type carriers shall be adjustable, with coated cast iron body with integral no hub waste and vent connections, complete with gasketed adjustable faceplate assembly, adjustable nipple with test cap, neoprene bowl gasket, lugs for floor and wall attachment, threaded fixture studs, and hardware. Provide single or double type of vertical or horizontal configuration as required and with auxiliary inlet as required.



- 2. Lavatory carriers shall be adjustable, with steel uprights and welded base feet, coated cast iron support brackets, cast or ductile iron concealed support arms, alignment rod, complete with leveling and support hardware. Provide single or back to back configuration as required.
- 3. Drinking fountain and urinal carriers shall be adjustable, with steel uprights and welded base feet, upper and lower bearing plates, threaded rods, and mounting hardware. Provide single or side-by-side configuration as required

### B. ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

- 1. J.R. Smith
- 2. Zurn
- 3. Mifab
- 4. Watts
- 5. Wade
- 6. Josam

### PART 3 – EXECUTION

### 3.1 PREPARATION

- A. EXAMINATION OF CONDITIONS: Examine conditions affecting this work. Report unsatisfactory conditions to the proper authority and do not proceed until those conditions have been corrected. Commencing work implies acceptance of existing conditions as satisfactory to the outcome of this work.
- B. Coordinate cutting/forming of floor construction to receive drains to required invert elevations.

### 3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Install fixtures in locations and heights as shown on Drawings and as directed by the Architect.
- B. Install materials plumb, level, securely, and in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.
- C. All rough-in pipe openings for final connections with supply, waste, vent, and storm systems shall be closed with caps or plugs during early stages of construction and installation. Tape shall not be considered sufficient protection.
- D. Rough-in fixture piping connections in accordance with minimum sizes indicated in fixture rough-in schedule for particular fixtures.
- E. Provide ball valves in piping serving batteries of fixtures. Label stops "Hot" and "Cold." Valves shall be located above accessible ceilings. If ceilings are not accessible, provide access panels of adequate size to ensure valves are fully accessible and can be fully operated.
- F. Provide lockable ball valves in piping serving emergency safety fixtures and clearly label such valves as to the fixtures served.



- G. Plumbing fixtures shall be supported by a concealed carrier where required to properly support the fixture specified. All carriers to be securely mounted, bolted and checked prior to concealment.
- H. Caulk around fixtures with best grade white silicone caulking. Do not use grout.
- I. All handles on supply and drainage fittings or other brass items shall be properly lined up and adjusted. Fittings shall not be left in any haphazard manner.
- J. All fixtures shall have individual chrome plated heavy pattern loose key quarter-turn cutoff stops on supply lines, complete with escutcheons. Where same are not specified as a part of the fixture trim, they shall be installed as close to fixtures as possible in the hot and cold water supply.
- K. Install each fixture with trap, easily removable for servicing and cleaning.
- L. All showers and similar installations shall be installed with type "L" copper pipe between shower valve and shower head rough-in. The termination point shall have a brass drop ear elbow for shower head arm connection. Contractor shall provide proper anchoring support.

### 3.3 INTERFACE WITH OTHER PRODUCTS

- A. Review millwork shop drawings. Confirm location and size of fixtures and openings before rough-in and installation.
- B. Review architectural drawings. Confirm configuration and orientation of shower controls and trim prior to rough-in and installation.

### 3.4 ADJUSTING

- A. Adjust work under provisions of Division One.
- B. Adjust stops or valves for intended water flow rate to fixtures without splashing, noise, or overflow.

### 3.5 CLEANING

- A. Clean work under provisions of Division One.
- B. At completion clean plumbing fixtures and appurtenances.
- 3.6 PROTECTION OF FINISHED WORK
  - A. Protect finished Work under provisions of Division One.
  - B. Do not permit use of fixtures.
- 3.7 ADA ACCESSIBLE FIXTURES
  - A. At all locations required to be accessible, such fixtures, controls, and final installations shall comply with the requirements of ADA and any applicable state accessibility standards. Install fixtures to heights, indicated on architectural drawings.



- B. All exposed water supply and drain pipes under accessible lavatories and sinks shall be insulated with securely fastened pipe trim insulation kits of the proper model for the fixtures specified.
- C. Wall mounted drinking fountains and coolers which protrude into passages or corridor space, whether single or paired with an adjacent accessible fixture, shall be supplied with a matching skirt or apron to lower the underside clearance of the non-accessible fixture equal to that required for accessible fixture.

# END OF SECTION



### SECTION 23 02 00 - BASIC MATERIALS AND METHODS

PART 1 - GENERAL

### 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all Work herein.
- B. The Contract Drawings indicate the extent and general arrangement of the systems. If any departure from the Contract Drawings is deemed necessary by the Contractor, details of such departures and the reasons therefore, shall be submitted to the Architect/Engineer for review as soon as practicable. No such departures shall be made without the prior written approval of the Architect/Engineer.
- C. Notwithstanding any reference in the Specifications to any article, device, product, material, fixture, form or type of construction by name, make or catalog number, such reference shall not be construed as limiting competition; and the Contractor, in such cases, may at his option use any article, device, product, material, fixture, form or type of construction which in the judgment of the Architect/Engineer, expressed in writing, is the equivalent of that specified.

### 1.2 SCOPE OF WORK

- A. The Work included under this Contract consists of the furnishing and installation of all equipment and material necessary and required to form complete and functioning systems in all of their various phases, all as shown on the accompanying Drawings and/or described in these Specifications. The Contractor shall review all pertinent drawings, including those of other contracts, prior to commencement of Work.
- B. This Division requires the furnishing and installing of all items as specified herein, indicated on the Drawings or reasonably inferred as necessary for safe and proper operation; including every article, device or accessory (whether or not specifically called for by item) reasonably necessary to facilitate each system's functioning as indicated by the design and the equipment specified. Elements of the work include, but are not limited to, materials, labor, supervision, transportation, storage, equipment, utilities, all required permits, licenses and inspections. All work performed under this Section shall be in accordance with the Project Manual, Drawings and Specifications and is subject to the terms and conditions of the Contract.
- C. The approximate locations of Mechanical (HVAC) items are indicated on the Drawings. These Drawings are not intended to give complete and accurate details in regard to location of outlets, apparatus, etc. Exact locations are to be determined by actual measurements at the building, and will in all cases be subject to the review of the Owner or Engineer, who reserves the right to make any reasonable changes in the locations indicated without additional cost to the Owner.
- D. Items specifically mentioned in the Specifications but not shown on the Drawings and/or items shown on Drawings but not specifically mentioned in the Specifications shall be installed by the Contractor under the appropriate section of work as if they were both specified and shown.



- E. All discrepancies between the Contract Documents and actual job-site conditions shall be reported to the Owner or Engineer so that they will be resolved prior to bidding. Where this cannot be done at least 7 working days prior to bid; the greater or more costly of the discrepancy shall be bid. All labor and materials required to perform the work described shall be included as part of this Contract.
- F. It is the intention of this Section of the Specifications to outline minimum requirements to furnish the Owner with a turn-key and fully operating system in cooperation with other trades.
- G. It is the intent of the above "Scope" to give the Contractor a general outline of the extent of the Work involved; however, it is not intended to include each and every item required for the Work. Anything omitted from the "Scope" but shown on the Drawings, or specified later, or necessary for a complete and functioning heating, ventilating and air conditioning system shall be considered a part of the overall "Scope".
- H. The Contractor shall rough-in fixtures and equipment furnished by others from rough-in and placement drawings furnished by others. The Contractor shall make final connection to fixtures and equipment furnished by others.
- I. The Contractor shall participate in the commissioning process as required; including, but not limited to, meeting attendance, completion of checklists, and participation in functional testing.

## 1.3 SCHEMATIC NATURE OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

- A. The Contract Documents are schematic in nature in that they are only to establish scope and a minimum level of quality. They are not to be used as actual working construction drawings. The actual working construction drawings shall be the reviewed shop drawings.
- B. All duct or pipe or equipment locations as indicated on the documents do not indicate every transition, offset, or exact location. All transitions, offsets, clearances and exact locations shall be established by actual field measurements, coordination with the structural, architectural and reflected ceiling plans, and other trades. Submit shop drawings for review.
- C. All transitions, offsets and relocations as required by actual field conditions shall be performed by the Contractor at no additional cost to the Owner.
- D. Additional coordination with electrical contractor may be required to allow adequate clearances of electrical equipment, fixtures and associated appurtenances. Contractor to notify Architect and Engineer of unresolved clearances, conflicts or equipment locations.

## 1.4 SITE VISIT AND FAMILIARIZATION

A. Before submitting a bid, it will be necessary for each Contractor whose work is involved to visit the site and ascertain for himself the conditions to be met therein in installing his work and make due provision for same in his bid. It will be assumed that this Contractor in submitting his bid has visited the premises and that his bid covers all work necessary to properly install the equipment shown. Failure on the part of the Contractor to comply with this requirement shall not be considered justification for the omission or faulty installation of any work covered by these Specifications and Drawings.



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- B. Understand the existing utilities from which services will be supplied; verify locations of utility services, and determine requirements for connections.
- C. Determine in advance that equipment and materials proposed for installation fit into the confines indicated.

#### 1.5 WORK SPECIFIED IN OTHER SECTIONS

- A. Finish painting is specified. Prime and protective painting are included in the work of this Division.
- B. Owner and General Contractor furnished equipment shall be properly connected to Mechanical (HVAC) systems.
- C. Furnishing and installing all required Mechanical (HVAC) equipment control relays and electrical interlock devices, conduit, wire and J-boxes are included in the Work of this Division.

#### 1.6 PERMITS, TESTS, INSPECTIONS

- A. Arrange and pay for all permits, fees, tests, and all inspections as required by governmental authorities.
- 1.7 DATE OF SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION
  - A. The date of final acceptance shall be the date of substantial completion. Refer to Division One for additional requirements.
  - B. The date of final acceptance shall be documented in writing and signed by the Architect, Owner and Contractor.

#### 1.8 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver products to the project properly identified with names, model numbers, types, grades, compliance labels, and other information needed for identification.
- B. Deliver products to the project at such time as the project is ready to receive the equipment, pipe or duct properly protected from incidental damage and weather damage.
- C. Damaged equipment, duct or pipe shall be promptly removed from the site and new, undamaged equipment, pipe or duct shall be installed in its place promptly with no additional charge to the Owner.

#### 1.9 NOISE AND VIBRATION

- A. The heating, ventilating and air conditioning systems, and the component parts thereof, shall be guaranteed to operate without objectionable noise and vibration.
- B. Provide foundations, supports and isolators as specified or indicated, properly adjusted to prevent transmission of vibration to the building structure, piping and other items.



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- C. Carefully fabricate ductwork and fittings with smooth interior finish to prevent turbulence and generation or regeneration of noise.
- D. All equipment shall be selected to operate with minimum of noise and vibration. If, in the opinion of the Architect, objectionable noise or vibration is produced or transmitted to or through the building structure by equipment, piping, ducts or other parts of the Work, the Contractor shall rectify such conditions without extra cost to the Owner.

#### 1.10 APPLICABLE CODES AND STANDARDS

- A. Obtain all required permits and inspections for all work required by the Contract Documents and pay all required fees in connection thereof.
- B. Arrange with the serving utility companies for the connection of all required utilities and pay all charges, meter charges, connection fees and inspection fees, if required.
- C. Comply with all applicable codes, specifications, local ordinances, industry standards, utility company regulations and the applicable requirements which includes and is not limited to the following nationally accepted codes and standards:
  - 1. Air Moving & Conditioning Association, AMCA.
  - 2. American Standards Association, ASA.
  - 3. American Society of Heating, Refrigerating, and Air-Conditioning Engineers, Inc., ASHRAE.
  - 4. American Society of Mechanical Engineers, ASME.
  - 5. American Society of Plumbing Engineers, ASPE.
  - 6. American Society of Testing Materials, ASTM.
  - 7. American Water Works Association, AWWA.
  - 8. National Bureau of Standards, NBS.
  - 9. National Fire Protection Association, NFPA.
  - 10. Sheet Metal & Air Conditioning Contractors' National Association, SMACNA.
  - 11. Underwriters' Laboratories, Inc., UL.
  - 12. International Building Code, IBC.
  - 13. International Energy Conservation Code, IECC.
  - 14. International Fire Code, IFC.
  - 15. International Fuel Gas Code, IFGC.
  - 16. International Mechanical Code, IMC.
- D. Where differences existing between the Contract Documents and applicable state or city building codes, state and local ordinances, industry standards, utility company regulations and the applicable requirements of the nationally accepted codes and standards, the more stringent or costly application shall govern. Promptly notify the Engineer in writing of all differences.
- E. When directed in writing by the Engineer, remove all work installed that does not comply with the Contract Documents and applicable state or city building codes, state and local ordinances, industry standards, utility company regulations and the applicable requirements of the above listed nationally accepted codes and standards, correct the deficiencies, and complete the work at no additional cost to the Owner.

#### 1.11 DEFINITIONS AND SYMBOLS



- A. General Explanation: A substantial amount of construction and Specification language constitutes definitions for terms found in other Contract Documents, including Drawings which must be recognized as diagrammatic and schematic in nature and not completely descriptive of requirements indicated thereon. Certain terms used in Contract Documents are defined generally in this article, unless defined otherwise in Division 01.
- B. Definitions and explanations of this Section are not necessarily either complete or exclusive, but are general for work to the extent not stated more explicitly in another provision of the Contract Documents.
- C. Indicated: The term "Indicated" is a cross-reference to details, notes or schedules on the Drawings, to other paragraphs or schedules in the Specifications and to similar means of recording requirements in Contract Documents. Where such terms as "Shown", "Noted", "Scheduled", "Specified" and "Detailed" are used in lieu of "Indicated", it is for the purpose of helping the reader locate cross-reference material, and no limitation of location is intended except as specifically shown.
- D. Directed: Where not otherwise explained, terms such as "Directed", "Requested", "Accepted", and "Permitted" mean by the Architect or Engineer. However, no such implied meaning will be interpreted to extend the Architect's or Engineer's responsibility into the Contractor's area of construction supervision.
- E. Reviewed: Where used in conjunction with the Engineer's response to submittals, requests for information, applications, inquiries, reports and claims by the Contractor the meaning of the term "Reviewed" will be held to limitations of Architect's and Engineer's responsibilities and duties as specified in the General and Supplemental Conditions. In no case will "Reviewed" by Engineer be interpreted as a release of the Contractor from responsibility to fulfill the terms and requirements of the Contract Documents.
- F. Furnish: Except as otherwise defined in greater detail, the term "Furnish" is used to mean supply and deliver to the project site, ready for unloading, unpacking, assembly, installation, etc., as applicable in each instance.
- G. Install: Except as otherwise defined in greater detail, the term "Install" is used to describe operations at the project site including unloading, unpacking, assembly, erection, placing, anchoring, applying, working to dimension, finishing, curing, protection, cleaning and similar operations, as applicable in each instance.
- H. Provide: Except as otherwise defined in greater detail, the term "Provide" is used to mean "Furnish and Install", complete and ready for intended use, as applicable in each instance.
- I. Installer: Entity (person or firm) engaged by the Contractor, or its Subcontractor or Sub-subcontractor for performance of a particular unit of work at the project site, including unloading, unpacking, assembly, erection, placing, anchoring, applying, working to dimension, finishing, curing, protection, cleaning and similar operations, as applicable in each instance. It is a general requirement that such entities (Installers) be expert in the operations they are engaged to perform.
- J. Imperative Language: Used generally in Specifications. Except as otherwise indicated, requirements expressed imperatively are to be performed by the Contractor. For clarity of reading at certain locations, contrasting subjective language is used to describe



responsibilities that must be fulfilled indirectly by the Contractor or, when so noted, by other identified installers or entities.

- K. Minimum Quality/Quantity: In every instance, the quality level or quantity shown or specified is intended as minimum quality level or quantity of work to be performed or provided. Except as otherwise specifically indicated, the actual work may either comply exactly with that minimum (within specified tolerances), or may exceed that minimum within reasonable tolerance limits. In complying with requirements, indicated or scheduled numeric values are either minimums or maximums as noted or as appropriate for the context of the requirements. Refer instances of uncertainty to Owner or Engineer via a request for information (RFI) for decision before proceeding.
- Abbreviations and Symbols: The language of Specifications and other Contract L. Documents including Drawings is of an abbreviated type in certain instances, and implies words and meanings which will be appropriately interpreted. Actual word abbreviations of a self-explanatory nature have been included in text of Specifications and Drawings. Specific abbreviations and symbols have been established, principally for lengthy technical terminology and primarily in conjunction with coordination of Specification requirements with notations on Drawings and in Schedules. These are frequently defined in Section at first instance of use or on a Legend and Symbol Drawing. Trade and industry association names and titles of generally recognized industry standards are frequently abbreviated. Singular words will be interpreted as plural and plural words will be interpreted as singular where applicable and where full context of Contract Documents so indicate. Except as otherwise indicated, graphic symbols and abbreviations used on Drawings and in Specifications are those recognized in construction industry for indicated purposes. Where not otherwise noted symbols and abbreviations are defined by the latest ASHRAE Fundamentals Handbook, chapter 34 "Abbreviations and Symbols", ASME and ASPE published standards.

#### 1.12 DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS

- A. These Specifications are intended to supplement the Drawings and it will not be the province of the Specifications to mention any part of the Work which the Drawings are competent to fully explain in every particular and such omission is not to relieve the Contractor from carrying out portions indicated on the Drawings only.
- B. Should items be required by these Specifications and not indicated on the Drawings, they are to be supplied even if of such nature that they could have been indicated thereon. In case of disagreement between Drawings and Specifications, or within either Drawings or Specifications, the better quality or greater quantity of work shall be estimated and the matter referred to the Architect or Engineer for review with a request for information and clarification at least 7 working days prior to bid opening date for issuance of an addendum.
- C. The listing of product manufacturers, materials and methods in the various sections of the Specifications, and indicated on the Drawings, is intended to establish a standard of quality only. It is not the intention of the Owner or Engineer to discriminate against any product, material or method that is the equivalent of the standards as indicated and/or specified, nor is it intended to preclude open, competitive bidding. The fact that a specific manufacturer is listed as an acceptable manufacturer should not be interpreted to mean that the manufacturer's standard product will meet the requirements of the project design, Drawings, Specifications and space constraints.



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- D. The Architect or Engineer and Owner shall be the sole judge of quality and equivalence of equipment, materials and methods.
- E. Products by other reliable manufacturers, other materials, and other methods, will be accepted as outlined, provided they have equivalent capacity, construction, and performance. However, under no circumstances shall any substitution be made without the written permission of the Architect or Engineer and Owner. Request for prior approval must be made in writing 10 calendar days prior to the bid date without fail.
- F. Wherever a definite product, material or method is specified and there is not a statement that another product, material or method will be acceptable, it is the intention of the Owner or Engineer that the specified product, material or method is the only one that shall be used without prior approval.
- G. Wherever a definite material or manufacturer's product is specified and the Specification states that products of similar design and equivalent construction from the specified list of manufacturers may be substituted, it is the intention of the Owner or Engineer that products of manufacturers that are specified are the only products that will be acceptable and that products of other manufacturers will not be considered for substitution without approval.
- H. Wherever a definite product, material or method is specified and there is a statement that "OR EQUIVALENT" product, material or method will be acceptable, it is the intention of the Owner or Engineer that the specified product, material or method or an "OR EQUIVALENT" product, material or method may be used if it complies with the Specifications and is submitted for review to the Engineer as outline herein.
- I. Where permission to use substituted or alternative equipment on the project is granted by the Owner or Engineer in writing, it shall be the responsibility of the Contractor or Subcontractor involved to verify that the equipment will fit in the space available which includes allowances for all required Code and maintenance clearances, and to coordinate all equipment structural support, plumbing and electrical requirements and provisions with the Mechanical (HVAC) Design Documents and all other trades, including Division 26.
- J. Changes in architectural, structural, electrical, mechanical, and plumbing requirements for the substitution shall be the responsibility of the bidder wishing to make the substitution. This shall include the cost of redesign by the affected designer(s). Any additional cost incurred by affected Subcontractors shall be the responsibility of this bidder and not the Owner.
- K. If any request for a substitution of product, material or method is rejected, the Contractor will automatically be required to furnish the product, material or method named in the Specifications. Repetitive requests for substitutions will not be considered.
- L. The Owner or Engineer will investigate all requests for substitutions when submitted in accordance with the requirements listed above; and if accepted, will issue a letter allowing the substitutions.
- M. Where equipment other than that used in the design as specified or shown on the Drawings is substituted (either from an approved manufacturers list or by submittal review), it shall be the responsibility of the substituting Contractor to coordinate space



requirements, building provisions and connection requirements with his trades and all other trades; and to pay all additional costs to other trades, the Owner, the Architect or Engineer, if any, due to the substitutions.

#### 1.13 SUBMITTALS

- A. Coordinate with Division 01 for submittal timetable requirements, unless noted otherwise within thirty (30) days after the Contract is awarded. The Contractor shall submit an electronic copy of a complete set of shop drawings and complete data covering each item of equipment or material. The submittal of each item requiring a submittal must be received by the Architect or Engineer within the above thirty-day period. The Architect or Engineer shall not be responsible for any delays or costs incurred due to excessive shop drawing review time for submittals received after the thirty (30) day time limit. The Architect and Engineer will retain a copy of all shop drawings for their files. All literature pertaining to items subject to Shop Drawing submittal shall be submitted at one time. Submittals shall be placed in one electronic file in PDF 8.0 format and bookmarked for individual specification sections. Individual electronic files of submittals for individual specification shall not be permitted. Each submittal shall include the following items:
  - 1. A cover sheet with the names and addresses of the Project, Architect, MEP Engineer, General Contractor and the Subcontractor making the submittal. The cover sheet shall also contain the section number covering the item or items submitted and the item nomenclature or description.
  - 2. An index page with a listing of all data included in the Submittal.
  - 3. A list of variations page with a listing of all variations, including unfurnished or additional required accessories, items or other features, between the submitted equipment and the specified equipment. If there are no variations, then this page shall state "NO VARIATIONS". Where variations affect the work of other Contractors, then the Contractor shall certify on this page that these variations have been fully coordinated with the affected Contractors and that all expenses associated with the variations will be paid by the submitting Contractor. This page will be signed by the submitting Contractor.
  - 4. Equipment information including manufacturer's name and designation, size, performance and capacity data as applicable. All applicable Listings, Labels, Approvals and Standards shall be clearly indicated.
  - 5. Dimensional data and scaled drawings as applicable to show that the submitted equipment will fit the space available with all required Code and maintenance clearances clearly indicated and labeled at a minimum scale of 1/4" = 1'-0", as required to demonstrate that the alternate or substituted product will fit in the space available.
  - 6. Identification of each item of material or equipment matching that indicated on the Drawings.
  - 7. Sufficient pictorial, descriptive and diagrammatic data on each item to show its conformance with the Drawings and Specifications. Any options or special requirements or accessories shall be so indicated. All applicable information shall be clearly indicated with arrows or another approved method.
  - 8. Additional information as required in other Sections of this Division.
  - 9. Certification by the General Contractor and Subcontractor that the material submitted is in accordance with the Drawings and Specifications, signed and dated in long hand. Submittals that do not comply with the above requirements shall be returned to the Contractor and shall be marked "REVISE AND RESUBMIT".



- B. Refer to Division 00 and Division 01 for additional information on shop drawings and submittals.
- C. Equipment and materials submittals and shop drawings will be reviewed for compliance with design concept only. It will be assumed that the submitting Contractor has verified that all items submitted can be installed in the space allotted. Review of shop drawings and submittals shall not be considered as a verification or guarantee of measurements or building conditions.
- D. Where shop drawings and submittals are marked "REVIEWED", the review of the submittal does not indicate that submittals have been checked in detail nor does it in any way relieve the Contractor from his responsibility to furnish material and perform work as required by the Contract Documents.
- E. Shop drawings shall be reviewed and returned to the Contractor with one of the following categories indicated:
  - 1. REVIEWED: Contractor need take no further submittal action, shall include this submittal in the O&M manual and may order the equipment submitted on.
  - 2. REVIEWED AS NOTED: Contractor shall submit a letter verifying that required exceptions to the submittal have been received and complied with including additional accessories or coordination action as noted, and shall include this submittal and compliance letter in the O&M manual. The contractor may order the equipment submitted on at the time of the returned submittal providing the Contractor complies with the exceptions noted.
  - 3. NOT APPROVED: Contractor shall resubmit new submittal on material, equipment or method of installation when the alternate or substitute is not approved. The Contractor will automatically be required to furnish the product, material or method named in the Specifications and/or Drawings. Contractor shall not order equipment that is not approved. Repetitive requests for substitutions will not be considered.
  - 4. REVISE AND RESUBMIT: Contractor shall resubmit new submittal on material, equipment or method of installation when the alternate or substitute is marked revise and resubmit. The Contractor will automatically be required to furnish the product, material or method named in the Specifications and/or provide as noted on previous shop drawings. Contractor shall not order equipment marked revise and resubmit. Repetitive requests for substitutions will not be considered.
  - 5. CONTRACTOR'S CERTIFICATION REQUIRED: Contractor shall resubmit submittal on material, equipment or method of installation. The Contractor's stamp is required stating that the submittal meets all conditions of the Contract Documents. The stamp shall be signed by the General Contractor. The submittal will not be reviewed if the stamp is not placed and signed on all shop drawings.
  - 6. MANUFACTURER NOT AS SPECIFIED: Contractor shall resubmit new submittal on material, equipment or method of installation when the alternate or substitute is marked manufacturer not as specified. The Contractor will automatically be required to furnish the product, material or method named in the Specifications. Contractor shall not order equipment when submittal is marked manufacturer not as specified. Repetitive requests for substitutions will not be considered.
- F. Materials and equipment which are purchased or installed without submittal review shall



be at the risk of the Contractor and the cost for removal and replacement of such materials and equipment and related work which is judged unsatisfactory by the Owner or Engineer for any reason shall be at the expense of the Contractor. The responsible Contractor shall remove the material and equipment noted above and replace with specified equipment or material at his own expense when directed in writing by the Architect or Engineer.

- G. Shop Drawing Submittals shall be complete and checked prior to submission to the Engineer for review.
- H. Submittals are required for, but not limited to, the following items subject to project requirements:
  - 1. Coordination Drawings
  - 2. Common Motor Requirements for HVAC Equipment
  - 3. Expansion Fittings and Loops for HVAC Piping
  - 4. Variable Frequency Motor Speed Control for HVAC Equipment
  - 5. Hangers and Support for Piping and Equipment HVAC
  - 6. Vibration and Seismic Controls for HVAC Piping and Equipment
  - 7. Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing
  - 8. Duct Insulation
  - 9. HVAC Equipment Insulation
  - 10. HVAC Piping Insulation
  - 11. Refrigerant Monitor System
  - 12. Energy Management and Control System
  - 13. Above Ground Hydronic Piping
  - 14. Hydronic Specialties
  - 15. Hydronic Pumps
  - 16. Refrigerant Piping
  - 17. Metal Ductwork
  - 18. Ductwork Accessories
  - 19. HVAC Fans
  - 20. Series Fan Powered Terminal Units
  - 21. Single Duct VAV Terminal Box
  - 22. Parallel Fan Powered Terminal Unit
  - 23. Dual Duct Air Terminal Units
  - 24. Air Distribution Devices
  - 25. Air Filters
  - 26. Flue Pipe Systems
  - 27. Non-Condensing Boiler-Gas Fired (Forced Draft)
  - 28. Condensing Boiler Gas Fired
  - 29. Finned Water-Tube Boilers
  - 30. Steel Water-Tube Boilers
  - 31. Gas Fired Furnaces
  - 32. Gas Fired Roof Mounted Make-up Air Unit Heaters
  - 33. Shell and Tube Heat Exchanger
  - 34. Centrifugal Liquid Chiller
  - 35. Rotary Screw Water Chillers
  - 36. Air Cooled Rotary Liquid Chiller
  - 37. Induced Draft Cooling Tower
  - 38. Energy Recovery Ventilator
  - 39. Modular Indoor Central Station Air Handling Units



- 40. Packaged Air Handling Unit
- 41. Modular Outdoor Central Station Air Handling Units
- 42. 100% Outside Air Rooftop Unit with Gas Heat
- 43. Self-Contained Air Conditioners
- 44. Rooftop Heating and Cooling Units Electric Cooling-Gas Heating
- 45. Rooftop Heating and Cooling Units Electric Cooling-Electric Heat
- 46. Variable Air Volume Rooftop Units
- 47. Variable Refrigerant Flow (VRF) for HVAC System
- 48. Water Source Heat Pump Unit
- 49. Fan Coil Unit
- 50. Unit Ventilators
- 51. Electric Duct Heaters
- 52. Radiant Heating Electric Cables
- 53. Air Conditioning Unit for Swimming Pool Enclosures
- I. Refer to other Division 23 sections for additional submittal requirements. Provide samples of actual materials and/or equipment to be used on the Project upon request of the Owner or Engineer.

### 1.14 COORDINATION DRAWINGS

- A. Prepare coordination drawings to a scale of 1/4"=1'-0" or larger; detailing major elements, components, and systems of mechanical equipment and materials in relationship with other systems, installations, and building components. Indicate locations where space is limited for installation and access, and where sequencing and coordination of installations are of importance to the efficient flow of the Work, including (but not necessarily limited to) the following:
  - 1. Indicate the proposed locations of pipe, duct, equipment, and other materials. Include the following:
    - a. Wall and type locations.
    - b. Clearances for installing and maintaining insulation.
    - c. Locations of light fixtures and sprinkler heads.
    - d. Clearances for servicing and maintaining equipment, including tube removal, filter removal, and space for equipment disassembly required for periodic maintenance.
    - e. Equipment connections and support details.
    - f. Exterior wall and foundation penetrations.
    - g. Routing of storm and sanitary sewer piping.
    - h. Fire-rated wall and floor penetrations.
    - i. Sizes and location of required concrete pads and bases.
    - j. Valve stem movement.
    - k. Structural floor, wall and roof opening sizes and details.
  - 2. Indicate scheduling, sequencing, movement, and positioning of large equipment into the building during construction.
  - 3. Prepare floor plans, elevations, and details to indicate penetrations in floors, walls, and ceilings and their relationship to other penetrations and installations.
  - 4. Prepare reflected ceiling plans to coordinate and integrate installations, air distribution devices, light fixtures, communication systems components, and other ceiling-mounted items.



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- B. This Contractor shall be responsible for coordination of all items that will affect the installation of the work of this Division. This coordination shall include, but not be limited to: voltage, ampacity, capacity, electrical and piping connections, space requirements, sequence of construction, building requirements and special conditions.
- C. By submitting coordination drawings on the project, this Contractor is indicating that all necessary coordination has been completed and that the systems, products and equipment submitted can be installed in the building and will operate as specified and intended, in full coordination with all other Contractors and Subcontractors.

#### 1.15 RECORD DOCUMENTS

- A. Prepare Record Documents in accordance with the requirements in Special Project Requirements, in addition to the requirements specified in Division 23, indicate the following installed conditions:
  - 1. Duct mains and branches, size and location, for both exterior and interior; locations of dampers, fire dampers, duct access panels, and other control devices; filters, fuel fired heaters, fan coils, condensing units, and roof-top A/C units requiring periodic maintenance or repair.
  - 2. Mains and branches of piping systems, with valves and control devices located and numbered, concealed unions located, and with items requiring maintenance located (i.e., traps, strainers, expansion compensators, tanks, etc.). Valve location diagrams, complete with valve tag chart. Indicate actual inverts and horizontal locations of underground piping.
  - 3. Equipment locations (exposed and concealed), dimensioned from prominent building lines.
  - 4. Approved substitutions, Contract Modifications, and actual equipment and materials installed.
  - 5. Contract Modifications, actual equipment and materials installed.
- B. Engage the services of a Land Surveyor or Professional Engineer registered in the state in which the project is located as specified herein to record the locations and invert elevations of underground installations.
- C. The Contractor shall maintain a set of clearly marked black line record "AS-BUILT" prints on the job site on which he shall mark all work details, alterations to meet site conditions and changes made by "Change Order" notices. These shall be kept available for inspection by the Owner, Architect or Engineer at all times.
- D. Refer to Division 00 and Division 01 for additional requirements concerning Record Drawings. If the Contractor does not keep an accurate set of as-built drawings, the pay request may be altered or delayed at the request of the Architect. Mark the drawings with a colored pencil. Delivery of as-built prints and re-producibles is a condition of substantial completion.
- E. The record prints shall be updated on a daily basis and shall indicate accurate dimensions for all buried or concealed work, precise locations of all concealed pipe or duct, locations of all concealed valves, controls and devices and any deviations from the work shown on the Construction Documents which are required for coordination. All dimensions shall include at least two dimensions to permanent structure points.



- F. Submit three prints of the tracings for review. Make corrections to tracings as directed and deliver "Auto Positive Tracings" to the Architect. "As-Built" drawings shall be furnished in addition to submittals.
- G. When the option described in paragraph F above is not exercised, then upon completion of the Work, the Contractor shall transfer all marks from the tracings and submit a set of clear concise reproducible record "AS-BUILT" drawings and shall submit the reproducible drawings with corrections made by a competent draftsman and three (3) sets of black line prints to the Architect or Engineer for review prior to scheduling the final inspection at the completion of the Work. The reproducible record "AS-BUILT" drawings shall have the Engineer's Name and Seal removed or blanked out and shall be clearly marked and signed on each sheet as follows:

CERTIFIED RECORD DRAWINGS

DATE:

(NAME OF GENERAL CONTRACTOR)

BY:\_\_\_\_\_

(SIGNATURE)

(NAME OF SUBCONTRACTOR)

BY:\_\_\_\_\_

(SIGNATURE)

- 1.16 OPERATING AND MAINTENANCE MANUALS
  - A. Prepare operating and maintenance manuals in accordance with Division 00 and Division 01 and, in addition to the requirements specified in those Divisions, include the following information for equipment items:
    - 1. Description of function, normal operating characteristics and limitations, performance curves, engineering data and tests, and complete nomenclature and commercial numbers of replacement parts.
    - 2. Manufacturer's printed operating procedures to include start-up, break-in, and routine and normal operating instructions; regulation, control, stopping, shutdown, and emergency instructions; and summer and winter operating instructions.
    - 3. Maintenance procedures for routine preventative maintenance and troubleshooting; disassembly, repair, and reassembly; aligning and adjusting instructions.
    - 4. Servicing instructions and lubrication charts and schedules.

## 1.17 CERTIFICATIONS AND TEST REPORTS

A. Submit a detailed schedule for completion and testing of each system indicating scheduled dates for completion of system installation and outlining tests to be performed and scheduled date for each test. This detailed completion and test schedule shall be submitted at least 90 days before the projected substantial completion date.



- B. Test result reporting forms shall be submitted for review no later than the date of the detailed schedule.
- C. Submit 4 copies of all certifications and test reports to the Architect or Engineer for review adequately in advance of substantial completion of the Work to allow for remedial action as required to correct deficiencies discovered in equipment and systems.
- D. Certifications and test reports to be submitted shall include, but not be limited to, those items outlined in Section 23 02 00.

### 1.18 OPERATING AND MAINTENANCE MANUALS

- A. Coordinate with Division 00 and Division 01 for operating and maintenance manual requirements. Unless noted otherwise, bind together in "D ring type" binders (National model no. 79-883 or equal). Binders shall be large enough to allow ¼" of spare capacity. Three (3) sets of all reviewed submittals, fabrication drawings, bulletins, maintenance instructions, operating instructions and parts exploded views and lists for each and every piece of equipment furnished under these Specifications. All sections shall be typed and indexed into sections and labeled for easy reference and shall utilize the individual specification section numbers shown in the Mechanical Specifications as an organization guideline. Bulletins containing information about equipment that is not installed on the project shall be properly marked up or stripped and reassembled. All pertinent information required by the Owner for proper operation and maintenance of equipment supplied by Division 23 shall be clearly and legibly set forth in memoranda that shall, likewise, be bound with bulletins.
- B. Prepare maintenance manuals in accordance with Special Project Conditions. In addition to the requirements specified in Division 23, include the following information for equipment items:
  - 1. Identifying names, name tag designations and locations for all equipment.
  - 2. Valve tag lists with valve number, type, color coding, location and function.
  - 3. Reviewed submittals with exceptions noted compliance letter.
  - 4. Fabrication drawings.
  - 5. Equipment and device bulletins and data sheets clearly highlighted to show equipment installed on the project and including performance curves and data as applicable (i.e., description of function, normal operating characteristics and limitations, performance curves, engineering data and tests, and complete nomenclature and model numbers of replacement parts).
  - 6. Manufacturer's printed operating procedures to include start-up, break-in, and routine and normal operating instructions; regulation, control, stopping, shutdown, and emergency instructions; and summer and winter operating instructions.
  - 7. Maintenance procedures for routine preventative maintenance and troubleshooting; disassembly, repair, and reassembly; aligning and adjusting instructions, servicing instructions and lubrication charts and schedules.
  - 8. Equipment and motor name plate data.
  - 9. Wiring diagrams.
  - 10. Exploded parts views and parts lists for all equipment and devices.
  - 11. Color coding charts for all painted equipment and piping.
  - 12. Location and listing of all spare parts and special keys and tools furnished to the Owner.



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- 13. Furnish recommended lubrication schedule for all required lubrication points with listing of type and approximate amount of lubricant required.
- C. Refer to Division 00 and Division 01 for additional information on Operating and Maintenance Manuals.
- D. Operating and Maintenance Manuals shall be turned over to the Owner or Engineer for review a minimum of 14 working days prior to the beginning of the operator training period.

#### 1.19 OPERATOR TRAINING

- A. The Contractor shall furnish the services of factory trained specialists to instruct the Owner's operating personnel. The Owner's operator training shall include a minimum of 12 hours of onsite training in three 4 hour shifts.
- B. Before proceeding with the instruction of Owner Personnel, prepare a typed outline in triplicate, listing the subjects that will be covered in this instruction, and submit the outline for review by the Owner. At the conclusion of the instruction period, obtain the signature of each person being instructed on each copy of the reviewed outline to signify that he has a proper understanding of the operation and maintenance of the systems and resubmit the signed outlines.
- C. Refer to other Division 23 Sections for additional Operator Training requirements.

#### 1.20 FINAL COMPLETION

- A. At the completion of the Work, all equipment and systems shall be tested and faulty equipment and material shall be repaired or replaced. Refer to Sections of Division 23 for additional requirements.
- B. Clean and adjust all air distribution devices and replace all air filters immediately prior to Substantial Completion.
- C. Touch up and/or refinish all scratched equipment and devices immediately prior to Substantial Completion.

#### 1.21 CONTRACTOR'S GUARANTEE

- A. Use of the HVAC systems to provide temporary service during construction period will not be allowed without permission from the Owner in writing; and, if granted, shall not cause the warranty period to start, except as defined below.
- B. Contractor shall guarantee to keep the entire installation in repair and perfect working order for a period of one year after the date of the Substantial Completion, and shall furnish (free of additional cost to the Owner) all materials and labor necessary to comply with the above guarantee throughout the year beginning from the date of Substantial Completion, Beneficial Occupancy by the Owner, or the Certificate of Final Payment as agreed upon by all parties.
- C. This guarantee shall not include cleaning or changing filters except as required by testing, adjusting and balancing.



- D. All air conditioning compressors shall have parts and labor guarantees for a period of not less than 5 years beyond the date of Substantial Completion.
- E. Refer to Sections in Division 23 for additional guarantee or warranty requirements.

### 1.22 TRANSFER OF ELECTRONIC FILES

- A. Project documents are not intended or represented to be suitable for reuse by Architect/Owner or others on extensions of this project or on any other project. Any such reuse or modification without written verification or adaptation by Engineer, as appropriate for the specific purpose intended, will be at Architect/Owner's risk and without liability or legal exposure to Engineer or its consultants from all claims, damages, losses and expense, including attorney's fees arising out of or resulting thereof.
- B. Because data stored in electronic media format can deteriorate or be modified inadvertently, or otherwise, without authorization of the data's creator, the party receiving the electronic files agrees that it will perform acceptance tests or procedures within sixty (60) days of receipt, after which time the receiving party shall be deemed to have accepted the data thus transferred to be acceptable. Any errors detected within the sixty (60) day acceptance period will be corrected by the party delivering the electronic files. Engineer is not responsible for maintaining documents stored in electronic media format after acceptance by the Architect/Owner.
- C. When transferring documents in electronic media format, Engineer makes no representations as to the long term compatibility, usability or readability of documents resulting from the use of software application packages, operating systems, or computer hardware differing from those used by Engineer at the beginning of the Project.
- D. Any reuse or modifications will be at the Contractor's sole risk and without liability or legal exposure to Architect, Engineer or any consultant.
- E. The Texas Board of Architectural Examiners (TBAE) has stated that it is in violation of Texas law for persons other than the Architect of record to revise the Architectural drawings without the Architect's written consent.
  - 1. It is agreed that "MEP" hard copy or computer-generated documents will not be issued to any other party except directly to the Architect/Owner. The Contract Documents are contractually copyrighted and cannot be used for any other project or purpose except as specifically indicated in AIA B-141 Standard Form of Agreement Between Architect and Owner.
  - 2. If the client, Architect or Owner of the project requires electronic media for "record purposes", then AutoCAD/ Revit documents will be prepared by Engineer on electronic media such as removable memory devices, flash drives or CD's. These documents can also be submitted via file transfer protocols. AutoCAD/ Revit files will be submitted with all title block references intact to permit the end user to only view and plot the drawings. Revisions will not be permitted in this configuration.
  - 3. At the Architect/Owner's request, Engineer will assist the Contractor in the preparation of the submittals and prepare one copy of AutoCAD/ Revit files on electronic media or submit through file transfer protocols. The electronic media will be prepared with all indicia of documents ownership removed. The electronic media will be prepared in a ".rvt" or ".dwg" format to permit the end user to revise



the drawings.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 MATERIALS

- A. Provide materials and equipment manufactured by a domestic United States manufacturer and assembled in the United States for all local and Federal Government projects. These materials and equipment shall comply with "Buy American Act."
- B. Access Doors: Provide access doors as required for access to equipment, valves, controls, cleanouts and other apparatus where concealed. Access doors shall have concealed hinges and screw driver cam locks.
- C. All access doors located in wet areas such as restrooms, locker rooms, shower rooms, kitchen and any other wet areas shall be constructed of stainless steel.
- D. Access Doors: shall be as follows:
  - 1. Plaster Surfaces: Milcor Style K.
  - 2. Ceramic Tile Surface: Milcor Style M.
  - 3. Drywall Surfaces: Milcor Style DW.
  - 4. Install doors only in locations approved by the Architect.
- 2.2 EQUIPMENT PADS (See 2.4 in Section 26 02 00)

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 ROUGH-IN
  - A. Verify final locations for rough-ins with field measurements and with the requirements of the actual equipment to be connected via reviewed submittals.
  - B. Refer to equipment specifications in Divisions 2 through 48 for additional rough-in requirements.

#### 3.2 MECHANICAL INSTALLATIONS

- A. General: Sequence, coordinate, and integrate the various elements of mechanical systems, materials, and equipment. Comply with the following requirements:
  - 1. Coordinate mechanical systems, equipment, and materials installation with other building components.
  - 2. Verify all dimensions by field measurements.
  - 3. Arrange for chases, slots, and openings in other building components during progress of construction, to allow for mechanical installations.
  - 4. Coordinate the installation of required supporting devices and sleeves to be set in poured-in-place concrete and other structural components, as they are constructed.
  - 5. Sequence, coordinate, and integrate installations of mechanical materials and equipment for efficient flow of the Work. Give particular attention to large equipment requiring positioning prior to closing in the building.



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- 6. Where mounting heights are not detailed or dimensioned, install systems, materials, and equipment to provide the maximum headroom possible.
- 7. Coordinate connection of mechanical systems with exterior underground and overhead utilities and services. Comply with requirements of governing regulations, franchised service companies, and controlling agencies. Provide required connection for each service.
- 8. Install systems, materials, and equipment to conform with architectural action markings on submittal, including coordination drawings, to greatest extent possible. Conform to arrangements indicated by the Contract Documents, recognizing that portions of the Work are shown only in diagrammatic form. Where coordination requirements conflict with individual system requirements, resolve conflicts and submit proposed solution to the Architect for review.
- 9. Install systems, materials, and equipment level and plumb, parallel and perpendicular to other building systems and components, where installed exposed in finished spaces.
- 10. Install mechanical equipment to facilitate servicing, maintenance, and repair or replacement of equipment components. As much as possible, connect equipment for ease of disconnecting, with minimum of interference with other installations. Extend grease fittings to an accessible location and label.
- 11. Install access doors where units are concealed behind finished surfaces. Refer to paragraph 2.1 in this section and architect for access doors specifications and location.
- 12. Install systems, materials, and equipment giving right-of-way priority to systems required to be installed at a specified slope.
- 13. Provide roof curbs for all roof mounted equipment. Coordinate with roof construction for pitched roof. Provide roof curbs which match the roof slope and provides a level top for equipment installation. Refer to Architectural drawings and details.
- 14. The equipment to be furnished under these Specifications shall be essentially the standard product of the manufacturer. Where two or more units of the same class of equipment are required, these units shall be products of a single manufacturer; however, the component parts of the system need not be the product of the same manufacturer.
- 15. The Architectural and Structural features of the building and the space limitations shall be considered in selection of all equipment. No equipment shall be furnished which will not suit the arrangement and space limitations indicated.
- 16. Lubrication: Prior to start-up, check and properly lubricate all bearings as recommended by the manufacturer.
- 17. Where the word "Concealed" is used in these Specifications in connection with insulating, painting, piping, ducts, etc., it shall be understood to mean hidden from sight as in chases, furred spaces or suspended ceilings. "Exposed" shall be understood to mean the opposite of concealed.
- 18. Identification of Mechanical Equipment:
  - a. Mechanical equipment shall be identified by means of nameplates permanently attached to the equipment. Nameplates shall be engraved laminated plastic or etched metal. Submittals shall include dimensions and lettering format for approval. Attachment shall be with escutcheon pins, self-tapping screws, or machine screws.
  - b. Tags shall be attached to all valves, including control valves, with nonferrous chain. Tags shall be brass and at least 1-1/2 inches in diameter. Nameplate and tag symbols shall correspond to the identification



symbols on the temperature control submittal and the "as-built" drawings.

- 19. Provide construction filters for all air handling units, fan coil unit, VAV boxes, and all other air handling equipment during the entire construction period.
- 20. Provide temporary construction strains for all strainers in the hydronic systems during the initial flushing of the systems.

### 3.3 CUTTING AND PATCHING

- A. Protection of Installed Work: During cutting and patching operations, protect adjacent installations.
- B. Perform cutting, fitting, and patching of mechanical equipment and materials required to:
  - 1. Uncover Work to provide for installation of ill-timed Work.
  - 2. Remove and replace defective Work.
  - 3. Remove and replace Work not conforming to requirements of the Contract Documents.
  - 4. Remove samples of installed Work as specified for testing.
  - 5. Install equipment and materials in existing structures.
  - 6. Upon written instructions from the Engineer, uncover and restore Work to provide for Engineer/Owner's observation of concealed Work, without additional cost to the Owner.
  - 7. Patch existing finished surfaces and building components using new materials matching existing materials and experienced Installers. Patch finished surfaces and building components using new materials specified for the original installation and experienced Installers; refer to the materials and methods required for the surface and building components being patched; Refer to Paragraph 1.11 I for definition of "Installer."
- C. Cut, remove and legally dispose of selected mechanical equipment, components, and materials as indicated, including but not limited to removal of mechanical piping, mechanical ducts and HVAC units, and other mechanical items made obsolete by the new Work.
- D. Protect the structure, furnishings, finishes, and adjacent materials not indicated or scheduled to be removed.
- E. Provide and maintain temporary partitions or dust barriers adequate to prevent the spread of dust and dirt to adjacent areas.

#### 3.4 WORK SEQUENCE, TIMING, COORDINATION WITH OWNER, ARCHITECT AND ENGINEER

- A. The Owner will cooperate with the Contractor, however, the following provisions must be observed:
  - 1. A meeting will be held at the project site, prior to any construction, between the Owner's Representative, the General Contractor, the Sub-Contractors and the Engineer to discuss Contractor's employee parking space, access, storage of equipment or materials, and use of the Owner's facilities or utilities. The Owner's decisions regarding such matters shall be final.
  - 2. During the construction of this project, normal facility activities will continue in



existing buildings until renovated areas are completed. Plumbing, fire protection, lighting, electrical, communications, heating, air conditioning, and ventilation systems shall be maintained in service within the occupied spaces of the existing building.

- 3. Contractor shall not start-up any of the HVAC equipment unless the Owner, Architect and Engineer are signed off.
- 4. Start-up for major HVAC equipment such as chillers, cooling towers, variable frequency drives and hot water boilers shall be performed by a factory technician. The start-up shall include a written report signed off by Contractor, Engineer and Owner.

### 3.5 DEMOLITION AND WORK WITHIN EXISTING BUILDINGS

- A. In the preparation of these documents every effort has been made to show the approximate locations of, and connections to, the existing piping, duct, equipment and other apparatus related to this phase of the Work. However, this Contractor shall be responsible for verifying all of the above information. This Contractor shall visit the existing site to inspect the facilities and related areas. This Contractor shall inspect and verify all details and requirements of all the Contract Documents, prior to the submission of a proposal. All discrepancies between the Contract Documents and actual job-site conditions shall be resolved by the contractor, who shall produce drawings that shall be submitted to the Architect/Engineer for review. All labor and materials required to perform the work described shall be a part of this Contract.
- B. All equipment and/or systems noted on the Drawings "To Remain" shall be inspected and tested on site to certify its working condition. A written report on the condition of all equipment to remain, including a copy of the test results and recommended remedial actions and costs shall be made by this Contractor to the Architect/Engineer for review.
- C. All equipment and/or systems noted on the Drawings "To Be Removed" shall be removed including, associated pipe and duct, pipe and duct hangers and/or line supports. Where duct or pipe is to be capped for future or end of line use, it shall be properly tagged with its function or service appropriately identified. Where existing equipment is to be removed or relocated and has an electric motor or connection, the Electrical Contractor shall disconnect motor or connection, remove wiring to a safe point and this Contractor shall remove or relocate motor or connection along with the equipment.
- D. During construction and remodeling, portions of the Project shall remain in service. Construction equipment, material, tools, extension cords, etc., shall be arranged so as to present minimum hazard or interruption to the occupants of the building. None of the construction work shall interfere with the proper operation of the existing facility; or be so conducted as to cause harm or danger to persons on the premises. All fire exits, stairs or corridors required for proper access, circulation or exit shall remain clear of equipment, materials or debris. The General Contractor shall maintain barricades, other separations in corridors and other spaces where work is conducted.
- E. Certain work during the demolition and construction phases may require overtime or night time shifts or temporary evacuation of the occupants. Coordinate and schedule all proposed down time with the Owner at least seventy-two (72) hours in advance in writing.
- F. Any salvageable equipment as determined by the Owner, shall be delivered to the Owner, and placed in storage at the location of his choice. All other debris shall be



removed from the site immediately.

- G. Equipment, piping or other potential hazards to the occupants of the building shall not be left overnight outside of the designated working or construction area.
- H. Make every effort to minimize damage to the existing building and the Owner's property. Repair, patch or replace as required any damage that occurs as a result of work at the site. Care shall be taken to minimize interference with the Owner's activities during construction and to keep construction disrupted areas to a minimum. Coordinate with the Owner and other trades in scheduling and performance of the work.
- I. Include in the contract price all rerouting of existing pipe, duct, etc., and the reconnecting of the existing equipment as necessitated by field conditions to allow the installation of the new systems regardless of whether or not such rerouting, reconnecting or relocating is shown on the Drawings. Furnish all temporary pipe, duct, controls, etc., as required to maintain heating, cooling, and ventilation services for the existing areas with a minimum of interruption.
- J. All existing pipe, duct, materials, equipment, controls and appurtenances not included in the remodel or alteration areas are to remain in place.
- K. Pipe, duct, equipment and controls serving mechanical and other Owner's equipment, etc., which is to remain but is served by pipe, duct, equipment and controls that are disturbed by the remodeling work, shall be reconnected in such a manner as to leave this equipment in proper operating condition.
- L. No portion of the **fire protection systems** shall be turned off, modified or changed in any way without the express knowledge and written permission of the Owner's representative in order to protect systems that shall remain in service.
- M. It is the intention of this Section of the Specifications to outline minimum requirements to furnish the Owner with a turn-key and operating system in cooperation with other trades with a minimum of disruption or downtime.
- N. Refer to Architectural Demolition and/or Alteration plans for actual location of walls, ceilings, etc., being removed and/or remodeled.

## END OF SECTION



## SECTION 23 02 01 - COORDINATION DRAWINGS

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS
  - A. The requirements of the General Conditions 013100 and Supplementary Conditions apply to all Work herein.

#### 1.2 COORDINATION DRAWINGS

- A. The Contractor shall take the lead in coordinating the Mechanical, Electrical, Plumbing, Communications, Electronic Safety/Security and Fire Protection systems within the building.
- B. The Mechanical Contractor shall coordinate a three-dimensional (3D) model of the building which includes the Mechanical, Electrical, Plumbing, and Fire Protection systems. The Electrical, Plumbing, and Fire Protection Contractors shall prepare their work and generate 3D models which will be given to the Mechanical Contractor for coordination. The Contractor will be provided with the REVIT model that was used to generate the contract documents, this file may be used as the background file. The Contractor shall replace the systems drawn with the actual shop drawing models. The Contractor is not limited to using REVIT, but may use any 3-D software in generating and combining the coordination model.
- C. Submitting the contract drawings as coordination drawings will not be acceptable.
- D. The model shall include detailed and accurate representations of all equipment to be installed based upon the reviewed equipment submittals.
- E. The Mechanical Contractor shall hold a 3-D coordination meeting with all sub-contractors present to review the model and discuss coordination of the installation of the building systems.
- F. Upon completion of the coordination meeting, the Contractor shall submit the 3-D model and ¼" scale drawings for review.
- G. The model shall detail major elements, components, and systems in relationship with other systems, installations, and building components. Indicate locations where space is limited for installation and access and where sequencing and coordination of installations are of importance to the efficient flow of the Work, including (but not necessarily limited to) the following:
  - 1. Indicate the proposed locations of pipe, duct, equipment, and other materials. Include the following:
    - a. Wall and type locations.
    - b. Clearances for installing and maintaining insulation.
    - c. Locations of light fixtures and sprinkler heads.
    - d. Clearances for servicing and maintaining equipment, including tube removal, filter removal, and space for equipment disassembly required for periodic maintenance.
    - e. Equipment connections and support details.
    - f. Exterior wall and foundation penetrations.
    - g. Routing of storm and sanitary sewer piping.



- h. Fire-rated wall and floor penetrations.
- i. Sizes and location of required concrete pads and bases.
- j. Valve stem movement.
- k. Structural floor, wall and roof opening sizes and details.
- 2. Indicate scheduling, sequencing, movement, and positioning of large equipment into the building during construction.
- 3. Prepare floor plans, elevations, and details to indicate penetrations in floors, walls, and ceilings and their relationship to other penetrations and installations.
- 4. Prepare reflected ceiling plans to coordinate and integrate installations, air distribution devices, light fixtures, communication systems components, and other ceiling-mounted items.
- H. Sequence of Coordination

Below is hierarchy of model elements and the sequencing by which the models will be coordinated.

- 1. Structural and Architectural model
- 2. Miscellaneous steel
- 3. Perform preliminary space allocation
- 4. Identify hard constraints (locations of access panels, lights, A/V space requirements, etc.)
- 5. Main and medium pressure ducts from the shaft out
- 6. Main graded plumbing lines and vents
- 7. Sprinkler mains and branches
- 8. Cold and hot water mains and branches
- 9. Lighting fixtures and plumbing fixtures
- 10. Smaller sized ducts and flex ducts
- 11. Smaller size cold water and hot water piping, flex ducts, etc.
- I. The Contractor and Sub-Contractors shall not install any item until the coordination has been completed and reviewed by the Construction Manager, Owner, and A/E team.
- J. This Contractor shall be responsible for coordination of all items that will affect the installation of the work of this Division. This coordination shall include, but not be limited to: voltage, ampacity, capacity, electrical and piping connections, space requirements, sequence of construction, building requirements and special conditions.
- K. By submitting shop drawings on the project, this Contractor is indicating that all necessary coordination has been completed and that the systems, products and equipment submitted can be installed in the building and will operate as specified and intended, in full



coordination with all other Contractors and Subcontractors

END OF SECTION



## SECTION 23 03 00 - MECHANICAL DEMOLITION FOR REMODELING

PART 1 - GENERAL

### 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Mechanical demolition.
- B. The Drawings do not show all demolition work required. The Contractor shall make himself familiar with the required scope of work to accomplish the work required by these documents. All demolition work implied or required shall be included in the scope of this contract.
- C. Utility service outages required by the new installation will be permitted but only at a time approved by the Owner. The Contractor shall allow the Owner 2 weeks in order to schedule required outages. The time allowed for outages will not be during normal working hours unless otherwise approved by the Owner. All costs of outages, including overtime charges, shall be included in the contract amount.

### 1.2 RELATED SECTIONS

A. Section 02 40 00 - Demolition and Structure Moving.

### 1.3 WORK SEQUENCE, TIMING, COORDINATION WITH OWNER

- A. The Owner will cooperate with the Contractor; however, the following provisions must be observed:
  - 1. During the construction of this project, normal facility activities will continue in existing buildings until new buildings or renovated areas are completed. Plumbing, fire protection, lighting, electrical, communications, heating, air conditioning, and ventilation systems shall be maintained in service within the occupied spaces of the existing building.
  - 2. A meeting will be held at the project site, prior to any construction, between the Owner's Representative, the General Contractor, the Subcontractors and Subsubcontractors, and the Engineer to discuss Contractor's employee parking space, access, storage of equipment or materials, and use of the Owner's facilities or utilities. The Owner's decisions regarding such matters shall be final.

#### 1.4 DEMOLITION AND WORK WITHIN EXISTING BUILDINGS

A. In the preparation of these documents every effort has been made to show the approximate locations of, and connections to the existing piping, duct, equipment and other apparatus related to this phase of the Work. However, this Contractor shall be responsible for verifying all of the above information. This Contractor shall visit the existing site to inspect the facilities and related areas. This Contractor shall inspect and verify all details and requirements of all the Contract Documents, prior to the submission of a proposal. All discrepancies between the Contract Documents and actual job-site conditions shall be resolved by the contractor, who shall produce drawings which shall be submitted to the Architect/Engineer for review. All labor and materials required to perform the work described shall be a part of this Contract.



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- B. All equipment and/or systems noted on the Drawings "To Remain" shall be inspected and tested on site to certify its working condition. A written report on the condition of all equipment to remain, including a copy of the test results and recommended remedial actions and costs shall be made by this Contractor to the Architect/Engineer for review.
- C. All equipment and/or systems noted on the Drawings "To Be Removed" should be removed including, associated pipe and duct, pipe and duct hangers and/or line supports. Where duct or pipe is to be capped for future or end of line use, it shall be properly tagged with its function or service appropriately identified. Where existing equipment is to be removed or relocated and has an electric motor or connection, the Electrical Contractor shall disconnect motor or connection, remove wiring to a safe point and this Contractor shall remove or relocate motor or connection along with the equipment.
- D. During construction and remodeling, portions of the Project shall remain in service. Construction equipment, material, tools, extension cords, etc., shall be arranged so as to present minimum hazard or interruption to the occupants of the building. None of the construction work shall interfere with the proper operation of the existing facility; or be so conducted as to cause harm or danger to persons on the premises. All fire exits, stairs or corridors required for proper access, circulation or exit shall remain clear of equipment, materials or debris. The General Contractor shall maintain barricades, other separations in corridors and other spaces where work is conducted.
- E. Certain work during the demolition and construction phases may require overtime or night time shifts or temporary evacuation of the occupants. Coordinate and schedule all proposed down time with the Owner at least seventy-two (72) hours in advance in writing.
- F. Any salvageable equipment as determined by the Owner, shall be delivered to the Owner, and placed in storage at the location of his choice. All other debris shall be removed from the site immediately.
- G. Equipment, piping or other potential hazards to the occupants of the building shall not be left overnight outside of the designated working or construction area.
- H. Make every effort to minimize damage to the existing building and the Owner's property. Repair, patch or replace as required any damage which occurs as a result of work at the site. Care shall be taken to minimize interference with the Owner's activities during construction and to keep construction disrupted areas to a minimum. Coordinate with the Owner and other trades in scheduling and performance of the work.
- I. Include in the contract price all rerouting of existing pipe, duct, etc., and the reconnecting of the existing equipment as necessitated by field conditions to allow the installation of the new systems regardless of whether or not such rerouting, reconnecting or relocating is shown on the drawings. Furnish all temporary pipe, duct, controls, etc., as required to maintain heating, cooling, and ventilation services for the existing areas with a minimum of interruption.
- J. All existing pipe, duct, materials, equipment, controls and appurtenances not included in the remodel or alteration areas are to remain in place.
- K. Pipe, duct, equipment and controls serving mechanical and other Owner's equipment, etc., which is to remain but which is served by pipe, duct, equipment and controls that are disturbed by the remodeling work, shall be reconnected in such a manner as to leave this equipment in proper operating condition.



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- L. No portion of the **fire protection systems** shall be turned off, modified or changed in any way without the express knowledge and written permission of the Owner's representative in order to protect systems that shall remain in service.
- M. It is the intention of this Section of the Specifications to outline minimum requirements to furnish the Owner with a turn-key and operating system in cooperation with other trades with a minimum of disruption or downtime.
- N. Refer to Architectural Demolition and/or Alteration plans for actual location of walls, ceilings, etc., being removed and/or remodeled.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT
  - A. Materials and equipment for patching and extending work: As specified in individual Sections.

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Field verify measurements, and piping arrangements are as shown on Drawings.
- B. Verify that abandoned piping and equipment serve only abandoned facilities.
- C. Demolition Drawings are based on casual field observation and existing Record Documents. Report discrepancies to Architect and Engineer before disturbing existing installation.
- D. Beginning of demolition means that the contractor accepts existing conditions.

#### 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Disconnect mechanical systems in walls, floors, and ceilings scheduled for removal.
- B. Coordinate utility service outages with Utility Company.
- C. Provide temporary connections, if required, to maintain existing systems in service during construction. When work must be performed on energized equipment, use personnel experienced in such operations.
- D. Existing Service: Maintain existing system in service until new system is complete and ready for service. Disable system only to make switchovers and connections. Obtain permission from Owner at least 24 hours before partially or completely disabling system. Minimize outage duration. Make temporary connections to maintain service in areas adjacent to work area.
- E. Existing Fire Alarm System: Maintain existing system in service until new system is accepted. Disable system only to make switchovers and connections. Notify Owner and local fire service at least 24 hours before partially or completely disabling system. Minimize outage duration. Make temporary connections to maintain service in areas



adjacent to work area.

### 3.3 DEMOLITION AND EXTENSION OF EXISTING MECHANICAL WORK

- A. Demolish and extend existing mechanical work under provisions of Division 02 and this Section.
- B. Remove, relocate, and extend existing systems to accommodate new construction.
- C. Remove abandoned piping to source of supply.
- D. Remove exposed abandoned piping systems, including abandoned systems above accessible ceiling finishes. Cut systems flush with walls and floors, and patch surfaces.
- E. Repair adjacent construction and finishes damaged during demolition and extension work.
- F. Maintain access to existing systems which remain active. Modify installation or provide access doors as appropriate.
- G. Extend existing systems using materials and methods compatible with existing systems, or as specified.

### 3.4 CLEANING AND REPAIR

A. Clean and repair existing materials and equipment which remain or are to be reused.

#### 3.5 INSTALLATION

A. Install relocated materials and equipment under the provisions of Division 02.

### 3.6 REMOVAL OF MATERIALS

- A. The Contractor shall modify, remove, and/or relocate all materials and items so indicated on the Drawings or required by the installation of new facilities. All removals and/or dismantling shall be conducted in a manner as to produce maximum salvage. Salvage materials shall remain the property of the Owner, and shall be delivered to such destination as directed by the Owner. Materials and/or items scheduled for relocation and which are damaged during dismantling or reassembly operations shall be repaired and restored to good operating condition. The Contractor may, at his discretion and upon the approval of the Owner, substitute new materials and/or items of like design and quality in lieu of materials and/or items to be relocated.
- B. All items which are to be relocated shall be carefully removed in reverse to original assembly or placement and protected until relocated. The contractor shall clean and repair and provide all new materials, fittings, and appurtenances required to complete the relocations and to restore to good operative order. All relocations shall be performed by workmen skilled in the work and in accordance with standard practice of the trades involved.
- C. When items scheduled for relocation are found to be in damaged condition before work has been started on dismantling, the Contractor shall call the attention of the Owner to



such items and receive further instructions before removal. Items damaged in repositioning operations are the Contractor's responsibility and shall be repaired or replaced by the Contractor as approved by the Owner, at no additional cost to the Owner.

- D. Service lines and wiring to items to be removed, salvaged, or relocated shall be removed to points indicated on the Drawings, specified, or acceptable to the Owner. Service lines and wiring not scheduled for reuse shall be removed to the points at which reuse is to be continued or service is to remain. Such services shall be sealed, capped, or otherwise tied-off or disconnected in a safe manner acceptable to the Owner. All disconnections or connections into the existing facilities shall be done in such a manner as to result in minimum interruption of services to adjacent occupied areas. Services to existing areas or facilities which must remain in operation during the construction period shall not be interrupted without prior specific approval of the Owner as hereinbefore specified.
- E. Certain work during the demolition and construction phases may require overtime or nighttime shifts or temporary evacuation of the occupants. Coordinate and schedule all proposed down time with the Owner's Representative at least 72 hours in advance in writing.
- F. Make every effort to minimize damage to the existing building and the Owner's property. Repair, patch, or replace as required any damage which occurs as a result of work at the site. Care shall be taken to minimize interference with the Owner's activities during construction. Cooperate with the Owner and other trades in scheduling and performance of the work.
- G. See Paragraph I on page 23 02 00 18
- H. The Contractor shall be responsible for loss or damage to the existing facilities caused by him and his workmen, and shall be responsible for repairing such loss or damage. The Contractor shall send proper notices, make necessary arrangements, and perform other services required for the care, protection and in-service maintenance of all electrical services for the new and existing facilities. The Contractor shall erect temporary barricades, with necessary safety devices, as required to protect personnel from injury, removing all such temporary protection upon completion of the work.
- I. Where existing construction is removed to provide working and extension access to existing utilities, Contractor shall remove doors, piping, conduit, outlet boxes, wiring, light fixtures, air conditioning ductwork and equipment, etc., to provide this access and shall reinstall same upon completion of work in the areas affected.
- J. Where partitions, walls, floors, or ceilings of existing construction are being removed, all contractors shall remove and reinstall in locations approved by the Architect all devices required for the operation of the various systems installed in the existing construction.

## END OF SECTION



### SECTION 23 05 13 - COMMON MOTOR REQUIREMENTS FOR HVAC EQUIPMENT

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS
  - A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all work herein.
  - B. The Basic Materials and Methods, Section 23 02 00, are included as a part of this Section as though written in full in this document.

#### 1.2 SCOPE

- A. Scope of the Work shall include the furnishing and complete installation of the equipment covered by this Section, with all auxiliaries, ready for owner's use.
- B. WORK SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE:
  - 1. Painting
  - 2. Automatic temperature controls.
  - 3. Power control wiring to motors and equipment.

#### 1.3 WARRANTY

Warrant the Work specified herein for one year and motors for five years beginning on the date of substantial completion.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. SHOP DRAWINGS: Indicate size material, and finish. Show locations and installation procedures. Include details of joints, attachments, and clearances.
- B. PRODUCT DATA: Submit schedules, charts, literature, and illustrations to indicate the performance, fabrication procedures variations, and accessories.
- C. MOTOR NAMEPLATE INFORMATION: Manufacturer's name, address, utility and operating data.
- D. Refer to Division One for additional information.

#### 1.5 DELIVERY AND STORAGE

- A. DELIVERY: Deliver clearly labeled, undamaged materials in the manufacturers' unopened containers.
- B. TIME AND COORDINATION: Deliver materials to allow for minimum storage time at the project site. Coordinate delivery with the scheduled time of installation.
- C. STORAGE: Store materials in a clean, dry location, protected from weather and abuse.



## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 ELECTRIC MOTORS
  - A. APPROVED MANUFACTURERS: Provide motors by a single manufacturer as much as possible.
    - 1. Baldor
    - 2. Marathon
    - 3. Siemens-Allis
    - 4. General Electric
    - 5. U.S. Motor
  - B. TEMPERATURE RATING: Provide insulation as follows:
    - 1. CLASS B: 40 degrees C maximum.
    - 2. CLASS F:
      - a. Between 40 degrees C and 65 degrees C maximum.
      - b. Totally enclosed motors.
  - C. STARTING CAPABILITY: As required for service indicated five starts minimum per hour.
  - D. PHASES AND CURRENT: Verify electrical service compatibility with motors to be used.
    - 1. UP TO 1/2 HP: Provide permanent split, capacitor-start single phase motors with inherent overload protection.
    - 2. 3/4 HP AND LARGER: Provide squirrel-cage induction polyphase motors.
    - 3. Provide two separate windings on 2-speed polyphase motors.
    - 4. Name plate voltage shall be the same as the circuit's normal voltage, serving the motor.
  - E. SERVICE FACTOR: 1.15 for polyphase; 1.35 for single phase.
  - F. FRAMES: U-frames 1.5 hp. and larger.
  - G. BEARINGS: Provide sealed re-greaseable ball bearings; with top mounted zerc lubrication fittings and bottom side drains minimum average life 100,000 hours typically, and others as follows:
    - 1. Design for thrust where applicable.
    - 2. PERMANENTLY SEALED: Where not accessible for greasing.
    - 3. SLEEVE-TYPE WITH OIL CUPS: Light duty fractional hp. motors or polyphase requiring minimum noise level.
  - H. ENCLOSURE TYPE: Provide enclosures as follows:
    - 1. CONCEALED INDOOR: ODP (Open Drip Proof).
    - 2. EXPOSED INDOOR: Guard Protected.
    - 3. OUTDOOR TYPICAL: Type II. TEFC.
    - 4. OUTDOOR WEATHER PROTECTED: Type I. WPI.
    - 5. EXPLOSION PROOF, XP: For use in hazardous locations.
  - I. OVERLOAD PROTECTION: Built-in sensing device for stopping motor in all phase legs



and signaling where indicated for fractional horse power motors.

- J. NOISE RATING: "Quiet" except where otherwise indicated.
- K. EFFICIENCY: Minimum full load efficiency listed in the following table, when tested in accordance with IEEE Test Procedure 112A, Method B, including stray load loss measure.

Motor Horsepower	NEMA Efficiency INDEX Letter	Minimum Efficiency %
1800 RPM Synchronous Speed		
3-5	Ġ '	89.5
7.5	G F	91.0
10		91.7
15-20	E	93.0
25-30	E	93.6
40	D	94.1
50	С	94.5
60	С	95.0
75	С	95.0
100-125	В	95.4
150-200	В	95.8
1200 RPM Synchronous Speed		
3-5		89.5
7.5	G G	90.2
10	F	91.7
15	F	91.7
20	E	92.4
25-30	E	93.6
40-50	D	94.1
60	D	94.5
75	C	94.5
100-125	С	95.0
150-200	В	95.4

## 2.2 MOTOR CONTROLLERS (STARTERS)

- A. All motor controllers (for equipment furnished under Division 23) shall be furnished under Division 23 and installed under Division 26 unless otherwise noted on the plans.
  - 1. Starters shall be provided for 3 phase motors 3/4 horsepower and greater.
- B. Motor starters shall be furnished as follows.
  - 1. GENERAL: Motor starters shall be Square D Company Class 8536 across-theline magnetic type, full-voltage, non-reversing (FAVOR) starter. All starters shall be constructed and tested in accordance with the latest NEMA standards, sizes and horsepower. ICE sizes are not acceptable. Starters shall be mounted in a general purpose dead front, painted steel enclosure and surface-mounted. Provide size and number of poles as shown and required by equipment served. Provide two speed, two winding or two speed, single winding motor starter as



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required for two speed motors.

- 2. CONTACTS: Magnetic starter contacts shall be double break solid silver alloy. All contacts shall be replaceable without removing power wiring or removing starter from panel. The starter shall have straight-through wiring.
- 3. OPERATING COILS: Operating coils shall be 120 volts and shall be of molded construction. When the coil fails, the starter shall open and shall not lock in the closed position.
- 4. OVERLOAD RELAYS: Provide manual reset, trip-free Class 20 overload relays in each phase conductor in of all starters. Overload relays shall be melting alloy type with visual trip indication. All 3 phase and single phase starters shall have one overload relay in each underground conductor. Relay shall not be field adjustable from manual to automatic reset. Provide 6 overload relays for two speed motor starters.
- 5. PILOT LIGHTS: Provide a red running pilot light for all motor starters. Pilot lights shall be mounted in the starter enclosure cover. Pilot lights shall be operated from an interlock on the motor starter and shall not be wired across the operating coil.
- 6. CONTROLS: Provide starters with HAND-OFF-AUTOMATIC switches. Coordinate additional motor starter controls with the requirements of Division 23. Motor starter controls shall be mounted in the starter enclosure cover.
- 7. CONTROL POWER TRANSFORMER: Provide a single-phase 480 volt control power transformer with each starter for 120 volt control power. Connect the primary side to the line side of the motor starter. The primary side shall be protected by a fuse for each conductor. The secondary side shall have one leg fused and one leg grounded. Arrange transformer terminals so that wiring to terminals will not be located above the transformer.
- 8. AUXILIARY CONTACTS: Each starter shall have one normally open and one normally closed convertible auxiliary contact in addition to the number of contacts required for the "holding interlock", remote monitoring, and control wiring. In addition, it shall be possible to field-install three more additional auxiliary contacts without removing existing wiring or removing the starter from its enclosure.
- 9. UNIT WIRING: Unit shall be completely pre-wired to terminals to eliminate any interior field wiring except for line and load power wiring and HVAC control wiring.
- 10. ENCLOSURES: All motor starter enclosures shall be NEMA 1, general purpose enclosures or NEMA-3R if mounted exposed to high moisture conditions. Provide NEMA 4X when located by cooling towers.
- 11. POWER MONITOR: Provide a square "D" 8430 MPS phase failure and undervoltage relay, base and wiring required for starters serving all 3 phase motors. Set the under-voltage setting according to minimum voltage required for the motor to operate within its range.
- C. APPROVED MANUFACTURERS: Controller numbers are based on first named manufacturer. Provide one of the following manufacturer's.
  - 1. Siemens.
  - 2. Square D.
  - 3. General Electric.
  - 4. Eaton.

#### 2.3 COMBINATION MOTOR STARTERS

A. GENERAL: Combination motor starters shall consist of a magnetic starter and a fusible



or non-fusible disconnect switch in a dead front, painted steel NEMA 1 enclosure unless otherwise noted and shall be surface-mounted. Size and number of poles shall as shown and required by equipment served. Combination motor starters shall be as specified for motor starters in Paragraph 2.1/B, except as modified herein.

- B. DISCONNECT SWITCH: Disconnect switches shall be as specified in Section 26 28 16.
- C. APPROVED MANUFACTURERS: Controller numbers are based on first named manufacturer. Provide one of the following manufacturer's.
  - 1. Siemens.
  - 2. Square D.
  - 3. General Electric.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 All equipment shall be installed in accordance with the manufacturers' recommendations and printed installation instructions.
- 3.2 All items required for a complete and proper installation are not necessarily indicated on the plans or in the specifications. Contractors' price shall include all items required as per manufacturers' requirements.

#### 3.3 INSTALLATION

- A. GENERAL: Install in a professional manner. Any part or parts not meeting this requirement shall be replaced or rebuilt without extra expense to Owner.
- B. Install rotating equipment in static and dynamic balance.
- C. Provide foundations, supports, and isolators properly adjusted to allow minimum vibration transmission within the building.
- D. Correct objectionable noise or vibration transmission in order to operate equipment satisfactorily as determined by the Engineer.

## END OF SECTION



## SECTION 23 05 26 - VARIABLE FREQUENCY MOTOR SPEED CONTROL FOR HVAC EQUIPMENT

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS
  - A. Section 1.1 A in Section 23 05 13
  - B. Section 1.1 B in Section 23 05 13
  - C. Furnish and install a complete adjustable frequency motor speed control for the following items:
    - 1. Variable volume air handling units.
    - 2. Variable volume ventilation fans.

### 1.2 RELATED SECTIONS

- A. Section 23 02 00 Basic Materials and Methods
- B. Section 23 05 13 Common Motor Requirements for HVAC Equipment
- C. Section 23 05 48 Vibration and Seismic Controls for HVAC Piping and Equipment
- D. Section 23 05 93 Testing, Adjusting and Balancing
- E. Section 23 09 00 Energy Management and Controls System
- F. Section 23 21 23 Hydronic Pumps
- G. Section 23 65 36 Cooling Tower Vertical Discharge Cross Flow
- H. Section 23 73 13 Modular Indoor Central Station Air Handling Units

#### 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit shop drawings and product data under provisions of Division One.
- B. Certified noise data shall be submitted by drive manufacturer. Noise generated by variable frequency motor speed control drive shall not exceed preferred "RC" as listed in 2015 ASHRAE HVAC Applications, Chapter 48 Noise and Vibration Control, Table 2 Criteria for Acceptable HVAC Noise in Unoccupied Rooms.

### 1.4 WARRANTY

- A. Warranty shall be 24 months from the date of certified start-up, not to exceed 30 months from the date of shipment. The warranty shall include all parts, labor, travel time and expenses. There shall be 365/24 support available via a toll-free phone number.
- 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING
  - A. Equipment shall be stored and handled per manufacturer's instructions.



### 1.6 OPERATIONS PERSONNEL TRAINING

- A. Provide a training session for the owner's operations personnel. Training session shall be performed by a qualified person who is knowledgeable in the subject system/equipment. Submit a training agenda two (2) weeks prior to the proposed training session for review and approval. Training session shall include at the minimum:
  - 1. Purpose of equipment.
  - 2. Principle of how the equipment works.
  - 3. Important parts and assemblies.
  - 4. How the equipment achieves its purpose and necessary operating conditions.
  - 5. Most likely failure modes, causes and corrections.
  - 6. On site demonstration.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

- A. Yaskawa/Magnetek
- B. ABB
- C. Danfoss

### 2.2 ADJUSTABLE FREQUENCY INVERTER

- A. The AFD package as specified herein shall be enclosed in a NEMA 12 enclosure for interior applications, a NEMA 3R enclosure for exterior locations and a NEMA 4X enclosure where located in a cooling tower yard or within 20 feet from cooling tower. All enclosures shall be completely assembled and tested by the manufacturer in an ISO9001 facility. The AFD shall operate from a line of +30% over nominal and the under-voltage trip level shall be 35% under the nominal voltage as a minimum.
- B. The fused input shall utilize fast acting current limiting type per manufacturer recommendations.
- C. The variable frequency power and logic unit shall be completely solid state. The unit shall transform 480 Volt or 208 Volt (as indicated on plans), 3 phase, 60 hertz input power into frequency and voltage controlled, 3 phase output power suitable to provide positive speed and torque control to the fan motor. The speed control shall be step-less throughout the speed range under variable torque load on a continuous basis. The adjustable frequency control shall be of a pulse width modulated type utilizing a full wave diode bridge rectifier; and shall have a power factor of 0.95 or better at all motor loads.
- D. All AFD's shall have the same customer interface, including a backlit LCD two-line digital display, and keypad, regardless of horsepower rating. The keypad is to be used for local control, for setting all parameters, and for stepping through the displays and menus. The keypad shall be removable, capable of remote mounting, and shall have its own non-volatile memory. The keypad shall allow for uploading and downloading of parameter settings as an aid for the start-up of multiple AFD's. The keypad shall include Hand-Off-Auto membrane selections. When in "Hand", the AFD will be started and the speed will be controlled from the up/down arrows. When in "Off", the AFD will be stopped. When in



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"Auto", the AFD will start via an external contact closure and the AFD speed will be controlled via an external speed reference.

- E. The adjustable frequency inverter shall conduct no radio frequency interference (RFI) back to the input power line.
- F. The AFD shall have an integral 5% impedance line reactor to reduce the harmonics to the power line and to add protection from AC line transients. The inverter/reactor shall be a single wiring point.

#### 2.3 SELF PROTECTION

- A. The following features for self-protection shall be included:
  - 1. The overload rating of the drive shall be 110% of its normal duty current rating for 1 minute every 10 minutes. The minimum FLA rating shall meet or exceed the values in the NEC/UL Table 430-150 for 4-pole motors.
  - 2. Limit the output current in under 50 microseconds due to phase to phase short circuits or severe overload conditions.
  - 3. Protect the inverter due to non-momentary power or phase loss. The undervoltage trip shall activate automatically when the line voltage drops 15% below rated input voltage.
  - 4. Protect the inverter due to voltage levels in excess of its rating. The overvoltage trip shall activate automatically when the DC bus in the controller exceeds 1000 VDC.
  - 5. Protect the inverter from elevated temperatures in excess of its rating. An indicating light that begins flashing within 10 degrees C of the trip shall be provided to alert the operator to the increasing temperature condition. When the over temperature trip point is reached, this light shall be continuously illuminated.
  - 6. The inverter shall be equipped such that a trip condition resulting from overcurrent, undervoltage, overvoltage or overtemperature shall be automatically reset, and the inverter shall be automatically reset, and the inverter shall automatically restart upon removal, or correction of the faulty condition.
  - 7. Status lights for indication of conditions described above shall be provided. A SPDT contact for remote indication shall be provided. Additionally, status lights to show power on, zero speed, and drive enabled shall be provided. All status lights shall be self-contained in the front panel of the unit and shall be duplicated for ease of troubleshooting on the inside of the unit.
  - 8. Current and voltage signals shall be isolated from logic circuitry.
  - 9. Drive logic shall be microprocessor based.
  - 10. In the event of a sustained power loss, the control shall shut down safely without component failure. Upon return of power, the system shall automatically return to normal operation if the start is in the "On" condition.
  - 11. In the event of a momentary power loss, the control shall be shut down safely without component failure. Upon return of power, the system shall automatically return to normal operation (if the start is in the "On" position) being able to restart into a rotating motor regaining positive speed control without shutdown or component failure.
  - 12. In the event of a phase to phase short circuit, the control shall shut down safely without component failure.
  - 13. In the event that an input power contactor is opened or closed while the control is activated, no damage shall result.



14. To facilitate startup and troubleshooting, the control shall operate without a motor or any other equipment connected to the inverter output.

## 2.4 ELECTRICAL CONSTANT SPEED BYPASS

- A. Provide all components and circuitry necessary to provide manual full bypass of the inverter. The bypass package shall be mounted in a cabinet common with the inverter and shall be constructed in such a manner that the inverter can be removed for repair while still operating the motor in the "bypass" mode. Fast-acting semi-conductor with a fuse block shall be provided to isolate the drive for service. Bypass designs that have no such fuses must have a lockable disconnect that isolates the drive while running in bypass mode. The Contractor device shall be NEC approved. A common start/stop signal shall be used for both the variable frequency drive mode and bypass mode. Manual bypass shall contain the following:
  - 1. Two contactors mechanically interlocked via a three position through the door selector switch or keypad to provide the following controls:
    - a. "Inverter" mode connects the motor to the output of the inverter.
    - b. "Bypass" mode connects the motor to the input since wave power. Transfer must occur with input disconnect open. Motor is protected via electronic overload.
    - c. "Off" mode disconnects motor from all input power.
    - d. A molded case circuit breaker with door interlocked handle (lock out type) that interrupts input power to both the bypass circuitry and the drive.
    - e. Customer Interlock Terminal Strip provide a separate terminal strip for connection of freeze, fire, smoke contacts, and external start command. All external safety interlocks shall remain fully functional whether the system is Hand, Auto, or Bypass mode. The remote start/stop contact shall operate in AFD and bypass modes.
    - f. An electronic overload selectable for class 20 or 30 shall provide protection of the motor in Bypass mode.
  - 2. The following indicating lights (LED type) shall be provided. A test mode or push to test feature shall be provided.
    - a. Power on
    - b. External fault
    - c. Drive mode selected
    - d. Bypass mode selected
    - e. Drive running
    - f. Bypass running
    - g. Drive fault
    - h. Bypass fault
    - i. Bypass-H-O-A mode
    - j. Automatic transfer to bypass selected
  - 3. The following relay (form C) outputs from the bypass shall be provided:
    - a. System started
    - b. System running
    - c. Bypass override enabled



- d. Drive fault
- e. Bypass fault (motor overload or underload (broken belt))
- f. Bypass H-O-A position
- 4. The AFD shall include a "run permissive circuit" that will provide a normally open contact any time a run command is provided (local or remote start command in AFD or bypass mode). The AFD system (AFD or bypass) shall not operate the motor until it receives a dry contact closure from a damper or valve end-switch). When the AFD systems safety interlock (fire detector, freezestat, high static pressure switch, etc.) opens, the motor shall coast to a stop and the run permissive contact shall open, closing the damper or valve.
- 5. There shall be an internal switch to select manual or automatic bypass.
- 6. There shall be an adjustable current sensing circuit for the bypass to provide loss of load indication when in the bypass mode.
- 7. The bypass mode must include an undervoltage and phase loss relay to protect the motor from single phase power and undervoltage conditions.
  - a. Bypass shall be UL listed.
  - b. Bypass shall carry a UL 508 label.

### 2.5 FEATURES AND SPECIFICATIONS

- A. Output frequency shall neither vary with load nor with any input frequency variations. Output frequency shall not vary within +/-10% input voltage changes. Output frequency shall not vary with temperature changes within the ambient specification.
- B. No auxiliary equipment shall be required. The output frequency shall be adjusted in proportion to 4-20 mA signal.
- C. A 0 to 10 Volt DC signal shall be provided for remote indication. This 0 to 10 Volt DC signal shall vary in direct proportion to the controller speed.
- D. The controller shall be started or stopped by a contact closure or through serial communications.
- E. A single pole, double throw contact shall be provided for remote indication. Contact will change state when any trip condition has occurred. (contact rated for 12-250 VAC-2 AMPS).
- F. A second single pole, double throw contact shall be provided for remote indication. Contact will state when the VFD receives a run command (contact rated for 12-250 VAC-24 AMPS).
- G. PID Setpoint controller shall be standard in the drive, allowing a pressure or flow signal to be connected to the AFD, using the microprocessor in the AFD for the closed loop control. The AFD shall have 250 ma of 24 VDC auxiliary power and be capable of loop powering a transmitter supplied by others. The PID setpoint shall be adjustable from the AFD keypad, analog inputs, or over the communications bus.
- H. Unit to operate from a 4 to 20 mA input signal and shall have hand-off-auto switch and door mounted potentiometer controls for manual speed selection.



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- I. Acceleration and deceleration times shall be adjustable from 30 to 300 seconds.
- J. The drive shall have the ability to invert the speed signal input, as well as having offset and gain controls for speed signal conditioning.
- K. Minimum and maximum speeds shall be adjustable in automatic and manual modes.
- L. Hazard inputs shall be provided, capable of up to two inputs (fire, freeze). These shall each be capable of safely shutting down the inverter and illuminating a front panel hazard light depicting that a hazard condition turned the inverter off.
- M. The inverter shall be a starter, containing a door interlocked input disconnect switch and manual reset motor electronic overloads, with accessible reset on front door, when a bypass is not specified.
- N. Solid state ground fault interrupt circuit.
- O. The LED display shall monitor and display four parameters on a single display (i.e. frequency command, output frequency, output current, and torque).
- P. A N.O. auxiliary run-time contact shall be provided for control signaling to auxiliary equipment. Contact shall close when the pump is brought on line and open when the pump is taken off line. Contact shall be rated 20 amps at 120 volts.
- Q. Inverter shall be UL listed.
- R. Certified factory start-up shall be provided for each drive by a factory authorized service center. A certified start-up form shall be filled out for each drive with a copy provided to the Owner, and a copy kept on file at the manufacturer
- S. Factory trained application engineering and service personnel that are thoroughly familiar with the AFD products offered shall be locally available at both the specifying and installation locations. A 24/365 technical support line shall be available on a toll-free line.
- T. A computer based training CD or 8-hour professionally generated video (VCR format) shall be provided to the Owner at the time of Substantial Completion. The training shall include installation, programming and operation of the AFD, bypass and serial communication.
- U. Provide a motor end surge control voltage suppressive filter if the VFD manufacturer cannot limit their voltage surges to under 1000 volt at 100 feet.
- V. Provide a motor acoustic noise reduction filter capable of approximately 12 dBA attenuation, if the VFD raises the dBa level above 3 dBa at a distance of 3 feet from the motor.
- W. Provide each unit with a 3% reactor which is mounted on both the positive and negative DC bus. The reactor shall be a single wiring point and mounted internally to the drive.
- X. Adjustable frequency inverters shall have native BACnet protocol for integration with EMCS. If the in inverter does not have native BACnet protocol, a BACnet interface card shall be provided.



## PART 3 - INSTALLATION

3.1 Install units in accordance with manufacturer's published installation instructions. Variable frequency speed control shall be located so that wiring to motor does not exceed 100 feet.

# END OF SECTION



## SECTION 23 05 29 - HANGERS AND SUPPORTS FOR PIPING AND EQUIPMENT - HVAC

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS
  - A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all work herein.
  - B. Section 23 02 00 Basic Materials and Methods is included as a part of this Section as though written in full in this document.

### 1.2 WORK INCLUDED

- A. Pipe, and equipment hangers, supports and associated anchors.
- B. Sleeves and seals.
- C. Flashing and sealing equipment and pipe stacks.

### 1.3 RELATED WORK

- A. Section 21 00 00 Fire Suppression.
- B. Section 22 10 00 Plumbing Piping and Pumps.
- C. Section 23 05 48 Vibration and Seismic Controls for HVAC Piping and Equipment.
- D. Section 23 07 16 HVAC Equipment Insulation.
- E. Section 23 07 19 HVAC Piping Insulation.
- F. Section 23 21 13 Above Ground Hydronic Piping.
- G. Section 23 21 16 Underground Hydronic Piping.

### 1.4 REFERENCES

- A. ANSI/ASME B31.1 Power Piping.
- B. NFPA 13 Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems.
- C. NFPA 14 Standard for the Installation of Standpipe and Hose Systems.

### 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Supports for Sprinkler Piping: In conformance with NFPA 13.
- B. Supports for Standpipes: In conformance with NFPA 14.
- 1.6 SUBMITTALS



- A. Submit shop drawings and product data under provisions of Division One.
- B. Indicate hanger and support framing and attachment methods.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 PIPE HANGERS AND SUPPORTS

- A. Hangers for Pipes Sizes 1/2 to 1-1/2 Inch: Malleable iron, adjustable swivel, split ring.
- B. Hangers for Pipes Sizes 2 to 4 Inch: Carbon steel, adjustable clevis.
- C. Hangers for Pipes Sizes 6 Inches and Over: Adjustable steel yoke, cast iron roller, double hanger.
- D. Multiple or Trapeze Hangers: Steel channels with welded spacers, pre-formed manufactured saddles and hanger rods; cast iron roller and stand for pipe sizes 6 inches and over.
- E. Wall Support for Pipe Sizes to 3 Inches: Cast iron hook.
- F. Wall Support for Pipe Sizes 4 Inches and over: adjustable steel yoke and cast iron roller.
- G. Vertical Support: Steel riser clamp.
- H. Floor Support for Pipe Sizes to 4 Inches: Cast iron adjustable pipe saddle, locknut nipple, floor flange, and concrete pier or steel support.
- I. Floor Support for Pipe Sizes 6 Inches and Over: Adjustable cast iron roller and stand, steel screws, and concrete pier or steel support.
- J. Roof Pipe Supports and Hangers: Galvanized Steel Channel System as manufactured by Portable Pipe Hangers, Inc. or approved equal.
  - 1. For pipes 2-1/2" and smaller Type PP10 with roller
  - 2. For pipes 3" through 8" Type PS
  - 3. For multiple pipes Type PSE Custom
- K. Copper Pipe Support and Hangers: Electro-galvanized with thermoplastic elastomer cushions; Unistrut "Cush-A-Clamp" or equal. Hangers: Plastic coated; Unistrut or equal.
- L. Shields for Vertical Copper Pipe Risers: Sheet lead.
- M. Pipe Rough-In Supports in Walls/Chases: Provide preformed plastic pipe supports, Sioux Chief "Pipe Titan" or equal.
- 2.2 HANGER RODS
  - A. Galvanized Hanger Rods: Threaded both ends, threaded one end, or continuous threaded.
- 2.3 INSERTS



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A. Inserts: Malleable iron case with galvanized steel shell and expander plug for threaded connection with lateral adjustment, top slot for reinforcing rods, lugs for attaching to forms; size inserts to suit threaded hanger rods.

### 2.4 FLASHING

- A. Metal Flashing: 20 gage galvanized steel.
- B. Lead Flashing: 4 lb. /sq. ft. sheet lead for waterproofing; 1 lb. /sq. ft. sheet lead for soundproofing.
- C. Caps: Steel, 20 gage minimum; 16 gage at fire resistant elements.
- D. Coordinate with roofing contractor/Architect for type of flashing on metal roofs.

### 2.5 EQUIPMENT CURBS

- A. Fabricate curbs of hot dipped galvanized steel.
- B. For metal roof construction, roof curbs shall be made of aluminum or stainless steel. Coordinate with Architectural Drawings and details.

### 2.6 SLEEVES

- A. Sleeves for Pipes through Non-fire Rated Floors: Form with 18 gage galvanized steel, tack welded to form a uniform sleeve.
- B. Sleeves for Pipes through Non-fire Rated Beams, Walls, Footings, and Potentially Wet Floors: Form with steel pipe, Schedule 40.
- C. Sleeves for Pipes through Fire Rated and Fire Resistive Floors and Walls, and Fireproofing: Prefabricated fire rated steel sleeves including seals, UL listed.
- D. Sleeves for Round Ductwork: Form with galvanized steel.
- E. Sleeves for Rectangular Ductwork: Form with galvanized steel.
- F. Fire Stopping Insulation: Glass fiber type, non-combustible, U.L. listed.
- G. Caulk: Paintable 25-year acrylic sealant.
- H. Pipe Alignment Guides: Factory fabricated, of cast semi-steel or heavy fabricated steel, consisting of bolted, two-section outer cylinder and base with two-section guiding spider that bolts tightly to pipe. Length of guides shall be as recommended by manufacturer to allow indicated travel.

### 2.7 FABRICATION

- A. Size sleeves large enough to allow for movement due to expansion and contraction. Provide for continuous insulation wrapping.
- B. Design hangers without disengagement of supported pipe.



C. Design roof supports without roof penetrations, flashing or damage to the roofing material.

## 2.8 FINISH

A. Prime coat exposed steel hangers and supports. Hangers and supports located in crawl spaces, pipe shafts, and suspended ceiling spaces are not considered exposed.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 INSERTS

- A. Provide inserts for suspending hangers from reinforced concrete slabs and sides of reinforced concrete beams. Coordinate with Structural Engineer for placement of inserts.
- B. Provide hooked rod to concrete reinforcement section for inserts carrying pipe over 4 inches.
- C. Where concrete slabs form finished ceiling, provide inserts to be flush with slab surface.
- D. Where inserts are omitted, drill through concrete slab from below and provide thru-bolt with recessed square steel plate and nut recessed into and grouted flush with slab. Verify with Structural Engineer prior to start of work.

### 3.2 PIPE HANGERS AND SUPPORTS

A. Support horizontal piping as follows:

PIPE SIZE	MAX. HANGER SPACING	HANGER DIAMETER
(Steel Pipe) 1/2 to 1-1/4 inch	7'-0"	3/8"
1-1/2 to 3 inch	10'-0"	3/8"
4 to 6 inch	10'-0"	1/2"
8 to 10 inch	10'-0"	5/8"
12 to 14 inch	10'-0"	3/4"
15 inch and over	10'-0"	7/8"
(Copper Pipe) 1/2 to 1-1/4 inch	5'-0"	3/8"
1-1/2 to 2-1/2 inch	8'-0"	3/8"
3 to 4 inch	10'-0"	3/8"
6 to 8 inch	10'-0"	1/2"
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2 to 3 inch	5'-0"	3/8"
4 to 6 inch	10'-0"	1/2"
8 to 10 inch 10'-0"	5/8"	
12 to 14 inch	10'-0"	3/4"
15 inch and over	10'-0"	7/8"
(PVC Pipe) 1-1/2 to 4 inch	4'-0"	3/8"
6 to 8 inch	4'-0"	1/2"
10 and over	4'-0"	5/8"

- B. Install hangers to provide minimum 1/2 inch space between finished covering and adjacent work.
- C. Place a hanger within 12 inches of each horizontal elbow, and at the vertical to horizontal transition.
- D. Use hangers with 1-1/2 inch minimum vertical adjustment.
- E. Support horizontal cast iron pipe adjacent to each hub, with 5 feet maximum spacing between hangers.
- F. Support vertical piping at every floor. Support vertical cast iron pipe at each floor at hub.
- G. Where several pipes can be installed in parallel and at same elevation, provide multiple or trapeze hangers.
- H. Support riser piping independently of connected horizontal piping.
- I. Install hangers with nut at base and above hanger; tighten upper nut to hanger after final installation adjustments.
- J. Portable pipe hanger systems shall be installed per manufacturer's instructions.
- K. Distances between supports are maximum distance. Supports shall be provided to carry the pipe/equipment load.
- 3.3 INSULATED PIPING: Comply with the following installation requirements.
  - A. Clamps: Attach galvanized clamps, including spacers (if any), to piping with clamps projecting through insulation; do not exceed pipe stresses allowed by ASME B31.9.
  - B. Saddles: Install galvanized protection saddles MSS Type 39 where insulation without vapor barrier is indicated. Fill interior voids with segments of insulation that match adjoining pipe insulation. Secure the full contact area of the saddle to the pipe insulation with 1/8" thick coat of mastic.



- C. Shields: Install protective shields MSS Type 40 on cold and chilled water piping that has vapor barrier. Secure the full contact area of the shield to the pipe insulation with 1/8" thick coat of mastic.
- D. Shields shall span an arc of 180 degrees and shall have dimensions in inches not less than the following:

NPS	LENGTH	THICKNESS
1/4 THROUGH 3-1/2	12	0.048
4	12	0.060
5 & 6	18	0.060
8 THROUGH 14	24	0.075
16 THROUGH 24	24	0.105

- E. Piping 2" and larger: provide galvanized sheet metal shields with calcium silicate insulation at hangers/supports.
- F. Insert material shall be at least as long as the protective shield.
- G. Thermal Hanger Shields: Install where indicated, with insulation of same thickness as piping.
- 3.4 EQUIPMENT BASES AND SUPPORTS
  - A. Provide equipment bases of concrete.
  - B. Provide templates, anchor bolts, and accessories for mounting and anchoring equipment.
  - C. Construct support of steel members. Brace and fasten with flanges bolted to structure.
  - D. Provide rigid anchors for pipes after vibration isolation components are installed.

### 3.5 FLASHING

- A. Provide flexible flashing and metal counter flashing where piping and ductwork penetrate weather or waterproofed walls, floors, and roofs.
- B. Flash vent and soil pipes projecting 8 inches minimum above finished roof surface with lead worked one inch minimum into hub, 8 inches minimum clear on sides with 24 x 24 inches sheet size. For pipes through outside walls, turn flanges back into wall and caulk. Provide metal counter flash and seal.
- C. Flash floor drains in floors with topping over finished areas with lead, 10 inches clear on sides with minimum 36 x 36 inch sheet size. Fasten flashing to drain clamp device.
- D. Seal floor, shower, mop sink, and all other drains watertight to adjacent materials.



- E. Provide curbs for mechanical roof installations 8 inches minimum high above roofing surface. Contact Architect for all flashing details and roof construction. Seal penetrations watertight.
- 3.6 SLEEVES
  - A. Set sleeves in position in formwork. Provide reinforcing around sleeves.
  - B. Extend sleeves through floors minimum one inch above finished floor level. Caulk sleeves full depth with fire rated thermafiber and 3M caulking and provide floor plate.
  - C. Where piping or ductwork penetrates floor, ceiling, or wall, close off space between pipe or duct and adjacent work with U.L. listed fire stopping insulation and caulk seal air tight. Provide close fitting metal collar or escutcheon covers at both sides of penetration.
  - D. Fire protection sleeves may be flush with floor of stairways.

# END OF SECTION



## SECTION 23 05 48 - VIBRATION AND SEISMIC CONTROLS FOR HVAC PIPING AND EQUIPMENT

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS
  - A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all work herein.
  - B. This Section and Section 23 02 00 Basic Materials and Methods are part of each Division 23 Section which references the vibration control products specified herein.

## 1.2 WORK INCLUDED

A. Vibration and sound control products.

### 1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Manufacturer's Qualifications: Firms regularly engaged in manufacture of vibration control products of type, size, and capacity required, whose products have been in satisfactory use in similar service for not less than 5 years.
- B. Vibration and sound control products shall conform to ASHRAE criteria for average noise criteria curves for all equipment at full load conditions.
- C. Unless otherwise indicated, sound and vibration control products shall be provided by a single manufacturer.
- 1.4 SUBMITTALS
  - A. SHOP DRAWINGS: Indicate size, material, and finish. Show locations and installation procedures. Include details of joints, attachments, and clearances.
  - B. PRODUCT DATA: Submit schedules, charts, literature, and illustrations to indicate the performance, fabrication procedures, product variations, and accessories.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

- A. Amber/Booth Company, Inc.
- B. Mason Industries, Inc.
- C. Kinetics Noise Control, Inc.
- 2.2 GENERAL
  - A. Provide vibration isolation supports for equipment, piping and ductwork, to prevent transmission of vibration and noise to the building structure that may cause discomfort to the occupants.
  - B. Model numbers of Amber/Booth products are included for identification. Products of the



additional manufacturers will be acceptable provided they comply with all the requirements of this specification.

## 2.3 FLOOR MOUNTED AIR HANDLING UNITS

- A. Provide Amber/Booth CAL-2 aluminum housed isolators sized for 2" static deflection. Cast iron or steel housings may be used provided they are hot-dip galvanized after fabrication
- B. If floor mounted air handling units are furnished with internal vibration isolation option, provide 2" thick Amber/Booth NRC ribbed neoprene pads to address high frequency breakout and afford additional unit elevation for condensate drains. Ribbed neoprene pads shall be located in accordance with the air handling unit manufacturer's recommendations.

## 2.4 SUSPENDED AIR HANDLING UNITS

- A. Provide Amber/Booth HRS-2 combination spring and rubber-in-shear isolation hanger sized for 2" static deflection.
- B. If suspended air handling units are furnished with internal vibration isolation option, furnish Amber/Booth HR rubber-in-shear isolation hangers sized for approximately ½" deflection to address high frequency break-out.
- 2.5 SUSPENDED FANS AND FAN COIL UNITS
  - A. Provide Amber/Booth HS spring hangers sized for 1" static deflection.

### 2.6 BASE MOUNTED PUMPS

- A. Provide Amber/Booth SP-NR style E flexplate pad isolators consisting of two layers of 3/8" thick alternate ribbed neoprene pad bonded to a 16 gage galvanized steel separator plate.
- B. Pads shall be sized for approximately 40 PSI loading and 1/8" deflection.
- C. Provide Amber/Booth CPF, 8" concrete inertia base. Base shall be welded steel construction with concrete in-fill supplied by the contractor on site and shall incorporate standard rebar reinforcement, spaced a maximum of 12" on center. Provide Amber/Booth AWH, floor mounted spring isolators sized for 1" static deflection.
- D. Provide inertia bases for all base mounted pump applications in which the pumps are to be installed on any floor level other than the ground floor or grade level. Inertia bases shall also be provided for base mounted pump applications in which the associated mechanical room where they are housed is in a noise sensitive location, regardless of floor level.

## 2.7 BASE MOUNTED CHILLERS

- A. Amber/Booth SP-NR style E flexplate pad isolators consisting of two layers of 3/8" thick alternate ribbed neoprene pad bonded to a 16 gage galvanized steel separator plate.
- B. Pads shall be sized for approximately 40 PSI loading and 1/8" deflection.



## 2.8 ROOF MOUNTED COOLING TOWERS

- A. Provide Amber/Booth M series steel housed spring isolators with vertical uplift restraints sized for 3" static deflection.
- B. Isolators to have weatherproof construction with cadmium plated springs, hot-dip galvanized housings, and zinc-electroplated hardware. Removable spring packages to include ¼" ribbed neoprene pad under baseplate(s).
- C. Steel beams between the top of the isolators and bottom of cooling tower cells shall be provided and coordinated with the structural engineer.

## 2.9 PIPING

- A. Provide spring and rubber-in-shear hangers, Amber/Booth HRS in mechanical equipment rooms, for a minimum distance of 50 feet from isolated equipment for all chilled water and hot water piping 1-1/2" diameter and larger. Springs shall be sized for 1" deflection.
- B. Floor supported piping is required to be isolated with Amber/Booth AW-1 open springs sized for 1" deflection.
- C. All condenser water piping shall be supported with Amber/Booth AW-1 with 1" deflection for floor or roof mounted piping and Amber/Booth HRS isolators with 1" deflectors for suspended piping.
- D. Furnish line size flexible connectors at supply and return of pumps, Amber/Booth style 2800 single sphere EPDM construction, connector shall include 150 lb. cadmium plated carbon steel floating flanges.

### 2.09 CORROSION PROTECTION

- A. All vibration isolators shall be designed and treated for resistance to corrosion.
- B. Steel components: PVC coated or phosphate coated and painted with industrial grade enamel. Nuts, bolts, and washers: zinc-electroplated.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 All equipment shall be installed in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations and printed installation instructions.
- 3.2 All items required for a complete and proper installation are not necessarily indicated on the plans or in the specifications. Provide all items required as per manufacturer's requirements.
- 3.3 If internal isolation option is used on air handling units, the mechanical contractor shall verify proper adjustment and operation of isolators prior to start-up. All shipping brackets and temporary restraint devices shall be removed.
- 3.4 The vibration isolation supplier shall certify in writing that he has inspected the installation and that all external isolation materials and devices are installed correctly and functioning properly.

### END OF SECTION



## SECTION 23 05 53 – IDENTIFICATION FOR HVAC PIPING AND EQUIPMENT

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS
  - A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all work herein.
  - B. Section 23 02 00 Basic Materials and Methods is included as a part of this Section as though written in full in this document.

## 1.2 SCOPE

Scope of the Work shall include the furnishing and complete installation of the equipment covered by this Section, with all auxiliaries, ready for owner's use.

1.3 Refer to Architectural Sections for additional requirements.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 VALVE AND PIPE IDENTIFICATION
  - A. Valves:
    - 1. All valves shall be identified with a 1-1/2" diameter brass disc wired onto the handle. The disc shall be stamped with 1/2" high depressed black filled identifying numbers. These numbers shall be numerically sequenced for all valves on the job.
    - 2. The number and description indicating make, size, model number and service of each valve shall be listed in proper operational sequence, properly typewritten. Three copies to be turned over to Owner at completion.
    - 3. Tags shall be fastened with approved meter seal and 4 ply 0.018 smooth copper wire. Tags and fastenings shall be manufactured by the Seton Name Plate Company or approved equal.
    - 4. All valves shall be numbered serially with all valves of any one system and/or trade grouped together.
  - B. Pipe Marking:
    - 1. All interior visible piping located in accessible spaces such as above accessible ceilings, equipment rooms, attic space, under floor spaces, etc., shall be identified with all temperature pipe markers as manufactured by W.H. Brady Company, 431 West Rock Ave., New Haven, Connecticut, or approved equal.
    - 2. All exterior visible piping shall be identified with UV and acid resistant outdoor grade acrylic plastic markers as manufactured by Set Mark distributed by Seton (Name plate Company Factory location 20 Thompson Road, Branford, Connecticut) or approved equal.
    - 3. Generally, markers shall be located on each side of each and every partition, on each side of every tee, on each side of every valve and/or valve group, on each side of every piece of equipment, and, for straight runs, at equally spaced intervals not to exceed 75 feet. In congested area, marks shall be placed on each pipe at the points where it enters and leaves the area and at the point of



connection of each piece of equipment and automatic control valve. All markers shall have directional arrows.

- 4. Markers shall be installed after final painting of all piping and equipment and in such a manner that they are visible from the normal maintenance position. Manufacturer's installation instructions shall be closely followed.
- 5. Markers shall be colored as indicated below per ANSI/OSHA Standards:

<u>SYSTEM</u> Chilled Water	<u>COLOR</u> Green	LEGEND Chilled Water Supply Chilled Water Return
Hot Water	Reddish Orange	Hot Water Supply Return
Condenser Water	Green	Condenser Water Supply Condenser Water Return
Compressed Air	Blue	Compressed Air
Pneumatic Control	Yellow	Pneumatic Controls
Oxygen	Yellow	Oxygen
Nitrogen	Green	Nitrogen
Deionized Water	Green	Deionized Water
Steam	Yellow	Steam Supply Steam Return

- C. Pipe Painting:
  - 1. All piping exposed to view shall be painted as indicated or as directed by the Architect in the field. Confirm all color selections with Architect prior to installation.
  - All piping located in mechanical rooms and exterior piping shall be painted as indicated below: System Color

Condenser Water Supply and Return Chilled Water Supply and Return Heating Hot Water Supply and Return <u>Color</u> Light Green Light Blue Reddish Orange

## 2.2 EQUIPMENT IDENTIFICATION

A. Mechanical equipment shall be identified by means of nameplates permanently attached to the equipment. Nameplates shall be engraved laminated plastic or etched metal. Submittals shall include dimensions and lettering format for approval. Attachment shall be with escutcheon pins, self-tapping screws, or machine screws.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 All labeling equipment shall be installed as per manufacturer's printed installation instructions.



- 3.2 All items required for a complete and proper installation are not necessarily indicated on the plans or in the specifications. Contractors price shall include all items required as per manufacturer's requirements.
- 3.3 All piping shall be cleaned of rust, dirt, oil and all other contaminants prior to painting. Refer to Division 9 for Architect's required paint system(s).

## END OF SECTION



## SECTION 23 05 93 - TESTING, ADJUSTING, AND BALANCING

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS
  - A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all work herein.
  - B. Section 23 02 00 Basic Materials and Methods is included as a part of this Section as though written in full in this document.
- 1.2 RELATED DOCUMENTS

Approved submittal date on equipment installed, to accomplish the test procedures, outlined under paragraph 3.1 of this Section, will be provided by the Contractor.

- 1.3 DESCRIPTION
  - A. The TAB of the air conditioning systems shall be performed by an impartial technical firm whose operations are limited only to the field of professional TAB. The TAB work will be done under the direct supervision of a qualified engineer employed by the TAB firm.
  - B. The TAB firm will be responsible for inspecting, adjusting, balancing, and logging the date on the performance of fans, dampers in the duct system, and air distribution devices. The Contractor and the various Subcontractors of the equipment installed shall cooperate with the TAB firm to furnish necessary data on the design and proper applications of the system components and provide labor and material required to eliminate deficiencies or malperformance.

### 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. QUALIFICATIONS OF CONTRACTOR PERSONNEL: Submit evidence to show that the personnel who shall be in charge of correcting deficiencies for balancing the systems are qualified. The Owner and Engineer reserve the right to require that the originally approved personnel be replaced with other qualified personnel if, in the Owner and Engineer's opinion, the original personnel are not qualified to properly place the system in condition for balancing.
- B. QUALIFICATIONS OF TAB FIRM PERSONNEL:
  - 1. A minimum of one registered Professional Engineer licensed in the State, is required to be in permanent employment of the firm.
  - 2. Personnel used on the jobsite shall be either Professional Engineers or technicians, who shall have been permanent, full time employees of the firm for a minimum of six months prior to the start of Work for that specified project.
  - 3. Evidence shall be submitted to show that the personnel who actually balance the systems are qualified. Evidence showing that the personnel have passed the tests required by the Associated Air Balance Council (AABC) shall be required.
- C. CALIBRATION LIST: Submit to the Engineer for approval, a list of the gauges, thermometers, velometer, and other balancing devices to be used in balancing the



system. Submit evidence to show that the balancing devices are properly calibrated before proceeding with system balancing.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS (NOT USED)

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 SERVICES OF THE CONTRACTOR

- A. The Drawings and Specifications have indicated valves, dampers, and miscellaneous adjustment devices for the purpose of adjustment to obtain optimum operating conditions. Install these devices in a manner that leaves them accessible, and provide access as requested by the TAB firm.
- B. Have systems complete and in operational readiness prior to notifying the TAB firm that the project is ready for their services, and certify in writing to the Architect and Owner that such a condition exists.
- C. As a part of the Work of this Section, make changes in the sheaves, belts, and dampers or the addition of dampers required for correct balance of the new work as required by the TAB firm, at no additional cost to the Owner.
- D. Fully examine the existing system to be balanced, to determine whether or not sufficient volume dampers, balancing valves, thermometers, gauges, pressure and temperature taps, means of reading static pressure and total pressure in duct systems, means of determining water flow, and other means of taking data needed for proper water and air balancing are existing. Submit to the Engineer in writing a listing of omitted items considered necessary to balance existing systems. Submit the list and proposal as a cost add item.
- E. Verify that fresh air louvers are free of blockage, coils are clean and fresh air ducts to each air handling unit have individually adjustable volume regulating dampers.
- F. Provide, correct, repair, or replace deficient items or conditions found during the testing, adjusting, and balancing period.
- G. In order that systems may be properly tested, balanced, and adjusted as specified, operate the systems at no expense to the Owner for the length of time necessary to properly verify their completion and readiness for TAB period.
- H. Project construction schedules shall provide time to permit the successful completion of TAB services prior to Substantial Completion. Complete, operational readiness, prior to commencement of TAB services, shall include the following services of the Contractor:
  - 1. Construction status of building shall permit the closing of doors, windows, ceilings installed and penetrations complete, to obtain project operating conditions.
  - 2. AIR DISTRIBUTION SYSTEMS:
    - a. Verify installation for conformity to design. Supply, return, and exhaust ducts terminated and pressure tested for leakage as specified.
    - b. Volume and fire dampers properly located and functional. Dampers serving requirements of minimum and maximum outside air, return and relief shall provide tight closure and full opening, smooth and free operation.



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- c. Supply, return, exhaust and transfer grilles, registers and diffusers shall be installed.
- d. Air handling systems, units and associated apparatus, such as heating and cooling coils, filter sections, access doors, etc., shall be blanked and sealed to eliminate excessive bypass or leakage of air.
- e. Fans (supply and exhaust) operating and verified for freedom from vibrations, proper fan rotation and belt tension; overload heater elements shall be of proper size and rating; record motor amperage and voltage and verify that these functions do not exceed nameplate ratings.
- f. Furnish or revise fan drives or motors as necessary to attain the specified air volumes.
- 3. WATER CIRCULATING SYSTEMS:
  - a. Position valves pertinent to system design and require operation to permit full flow of water through system components. Operate hydronic systems under full flow conditions until circulating water is clean. Remove and clean strainers as required during this cycle of operation.
  - b. For retrofit projects, record each existing pump motor amperage and voltage. Readings shall not exceed nameplate rating.
  - c. Verify, on new equipment, electrical starter overload heater elements to be of proper size and rating.
  - d. Ensure that water circulating systems shall be full of water and free of air; expansion tanks set for proper water level, and air vents installed at high points of systems and operating freely. Advise Engineer of deficiencies.
  - e. Check and set operating temperatures of heat exchangers to design requirements.
  - f. The various existing water circulating systems shall be cleaned, filled, purged of air, and put into operation before hydronic balancing.
- 4. AUTOMATIC CONTROLS:
  - a. Verify that control components are installed in accordance with project documents and functional, electrical interlocks, damper sequences, air and water resets, fire and freeze stats.
  - b. Controlling instruments shall be functional and set for design operating conditions. Factory precalibration of room thermostats and pneumatic equipment will not be acceptable.
  - c. The temperature regulation shall be adjusted for proper relationship between the controlling instruments and calibrated by the TAB Contractor. Advise Engineer of deficiencies or malfunctions.
- I. Contractor shall repair any insulation removed from piping system by TAB Contractor during water balancing.

### 3.2 SERVICES OF THE TAB FIRM

- A. The TAB firm will act as liaison between the Owner, Engineer, and the Contractor and inspect the installation of mechanical piping system, sheet metal work, temperature controls and other component parts of the heating, air conditioning and ventilating systems being retrofitted, repaired, or added under this Contract. The reinspection of the Work will cover that part related to proper arrangement and adequate provision for the testing and balancing and will be done when the Work is 80 percent complete.
- B. Upon completion of the installation and start-up of the mechanical equipment, to check,



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adjust, and balance system components to obtain optimum conditions in each conditioned space in the building. Prepare and submit to the Engineer complete reports on the balance and operations of the systems.

- C. Measurements and recorded readings of air, water, and electricity that appear in the reports will be done by the permanently employed technicians or engineers of the TAB firm.
- D. Make an inspection in the building during the opposite season from that in which the initial adjustments were made. At the time, make necessary modifications to the initial adjustments required to produce optimum operation of system components to affect the proper conditions as indicated on the Drawings. At time of opposite season check-out, the Owner's representative will be notified before readings or adjustments are made.
- E. In fan systems, the air quantities indicated on the Drawings may be varied as required to secure a maximum temperature variation of two degrees within each separately controlled space, but the total air quantity indicated for each zone must be obtained. It shall be the obligation of the Contractor to furnish or revise fan drive and motors if necessary, without cost to the Owner, to attain the specified air volumes.
- F. Contractor shall utilize ultrasonic flow meter to balance water flow of existing water system if the original pressure drop data is not available. Contractor shall remove insulation as necessary to use flow meter.

### 3.3 PROFESSIONAL REPORT

- A. Before the final acceptance of the report is made, the TAB firm will furnish the Engineer the following data to be approved by the Owner and Engineer:
  - 1. Summary of main supply, return and exhaust duct pitot tube traverses and fan settings indicating minimum value required to achieve specified air volumes.
  - 2. A listing of the measured air quantities at each outlet corresponding to the temperature tabulation as developed by the Engineer and TAB firm.
  - 3. Air quantities at each return and exhaust air handling device.
  - 4. Static pressure readings entering and leaving each supply fan, exhaust fan, filter, coil, balancing dampers and other components of the systems. Including the retrofit Work. These readings will be related to performance curves in terms of the CFM handled if available.
  - 5. Motor current readings at each equipment motor on load side of capacitors. The voltages at the time of the reading shall be listed.
  - 6. The final report shall certify test methods and instrumentation used, final velocity reading obtained, temperatures, pressure drops, RPM of equipment, amperage of motors, air balancing problems encountered, recommendations and uncompleted punch list items. The test results will be recorded on standard forms.
  - 7. A summary of actual operating conditions shall be included with each system outlining normal and ventilation cycles of operation. the final report will act as a reference of actual operating conditions for the Owner's operating personnel.

### 3.4 BALANCING AIR CONDITIONING SYSTEM

A. GENERAL:



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- 1. Place all equipment into full operation, and continue operating during each working day of balancing and testing. If the air conditioning system is balanced during Off-Peak cooling season Contractor shall return to rebalance air side system as required to put system in proper balance at that season.
- 2. The Contractor shall submit detailed balancing and recording forms for approval. After approval by the Engineer, prepare complete set of forms for recording test data on each system. All Work shall be done under the supervision of a Registered Professional Engineer. All instruments used shall be accurately calibrated to within 1% of scale and maintained in good working order.
- 3. Upon completion of the balancing and testing, the TAB Contractor shall compile the test data in report forms, and forward five copies to the Engineer for evaluation.
- 4. The final report shall contain logged results of all tests, including such data as:
  - a. Tabulation of air volume at each outlet.
  - b. Outside dry bulb and wet bulb temperature.
  - c. Inside dry bulb and wet bulb temperatures in each conditioned space room or area.
  - d. Actual fan capacities and static pressures. Motor current and voltage readings at each fan.
- B. AIR SYSTEMS: Perform the following operations as applicable to balance and test systems:
  - 1. Check fan rotation.
  - 2. Check filters (balancing shall be done with clean filters).
  - 3. Test and adjust blower rpm to design requirements.
  - 4. Test and record motor full load amperes.
  - 5. Test and record system static pressures, suction and discharge.
  - 6. Test and adjust system for design cfm, return air and outside air (±2%). Changeout fan sheaves as required to balance system.
  - 7. Test and record entering air temperatures, db and wb.
  - 8. Test and record leaving air temperatures, db and wb.
  - 9. Adjust all zones to design cfm (±2%).
  - 10. Test and adjust each diffuser, grille, and register to within 5% of design.
- C. AIR DUCT LEAKAGE: (From SMACNA Duct Standards latest edition) Test all ductwork (designed to handle over 1000 CFM) as follows:
  - 1. Test apparatus
    - The test apparatus shall consist of:
    - a. A source of high pressure air--a portable rotary blower or a tank type vacuum cleaner.
    - A flow measuring device consisting of straightening vanes and an orifice plate mounted in a straight tube with properly located pressure taps. Each orifice assembly shall be accurately calibrated with its own calibration curve. Pressure and flow readings shall be taken with U-tube manometers.
  - 2. Test Procedures
    - a. Test for audible leaks as follows:
      - 1) Close off and seal all openings in the duct section to be tested. Connect the test apparatus to the duct by means of a section of



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flexible duct.

- 2) Start the blower with its control damper closed.
- 3) Gradually open the inlet damper until the duct pressure reaches 1.2 times the standard designed duct operating pressure.
- 4) Survey all joints for audible leaks. Mark each leak and repair after shutting down blower. Do not apply a retest until sealants have set.
- b. After all audible leaks have been sealed, the remaining leakage should be measured with the orifice section of the test apparatus as follows:
  - 1) Start blower and open damper until pressure in duct reaches 25% in excess of designed duct operating pressure.
  - Read the pressure differential across the orifice on manometer No. 2. If there is no leakage, the pressure differential will be zero.
  - 3) Total allowable leakage shall not exceed one (1) percent of the total system design air flow rate. When partial sections of the duct system are tested, the summation of the leakage for all sections shall not exceed the total allowable leakage.
  - 4) Even though a system may pass the measured leakage test, a concentration of leakage at one point may result in a noisy leak which must be corrected.
- D. DX SYSTEMS:
  - 1. Test and record suction and discharge pressures at each compressor and record ambient air temperature entering the condensing coils.
  - 2. Test and record unit full load amps and voltage.
  - 3. Test and record staging and unloading of unit required by sequence of operation or drawing schedule.
- E. Automatic temperature controls shall be calibrated; and all thermostats and dampers adjusted so that the control system is in proper operating condition, subject to the approval of the Engineer/Owner.
- F. The TAB Contractor shall report to Engineer all air distribution devices or other equipment that operate noisily so that corrective measures may be implemented by the Contractor at no additional cost to the Owner or Architect/Engineer.

## END OF SECTION



## SECTION 23 07 13 - DUCT INSULATION

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS
  - A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all work herein.
  - B. Section 23 02 00 Basic Materials and Methods is included as a part of this Section as though written in full in this document.
- 1.2 WORK INCLUDED
  - A. Ductwork system insulation.

### 1.3 RELATED SECTIONS

- A. Section 23 05 29 Hangers and Support for HVAC Piping and Equipment
- B. Section 23 05 53 Identification for HVAC Piping and Equipment
- C. Section 23 31 13 Metal Ductwork

### 1.4 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. ASTM International. (ASTM)
- B. American Society of Heating, Refrigerating, and Air Conditioning Engineers, Inc. (ASHRAE).
- C. North American Insulation Manufacturers Association (NAIMA).
- D. National Fire Protection Association (NFPA).
- E. Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Contractors National Association, Inc. (SMACNA).
- F. Underwriter's Laboratories (UL).
- G. Underwriter's Laboratories Environmental (UL Environment).

### 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Installer's Qualifications: Firm with at least 5 years successful installation experience on projects with mechanical insulations similar to that required for this project.
- B. Flame/Smoke Ratings: Provide composite mechanical insulation (insulation, jackets, coverings, sealers, mastics and adhesives) that is UL Classified per UL 723 or with flame-spread index of 25 or less, and smoke-developed index of 50 or less, as tested by ASTM E 84 (NFPA 255) method.
  - 1. Exception: Outdoor mechanical insulation may have flame spread index of 75 and smoke developed index of 150.



- C. Duct and plenum insulation shall comply with minimum R-value requirements of 2015 International Energy Conservation Code and ASHRAE 90.1 - 2013.
- D. Adhesive and other material shall comply with NFPA and NBFU Standards No. 90A and 90B.

### 1.6 WARRANTY

- A. Warrant the Work specified herein for one year against becoming unserviceable or causing an objectionable appearance resulting from either defective, or nonconforming materials and workmanship.
- B. Defects shall include, but not be limited to, the following:
  - 1. Mildewing.
  - 2. Peeling, cracking, and blistering.
  - 3. Condensation on exterior surfaces.

## 1.7 SUBMITTALS

- A. SHOP DRAWINGS: Indicate size, material, and finish. Show locations and installation procedures. Include details of joints, attachments, and clearances.
- B. PRODUCT DATA: Submit schedules, charts, literature, and illustrations to indicate the performance, fabrication procedures, product variations, and accessories.
- 1.8 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING
  - A. Deliver insulation, coverings, cements, adhesives, and coatings to site in unopened containers with manufacturer's stamp, clearly labeled with flame and smoke rating, affixed showing fire hazard indexes of products.
  - B. Protect insulation against dirt, water and chemical and mechanical damage. Do not install damaged or wet insulation; remove such from project site.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 GENERAL DESCRIPTION

- A. The type of insulation and its installation shall be in strict accordance with these specifications for each service, and the application technique shall be as recommended by the manufacturer. All insulation types, together with adhesives and finishes shall be submitted and approved before any insulation is installed.
- B. A sample quantity of each type of insulation and each type of application shall be installed and approval secured prior to proceeding with the main body of the Work.

## 2.2 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

A. Glass mineral wool materials shall be as manufactured by Knauf Insulation, Certain-Teed, Johns-Manville or Owens-Corning and shall have the same thermal properties, density, fire rating, vapor barrier, etc., as the types specified herein, subject to review by the Engineer.



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- B. Adhesives shall be as manufactured by Minnesota Mining, Arabol, Benjamin-Foster, Armstrong or Insulmastic, Inc., and shall have the same adhesive properties, fire rating, vapor seal, etc., as the types specified herein, subject to review by the Engineer.
- C. Ceramic fiber materials shall be as manufactured by Primer Refractories, A.P. Green Refractories or approved equal.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 GENERAL
  - A. All insulation shall be installed in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations and printed installation instructions.
  - B. All items required for a complete and proper installation are not necessarily indicated on the plans or in the specifications. Provide all items required as per manufacturer's requirements.

### 3.2 EXTERNAL DUCT INSULATION

- A. Fasten all longitudinal and circumferential laps with outward clinching staples 3" on center. On rectangular ducts over 24" wide apply as above and hold insulation in place on bottom side with mechanical pins and clips on 12" centers.
- B. Seal all joints, fastener penetrations and other breaks in vapor barrier with 3-inch wide strips of white glass fabric embedded between two coats of vapor barrier mastic, Childers CP-30 or approved equal.
- C. All external duct insulation shall be Knauf Insulation Atmosphere Duct Wrap with ECOSE Technology, Johns Manville Microlite EQ duct wrap insulation with reinforced aluminum facing or approved equal.
- D. External duct wrap is required on all outside air ducts, supply and return air ducts that are not internally insulated. External duct wrap is also required on all exhaust and relief air ducts that are used in airside energy recovery systems. Any exhaust ductwork located in an unconditioned space shall also be provided with external duct wrap. Duct wrap shall be provided as follows:
  - 1. 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" thick, 1.0 PCF density minimum; minimum installed R-value of 4.2 when ducts are located in conditioned spaces.
  - 2. 2" thick with a minimum installed R-value of 6 when ducts are located in unconditioned spaces, such as ceiling plenum space.
- E. Any ductwork located in an air plenum that is comprised of materials that do not comply with the 25/50 flame and smoke rating per ASTM E 84 testing requirements shall be provided with a single layer of duct wrap to establish a noncombustible rating per ASTM E 136. Duct wrap products which are approved for such non-compliant combustible duct materials located in air plenums shall be 3M Fire Barrier Plenum Wrap 5A+ or Unifrax FyreWrap 0.5 Plenum. Insulation products for this application shall be installed in strict accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.

## 3.3 DUCT LINER



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- A. Duct liner shall be kept clean and dry during transportation, storage, installation, and throughout the construction process care should be taken to protect the liner from exposure to the elements or damage from mechanical abuse.
- B. All portions of duct designed to receive duct liner shall be completely covered with liner as specified. The smooth, black, mat facing or acrylic-coated surfaces with flexible glass cloth reinforcement shall face the airstream. All duct liner shall be cut to assure tight, overlapped corner joints. The top pieces shall be supported by the sidepieces. Duct liner shall be installed following the guidelines in the NAIMA "Duct Liner Installation Standard".
- C. The duct liner shall be tested according to erosion test method in ASTM C 1071 and shall be guaranteed to withstand velocities in the duct system up to 6000 fpm without surface erosion.
- D. Duct liner shall be adhered to the sheet metal with full coverage of an approved adhesive that conforms to ASTM C 916, and all exposed leading edges and transverse joints shall be coated with Permacote factory-applied or field-applied edge coating and shall be neatly butted without gaps. Shop or field cuts shall be liberally coated with Johns Manville SuperSeal<sup>®</sup> duct butter and Edge Treatment or approved adhesive.
- E. Metal nosings shall be securely installed over transversely oriented liner edges facing the airstream at forward discharge and at any point where lined duct is preceded by unlined duct.
- F. When velocity exceeds 4000 fpm (20.3 m/sec), use metal nosing on every leading edge. Nosing may be formed on duct or be channel or zee attached by screws, rivets or welds.
- G. The liner shall further be secured with Graham welding pins and washers on not more than 18 inch centers both vertical and horizontal surfaces, and the pins and washers shall be pointed up with adhesive.
- H. Duct liner shall be Knauf Insulation Atmosphere Duct Liner with ECOSE Technology, Johns Manville Linacoustic RC duct liner with factory-applied edge coating and acrylic coating on the mat surface of airstream side or approved equal. The liner shall meet the Life Safety Standards as established by NFPA 90A and 90B, FHC 25/50 and Limited Combustibility and the air stream surface coating should contain an immobilized, EPA-registered, anti-microbial agent so it will not support microbial growth as tested in accordance with ASTM G21 and G22. The duct liner shall conform to the requirements of ASTM C 1071, UL 2824, with an NRC not less than .70 as tested per ASTM C 423 using a Type "A" mounting, and a thermal conductivity no higher than 0.24 BTU•in/(hr•ft<sup>2</sup>•°F) at 75°F mean temperature.
- I. Line supply and return ductwork at connection of HVAC unit to a point of 15 feet upstream and downstream of the equipment and in return air boots. Attach with full cover coat of cement, duct dimensions up to 16 inches; provide stick clips or screws and cap for dimensions over 16 inches, spaced 16 inches o.c. maximum. Provide sheet metal liner cap over all leading edges of internal insulation exposed to air stream.
- J. Duct liner shall be provided as follows:
  - 1. 1" Thick, 1.5 PCF density minimum; minimum installed R-value of 4.2 when ducts are located in conditioned spaces.
  - 2. 1 1/2" Thick with a minimum installed R-value of 6 when ducts are located in



- unconditioned spaces, such as ceiling plenum space.
- 3. 2" Thick with a minimum installed R-value of 8 when ducts are located outdoors.

## 3.4 EXPOSED DUCTWORK LOCATED INDOORS

- A. Duct routed exposed in occupied spaces shall be double wall.
- B. Round and flat oval duct routed exposed shall be double wall with perforated inner liner and 1" thick layer of glass mineral wool insulation as manufactured by United McGill Company model no. Acousti-27 or approved equal. Insulation density shall be a minimum of 1.0 PCF.

## 3.5 EXPOSED DUCT LOCATED OUTDOORS

- A. All duct located outdoors shall be internally lined as specified and shall have a 2" thick, 6 lb. density rigid board external duct insulation, finished with aluminum jacketing.
- B. Paint non-insulated duct. Coordinate color with Architect.

### 3.6 AIR DEVICE AND MISCELLANEOUS DUCT INSULATION

- A. The backside of all supply air devices shall be insulated with taped and sealed 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> inch thick external duct wrap.
- B. The contractor shall install an additional layer of 1-1/2 inch thick external glass mineral wool duct wrap on any portion of the supply air, return air, outside air, or exhaust air system that has condensation forming during any period of operation. The insulation shall be taped and vapor-sealed and located until all evidence of the condensation has been eliminated, at no additional cost to the Owner.

### 3.7 KITCHEN GREASE HOOD EXHAUST DUCT

- A. All type I kitchen range hood exhaust duct shall be enclosed with 2-hour fire rated enclosure.
- B. The duct enclosure shall be sealed around the duct at the points of penetration with an approved fire barrier sealant per ASTM E 1966. Sealant shall be 3M CP 25WB+ or 303 fire barrier caulk and putty.
- C. The enclosure shall be separated from the duct by at least 3 inches and not more than 12 inches.
- D. Cleanout openings at exhaust duct with access openings at the fire rated enclosure and access doors shall be provided at each duct offset and as required for proper operation and maintenance.
- E. As an alternate method, the contractor may use two layers of 2-hour fire rated duct wrap such as 3M Fire Barrier Duct Wrap 615+ or Unifrax FyreWrap Elite 1.5 in lieu of the fire rated enclosure, provided that all the following constraints are satisfied:
  - a. Duct wrap system shall be tested per ASTM E 2336 internal fire testing and have an achieved minimum fire resistance rating of 2 hours.
  - b. Product shall be approved by the local Authority Having Jurisdiction (AHJ).



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- c. Duct wrap system shall be mechanically attached to the duct using steel banding and/or weld pins per manufacturer's instructions.
- d. Duct wrap system shall be installed in strict accordance with the manufacturer's instructions, including but not limited to zero clearance to combustibles at all locations on the wrap surface.
- F. Insulation and all other requirements shall be provided per local codes.

### 3.8 DRYER VENT DUCT

- A. All dryer vent duct routed within an air plenum shall be enclosed within a 1-hour fire rated enclosure.
- B. The duct enclosure shall be sealed around the duct at the points of penetration with an approved fire barrier sealant per ASTM E 1966. Sealant shall be 3M CP 25WB+ or 303 fire barrier caulk and putty.
- C. The enclosure shall be separated from the duct by at least 3 inches and not more than 12 inches.
- D. Cleanout openings at exhaust duct with access openings at the fire rated enclosure and access doors shall be provided at each duct offset and as required for proper operation and maintenance.
- E. As an alternate method, the contractor may use a single layer of 1-hour fire rated duct wrap such as 3M Fire Barrier Duct Wrap 615+ or Unifrax FyreWrap Elite 1.5 in lieu of the fire rated enclosure, provided that all the following constraints are satisfied:
  - a. Duct wrap system shall be tested per ASTM E 2336 internal fire testing and have an achieved minimum fire resistance rating of 1 hour.
  - b. Product shall be approved by the local Authority Having Jurisdiction (AHJ).
  - c. Duct wrap system shall be mechanically attached to the duct using steel banding and/or weld pins per manufacturer's instructions.
  - d. Duct wrap system shall be installed in strict accordance with the manufacturer's instructions, including but not limited to zero clearance to combustibles at all locations on the wrap surface.
- F. Insulation and all other requirements shall be provided per local codes.

## END OF SECTION



## SECTION 23 07 16 - HVAC EQUIPMENT INSULATION

### PART 1 – GENERAL

- 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS
  - A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all work herein.
  - B. Section 23 02 00 Basic Materials and Methods is included as a part of this Section as though written in full in this document.

## 1.2 SCOPE

- A. Scope of the Work shall include the furnishing and complete installation of the equipment covered by this Section, with all auxiliaries, ready for Owner's use.
- B. Work specified elsewhere.
  - 1. Basic materials and methods.
  - 2. Piping systems.
  - 3. Air distribution equipment.

### 1.3 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. ASTM International. (ASTM)
- B. American Society of Heating, Refrigerating, and Air Conditioning Engineers, Inc. (ASHRAE).
- C. North American Insulation Manufacturers Association (NAIMA).
- D. National Fire Protection Association (NFPA).
- E. Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Contractors National Association, Inc. (SMACNA).
- F. Underwriter's Laboratories (UL).
- G. Underwriter's Laboratories Environmental (UL Environment).

### 1.4 WARRANTY

- A. Warrant the Work specified herein for one year against becoming unserviceable or causing an objectionable appearance resulting from either defective or nonconforming materials and workmanship.
- B. Defects shall include, but not be limited to, the following:
  - 1. Mildewing.
  - 2. Peeling, cracking, and blistering.
  - 3. Condensation on exterior surfaces.
- 1.5 SUBMITTALS



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- A. SHOP DRAWINGS: Indicate size, material, and finish. Show locations and installation procedures. Include details of joints, attachments, and clearances.
- B. PRODUCT DATA: Submit schedules, charts, literature, and illustrations to indicate the performance, fabrication procedures, product variations, and accessories.

### 1.6 DELIVERY AND STORAGE

- A. Deliver insulation, coverings, cements, adhesives, and coatings to site in unopened containers with manufacturer's stamp, clearly labeled with flame and smoke rating, affixed showing fire hazard indexes of products.
- B. Protect insulation against dirt, water and chemical and mechanical damage. Do not install damaged or wet insulation; remove such from project site.

### PART 2 – PRODUCTS

- 2.1 It is the intent of these specifications to secure superior quality workmanship resulting in an absolutely satisfactory installation of insulation from the standpoint of both function and appearance. Particular attention shall be given to valves, fittings, pumps, etc., requiring low temperature insulation to insure full thickness of insulation and proper application of the vapor seal. All flaps of vapor barrier jackets and/or canvas covering must be neatly and securely smoothed and sealed down.
- 2.2 The type of insulation and its installation shall be in strict accordance with these specifications for each service, and the application technique shall be as recommended by the manufacturer. All insulation types, together with adhesives and finishes shall be submitted and reviewed before any insulation is installed.
- 2.3 A sample quantity of each type of insulation and each type application shall be installed and reviewed prior to proceeding with the main body of the work. Condensation caused by improper installation of insulation shall be corrected by Installing Contractor. Any damage caused by condensation shall be made good at no cost to the Owner or Architect/Engineer.
- 2.4 Glass mineral wool materials as manufactured by Knauf Insulation, Owens/Corning, Certain-Teed or Johns Manville will be acceptable, if they comply with the specifications.
- 2.5 All insulation shall have composite (insulation, jacket or facing, and adhesive used to adhere the facing or jacket to insulation) fire and smoke hazard as tested by Procedure ASTM E084, NFPA 255 and UL 723 not exceeding:

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- 2.6 All HVAC equipment insulation shall comply with minimum requirements of 2015 International Energy Conservation Code and ASHRAE 90.1 2013.
- 2.7 Accessories, such as adhesives, mastics and cements shall have the same component ratings as listed above.
- 2.8 All products or their shipping cartons shall have a label affixed, indicating flame and smoke ratings do not exceed the above requirements.



## PART 3 – EXECUTION

- 3.1 All insulation shall be installed in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations and printed installation instructions.
- 3.2 All items required for a complete and proper installation are not necessarily indicated on the plans or in the specifications. Provide all items required as per manufacturer's requirements.

## END OF SECTION



## SECTION 23 07 19 - HVAC PIPING INSULATION

### PART 1 - GENERAL

### 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all work herein.
- B. Section 23 02 00 Basic Materials and Methods is included as a part of this Section as though written in full in this document.

## 1.2 SCOPE

- A. Scope of the Work shall include the furnishing and complete installation of the equipment covered by this Section, with all auxiliaries, ready for Owner's use.
- B. Furnish and install piping insulation to:
  - 1. Chilled water and heating hot water piping.
  - 2. Condensate drain piping.
  - 3. Refrigerant piping.
  - 4. All pipes subject to freezing conditions shall be insulated.
- C. Work specified elsewhere.
  - 1. Painting.
  - 2. Pipe hangers and supports.
- D. For insulation purpose piping is defined as the complete piping system including supplies and returns, pipes, valves, automatic control valve bodies, fittings, flanges, strainers, thermometer well, unions, reducing stations, and orifice assemblies.

## 1.3 RELATED SECTIONS

- A. Section 23 05 29 Hangers and Support for HVAC Piping and Equipment
- B. Section 23 05 53 Identification for HVAC Piping and Equipment
- C. Section 23 21 13 Above Ground Hydronic Piping
- D. Section 23 21 16 Underground Hydronic Piping
- E. Section 23 22 13 Steam and Condensate Heating Piping
- F. Section 23 23 00 Refrigerant Piping

### 1.4 REFERENCE STANDARDS

- A. ASTM International. (ASTM)
- B. American Society of Heating, Refrigerating, and Air Conditioning Engineers, Inc. (ASHRAE).



- C. North American Insulation Manufacturers Association (NAIMA).
- D. National Fire Protection Association (NFPA).
- E. Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Contractors National Association, Inc. (SMACNA).
- F. Underwriter's Laboratories (UL).
- G. Underwriter's Laboratories Environmental (UL Environment).

### 1.5 WARRANTY

- A. Warrant the Work specified herein for one year against becoming unserviceable or causing an objectionable appearance resulting from either defective or nonconforming materials or workmanship.
- B. Defects shall include, but not be limited to, the following:
  - 1. Mildewing.
  - 2. Peeling, cracking, and blistering.
  - 3. Condensation on exterior surfaces.

## 1.6 SUBMITTALS

- A. SHOP DRAWINGS: Indicate size, material, and finish. Show locations and installation procedures. Include details of joints, attachments, and clearances.
- B. PRODUCT DATA: Submit schedules, charts, literature, and illustrations to indicate the performance, fabrication procedures, project variations, and accessories.

### 1.7 DELIVERY AND STORAGE

- A. Deliver insulation, coverings, cements, adhesives, and coatings to site in unopened containers with manufacturer's stamp, clearly labeled with flame and smoke rating, affixed showing fire hazard indexes of products.
- B. Protect insulation against dirt, water and chemical and mechanical damage. Do not install damaged or wet insulation; remove such from project site.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 It is the intent of these specifications to secure superior quality workmanship resulting in an absolutely satisfactory installation of insulation from the standpoint of both function and appearance. Particular attention shall be given to valves, fittings, pumps, etc., requiring low temperature insulation to insure full thickness of insulation and proper application of the vapor seal. All flaps of vapor barrier jackets and/or canvas covering must be neatly and securely smoothed and sealed down.
- 2.2 The type of insulation and its installation shall be in strict accordance with these specifications for each service, and the application technique shall be as recommended by the manufacturer. All insulation types, together with adhesives and finishes shall be submitted and reviewed prior to installation.



- 2.3 A sample quantity of each type of insulation and each type application shall be installed and accepted prior to proceeding with the main body of the work. Condensation caused by improper installation of insulation shall be corrected by Installing Contractor. Any damage caused by condensation shall be made good at no cost to the Owner or Architect/Engineer.
- 2.4 All insulation shall have composite (insulation, jacket or facing, and adhesive used to adhere the facing or jacket to insulation) fire and smoke hazard as tested by Procedure ASTM E 84, NFPA 255 and UL 723 not exceeding:

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- 2.5 All HVAC piping insulation shall comply with minimum requirements of 2015 International Energy Conservation Code and ASHRAE 90.1 2013.
- 2.6 Accessories, such as adhesives, mastics and cements shall have the same component ratings as listed above.
- 2.7 All products or their shipping cartons shall have a label affixed, indicating flame and smoke ratings do not exceed the above requirements.
- 2.8 Any piping located in an air plenum that is comprised of materials that do not comply with the 25/50 flame and smoke rating per ASTM E 84 testing requirements shall be provided with a single layer of high-temperature insulation to establish a noncombustible rating per ASTM E 136. Insulation products which are approved for such non-compliant combustible piping materials located air plenums shall be 3M Fire Barrier Plenum Wrap 5A+ or Unifrax FyreWrap 0.5 Plenum. Insulation products for this application shall be installed in strict accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.

### 2.9 APPROVED MANUFACTURERS

- A. Calcium silicate materials shall be as manufactured by Johns Manville.
- B. Glass mineral wool materials shall be as manufactured by Knauf Insulation, Johns Manville or Owens-Corning and shall have the same thermal properties, density, fire rating, vapor barrier, etc., as the types specified herein, subject to review by the Engineer.
- C. Adhesives shall be as manufactured by Childers, Foster, HB Fuller or Armacell, and shall have the same adhesive properties, fire rating, vapor seal, etc., as the types specified herein, subject to review by the Engineer.
- D. Flexible elastomeric cellular thermal insulation by Armacell.
- E. Phenolic foam insulation shall be as manufactured by Kooltherm Insulation (Koolphen).
- F. Metal jacketing and fitting covers shall be as manufactured by Childers or RPR Products.

### 2.10 MATERIALS

- A. CHILLED WATER: Provide Phenolic foam with ASJ jacket and all joints sealed
- B. HEATING HOT WATER PIPE: Provide glass mineral wool pipe insulation with ASJ-SSL



jacket or phenolic foam with ASJ and all joints sealed.

- C. CONDENSATE DRAINAGE PIPING: Flexible elastomeric cellular thermal insulation, model "AP-2000", fire rated for use in environmental air plenums; insulation not required when piping is exposed on roof.
- D. REFRIGERANT PIPING: Flexible elastomeric cellular thermal insulation, model "AP-2000", fire rated for use in environmental air plenums. Apply manufacturers recommended finish and sealant for exterior applications.
- E. METAL JACKETING: Utilize Childers "Strap-On" jacketing. Provide preformed fitting covers for all elbows and tees.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 All insulation shall be installed in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations and printed installation instructions, including high density inserts at all hangers and pipe supports to prevent compression of insulation.
- 3.2 All items required for a complete and proper installation are not necessarily indicated on the plans or in the specifications. Provide all items required as per manufacturer's requirements.
- 3.3 All heat recovery piping between air conditioning equipment and hydronic or domestic hot water piping shall be insulated per the High Temperature Surfaces Schedule in Part 4.
- 3.4 All condenser water piping located in a ceiling plenum shall be insulated per the Low Temperature Surfaces Schedule in Part 4.
- 3.5 Pipes located outdoors or in tunnels shall be insulated same as concealed piping and shall have a jacket of 0.016 inch thick, smooth aluminum with longitudinal modified Pittsburg Z-Lock seam and 2 inch overlap. Jacketing shall be easily removed and replaced without damage. All insulation butt joints shall be sealed with gray silicone. Galvanized banding is not acceptable.
- 3.6 All insulated piping located over driveways shall have an aluminum shield permanently banded over insulation to protect it from damage from car antennas.
- 3.7 WATER PIPE INSULATION INSTALLATION
  - A. The insulation shall be applied to clean, dry pipes with all joints firmly butted together. Where piping is interrupted by fittings, flanges, valves or hangers and at intervals not to exceed 25 feet on straight runs, an isolating seal shall be formed between the vapor barrier jacket and the bare pipe. The seal shall be by the applications of adhesive to the exposed insulation joint faces, carried continuously down to and along 4 inches of pipe and up to and along 2 inches of jacket.
  - B. Pipe fittings and valves shall be insulated with pre-molded or shop fabricated glass mineral wool covers finished with two brush coats of vapor barrier mastic reinforced with glass fabric.
  - C. All under lap surfaces shall be clean and free of dust, etc. before the Joint is sealed. These laps shall be firmly rubbed to insure a positive seal. A brush coat of vapor retarder shall be applied to all edges of the vapor barrier jacket.



### 3.8 STANDBY-GENERATOR ENGINE EXHAUST PIPING

- A. Entire engine exhaust pipe from exhaust manifold to outside terminal shall be enclosed in a 1" thick layer of calcium silicate insulation.
- B. A second insulating layer of 1" thick calcium silicate shall cover the first layer.
- C. Joints for the first and second layer shall be staggered.
- D. Apply aluminum jacket over outer layer of insulation.
- E. Insulate exhaust muffler in the same manner as the exhaust piping.

### 3.9 FIRE RATED INSULATION

- A. All pipe penetrations through walls and concrete floors shall be fire rated by applying USG Thermafiber in the space between the concrete and the pipe.
- B. The penetration shall be additionally sealed by using 3M brand model CP 25 or 303 fire barrier caulk and putty.
- C. All fire rating material shall be insulated in accordance with manufacturer's printed instructions.

### PART 4 - SCHEDULES

4.1 Provide all HVAC piping insulation to comply with the ASHRAE 90.1 Minimum Thickness Schedule.

4.2	LOW TEMPERATURE SURFACES			MINIMUM INSULATION THICKNESS
	A.	Condensate drain lines:		1 inch
	В.	Chilled Water Piping:		
		1. 2.	Located outdoors: Located indoors:	2 inch
			<ul><li>a. 4 inch and smaller:</li><li>b. Larger than 4 inch:</li></ul>	1 ½ inch 2 inch
C. Refrig		Refrige	erant Piping	
		1. 2.	$1\frac{1}{2}$ " and smaller Larger than $1\frac{1}{2}$ inch	1 inch 1 ½ inch
4.3	HIGH TEMPERATURE SURFACES MINIMUM INSULATION THICKNESS			
	A.	Hot Water Piping:		
		1. 2.	Operating temperature 105°F or less: Operating temperature higher than 105° and pipe size 1¼ inch or smaller	1 inch °F 1 ½ inch



3.	Operating temperature higher than 105°F and pipe size greater than 1¼ inch	2 inch

Steam Piping: Β.

1.	Pipe size 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> inch and smaller	2 ½ inch
2.	Pipe size more than 1½ inch	3 inch

Pipe size more than 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> inch 2.

# **END OF SECTION**



# SECTION 23 31 13 - METAL DUCTWORK

### PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 WORK INCLUDED
  - A. Low pressure ductwork.
  - B. Medium and high pressure ductwork.
  - C. Casings.
  - D. Laboratory fume hood exhaust ductwork.
  - E. Duct cleaning.

### 1.2 RELATED SECTIONS

Division 9 - Finishes: Weld priming, weather resistant, paint or coating.

- A. Section 23 02 00 Basic Material and Methods.
- B. Section 23 05 29 Hangers and Support for Piping and Equipment HVAC.
- C. Section 23 05 93 Testing, Adjusting and Balancing.
- D. Section 23 07 13 Duct Insulation.
- E. Section 23 33 00 Ductwork Accessories.
- F. Section 23 37 13 Air Distribution Devices.

### 1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Manufacturer's Qualifications: Firms regularly engaged in manufacture of metal ductwork products of types, materials and sizes required, whose products have been in satisfactory use in similar service for not less than 5 years.
- B. Installer's Qualifications: Firms with least 3 years of successful installation experience on projects with metal ductwork systems similar to that required for project.
- C. Codes and Standards:
  - 1. SMACNA Standards: Comply with latest SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards, Metal and Flexible" for fabrication and installation of metal ductwork.
  - 2. ASHRAE90.1 Standards: Comply with ASHRAE Handbook, Equipment Volume, Chapter 1 "Duct Construction", for fabrication and installation of metal ductwork.
  - NFPA Compliance: Comply with NFPA 90A "Standard for the Installation of Air Conditioning and Ventilating Systems", NFPA 90B "Standard for the Installation of Warm Air Heating and Air Conditioning Systems", and NFPA 96 Standard.
  - 4. IECC 2015: Comply with 2015 International Energy Conservation Code.

### 1.4 GENERAL DESCRIPTION



A. Extent of metal ductwork is indicated on drawings and in schedules, and by requirements of this section.

## 1.5 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit shop drawings, duct fabrication standards and product data under provisions of Division One.
- B. Indicate duct fittings, particulars such as gauges, sizes, welds, and configuration prior to start of work.
- C. The contract documents are schematic in nature and are to be used only for design intent. The contractor shall prepare sheet metal shop drawings, fully detailed and drawn to scale, indicating all structural conditions, all plumbing pipe and light fixture coordination, and all offsets and transitions as required to permit the duct to fit in the space allocated and built. All duct revisions required as a result of the contractor not preparing fully detailed shop drawings will be performed at no additional cost.

### 1.6 DEFINITIONS

- A. Duct Sizes: Inside clear dimensions. For lined ducts, maintain indicated clear size inside lining. Where offsets or transitions are required, the duct shall be the equivalent size based on constant friction rate.
- B. Low Pressure: Low pressure ductwork shall be rated for an operating pressure of 2". Low pressure ductwork shall be defined as all return, exhaust, and outside air ducts, all supply ductwork associated with constant volume air handling units with a scheduled external static pressure of less than 2", and all supply ductwork downstream of terminal units in variable volume systems.
- C. Medium Pressure: Medium pressure ductwork shall be rated for an operating pressure of 4". Medium pressure ductwork shall be defined as all supply ductwork extending from variable volume air handling units to terminal units in variable volume systems with air handling units having a scheduled external static pressure of less than 4". The supply ductwork of constant volume air handling units having a scheduled external static pressure greater than 2" and less than 4" shall be rated for medium pressure.
- D. High Pressure: High pressure ductwork shall be rated for an operating pressure of 6", or the scheduled external pressure of the equipment it is connected to, whichever is greater. The supply ductwork of air handling units having a scheduled external static pressure greater than 4" shall be high pressure.

### 1.7 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Protection: Protect shop-fabricated and factory-fabricated ductwork, accessories and purchased products from damage during shipping, storage and handling. Prevent end damage and prevent dirt and moisture from entering ducts and fittings, use sheet metal end caps on any lined duct exposed to the weather.
- B. Storage: Where possible, store ductwork inside and protect from weather. Where necessary to store outside, store above grade and enclose with waterproof wrapping.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS



- 2.1 DUCTWORK MATERIALS
  - A. Exposed Ductwork Materials: Where ductwork is indicated to be exposed to view in occupied spaces, provide materials which are free from visual imperfections including pitting, seam marks, roller marks, stains and discolorations, and other imperfections, including those which would impair painting.
  - B. Sheet Metal.: Except as otherwise indicated, fabricate ductwork from galvanized sheet steel complying with ASTM A 527, lockforming quality, with G 90 zinc coating in accordance with ASTM A 525; and mill phosphatized for exposed locations.
  - C. Stainless Steel Sheet: Where indicated, provide stainless steel complying with ASTM A167; Type 316; with No. 4 finish where exposed to view in occupied spaces, No. 1 finish elsewhere. Protect finished surfaces with mill-applied adhesive protective paper, maintained through fabrication and installation.
  - D. Aluminum Sheet: Where indicated, provide aluminum sheet complying with ASTM B 209, Alloy 3003, Temper H14.

### 2.2 MISCELLANEOUS DUCTWORK MATERIALS

- A. General: Non-combustible and conforming to UL 181, Class 1 air duct materials.
- B. Flexible Ducts: Flexmaster U.S.A., Inc. Type 3M or approved equal, corrosive resistant galvanized steel formed and mechanically locked to inner fabric with 1" thick insulation when flexible ducts are located in conditioned spaces and with R-5 insulation when located in unconditioned spaces. Flexible duct shall have reinforced metalized outer jacket comply with UL 181, Class 1 air duct.
- C. Sealants: Hard-Cast "iron grip" or approved equal, non-hardening, water resistant, fire resistive and shall not be a solvent curing product. Sealants shall be compatible with mating materials, liquid used alone or with tape or heavy mastic.
- D. Ductwork Support Materials: Except as otherwise indicated, provide hot-dipped galvanized steel fasteners, anchors, rods, straps, trim and angles for support of ductwork.
  - 1. For exposed stainless steel ductwork, provide matching stainless steel support materials.
  - 2. For aluminum ductwork, provide aluminum support materials.

### 2.3 LOW PRESSURE DUCTWORK

- A. Fabricate and support in accordance with latest SMACNA Duct Construction Standards and ASHRAE handbooks, except as indicated. Provide duct material, gauges, reinforcing, and sealing for operating pressures indicated.
- B. Size round ducts installed in place of rectangular ducts in accordance with ASHRAE table of equivalent rectangular and round ducts. No variation of duct configuration or sizes permitted except by approved shop drawings. Obtain engineer's approval prior to using round duct in lieu of rectangular duct.
- C. Construct T's, bends, and elbows with radius of not less than 1-1/2 times width of duct on centerline. Where not possible and where rectangular elbows are used, provide airfoil-



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turning vanes. Where acoustical lining is indicated, provide turning vanes of perforated metal with glass fiber insulation.

- D. Increase duct sizes gradually, not exceeding 15 degrees divergence wherever possible. Divergence upstream of equipment shall not exceed 30 degrees; convergence downstream shall not exceed 45 degrees.
- E. Use crimp joints with bead for joining round duct sizes 6 inch smaller with crimp in direction of airflow.
- F. Use double nuts and lock washers on threaded rod supports.

### 2.4 MEDIUM AND HIGH PRESSURE DUCTS

- A. Fabricate and support in accordance with SMACNA Duct Construction Standards and ASHRAE handbooks, except as indicated. Provide duct material, gauges, reinforcing, and sealing for operating pressures indicated.
- B. Construct T's, bends, and elbows with radius of not less than 1½ times width of duct on centerline. Where not possible and where rectangular elbows are used, provide airfoil-turning vanes. Where acoustical lining is required, provide turning vanes of perforated metal with glass fiber insulation. Weld in place.
- C. Transform duct sizes gradually, not exceeding 15 degrees divergence and 30 degrees convergence.
- D. Fabricate continuously welded medium and high pressure round and oval duct fittings two gauges heavier than duct gauges indicated in SMACNA Standard. Joints shall be minimum 4 inch cemented slip joint, brazed or electric welded. Prime coat welded joints.
- E. Provide standard 45 degree lateral wye takeoffs unless otherwise indicated where 90 degree conical tee connections may be used.

### 2.5 CASINGS

- A. Fabricate casings in accordance with SMACNA Duct Construction Standards and SMACNA High Pressure Duct Construction Standards and construct for operating pressures indicated.
- B. Mount floor mounted casings on 4 inch high concrete curbs. At floor, rivet panels on 8 inch centers to angles. Where floors are acoustically insulated, provide liner of 18 gauge galvanized expanded metal mesh supported at 12 inch centers, turned up 12 inches at sides with sheet metal shields.
- C. Reinforce doorframes with steel angles tied to horizontal and vertical plenum supporting angles. Install hinged access doors where indicated or required for access to equipment for cleaning and inspection. Provide clear wire glass observation ports, minimum 6 X 6 inch size.
- D. Fabricate acoustic casings with reinforcing turned inward. Provide 16 gauge back facing and 22 gauge perforated front facing with 3/32 inch diameter holes on 5/32 inch centers. Construct panels 3 inches thick packed with 4.5 lb./cubic foot minimum glass fiber media, on inverted channels of 16 gauge.



- 2.6 LABORATORY FUME HOOD EXHAUST DUCTWORK
  - A. Construct of 18 gauge type 316 stainless steel.
  - B. All welded construction.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 GENERAL INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS
  - A. Obtain manufacturer's inspection and acceptance of fabrication and installation of ductwork at beginning of installation.
  - B. Provide openings in ductwork where required to accommodate thermometers and controllers. Provide pitot tube openings where required for testing of systems, complete with metal can with spring device or screw to ensure against air leakage. Where openings are provided in insulated ductwork, install insulation material inside a metal ring.
  - C. Locate ducts with sufficient space around equipment to allow normal operating and maintenance activities.
  - D. Connect terminal units to medium or high pressure ducts with four feet maximum length of flexible duct. Do not use flexible duct to change direction.
  - E. Connect diffusers or troffer boots to low pressure ducts with 6 feet maximum, 4 feet minimum, length of flexible duct. Hold in place with strap or clamp.
  - F. During construction provide temporary closures of metal or taped polyethylene on open ductwork to prevent construction dust from entering ductwork system.
  - G. The interior surface of all ductwork shall be smooth. No sheet metal parts, tabs, angles, or anything else may project into the ducts for any reason, except as specified to be so. All seams and joints shall be external.
  - H. All ductwork located exposed on roof shall be "crowned" to prevent water from ponding. Ref: Insulation for additional requirements.
  - I. Where ducts pass through floors, provide structural angles for duct support. Where ducts pass through walls in exposed areas, install suitable sheet metal escutcheons as closers.
  - J. All angles shall be carried around all four sides of the duct or group of ducts. Angles shall overlap corners and be welded or riveted.
  - K. All ductwork shall be fabricated in a manner to prevent the seams or joints being cut for the installation of grilles, registers, or ceiling outlets.
  - L. All duct hangers shall be attached to building structure. Cutting slots in roof or floor decking for hanger straps to be cast in concrete is not acceptable.
- 3.2 INSTALLATION OF FLEXIBLE DUCTS



- A. Maximum Length: For any duct run using flexible ductwork, do not exceed 6'-0" extended length.
- B. Installation: Install in accordance with Section III of SMACNA's, "HVAC Duct Construction Standards, Metal and Flexible".

### 3.3 REQUIREMENTS FOR DUCTS BURIED UNDERGROUND

- A. Slope underground ducts to plenums or low pump-out points at I:500. Provide access doors for inspection.
- B. Coat buried, metal ductwork without factory jacket with one coat and seams and joints with additional coat of asphalt base protective coating.
- C. Insulate buried supply duct runs over 50 feet long with one inch thick insulation covered with plastic vapor barrier.
- D. Encase buried metal ductwork in 3 inch minimum of concrete. Provide adequate tie-down points to prevent ducts from floating during concrete placement. Introduce no heat into ducts for 20 days following placement of concrete.

### 3.4 REQUIREMENTS FOR UNIT CASINGS

A. Set plenum doors 6 to 12 inches above floor. Arrange door swings so that fan static pressure holds door in closed position.

### 3.5 DUCTWORK APPLICATION SCHEDULE

AIR SYSTEM	MATERIAL
Low Pressure Supply	Galvanized Steel, Aluminum
Buried Supply or Return	Concrete, Glass Fiber Reinforced Plastic
Medium and High Pressure Supply	Galvanized Steel
Return and Relief	Galvanized Steel, Aluminum
General Exhaust	Galvanized Steel, Aluminum
Kitchen Hood Exhaust Dishwasher/Shower/Locker Room Dryer Vent/Paint Hood Exhaust	Carbon Steel, Stainless Steel Stainless Steel
Fume Hood Exhaust	Stainless Steel, Glass Fiber Reinforced Plastic if not in air plenum.
Outside Air Intake	Steel
Combustion Air	Steel
Emergency Generator Ventilation	Steel



### 3.6 DUCTWORK HANGERS AND SUPPORTS

- A. All ductwork shall be properly suspended or supported from the building structure. Hangers shall be galvanized steel straps or hot-dipped galvanized rod with threads pointed after installation. Strap hanger shall be attached to the bottom of the ductwork, provide a minimum of two screws one at the bottom and one in the side of each strap on metal ductwork. The spacing, size and installation of hangers shall be in accordance with the recommendations of the latest SMACNA edition.
- B. All duct risers shall be supported by angles or channels secured to the sides of the ducts at each floor with sheet metal screws or rivets. The floor supports may also be secured to ducts by rods, angles or flat bar to the duct joint or reinforcing. Structural steel supports for duct risers shall be provided under this Division.
- 3.7 AIR DUCT LEAKAGE: (From SMACNA Duct Standards Latest Edition) Test all ductwork (designed to handle over 1000 CFM) as follows:
  - A. Test apparatus

The test apparatus shall consist of:

- 1. A source of high pressure air--a portable rotary blower or a tank type vacuum cleaner.
- 2. A flow measuring device consisting of straightening vanes and an orifice plate mounted in a straight tube with properly located pressure taps. Each orifice assembly shall be accurately calibrated with its own calibration curve. Pressure and flow readings shall be taken with U-tube manometers.
- B. Test Procedures
  - 1. Test for audible leaks as follows:
  - 2. Close off and seal all openings in the duct section to be tested. Connect the test apparatus to the duct by means of a section of flexible duct.
    - a. Start the blower with its control damper closed.
    - b. Gradually open the inlet damper until the duct pressure reaches 1.5 times the standard designed duct operating pressure.
    - c. Survey all joint for audible leaks. Mark each leak and repair after shutting down blower. Do not apply a retest until sealants have set.
  - 3. After all audible leaks have been sealed, the remaining leakage should be measured with the orifice section of the test apparatus as follows:
    - a. Start blower and open damper until pressure in duct reaches 50% in excess of designed duct operating pressure.
    - b. Read the pressure differential across the orifice on manometer No. 2. If there is no leakage, the pressure differential will be zero.
    - c. Total allowable leakage shall not exceed one (1) percent of the total system design air flow rate. When partial sections of the duct system are tested, the summation of the leakage for all sections shall not exceed the total allowable leakage.
    - d. Even though a system may pass the measured leakage test, a concentration of leakage at one point may result in a noisy leak which, must be corrected.
  - 4. Testing Report
    - a. Contractor shall provide a testing report for each air system to the



engineer. The report shall indicate the completion of testing and compliance with testing specification.

b. All duct testing reports shall be included in the final close out documents.

#### 3.8 DUCT SYSTEM CLEANING

- A. Duct system cleaning shall be performed in accordance with the current published standards of ASHRAE and NADCA.
- B. Duct system cleaning method used shall incorporate the use of vacuum collection devices that are operated continuously during cleaning. A vacuum device shall be connected to the downstream end of the section being cleaned through a predetermined opening. The vacuum collection device must be of sufficient power to render all areas being cleaned under negative pressure, such that containment of debris and the protection of the indoor environment is assured.
- C. All vacuum devices exhausting air inside the building shall be equipped with HEPA filters (minimum efficiency), including hand-held vacuums and wet-vacuums.
- D. All vacuum devices exhausting air outside the facility shall be equipped with Particulate Collection including adequate filtration to contain debris removed from the HVAC system. Such devices shall exhaust in a manner that will not allow contaminants to re-enter the facility. Release of debris outdoors must not violate any outdoor environmental standards, codes or regulations.
- E. Fibrous glass thermal or acoustical insulation elements present in any equipment or ductwork shall be thoroughly cleaned with HEPA vacuuming equipment, while the HVAC system is under constant negative pressure, and not permitted to get wet in accordance with applicable NADCA and NAIMA standards and recommendations.
- F. Duct cleaning method used shall not damage the integrity of the ductwork, nor damage porous surface materials such as liners inside the ductwork or system components.
- G. Replace the fiberglass material if there is any evidence of damage, deterioration, delamination, friable material, mold or fungus growth, or moisture such that fibrous glass materials cannot be restored by cleaning or resurfacing with an acceptable insulation repair coating.
- H. Clean external surfaces of foreign substances which might cause corrosive deterioration of metal or, where ductwork is to be painted, might interfere with painting or cause paint deterioration.
- I. Strip protective paper from stainless ductwork surfaces, and repair finish wherever it has been damaged.
- J. Temporary Closure: At ends of ducts which are not connected to equipment or air distribution devices at time of ductwork installation, provide temporary closure of polyethylene film or other covering which will prevent entrance of dust and debris until time connections are to be completed.
- K. Cleaning Report: Contractor shall provide a report to the Owner indicating the completion of duct cleaning per specification and areas of the duct system found to be damaged and/or in need of repair.



- 3.9 DUCT JOINTS AND SEAMS
  - A. Seal all non-welded duct joints with duct sealant as indicated.

## END OF SECTION



## SECTION 23 33 00 – DUCTWORK ACCESSORIES

#### PART 1 – GENERAL

#### 1.1 WORK INCLUDED

- A. Volume control dampers.
- B. Shutoff Dampers.
- C. Round Duct Taps.
- D. Conical Duct Taps.
- E. Fire dampers.
- F. Combination fire and smoke dampers.
- G. Back draft dampers.
- H. Air turning devices.
- I. Flexible duct connections.
- J. Duct access doors.
- K. Duct test holes.

### 1.2 RELATED WORK

- A. Section 23 05 48 Vibration and Seismic Controls for HVAC Piping and Equipment.
- B. Section 23 31 13 Metal Ductwork.

### 1.3 REFERENCES

- A. NFPA 90A Installation of Air Conditioning and Ventilating Systems.
- B. SMACNA Low Pressure Duct Construction Standards.
- C. UL 33 Heat Responsive Links for Fire-Protection Service.
- D. UL 555 Fire Dampers and Ceiling Dampers.

### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit shop drawings and product data under provisions of Division One.
- B. Provide shop drawings for shop fabricated assemblies indicated, including volume control dampers duct access doors duct test holes. Provide product data for hardware used.
- C. Submit manufacturer's installation instructions under provisions of Division 1, for fire



dampers and combination fire and smoke dampers.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 VOLUME CONTROL DAMPERS

- A. Fabricate in accordance with SMACNA Low Pressure Duct Construction Standards, and as indicated.
- B. Fabricate splitter dampers of material same gauge as duct to 24 inches size in either direction, and two gauges heavier for sizes over 24 inches.
- C. Fabricate splitter dampers of double thickness sheet metal to streamline shape. Secure blade with continuous hinge or rod. Operate with minimum 1/2 inch diameter rod in self aligning, universal joint, action flanged bushing, with set screw.
- D. Fabricate single blade dampers for duct sizes to 9-1/2 x 24 inch.
- E. Fabricate multi-blade damper of opposed blade pattern with maximum blade sizes 12 x 72 inch.
  - 1. Assemble center and edge crimped blades in prime coated or galvanized channel frame with suitable hardware.
  - 2. On outside air, return air, and all other dampers required to be low leakage type, provide galvanized blades and frames, seven inches wide maximum, with replaceable vinyl, EPDM, silicone rubber seals on blade edges and stainless steel side seals. Provide blades in a double sheet corrugated type construction for extra strength. Provide hat channel shape frames for strength and blade linkage enclosure to keep linkage out of the air stream. Construction leakage not to exceed 1/2%, based on 2,000 fpm and 4 inch static pressure.
- F. Except in round ductwork 12 inches and smaller, provide end bearings. On multiple blade dampers, provide oil-impregnated nylon or sintered bronze bearings.
- G. Provide locking, indicating quadrant regulators on single and multi-blade dampers. Where rod lengths exceed 30 inches provide regulator at both ends.
- H. On insulated ducts mount quadrant regulators on stand-off mounting brackets, bases, or adapters.

### 2.2 SHUTOFF DAMPERS

- A. Fabricate in accordance with SMACNA Low Pressure Duct Construction Standards, and as indicated.
- B. Provide Class I multi-blade damper of parallel blade pattern for all ductwork systems which penetrate the building thermal envelope.
  - 1. Damper shall be constructed of one-piece 16 ga. roll-formed galvanized steel hat-shaped channel frame. Blades shall be 14 ga. roll-formed galvanized steel, airfoil type. Blade edge seals shall be neoprene gaskets mechanically locked to blade edge. Bearings shall be 304 stainless steel, oil-impregnated and self-



lubricating sleeve type, turning in extruded holes in damper frame.

- C. Shutoff dampers shall have an air leakage rate not greater than 4 cfm/ft<sup>2</sup> of damper surface area at 1.0 in.w.g. and shall be labeled by an approved agency when tested in accordance with AMCA 500D for such purpose.
- 2.3 ROUND DUCT TAPS
  - A. Taps to trunk duct for round flexible duct shall be spin-in fitting with locking quadrant butterfly damper, model no. FLD-B03 by Flexmaster or approved equal.
- 2.4 CONICAL DUCT TAPS
  - A. Taps to trunk duct for primary air inlet to all VAV terminal units shall be conical fitting, model no. CB by Flexmaster or approved equal.
- 2.5 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS FIRE DAMPERS AND COMBINATION FIRE AND SMOKE DAMPERS
  - A. Greenheck.
  - B. Louvers and Dampers Inc.
  - C. Ruskin.
  - D. Nailor Industries.
  - E. Pottorff
- 2.6 FIRE DAMPERS
  - A. Fabricate in accordance with NFPA 90A and UL 555, and as indicated.
  - B. Provide curtain type dampers of galvanized steel with interlocking blades. Provide stainless steel closure springs and latches for horizontal installations. Configure with blades out of air stream.
  - C. Fabricate multiple blade fire dampers per U.L. with 16 gauge minimum galvanized steel frame and blades, oil-impregnated bronze or stainless steel sleeve bearings and plated steel axles, 1/8 x 1/2 inch plated steel concealed linkage, stainless steel closure spring, blade stops, and lock.
  - D. Fusible links, UL 33, shall separate at 160 degrees F. Provide adjustable link straps for combination fire/balancing dampers.

### 2.7 COMBINATION FIRE AND SMOKE DAMPERS

- A. Fabricate in accordance with NFPA 90A and UL 555, and as indicated.
- B. Provide factory sleeve for each damper. Install damper operator on exterior of sleeve and link to damper operating shaft.



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- C. Fabricate with multiple blades with 16 gauge galvanized steel frame and blades, oil-impregnated bronze or stainless steel sleeve bearings and plated steel axles, stainless steel jamb seals, 1/8 x 1/2 inch plated steel concealed linkage, stainless steel closure spring, blade stops, and lock, and 1/2 inch actuator shaft.
  - 2. Operators shall be spring return electric type suitable to operate on 120 V AC, 60 cycle.
  - 3. Operators shall be UL listed and labeled.
- 2.8 SMOKE DAMPERS
  - A. Fabricate in accordance with NFPA 90A and UL 555, and as indicated.
  - B. Motorized Smoke Dampers: multi-blade type, normally open with power on, close automatically when power is interrupted, UL-listed and labeled damper and damper operator.
- 2.9 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS BACKDRAFT DAMPERS
  - A. Greenheck
  - B. American Warming and Vent.
  - C. Louvers and Dampers Inc.
  - D. Ruskin.
  - E. Pottorff
  - F. Substitutions: Under provisions of Division One.
- 2.10 BACKDRAFT DAMPERS
  - A. Gravity back draft dampers, size 18 x 18 inches or smaller, furnished with air moving equipment, may be air moving equipment manufacturers standard construction.
  - B. Fabricate multi-blade, parallel action gravity balanced back draft dampers of 16 gauge galvanized steel, or extruded aluminum, with blades of maximum 6 inch width, with felt or flexible vinyl sealed edges, linked together in rattle-free manner with 90 degree stop, steel ball bearings, and plated steel pivot pin; adjustment device to permit setting for varying differential static pressure.
  - C. Gravity backdraft dampers shall have an air leakage not greater than 20 cfm/ft<sup>2</sup> where not less than 24 inches in either dimension and 40 cfm/ft<sup>2</sup> where less than 24 inches in either dimension. The rate of air leakage shall be determined at 1.0 in.w.g. when tested in accordance with AMCA 500D for such purpose.

### 2.11 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS – AIR TURNING DEVICES

- A. Young Regulator.
- B. Titus.



- C. Tuttle and Bailey.
- D. Substitutions: Under provisions of Division One.

### 2.12 AIR TURNING DEVICES

- A. On duct sizes less than 12 x 12, multi-blade device with blades aligned in short dimension; steel or aluminum construction; with individually adjustable blades, mounting straps.
- B. Multi-blade device with radius blades attached to pivoting frame and bracket, steel or aluminum construction, with worm drive mechanism with 18 inch long removable key operator.
- 2.13 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS FLEXIBLE DUCT CONNECTIONS
  - A. Metaledge.
  - B. Ventglass.
  - C. Substitutions: Under provisions of Division One.
- 2.14 FLEXIBLE DUCT CONNECTIONS TO AIR MOVING EQUIPMENT
  - A. Fabricate in accordance with SMACNA Low Pressure Duct Construction Standards, and as indicated.
  - B. UL listed fire-retardant neoprene coated woven glass fiber fabric to NFPA 90A, minimum density 20 oz per sq yd, approximately 6 inches wide, crimped into metal edging strip.
- 2.15 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS DUCT ACCESS DOORS
  - A. Greenheck.
  - B. American Warming and Vent.
  - C. Ruskin.
  - D. Titus.
  - E. Substitutions: Under provisions of Division One.

### 2.16 DUCT ACCESS DOORS

- A. Fabricate in accordance with SMACNA Low Pressure Duct Construction Standards and as indicated.
- B. Review locations prior to fabrication.
- C. Fabricate rigid and close-fitting doors of galvanized steel with sealing gaskets and quick fastening locking devices. For insulated ductwork, install minimum one inch thick insulation with sheet metal cover. Insulation shall be replaceable without field cutting or patching.



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- D. Access doors smaller than 12 inches square may be secured with sash locks.
- E. Provide two hinges and two sash locks for sizes up to 18 inches square, three hinges and two compression latches with outside and inside handles for sizes up to 24 x 48 inches. Provide an additional hinge for larger sizes.
- F. Access doors with sheet metal screw fasteners are not acceptable.

### 2.17 DUCT TEST HOLES

- A. Cut or drill temporary test holes in ducts as required. Cap with neat patches, neoprene plugs, threaded plugs, or threaded or twist-on metal caps.
- B. Permanent test holes shall be factory fabricated, air tight flanged fittings with screw cap. Provide extended neck fittings to clear insulation.

#### PART 3 – EXECUTION

#### 3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Install accessories in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- B. Balancing Dampers
  - 1. Provide at points on low pressure supply, return, and exhaust systems where branches are taken from larger ducts and as required for air balancing. Use splitter dampers only where indicated.
  - 2. All regulators mounted on externally insulated ductwork shall have 16 gauge elevated platforms at least 1/8 inch higher than the thickness of the insulation. Damper shaft shall have Ventlock No. 607 bearing mounted on ductwork within elevated platform. If duct is inaccessible the operating handle shall be extended and the regulator installed on the face of the wall or ceiling. Where regulators are exposed in finished parts of the building, they shall be flush type, Ventlock No. 666. All regulators shall be manufactured by Ventlock, or approved equal.
  - 3. All dampers in lined ductwork shall have bushing to prevent damper damage to liner.
- C. Provide fire dampers at locations indicated, where ducts and outlets pass through fire rated components, and where required by authorities having jurisdiction. Install with required perimeter mounting angles, sleeves, breakaway duct connections, corrosion resistant springs, bearings, bushings and hinges.
- D. Demonstrate re-setting of fire dampers to authorities having jurisdiction and Owner's representative.
- E. Provide gravity backdraft dampers or motorized shutoff dampers in accessible location nearest to exterior wall/roof penetrations and where indicated for all outdoor air intake and exhaust systems to automatically shut when the associated systems or spaces served are not in use.
- F. Provide flexible duct connections immediately adjacent to equipment in ducts associated with fans and motorized equipment. Provide at least one inch slack at all flexible duct



connections.

- G. Provide duct access doors for inspection and cleaning before and after filters, coils, fans, automatic dampers, at fire dampers, and elsewhere as indicated. Provide minimum 8 x 8 inch size for hand access, 18 x 18 inch size for shoulder access, and as indicated.
- H. Provide duct test holes where indicated and required for testing and balancing purposes.

# END OF SECTION



## SECTION 23 34 00 - HVAC FANS

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS
  - A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all work herein.
  - B. Section 23 02 00 Basic Materials and Methods is included as a part of this Section as though written in full in this document.

### 1.2 WORK INCLUDED

- A. Centrifugal roof ventilators.
- B. Ceiling and inline ventilators.
- C. Roof supply fans.

### 1.3 RELATED SECTIONS

- A. Section 23 05 13 Common Motor Requirements for HVAC Equipment
- B. Section 23 05 48 Vibration and Seismic Controls for HVAC Piping and Equipment
- C. Section 23 09 63 Energy Management and Control System
- D. Section 23 05 93 Testing, Adjusting and Balancing

#### 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. UL Compliance: Fans shall be designed, manufactured, and tested in accordance with UL 705 "Power Ventilators."
- B. UL Compliance: Fans and components shall be UL listed and labeled.
- C. Nationally Recognized Testing Laboratory Compliance (NRTL): Fans and components shall be NRTL listed and labeled. The term "NRTL" shall be as defined in OSHA Regulation 1910.7.
- D. NEMA Compliance: Motors and electrical accessories shall comply with NEMA standards.
- E. Electrical Component Standard: Components and installation shall comply with NFPA 70 "National Electrical Code."
- F. Sound Power Level Ratings: Comply with AMCA Standard 301 "Method for Calculating Fan Sound Ratings From Laboratory Test Data." Test fans in accordance with AMCA Standard 300 "Test Code for Sound Rating." Fans shall be licensed to bear the AMCA Certified Sound Ratings Seal.



G. Fan Performance Ratings: Establish flow rate, pressure, power, air density, speed of rotation, and efficiency by factory tests and ratings in accordance with AMCA Standard 210/ASHRAE Standard 51 - Laboratory Methods of Testing Fans for Rating.

### 1.5 SUBMITTALS

- A. General: Submit the following in accordance with Conditions of Contract and Division 1 Specification Sections:
- B. Product data for selected models, including specialties, accessories, and the following:
  - 1. Certified fan performance curves with system operating conditions indicated.
  - 2. Certified fan sound power ratings.
  - 3. Motor ratings and electrical characteristics plus motor and fan accessories.
  - 4. Materials, gages and finishes, include color charts.
  - 5. Dampers, including housings, linkages, and operators.
  - 6. Full color paint samples.
- C. Shop drawings from manufacturer detailing equipment assemblies and indicating dimensions, weights, required clearances, components, and location and size of field connections.
- D. Coordination drawings, in accordance with Division 23, Section "Basic Materials and Methods", for roof penetration requirements and for reflected ceiling plans drawn accurately to scale and coordinating penetrations and units mounted above ceiling. Show the following:
  - 1. Roof framing and support members relative to duct penetrations.
  - 2. Ceiling suspension members.
  - 3. Method of attaching hangers to building structure.
  - 4. Size and location of initial access modules for acoustical tile.
  - 5. Ceiling-mounted items including light fixtures, diffusers, grilles, speakers, sprinkler heads, access panels, and special moldings.
- F. iring diagrams that detail power, signal, and control wiring. Differentiate between manufacturer installed wiring and field installed wiring.
- G. Product certificates, signed by manufacturer, certifying that their products comply with specified requirements.
- H. Maintenance data for inclusion in Operating and Maintenance Manual specified in Division 1 and Division 23, Section "Basic Materials and Methods".

### 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Fans shall be stored and handled in accordance with the unit manufacturer's instructions.
- B. Lift and support units with the manufacturer's designated lifting or supporting points.
- C. Disassemble and reassemble units as required for movement into the final location following manufacturer's written instructions.
- D. Deliver fan units as a factory-assembled unit to the extent allowable by shipping limitations, with protective crating and covering.



### 1.7 ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS

A. Do not operate units for any purpose, temporary or permanent, until ductwork is clean, filters are in place, bearings lubricated, and fan has been test run under observation.

### 1.8 OPERATIONS PERSONNEL TRAINING

- A. Provide a training session for the owner's operations personnel. Training session shall be performed by a qualified person who is knowledgeable in the subject system/equipment. Submit a training agenda two (2) weeks prior to the proposed training session for review and approval. Training session shall include at the minimum:
  - 1. Purpose of equipment.
  - 2. Principle of how the equipment works.
  - 3. Important parts and assemblies.
  - 4. How the equipment achieves its purpose and necessary operating conditions.
  - 5. Most likely failure modes, causes and corrections.
  - 6. On site demonstration.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

- A. PennBarry
- B. Loren Cook Company
- C. Greenheck Fan Corporation
- D. ACME
- E. Twin City Fan and Blower
- 2.2 GENERAL DESCRIPTION
  - A. Provide fans that are factory fabricated and assembled, factory tested, and factory finished with indicated capacities and characteristics.
  - B. Fans and Shafts shall be statically and dynamically balanced and designed for continuous operation at the maximum rated fan speed and motor horsepower.
  - C. Provide factory baked-enamel finish coat after assembly. Color for roof mounted fans shall be chosen by Architect during the submittal process.

# 2.3 CENTRIFUGAL ROOF VENTILATORS

- A. Fan shall be a spun aluminum, centrifugal, roof mounted, direct driven or belt driven as indicated.
- B. Fan shall be listed by Underwriters Laboratories (UL 705). Fan shall bear the AMCA certified ratings seal for sound and air performance.



- C. The fan shall be of bolted and welded construction utilizing corrosion resistant fasteners. The spun aluminum structural components shall be constructed of minimum 16 gauge marine alloy aluminum, bolted to a rigid aluminum support structure.
- D. The aluminum base shall have continuously welded curb cap corners for maximum leak protection. A discharge baffle conduit chase shall be provided through the curb cap and into the motor compartment to facilitate wiring connections.
- E. The motor, bearings and drives shall be mounted on a minimum 14 gauge steel power assembly, isolated from the unit structure with rubber vibration isolators. These components shall be enclosed in a weather-tight compartment, separated from the exhaust airstream. Unit shall bear an engraved aluminum nameplate and shall be shipped in transit tested packaging.
- F. Wheel shall be centrifugal backward inclined, constructed of 100% aluminum, including a precision machined cast aluminum hub. Wheel inlet shall overlap an aerodynamic aluminum inlet cone to provide maximum performance and efficiency. Wheel shall be balanced in accordance with AMCA standard 204-96, balance quality and vibration levels for fans.
- G. Motor shall be heavy duty type with permanently lubricated sealed ball bearings.
- H. Bearings shall be designed and individually tested specifically for use in air handling applications. Construction shall be heavy duty re-greaseable ball type in a cast iron housing selected for a minimum L50 life in excess of 200,000 hours at maximum cataloged operating speed.
- I. Accessories: The following accessories are required.
  - 1. Disconnect Switch: Non-fusible type, with thermal overload protection, mounted inside fan housing, factory-wired through an internal aluminum conduit.
  - 2. Bird Screens: Removable <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> inch mesh, 16 gauge, aluminum or brass wire.
  - 3. Dampers: Gravity backdraft damper or motorized shutoff damper mounted in accessible location. Refer to 23 33 00 Ductwork Accessories.
  - 4. Roof Curbs: Prefabricated, 12 inch high, heavy-gauge, galvanized steel; mitered and welded corners; 2 inch thick, rigid, fiberglass insulation adhered to inside walls; built-in cant and mounting flange for flat roof decks; and 2 inch wood nailer. Size as required to suit roof opening and fan base. Roof curb shall match roof slope so that the curb is level.

# 2.4 CEILING AND INLINE VENTILATORS

A. Ceiling and inline ventilators shall be direct drive or belt drive as indicated, centrifugal blower type. Fan wheel shall be constructed of galvanized steel and shall be dynamically balanced. The housing shall be constructed of minimum 20 gauge corrosion resistant galvanized steel and acoustically insulated for quiet operation. Blower and motor assembly shall be easily removable from the housing without disturbing the ductwork. The motor shall be permanently lubricated with built-in thermal overload protection and shall be factory tested prior to shipment. The ceiling ventilators shall be furnished standard with a powder-painted white steel grille.



- B. Ventilators shall be certified and licensed to bear the AMCA Seal for Air and Sound Performance. Ventilator performance shall be based on tests and procedures performed in accordance with AMCA publication 211 and comply with the requirements of the AMCA Certified Ratings Program. Fan sound power level ratings shall be based on tests and procedures performed in accordance with AMCA publication 311 and comply with the requirements of the AMCA Certified Ratings Program. Ventilators shall be UL listed and CSA certified.
- C. Accessories: The following accessories are required.
  - 1. Dampers:
    - a. Aluminum backdraft damper.
    - b. Motor-operated volume control damper.
    - c. U.L. listed ceiling radiation damper for ceiling fans comply with NFPA Standard 90A rated for 3 hours.
  - 2. Disconnect Switch: Nonfusible type with thermal overload protection.
  - 3. Speed Controls: Fan mounted, solid state speed controller.

### PART 3 – EXECUTION

- 3.1 Install in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- 3.2 All items required for a complete and proper installation are not necessarily indicated on the plans or in the specifications. Provide all items required as per manufacturer's requirements.

# END OF SECTION



## SECTION 23 37 13 - AIR DISTRIBUTION DEVICES

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 WORK INCLUDED
  - A. Ceiling air diffusers.
  - B. Wall registers and grilles.
  - C. Louvers.
  - D. Other air devices indicated on drawings and schedules.

#### 1.2 RELATED SECTIONS

- A. Section 23 02 00 Basic Materials and Methods
- B. Section 23 05 93 Testing, Adjusting and Balancing
- C. Section 23 31 13 Metal Ductwork
- D. Section 23 31 16 Fibrous Glass Ductwork
- E. Section 23 31 19 Ductwork Accessories

#### 1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Manufacturer's Qualifications: Firms regularly engaged in manufacture of air distribution devices of types and capacities required, whose products have been in satisfactory use in similar service for not less than 5 years.
- B. Codes and Standards:
  - 1. ARI Compliance: Test and rate air distribution devices in accordance with ARI 650 "Standard for Air Outlets and Inlets".
  - ASHRAE Compliance: Test and rate air distribution devices in accordance with ASHRAE 70 "Method of Testing for Rating the Air Flow Performance of Outlets and Inlets".
  - 3. AMCA Compliance: Test and rate louvers in accordance with AMCA 500 "Test Method for Louvers, Dampers and Shutters".
  - 4. AMCA Seal: Provide louvers bearing AMCA Certified Rating Seal.
  - 5. NFPA Compliance: Install air distribution devices in accordance with NFPA 90A "Standard for the Installation of Air Conditioning and Ventilating Systems".

# 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: Submit manufacturer's technical product data for air distribution devices including the following:
  - 1. Schedule of air distribution devices indicating drawing designation, room location, number furnished, model number, size, and accessories furnished.



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- 2. Data sheet for each type of air distribution devices, and accessory furnished; indicating construction, finish, and mounting details.
- 3. Performance data for each type of air distribution devices furnished, including aspiration ability, temperature and velocity traverses; throw and drop; and noise criteria ratings. Indicate selections on data.
- B. Shop Drawings: Submit manufacturer's assembly-type shop drawing for each type of air distribution devices, indicating materials and methods of assembly of components.
- C. Maintenance Data: Submit maintenance data, including cleaning instructions for finishes, and spare parts lists. Include this data, product data, and shop drawings in maintenance manuals; in accordance with requirements of Division 1.

### 1.5 PRODUCT DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver air distribution devices wrapped in factory-fabricated fiber-board type containers. Identify on outside of container type of outlet or inlet and location to be installed. Avoid crushing or bending and prevent dirt and debris from entering and settling in devices.
- B. Store air distribution devices in original cartons and protect from weather and construction work traffic. Where possible, store indoors; when necessary to store outdoors, store above grade and enclose with waterproof wrapping.

#### 1.6 WARRANTY

A. Warrant the installation of the Work specified herein for one year against becoming unserviceable or causing an objectionable appearance resulting from defective or nonconforming workmanship.

### PART 2 – PRODUCTS

- 2.1 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS
  - A. Titus Company
  - B. Metalaire Industries, Inc.
  - C. Nailor Industries
  - D. Krueger
  - E. Price
  - F. Substitutions under provisions of Division One.
- 2.2 GENERAL DESCRIPTION
  - A. Unless otherwise indicated, provide manufacturer's standard air devices when shown of size, shape, capacity, type and accessories indicated on drawings and schedules, constructed of materials and components as indicated and as required for complete installation and proper air distribution.



- B. Provide air devices that have, as minimum, temperature and velocity traverses, throw and drop, and noise criteria ratings for each size device and listed in manufacturer's current data.
- C. Unless noted otherwise on drawings, the finish shall be #26 white. The finish shall be an anodic acrylic paint, baked at 315°F for 30 minutes. The pencil hardness must be HB to H. The paint must pass a 100 hour ASTM D117 Corrosive Environments Salt Spray Test without creepage, blistering, or deterioration of film. The paint must pass a 250 hour ASTM-870 Water Immersion Test. The paint must also pass the ASTM D-2794 Reverse Impact Cracking Test with a 50 inch pound force applied.
- D. Provide air device with border styles that are compatible with adjacent ceiling or wall system, and that are specially manufactured to fit into the wall construction or ceiling module with accurate fit and adequate support. Refer to architectural construction drawings and specifications for types of wall construction and ceiling systems.
- E. Provide integral volume damper with roll formed steel blades where indicated on drawings or schedules. Dampers shall be opposed blade design with a screw driver slot or a concealed lever operator for adjustment through the face of the air device.
- F. Air devices designated for fire rated systems shall be pre-assembled with UL classified radiation damper and thermal blanket. Fire rated air devices shall be shipped completely assembled; one assembly per carton, Each assembly shall be enclosed in plastic shrink wrap with installation instructions.

### 2.3 LOUVERS

- A. Except as otherwise indicated, provide manufacturer's standard louvers where shown; of size, shape, capacity and type indicated; constructed of materials and components as indicated, and as required for complete installation.
- B. Provide louvers that have minimum free area, and maximum pressure drop of each type as listed in manufacturer's current data, complying with louver schedule.
- C. Provide louvers with frame and sill styles that are compatible with adjacent substrate, and that are specifically manufactured to fit into construction openings with accurate fit and adequate support, for weatherproof installation. Refer to architectural construction drawings and specifications for types of substrate.
- D. Louvers shall be constructed of aluminum extrusions, ASTM B 221, Alloy 6063-T5. Weld units or use stainless steel fasteners.
- E. Louver Screens: On inside face of exterior louvers, provide 1/2" square mesh anodized aluminum wire bird screens mounted in removable extruded aluminum frames.
- F. Acceptable Manufacturers:
  - 1. Ruskin Manufacturing Company
  - 2. Greenheck Company
  - 3. Louvers and Dampers, Inc.
  - 4. Pottorff
  - 5. Arrow



6. Substitutions under provisions of Division One.

PART 3 – EXECUTION

- 3.1 All interior surfaces of all air devices shall be painted flat black.
- 3.2 See floor plans for type, neck size and CFM of air for all air distribution devices.
- 3.3 Install all air distribution devices as detailed on plans and in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.

# END OF SECTION



# SECTION 23 41 00 - AIR FILTERS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

### 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all work herein.
- B. The Basic Materials and Methods, Section 23 02 00, are included as a part of this Section as though written in full in this document.

### 1.2 SCOPE

Scope of the Work shall include the furnishing and complete installation of the equipment covered by this Section, with all auxiliaries, ready for owner's use.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 FILTERS

- A. Air filters shall be medium efficiency ASHRAE pleated panels consisting of cotton and synthetic media, welded wire media support grid, and beverage board enclosing frame, Camfil Farr 30/30, 2-inch thick or approved equal.
- B. APPROVED MANUFACTURERS: The following manufacturers are approved subject to specification compliance.
  - 1. American Air Filter.
  - 2. Camfil.
  - 3. Airguard Industries, Inc.
  - 4. Cambridge.
  - 5. Filtration Group

### 2.2 LOW VELOCITY FILTER SECTION

- A. Filters shall be of the throwaway cartridge type in 24 inches X 24 inches X 2 inch frames. When installing multiple filters into slide-in frames tape adjacent filters together with duct tape to prevent bypassing of air around the filter. Media shall be rated at 500 feet per minute.
- B. Filtering media shall be formed of non-woven reinforced cotton fabric type filtering media bonded to 96% open area media support grid folded into a non-creased radial pleat design. The filter pack shall be bonded to the inclosing frame to prevent air bypass. Minimum Efficiency Reporting Value of MERV 8 when evaluated under the guidelines of ASHRAE Standard 52.2-2017. Initial resistance shall not exceed 0.23 inches water gauge at 350 FPM face velocity.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 INSTALLATION

A. Install differential pressure switch to activate "Filter Dirty" light when pressure difference



across filters reaches 0.5 inch W.G. (adjustable). Locate "filter dirty" lights in mechanical rooms with identifying label

- B. Install and relocate filters in the mechanical or the storage room in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.
- C. Refer to Section 23 02 00 for additional filter information.

# END OF SECTION



## SECTION 23 73 26 - MODULAR OUTDOOR CENTRAL STATION AIR HANDLING UNITS

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 WORK INCLUDED
  - A. Central station air handling unit.

#### 1.2 RELATED SECTIONS

- A. Section 23 02 00 Basic Materials and Methods
- B. Section 23 05 16 Expansion Fittings and Loops for Piping
- C. Section 23 05 13 Common Motor Requirements for HVAC Equipment
- D. Section 23 05 26 Variable Frequency Motor Speed Control for HVAC Equipment
- E. Section 23 05 48 Vibration and Seismic Controls for HVAC Piping and Equipment
- F. Section 23 07 13 Duct Insulation
- G. Section 23 34 00 HVAC Fans
- H. Section 23 41 00 Air Filters
- I. Section 23 31 13 Metal Ductwork
- J. Section 23 31 19 Ductwork Accessories

#### 1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Unit performance shall be certified in accordance with AHRI Standard 430 for central station air handling units.
- B. Coil performance shall be certified in accordance with AHRI Standard 410.
- C. Direct-expansion coils shall be designed and tested in accordance with ASHRAE 15 Safety Code for Mechanical Refrigeration.
- D. Insulation and insulation adhesive shall comply with NFPA 90A requirements or flame spread and smoke generation.

### 1.4 GENERAL DESCRIPTION

A. Outdoor mounted, central station air handling unit designed to provide air to a conditioned space as required to meet specified performance requirements for ventilation, heating, cooling, filtration, and distribution. Unit shall be assembled for horizontal/vertical application and arranged to discharge conditioned air as shown on the drawings. Units shall be supplied by the specified manufacturer.

## 1.5 SUBMITTALS



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- A. Submit shop drawings and product data under provisions of Division One.
- B. Shop drawings shall indicate assembly, unit dimensions, weight loading, required clearances, construction details, and field connection details.
- C. Product data shall indicate dimensions, weights, capacities, ratings, fan performance, motor electrical characteristics, and gauges and finishes of materials.
- D. Provide fan curves with specified operating point clearly plotted.
- E. Submit product data of filter media, filter performance data, filter assembly, and filter frames.
- F. Submit electrical requirements for power supply wiring including wiring diagrams for interlock and control wiring, clearly indicating factory installed and field installed wiring.
- G. Submit manufacturer's installation instructions under provisions of Division One.
- H. Submit operation and maintenance data under provisions of Section 23 02 00.
- I. Include instructions for lubrication, filter replacement, motor and drive replacement, spare parts lists, and wiring diagrams.
- 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING
  - A. Unit shall be stored and handled in accordance with the unit manufacturer's instructions.

#### 1.7 ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS

A. Do not operate units for any purpose, temporary or permanent, until ductwork is clean, filters are in place, bearings lubricated, and fan has been test run under observation.

#### 1.8 OPERATIONS PERSONNEL TRAINING

- A. Provide a training session for the owner's operations personnel. Training session shall be performed by a qualified person who is knowledgeable in the subject system/equipment. Submit a training agenda two (2) weeks prior to the proposed training session for review and approval. Training session shall include at the minimum:
  - 1. Purpose of equipment.
  - 2. Principle of how the equipment works.
  - 3. Important parts and assemblies.
  - 4. How the equipment achieves its purpose and necessary operating conditions.
  - 5. Most likely failure modes, causes and corrections.
  - 6. On site demonstration.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

- A. AAON
- B. Trane



- C. Daikin
- D. Energy Labs

## 2.2 GENERAL DESCRIPTION

- A. Unit shall be factory supplied, central station air handler suitable for the capacities and configurations as shown on drawings. Unit may consist of a fan and coil section with a factory installed chilled water or direct-expansion coil, heating coil section, electric heat section, face and bypass section, filter section, access section, mixing box or combination filter-mixing box, return fan, diffuser, or air blender as indicated on the drawings.
- B. All sections, whether assembled into a unit or supplied as separate components, shall have mating flanges for bolted assembly. The flange shall extend around the complete perimeter of each section. The manufacturer shall supply bolts and sufficient closed cell gasket for full perimeter coverage.

### 2.3 CASING

- A. Unit casing shall be double-wall with solid metal liner with minimum R-13 spray-in foam insulation. Casing shall be fabricated of 22 gauge steel reinforced and braced with steel angles. AHUs utilizing foam board or fiberglass insulation shall utilize 16 gauge G90 mill galvanized steel.
- B. Metal parts of casing and all accessories, with exception of coil, shall be chemically cleaned, phosphatized and given protective enamel finish or shall be constructed of mill galvanized steel. All joints between casing sections shall be gasketed effectively to create an airtight construction.
- C. Casing air leakage shall not exceed Leakage Class 6 per ASHRAE 111 at +/- 8" w.g. Engineer shall select one (1) unit at their discretion, to test in the field (manufacturer to carry leakage test cost for 1 unit). The selected unit shall be tested and documented to leak no more than 1% unit design flow at +/- 8" w.g. Specified air leakage shall be accomplished without the use of caulk. Total estimated air leakage shall be reported for each unit in CFM, as a percentage of supply air, and as an ASHRAE 111 Leakage Class in the submittal. Unit casing (wall/floor/roof panels and doors) shall be able to withstand up to 1.5 times design static pressure, or 8" w.g., whichever is less, and shall not exceed 0.0042" per inch of panel span (L/240). Floor panels shall be double-wall construction and designed to support a 250 lb. load during maintenance activities and shall deflect no more than 0.0042" per inch of panel span.
- D. Double wall hinged removable access doors with a single ganged latch shall be provided in the fan and filter sections on the drive side of the unit. Access doors must also be provided in all sections where the removal of sheet metal screws is required for unit access. Doors shall be of the same thickness and construction as the wall panels. A gasket shall be provided around the entire door perimeter.
- E. The roof shall be sloped in at least one direction to prevent water from standing or pooling. It shall overhang the walls to prevent water from dripping into the door seams.



F. Unit shall be provided with a full perimeter curb which carries the stamp of a Licensed Professional Engineer to meet scheduled wind load ratings.

## 2.4 FANS

- A. Fan section shall be constructed of insulated galvanized steel and have formed channel base for integral mounting of fan assembly and casing panels. Fan scroll, wheel, shaft, bearings, drives, and motor shall be mounted on a structural steel assembly which shall be isolated from the outer casing with factory installed 1 or 2 inch deflection spring isolators and vibration absorbent flexible canvas connection between fan discharge and casing.
- B. Fans shall be equipped with double width, double inlet centrifugal type wheels with forward curved blades or airfoil blades as required for stable operation.
- C. Fan wheels shall be keyed to the shaft and shall be designed for continuous operation at the maximum rated fan speed and motor horsepower. Fan wheels and shafts shall be selected to operate at least 25% below the first critical speed, and shall be statically and dynamically balanced as an assembly. Units with VFDs shall be provided with shaft grounding rings installed at the factory or under the supervision of the AHU or motor manufacturer.
- D. Fans shafts shall be solid steel coated with rust preventative oil.
- E. Fans bearings shall be self-aligning, pillow block, re-greaseable ball or roller type selected for a minimum average life of 200,000 hours. Extend grease lubrication fittings to drive side of unit with plastic tube and fittings rigidly attached to casing.
- F. A motor shall be mounted within the fan section casing on slide rails to permit adjustment of belt tension.
- G. Fan drive shall be designed for a minimum 1.5 service factor
- H. Constant speed units with motors less than 5 HP shall be adjustable pitch.
- I. All VAV AHUs to have inverter test performed to check vibration at unloaded conditions. Fan vibration levels shall be checked from 100% to 30% of required operating rpm. The imbalance of the fan is not to exceed 3 mils in the x or y axis, and not to exceed 5 mils in the z axis throughout the fan operating range by ramping up and down through the full operating range.

# 2.5 COILS

- A. All coils shall be tested at 300 psig air pressure, under water.
- B. All coils shall be installed on tracks for easy removal from the air handling unit. Units that require disassembly of the unit for coil removal are not acceptable.
- C. Coils shall be aluminum plate fin type with belled collars and shall be bonded to 1/2 inch or 5/8 inch OD copper tubes by mechanical expansion. Coils shall have headers with steel MPT connections. Working pressure shall be 250 psig at 300°F.



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- D. Coils shall be drainable and have non-trapping circuits. Headers shall have drain and vent connections extended to the outside of the unit casing. Supply and return headers shall be clearly labeled on the outside of the unit. Provide grommets at all pipe penetrations through cabinet.
- E. Main drain pan shall be double wall stainless steel with minimum 2 inch insulation, sloped toward drain fitting, with integral elbow for side discharge and FPT connection, and shall comply with ASHRAE Standard 62. A maximum of one drain shall be supplied for each cooling coil section. The unit design shall not require a drain pan in any downstream section to contain the coil condensate. Moisture shall not carry over past the coil. Moisture eliminators are not acceptable for moisture carryover prevention.
- F. Direct expansion coils shall be furnished with a brass distributor with solder type connections. Suction and discharge connections shall be on the same end regardless of rows deep. Coils shall have intertwined circuits for equal operation on each circuit.
- G. Maximum face velocity across cooling coils shall be 500 FPM, unless noted otherwise on equipment schedule.
- H. Coils in series shall have a minimum of 6 inch space between coil casings.
- I. In units larger than 10,000 cfm, coils shall be removable through a service panel without disassembly of the unit.
- 2.6 FILTERS
  - A. Filter section shall accept 2 inch or 4 inch filters of standard sizes as indicated on drawings and shall be designed and constructed to house the type of filter specified. Section shall include side access slide rails.
  - B. A magnahelic differential pressure gauge shall be factory installed and flush mounted on drive side to measure the pressure drop across the filter.

### 2.7 ACCESSORIES

- A. Mixing boxes and filter mixing boxes sections shall have opposed blades and interconnecting outside air and return air dampers. All mixing boxes shall have a double wall hinged access door on the drive side of the unit.
- B. Face and bypass sections shall have opposed acting damper blades.
- C. All damper blades shall be galvanized steel, double skin airfoil type, housed in a galvanized steel frame and mechanically fastened to a hex axle rod rotating in stainless steel bearings. Dampers shall be sectionalized to limit blade length to no more than 48 inches so as to minimize blade warpage. Blade seals are required to assure tight closure. The damper shall be rated for a maximum leakage rate of 1 percent of nominal airflow at 1 inch w.g.
- D. Access sections shall be installed where indicated on the drawings and shall have a double walled hinged door.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION



- 3.1 If floor mounted air handling units are furnished with internal vibration isolation option, provide 2" thick Amber/Booth type NRC ribbed neoprene pads or approved equal to address high frequency breakout and provide additional unit elevation with overall sufficient height to provide p-trap with one inch greater than the unit total static pressure. Ribbed neoprene pads shall be located in accordance with the air handling unit manufacturer's recommendations. Condensate drain connection shall not penetrate the base air handling unit's rail.
- 3.2 Install in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- 3.3 All items required for a complete and proper installation are not necessarily indicated on the plans or in the specifications. Provide all items required as per manufacturer's requirements.

### END OF SECTION



# SECTION 23 81 43 - VARIABLE REFRIGERANT FLOW (VRF) FOR HVAC SYSTEM

### PART 1 – GENERAL

### 1.1 SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

The VRF (Variable Refrigerant Flow) system shall be capable of a simultaneous cooling and heating heat pump. The simultaneous heating and cooling VRF system shall consist of an outdoor unit, high efficiency heat recovery units designed for minimum piping and maximum design flexibility, indoor units, and controls by the equipment manufacturer. Every indoor unit shall be independently capable of operating in either heating or cooling mode regardless of the mode of other indoor units. The system shall be capable of changing mode of individual indoor units (cooling to heating or heating to cooling) within a maximum time of 5 minutes to ensure indoor temperature can be properly maintained.

### 1.2 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. The units shall be listed by Electrical Test Laboratories (ETL) and bear the ETL label.
- B. All wiring shall be in accordance with the National Electrical Code (N.E.C.).
- C. The units shall be manufactured in a facility registered to ISO 9001 and ISO14001 which is a set of standards applying to environmental protection set by the International Standard Organization (ISO).
- D. A full charge of R-410A for the condensing unit only shall be provided in the condensing unit.
- E. System shall be composed of components which meet or exceed the 2010 Federal minimum efficiency requirements and the proposed ASHRAE 90.1 efficiency requirements for VRF systems. Efficiency shall be published in accordance with the DOE alternative test procedure, which is based on the Air-Conditioning, Heating, and Refrigeration Institute (AHRI) Standards 340/360, 1230 and ISO Standard 13256-1.
- F. DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING
  - 1. Unit shall be stored and handled according to the manufacturer's recommendation.

### 1.3 TRAINING

A. Contractor shall provide four (4) hours of onsite training for owners' representative on how to operate the VRF system including start/stop, scheduling and web interface.

### PART 2 – WARRANTY

2.1 The units shall be covered by the manufacturer's limited warranty for a period of five (5) years from date of substantial completion.

The systems shall be:

- 1. Designed by a certified manufacturer designer.
- 2. Installed by a certified contractor that has successfully completed the



- manufacturer training courses.
- 3. verified with a completed commissioning report submitted to and approved by the system manufacturer.

In addition, the compressor shall have a manufacturer's limited warranty for a period of seven (7) years from date of installation.

If, during this period, any part should fail to function properly due to defects in workmanship or material, it shall be replaced or repaired at the discretion of the manufacturer.

In addition, the contractor shall provide one (1) year parts and labor from the date of substantial completion.

- 2.2 Manufacturer shall have a minimum of ten (10) years of HVAC experience in the U.S. market.
- 2.3 All manufacturer technical and service manuals must be readily available for download by any local contractor should emergency service be required. Registering and sign-in requirements which may delay emergency service reference are not allowed.
- 2.4 The VRF system shall be installed by a contractor with extensive install and service training. The mandatory contractor service and install training should be performed by the manufacturer.

### PART 3 – PRODUCTS

### 3.1 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

- A. Daikin
- B. Hitachi
- C. LG
- D. Mitsubishi
- E. Toshiba
- F. Samsung
- G. Note: Installing contractor is responsible for any costs incurred i.e. engineering design fee changes, electrical, structural, mechanical, etc. in using an acceptable manufacturer other than the basis of design

### 3.2 HEATING AND COOLING OUTDOOR UNIT

- A. General:
  - 1. The outdoor unit shall be used with VRF components of the same manufacturer consisting of the outdoor unit, high efficiency heat recovery units, indoor units, factory designed and supplied Y-branches, and controls.
  - 2. System components shall be of the same manufacturer or as recommended by the manufacturer of the VRF equipment.
  - 3. Unit control boards shall perform all functions required to effectively and efficiently operate the VRF system and communicate in a daisy chain configuration from



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outdoor unit to heat recovery and indoor units via RS485.

- 4. The outdoor unit shall be completely factory assembled, piped and wired. Dual and triple frame outdoor units will be field piped with factory designed and supplied Y-branch kits to manifold them together into a single refrigerant circuit.
- 5. Each outdoor unit shall be run tested at the factory.
- 6. The sum of connected nominal capacity of all indoor air handlers shall range from 50% to 130% of outdoor unit nominal capacity to ensure the VRF system will have sufficient capacity to handle the building space loads at peak design.
- 7. Outdoor unit shall have a tested sound rating no higher than 58 dB(A) per outdoor unit frame tested per KSA0701. The outdoor unit frame shall include three quiet/nighttime operation settings of 47, 44, and 41 dBA.
- 8. All refrigerant lines from the outdoor unit to the heat recovery unit and from the heat recovery unit to the indoor units shall be field insulated.
- 9. The outdoor unit shall have an accumulator.
- 10. The outdoor unit shall have a high pressure safety switch
- 11. The outdoor unit shall have over-current protection.
- 12. The outdoor unit shall use a brazed plate subcooling heat exchanger.
- 13. The outdoor unit shall have the ability to operate with an elevation difference of up to 328 feet above or below the indoor units.
- 14. The outdoor unit shall allow up to a total equivalent refrigerant piping length of 3280 feet.
- 15. The maximum length from outdoor unit to indoor unit shall be up to 656 feet without traps.
- 16. The outdoor unit shall be capable of operating in heating only mode down to -4°F and up to 61°F ambient wet bulb without additional low ambient controls.
- 17. The outdoor unit shall be capable of operating in cooling only mode down to 21°F and up to 110°F ambient dry bulb.
- 18. The outdoor unit shall be capable of operating in simultaneous heating and cooling mode down to 14°F and up to 86°F ambient dry bulb.
- 19. The outdoor unit shall have an oil separator for each compressor and controls to ensure sufficient oil supply is maintained for the compressor.
- 20. Shall use R410A refrigerant.
- 21. Each outdoor unit frame shall have a removable inspection panel no greater than 6 inches tall or 12 inches wide to allow access to service tool connection, DIP switches, auto addressing and error codes.
- B. Frame:
  - 1. Shall be constructed with galvanized steel, bonderized and be finished with powder coat baked enamel paint.
- C. Compressor:
  - 1. All 460V 3 phase outdoor unit frames greater than 80MBh nominal capacity shall be equipped with one hermetic digitally controlled inverter driven scroll compressor and one hermetic constant speed scroll compressor.
  - 2. A crankcase heater shall be factory mounted on all compressors.
  - 3. The outdoor unit compressor shall have an inverter to modulate capacity. The frequency of the inverter compressor shall be completely variable from 25 to 105Hz.
  - 4. The compressor shall be equipped with an internal thermal overload.
  - 5. The compressor shall be mounted to avoid the transmission of vibration.



- D. Fan:
  - 1. All outdoor unit frames shall be furnished with direct drive, variable speed propeller type fans.
  - 2. All fan motors shall have inherent protection, have permanently lubricated bearings, and be variable speed with a maximum speed up to 950 rpm.
  - 3. All fans shall be provided with a raised guard to limit contact with moving parts.
  - 4. The outdoor unit shall have vertical discharge airflow.
- E. Coil:
  - 1. The outdoor coil shall be of nonferrous construction with louvered fins on copper tubing.
  - 2. The coil fins shall have a factory applied corrosion resistant material with hydrophilic coating.
  - 3. The coil shall be protected with an integral metal guard.
  - 4. Refrigerant flow from the outdoor unit shall be controlled by means of a digitally controlled inverter driven scroll compressor.
- F. Electrical:
  - 1. The outdoor unit electrical power shall be 460V/208, 60 Hz, 3 phase.
  - 2. The outdoor unit shall be capable of operation within voltage limits of +/- 10% rated voltage.
  - 3. The outdoor unit shall be controlled by integral microprocessors.
  - 4. The control circuit between the indoor units, heat recovery box and the outdoor unit shall be 24VDC completed using a 2-conductor, stranded, shielded cable for the RS485 daisy chain communication.

#### 3.3 HEAT RECOVERY UNITS FOR SIMULTANEOUS HEATING AND COOLING SYSTEMS

- A. General:
  - 1. Heat recovery units shall be designed for use with VRF equipment of the same manufacturer.
    - a. Heat recovery units shall have factory installed control boards that interface to the VRF equipment controls system and shall perform all functions to effectively and efficiently control the simultaneous heating and cooling VRF system.
    - b. Heat recovery units shall be completely factory assembled, internally piped and wired.
    - c. Heat recovery units shall be run tested at the factory.
    - d. Heat recovery units shall be designed for indoor installation.
    - e. Shall use R410A refrigerant.
    - f. All refrigerant lines from the outdoor unit to the indoor units shall be field insulated.
    - g. Heat recovery units shall allow up to 2, 3, or 4 indoor units to be connected.
    - h. Y-branches between heat recovery units and indoor units shall not be allowed to ensure independent heating and cooling control of each indoor unit regardless of the mode of any other indoor unit connected to that heat recovery unit.
    - i. Heat recovery units shall be permitted to be piped in series or parallel to minimize material cost and labor.



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- j. The following piping shall be allowed.
  - i. Series piping of up to 16 heat recovery units
  - ii. Indoor units up to 131 equivalent feet of piping length from the respective heat recovery unit
  - iii. Indoor units up to 295 equivalent feet of piping length from the first branch
  - iv. Indoor units shall not exceed 16 feet above or below the heat recovery unit
  - v. Elevation difference between the highest and lowest elevation indoor unit shall not exceed 16 feet.
  - vi. Total indoor unit nominal capacity shall not exceed 160MBh in any series string of 1 to 16 heat recovery units.
- B. Heat Recovery Unit Construction:
  - 1. The heat recovery unit shall have 2, 3, or 4 ports which can individually accommodate up to one indoor unit not to exceed 48.1 MBh nominal capacity.
    - a. Indoor units greater than 48.1 MBh nominal capacity shall utilize 2 neighboring heat recovery unit ports.
  - 2. The heat recovery unit housing shall be galvanized steel.
  - 3. Each heat recovery unit shall contain piping, valves and controls to divert refrigerant for optimum efficiency.
  - 4. The unit shall house one double spiral tube-in-tube heat exchanger per port of the heat recovery unit.
  - 5. Heat recovery units shall be internally insulated and not require installation of any condensate drain.
- C. Refrigerant System
  - 1. R410A refrigerant shall be required for all VRF equipment and components including indoor units, outdoor units, refrigerant piping, valves, Y-branches, heat recovery units, etc. as applicable.
- D. Refrigerant valves:
  - 1. Each port shall be circuited with two 2-position solenoid valves to control refrigerant flow path.
  - 2. Isolation valves shall be field supplied and installed for ease of service to the heat recovery unit without evacuating the entire system refrigerant charge.
    - a. Shall be designed for use with R410A
- E. Electrical:
  - 1. The heat recovery box electrical power shall be 208/230V, 1 phase, 60 Hz.
  - 2. All units shall be capable of satisfactory operation within +/-10% of nominal voltage.
  - 3. The heat recovery unit shall be controlled by integral microprocessors from the main control in the outdoor unit.
  - 4. The control circuit between the indoor units, heat recovery box and the outdoor unit shall be 24VDC completed using a 2-conductor, stranded and shielded cable for the RS485 daisy chain communication.

3.4 CEILING-CONCEALED DUCTED INDOOR UNIT

A. General:



The unit shall be a ceiling-concealed ducted indoor fan coil design that mounts above the ceiling with a 2-position, field adjustable return and a fixed horizontal discharge supply and shall have a modulating linear expansion device. The unit shall be used with the outdoor unit and BC (Branch Circuit) Controller, or outdoor unit. The unit shall support individual control using DDC controllers.

B. Indoor Unit.

The indoor unit shall be factory assembled, wired and run tested. Contained within the unit shall be all factory wiring, piping, electronic modulating linear expansion device, control circuit board and fan motor. The unit shall have a self-diagnostic function, 3-minute time delay mechanism, and an auto restart function. Indoor unit and refrigerant pipes shall be charged with dehydrated air before shipment from the factory.

- C. Unit Cabinet:
  - 1. The unit shall be, ceiling-concealed, ducted.
  - 2. The cabinet panel shall have provisions for a field installed filtered outside air intake.
- D. Fan:
  - 1. The unit shall feature external static pressure settings from 0.14 to 0.60 in. WG.
  - 2. The indoor unit fan shall be an assembly with one or two fan(s) direct driven by a single motor.
  - 3. The indoor fan shall be statically and dynamically balanced and run on a motor with permanently lubricated bearings.
  - 4. The indoor fan shall consist of three (3) speeds, High, Mid, and Low plus the Auto-Fan function
  - 5. The indoor unit shall have a ducted air outlet system and ducted return air system.
- E. Filter:
  - 1. Return air shall be filtered by means of a standard factory installed return air filter.
  - 2. Return filter box (rear placement) with high-efficiency filter shall be provided for all indoor units.
- F. Coil:
  - 1. The indoor coil shall be of nonferrous construction with smooth plate fins on copper tubing.
  - 2. The tubing shall have inner grooves for high efficiency heat exchange.
  - 3. All tube joints shall be brazed with phos-copper or silver alloy.
  - 4. The coils shall be pressure tested at the factory.
  - 5. A condensate pan and drain shall be provided under the coil.
  - 6. The condensate shall be gravity drained from the fan coil.
  - 7. Both refrigerant lines to the indoor units shall be insulated.
- G. Electrical:
  - 1. The unit electrical power shall be 208/230 volts, 1-phase, 60 hertz.
  - 2. The system shall be capable of satisfactory operation within voltage limits of 187-228 volts (208V/60Hz) or 207-253 volts (230V/60Hz).

# 3.5 4-WAY CEILING-RECESSED CASSETTE WITH GRILLE INDOOR UNIT

- A. General
  - 1. The unit shall be a four-way cassette style indoor unit that recesses into the ceiling



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with a ceiling grille. The indoor unit shall be factory assembled, wired and run tested. Contained within the unit shall be all factory wiring, piping, electronic modulating linear expansion device, control circuit board and fan motor. The unit shall have a self-diagnostic function, 3-minute time delay mechanism, an auto restart function, an emergency operation function, a test run switch, and the ability to adjust airflow patterns for different ceiling heights. Indoor unit and refrigerant pipes shall be charged with dehydrated air before shipment from the factory.

- B. Unit Cabinet:
  - 1. The cabinet shall be space-saving ceiling-recessed cassette.
  - 2. The cabinet panel shall have provisions for a field installed filtered outside air intake.
  - 3. Branch ducting shall be allowed from cabinet.
  - 4. Four-way grille shall be fixed to bottom of cabinet allowing two, three or four-way blow.
  - 5. The grille vane angles shall be individually adjustable from the wired remote controller to customize the airflow pattern for the conditioned space
- C. Fan:
  - 1. The indoor fan shall be an assembly with a turbo fan direct driven by a single motor.
  - 2. The indoor fan shall be statically and dynamically balanced to run on a motor with permanently lubricated bearings.
  - 3. The indoor fan shall consist of five (5) speed settings, Low, Mid1, Mid2, High and Auto.
  - 4. The fan shall have a selectable Auto fan setting that will adjust the fan speed based on the difference between controller set-point and space temperature.
  - 5. The indoor unit shall have an adjustable air outlet system offering 4-way airflow, 3way airflow, or 2-way airflow.
  - 6. The indoor unit shall have switches that can be set to provide optimum airflow based on ceiling height and number of outlets used.
  - 7. The indoor unit vanes shall have 5 fixed positions and a swing feature that shall be capable of automatically swinging the vanes up and down for uniform air distribution.
  - 8. The vanes shall have an Auto-Wave selectable option in the heating mode that shall randomly cycle the vanes up and down to evenly heat the space.
  - 9. If specified, the grille shall have an optional i-see sensor that will measure room temperature variations and adjust the airflow accordingly to evenly condition the space.
- D. Filter:
  - 1. Return air shall be filtered by means of a long-life washable filter
- E. Coil:
  - 1. The indoor coil shall be of nonferrous construction with smooth plate fins on copper tubing.
  - 2. The tubing shall have inner grooves for high efficiency heat exchange.
  - 3. All tube joints shall be brazed with phos-copper or silver alloy.
  - 4. The coils shall be pressure tested at the factory.
  - 5. A condensate pan and drain shall be provided under the coil.
  - 6. The unit shall be provided with an integral condensate lift mechanism that will be



- able to raise drain water 33 inches above the condensate pan.
- 7. Both refrigerant lines to the indoor units shall be insulated.
- F. Electrical:
  - 1. The unit electrical power shall be 208/230 volts, 1-phase, 60 hertz.
  - 2. The system shall be capable of satisfactory operation within voltage limits of 187-
  - 228 volts (208V/60Hz) or 207-253 volts (230V/60Hz).

# PART 4 – CONTROLS

### 4.1 Overview

A. General:

The Controls Network shall be capable of supporting remote controllers, centralized controllers, an integrated web based interface, graphical user workstation, and system integration to Building Management Systems via BACnet®.

### 4.2 Electrical Characteristics

A. General:

The Controls Network shall operate at 30VDC. Controller power and communications shall be via a common non-polar communications bus.

- B. Wiring:
  - 1. Control wiring shall be installed in a daisy chain configuration from indoor unit to indoor unit, to the BC controller (main and subs, if applicable) and to the outdoor unit. Control wiring to remote controllers shall be run from the indoor unit terminal block to the controller associated with that unit.
  - 2. Control wiring for the remote controller shall be from the remote controller to the first associated indoor unit connection. The remote controller shall be assigned a unit address.
  - 3. Control wiring for the controllers shall be from the remote controller (receiver) to the first associated indoor unit then to the remaining associated indoor units in a daisy chain configuration.
  - 4. Control wiring for centralized controllers shall be installed in a daisy chain configuration from outdoor unit to outdoor unit, to the system controllers (centralized controllers and/or integrated web based interface), to the power supply.
  - 5. The centralized controller shall be capable of being networked with other centralized controllers for centralized control.
- B. Wiring type:
  - 1. Wiring shall be 2-conductor (16 AWG), twisted, stranded, shielded wire as defined by the Diamond System Builder output.
  - 2. Network wiring shall be CAT-5 with RJ-45 connection.



### 4.3 Controls Network

The Controls Network consists of remote controllers, centralized controllers, and/or integrated web based interface communicating over a high-speed communication bus. The Controls Network shall support operation monitoring, scheduling, occupancy, error email distribution, personal web browsers, tenant billing and online maintenance support. Control network shall be capable of integration with Building Management Systems (BMS) using BACnet<sup>®</sup> interface.

#### 4.4 Remote Controllers

#### A. Remote Controller

The Remote Controller shall be capable of controlling up to 16 indoor units (defined as 1 group). The Remote Controller shall be approximately 5.5" x 5" in size and white in color with an autotimeout touch screen LCD display. The Remote Controller shall support a selection from multiple languages (English, Spanish or French) for display information. The controller supports temperature display selection of Fahrenheit or Celsius. The Remote Controller shall control the following grouped operations: On/Off, Operation Mode (cool, heat, auto\*, dry, fan and setback), temperature set point, fan speed setting, and airflow direction setting. The Remote Controller shall support timer settings of on/off/temperature up to 8 times in a day in 5-minute increments. The Remote Controller shall support an Auto Off timer. The Remote Controller shall be able to limit the set temperature range from the Remote Controller. Also, the temperature range can be set from a touch screen panel. The room temperature shall be sensed at either the Remote Controller or the Indoor Unit dependent on the indoor unit dipswitch setting. The Remote Controller shall display a four-digit error code in the event of system abnormality or error.

The Remote Controller shall only be used in same group with other Remote Controllers with a maximum of two Remote Controllers per group.

The Remote Controller shall require manual addressing using rotary dial switch to the communication bus. The Remote Controller shall connect using two-wire, stranded, non-polar control wire to TB5 connection terminal on the indoor unit.

	(Remote Controller)				
Item	Description	Operation	Display		
ON/OFF	Run and stop operation for a single group	Each Group	Each Group		
Backlight	Turns on when screen is touched. Timeout duration is adjustable.	Each Group	Each Group		
Operation Mode	Switches between Cool/Dry/Auto/Fan/Heat/Setback. Operation modes vary depending on the air conditioner unit. Auto and Setback mode are available for the R2/WR2-Series only.	Each Group	Each Group		
Temperature Setting	Sets the temperature from 40°F – 95°F depending on operation mode and indoor unit. Separate COOL and HEAT mode set points available depending on central controller and connected mechanical equipment.	Each Group	Each Group		
Fan Speed Setting	Available fan speed settings depending on indoor unit.	Each Group	Each Group		
Air Flow Direction Setting	Air flow direction settings vary depending on the indoor unit model.	Each Group	Each Group		



	(Remote Controller)	•	
Item	Description	Operation	Display
Room Temp and Humidity Display	Displays the room temperature and humidity on the Home screen. Temperature and Humidity sensed can be calibrated using the sensor offset in 1 °F or 1% RH increments.	N/A	Each Group
Occupancy Sensor	Detects occupancy using an infrared motion sensor. Occupancy status is indicated on the remote controller and through the web interface depending on connected equipment. Sensitivity is adjustable.	N/A	Each Group
Brightness Sensor	Detects brightness in the space and indicates brightness on the remote controller and through the web browser interface depending on connected equipment. Sensitivity is adjustable.	N/A	Each Group
Status Monitor	Displays the status of general equipment control points connected to the Advanced HVAC Controller (DC-A2IO)	N/A	Each Group
Humidity Setting	Sets the relative humidity set point in 1% increments for any humidifier connected to the Advanced HVAC Controller (DC-A2IO)	Each Group	Each Group
LED Indicator	Can be set to indicate the operation status by lighting and flashing with different colors and brightness or by turning off to signal operation mode, stopped unit, error, occupancy, or home screen button pushes. Color can be set to indicate the current mode selected or room temp range being sensed. *Available colors include blue, light blue, yellow, white, green, red, and lime.	Each Group	Each Group
Schedule	Set up to 8 operations per day, 7 days per week. Operations include time on/off, mode and room temperature set point.	Each Group	Each Group
Permit / Prohibit Local Operation	Individually prohibit operation of each local remote control function (Start/Stop, Change operation mode, Set temperature, Fan Speed, Air Direction, Reset filter). *1: Operation icon lights up on the remote controller for prohibited functions.	N/A	Each Group *1
Energy-Save control during vacancy	<ul> <li>When vacancy is detected by the occupancy sensor 5 control options are available for selection:</li> <li>Stop/Setback Mode/Set Temperature Offset/Low Fan Speed/Thermooff</li> <li>Brightness sensor can be used in conjunction with the occupancy sensor to increase accuracy.</li> </ul>	Each Group	Each Group
Error	When an error is currently occurring on an air conditioner unit, the afflicted unit and the error code are displayed	N/A	Each Unit
Test Run	Operates air conditioner units in test run mode.	Each Group	Each Group
Ventilation Equipment	Up to 16 indoor units can be connected to an interlocked system that has one LOSSNAY unit. LOSSNAY items that can be set are "Hi", "Low", and "Stop". Ventilation mode switching is not available.	Each Group	Each Group
Set Temperature Range Limit	Set temperature range limit for auto, cool (drying) and heat modes.	Each Group	Each Group
Operation Lock Out Function	Locking of ON/OFF, Mode, Set Temp, Hold button and Air Direction.	Each Group	Each Group
Password	User and Service password protections are available	Each Group	N/A



(Remote Controller)			
Item	Description	Operation	Display
Hold	<ul> <li>Hold Prohibits the scheduled operation from being executed</li> <li>a. ON/OFF timer</li> <li>b. Auto-OFF timer</li> <li>c. Weekly timer</li> <li>d. Automatic return to the preset temperature</li> <li>* While an operation is prohibited by Hold function, the operation</li> <li>icon lights up.</li> </ul>	Each Group	Each Group

Centralized Controller (Web-enabled)

- 4.5 Centralized Controller
  - Α. The Centralized Controller shall be capable of controlling a maximum of 50 indoor units across multiple outdoor units. The Centralized Controller shall be approximately 8-1/2"x10" in size and shall be powered from the external power supply. The Centralized Controller shall support system configuration, daily/weekly scheduling, monitoring of operation status, night setback settings, free contact interlock configuration and malfunction monitoring. The Centralized Controller shall have five basic operation controls which can be applied to an individual indoor unit, a group of indoor units (up to 50 indoor units), or all indoor units (collective batch operation). This basic set of operation controls for the Centralized Controller shall include on/off, operation mode selection (cool, heat, auto), dry, setback and fan), temperature setting, fan speed setting, and airflow direction setting. Since the controller provides centralized control it shall be able to enable or disable operation of local remote controllers. In terms of scheduling, the Centralized Controller shall allow the user to define both daily and weekly schedules with operations consisting of ON/OFF, mode selection, temperature setting, air flow (vane) direction, fan speed, and permit/prohibit of remote controllers.

(Centralized Controller)			
Item	Description	Operation	Display
ON/OFF	Run and stop operation.	Each Block, Group or Collective	Each Group or Collective
Operation Mode	Indoor unit modes: COOL/DRY/FAN/AUTO/HEAT/SETBACK. Heat Recovery unit modes: HEAT RECOVERY/BYPASS/AUTO	Each Block, Group or Collective	Each Group
Temperature Setting	Sets the temperature from 40°F – 95°F depending on operation mode and indoor unit model. Separate COOL and HEAT mode set points available depending on remote controller and connected mechanical equipment.	Each Block, Group or Collective	Each Group
Set Temperature Range Limit	The range of room temperature setting can be limited by the initial setting depending on the indoor unit connected.	Each Group	Each Group



(Centralized Controller)			
Item	Description	Operation	Display
Fan Speed Setting	Available fan speed settings depend on indoor unit model.	Each Block, Group or Collective	Each Group
Air Flow Direction Setting	*Air flow direction settings vary depending on the indoor unit model. *1. Louver cannot be set.	*1 Each Block, Group or Collective	Each Group
Schedule Operation	<ul> <li>Annual/weekly/today schedule can be set for each group of air conditioning units. Optimized start setting is also available.</li> <li>*2. The system follows either the current day, annual schedule, or weekly, which are in the descending order of overriding priority.</li> <li>Twenty-four events can scheduled per day, including ON/OFF, Mode, Temperature Setting, Air Direction, Fan Speed and Operation Prohibition.</li> <li>Five types of weekly schedule (seasonal) can be set.</li> <li>Settable items depend on the functions that a given air conditioning unit supports.</li> </ul>	*2 Each Block, Group or Collective	Each Group
Hold	Disables scheduled functions for indoor unit groups and their associated remote controller timers. *not available for general equipment	Each Block, Group or Collective	Each Group
Optimized Start	Unit starts 5 - 60 minutes before the scheduled time based on the operation data history in order to reach the scheduled temperature at the scheduled time.	Each Block, Group or Collective	Each Block, Group or Collective
Night Setback Setting	The function helps keep the indoor temperature in the temperature range while the units are stopped and during the time this function is effective.	Each Group	Each Group
Permit / Prohibit Local Operation	Individually prohibit operation of each local remote control function (Start/Stop, Change operation mode, Set temperature, Fan Speed, Air Direction and Reset filter). *3. Centrally Controlled is displayed on the remote controller for prohibited functions.	Each Block, Group or Collective	*3 Each Group
Room Temp	Displays the room temperature of the group.	N/A	Each Group
Room Humidity	Displays the percent relative humidity in the space as sensed by the Smart ME Remote Controller	N/A	Each Group
Occupancy Sensor	Displays the occupancy icon on the group icon in the condition list page when the room is occupied (blue) or vacant (gray). *The Remote Controller Occupancy sensor is required.	N/A	Each Group
Brightness Sensor	Displays the brightness icon on the group icon in the condition list when the space is determined to be bright (yellow) or dark (gray). *The Remote Controller Brightness sensor is required.	N/A	Each Group



(Centralized Controller)			
Item	Description	Operation	Display
Error	<ul> <li>When an error is currently occurring on an air conditioner unit, the afflicted unit and the error code are displayed</li> <li>*4. When an error occurs, the LED flashes. The operation monitor screen shows the abnormal unit by flashing it. The error monitor screen shows the abnormal unit address, error code and source of detection. The error log monitor screen shows the time and date, the abnormal unit address, error code and source of detection</li> </ul>	N/A	*4 Each Unit or Collective
Ventilation Equipment	This interlocked system settings can be performed by the master system controller. When setting the interlocked system, use the ventilation switch the free plan Heat Recovery Units settings between "Hi", "Low" and "Stop". When setting a group of only free plan Heat Recovery Units, you can switch between "Normal ventilation", "Interchange ventilation" and "Automatic ventilation".	Each Group	Each Group
Multiple Language	Other than English, the following language can be chosen. Spanish, French, Japanese, German, Italian, Russian, Chinese, and Portuguese are available.	N/A	N/A
External Input / Output	By using accessory cables you can set and monitor the following. Input: By level: "Batch start/stop", "Batch emergency stop"; By pulse: "batch start/stop", "Enable/disable remote controller" Output: "start/stop", "error/Normal"	*5 Collective	*5 Collective
Collective ON/OFF	All the units can be operated / stopped with a DIP switch.	Collective	N/A
Measurement	Displays the Temperature and Humidity inputs of the AI Board. Supports graph display and data export.	N/A	Each Unit
Status	Displays the status of the of the inputs and outputs of each Advanced HVAC Controller	N/A	Each Unit
Free Contact Status	Displays the input/output status of the Free Contacts on the indoor units	N/A	Each Unit
Free Contact Interlock Control	Operation of indoor groups, general equipment or free contact outputs based on group(s) conditions or free contact(s) input states.	Each Group, Output or Collective	N/A
Data Back-up (PC)	Initial setting data can be exported to a PC.	Collective	N/A

A. All Centralized Controllers shall be equipped with one RJ-45 Ethernet port to support interconnection with a network PC via a closed/direct Local Area Network (LAN).The Centralized Controller shall be capable of performing initial settings via a PC using the Centralized Controller's initial setting browser.



- B. Standard software functions shall be available so that the building manager can securely log into each controller via the PC's web browser to support operation monitoring, scheduling, error email, interlocking and online maintenance diagnostics. Standard software functions shall not expire. Additional optional software functions of personal browser for PCs and MACs and Tenant Billing shall be available. The Tennant Billing function shall require Integrated System software in conjunction with Centralized Controllers.
- 4.6 Tenant Billing (SW-Charge):
  - A. The controls shall be capable of calculating energy usage in kWh and in a monetary amount based on the energy consumption of the outdoor unit(s) divided among the associated indoor units. This software is used in conjunction with the a networked PC, and Watt Hour Meters (WHM).
- 4.7 BACnet<sup>®</sup> Interface:
  - A. The BACnet<sup>®</sup> interface, shall be compliant with BACnet<sup>®</sup> Protocol (ANSI/ASHRAE 135-2004) and be Certified by the (BTL) BACnet<sup>®</sup> Testing Laboratories. The BACnet<sup>®</sup> interface shall support BACnet Broadcast Management (BBMD). The BACnet<sup>®</sup> interface shall support a maximum of 50 indoor units. Operation and monitoring points include, but are not limited to, on/off, operation mode, fan speed, prohibit remote controller, filter sign reset, alarm state, error code, and error address. The power supply shall supply 24VDC for the centralized controller and 30VDC voltage for the central control transmission.
- 4.8 Web based Interface:
  - A. Static IP address shall be provided by Owner's IT contractor for web based interface.
- 4.9 SEQUENCE OF OPERATION
  - 1. Indoor Unit Sequence of Operations:
  - A. On/Off Control: the indoor units can be commanded ON/OFF either by a schedule in the Central Controller, at the Remote Controller, or by the BMS. If all indoor units are off, the outdoor unit shall turn off. With the Night Setback Function/Mode, the system shall cycle on during unoccupied periods as needed to maintain unoccupied temperature set point.
  - B. Space Temperature Control: the indoor unit shall modulate its internal linear expansion valve (LEV) to maintain the temperature set point via the indoor unit's internal controls.
    - 1. The set point is adjustable at the remote controller, central controller, or through a BMS interface. The temperature set point can also be scheduled at the remote controller or the central controller.
  - C. Mode Control:
    - 1. Auto Mode:
    - > NOTE: only available on indoor units connected to the R2/WR2-Series system.
      - a. The indoor unit shall determine whether it should be in auto-heat mode or auto-cool mode based on space temperature relative to temperature set point. If the indoor unit is in auto heat mode, the indoor unit control board shall follow the heat mode sequence. If the indoor unit is in auto cool mode, the indoor unit control board shall follow the cool mode sequence.



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- b. The indoor unit shall switch from AutoHeat to AutoCool when the space temperature rises above and remains above the temperature set point plus the dead band for 3 minutes.
- c. The indoor unit will switch from AutoCool to AutoHeat when the space temperature drops below and remains below the temperature set point minus the dead band for 3 minutes.
- 2. Heating Mode: the indoor unit shall modulate its linear expansion valve (LEV) to maintain temperature set point.
- 3. Cooling Mode: the indoor unit shall modulate its linear expansion valve (LEV) to maintain temperature set point.
- D. Fan/Vane Control: fan speed and vane direction (if applicable) shall be adjustable by the user at the remote controller and/or the central controller.
  - 2. Outdoor Unit Heating / Cooling Changeover Sequence of Operations:
- E. The outdoor unit changes between heating and cooling if all of the indoor units change to the same mode. The VRF CONTROLS NETWORK shall be used to determine system change-over by one of the following methods:
  - 1. No Central Controller:
    - a. Option 1: a representative zone can be selected manually through a DIP switch on the outdoor unit which will allow the system mode to be selected by lowest control (communication bus) addressed indoor unit. The representative zone must be a single unit zone.
  - 2. With Central Controller:
    - a. Option 1: Scheduling: indoor units can be scheduled to the same mode using the central controller scheduling feature.
    - b. Option 2: Representative Zone: the user can select a representative zone through the web or touch screen interface. When the mode for the representative zone is changed, all the other zones will be set to the same mode. The representative zone must be a single unit zone.
    - c. Option 3: Averaging: the central controller polls the system for overall heating/cooling demand. Average demand is calculated based on the indoor unit's capacities and individual temperature set point deviation. A HEAT or COOL mode is set based on the calculation and all zones connected to this system shall control space temperature in that mode or go into a "Standby Mode."
  - 1. Pre-treatment Outside Air Unit
- F. OAHU unit shall be interlocked to operate when any of the associated fan coil unit is energized. Unit controls shall modulate stages of cooling to maintain 55°F (adj) leaving air temperature.
  - 1. Miscellaneous controls:
- G. Exhaust fans: Fans shall be interlocked with the respective VRF system for the same operation schedule. Refer to floor plans for other exhaust fans control



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- H. Humidity control: The VRF system shall have the capability to be scheduled in DRY mode to control the building humidity. In addition, any room with humidistat as shown on plans shall go into DRY mode when humidity level rises above 60% (adjustable) to minimize air flow and maximize coil cooling capacity.
- I. Averaging temperature control shall be used for indoor units provided with two or more thermostat as shown on plans.
- J. Refer to floor plans for other controls requirements.

#### PART 5 – EXECUTION

### 5.1 INSTALLATION

A. General:

Rig and install in full accordance with manufacturer's requirements, project drawings, and contract documents. Refer to the manufacturer's installation manual for full requirements.

- B. Location: Locate indoor and outdoor units as indicated on drawings. Provide service clearance per manufacturer's installation manual. Adjust and level outdoor units on support structure.
- C. Installation Requirements:
  - 1. Installing contractor shall provide and install all accessories and piping for a fully operational system. Refer to manufacturer's installation manual for full instructions.
  - 2. Traps, filter driers, and sight glasses are NOT to be installed on the refrigerant piping or condensate lines.
  - 3. The maximum operation pressure of R410A air conditioner is 4.30 MPa [623psi]. The refrigerant piping should ensure the safety under the maximum operation pressure. Refer to manufacturer's recommended piping specifications. Pipes of radical thickness 0.7mm or less shall not be used.
  - 4. No flared fittings shall be installed.
  - 5. Utilize only brazed joints on all piping.
  - 6. Utilize only hard drawn ACR refrigerant piping with ACR fittings rated for use with R410A for installation of system.
  - 7. Piping system shall be leak tested to 550 psig prior to acceptance of system.
  - 8. Braze only with non-oxide brazing material. Contractor shall perform brazing with nitrogen purge.
  - 9. Braze with 15% Silver rods.



- 10. Isolations valves to be VRF ODS x ODS ball valves with charging port access.
- 11. Contractor shall ensure proper maintenance access for all unit components, filters, valves, motors, and control/electrical panels.
- 12. Insulation:

Refrigerant lines, as well as any valves, shall be insulated end to end per specification.

13. Electrical:

Installing contractor shall coordinate electrical requirements and connections for all power feeds with electrical contractor. Refer to Division 26 for additional information.

# END OF SECTION



### SECTION 26 02 00 - BASIC MATERIALS AND METHODS

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS
  - A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all Work herein.
  - B. The Contract Drawings indicate the extent and general arrangement of the systems. If any departure from the Contract Drawings are deemed necessary by the Contractor, details of such departures and the reasons therefore, shall be submitted to the Architect for approval as soon as practicable. No such departures shall be made without the prior written approval of the Architect.
- 1.2 SCOPE OF WORK
  - A. The Work included under this Contract consists of the furnishing and installation of all equipment and material necessary and required to form the complete and functioning systems in all of its various phases, all as shown on the accompanying Drawings and/or described in these Specifications. The contractor shall review all pertinent drawings, including those of other contracts prior to commencement of Work.
  - B. This Division requires the furnishing and installing of all items Specified herein, indicated on the Drawings or reasonably inferred as necessary for safe and proper operation; including every article, device or accessory (whether or not specifically called for by item) reasonably necessary to facilitate each system's functioning as indicated by the design and the equipment specified. Elements of the work include, but are not limited to, materials, labor, supervision, transportation, storage, equipment, utilities, all required permits, licenses and inspections. All work performed under this Section shall be in accordance with the Project Manual, Drawings and Specifications and is subject to the terms and conditions of the Contract.
  - C. The approximate locations of Electrical items are indicated on the Drawings. These Drawings are not intended to give complete and accurate details in regard to location of outlets, apparatus, etc. Exact locations are to be determined by actual measurements at the building, and will in all cases be subject to the Review of the Owner or Engineer, who reserves the right to make any reasonable changes in the locations indicated without additional cost to the Owner.
  - D. Items specifically mentioned in the Specifications but not shown on the Drawings and/or items shown on Drawings but not specifically mentioned in the Specifications shall be installed by the Contractor under the appropriate section of work as if they were both specified and shown.
  - E. All discrepancies within the Contract Documents discrepancies between the Contract Documents and actual job-site conditions shall be reported to the Owner or Engineer so that they will be resolved prior to the bidding, where this cannot be done at least 7 working days prior to bid; the greater or more costly of the discrepancy shall be bid. All labor and materials required to perform the work described shall be included as part of this Contract.



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- F. It is the intention of this Section of the Specifications to outline minimum requirements to furnish the Owner with a turn-key and fully operating system in cooperation with other trades.
- G. It is the intent of the above "Scope" to give the Contractor a general outline of the extent of the Work involved; however, it is not intended to include each and every item required for the Work. Anything omitted from the "Scope" but shown on the Drawings, or specified later, or necessary for a complete and functioning heating, ventilating and air conditioning system shall be considered a part of the overall "Scope".
- H. The Contractor shall rough-in fixtures and equipment furnished by others from rough-in and placement drawings furnished by others. The Contractor shall make final connection to fixtures and equipment furnished by others.
- I. Contractor shall participate in the commissioning process; including but not limited to meeting attendance, completion of checklists and participation in functional testing.

#### 1.3 RELATED SECTIONS

- A. General Conditions
- B. Supplementary Conditions
- C. Division One
- 1.4 COOPERATION WITH TRADES:
  - A. Cooperation with trades of adjacent, related, or affected materials or operations shall be considered a part of this work in order to affect timely and accurate placing of work and bring together in proper and correct sequence, the work of such trades.
- 1.5 REFERENCES
  - A. National Electrical Code (NEC)
  - B. American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM)
  - C. Underwriter's Laboratories, Inc. (UL)
  - D. Insulated Cable Engineer's Association (ICEA).
  - E. National Electrical Manufacturer's Association (NEMA).
  - F. Institute of Electrical and Electronic's Engineers (IEEE).
  - G. American National Standards Institute (ANSI).
  - H. National Fire Protection Association (NFPA).
  - I. International Energy Conservation Code (IECC).
- 1.6 COMPLETE FUNCTIONING OF WORK:



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- A. All work fairly implied as essential to the complete functioning of the electrical systems shown on the Drawings and Specifications shall be completed as part of the work of this Division unless specifically stated otherwise. It is the intention of the Drawings and Specifications to establish the types of the systems, but not set forth each item essential to the functioning of the system. In case of doubt as to the work intended, or in the event of amplification or clarification thereof, the Contractor shall call upon the Architect for supplementary instructions, Drawings, etc.
- B. Contractor shall review all pertinent Drawings and adjust his work to all conditions shown there on. Discrepancies between Plans, Specifications, and actual field conditions shall be brought to the prompt attention of the Architect.
  - 1. Approximate location of transformers, feeders, branch circuits, outlets, lighting and power panels, outlets for special systems, etc., are indicated on the Drawings. However, the Drawings, do not give complete and accurate detailed locations of such outlets, conduit runs, etc., and exact locations must be determined by actual field measurement. Such locations will, at all times, be subject to the approval of the Architect.
  - 2. Communicate with the Architect and secure his approval of any outlet (light fixture, receptacle, switch, etc.) location about which there may be the least question. Outlets obviously placed in a location not suitable to the finished room or without specific approval, shall be removed and relocated when so directed by the Architect. Location of light fixtures shall be coordinated with reflected ceiling plans.
- C. Additional coordination with mechanical contractor may be required to allow adequate clearances of mechanical equipment, fixtures and associated appurtenances. Contractor to notify Architect and Engineer of unresolved clearances, conflicts or equipment locations.

### 1.7 SCHEMATIC NATURE OF CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

A. The contract documents are schematic in nature in that they are only to establish scope and a minimum level of quality. They are not to be used as actual working construction drawings. The actual working construction drawings shall be the approved shop drawings.

# 1.8 CONTRACTOR'S QUALIFICATIONS

- A. An approved contractor for the work under this division shall be:
  - 1. A specialist in this field and have the personnel, experience, training, and skill, and the organization to provide a practical working system.
  - 2. Able to furnish evidence of having contracted for and installed not less than 3 systems of comparable size and type that have served their Owners satisfactorily for not less than 3 years.
  - 3. Perform work by persons qualified to produce workmanship of specified quality. Persons performing electrical work shall be required to be licensed. Onsite supervision, journeyman shall have minimum of journeyman license. Helpers, apprentices shall have minimum of apprentice license.



- 1.9 DATE OF FINAL ACCEPTANCE
  - A. The date of final acceptance shall be the date of owner occupancy, or the date all punch list items have been completed or final payment has been received. Refer to Division One for additional requirements.
  - B. The date of final acceptance shall be documented in writing and signed by the architect, owner and contractor.

#### 1.10 DEFINITIONS AND SYMBOLS

- A. General Explanation: A substantial amount of construction and Specification language constitutes definitions for terms found in other Contract Documents, including Drawings which must be recognized as diagrammatic and schematic in nature and not completely descriptive of requirements indicated thereon. Certain terms used in Contract Documents are defined generally in this article, unless defined otherwise in Division 1.
- B. Definitions and explanations of this Section are not necessarily either complete or exclusive, but are general for work to the extent not stated more explicitly in another provision of the Contract Documents.
- C. Indicated: The term "Indicated" is a cross-reference to details, notes or schedules on the Drawings, to other paragraphs or schedules in the Specifications and to similar means of recording requirements in Contract Documents. Where such terms as "Shown", "Noted", "Scheduled", "Specified" and "Detailed" are used in lieu of "Indicated", it is for the purpose of helping the reader locate cross-reference material, and no limitation of location is intended except as specifically shown.
- D. Directed: Where not otherwise explained, terms such as "Directed", "Requested", "Accepted", and "Permitted" mean by the Architect or Engineer. However, no such implied meaning will be interpreted to extend the Architect's or Engineer's responsibility into the Contractor's area of construction supervision.
- E. Reviewed: Where used in conjunction with the Engineer's response to submittals, requests for information, applications, inquiries, reports and claims by the Contractor the meaning of the term "Reviewed" will be held to limitations of Architect's and Engineer's responsibilities and duties as specified in the General and Supplemental Conditions. In no case will "Reviewed" by Engineer be interpreted as a release of the Contractor from responsibility to fulfill the terms and requirements of the Contract Documents.
- F. Furnish: Except as otherwise defined in greater detail, the term "Furnish" is used to mean supply and deliver to the project site, ready for unloading, unpacking, assembly, installation, etc., as applicable in each instance.
- G. Install: Except as otherwise defined in greater detail, the term "Install" is used to describe operations at the project site including unloading, unpacking, assembly, erection, placing, anchoring, applying, working to dimension, finishing, curing, protection, cleaning and similar operations, as applicable in each instance.
- H. Provide: Except as otherwise defined in greater detail, the term "Provide" is used to mean "Furnish and Install", complete and ready for intended use, as applicable in each instance.



- I. Installer: Entity (person or firm) engaged by the Contractor or its subcontractor or Sub-contractor for performance of a particular unit of work at the project site, including unloading, unpacking, assembly, erection, placing, anchoring, applying, working to dimension, finishing, curing, protection, cleaning and similar operations, as applicable in each instance. It is a general requirement that such entities (Installers) be expert in the operations they are engaged to perform.
- J. Imperative Language: Used generally in Specifications. Except as otherwise indicated, requirements expressed imperatively are to be performed by the Contractor. For clarity of reading at certain locations, contrasting subjective language is used to describe responsibilities that must be fulfilled indirectly by the Contractor, or when so noted by other identified installers or entities.
- K. Minimum Quality/Quantity: In every instance, the quality level or quantity shown or specified is intended as minimum quality level or quantity of work to be performed or provided. Except as otherwise specifically indicated, the actual work may either comply exactly with that minimum (within specified tolerances), or may exceed that minimum within reasonable tolerance limits. In complying with requirements, indicated or scheduled numeric values are either minimums or maximums as noted or as appropriate for the context of the requirements. Refer instances of uncertainty to Owner or Engineer via a request for information (RFI) for decision before proceeding.
- L. Abbreviations and Symbols: The language of Specifications and other Contract Documents including Drawings is of an abbreviated type in certain instances, and implies words and meanings which will be appropriately interpreted. Actual word abbreviations of a self-explanatory nature have been included in text of Specifications and Drawings. Specific abbreviations and symbols have been established, principally for lengthy technical terminology and primarily in conjunction with coordination of Specification requirements with notations on Drawings and in Schedules. These are frequently defined in Section at first instance of use or on a Legend and Symbol Drawing. Trade and industry association names and titles of generally recognized industry standards are frequently abbreviated. Singular words will be interpreted as plural and plural words will be interpreted as singular where applicable and where full context of Contract Documents so indicate. Except as otherwise indicated, graphic symbols and abbreviations used on Drawings and in Specifications are those recognized in construction industry for indicated purposes. Where not otherwise noted symbols and abbreviations are defined by 1993 ASHRAE Fundamentals Handbook, chapter 34 "Abbreviations and Symbols", ASME and ASPE published standards.

# 1.11 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver products to the project properly identified with names, model numbers, types, grades, compliance labels, and other information needed for identification.
- B. Deliver products to the project at such time as the project is ready to receive the equipment, pipe or duct properly protected from incidental damage and weather damage.
- C. Damaged equipment shall be promptly removed from the site and new, undamaged equipment shall be installed in its place promptly with no additional charge to the Owner.

#### 1.12 SUBMITTALS



- A. Coordinate with Division 01 for submittal timetable requirements, unless noted otherwise within thirty (30) days after the Contract is awarded. The Contractor shall submit an electronic copy of a complete set of shop drawings and complete data covering each item of equipment or material. The submittal of each item requiring a submittal must be received by the Architect or Engineer within the above thirty day period. The Architect or Engineer shall not be responsible for any delays or costs incurred due to excessive shop drawing review time for submittals received after the thirty (30) day time limit. The Architect and Engineer will retain a copy of all shop drawings for their files. All literature pertaining to items subject to Shop Drawing submittal shall be submitted at one time. Submittals shall be placed in one electronic file in PDF 8.0 format and bookmarked for individual specification sections. Individual electronic files of submittals for individual specification shall not be permitted. Each submittal shall include the following items:
  - 1. A cover sheet with the names and addresses of the Project, Architect, MEP Engineer, General Contractor and the Subcontractor making the submittal. The cover sheet shall also contain the section number covering the item or items submitted and the item nomenclature or description.
  - 2. An index page with a listing of all data included in the Submittal.
  - 3. A list of variations page with a listing all variations, including unfurnished or additional required accessories, items or other features, between the submitted equipment and the specified equipment. If there are no variations, then this page shall state "NO VARIATIONS". Where variations affect the work of other Contractors, then the Contractor shall certify on this page that these variations have been fully coordinated with the affected Contractors and that all expenses associated with the variations will be paid by the submitting Contractor. This page will be signed by the submitting Contractor.
  - 4. Equipment information including manufacturer's name and designation, size, performance and capacity data as applicable. All applicable Listings, Labels, Approvals and Standards shall be clearly indicated.
  - 5. Dimensional data and scaled drawings as applicable to show that the submitted equipment will fit the space available with all required Code and maintenance clearances clearly indicated and labeled at a minimum scale of 1/4" = 1'-0", as required to demonstrate that the alternate or substituted product will fit in the space available.
  - 6. Identification of each item of material or equipment matching that indicated on the Drawings.
  - 7. Sufficient pictorial, descriptive and diagrammatic data on each item to show its conformance with the Drawings and Specifications. Any options or special requirements or accessories shall be so indicated. All applicable information shall be clearly indicated with arrows or another approved method.
  - 8. Additional information as required in other Sections of this Division.
  - 9. Certification by the General Contractor and Subcontractor that the material submitted is in accordance with the Drawings and Specifications, signed and dated in long hand. Submittals that do not comply with the above requirements



shall be returned to the Contractor and shall be marked "**REVISE AND RESUBMIT**".

- B. Refer to Division 1 for additional information on shop drawings and submittals.
- C. Equipment and materials submittals and shop drawings will be reviewed for compliance with design concept only. It will be assumed that the submitting Contractor has verified that all items submitted can be installed in the space allotted. Review of shop drawings and submittals shall not be considered as a verification or guarantee of measurements or building conditions.
- D. Where shop drawings and submittals are marked "**REVIEWED**", the review of the submittal does not indicate that submittals have been checked in detail nor does it in any way relieve the Contractor from his responsibility to furnish material and perform work as required by the Contract Documents.
- E. Shop drawings shall be reviewed and returned to the Contractor with one of the following categories indicated:
  - 1. **REVIEWED:** Contractor need take no further submittal action, shall include this submittal in the O&M manual and may order the equipment submitted on.
  - 2. **REVIEWED AS NOTED:** Contractor shall submit a letter verifying that required exceptions to the submittal have been received and complied with including additional accessories or coordination action as noted, and shall include this submittal and compliance letter in the O&M manual. The contractor may order the equipment submitted on at the time of the returned submittal providing the Contractor complies with the exceptions noted.
  - 3. **NOT APPROVED:** Contractor shall resubmit new submittal on material, equipment or method of installation when the alternate or substitute is not approved, the Contractor will automatically be required to furnish the product, material or method named in the Specifications and/or drawings. Contractor shall not order equipment that is not approved. Repetitive requests for substitutions will not be considered.
  - 4. **REVISE AND RESUBMIT:** Contractor shall resubmit new submittal on material, equipment or method of installation when the alternate or substitute is marked revise and resubmit, the Contractor will automatically be required to furnish the product, material or method named in the Specifications and/or provide as noted on previous shop drawings. Contractor shall not order equipment marked revise and resubmit. Repetitive requests for substitutions will not be considered.
  - 5. CONTRACTOR'S CERTIFICATION REQUIRED: Contractor shall resubmit submittal on material, equipment or method of installation. The Contractor's stamp is required stating the submittal meets all conditions of the contract documents. The stamp shall be signed by the General Contractor. The submittal will not be reviewed if the stamp is not placed and signed on all shop drawings.
  - 6. **MANUFACTURER NOT AS SPECIFIED:** Contractor shall resubmit new submittal on material, equipment or method of installation when the alternate or substitute is marked manufacturer not as specified, the Contractor will



automatically be required to furnish the product, material or method named in the specifications. Contractor shall not order equipment where submittal is marked manufacturer not as specified. Repetitive requests for substitutions will not be considered.

- F. Materials and equipment which are purchased or installed without shop drawing review shall be at the risk of the Contractor and the cost for removal and replacement of such materials and equipment and related work which is judged unsatisfactory by the Owner or Engineer for any reason shall be at the expense of the Contractor. The responsible Contractor shall remove the material and equipment noted above and replace with specified equipment or material at his own expense when directed in writing by the Architect or Engineer.
- G. Shop Drawing Submittals shall be complete and checked prior to submission to the Engineer for review.
- H. Furnish detailed shop drawings, descriptive literature, table of contents listing all items being submitted at the beginning of each submittal package, physical data and a specification critique for each section indicating "compliance" and/or "variations" for the following items:

**Distribution Panelboards** Panelboards Wiring Gutters Heavy Duty Disconnect Switches Lighting Fixtures **Lighting Contactors Time Clocks** Lighting Control System Photocells Wiring Devices and Plates Conduit and Fittings Wire Switchboards General Purpose Dry Type Transformers Harmonic Mitigating Type Transformers **Emergency Generator** Automatic Transfer Switches Sound Reinforcing System Fire Alarm System Surge Protection Device (SPD) Lightning Protection

I. Refer to each specification section for additional requirements.

# 1.13 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE MANUALS

A. Prepare maintenance manuals in accordance with Division 1 and in addition to the requirements specified in Division 1, include the following information for equipment items:



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- 1. Description of function, normal operating characteristics and limitations, performance curves, engineering data and tests, and complete nomenclature and commercial numbers of replacement parts.
- 2. Manufacturer's printed operating procedures to include start-up, break-in, and routine and normal operating instructions; regulation, control, stopping, shutdown, and emergency instructions; and summer and winter operating instructions.
- 3. Maintenance procedures for routine preventative maintenance and troubleshooting; disassembly, repair, and reassembly; aligning and adjusting instructions.
- 4. Servicing instructions and lubrication charts and schedules.

### 1.14 COORDINATION DRAWINGS

- A. Prepare coordination drawings to a scale of 1/4"=1'-0" or larger; detailing major elements, components, and systems of mechanical equipment and materials in relationship with other systems, installations, and building components. Indicate locations where space is limited for installation and access and where sequencing and coordination of installations are of importance to the efficient flow of the Work, including (but not necessarily limited to) the following:
  - 1. Indicate the proposed locations of pipe, duct, equipment, and other materials. Include the following:
    - a. Wall and type locations.
    - b. Clearances for installing and maintaining insulation.
    - c. Locations of light fixtures and sprinkler heads.
    - d. Clearances for servicing and maintaining equipment, including tube removal, filter removal, and space for equipment disassembly required for periodic maintenance.
    - e. Equipment connections and support details.
    - f. Exterior wall and foundation penetrations.
    - g. Routing of storm and sanitary sewer piping.
    - h. Fire-rated wall and floor penetrations.
    - i. Sizes and location of required concrete pads and bases.
    - j. Valve stem movement.
    - k. Structural floor, wall and roof opening sizes and details.
  - 2. Indicate scheduling, sequencing, movement, and positioning of large equipment into the building during construction.
  - 3. Prepare floor plans, elevations, and details to indicate penetrations in floors, walls, and ceilings and their relationship to other penetrations and installations.
  - 4. Prepare reflected ceiling plans to coordinate and integrate installations, air distribution devices, light fixtures, communication systems components, and other ceiling-mounted items.
- B. This Contractor shall be responsible for coordination of all items that will affect the installation of the work of this Division. This coordination shall include, but not be limited



to: voltage, ampacity, capacity, electrical and piping connections, space requirements,

sequence of construction, building requirements and special conditions. By submitting shop drawings on the project, this Contractor is indicating that all

C. By submitting shop drawings on the project, this Contractor is indicating that all necessary coordination has been completed and that the systems, products and equipment submitted can be installed in the building and will operate as specified and intended, in full coordination with all other Contractors and Subcontractors.

### 1.15 RECORD DRAWINGS

- A. Maintain a continuous record during the course of construction of all changes and deviations in the work from the contract drawings. Upon completion of the work, purchase a set of "Auto Positive Tracings" on vellum and make corrections as required to reflect the electrical systems as installed. Location and size of all conduit shall be accurately shown to dimension. Submit three prints of the tracings for approval. Make corrections to tracings as directed and deliver "Auto Positive Tracings" to the Architect. Record drawings shall be furnished in addition to shop drawings. Symbols on the Record drawings shall correspond to the identification symbols on the contract drawings and equipment identification plates and tags.
- B. The Contractor shall maintain a set of clearly marked black line record "AS-BUILT" prints on the job site on which he shall mark all work details, alterations to meet site conditions and changes made by "Change Order" notices. These shall be kept available for inspection by the Owner, Architect or Engineer at all times.
- C. Refer to Division 1 for additional requirements concerning record drawings. If the Contractor does not keep an accurate set of as-built drawings, the pay request may be altered or delayed at the request of the Architect. Mark the drawings with a colored pencil. Delivery of as-built prints and reproducibles is a condition of final acceptance.
- D. The record prints shall be updated on a daily basis and shall indicate accurate dimensions for all buried or concealed work, precise locations of all concealed pipe or duct, locations of all concealed valves, controls and devices and any deviations from the work shown on the Construction Documents which are required for coordination. All dimensions shall include at least two dimensions to permanent structure points.
- E. Submit three prints of the tracings for approval. Make corrections to tracings as directed and delivered "Auto Positive Tracings" to the architect. "As-Built" drawings shall be furnished in addition to shop drawings.
- F. When the option described in paragraph F., above is not exercised then upon completion of the work, the Contractor shall transfer all marks from the submit a set of clear concise set of reproducible record "AS-BUILT" drawings and shall submit the reproducible drawings with corrections made by a competent draftsman and three (3) sets of black line prints to the Architect or Engineer for review prior to scheduling the final inspection at the completion of the work. The reproducible record "AS-BUILT" drawings shall have the Engineers Name and Seal removed or blanked out and shall be clearly marked and signed on each sheet as follows:

# CERTIFIED RECORD DRAWINGS

DATE:



(NAME OF GENERAL CONTRACTOR)

BY:\_\_\_\_\_

BY:\_\_\_\_\_

(SIGNATURE)

(NAME OF SUBCONTRACTOR)

(SIGNATURE)

### 1.16 CERTIFICATIONS AND TEST REPORTS

- A. Submit a detailed schedule for completion and testing of each system indicating scheduled dates for completion of system installation and outlining tests to be performed and schedule date for each test. This detailed completion and test schedule shall be submittal at least 90 days before the projected Project completion date.
- B. Test result reporting forms shall be submitted for review no later than the date of the detailed schedule submitted.
- C. Submit 4 copies of all certifications and test reports to the Architect or Engineer for review adequately in advance of completion of the Work to allow for remedial action as required to correct deficiencies discovered in equipment and systems.
- D. Certifications and test reports to be submitted shall include, but not be limited to those items outlined in Section of Division 26.

### 1.17 MAINTENANCE MANUALS

- A. Coordinate with Division 1 for maintenance manual requirements, unless noted otherwise bind together in "D ring type" binders by National model no. 79-883 or equal, binders shall be large enough to allow ¼" of spare capacity. Three (3) sets of all approved shop drawing submittals, fabrication drawings, bulletins, maintenance instructions, operating instructions and parts exploded views and lists for each and every piece of equipment furnished under this Specification. All sections shall be typed and indexed into sections and labeled for easy reference and shall utilize the individual specification section numbers shown in the Electrical Specifications as an organization guideline. Bulletins containing information about equipment that is not installed on the project shall be properly marked up or stripped and reassembled. All pertinent information required by the Owner for proper operation and maintenance of equipment supplied by Division 26 shall be clearly and legibly set forth in memoranda that shall, likewise, be bound with bulletins.
- B. Prepare maintenance manuals in accordance with Special Project Conditions, in addition to the requirements specified in Division 26, include the following information for equipment items:
  - 1. Identifying names, name tags designations and locations for all equipment.
  - 2. Fault Current calculations and Coordination Study.
  - 3. Reviewed shop drawing submittals with exceptions noted compliance letter.
  - 4. Fabrication drawings.



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- 5. Equipment and device bulletins and data sheets clearly highlighted to show equipment installed on the project and including performance curves and data as applicable, i.e., description of function, normal operating characteristics and limitations, performance curves, engineering data and tests, and complete nomenclature and model numbers of replacement parts.
- 6. Manufacturer's printed operating procedures to include start-up, break-in, and routine and normal operating instructions; regulation, control, stopping, shutdown, and emergency instructions; and summer and winter operating instructions.
- 7. Maintenance procedures for routine preventative maintenance and troubleshooting; disassembly, repair, and reassembly; aligning and adjusting instructions, servicing instructions and lubrication charts and schedules.
- 8. Equipment name plate data.
- 9. Wiring diagrams.
- 10. Exploded parts views and parts lists for all equipment and devices.
- 11. Color coding charts for all painted equipment and conduit.
- 12. Location and listing of all spare parts and special keys and tools furnished to the Owner.
- 13. Furnish recommended lubrication schedule for all required lubrication points with listing of type and approximate amount of lubricant required.
- C. Refer to Division 1 for additional information on Operating and Maintenance Manuals.
- D. Operating and Maintenance Manuals shall be turned over to the Owner or Engineer a minimum of 14 working days prior to the beginning of the operator training period.

#### 1.18 OPERATOR TRAINING

- A. The Contractor shall furnish the services of factory trained specialists to instruct the Owner's operating personnel. The Owner's operator training shall include 12 hours of onsite training in three 4 hour shifts.
- B. Before proceeding with the instruction of Owner Personnel, prepare a typed outline in triplicate, listing the subjects that will be covered in this instruction, and submit the outline for review by the Owner. At the conclusion of the instruction period obtain the signature of each person being instructed on each copy of the reviewed outline to signify that he has a proper understanding of the operation and maintenance of the systems and resubmit the signed outlines.
- C. Refer to other Division 26 Sections for additional Operator Training requirements.

### 1.19 SITE VISITATION

A. Visit the site of the proposed construction in order to fully understand the facilities, difficulties and restriction attending the execution of the work.



- B. Before submitting a bid, it will be necessary for each Contractor whose work is involved to visit the site and ascertain for himself the conditions to be met therein in installing his work and make due provision for same in his bid. It will be assumed that this Contractor in submitting his bid has visited the premises and that his bid covers all work necessary to properly install the equipment shown. Failure on the part of the Contractor to comply with this requirement shall not be considered justification for the omission or faulty installation of any work covered by these Specifications and Drawings.
- C. Understand the existing utilities from which services will be supplied; verify locations of utility services, and determine requirements for connections.
- D. Determine in advance that equipment and materials proposed for installation fit into the confines indicated.

### 1.20 WARRANTY

- A. The undertaking of the work described in this Division shall be considered equivalent to the issuance, as part of this work, of a specific guarantee extending one year beyond the date of completion of work and acceptance by Owner, against defects in materials and workmanship. Materials, appliances and labor necessary to effect repairs and replacement so as to maintain said work in good functioning order shall be provided as required. Replacements necessitated by normal wear in use or by Owner's abuse are not included under this guarantee.
- B. All normal and extended warranties shall include parts, labor, miscellaneous materials, travel time, incidental expenses, freight/shipping, refrigerant, oils, lubricants, belts, filters and any expenses related to service call required to diagnose warranty problems.

#### 1.21 TRANSFER OF ELECTRONIC FILES

- A. Project documents are not intended or represented to be suitable for reuse by Architect/Owner or others on extensions of this project or on any other project. Any such reuse or modification without written verification or adaptation by Engineer, as appropriate for the specific purpose intended, will be at Architect/Owner's risk and without liability or legal exposure to Engineer or its consultants from all claims, damages, losses and expense, including attorney's fees arising out of or resulting thereof.
- B. Because data stored in electric media format can deteriorate or be modified inadvertently, or otherwise without authorization of the data's creator, the party receiving the electronic files agrees that it will perform acceptance tests or procedures within sixty (60) days of receipt, after which time the receiving party shall be deemed to have accepted the data thus transferred to be acceptable. Any errors detected within the sixty (60) day acceptance period will be corrected by the party delivering the electronic files. Engineer is not responsible for maintaining documents stored in electronic media format after acceptance by the Architect/Owner.
- C. When transferring documents in electronic media format, Engineer makes no representations as to the long term compatibility, usability or readability of documents resulting from the use of software application packages, operating systems, or computer hardware differing from those used by Engineer at the beginning of the Project.
- D. Any reuse or modifications will be Contractor's sole risk and without liability or legal exposure to Architect, Engineer or any consultant.



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- E. The Texas Board of Architectural Examiners (TBAE) has stated that it is in violation of Texas law for persons other than the Architect of record to revise the Architectural drawings without the Architect's written consent.
  - 1. It is agreed that "MEP" hard copy or computer-generated documents will not be issued to any other party except directly to the Architect/Owner. The contract documents are contractually copyrighted and cannot be used for any other project or purpose except as specifically indicated in AIA B-141 Standard Form of Agreement Between Architect and Owner.
  - 2. If the client, Architect or Owner of the project requires electronic media for "record purposes", then AutoCAD/ Revit documents will be prepared by Engineer on electronic media such as removable memory devices, flash drives or CD's. These documents can also be submitted via file transfer protocols. AutoCAD/ Revit files will be submitted with all title block references intact to permit the end user to only view and plot the drawings. Revisions will not be permitted in this configuration.
  - 3. At the Architect/Owner's request, Engineer will assist the Contractor in the preparation of the submittals and prepare one copy of AutoCAD/ Revit files on electronic media or submit through file transfer protocols. The electronic media will be prepared with all indicia of documents ownership removed. The electronic media will be prepared in a ".rvt" or ".dwg" format to permit the end user to revise the drawings.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 SUBSTITUTIONS

- A. The names and manufacturers and model numbers have been used in the Contract documents to establish types of equipment and standards of quality. Where more than one manufacturer is named for a specific item of equipment, only one of the specified manufacturers will be considered for approval. Where only one manufacturer is mentioned with the phrase "or approved equal", Contractor may submit an alternate manufacturer for consideration, provided the following conditions are met:
  - 1. Submit alternate equipment with complete descriptive data in shop drawing form. Provide sample of equipment upon request for review by Architect. Samples will be returned if requested in writing.
  - 2. Alternate equipment must be equal from the standpoint of materials, construction and performance.
  - 3. Alternate submittal must be presented to the Engineer/Architect ten (10) days prior to bid date for approval.
- B. The Architect and Engineer shall be the sole judge of quality and equivalence of equipment, materials and methods.
- 2.2 All materials and products used on this project shall be listed by Underwriters' Laboratories.
- 2.3 ACCESS DOORS



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- A. Wherever access is required in walls or ceilings to concealed junction boxes, pull boxes, equipment, etc., installed under this Division, furnish a hinged access door and frame with flush latch handle to another Division for installation. Doors shall be as follows:
  - 1. Plaster Surfaces: Milcor Style K.
  - 2. Ceramic Tile Surfaces: Milcor Style M.
  - 3. Drywall Surfaces: Milcor Style DW.
  - 4. Install panels only in locations approved by the Architect.

#### 2.4 EQUIPMENT PADS

- A. Provide 4-inch-high concrete pads for indoor floor mounted equipment. Pads shall conform to the shape of the equipment with a minimum of 6 inch beyond the equipment. Top and sides of pads shall be troweled to a smooth finish, equivalent to the floor. External corners shall be bullnosed to a 3/4" radius, unless shown otherwise.
- B. Provide 6-inch-high concrete pads for all exterior mounted equipment. Pads shall conform to the shape of the equipment with a minimum of 6 inch beyond the equipment. Provide a 4-foot monolithic extension to the pad in front of the equipment for service when mounted on a non-finished area (i.e. landscape, gravel, clay, etc.) Top and sides of pads shall be troweled to a smooth finish. External corners shall be bullnosed to a 3/4" radius, unless shown otherwise.
- C. Provide a minimum 6-inch-high, steel reinforced concrete pad for generators. Pads shall be sized 6" larger that the outside perimeter dimensions. Provide a 4-foot monolithic extension to the pad around the equipment for service when mounted on a non-finished area (i.e. landscape, gravel, clay, etc.). Refer to structural details. Top and sides of pads shall be troweled to a smooth finish. External corners shall be bullnosed to a 3/4" radius, unless shown otherwise. The generator shall be bolted to the concrete pad per the manufacturers details.
- D. Provide steel reinforced concrete pad for utility transformers. Pads shall comply with Utility Company Standards.

#### 2.5 ESCUTCHEONS

A. Provide heavy chrome or nickel plated plates, of approved pattern, on conduit passing through walls, floors and ceilings in finished areas. Where conduit passes through a sleeve, no point of the conduit shall touch the building construction. Caulk around such conduit with sufficient layers of two hour rated firesafing by Thermafiber 4.0 P.C.F. density, U.S.G. fire test 4/11/78 and seal off openings between conduit and sleeves with non-hardening mastic prior to application of escutcheon plate. Escutcheons shall be Gravler Sure-Lock, or approved equal.

# 2.6 SPACE LIMITATIONS

A. Equipment shall be chosen which shall properly fit into the physical space provided and shown on the drawings, allowing ample room for access, servicing, removal and replacement of parts, etc. Adequate space shall be allowed for clearances in accordance with Code requirements. Physical dimensions and arrangement of equipment shall be



subject to the approval of the Architect.

### 2.7 PAINTING

A. All factory assembled equipment for electrical work, except light fixtures, that normally is delivered with a factory applied finish shall be delivered with a hard surface factory applied finish such as baked-on machinery enamel which will not require additional field painting. The finish shall consist of not less than 2 coats of medium gray color paint USA No. 61 Munsell Notation 8-3G, 6. 10/0.54 enamel. This Contractor shall protect this finish from damage due to construction operations until acceptance of the building. He shall be responsible for satisfactorily restoring any such finishes or replacing equipment that becomes stained or damaged.

### 2.8 ELECTRICAL SYSTEM IDENTIFICATION

- A. Conduit Systems: Provide adequate marking of major conduit which is exposed or concealed in accessible spaces to distinguish each run as either a power or signal/communication conduit. Except as otherwise indicated, use orange banding with black lettering. Provide self-adhesive or snap-on type plastic markers. Indicate voltage for that raceway. Locate markers at ends of conduit runs, on pull boxes, on junction boxes, near switches and other control devices, near items of equipment served by the conductors, at points where conduit passes through walls or floors, or enters non-accessible construction and at spacings of not more than 50 feet along each run of conduit. Switch-leg conduit and short branches for power connections do not have to be marked, except where conduit is larger than <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> inch. Branch circuit conduits, junction boxes and pull boxes shall be marked with a permanent marker indicating panel name and branch circuit numbers.
- B. Underground Cable Identification: Bury a continuous, preprinted, bright colored plastic ribbon cable marker with each underground cable (or group of cables), regardless of whether conductors are in conduit, duct bank, or direct buried. Locate each directly over cables, 6 to 8 inches below finished grade.
- C. Identification of Equipment:
  - 1. All major equipment shall have a manufacturer's label identifying the manufacturer's address, equipment model and serial numbers, equipment size, and other pertinent data. Care shall be taken not to obliterate this nameplate in any way.
  - 2. A black-white-black laminated plastic engraved identifying nameplate shall be secured by stainless steel screws to each automatic transfer switch, switchboard, distribution panel, motor control center, motor starter panels and panelboards.
    - a. Identifying nameplates shall have ¼ inch high engraved letters and shall contain the following information:
      - 1) Name
      - 2) Voltage
      - 3) Phase
      - 4) "3" or "4" wire, and
      - 5) Where it is fed from.
    - b. An example of a panelboard nameplate is: Center Panel – 1HB
      - 480/277 volt, 3 phase, 4 wire



Center Fed from DP2

- An example of an automatic transfer switch nameplate is: Center ATS #2 480/277 volt, 3 phase, 4 wire, 4 pole Center Fed from MSB and DPE
- 3. Each feeder device in a switchboard, distribution panel, and motor control center device shall have a nameplate showing the load served in ½ inch high engraved letters.
- 4. A black-white-black laminated plastic engraved identifying nameplate shall be secured by screws to each safety switch, disconnect switch, individual motor starter, enclosed circuit breaker, wireway, and terminal cabinet.
  - a. Identifying nameplates shall have 1/4 inch high engraved letters and shall indicate the equipment served.
  - b. An example if a disconnect switch is: AHU-1.
- 5. Prohibited Markings: Markings which are intended to identify the manufacturer, vendor, or other source from which the material has been obtained are prohibited for installation within public, tenant, or common areas within the project. Also, prohibited are materials or devices which bear evidence that markings or insignias have been removed. Certification, testing (example, Underwriters' Laboratories, Inc.), and approval labels are exceptions to this requirement.
- 6. Warning Signs: Provide warning signs where there is hazardous exposure associated with access to or operation of electrical facilities. Provide text of sufficient clarity and lettering of sufficient size to convey adequate information at each location; mount permanently in an appropriate and effective location. Comply with recognized industry standards for color and design.
- 7. Operational Tags: Where needed for proper and adequate information on operation and maintenance of electrical system, provide tags of plasticized card stock, either preprinted or hand printed. Tags shall convey the message, example: "DO NOT OPEN THIS SWITCH WHEN BURNER IS OPERATING."

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

# 3.1 EXCAVATING AND BACKFILLING

- A. Trenching and backfilling and other earthwork operations required to install the facilities specified herein shall conform to the applicable requirements of Division 2 (95% of maximum standard density). Where trenching or excavation is required in improved areas, the backfill shall be compacted to a condition equal to that of adjacent undisturbed earth and the surface of the area restored to the condition existing prior to trenching or excavating operations. Provide a minimum of 3" of sand underneath all conduits. The plans indicate information pertaining to surface and sub-surface obstructions; however, this information is not guaranteed. Should obstructions be encountered whether or not shown, the Contractor shall alter routing of new work, reroute existing lines, remove obstructions where permitted, or otherwise perform whatever work is necessary to satisfy the purpose of new work and leave existing surfaces and structures in a satisfactory and serviceable condition. **All work shall comply with OSHA Standards.**
- 3.2 WORKMANSHIP AND CONCEALMENT



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- A. The work of this Section shall be performed by workman skilled in their trade. Installation shall be consistent in completeness whether concealed or exposed. Each item of electrical work shall be concealed in walls, chases, under floors and above ceilings except:
  - 1. Where shown to be exposed.
  - 2. Where exposure is necessary to the proper function.

### 3.3 SLEEVES, CUTTING AND PATCHING

- A. This section shall be responsible for placing sleeves for all conduit passing through walls, partitions, sound walls, beams, floors, roof, etc. Sleeves through below-grade walls shall use water-tight fitting manufactured by O-Z/Gedney.
- B. All cutting and patching will be done under another Division, but this Section will be responsible for timely performance of this work and layout of holes and setting sleeves.
- C. All un-used sleeves shall be sealed with 2 hour UL approved fire sealant manufactured by "3M" or approved equal.
- D. Refer to 26 05 33 for additional requirements.

### 3.4 ELECTRICAL GEAR

- A. Install all electrical equipment in accordance with the National Electrical Code and as shown on the drawings.
- B. Lighting contactors, time clocks, fire alarm equipment, security equipment disconnect switches, etc. mounted in mechanical/electrical rooms shall be mounted at a working height not requiring a ladder, when wall space is available. Installation of these devices at greater elevations shall be approved by the Engineer. Contractor shall provide a coordination sketch of each mechanical/electrical room noting locations and mounting heights of all electrical devices(note bottom and top elevations) shown to be installed. Sketches shall be provided to the Engineer for review and the general contractor for coordination with other trades working in these rooms.
- C. Fire retardant back boards secured to drywall studs may be used for contactors, time clocks, fire alarm equipment, security equipment, and disconnect switches 60 amp or smaller. All other wall mounted devices shall be mounted to unistrut. Unistrut shall be securely mounted to the floor and structural ceiling. Toggle bolts or anchor bolts attached to drywall is not acceptable.

#### 3.5 CLEANING

- A. Clean lighting fixtures and equipment.
- B. Touch-up and refinish scratches and marred surfaces on panels, switches, starters, and transformers.

#### 3.6 CORROSIVE AREAS

A. In areas of a corrosive nature, which include but are not limited to the following: pool



equipment rooms, cooling towers and areas subject to salt air, etc., provide NEMA 4 X stainless steel or fiberglass reinforced enclosures for contactors, panel boards, controllers, starters, disconnects and materials used as supporting means (i.e. plastibond unistrut, pipe, fittings). The use of spray on coating may be acceptable in some applications.

#### 3.7 TESTS AND INSPECTIONS

- A. Tests and inspection requirements shall be coordinated with Division I.
- B. Date for final acceptance test shall be sufficiently in advance of completion date of contract to permit alterations or adjustments necessary to achieve proper functioning of equipment prior to contract completion date.
- C. Conduct re-tests as directed by Architect on portions of work or equipment altered or adjusted as determined to be necessary by final acceptance test. No resultant delay or consumption of time as a result of such necessary re-test beyond contract completion date shall relieve Contractor of his responsibility under contract.
- D. Put circuits and equipment into service under normal conditions, collectively and separately, as may be required to determine satisfactory operation. Demonstrate equipment to operate in accordance with requirements of these specifications. Perform tests in the presence of Architect. Furnish instruments and personnel required for tests.
- E. Final Inspection:
  - 1. At the time designated by the Architect, the entire system shall be inspected by the Architect and Engineer. The contractor or his representative shall be present at this inspection.
  - 2. Panelboards, switches, fixtures, etc., shall be cleaned and in operating condition.
  - 3. Certificates and documents required hereinbefore shall be in order and presented to the Architect prior to inspection.
  - 4. Panel covers, junction box covers, etc., shall be removed for visual inspection of the wire, bus bars, etc.
  - 5. After the inspection, any items which are noted as needing to be changed or corrected in order to comply with these specifications and the drawings shall be accomplished without delay.
- F. The contractor shall provide a thermographic test using an independent testing laboratory using an infrared scanning device. This test shall include but not limited to all switchboards, distribution panelboards, panelboards, automatic transfer switches and other electrical distribution devices. This test shall be conducted to locate high temperature levels. This test shall be conducted between 3 to 8 months after occupancy, but not beyond the one year warranty period. Submit test to the architect and engineer using test reporting forms. All unacceptable conditions shall be corrected prior to the end of the warranty period.

#### END OF SECTION



### SECTION 26 02 01 - COORDINATION DRAWINGS

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS
  - A. The requirements of the General Conditions 013100 and Supplementary Conditions apply to all Work herein.

#### 1.2 COORDINATION DRAWINGS

- A. The Contractor shall take the lead in coordinating the Mechanical, Electrical, Plumbing, Communications, Electronic Safety/Security and Fire Protection systems within the building.
- B. The Contractor shall coordinate a three-dimensional (3D) model of the building which includes the Mechanical, Electrical, Plumbing, and Fire Protection systems. The Mechanical, Electrical, Plumbing, and Fire Protection Contractors shall prepare their work and generate 3D models which will be given to the Contractor for coordination. The Contractor will be provided with the REVIT model that was used to generate the contract documents, this file may be used as the background file. The Contractor shall replace the systems drawn with the actual shop drawing models. The Contractor is not limited to using REVIT, but may use any 3-D software in generating and combining the coordination model.
- C. Submitting the contract drawings as coordination drawings will not be acceptable.
- D. The model shall include detailed and accurate representations of all equipment to be installed based upon the reviewed equipment submittals.
- E. The Contractor shall hold a 3-D coordination meeting with all sub-contractors present to review the model and discuss coordination of the installation of the building systems.
- F. Upon completion of the coordination meeting, the Contractor shall submit the 3-D model and  $\frac{1}{4}$ " scale drawings for review.
- G. The model shall detail major elements, components, and systems in relationship with other systems, installations, and building components. Indicate locations where space is limited for installation and access and where sequencing and coordination of installations are of importance to the efficient flow of the Work, including (but not necessarily limited to) the following:
  - 1. Indicate the proposed locations of pipe, duct, equipment, and other materials. Include the following:
    - a. Wall and type locations.
    - b. Clearances for installing and maintaining insulation.
    - c. Locations of light fixtures and sprinkler heads.
    - d. Clearances for servicing and maintaining equipment, including tube removal, filter removal, and space for equipment disassembly required for periodic maintenance.
    - e. Equipment connections and support details.
    - f. Exterior wall and foundation penetrations.
    - g. Routing of storm and sanitary sewer piping.



- h. Fire-rated wall and floor penetrations.
- i. Sizes and location of required concrete pads and bases.
- j. Valve stem movement.
- k. Structural floor, wall and roof opening sizes and details.
- 2. Indicate scheduling, sequencing, movement, and positioning of large equipment into the building during construction.
- 3. Prepare floor plans, elevations, and details to indicate penetrations in floors, walls, and ceilings and their relationship to other penetrations and installations.
- 4. Prepare reflected ceiling plans to coordinate and integrate installations, air distribution devices, light fixtures, communication systems components, and other ceiling-mounted items.
- H. Sequence of Coordination
  - 1. Below is hierarchy of model elements and the sequencing by which the models will be coordinated:
    - a. Structural and Architectural model
    - b. Miscellaneous steel
    - c. Perform preliminary space allocation
    - d. Identify hard constraints (locations of access panels, lights, A/V space requirements, etc.)
    - e. Main and medium pressure ducts from the shaft out
    - f. Main graded plumbing lines and vents
    - g. Sprinkler mains and branches
    - h. Cold and hot water mains and branches
    - i. Lighting fixtures and plumbing fixtures
    - j. Smaller sized ducts and flex ducts
    - k. Smaller size cold water and hot water piping, flex ducts, etc.
- I. The Contractor shall not install any item until the coordination has been completed and reviewed by the Construction Manager, Owner, and A/E team.
- J. This Contractor shall be responsible for coordination of all items that will affect the installation of the work of this Division. This coordination shall include, but not be limited to: voltage, ampacity, capacity, electrical and piping connections, space requirements, sequence of construction, building requirements and special conditions.
- K. By submitting shop drawings on the project, this Contractor is indicating that all necessary coordination has been completed and that the systems, products and equipment submitted can be installed in the building and will operate as specified and intended, in full coordination with all other Contractors and Subcontractors.

### END OF SECTION



### SECTION 26 03 13 - ELECTRICAL DEMOLITION FOR REMODELING

### PART 1 – GENERAL

### 1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Electrical demolition.
- B. The contractor shall be responsible for loss or damage to the existing facilities caused by him and his workmen, and shall be responsible for repairing such loss or damage. The contractor shall send proper notices, make necessary arrangements, and perform other services required for the care, protection and in-service maintenance of all electrical services for the new and existing facilities. The contractor shall erect temporary barricades, with necessary safety devices, as required to protect personnel from injury, removing all such temporary protection upon completion of the work.
- C. Outages of services as required by the new installation will be permitted but only at a time approved by the Owner. The contractor shall allow the Owner 2 weeks in order to schedule required outages. The time allowed for outages will not be during normal working hours unless otherwise approved by the Owner. All costs of outages, including overtime charges, shall be included in the contract amount.
- D. The contractor shall provide temporary or new services to all existing facilities as required to maintain their proper operation when normal services are disrupted as a result of the work being accomplished under this project.

### 1.2 RELATED SECTIONS

- A. Section 01120 Alteration Project Procedures.
- B. Section 02072 Minor Demolition for Remodeling.

### PART 2 – PRODUCTS

### 2.1 MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT

- A. Materials and equipment for patching and extending work: As specified in individual Sections.
- B. Include in the contract price all rerouting of existing conduits, wiring, outlet boxes, fixtures, etc., and the reconnecting of existing fixtures as necessitated by field conditions to allow the installation of the new systems. Furnish all temporary conduit, wiring, boxes, etc., as required to maintain lighting and power service for the existing areas with a minimum of interruption. Remove wire and conduit back to nearest accessible active junction box and extend to existing homeruns as required.

### PART 3 – EXECUTION

### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify field measurements and circuiting arrangements are as shown on Drawings.
- B. Verify that abandoned wiring and equipment serve only abandoned facilities.



- C. Demolition Drawings are based on casual field observation and existing record documents. Report discrepancies to Owner before disturbing existing installation.
- D. Beginning of demolition means installer accepts existing conditions.

### 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Disconnect electrical systems in walls, floors, and ceilings scheduled for removal.
- B. Coordinate utility service outages with Utility Company.
- C. Provide temporary wiring and connections to maintain existing systems in service during construction. When work must be performed on energized equipment or circuits use personnel experienced in such operations.
- D. Existing Electrical Service: Maintain existing system in service until new system is complete and ready for service. Disable system only to make switchovers and connections. Obtain permission from Owner at least 24 hours before partially or completely disabling system. Minimize outage duration. Make temporary connections to maintain service in areas adjacent to work area.
- E. Existing Fire Alarm System: Maintain existing system in service until new system is accepted. Disable system only to make switchovers and connections. Notify Owner and local fire service at least 24 hours before partially or completely disabling system. Minimize outage duration. Make temporary connections to maintain service in areas adjacent to work area.
- F. Existing Telephone System: Maintain existing system in service until new system is complete and ready for service. Disable system only to make switchovers and connections. Notify Owner and Telephone Utility Company at least 24 hours before partially or completely disabling system. Minimize outage duration. Make temporary connections to maintain service in areas adjacent to work area.
- G. Existing Public Address System: Maintain existing system in service until new system is complete and ready for service. Disable system only to make switchovers and connections. Obtain permission from the Owner and at least 24 hours before partially or completely disabling system. Minimize outage duration. Make temporary connections to maintain service in areas adjacent to work area.

### 3.3 DEMOLITION AND EXTENSION OF EXISTING ELECTRICAL WORK

- A. Demolish and extend existing electrical work under provisions of Section 01120, Section 02072, and this Section.
- B. Remove, relocate, and extend existing installations to accommodate new construction.
- C. Remove abandoned wiring to source of supply.
- D. Remove exposed abandoned conduit, including abandoned conduit above accessible ceiling finishes. Cut conduit flush with walls and floors, and patch surfaces.
- E. Disconnect abandoned outlets and remove devices. Remove abandoned outlets if conduit servicing them is abandoned and removed. Provide blank cover for abandoned outlets, which are not removed.



- F. Disconnect and remove abandoned panelboards and distribution equipment.
- G. Disconnect and remove electrical devices and equipment serving utilization equipment that has been removed.
- H. Disconnect and remove abandoned luminaires. Remove brackets, stems, hangers, and other accessories.
- I. Repair adjacent construction and finishes damaged during demolition and extension work.
- J. Maintain access to existing electrical installations which remain active. Modify installation or provide access panel as appropriate.
- K. Extend existing installations using materials and methods compatible with existing electrical installations, or as specified.
- L. Where existing construction is removed to provide working and extension access to existing utilities, contractor shall remove doors, piping, conduit, outlet boxes, wiring, light fixtures, air conditioning ductwork and equipment, etc., to provide this access and shall reinstall same upon completion of work in the areas affected.
- M. Where partitions, walls, floors, or ceilings of existing construction are being removed, all contractors shall remove and reinstall in locations approved by the Architect all devices required for the operation of the various systems installed in the existing construction.
- N. During the construction and remodeling, portions of the project shall remain in service. Construction equipment, materials, tools, extension cords, etc., shall be arranged so as to present minimum hazard or interruption to the occupants of the building.
- O. Certain work during the demolition phase of construction may require overtime or nighttime shifts or temporary evacuation of the occupants. Coordinate and schedule all proposed down time with the Owner's Representative at least 72 hours in advance.
- P. All existing lighting fixtures, switches, outlets, speakers, materials, equipment and appurtenances not included in the remodel or alteration areas are to remain in place and shall remain in service.
- Q. Electrical equipment, outlets, speakers, circuits to mechanical and building systems equipment, etc., which are to remain but which are served by conduit and/or circuiting that is disturbed by the remodeling work, shall be reconnected in such as manner as to leave it in proper operating condition.
- R. Existing branch circuit wiring which is to be removed, shall be pulled from the raceways and the empty conduit shall be removed to a point of permanent concealment.
- S. Within the remodeled or alteration areas where existing walls are being removed, all existing lighting fixtures, switches, receptacles, other materials and equipment and their appurtenances shall be removed, where required by the remodel work either shown or specified.
- T. New circuiting indicated to be connected to existing panels shall be connected to "spares" and/or "released" breakers as applicable, or new breakers provided where space is available. Contractor shall verify the existing panel load and feeder capacity



prior to adding any additional loads.

- U. In all the remodeled areas where existing ceilings are being removed and reinstalled, all existing lighting fixtures, other ceiling mounted devices (i.e. smoked detectors, speakers, etc.) and their appurtenances shall be removed and reinstalled, unless otherwise shown or specified. This also applies to new ceiling installations.
- V. Existing lighting fixtures shown to be removed and indicated to be reused, shall be cleaned, repaired, and provided with new accessories as required for the proper operation in their new locations. Provide new lamps and ballast as required.

### 3.4 CLEANING AND REPAIR

- A. Clean and repair existing materials and equipment which remain or are to be reused.
- B. Panelboards: Clean exposed surfaces and check tightness of electrical connections. Replace damaged circuit breakers and provide closure plates for vacant positions. Provide typed circuit directory showing revised circuiting arrangement.

#### 3.5 INSTALLATION

- A. Install relocated materials and equipment under the provisions of Section 01120.
- 3.6 REMOVAL OF MATERIALS
  - A. The contractor shall modify, remove, and/or relocate all materials and items so indicated on the drawings or required by the installation of new facilities. All removals and/or dismantling shall be conducted in a manner as to produce maximum salvage. Salvage materials shall remain the property of the Owner, and shall be delivered to such destination as directed by the Owner. Materials and/or items scheduled for relocation and which are damaged during dismantling or reassembly operations shall be repaired and restored to good operative condition. The contractor may, at his discretion and upon the approval of the Owner, substitute new materials and/or items of like design and quality in lieu of materials and/or items to be relocated.
  - B. All items which are to be relocated shall be carefully removed in reverse to original assembly or placement and protected until relocated. The contractor shall clean, repair, and provide all new materials, fittings, and appurtenances required to complete the relocations and to restore to good operative order. All relocations shall be performed by workmen skilled in the work and in accordance with standard practice of the trades involved.
  - C. When items scheduled for relocation are found to be in damaged condition before work has been started on dismantling, the contractor shall call the attention of the Owner to such items and receive further instructions before removal. Items damaged in repositioning operations are the contractor's responsibility and shall be repaired or replaced by the contractor as approved by the Owner, at no additional cost to the Owner.
  - D. Service lines and wiring to items to be removed, salvaged, or relocated shall be removed to points indicated on the drawings, specified, or acceptable to the Owner. Service lines and wiring not scheduled for reuse shall be removed to the points at which reuse is to be continued or service is to remain. Such services shall be sealed, capped, or otherwise tied-off or disconnected in a safe manner acceptable to the Owner. All disconnections or 26 03 13-4



connections into the existing facilities shall be done in such a manner as to result in minimum interruption of services to adjacent occupied areas. Services to existing areas or facilities which must remain in operation during the construction period shall not be interrupted without prior specific approval of the Owner as hereinbefore specified.

### END OF SECTION



## SECTION 26 05 19 - WIRE, CABLE AND RELATED MATERIALS

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 SCOPE
  - A. Provide 600 volt building wire, cable and connectors and 300 volt wire, cable and connectors.
  - B. WORK INCLUDED: Include the following Work in addition to items normally part of this Section.
    - 1. Wiring for lighting and power.
    - 2. Automatic Control Wiring.
    - 3. Connection of equipment shown.
    - 4. Fire Alarm System.
    - 5. Voice Communications and Sound System.
  - C. WORK SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE:
    - 1. Heating, ventilating, and air conditioning equipment.
    - 2. Structured cabling system.
    - 3. Coaxial cables

### 1.2 STANDARDS

- A. UL83
- B. ASTM B-3
- C. All wire cable and connectors shall be UL approved.
- 1.3 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS
  - A. 600 VOLT WIRE AND CABLE
    - 1. Southwire
    - 2. Encore
    - 3. Cerro
  - B. 300 VOLT WIRE AND CABLE
    - 1. Westpenn
    - 2. Beldon



- 3. Alpha
- 4. Tappan Southwire
- C. FLEXIBLE CABLE SYSTEMS
  - 1. AFC Modular Cable Systems
- D. CONNECTORS
  - 1. Ilsco
  - 2. Cooper
  - 3. AMP TYCO
  - 4. Burndy
  - 5. Ideal
  - 6. 3M
  - 7. O.Z. Gedney
  - 8. Thomas & Betts
  - 9. Buchanan

### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Shop drawings shall include, but not limited to:
  - 1. Cutsheets of wire, cable and connectors to indicate the performance, fabrication procedures, product variations, and accessories.
- 1.5 REQUIREMENTS OF REGULATORY AGENCIES WORK IN ACCORDANCE WITH:
  - A. National Electrical Code.
  - B. Local, municipal, or state codes that have jurisdiction.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 WIRING
  - A. All wire shall be new and continuous without weld, splice, or joints throughout its length. It must be uniform in cross-section, free from flaws, scales and other imperfections.
  - B. WIRE MATERIAL: Conductors shall be soft drawn, annealed copper. Aluminum wiring is not acceptable unless otherwise noted on drawings.
  - C. TYPES:



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- 1. Provide type "THHN/THWN-2" insulation for all buried feeders and service entrance conductors.
- 2. Provide type "THHN/THWN-2" insulation for all branch circuits and above grade feeders.
- 3. All wire No. 8 and larger shall be stranded. All wire No. 10 and smaller shall be stranded or solid.
- 4. Provide type "XHHW" or other 90 degrees insulation wiring for branch circuit wiring installed through continuous rows of fluorescent fixture bodies.
- 5. All 300-volt cable including but not limited to telephone, fire alarm, data, CATV and security shall be UL listed for use in return air plenums.
- D. CONDUCTOR SIZES
  - 1. Feeder conductors shall be sized for a maximum of 2% drop in rated voltage at scheduled load.
  - 2. Branch circuit conductors shall be sized for a maximum 3% drop in the rated voltage to the longest outlet on the circuit.
  - 3. Minimum wire shall be No. 12, unless otherwise shown on Drawings or required by Code.
- E. COLOR CODING: No. 6 or larger shall use tape for color coding. No. 8 and smaller wire shall be color coded in accordance with the governing authority requirements or as follows:

<u>120/208 Volt</u> Neutral: White Phase A: Black Phase B: Red Phase C: Blue Ground: Green

277/480 Volt Neutral: Gray Phase A: Brown Phase B: Purple Phase C: Yellow Ground: Green

- 120/240 Volt Neutral: White Phase A: Black Phase B: Orange Phase C: Blue Ground: Green
- 2.2 GROUNDING



Permanently connect all conduit work, motors, starters, and other electrical equipment to grounding system in accordance with the National Electrical Code.

### 2.3 METAL CLAD CABLE - TYPE MC

At the contractor's option, metal clad cable (MC) may be used if approved by the authority having jurisdiction. The cable shall contain an insulated green grounding conductor (3 wire) and shall be the same size as the phase conductor. Conductors shall be solid copper and the armor shall be flexible galvanized steel.

### 2.4 **ARMORED CABLE - TYPE AC**

At the contractor's option, armored cable (BX) may be used if approved by the authority having jurisdiction. The cable shall contain an insulated green grounding conductor (3 wire) and shall be the same size as the phase conductor. Conductors shall be solid copper.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 WIRE
  - A. Do not pull wire into conduit until Work of an injurious nature is completed. Where two or more circuits run to a single outlet box, each circuit shall be properly tagged. Wyreze or approved equal may be used as a lubricant where necessary.
  - B. Splices shall be fully made up in outlet boxes with compression crimp-on type splice connectors.
  - C. Joints and splices will not be permitted in service entrance or in feeders. Joints in branch circuits will be permitted where branch circuits divide, and then shall consist of one through-circuit to which the branch shall be spliced. Joints shall not be left for the fixture hanger to make. Connect joints and splices with Buchanan Series "2000" solderless connectors complete with insulating caps or properly sized twist on wire nuts. "Wago" push-in connectors are not acceptable.
  - D. All stranded conductors shall be furnished with lugs or connectors.
  - E. Connectors furnished with circuit breakers or switches shall be suitable for copper wire termination.
  - F. "Sta-Cons" shall be used to terminate stranded conductors on all switches and receptacles.
  - G. Metal Clad Cable Type MC
    - 1. Metal clad cable shall not be used for homeruns. Metal clad cable shall only be used for branch circuit drops from ceiling mounted junction boxes to outlets and for horizontal runs in a common wall from outlet to outlet. Do not route to outlets to adjacent walls. Metal clad cable may be looped from outlet to outlet in areas where non-accessible ceilings are used. Metal clad cable shall only be used in air-conditioned areas and shall not be run exposed.



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- 2. Metal clad cable shall be UL approved connectors and shall be used and installed per Article 334 of the National Electrical Code. The cable shall be supported at intervals not exceeding 6 feet and within 12 inches of every box.
- 3. Provide anti-short bushing at cable ends.
- 4. Refer to electrical details for additional information and restrictions.
- 5. Metal clad cable shall not be installed in concrete.
- H. Armored Cable Type AC
  - 1. Armored cable shall not be used for homeruns. Armored cable shall only be used for branch circuit drops from ceiling mounted junction boxes to outlets and for horizontal runs in a common wall from outlet to outlet. Do not route to outlets to adjacent walls. AC cable may be looped from outlet to outlet in areas where non-accessible ceilings are used.
  - 2. Armored cable shall be UL approved connectors and shall be used and installed per Article 333 of the National Electrical Code. The cable shall be supported at intervals not exceeding 4-1/2 feet and within 12 inches of every box.
- I. All stranded #10 and small conductors shall be terminated with an approved solderless terminal if the device or light fixture does not have provisions for clamp type securing of the conductor.
- J. The jacket for all travelers used on 3-way and 4-way switches shall be pink.
- K. Route conductors for 480Y/277 systems in a separate raceway. Do not combine with 208Y/120 volt or 120/240 volt systems.
- L. Emergency circuits shall not be routed with normal conductors.

### 3.2 BALANCING SYSTEM

The load on each distribution and lighting panel shall be balanced to within 10% by proper arrangement of branch circuits on the different phase legs. Provide written documentation showing results. Submit with O & M manuals.

### 3.3 LOW VOLTAGE WIRING

- A. Low voltage wiring shall be plenum rated. All wiring in mechanical rooms, electrical rooms, drywall ceiling, inaccessible areas, underground, plaster ceiling, inside concealed walls areas exposed to occupant view, and other areas subject to physical damage shall be run in conduit.
- B. Low voltage wiring shall be routed in separate raceways from power wiring systems.
- C. Sleeves shall be placed in the forms of concrete, masonry and fire rated walls, floor slabs and beams, for the passage of wiring. Sleeves should be set in place a sufficient time ahead of the concrete work so as not to delay the work. Sleeves shall be rigid galvanized



steel.

D. Provide Caddy J-hooks supported independently from other system to support cable at 4foot on center or closer if required by manufacture.

### 3.4 CABLE SUPPORTS

A. Provide cable supports in all vertical raceways in accordance with Article 300-19 of the NEC.

### 3.5 DEFECTS

- A. Defects shall include, but are not to limited to, the following:
  - 1. Tripping circuit breakers under normal operation.
  - 2. Improperly connected equipment.
  - 3. Damaged, torn, or skinned insulation.

### END OF SECTION



### SECTION 26 05 26 - GROUNDING

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS
  - A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all work herein.
- 1.2 SCOPE
  - A. WORK COMBINED WITH OTHER SECTIONS: Combine the work specified herein with the following Sections to form a single responsibility for the Work:
    - 1. Electrical.
    - 2. Basic materials and methods.
  - B. Provide electrical service, equipment and wiring device grounding as shown, scheduled and as specified.
  - C. The types of grounding include, but not limited to, the grounding bonding of all equipment devices, building steel piping, and as required by the National Electrical Code, Local Inspection Department and Power Company.
- 1.3 STANDARDS
  - A. NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE (NFPA-70)
  - B. Local municipal and State codes that have jurisdiction.
  - C. NECA
- 1.4 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURES
  - A. Provide grounding products manufactured by Copperweld and Cadweld.

### 1.5 SUBMITTALS

- A. Shop drawings shall include, but not limited to the following:
  - 1. Cut sheets of ground rods, clamps and connectors.
  - 2. Grounding system diagram.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- A. GENERAL: Provide all materials required to construct a complete grounded electrical system.
- B. GROUND RODS: Ground rods shall be 3/4" inch diameter by 10 feet long construction with copper jacket and a steel core.



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- C. CLAMPS: Ground clamps shall be copper except for steel or iron pipes in which the clamps shall be galvanized iron.
- D. CONDUCTORS: Conductors shall be connected by means of an approved pressure connector or clamp.

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. GENERAL: Install grounding system as shown and specified to ensure a properly grounded system.
- B. BUILDING STEEL AND PIPING SYSTEM: Install a bonding jumper between building steel and metallic piping systems to bond them to the electrical grounding system.
- C. NEUTRAL: The neutral shall be grounded only at the service entrance and other separately derived systems. The neutral shall be kept separate from the grounding system and shall not be used as a ground.
- D. GROUNDING SEPARATELY DERIVED ALTERNATING CURRENT SYSTEM
  - 1. TRANSFORMERS: The center point (neutral) of each wye connected transformer shall be bonded to the case and a grounding electrode conductor shall be connected to a ground rod or building steel.
  - 2. STANDBY EMERGENCY GENERATOR: The generator neutral shall be bonded to the generator when a 4 pole switched neutral automatic transfer switch is specified.
- E. GROUNDING CONDUCTOR: A grounding conductor and metallic conduit system shall bond all equipment served by the electrical system. Provide a flexible bonding jumper for isolated metallic piping and ductwork and around expansion fittings and joints.
- F. CONDUIT GROUNDING BUSHING:

Conduit terminating in equipment that has a ground bus such as switchboards, panelboards, etc., shall have grounding bushings installed. Ground each conduit by means of a grounding bushing and to the ground bus in the equipment.

- G. MOTORS: The frame of all motors shall be grounded.
- H. SPECIAL GROUNDING: Provide a #6 AWG copper grounding conductor for each telephone board, television system, etc. Terminate the grounding conductor on ground bus and to the building electrical grounding system. Refer to 800-40(d) and 820-40(d) of the NEC.
- I. REMOTE PANELBOARDS: Provide a grounding electrode conductor all remote panels as required by the NEC and shown on drawings.
- J. LIGHTING FIXTURES: Flexible fixture whips containing a green grounding conductor shall be used to connect light fixtures. Flexible fixture whips shall not exceed ten feet.



- K. RECEPTACLES: All receptacles shall be grounded using the branch circuit grounding conductor. Receptacles shall use an approved grounding yoke.
- 3.2 TESTING: Perform a ground resistance test using a biddle analog or digital portable earth/ground resistance tester. The system resistance shall not exceed 5 OHMS. Provide additional electrodes as required (refer to 250-84 of the NEC or the most current edition 250-56). Test shall not be conducted following wet weather. Provide personal instruments to conduct these tests and submit certified test for review. Test shall be verified by Engineer.

### END OF SECTION



## SECTION 26 05 33 - RACEWAYS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 SCOPE
  - A. Provide electrical raceways and fittings as shown, scheduled and specified.
  - B. The types of raceways and fittings required are as follows:
    - 1. Rigid hot-dipped galvanized steel conduit (GRC) (RMC)
    - 2. Intermediate hot-dipped galvanized steel conduit (IMC)
    - 3. Electrical metallic tubing (EMT)
    - 4. PVC (Sch. 40 & 80)
    - 5. Flexible metal conduit (FMC)
    - 6. Liquid-tight flexible metal conduit (LFMC)
    - 7. PVC coated rigid galvanized steel conduit
    - 8. Rigid Aluminum Conduit (RAC)

### 1.2 STANDARDS

- A. ANSI, C80.1 & C80.3
- B. NEMA FB-1
- C. NEMA TC3
- D. UL, 6, 797 & 1242
- 1.3 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS
  - A. Raceways
    - 1. Allied
    - 2. Republic
    - 3. Prime Conduit (Carlon)
    - 4. Wheatland Tube
    - 5. Cantex
    - 6. Western Tube
    - 7. Robroy Industries



- B. Fittings
  - 1. Appleton
  - 2. Crouse Hinds
  - 3. Steel City
  - 4. O.Z. Gedney
  - 5. Carlon
  - 6. Raco, Inc.
  - 7. Bridgeport
- C. Boxes
  - 1. RACO
  - 2. Thomas and Betts
  - 3. EATON
  - 4. Crouse-Hinds
  - 5. Appleton
- D. Surface
  - 1. Hubbell
  - 2. Wiremold
- 1.4 SUBMITTALS
  - A. Product data shall include but not be limited to:
    - 1. Cutsheets for raceways, fitting, solvents, primers, etc.
- 1.5 REQUIREMENTS OF REGULATORY AGENCIES WORK IN ACCORDANCE WITH:
  - A. National Electrical Code.
  - B. Local, municipal, or state codes that have jurisdiction.

### PART 2 – PRODUCTS

- 2.1 CONDUIT AND FITTINGS:
  - A. Rigid Galvanized Steel Conduit.



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- 1. Hot-dip galvanized rigid steel conduit, galvanized after fabrication. Products shall comply with UL6 and ANSI C80.1. All threads shall be galvanized after cutting. A uniform zinc coating shall be applied to the inner and outer walls.
- 2. Fittings shall be threaded and shipped with thread protectors.
- B. Intermediate Metal Conduit (IMC).
  - 1. Conduit shall be similar to rigid steel conduit except thinner wall.
  - 2. Fittings shall be threaded hot-dipped galvanized and shipped with thread protectors.
- C. Electrical Metallic Tubing (EMT).
  - 1. EMT shall be made of hot-dip galvanized strip steel. The interior shall be coated with a corrosion-resistant lubricant for ease of wiring pulling.
- D. Rigid Nonmetallic Conduit (PVC).
  - 1. Conduit shall be schedule 40 or 80 polyvinyl chloride (PVC), UV stabilized, rated for 90°C conductors.
  - 2. Fittings shall be solvent weld socket type.
- E. Flexible Metal Conduit (Greenfield).
  - 1. Spirally wound continuously interlocked zinc coated strip steel.
  - 2. Fittings shall be one screw for smaller than 1-1/2-inch, two screw for 1-1/2-inch and larger, double clamp steel or malleable iron, either cadmium plated or hot-dip galvanized.
- F. Liquid-Tight Flexible Steel Conduit (Seal Tite).
  - 1. Spirally wound continuously interlocked zinc coated strip steel with a UV stabilized polyvinyl chloride (PVC) outer jacket bonded to the conduit.
  - 2. Fittings shall be compression type, malleable iron, with insulated throat, either cadmium plated or hot-dip galvanized.

### 2.2 PULL BOXES

A. Exterior in-ground pull boxes shall be concrete or polymer as manufactured by Brooks, Dalworth, Hubbell Quazite, or approved equivalent. Covers shall include identification of systems contained.

### 2.3 WIREWAYS

A. Wireways shall be made of not less than 16-gauge sheet steel for 4 inch and 6 inch square sizes and 14 gauge steel for 8 inch and 12 inch square sizes. Couplings end plates, and knockouts shall be furnished as required. Each section of wireways shall be rigidly



supported.

B. The finish shall be ANSI-49 gray epoxy paint applied by a cathodic electrode position paint process over a corrosion resistant phosphate preparation for NEMA 1 wireways. Provide galvanized steel for NEMA 3R wireways. NEMA 3R wireways and auxiliary gutters are for horizontal mounting only.

#### 2.4 FITTINGS

- A. Couplings for rigid steel or intermediate conduit shall be hot dipped galvanized steel. Set screw type is not acceptable.
- B. Steel or malleable iron fittings shall be used on all other raceway types except for PVC. Die-cast fittings are not allowed.
- C. EMT systems shall utilize steel insulated throat, set screw connectors and steel set screw couplings in all indoor conditioned spaces. EMT system shall utilize steel insulated throat, threadless, watertight compression type connectors and steel threadless watertight compression type coupling in all non-conditioned spaces.
- D. Coupling and connectors accessories and fittings for PVC coated rigid galvanized steel shall be PVC coated.
- E. Liquidtight Flexible Metal Conduit (LFMC) fittings shall be steel. Plastic is not acceptable.
- F. Provide nylon bushing on end of all low voltage cabling system conduits (sleeves, roughins, etc.).

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 PROVIDE CONDUIT AS FOLLOWS:

A. GENERAL

The Drawings are diagrammatic, and are intended to show the general location of outlets, devices, fixtures, and arrangement and control of circuits. The Contractor shall determine exact locations by actual measurement of the building or by reference to the Architectural Drawings.

- B. Except as noted or otherwise specified, all wiring shall be installed in galvanized rigid steel, rigid aluminum conduit or electrical steel tube (EMT) of the proper size to contain the number of conductors required in accordance with the latest edition of the N.E.C. Where conduit sizes are shown on the drawings, these shall take preference. Contractor shall epoxy coat galvanized rigid steel conduit for use in natatoriums.
- C. Raceways shall not be routed below or within slab-on-grade, foundations, or below grade of suspended slab structures, unless specifically noted or indicated otherwise on plan.
- D. EMT in sizes up to 4 inches when concealed or not exposed to damage and located indoors only. (EMT is not acceptable in wet and damp location.)
- E. PVC coated rigid galvanized steel shall be used for all penetrations of slab on grade.



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- F. Rigid galvanized steel where embedded in concrete or masonry construction, mechanical yard or in exterior/interior applications where subject to damage.
- G. Rigid aluminum shall be used in exterior applications. (i.e. roof, top of canopies)
- H. PVC schedule 40 and 80 may be utilized underground, in or below slab where shown on the construction documents.
- I. MINIMUM SIZE: 3/4 inch. All homeruns shall be 3/4" minimum.  $\frac{1}{2}$ " conduit may be used for drops down walls to a single receptacle or switch.
- J. PVC coated rigid galvanized steel conduit shall be coated inside and outside.
- K. PVC coated rigid galvanized steel conduit shall be used at cooling towers, corrosive areas and pool pump rooms.
- L. Fixture whips: Refer to 26 51 00 for additional information.
- M. Flexible metal shall be used for connecting rotating equipment installed in conditioned spaces.
- N. Liquidtight Flexible Metal Conduit (LFMC) shall be used for connecting rotating equipment installed in non-conditioned spaces and outside.
- O. Of such size, and so installed that conductors may be drawn in without injury or excessive strain.
- P. Where entering panels, pull boxes, junction boxes, or outlet boxes, shall be secured in place with lock nuts inside and outside, and insulated bushings inside.
- Q. Have Red seal type VCC or approved equal cable supports in risers, as required by N.E.C.
- R. Have ends reamed after cutting and application of die.
- S. Keep conduit corked and dry during construction, and swab out before conductors are pulled.
- T. Have bends and offsets made with approved tools. Bends or offsets in which the pipe is crushed or deformed shall not be installed.
- U. Where not embedded in concrete or masonry, be firmly secured by approved clamps, halfstraps or hangers.
- V. Have O.Z. Gedney or approved equal expansion fittings where crossing building expansion joints.
- W. Except in the mechanical equipment rooms, run conduit concealed, and by the shortest practicable route between outlets. Install risers, drops, and offsets necessary to avoid conflict with ductwork, piping, structural members, and similar items.
- X. Install exposed conduit in mechanical rooms, and elsewhere as indicated, parallel to horizontal and vertical lines of walls, ceilings, and floors.



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- Y. Fixtures in finished areas having suspended acoustical ceilings shall be connected to outlet boxes of lighting grid by flexible metal conduit; length not to exceed ten feet (six feet if using 3/8" manufactured fixture "whips").
- Z. Outlet boxes in partitions shall never be set back to back. They shall be offset to prevent undue noise transmission from room to room.
- AA. Concealed conduit shall run in as direct manner as possible using long bends. Exposed conduit shall be run parallel with or at right angles to the lines of the building; and all bends shall be made with standard conduit elbows or conduit benders. Not more than equivalent of four quarter bends shall be used in any run between terminals and cabinet, of between outlet or junction boxes. Approved condulets shall be used in lieu of conduit elbows where ease of installation and appearance warrants their use and approved by the engineer. Conduit joints shall be made with approved couplings and unions.
- BB. Conduits shall be continuous from outlet to outlet and from outlets to cabinets, junction or pull boxes and shall be electrically continuous throughout. Terminals of all conduits shall be provided with double lock nuts and bushing or terminated on conduit hubs. Use of running threads is prohibited.
- CC. Each entire conduit system shall be installed complete before any conductors are drawn in. Every run of conduit shall be finished before covering up to guard against obstructions and omissions.
- DD. Sleeves shall be placed in the forms of concrete, masonry and fire rated walls, floor slabs and beams, for the passage of conduits. Sleeves should be set in place a sufficient time ahead of the concrete work so as not to delay the work. Sleeves shall be rigid galvanized steel with a minimum thickness of 1.07MM and set to extend 4" above slab.
- EE. All pipe penetrations through walls and concrete floors shall be fire rated by applying USG Thermafiber in the space between the concrete and the pipe. The fire rating shall be additionally sealed by using 3M brand model CP 25 or 303 fire barrier caulk and putty. All fire rating material shall be installed in accordance with manufacturer's printed instructions.
- FF. All conduit shall be cleaned and swabbed to remove all foreign matter and moisture prior to pulling wire and cable. All boxes in which conduits terminate shall be cleaned of all concrete mortar and other foreign matter.
- GG. Provide #30 nylon pulling line in all conduits in which permanent wiring is not installed.
- HH. All conduit shall be securely fastened and supported using hot galvanized malleable iron one-hole pipe straps, clamps, hanger or other means approved by the engineer. Supports shall be as required per NEC. Tie wire shall not be used as support or securing means. Support conduit independently of ceiling hanger wire. Use all thread rods to support outlet boxes, junction boxes and conduit.
- II. When PVC conduit is routed underground, all stub-up's and bends 15° and greater shall be PVC coated rigid galvanized steel. Use PVC coated rigid galvanized steel when penetrating concrete on grade.
- JJ. Flexible and liquid-tight flexible steel conduit shall be used for final connections to utilization equipment. Liquid-tight flexible steel conduit shall be used for all exterior locations and all interior locations subject to moisture, vibrations, rotating equipment and dry-type



transformers. Refer to Section 26 02 00 for additional information concerning flexible steel conduit.

- KK. Contact the Architect and Engineer for an installation review before covering any below grade or above grade conduit.
- LL. All new outlets shall be flush mounted. In remodeled areas where wall construction prohibits flush mounting, provide Hubbell 2400 series, unless noted otherwise. Verify exact location and routing with architect before installation.
- MM. Contractor shall not penetrate water proof barriers without using proper fitting to maintain barriers. This shall include exterior walls and slabs. Coordinate with Architect for proper methods.

## 3.2 CONDUIT CORROSION PROTECTION

- A. Branch circuit conduits installed in concrete slabs on fill or grade shall be positioned in a manner to ensure complete concrete cover. In no case shall such conduits be exposed below or above the slab surfaces, or penetrate the waterproof membrane.
- B. At locations where metallic conduits pass through slabs on grade or transitions below grade, PVC coated rigid galvanized conduit shall be used. Contractor may use 3M corrosive protective tap on rigid galvanized conduit in lieu of PVC coated rigid galvanized conduit.
- C. Conduit installed in the air gap between the water resistant barrier and finish brick shall not exceed 2ft in length.

### 3.3 EXPANSION JOINTS

A. Install approved expansion fitting in all conduit runs in excess of 150 feet or when crossing building expansion joints.

### 3.4 OUTLET AND JUNCTION BOXES

- A. Provide an approved galvanized outlet box with adequate volume for number of conductors installed.
- B. Provide standard galvanized switch boxes of the required number of gangs. Switch boxes where conduit is exposed shall be handy boxes or approved equal.
- C. Outlet boxes for receptacles shall be similar to Universal 52151 with suitable raised cover. Receptacle boxes where conduit is exposed shall be handy boxes or approved equal.
- D. Weatherproof boxes shall be FS or FD. Provide these boxes in all non-conditioned areas, exterior areas and natatoriums.
- E. Outdoor boxes shall be NEMA 3R, with conduit connections made by Myers Hubs.
- F. See notes and details on Drawings for special box requirements.
- G. Provide junction boxes required to facilitate installation of the various conduit systems. Provide support boxes required for risers, each complete with approved cable supports as



described elsewhere in this Division.

- H. Outlet boxes for drywall shall be standard galvanized 4" square boxes with the appropriate device cover. Secure all outlet boxes with a backing brace connected to two adjacent studs. Mounting brackets with a single ear to rest against the backing sheet rock are not acceptable.
- I. Provide floor outlet fittings for telephone to match fittings for duplex floor receptacles.
- J. Provide 3-1/2" deep gangable masonry boxes in all masonry wall (CMU). Steel City GW-135-G or approved equal.
- K. Provide shallow 4"x4" boxes in all demountable partitions.
- L. Metallic boxes located in fire rated walls or partitions shall be separated by a minimum horizontal distance of 24 in. This minimum separation distance between metallic boxes may be reduced when "Wall Opening Protective Materials" (CLIV) are installed according to the requirements of their Classification. Metallic boxes shall not be installed on opposite side of walls or partitions of staggered stud construction unless "Wall Opening Protective Materials" are installed with the metallic boxes in accordance with Classification requirements for the protective materials.
- M. Junction, pull boxes, condulets, gutters, disconnects, contactors, etc., above 2-foot x 2-foot grid ceilings shall be mounted within 18-inches of ceiling grid. Above 2-foot x 4 foot grid ceiling they shall be mounted within 30-inches of ceiling grid. All junction box, pull box, gutter openings shall be side or bottom accessible.

### 3.5 THRU-WALL SEALS

- A. Provide O.Z. Gedney "Thru-wall" seals for all conduits passing through concrete structure below grade, above grade, and floor penetrations below grade. These prevent moisture from entering the building.
- B. Straight sleeves are not acceptable.

### 3.6 PULL BOXES

- A. Interior Pull boxes shall be provided for conduit systems as required and shall be constructed of galvanized steel of not less than gauge and size specified by National Electrical Code. Size pull boxes per NEC 314.28.
- B. Where two or more feeders pass through a common pull box, they shall be tagged to indicate clearly their electrical characteristics, circuit number, and panel designation.
- C. Exterior in-ground pull boxes shall have open bottoms with sand and rock beds below box for drainage of water. Provide closed bottom boxes where specified. Closed bottom boxes shall be provided with sumps for portable pump to allow for extracting water. Refer to details on the drawings.
- D. Pull boxes mounted in pole bases shall be coordinated with the pour of the pole base and shall be flush with finished footing.

#### 3.7 WIREWAYS



- A. Wireways shall be installed as indicated or required and locations shall be coordinated with architect.
- B. Wiring in wireways shall be neatly bundled, tied and suitably tagged.

### 3.8 UNDERGROUND DUCTBANK SYSTEM

- A. DUCT SYSTEM
  - The duct system shall consist of Schedule 40 PVC or type 1-EB PVC conduits 1. encased in concrete as detailed on the drawings. Use rigid conduit for stub-ups and the last ten feet at the end of each ductbank. Duct lines shall be laid to a minimum grade of 4 inches per 100 feet and shall be free from either horizontal or vertical waves. Duct lines shall be straight unless otherwise noted on the drawings. Duct lines shall be installed so that the top of concrete in encased duct lines is not less than 24 inches below finished grade or finished paving at any point. Changes in direction or runs exceeding a total of 10 degrees, either vertical or horizontal, shall be accomplished by long sweep bends having a minimum radius of curvature of 5 feet. The long sweep bends may be made up of one or more curved or straight sections and/or combinations thereof using five degree angle couplings. Conduit shall be thoroughly cleaned before using or laying. During construction and after the duct line is completed, the ends of the conduit shall be plugged to prevent water washing mud into the conduits. Particular care shall be taken to keep the conduits clean of concrete, dirt, and any other substance during the course of construction.
  - 2. Each single conduit of the duct bank shall be completely encased in steel reinforced concrete as indicated. The thickness of concrete encasement indicated is the minimum thickness, and may be increased to fit the actual shape of trench.
  - 3. Concrete for duct bank envelopes shall be standard 2000 psi concrete mix as described in Division 03.
    - a. Envelopes may be poured directly against sides of trenches if the "cut" is clean, even and free of loose material. All loose dirt and extraneous material shall be removed from the trenches before and during the pouring of concrete to ensure sound envelopes. Concrete shall be carefully spaded during pouring to eliminate all voids under and between the conduit and honeycombing of the exterior surfaces. Power driven tampers of agitators shall not be used, unless specifically designed for the application, in order to ensure that the water-tightness of the conduits is not destroyed.
    - b. Generally, each run of envelopes shall be poured in one continuous operation. Where more than one pour is necessary, each pour shall terminate in a vertical plane. Partial pours shall not terminate in horizontal or angular planes.
- B. For normal underground installation see Section 26 02 00, paragraph 3.1 for Excavating and Backfilling.

### END OF SECTION



### SECTION 26 05 73 -SHORT-CIRCUIT/COORDINATION STUDY/ARC FLASH HAZARD ANALYSIS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

### 1.1 SCOPE

- A. The Contractor shall furnish short-circuit and protective device coordination studies as prepared by the equipment manufacturer.
- B. An equipment evaluation study shall be performed to determine the adequacy of circuit breakers, controllers, surge arresters, busways, switches, and fuses by tabulating and comparing the short circuit ratings of these devices with the available fault currents.
- C. Any problem areas or inadequacies shall be promptly brought to the ENGINEERS attention.
- D. The Contractor shall furnish an Arc Flash Hazard Analysis Study per NFPA 70E Standard for Electrical Safety in the Workplace, reference Article 130.3 and Annex D.

### 1.2 REFERENCES

- A. Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Inc. (IEEE):
  - 1. IEEE 141 Recommended Practice for Electric Power Distribution and Coordination of Industrial and Commercial Power Systems
  - 2. IEEE 242 Recommended Practice for Protection and Coordination of Industrial and Commercial Power Systems
  - 3. IEEE 399 Recommended Practice for Industrial and Commercial Power System Analysis
  - 4. IEEE 241 Recommended Practice for Electric Power Systems in Commercial Buildings
  - 5. IEEE 1015 Recommended Practice for Applying Low-Voltage Circuit Breakers Used in Industrial and Commercial Power Systems.
  - 6. IEEE 1584 Guide for Performing Arc-Flash Hazard Calculations
- B. American National Standards Institute (ANSI):
  - 1. ANSI C57.12.00 Standard General Requirements for Liquid-Immersed Distribution, Power, and Regulating Transformers
  - 2. ANSI C37.13 Standard for Low Voltage AC Power Circuit Breakers Used in Enclosures



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- 3. ANSI C37.010 Standard Application Guide for AC High Voltage Circuit Breakers Rated on a Symmetrical Current Basis
- 4. ANSI C 37.41 Standard Design Tests for High Voltage Fuses, Distribution Enclosed Single-Pole Air Switches, Fuse Disconnecting Switches and Accessories.
- C. The National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)
  - 1. NFPA 70 National Electrical Code, latest edition
  - 2. NFPA 70E Standard for Electrical Safety in the Workplace
- 1.3 SUBMITTALS FOR REVIEW/APPROVAL
  - A. The short-circuit and protective device coordination studies shall be submitted to the design Engineer prior to receiving final approval of the distribution equipment shop drawings and/or prior to release of equipment drawings for manufacturing. If formal completion of the studies may cause delay in equipment manufacturing, approval from the Engineer may be obtained for preliminary submittal of sufficient study data to ensure that the selection of device and characteristics will be satisfactory.

### 1.4 SUBMITTALS FOR CONSTRUCTION

- A. The results of the short-circuit, protective device coordination and arc flash hazard analysis studies shall be summarized in a final report. No more than five (5) bound copies of the complete final report shall be submitted. For large system studies, submittals requiring more than five (5) copies of the report will be provided without the section containing the computer printout of the short-circuit input and output data. Additional copies, where required, shall be provided on CD in PDF format.
- B. The report shall include the following sections:
  - 1. One-line diagram
  - 2. Descriptions, purpose, basis and scope of the study
  - 3. Tabulations of circuit breaker, fuse and other protective device ratings versus calculated short circuit duties
  - 4. Protective device time versus current coordination curves, tabulations of relay and circuit breaker trip unit settings, fuse selection
  - 5. Fault current calculations including a definition of terms and guide for interpretation of the computer printout
  - 6. Incident energy and flash protection boundary calculations
  - 7. Recommendations for system improvements, where needed
  - 8. Executive Summary.



- 9. Equipment manufacturer's information used to prepare study
- 10. Assumptions made during study.

### 1.5 QUALIFICATIONS

A. The short-circuit, protective device coordination and arc flash hazard analysis studies shall be conducted under the supervision and approval of a Registered Professional Electrical Engineer skilled in performing and interpreting the power system studies. The Registered Professional Electrical Engineer shall be a full-time employee of the Engineering Services Organization.

### PART 2 - PRODUCT

- 2.1 STUDIES
  - A. The Contractor shall furnish an Arc Flash Hazard Analysis Study per NFPA 70E Standard for Electrical Safety in the Workplace, reference Article 130.3 and Annex D.

### 2.2 DATA COLLECTION

- A. The Contractor shall furnish all data as required by the power system studies. The Engineer performing the short-circuit, protective device coordination and arc flash hazard analysis studies shall furnish the Contractor with a listing of required data immediately after award of the contract. The Contractor shall expedite collection of the data to assure completion of the studies as required for final approval of the distribution equipment shop drawings and/or prior to the release of the equipment for manufacturing.
- B. Source combination may include present and future motors and generators.
- C. Load data utilized may include existing and proposed loads obtained from Contract Documents provided by Owner or Contractor.
- D. Include fault contribution of existing motors in the study, with motors <100 hp grouped together. The Contractor shall obtain required existing equipment data, if necessary, to satisfy the study requirements.

### 2.3 ARC FLASH HAZARD ANALYSIS

- A. The arc flash hazard analysis shall be performed according to the IEEE 1584 equations that are presented in NFPA70E-2004, Annex D.
- B. When appropriate, the short circuit calculations and the clearing times of the phase overcurrent devices will be retrieved from the short-circuit and coordination study model. Alternative methods shall be presented in the proposal.
- C. The flash protection boundary and the incident energy shall be calculated at all significant locations in the electrical distribution system (switchboards, switchgear, motor-control centers, panelboards, busway and splitters) where work could be performed on energized parts.



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- D. The Arc-Flash Hazard Analysis shall include all significant locations in 240 volt and 208 volt systems fed from transformers equal to or greater than 75 kVA.
- E. Safe working distances shall be specified for calculated fault locations based upon the calculated arc flash boundary considering an incident energy of 1.2 cal/cm<sup>2</sup>.
- F. The Arc Flash Hazard analysis shall include calculations for maximum and minimum contributions of fault current magnitude. The minimum calculation shall assume that the utility contribution is at a minimum and shall assume a minimum motor load. Conversely, the maximum calculation shall assume a maximum contribution from the utility and shall assume motors to be operating under full-load conditions.
- G. Arc flash computation shall include both line and load side of main breaker calculations, where necessary.
- H. Arc Flash calculations shall be based on actual overcurrent protective device clearing time. Maximum clearing time will be capped at 2 seconds based on IEEE 1584-2002 section B.1.2.

### 2.4 REPORT SECTIONS

- A. Input Data:
  - 1. Short-circuit reactance of rotating machines
  - 2. Cable and conduit materials
  - 3. Transformers
  - 4. Circuit resistance and reactive values.
- B. Incident energy and flash protection boundary calculations
  - 1. Arcing fault magnitude
  - 2. Device clearing time
  - 3. Duration of arc
  - 4. Arc flash boundary
  - 5. Working distance
  - 6. Incident energy
  - 7. Hazard Risk Category
  - 8. Recommendations for arc flash energy reduction

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3.1 ARC FLASH WARNING LABELS



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- A. The vendor shall provide a 3.5 in. x 5 in. thermal transfer type label of high adhesion polyester for each work location analyzed.
- B. The label shall have an orange header with the wording, "WARNING, ARC FLASH HAZARD", and shall include the following information:
  - 1. Location designation
  - 2. Nominal voltage
  - 3. Flash protection boundary
  - 4. Hazard risk category
  - 5. Incident energy
  - 6. Working distance
  - 7. Engineering report number, revision number and issue date.
- C. Labels shall be machine printed, with no field markings.
- D. Arc flash labels shall be provided in the following manner and all labels shall be based on recommended overcurrent device settings.
  - 1. For each 600, 480 and applicable 208 volt panelboards, one arc flash label shall be provided.
  - 2. For each motor control center, one arc flash label shall be provided.
  - 3. For each low voltage switchboard, one arc flash label shall be provided.
- E. Labels shall be field installed by the engineering service division of the equipment manufacturer under the Startup and Acceptance Testing contract portion.

### 3.2 ARC FLASH TRAINING

A. The equipment vendor shall train personnel of the potential arc flash hazards associated with working on energized equipment (minimum of 4 hours). Maintenance procedures in accordance with the requirements of NFPA 70E, Standard for Electrical Safety Requirements for Employee Workplaces, shall be provided in the equipment manuals. The training shall be certified for continuing education units (CEUs) by the International Association for Continuing Education Training (IACET).

### END OF SECTION



### SECTION 26 06 34 - LOW VOLTAGE RACEWAY SYSTEM

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS
  - A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all work herein.
- 1.2 WORK INCLUDED
  - A. Furnish and install a complete raceway system for telephone system, consisting of cabinets, conduit, junction boxes, etc. This shall include by not limited to fire alarm, access control, structured cabling, audio-video, intercommunications, sound reinforcing, intrusion detection, telephone.

#### 1.3 WORK SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE

- A. Section 26 02 00 Basic Materials and Methods.
- B. Section 26 05 33 Raceways.
- C. Section 26 05 19 Wire, Cable and Related Materials.

#### 1.4 WORK NOT INCLUDED

- A. Cabling.
- B. Equipment.
- C. Division 27
- D. Division 28

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 COMPONENTS
  - A. Conduit Refer to Section 26 05 33.
  - B. Backboards 3/4" X 4' X 8' fire rated plywood painted white.
  - C. Outlet Boxes Refer to Section 26 05 33.
  - D. Pull and junction boxes Refer to Section 26 05 33.
  - E. Floor Boxes Refer to Section 26 05 33.
  - F. Cabinets Consult low voltage system installer/supplier.

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 INSTALLATION



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- A. Refer to Section 26 05 33 for underground service entrance.
- B. Provide pull boxes in telephone conduit runs spaced not greater than 100 ft. apart, and on backboard side of runs with more than two right angle bends.
- C. Place telephone label on pull and junction boxes.
- D. Provide pull wire in each telephone run.
- E. Provide plywood backboards and duplex receptacle in the telephone equipment room. Confirm location on jobsite prior to installation.
- F. All terminal cabinets/backboards and conduit shall be sized per the recommendations of the telephone system installer.

### END OF SECTION



### SECTION 26 08 00 – COMMISSIONING OF ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS

### PART 1 – GENERAL

### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract Documents, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specifications, apply to this section.
- B. Related SECTIONS:
  - 1. SECTION 01 91 00 GENERAL COMMISSIONING REQUIREMENTS

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. The commissioning of the lighting system and associated controls shall be performed by an impartial technical firm hired by the owner or shall be performed by the installing contractor if the owner has not hired a commissioning firm. The commissioning provider shall be certified under one or more of the following certifications:
  - 1. CxA Certified Commissioning Authority ACG
  - 2. CBCP Certified Building Commissioning Professional AEE
  - 3. CCP Certified Commissioning Professional BCA
  - 4. CPMP Certified Process Management Professional ASHRAE
  - 5. BSC Building System Commissioning Certification NEBB
- B. The commissioning provider (Commissioning authority) shall be responsible for leading the entire construction team through the commissioning process including, but not limited to, conducting the commissioning kick-off meeting, preparing the commissioning plan, preparing pre-functional checklists, preparing functional test scripts, participation in functional testing and preparation of required documentation and reports.

### 1.3 RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Contractor: Responsibilities of the Contractor as relate to Commissioning Process include, but are not limited to the following:
  - 1. Facilitate coordination of Commissioning work by Commissioning authority.
  - 2. Attend Commissioning meetings or other meetings called by Commissioning authority to facilitate the Commissioning Process.
  - 3. Review Functional Performance Test procedures for feasibility, safety, and impact on warranty, and provide Commissioning authority with written comment on same.
  - 4. Provide all documentation relating to manufacturer's recommended performance testing of equipment and systems.



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- 5. Provide Operations & Maintenance data to Commissioning authority for preparation of checklists and training manuals.
- 6. Provide As-built drawings and documentation to facilitate Testing.
- 7. Assure and facilitate participation and cooperation of Sub Contractors and equipment suppliers as required for the Commissioning Process.
- 8. Certify to Commissioning authority that installation work listed in Pre-Functional Checklists has been completed.
- 9. Install systems and equipment in strict conformance with project specifications, manufacturer's recommended installation procedures, and Pre-Functional Checklists.
- 10. Provide data concerning performance, installation, and start-up of systems.
- 11. Provide copy of manufacturers filled-out start-up forms for equipment and systems.
- 12. Ensure systems have been started and fully checked for proper operation prior to arranging for Testing with Commissioning authority. Prepare and submit to Commissioning authority written certification that each piece of equipment and/or system has been started according to manufacturer's recommended procedure, and that system has been tested for compliance with operational requirements.
  - a. Contractor shall carry out manufacturer's recommended start-up and testing procedures, regardless of whether or not they are specifically listed in Pre-Functional Checklists.
  - b. Contractor is not relieved of obligation for systems/equipment demonstration where performance testing is required by specifications, but a Functional Performance Test is not specifically designated by Commissioning authority.
- 13. Coordinate with Commissioning authority to determine mutually acceptable date of Functional Performance Tests.
- 14. Provide qualified personnel to assist and participate in Commissioning.
- 15. Provide test instruments and communications devices, as prescribed by Commissioning authority, required for carrying out Testing of systems.
- 16. Proprietary test equipment required by the manufacturer, whether specified or not, shall be provided by the manufacturer of the equipment. Manufacturer shall provide the test equipment, demonstrate its use, and assist in the commissioning process. Proprietary test equipment shall become the property of the Owner upon completion of commissioning.
- 17. Ensure deficiencies found in the Commissioning Issues Log are corrected within the time schedule shown in the Commissioning Plan.
- 18. Provide Commissioning authority with all submittals, start-up instructions manuals, operating parameters, and other pertinent information related to Commissioning Process. This information shall be routed through Architect.



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- 19. Prepare and submit to Commissioning authority proposed Training Program outline for each system.
- 20. Coordinate and provide training of Owner's personnel.
- 21. Prepare Operation & Maintenance Manuals and As-Built drawings in accordance with specifications; submit copy to Commissioning authority in addition to other contractually required submissions. Revise and resubmit manuals in accordance with Design Professionals and Commissioning authority's comments.
- 22. Commissioning requires participation of this Division Subcontractors to ensure that systems are operating in manner consistent with Contract Documents. All costs associated with the participation of Contractor, Sub-Contractors, Design Professionals, and Equipment Vendors in the Commissioning Process shall be included as part of the Construction Contract.
- B. Subcontractors and vendors shall prepare and submit to Commissioning Agent proposed Startup procedures to demonstrate proper installation of systems, according to these specifications and checklists prepared by Commissioning authority.
- C. Electrical contractor shall provide a letter certifying the installed lighting controls meet documented performance criteria specified in the commissioning plan within 90 days of substantial completion.
- 1.4 COMMISSIONING PLAN
  - A. Commissioning Process tasks and activities:
    - a. Commissioning kick-off meeting: Conducted by commissioning authority and attended by construction team and design team.
    - b. Pre-functional checklists: Prepared by the commissioning authority and filled out by subcontractors performing the work that is applicable.
    - c. Site visits to review installation of applicable systems and progress of checklist documentation performed and reported by commissioning authority.
    - d. Functional testing: Commissioning authority shall conduct functional testing with assistance of applicable subcontractors and document successful results as well as deficiencies (issues). Functional performance testing shall demonstrate the installation and operation of components, systems, and system-to-system interfacing in accordance with plans and specifications.
    - e. Preliminary commissioning report: Commissioning authority shall issue a preliminary commissioning report to the owner that has results of the first round of functional testing including deficiencies discovered.
    - f. Systems manual: Commissioning authority shall compile the systems manual using submittal data provided by the general contractor and applicable subcontractors.
    - g. Final commissioning report: Commissioning authority shall issue final



commissioning report documenting the entire process and final results of functional testing. Report shall include final testing and balancing report.

- B. Electrical System Equipment to be tested
  - a. Occupancy sensors.
  - b. Time switch controls
  - c. Daylighting controls.
- C. Testing functions and conditions
  - a. Daylighting control devices
    - a. Verify the devices have been calibrated, properly located and adjusted.
    - b. Loads adjust to light level set points in response to daylight.
    - c. Location of calibration equipment is accessible to authorized personnel only.
  - b. Time switches
    - a. Verify schedule, time, date and programming is accurate.
    - b. Verify override time limit is set, battery is installed and switch operates the lights that are specified in the design documents.
    - c. All specified lights can be turned on and off by area control switch.
    - d. Manual override switch allows only the lights in the space where the switch is located turn on or remain on until next scheduled shut off.
  - c. Occupant sensors:
    - a. Certify the sensor has been located and aimed in accordance with manufacturer recommendations.
    - b. For projects with fewer than seven sensors, each sensor shall be tested.
    - Fore projects with more than seven occupant sensors, testing shall be done for each unique combination of sensor type and space geometry. Where multiples of each combination are provided not less than 10 percent shall be tested.
    - d. Verify correct operation of status indicators.
    - e. Controlled lights turn off or down to the permitted level with in the required time.
    - f. For auto-on sensor, the lights turn-on to the permitted level when an occupant enters space.
    - g. Verify the lights are not incorrectly turned-on by movement in adjacent areas or by HVAC operation.
- D. Performance criteria
  - a. Daylighting controls shall maintain specified light levels within 5% of design.



b. All time switches shall be accurate to time on cellular network devices.

PART 2 – PRODUCTS

2.1 NO PRODUCTS SUPPLIED

### PART 3 – EXECUTION

### 3.1 GENERAL

- A. This Division has startup responsibilities and are required to complete sub-systems so COMPLETE SYSTEMS are fully functional. Insuring they meet design requirements of Contract Documents. Commissioning procedures and testing do not relieve or lessen this responsibility or shift this responsibility, in whole or in part, to Commissioning Agent or Owner.
- B. Coordinate with other Sub-Contractors and equipment vendors to set aside adequate time to address Pre-Functional Checklists, Functional Performance Tests, Operations & Maintenance Manual creation, Owner Training, and associated coordination meetings.
- C. Commissioning authority will also conduct site inspections at critical times and issue Cx Field Reports with observations on installation deficiencies so that they may be issued by Architect as deemed appropriate.
- 3.2 WORK PRIOR TO COMMISSIONING
  - A. Complete all phases of the work so the systems can be started, adjusted, balanced and otherwise tested.
  - B. See pertinent specification sections in this Division, which outline responsibilities for startup of equipment with obligations to complete systems, including all sub-systems so that they are fully functional.
  - C. Assist Commissioning Agent with all information pertaining to actual equipment and installation as required complete the full commissioning scope.
  - D. Contractor shall prepare startup procedures to demonstrate compliance with pre-functional checklists, and coordinate scheduling for completion of these checklists.
  - E. A minimum of 7 days prior to date of system startup, submit to Commissioning Agent for review, detailed description of equipment start-up procedures which contractor proposes to perform to demonstrate conformance of systems to specifications and Checklists.

### 3.3 PARTICIPATION IN COMMISSIONING

- A. Attend meetings related to the Commissioning Process; arrange for attendance by personnel and vendors directly involved in the project, prior to testing of their systems.
- B. Provide skilled technicians to startup and test all systems, and place systems in complete and fully functioning service in accordance with Contract Documents.



C. Provide skilled technicians, experienced and familiar with systems being commissioned, to assist Commissioning authority in commissioning process.

### 3.4 WORK TO RESOLVE DEFICIENCIES

A. Complete corrective work in a timely manner to allow expeditious completion of Commissioning Process. If deadlines pass without resolution of identified problems, Owner reserves the right to obtain supplementary services and/or equipment to resolve the problem. Costs thus incurred will be Contractor's responsibility.

#### 3.5 PRE-FUNCTIONAL CHECKLISTS (PFC)

- A. Contractor shall complete Pre-Functional Checklists to validate compliance with Contract Documents installation and start-up requirements, for this Division's systems.
- B. Refer to commissioning plan for detailed list of equipment to be commissioned.

#### 3.6 FUNCTIONAL PERFORMANCE TESTING (FPT)

- A. Contractor, in cooperation with Commissioning Agent, shall conduct Functional Performance Testing to validate compliance with Contract Documents.
- C. Refer to commissioning plan for detailed list of equipment to be commissioned.
- B. Assist Commissioning authority in Functional Testing by removing equipment covers, opening access panels, etc. Furnish ladders, flashlights, meters, gauges, or other inspection equipment as necessary.

#### 3.7 TRAINING

- A. The following requirements are in addition to Operations & Maintenance requirements specified elsewhere in this specifications manual.
- B. Contractor shall be responsible for training coordination and scheduling, and ultimately to ensure that training is completed.
- C. The training agenda (plan) shall include, at a minimum, the following elements:
  - 1. Purpose of equipment.
  - 2. Principle of how the equipment works.
  - 3. Important parts and assemblies.
  - 4. How the equipment achieves its purpose and necessary operating conditions.
  - 5. Most likely failure modes, causes and corrections.
  - 6. On site demonstration.



D. Commissioning Agent shall be responsible for overseeing and approving content and adequacy of training of Owner personnel for all installed systems. Provide Commissioning Agent with training plan two weeks before planned training.

### 3.8 OPERATIONS & MAINTENANCE MANUALS

- A. The following requirements are in addition to Operations & Maintenance requirements specified elsewhere in this specifications manual.
- B. Contractor shall compile and prepare documentation for equipment and systems specified in this Division, and shall deliver documentation to Contractor for inclusion in Operation & Maintenance Manuals, in accordance with requirements of Division 01, prior to training Owner personnel.
- C. Provide Commissioning authority with a single, electronic copy of Operation & Maintenance Manuals for review. Commissioning authority's copy of O&M manuals shall be submitted through Architect.
- D. Operation and maintenance manuals shall include, service agency contact information, maintenance requirements, controls system settings and a narrative of how each system is intended to operate, including set points.

### 3.9 DOCUMENTATION

- A. Commissioning authority shall provide documentation of process as follows:
  - a. Preliminary commissioning report including test procedures, results of testing, itemization of deficiencies, deferred tests and climatic conditions required for performance of deferred tests. Preliminary commissioning report shall be issued to owner to demonstrate the first pass of testing has occurred and to demonstrate compliance with applicable codes.
  - b. Final commissioning report shall include the final test and balance report, final results of functional testing, disposition of deficiencies discovered during testing, including the details of corrective measures used and functional testing procedures used for repeatability of testing in the future.



## SECTION 26 22 13- LOW VOLTAGE DISTRIBUTIONS TRANSFORMERS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

## 1.1 SCOPE

- A. Provide 480 volt primary step down transformers as shown, scheduled and as specified.
- B. The type of transformers required includes dry-type general purpose transformers.

### 1.2 STANDARDS

- A. Products shall be designed, manufactured, tested and installed in compliance with applicable ANSI/IEEE and NEMA standards.
- B. All low voltage transformers shall be UL listed and labeled.
- C. All low voltage transformers 15 kVA and larger shall meet or exceed post-January 1, 2016 U.S. DOE efficiency requirements [Energy, 10 C.F.R. §431.196(a)(2) (2015)] regardless of whether transformer date of manufacture is pre or post January 1, 2016.
- D. All low voltage transformers 15 kVA and larger shall be tested for efficiency in accordance with U.S. DOE test methods [Energy, 10 C.F.R. §431, Subpart K, Appendix A (2015)].

### 1.3 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

- A. Provide one of the following manufacturers for general purpose use:
  - 1. General Electric Company
  - 2. Square D Company
  - 3. Power Quality International
  - 4. Eaton

### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Shop drawings shall include, but not be limited to:
  - 1. Cutsheets of transformers with sound and load ratings, dimensions, weights, impedance rating, insulation type, temperature rise and tap configurations.

### 1.5 REQUIREMENTS OF REGULATORY AGENCIES

- A. National Electrical Code.
- B. Local, municipal, and/or state codes that have jurisdiction.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 GENERAL PURPOSE

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A. Provide dry type, two-winding transformers with primary and secondary voltages and KVA ratings as shown on plans. Transformers shall operate at 60 hertz. All transformers shall be manufacture with standard materials and components.

## 2.2 MATERIALS AND COMPONENTS FOR GENERAL PURPOSE TRANSFORMERS

- A. All cores shall be constructed of high grade, non-aging silicon steel with high magnetic permeability, and low hysteresis and eddy current losses. Magnetic flux densities are to be kept well below the saturation point. The core laminations shall be clamped together with structural steel angles. The completed core and coil shall be isolated from the base by means of rubber, vibration-absorbing mounts. There shall be no metal-to-metal contact between the core and coil and the enclosure. The vibration isolating system shall be designed to provide a permanent fastening of the core and coil to the enclosure. Sound isolating system requiring the complete removal of all fastening devices will not be accepted. Windings shall be copper or electrical grade aluminum terminated on tin plated or copper bars. Foil windings are not acceptable.
- B. The transformer core shall be visibly grounded to the enclosure by means of a flexible grounding conductor sized in accordance with NEMA, IEEE and ANSI standards.
- C. Transformer coils shall be of continuous-wound type construction and shall be impregnated with non-hygroscopic, thermo-setting varnish.
- D. Transformers shall be enclosed in drip-proof, metallic enclosures designed to provide for air cooling and prevent accidental contact with live conductors. Wiring compartment shall be located below the core and coil and cooled by air circulation or insulated from the core and coil by means of a suitable thermal insulation barrier. Transformer exposed to weather or installed in a sprinkled area shall have rain shields on all openings. Entire transformer enclosure shall be cleaned, phosphatized, primed and painted with a gray, baked enamel.
- E. Transformers shall operate at 100% nameplate KVA rating continuously while in a 40 degree C ambient without exceeding the rated average winding temperature rise of the ANSI insulation system as described below.

Temperature rating shall be as follows:

RATING	PHASE INSULATION-TEMP. RISE
0.025 through 3 KVA	Single
5 through 25 KVA	Type B - 80° C Single
3 through 15 KVA	Type F - 115º C Three
37½ KVA and larger	Type F - 115º C Single
30 KVA and larger	Type H - 150° C Three
	Type H - 150° C

F. Transformers shall have minimum full load rated taps in the primary windings as follows:

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3 through 25 KVA 2 - 5% FCBN



15 through 300 KVA

6 - 2-1/2% TAPS, 2 above and 4 below nominal

G. Maximum sound ratings shall be as follows:

KVA	db
0 to 9	40
10 to 50	45
51 to 150	50
151 to 300	55
301 to 500	60

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. General: Install transformer in accordance with manufacturer's written instructions, and recognized industry practices.
- B. Housekeeping Pad: Provide a nominal 3-1/2" high, 2500 PSI (28 Day) concrete reinforced pad with number 6 welded wire mesh. The pad shall conform to the shape of the transformer and extend at least 3 inches beyond the length and width of the transformer. All corners of the pad shall be rounded.
- C. Mounting: Install floor mounted transformers on properly sized rubber-in-shear vibration isolators. Trapeze mounted transformers shall use rubber-in-shear hangers. Wall mounted transformers shall not be mounted directly to the wall without vibration isolation.
- D. Connection: Route conductors in a minimum of 2 feet of flexible steel conduit to transformer enclosure. Provide grounding conductor sized per NEC, connected to the building grounding electrode system.

### 3.2 TESTING

- A. Insulation, Tests: Prior to energization, check transformers windings for continuity and test the insulation resistance. Tests shall be made using a Biddle Megger or equivalent test instrument, per manufacturers' recommendations. Provide written documentation of testing. Submit with O & M manuals.
- B. Tap Setting: Measure current and voltage under load conditions to provide correct tap settings.



## **SECTION 26 24 16 - PANELBOARDS**

## PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 SCOPE
  - A. Provide panelboards as shown, scheduled and as specified herein.
  - B. The types of panelboards include:
    - 1. Panelboards.
    - 2. Power distribution panelboards.

### 1.2 STANDARDS

- A. Products shall be designed, manufactured, tested and installed in compliance with applicable standards.
- B. Products shall conform to all applicable UL standards and shall be UL-labeled.

## 1.3 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

- A. Provide one of the following manufacturers:
  - 1. General Electric Company/ABB
  - 2. Square D Company
  - 3. Siemens
  - 4. Eaton

### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Shop drawings shall include, but not be limited to:
  - 1. Cutsheets of all enclosures, circuit breakers, fusible switches, bussing, rating, schedules and all accessories clearly labeled.

### 1.5 REQUIREMENTS OF REGULATORY AGENCIES

- A. WORK IN ACCORDANCE WITH:
  - 1. National Electrical Code.
  - 2. Local, municipal, or state codes that have jurisdiction.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 MATERIALS AND COMPONENTS

A. General



Provide power distribution and panelboards as indicated in the panelboard schedule and as shown on the plans. Power distribution panelboards shall be equipped with fusible switches or circuit breakers as shown on the schedule. Panelboards shall be equipped with thermal-magnetic, molded case circuit breakers of frame and trip ratings as shown on the schedule.

B. Busing Assembly and Temperature Rise

Panelboard bus structure and main lugs or main breaker shall have current ratings as shown on the panelboard schedule. Such ratings shall be established by heat rise tests with maximum hot spot temperature on any connector or bus bar not to exceed 50°C. rise above 40°C ambient. Heat rise test shall be conducted in accordance with Underwriters Laboratories Standard UL 67. The use of conductor dimensions will not be accepted in lieu of actual heat tests. All current carrying parts of the bus shall be tin or silver plated copper.

- 1. Bus structure shall be isolated. Bus bar connections to the branch circuit breakers shall be distributed phase or phase sequence type and shall accept bolt-on circuit breakers for lighting and appliance panelboards.
- 2. The lugs for terminating conductors shall be rated at 75° C on all panel boards and circuit breakers.

Provide an extruded bare copper ground bus. Provide an isolated ground copper bus in each panel serving isolated ground circuits. Provide a full size copper neutral bus in each panelboard enclosure. Provide a double size neutral buss when served by a harmonic mitigating transformer.

C. Distribution Panelboards

Circuit breakers shall be equipped with individually insulated, braced and protected connectors. The front faces of all circuit breakers shall be flush with each other. Large, permanent, individual circuit numbers shall be affixed to each breaker in a uniform position. Tripped indication shall be clearly shown by the breaker handle taking a position between "ON" and "OFF". Provisions for additional breakers shall be such that no additional connectors will be required to add breakers. Circuit breakers shall be of the frame size, trip setting and interrupting capacity as indicated on the drawings. Circuit breakers shall be rated 65,000 AIC unless otherwise noted on plans.

- 1. Provide arc energy reduction switch for each breaker rated 1200 amps or larger to comply with 240.87 of the NEC. Switch shall be equipped with a pad lockable cover with a blue LED pilot light that illuminates when system is activated. Locate switch and cover recessed mounted adjacent to the breaker it serves or remote as indicated on the plans. Provide label and all required hardware. Remote switch(es) shall be flush mounted in wall near entry to the room.
- D. 480/277 Volt Panelboards

Main breakers shall be vertically mounted. Horizontally mounted main breakers are not acceptable.

Circuit breakers shall be <u>bolt-on</u> thermal-magnetic, molded case circuit breakers. Breakers shall be 1, 2 or 3 pole with an integral crossbar to assure simultaneous opening of all poles



in multiple circuit breakers. Breaker shall have an over-center, trip-free, toggle-type operating mechanism with quick-make, quick-break action and positive handle indication. Handles shall have "ON", "OFF" and "TRIPPED" positions. Circuit breakers shall be UL listed in accordance with UL Standard 489 and shall be rated 277 volt ac (single pole, 15-30 amperes) or 480Y/277 volts ac (2 and 3 pole) with continuous current ratings as noted on the plan. Interrupting ratings shall be a minimum of 18,000 rms symmetrical amperes at 277 volts ac (single pole) or 480Y/277 volts ac (2 and 3 pole). Single pole, 15 and 20 ampere circuit breakers intended to switch fluorescent lighting loads on a regular basis shall carry the SWD marking. Circuit breakers shall be rated at a minimum of 18,000 AIC unless otherwise noted on plans.

### E. 240 Volt Panelboards

Main breakers shall be vertically mounted. Horizontally mounted main breakers are not acceptable.

Circuit breakers shall be bolt-on thermal-magnetic, molded case circuit breakers. Breakers shall be 1, 2, or 3 pole with an integral crossbar to assure simultaneous opening of all poles in multiple circuit breakers. Breakers shall have an overcenter, trip-free, toggle-type operating mechanism with quick-make, quick-break action and positive handle indication. Handles shall have "ON", "OFF" and "TRIPPED" positions.

Circuit breakers shall be UL listed in accordance with UL standard 489 and shall be rated 240 volts ac maximum with continuous current rating as noted on the plans.

Branch circuit breakers feeding convenience outlets shall have sensitive instantaneous trip settings of not more than 10 times the trip settings of the breaker to prevent repeated arcing short resulting from frayed appliance cords. Single pole 15 and 20 ampere circuit breakers shall be UL listed as "Switching Breakers" at 120V ac and carry the SWD marking.

UL Class A 5mA ground fault circuit protection shall be provided on all receptacle circuits serving wet areas and on all 120V ac branch circuits as specified on the plans or panelboard schedule. This protection shall be an integral part of the branch circuit breaker which also provides overload and short circuit protection for branch circuit wiring. Tripping of a branch circuit breaker containing ground fault circuit interruption shall not disturb the feeder circuit to the panelboard. A single pole circuit breaker with integral ground fault circuit interruption shall require no more panelboard branch circuit space than a conventional circuit breaker.

UL Class B 30mA ground fault circuit protection (GFEP) shall be provided on all equipment circuits requiring ground fault protection. This protection shall be an integral part of the branch circuit breaker which also provides overload and short circuit protection for branch circuit wiring.

Provide Shunt Trip Breakers including control power for circuits under cooking hoods and other equipment having this requirement.

Provide Breaker with Switched Neutral circuits with common trip for gasoline pumps and other equipment having this requirement.

Circuit breakers shall be rated 22,000 AIC at 240V unless otherwise noted on plans.

Provide double sized neutral bus with panels served from a non-linear transformer or when



indicated on drawings. This shall be a UL approved assembly.

F. Cabinets and Fronts

The panelboard bus assembly shall be enclosed in a steel cabinet. The rigidity and gauge of steel to be as specified in UL Standard 50 for cabinets. Wiring gutter space shall be in accordance with UL Standard 67 for panelboards. The box shall be fabricated from galvanized steel or equivalent rust resistant steel. All panelboard lock shall be keyed alike. Circuit breaker and fusible distribution panels shall have four-piece trims. A welded circuit directory frame and card with a clear plastic covering shall be provided on the inside of the door. Provide NEMA 1 enclosure where installed indoors unless otherwise noted. Provide NEMA 3R enclosure where installed outside or in a sprinkled area.

G. Safety Barrier

The distribution panelboard interior assembly shall be dead front with panelboard cover removed. Main lugs or main breakers shall have barriers on five sides. The barrier in front of the main lugs shall be hinged to a fixed part of the interior. The end of the bus structure opposite the mains shall have barriers.

H. Integrated Equipment Short Circuit Rating

Each panelboard, as a complete unit, shall have a short circuit current rating equal to or greater than the integrated equipment rating shown on the panelboard schedule or on the plans. This rating shall be established by testing with the over-current devices mounted in the panelboard. The short circuit tests on the over-current devices and on the panelboard structure shall be made simultaneously by connecting the fault to each over-current device with the panelboard connected to its rated voltage source. Method of testing shall be per Underwriters Laboratories Standard UL 67. The source shall be capable of supplying the specified panelboard short circuit current or greater. Testing of panelboard over-current devices for short circuit rating only while individually mounted is not acceptable. Also, testing of the bus structure alone is not acceptable. Panelboards shall be UL listed.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. General: Install panelboards, including electrical connections, in accordance with manufacturers written instructions, NEC and recognized industry practices.
- B. All panels shall be mounted to unistrut. Unistrut shall be securely mounted to the floor and structural ceiling. Toggle bolts or anchor bolts attached to drywall is not acceptable.
- C. Housekeeping Pads: Mount floor mounted panelboards on 4 inch high concrete housekeeping pads.
- D. Fuses: Install fuses of the rating and class as shown in each fusible distribution panel scheduled on drawings.
- E. Conduits: Stub up three one inch conduits to an accessible location above the ceiling for each recessed panelboard.



## 3.2 IDENTIFICATION

- A. Nameplate: Each panelboard shall have an engraved bakelite nameplate. Nameplates shall be white with black letters and show panel designation. Nameplates shall be attached with stainless steel screws. Refer to Section 26 02 00, paragraph 2.8(C).
- B. Directory Card: Cardholders and directory cards shall be furnished for circuit identification in panelboards. Cardholder shall be located on inside of panel door and shall be in a metal frame with clear plastic front. Circuit lists shall be typewritten. Circuit descriptions shall include location and name of each item of equipment served. Spares and spaces shall be written in erasable pencil for future use. Circuit directory shall show the room served by each circuit. The final graphs/signage room numbers shall be used. Do not use Architectural numbering on plans.
- C. Replacement Components: Nameplate shall identify replacement components.



## SECTION 26 27 26 – WIRING DEVICES

### PART 1 – GENERAL

- 1.1 SCOPE
  - A. Provide wiring devices as shown; scheduled, required and as specified.
  - B. The types of wiring devices required include:
    - 1. Receptacles
    - 2. Switches
    - 3. Coverplates

#### 1.2 STANDARDS

- A. NEMAWD-1
- B. NEMA WD-5
- C. UL
- D. Federal Spec WC-596-F and WS-896

### 1.3 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

- A. Hubbell
- B. Leviton
- C. Pass & Seymour

## 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Shop drawings shall include but not be limited to:
  - 1. Cut sheets of all devices indicating NEMA configuration, rating, materials, color, and all accessories.
  - 2. Cut sheets of all coverplates indicating materials, color and any engraving specified on drawing or in the specifications.
- 1.5 REQUIREMENTS OF REGULATORY AGENCIES WORK IN ACCORDANCE WITH:
  - A. National Electric Code.
  - B. Local, municipal, or state codes that have jurisdiction.

PART 2 – PRODUCTS



## 2.1 MATERIALS AND COMPONENTS

- A. GENERAL
  - 1. Provide factory assemble wiring devices with the rating type and color as required and specified for the service indicated.
  - 2. Provide matching one-piece multiple gang plates where switches are ganged.
  - 3. Provide wall plates for each receptacle furnished.
  - 4. Architect reserves the right to select wiring device styles and colors to match wall finish.
  - 5. Wall plates shall be of same manufacturer as devices.

### 2.2 SWITCHES

- A. Provide specification grade [Ivory, White, Gray, Red] toggle switches where indicated on the Drawings. Provide "Red" switches for switching emergency lighting circuits where switching is indicated. Coordinate exact locations with architect.
- B. Wall switches shall be 20 amp, 120-277 volt and shall be Hubbell, Leviton or P&S as follows:
  - 1. SINGLE POLE SWITCHES: Hubbell HBL1221, Leviton 1221-2, P&S PS20AC1
  - 2. DOUBLE POLE SWITCHES: Hubbell HBL1222, Leviton 1222-2, P&S PS20AC2
  - 3. THREE WAY SWITCHES: Hubbell HBL1223, Leviton 1223-2, P&S PS20AC3
  - 4. FOUR WAY SWITCHES: Hubbell HBL1224, Leviton 1224-2, P&S PS20AC4
  - 5. MOMENTARY CONTACT SWITCHES: Hubbell HBL1557, Leviton 1257, P&S 1251
  - 6. THREE POSITION, TWO CIRCUIT MAINTAINED CONTACT SWITCHES: Leviton 1285, Hubbell HBL1385, P&S 1225
  - KEY TYPE LOCKABLE BARREL KEY OR CORBIN STYLE: Leviton 1221-2KL with 2KL key or P&S PS20AC1-KL with 4609 key for each switch, Hubbell #HBL 1221-RKL.
  - 8. Dwelling units shall use Hubbell CS115I and CS120I.
- C. Dimmers: Provide Lutron DIVA or as shown on drawings. Wall box dimmers shall be sized to handle the load. Where fluorescent dimming ballasts are to be used, coordinate wall box dimmer with ballast manufacturer.
- D. Light Handle Switches: Provide Leviton 1221-LHC, Hubbell HBI1221-II, P&S PS20AC1-ISI lighted handles to switch emergency lights were noted on the drawings.



### 2.3 RECEPTACLES

- A. Provide specification grade [Ivory, White, Gray, Red] receptacles where indicated on the drawings. Provide "Red" receptacles for receptacles on emergency power. Coordinate exact location with architect.
- B. Receptacles shall be Hubbell, Leviton or Pass & Seymour as follows:
  - Duplex 20A-125V-self grounding:with Brass mounting yoke (NEMA configuration 5-20R): Hubbell HBL5352, Leviton 5362, P&S 5362A
  - Simplex 20A-125V-Self Grounding with Brass mounting yoke (NEMA configuration 5-20R): Hubbell HBL5361, Leviton 5361, P&S 5361 with Brass mounting yoke.
  - 3. Isolated ground duplex, 20A-125V: (Orange, NEMA configuration 5-20R) Hubbell IG5352, Leviton 5362IG, P&S IG5362.
  - Clock hanger receptacle 15A-125V: (Brown with stainless steel plate with hanger, NEMA configuration 5-15R): Leviton 5361-CH, Hubbell 5235, P&S S3733-SS
  - Ground fault circuit interrupter (GFCI) receptacle 20A-125V; (NEMA Configuration 5-20R, shall incorporate self-test, auto monitoring technology and features which will lock-out or render the device incapable of being reset if ground fault protection is compromised, with "Feed through" connectors capable of protecting connected downstream receptacles on a single circuit, and of being installed in a 2-3/4" deep outlet box without adapter, Hubbell GFRST20, Leviton GFNT2 or P & S 2097.
     [Install Hubbell GFTRST20, Leviton GFTR2 or P&S 2097TR Tamper Resistant type for locations requiring Tamper Resistant installations]
     [Install Hubbell GFTWRST20, Leviton GFWR2 or P&S 2097TRWR Weather Resistant type for installations in damp or wet locations]
  - 6. Tamper resistant receptacles 20A-125V (NEMA configuration 5-20R):
  - 7. Hubbell HBL8300SGA, Leviton 8300-SG, P&S TR63-H.
  - Surge Protection Duplex Receptacles 20A-125V, (NEMA 5-20R) Hospital grade to include LED light and audible alarm: Hubbell HBL8362SA, Leviton 8380, P&S 8300SP
  - Equipment receptacles shall be coordinated with owner/manufacturer requirements and the correct and appropriate receptacle and coverplate shall be installed.
  - 10. Receptacles for dwelling units shall be Hubbell CR15TR and CR20TR tamper resistant receptacles.
  - 11. USB Charger types receptacles shall be Hubbell, 20A, 125V AC Hospital Grade, Tamper Resistant, with two USB Type 2.0 Ports 5.0 Amp, 5V DC, Decorator Type duplex receptacle. Hubbell USB8300A5 or equal by other approved wiring device manufacturers.



- 12. Plug load controlled receptacles shall be Hubbell DR20C2WHI, white, two controlled faces or equal by Leviton of P&S.
- 13. ARC Fault circuit interrupter receptacles shall be Hubbell AFR20TR.
- 14. Ground fault circuit interrupter/ARC Fault dual function receptacles shall be Hubbell AFGF20TR.
- 2.4 OCCUPANCY SENSORS
  - A. Provide [ivory white gray] dual technology wall mounted sensors, provide one of the following:
    - 1. Single Pole:
      - Wattstopper #DSW301
      - Lutron #MSA102
    - 2. Double Pole:
      - Wattstopper # DSW302
      - Lutron #MSA202
    - 3. Dimmer:
      - Wattstopper #DW311
      - Lutron #MSZ101
  - B. Provide dual technology ceiling sensor with low voltage controlling switch and power pack.
    - A. Single Button:
      - Wattstopper # DT300 Sensor, BZ150 Power Pack and LVSW101 Digital Switch
      - Lutron; LOSCDT-2000 Sensor, PP-DV-M Power Pack and NTRCS-1 Digital Switch
  - C. Provide Ultra Sonic Ceiling sensor for restrooms.
    - a. Wattstopper #UT3000, BZ150 Power Pack
    - b. Lutron #LOS-CUT-2000, PP-DV-M Power Pack

### 2.5 DIGITAL TIMER SWITCHES

- A. Provide wattstopper TS-400-G digital timer. Locate in mechanical, electrical, MDF, and IDF Rooms.
- B. The time switch shall provide audible notification and visual notification (blink the room lights) prior to turning lights off.
- C. The time switch shall have a 12 hour manual over ride setting.
- 2.6 PLATES
  - A. Furnish and install plates on all outlet boxes. Oversize (Jumbo) plates are not acceptable.

Plates shall be smooth nylon.



- B. Provide Hubbell WP Series, Bell, Carlon or Leviton NEMA 3R weatherproof coverplates on all exterior wiring devices. Enclosure shall be suitable for wet locations when in use.
- C. Plates shall be Hubbell SS Series, Leviton, Pass & Seymour 302/304 smooth stainless steel on all receptacles 30 amps and larger.
- D. Stainless steel device plates shall be provided at locations with tile or stone walls.

### PART 3 – EXECUTION

#### 3.1 WIRING DEVICE MOUNTING HEIGHTS

- A. Unless noted to the contrary on plans, or directed otherwise during the progress of the Work, wiring devices shall be set as follows:
  - 1. Switches 42" above finished floor.
  - 2. Wall mounted receptacles shall be installed vertically at 15 inches to the bottom outlet above finished floor unless otherwise noted or as required by local codes.
  - 3. Wall telephone outlets shall be mounted 15 inches to the bottom above finished floor unless otherwise noted. Mount even with wall mounted receptacles.
  - 4. At locations above counters, set devices at 6 inches above to the centerline counter tops, verify exact mounting height with the architect.
- 3.2 INSTALLATION (Refer to 26 05 33 for outlet box specifications).
  - A. Wall switches shall be set in a suitable steel box and shall be installed on the strike side of the door as finally hung, whether so indicated on the Drawings or not.
  - B. Receptacles shall be installed in a suitable steel box.
  - C. The Architect reserves the right to relocate wiring device up to a distance of 5 feet from the location shown, before rough-in, without additional cost.
  - D. Provide multi-gang device covers at locations where devices gang together.
  - E. Device locations are indicated schematically on the drawings along with the type and mounting height. Final locations and mounting heights shall be coordinated with the Architect on the jobsite, and with shop drawings of equipment; including equipment to be furnished and installed by the Owner. Devices installed in walls covered with vinyl, fabric wallpaper or other special finishes shall be coordinated and verified with the Architect on the job-site.
  - F. Stranded wire termination to switches, receptacles, devices and miscellaneous control devices shall be with an approved solderless terminal if clamp type securing is not possible (i.e. Sta-Con crimp on fork tongue connectors; Burndy Type TP-F).
  - G. Provide keyed switches in all common areas not monitored by the faculty (i.e. gym, corridors, cafeteria, commons natatoriums).



- H. Tamper-resistant type receptacles shall be installed in all classrooms, cafeterias, corridors, special education, ALE, computer labs, special use classroom and all spaces where children 7 years and younger may occupy. In Child-Care facilities, tamper resistant receptacles shall be provided for all spaces with exception to back-of-house spaces, such as kitchens, custodial closets, electrical and mechanical rooms.
- I. All 20A, 120V receptacles in food service areas shall be GFCI.
- J. All circuit breaker serving electric drinking fountains shall be GFCI.
- K. Provide ARC Fault circuit interrupters (AFCI) as required to comply with 210.12 of the N.E.C. This shall include but not limited to dwelling units and dormitory's. AFCI breakers may be used.
- L. Provide ground fault circuit interrupter (GFCI)/ARC Fault circuit interrupter (AFCI) dual function receptacles to comply with 210.8, 210.12 and 406.4 of the N.E.C.



## **SECTION 26 28 13 - FUSES**

## PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 SCOPE
  - A. Provide fuses as shown and scheduled and indicate by this specification section and other specifications sections.
  - B. The type of fuses include:
    - 1. 600 volt current limiting.
    - 2. 250 volt current limiting.
- 1.2 STANDARDS
  - A. ANSI
  - B. UL
- 1.3 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

Provide fuses manufactured by Bussmann manufacturing.

- 1.4 SUBMITTALS
  - A. Shop drawings shall include, but not be limited to:
    - 1. Cutsheets of all fuses showing ratings and fuse curves.

### 1.5 REQUIREMENTS OF REGULATORY AGENCIES

- A. WORK IN ACCORDANCE WITH:
  - 1. National Electrical Code.
  - 2. Local, municipal, or state codes that have jurisdiction.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 CURRENT LIMITING FUSES
  - A. General: Provide 200,000 amp interrupting capacity current limiting fuses of the ampacity and voltage indicated and scheduled.
  - B. Mains, Feeders and Branch Circuits
    - 1. Circuits 601 to 6000 ampere shall be protected by current limiting BUSSMANN HI-CAP Time Delay Fuses KRP-C. Fuses shall employ "O" ring as positive seals between the end bells and the glass melamine fuse barrel. The terminals shall be peened. Fuses shall be time-delay and must hold 500% of rated current for a minimum of 4 seconds, clear 20 times rated current in .1 seconds or less and be



listed by Underwriters' Laboratories Inc., with an interrupting rating of 200,000 amperes r.m.s. symmetrical. The fuses shall be UL Class L.

- 2. Circuits 0 to 600 ampere shall be protected by current limiting BUSSMANN LOW-PEAK Dual Element Fuses LPN-RK (250 volts) or LPS-RK (600 volts). All dual-element fuses shall have separate overload and short-circuit elements. Fuse shall incorporate a spring activated thermal overload element having a 284 degree Fahrenheit melting point alloy and shall be independent of the short-circuited clearing chamber. The fuse must hold 500% of rated current for a minimum of 10 seconds and listed by Underwriters' Laboratories Inc., with an interrupting rating of 200,000 amperes r.m.s. symmetrical. The fuses shall be UL Class RK1.
- C.
- 1. Motor Circuits All individual motor circuits rated 600 amperes or less shall be protected by BUSSMANN LOW-PEAK Dual Element Fuses LPN-RK (250 volts) or LPS-RK (600 volts). The fuses for 1.15 service factor motors shall be installed in ratings approximately 125% of motor full current except where high ambient temperatures prevail, or where the motor drives a heavy revolving part which cannot be brought up to full speed quickly, such as large fans. Under such conditions the fuse should be 150% to 200% of the motor full load current. Larger H.P. Motor shall be protected by BUSSMANN Type KRP-C HI-CAP Time-Delay Fuses of the rating shown on the drawings. 1.0 service factor motors shall be protected by BUSSMANN LOW-PEAK Dual-Element Fuses LPN-RK (250 volts) or LPS-RK (600 volts) installed in ratings approximately 115% of the motor full load current except as noted above. The fuses shall be UL Class RK1 or L.
- 2. Circuit breaker panels shall be protected by BUSSMANN LOW-PEAK Dual-Element LPN-RK (250 volts) or LPS-RK (600 volts) as shown on the drawings. The fuses shall be UL Class RK1.

## 2.2 SPARES

Upon completion of the building the contractor shall provide the owner with spare fuses as shown below.

- A. 10% (minimum of 3) of each type and rating of installed fuses shall be supplied as spares.
- B. BUSSMANN spare fuse cabinets Catalog No. SFC shall be provided to store the above spares.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 INSTALLATION
  - A. Fuses: Fuses shall not be installed until equipment is ready to be energized. This measure prevents fuse damage during shipment of the equipment from the manufacturer to the job-site or from installation. All fuses shall be furnished and installed by the electrical contractor. All fuses shall be of the same manufacturer.
  - B. All fuses shall be installed in fuse holders.



## SECTION 26 28 16 - SAFETY AND DISCONNECT SWITCHES

PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 SCOPE
  - A. Provide safety and disconnect switches as shown, scheduled and as specified herein.

#### 1.2 STANDARDS

- A. Products shall be designed, manufactured, tested and installed in compliance with applicable standards.
  - 1. NEMA KS1 Enclosed switches
  - 2. Federal specification W-S-865C-Heavy duty switches
- B. Products shall conform all applicable UL standards, including UL98 (standard for safety, enclosed and dead front switches) and shall be UL-labeled.

#### 1.3 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

- A. Provide one of the following manufacturers:
  - 1. General Electric Company
  - 2. Square D Company
  - 3. Siemens
  - 4. Eaton

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Shop drawings shall include, but not be limited to:
  - 1. Cutsheets of switches with ratings, physical dimensions and all accessories clearly labeled.

## 1.5 REQUIREMENTS OF REGULATORY AGENCIES

- A. WORK IN ACCORDANCE WITH:
  - 1. National Electrical Code.
  - 2. Local, municipal, or state codes that have jurisdiction.

#### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 GENERAL
  - A. Furnish and install heavy duty type safety switches with the number of switched poles as



indicated on the plans and specifications. All safety switches shall be NEMA Heavy Duty Type HD, and Underwriters Laboratories listed.

## 2.2 MATERIALS AND COMPONENTS

#### A. Switch Interior

All switches shall have switch blades that are fully visible in the "OFF" position when the door is open. Switches shall have removable arc suppressor where necessary, to permit easy access to line side lugs. Lugs shall be front removable and UL listed for 60°C and 75°C copper or aluminum cables. All switches blades and contacts shall be plated copper. Adjust fuse block to accept Class J fuses.

#### B. Switch Mechanism

Switches shall have a quick-make and quick-break operating handle and mechanism, which shall be an integral part of the box, not the cover. Padlocking provisions shall be provided for locking in the "OFF" position with at least three padlocks. Switches shall have a dual cover interlock to prevent unauthorized opening of the switch door when the handle is in the "ON" position, and to prevent closing of the switch mechanism with the door open. A means shall be provided to permit authorized personnel to release the interlock for inspection purposes. Handle position shall indicate if switch is "ON" or "OFF".

C. Neutral

Provide a solid neutral with the safety switch where a neutral is present in the circuit.

D. Ratings

Switches shall be horsepower rated for ac and/or dc as indicated by the plans. The fused switches shall have Class R rejection fuse clips or adjusted for Class J fuses. UL listed short circuit ratings of the switches, when equipped with Class R fuses, shall be 200,000 symmetrical amperes.

- E. Enclosures
  - 1. Indoor switches shall be furnished in NEMA 1 enclosures.
  - 2. Outdoor switches, switches located in wet areas or sprinkled areas shall be furnished in NEMA 3R enclosures.
  - 3. Switches installed in wet areas such as cooling tower areas shall be NEMA 4X stainless steel or fiberglass reinforced polyester.
  - 4. Switches installed in kitchens shall be stainless steel.
  - 5. Switches installed in areas of a corrosive nature and subjected to salt air shall be NEMA 4X stainless steel or fiberglass reinforced polyester.
- F. Electrical Interlock Contacts



Provide electrical interlock contacts on all disconnect switches serving motors in which remote VFDs are serving the motor. Provide conductors from contacts to the safe circuit inside the VFD. De-energizing the disconnect switch shall signal VFD to stop.

G. Service Entrance

Switch shall be suitable for use as service entrance equipment when installed in accordance with the National Electrical Code.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 GENERAL
  - A. Install safety and disconnect switches, including electrical connections, and fuses in accordance with manufacturer's written instructions, NEC and recognized industry practices.
  - B. Location: Install switches within sight of controllers.
  - C. Hubs: Provide bolt-on hubs for rainproof or wet area applications.

### 3.2 IDENTIFICATION

A. Nameplate: Each disconnect switch shall have an engraved bakelite nameplate. Nameplates shall be white with black letters and show equipment served. Nameplates shall be attached with stainless steel screws.



## SECTION 26 29 01 - MOTORS AND STARTERS

## PART 1 - GENERAL

## 1.1 SCOPE

- A. Provide manual motor starters as shown, scheduled and as specified herein.
- B. All integral motor starters furnished under Division 23 requirements shall be installed under Division 26 requirements unless noted otherwise on the plans.

## C. Refer to 26 29 13 for motor starter specifications.

### 1.2 STANDARDS

- A. Products shall be designed, manufactured, tested and installed in compliance with applicable standards.
- B. Products shall conform to all applicable UL standards and shall be UL-labeled.

## 1.3 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

- A. Provide one of the following manufacturers:
  - 1. General Electric Company
  - 2. Square D Company
  - 3. Siemens
  - 4. Eaton

### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Shop drawings shall include, but not be limited to:
  - 1. Cutsheets of all enclosures, switches, overloads, ratings, and all accessories clearly labeled.

## 1.5 REQUIREMENTS OF REGULATORY AGENCIES

- A. WORK IN ACCORDANCE WITH:
  - 1. National Electrical Code.
  - 2. Local, municipal, or state codes that have jurisdiction.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 MATERIALS
  - A. GENERAL: Refer to the Drawings for starter requirements for each motor.



- 2.2 MANUAL MOTOR STARTERS
  - A. GENERAL: Manual starters shall consist of a manually operated toggle switch equipped with melting alloy type thermal overload relay. Thermal unit shall be of one-piece construction and interchangeable. Starter shall be inoperative if thermal unit is removed. Contacts shall be double break, silver alloy, visible from both sides of starter. Manual starters shall be square "D" class 2510 or 2512 or approved equal. Provide the size and number of poles shall be as shown and required by equipment served. Furnish red pilot light as indicated.
  - B. ENCLOSURES: All manual motor starter enclosures shall be NEMA 1, general purpose enclosures, unless shown otherwise. Provide NEMA 3R enclosure where installed outside or in a sprinkled area.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 INSTALLATION OF MOTORS
  - A. GENERAL: Mount electric motors which are not factory installed.
  - B. MOTOR CONNECTIONS: Provide electrical and grounding connections to motors as indicated. Connections as follows:
    - 1. Not less than 18 inch length of Sealtite, extending from motor connection box to motor branch circuit conduit on outdoor and wet locations. Provide Greenfield for inside dry locations.
    - 2. Install connections mechanically secure, assuring electrical continuity, proper and effective grounding.

### C. INSTALLATION OF MOTOR STARTER

- 1. Install motor starters in accordance with the manufacturer's written instructions, the applicable requirements of the NEC and the NECA's "Standard of Installation", and recognized industry practices to ensure that products serve the intended function.
- 2. Combination starter disconnects and starters mounted in ceiling plenums shall be installed 18" above ceiling grid.



# SECTION 26 29 13 - MOTOR STARTERS

## PART 1 - GENERAL

## 1.1 SCOPE

- A. Provide motor starters as shown, scheduled and as specified herein.
- B. The types of motor starters include:
  - 1. Individual motor starters.
  - 2. **Combination motor starters.**
  - 3. Manual motor starters.
- C. All motor starters for equipment furnished under Division 23 shall be installed under Division 26 requirements unless noted otherwise on the plans.

### 1.2 STANDARDS

- A. Products shall be designed, manufactured, tested and installed in compliance with applicable standards.
- B. Products shall conform to all applicable UL standards and shall be UL-labeled.
- 1.3 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS
  - A. Provide one of the following manufacturers:
    - 1. General Electric Company
    - 2. Square D Company
    - 3. Siemens
    - 4. Eaton

### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Shop drawings shall include, but not be limited to:
  - 1. Cutsheets of all enclosures, circuit breakers, fusible and non-fusible switches, overloads, ratings, schedules and all accessories clearly labeled.

## 1.5 REQUIREMENTS OF REGULATORY AGENCIES

- A. WORK IN ACCORDANCE WITH:
  - 1. National Electrical Code.
  - 2. Local, municipal, or state codes that have jurisdiction.



PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 MOTOR STARTERS
  - A. GENERAL: Motor starters shall be Square D Company Class 8536 across-the-line magnetic type, full-voltage, non-reversing (FVNR) starter. Provide FVNR speed, single winding starter where indicated. Provide Square D Class 8736 "FVR" with selector switch for motors being served by a variable speed drive. All starters shall be constructed and tested in accordance with the latest NEMA standards, sizes and horsepower. IEC sizes are not acceptable. Starters shall be mounted in a general purpose dead front, painted steel enclosure and surface-mounted. Provide size and number of poles as shown and required by equipment served.
  - B. CONTACTS: Magnetic starters contacts shall be double break solid silver alloy.

All contacts shall be replaceable without removing power wiring or removing starter from panel. The starter shall have straight-through wiring.

- C. OPERATING COILS: Operating coils shall be 120 volts and shall be of molded construction. When the coil fails, the starter shall open and shall not lock in the closed position.
- D. OVERLOAD RELAYS: Provide manual reset, trip-free Class 20 overload relays in each phase conductor in of all starters. Overload relays shall be melting alloy type with visual trip indication. All 3 phase and single phase starters shall have one overload relay in each underground conductor. Relay shall not be field adjustable from manual to automatic reset.
- E. PILOT LIGHTS: Provide a red "on" running pilot light and green "off" pilot light for all motor starters. Provide fast and slow pilot lights for two speed starters. Pilot lights shall be mounted in the starter enclosure cover and shall be "L.E.D.". Pilot lights shall be operated from an interlock on the motor starter and shall not be wired across the operating coil.
- F. CONTROLS: Provide starters with HAND-OFF-AUTOMATIC switches. Coordinate additional motor starter controls with the requirements of Division 23. Motor starter controls shall be mounted in the starter enclosure cover.
- G. CONTROL POWER TRANSFORMER: Provide a single-phase 480 volt control power transformer with each starter for 120 volt control power. Connect the primary side to the line side of the motor starter. The primary side shall be protected by a fuse for each conductor. The secondary side shall have one leg fused and one leg grounded. Arrange transformer terminals so that wiring to terminals will not be located above the transformer.
- H. AUXILIARY CONTACTS: Each starter shall have one normally open and one normally closed convertible auxiliary contact in addition to the number of contacts required for the "holding interlock", remote monitoring, and control wiring. In addition, it shall be possible to field-install three more additional auxiliary contacts without removing existing wiring or removing the starter from its enclosure.
- I. UNIT WIRING: Unit shall be completely pre-wired to terminals to eliminate any interior field wiring except for line and load power wiring and HVAC control wiring.



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- J. ENCLOSURES: All motor starter enclosures shall be NEMA 1, general purpose enclosures or NEMA-3R if mounted outside. Provide NEMA 4X stainless steel mounted next to cooling towers.
- K. Power Monitor: Provide a Square "D" RM3TAR114TS7 or approved equal phase failure and under-voltage relay, base and wiring required for starters serving motors 5 horse power and larger. Set the under-voltage setting according to minimum voltage required for the motor to operate within its range.

## 2.2 COMBINATION MOTOR STARTERS

- A. GENERAL: Combination motor starters shall consist of a magnetic starter and a fusible or non-fusible disconnect switch in a dead front, painted steel NEMA 1 enclosure unless otherwise noted and shall be surface-mounted. Size and number of poles shall as shown and required by equipment served. Combination motor starters shall be as specified for motor starters in Paragraph 2.1/A, except as modified herein.
- B. DISCONNECT SWITCH: Disconnect switches shall be as specified in Section 26 28 16.
- 2.3 MANUAL MOTOR STARTERS
  - A. GENERAL: Manual starters shall consist of a manually operated toggle switch equipped with melting alloy type thermal overload relay. Thermal unit shall be of one-piece construction and interchangeable. Starter shall be inoperative if thermal unit is removed. Contacts shall be double break, silver alloy, visible from both sides of starter. Manual starters shall be Square D class 2510 or 2512 or approved equal. Provide the size and number of poles shall be as shown and required by equipment served. Furnish red pilot light as indicated.
  - B. ENCLOSURES: All manual motor starter enclosures shall be NEMA 1, general purpose enclosures, or NEMA-3R if mounted exposed to high moisture conditions. Provide NEMA-4X when mounted next to cooling tower.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 INSTALLATION OF MOTORS
  - A. GENERAL: Mount electric motors which are not factory installed.
  - B. MOTOR CONNECTIONS: Provide electrical and grounding connections to motors as indicated. Connections as follows:
    - 1. Not less than 18 inch length of Sealtite, extending from motor connection box to motor branch circuit conduit on outdoor and wet locations. Provide Greenfield for inside dry locations.
    - 2. Install connections mechanically secure, assuring electrical continuity, proper and effective grounding.

## 3.2 INSTALLATION OF MOTOR STARTERS

A. GENERAL: Install motor starters in accordance with the manufacturer's written instructions, the applicable requirements of the NEC and the NECA's "Standard of



Installation", and recognized industry practices to ensure that products serve the intended function.

- B. OVERLOADS: Install overload heaters in each motor starter. Heater ratings shall be based on actual motor nameplate full load amps.
- C. COORDINATION: Motor starters shall be provided to properly coordinate with motors as furnished by Division 23. Motor starter controls shall be provided to properly coordinate with controls specified in Division 23.
- D. SUPPORTS: Motor starter enclosures shall be installed on galvanized unistrut or other supports where mounting on wall and shall not be supported by conduit alone. When enclosures are unit mounted on equipment served, the switch shall not inhibit the removal of any service panels or interfere with any required access areas. Combination starter disconnects and starters mounted in ceiling plenums shall be installed 18" above ceiling grid.
- 3.3 TESTING
  - A. GENERAL: Check motor starters for continuity of circuits, for short circuits and demonstrate that it is functioning properly with HVAC controls.
  - B. MOTOR-STARTER COORDINATION DOCUMENTATIONS: Provide motor-starter coordination documents including, but not limited to, the following information in the operation and maintenance manuals.
    - 1. Motor size in horsepower
    - 2. Motor full load amp
    - 3. Motor efficiency
    - 4. Service factor
    - 5. Size and manufacturer catalog number of starter and thermal overloads.



## SECTION 26 29 26 - MISCELLANEOUS ELECTRICAL CONTROLS AND WIRING

PART 1 - GENERAL

### 1.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

A. The requirements of the General Conditions and Supplementary Conditions apply to all work herein.

#### 1.2 SCOPE

- A. Provide the various miscellaneous control devices, wiring and additional branch circuits as required, shown and specified.
- B. The types of miscellaneous control devices and wiring include but not limited to the following.
  - 1. Contactors
  - 2. Relays
  - 3. Photocells
  - 4. Time switches
  - 5. Additional control wiring and safety devices as shown and specified.
  - 6. Connect power from fire alarm relays to starters to shut down air handling units.
- C. WORK SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE:
  - 1. Various control devices, of an electrical nature, for the safe operation and temperature control of the heating, ventilating, air conditioning and plumbing systems provided under Division 23.
  - 2. All control wiring and conduit shall be furnished under Division 23. All power wiring 120 volt or larger shall be provided by Division 26.
  - 3. Refer to building controls specification, Division 23 for scope of work required to be performed by Division 26 (electrical contractor).

### 1.3 REQUIREMENTS OF REGULATORY AGENCIES

- A. WORK IN ACCORDANCE WITH:
  - 1. National Electrical Code.
  - 2. Local municipal or state codes that have jurisdiction.

### 1.4 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

A. Provide one of the following manufacturers:



- 1. LIGHTING CONTACTORS AND RELAYS
  - a. General Electric
  - b. Square D Company
  - c. Automatic Switch Company
- 2. PHOTOCELLS AND TIME SWITCHES
  - a. Tork, Inc.
  - b. Intermatic time controls
  - c. AMF paragon

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

- 2.1 MATERIAL
  - A. GENERAL: This Section shall outline the basic installation of electric devices, conduit, boxes, fittings, and wiring required for complete interconnection of several systems, this may not reflect every required appurtenance. It does not cover integral parts of mechanical equipment.
  - B. CONTACTORS AND RELAYS: Provide control wiring, contactors, and relays with the ampere-rating and number of poles as shown, specified, and required for a complete and functioning system:
    - 1. Rated at 600 volts, 60 hertz.
    - 2. Continuously rated contacts for all types of ballast and tungsten lighting, resistance and motor loads. Contacts shall be sized as scheduled or noted.
    - 3. Shall have totally enclosed, double-break silver-cadmium-oxide power contacts. Auxiliary arcing contacts are not acceptable. Contact inspection and replacement shall be possible without disturbing line or load wiring.
    - 4. The contactor shall have straight-through wiring with all terminals clearly marked.
    - 5. The contactor shall be approved per UL508 and/or CSA, and be designed in accordance with NEMA ICS2-21 1B.
    - 6. They shall be industrial-duty rated for applications to 600 volts maximum.
    - 7. The contactor shall have provisions for factory or field addition of:
      - a. Four (4) N.O. or N.C. auxiliary contacts rated 6 amperes continuous at 600 volts.
      - b. Single or double circuit, N.O. or N.C., 30 or 60 ampere 600 volt powerpole adder.
    - 8. The contactor shall have a NEMA type 1 enclosure unless otherwise noted.
    - 9. Control power to the contactor 120V control circuit shall be provided from the nearest panelboard 120V circuit. If the 120V control power circuit is not shown, provide a control power transformer for 120 volt control power and a 120 volt coil when required for control. Provide primary and secondary fuses on the control power transformer.



- 10. Electrically Held Lighting Contactor coils shall be continuously rated and encapsulated. Electrically held contactors are not to be used unless specifically shown on the plans.
- 11. Mechanically Held Lighting Contactors Coil-clearing contacts shall be supplied so that the contactor coils shall be energized only during the instance of operation. Both latch and unlatch coils shall be encapsulated. All contactors shall be mechanically held unless noted otherwise on the plans.
- 12. Provide 2-wire or 3-wire control modules as required to operate lighting contactors.
- 13. Provide hand-off-automatic controls (H-O-A) for each lighting contactor.
- 14. Provide relays and contactors to shut down air handling units.
- C. Photocells: Provide a specification grade self contained, weatherproof, photoelectric control that shall be mounted on an FS type weatherproof junction box. The photocell shall:
  - 1. Switch "ON" at dusk and "OFF" at dawn.
  - 2. Adjustable from 2 to 50 foot candles.
  - 3. Rated at 2000 watts.
  - 4. Use 1" diameter cadmium sulphide cell.
  - 5. Have a 2 minute delay to prevent false switching.
- D. TIME SWITCHES: Provide a 7-day digital time clock with battery back-up feature installed in a NEMA 3R enclosure.
- E. Control wiring shall be not less than #14 AWG type TW, and shall be color coded and labeled with Brady markers throughout. Bundle multiple conductors with Ty-Raps.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 Install miscellaneous electrical controls and wiring to provide a functioning system.

### 3.2 DIVISION 22, 23, 27 AND 28 MISCELLANEOUS POWER AND CONTROLS

- A. Install electrical devices not an integral part of system equipment providing conduit, boxes, fittings, wiring, circuit breakers, disconnecting means and other devices.
- B. Contractor is responsible for providing all line voltage power to devices that require electrical power to operate. Contractor shall terminate line voltage power to termination points. Contractor shall coordinate between all trades to determine sizing and quantities of line voltage circuits to adequately power and control devices. Provide circuits from nearest low voltage panel using spare circuits provided, if device requires power not already available or indicated.



- C. Provide GFCI receptacle with weather proof cover within 25 feet of all heating, air conditioning and refrigeration equipment.
- 3.3 Install contactor and relays in electrical/mechanical rooms unless otherwise noted.
- 3.4 Install photocells on the roof unless otherwise directed by the architect. Coordinate any roof penetrations with all other trades and shield from other light sources.
- 3.5 Provide miscellaneous connections for signs and other furnished equipment as shown on the Drawings.



## SECTION 26 43 13.13 - SURGE PROTECTIVE DEVICES (SPD) – STANDARD INTERRUPTING

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 SCOPE

- A. Specify the electrical and mechanical requirements for a modular high-energy surge protective device system (SPD). The specified system shall provide effective high energy surge current diversion and be suitable for application in ANSI/IEEE C62.41 Category A, B and C3 environments, as tested by ANSI/IEEE C62.11, C62.45.
- B. The system shall be constructed using multiple surge current diversion modules utilizing metal oxide variators (MOV) computer matched to +/- 1-volt variance and tested for manufacturer's defects. The modules shall be designed and constructed in a manner that ensures surge current sharing. Use of gas tubes, silicon avalanche diodes or selenium cells are unacceptable. Devices using less than 14 MOV's/fuse links per phase will not be accepted.
- C. Third Party Test Report verifying surge current rating, longevity, testing, and filtering capabilities

### 1.2 STANDARDS

A. The specified system shall be designed, manufactured, tested and installed in compliance with the following codes and standards:

Canadian Standards Association (CSA) American National Standards Institute and Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers (ANSI/IEEE C62.11, C62.41, C62.45) Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers 1100 Emerald Book Federal Information Processing Standards Publication 94 (FIBS PUB 94) National Electrical Manufacturer Association (NEMA LS-1 1992) National Fire Protection Association (NFPA 20, 70, 75 and 780) National Electric Code Underwriters Laboratories (UL 1449 and UL 1283) (Fourth Edition 2006) Revisions (June 1, 2009) International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC 801) International Standards Organization (ISO) Company certified ISO 9001 for manufacturing, design and service EMC Directive 89/336/EEC - CE compliant

- B. The systems individual units shall be UL Listed and labeled under UL 1449 (Fourth Edition) Standard for Surge Protection Devices Type 1 20kA with a nominal discharge current of 20kA and the surge ratings shall be permanently affixed to the SPD. The units shall also be listed and labeled to UL1283 for type 2 locations Standard for Electromagnetic Interference Filters, and CSA Listed.
- 1.3 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS
  - A. ASCO Power Technologies (formerly Liebert)
- 1.4 SUBMITTALS



- A. Shop drawings shall include, but not be limited to:
  - 1. Cutsheets of surge protection devices with ratings, physical dimensions and all accessories clearly labeled.
  - 2. Device labels shall be clearly indicated in cutsheets.
  - 3. All standards and listings, as specified in section 1.2A-B, shall be clearly labeled in cutsheets provided.
  - 4. Cutsheets shall clearly outline that design requirements of this specification have been met.

## 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. The manufacturer shall be ISO 9001 certified. The specified system shall be tested at the component and fully assembled level, under surge conditions with AC power applied for a minimum of 1 hour. Testing shall include but not be limited to quality control checks, dielectric voltage withstand test per UL and CSA requirements, UL ground continuity tests and operational and calibration tests.
- B. The unit shall be designed and manufactured in the USA by a qualified manufacturer of line conditioning equipment and Active Tracking Filters. The manufacturer shall have been engaged in the design and manufacture of such products for a minimum of 10 years.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 ENCLOSURE

- A. The specified system shall be provided in a heavy duty NEMA 4 or better dust-tight, drip-tight enclosure with no ventilation openings.
- 2.2 OVERCURRENT PROTECTION (FUSING)
  - A. All components, including suppression, filtering, and monitoring components, shall be individually fused and rated to allow maximum specified surge current capacity. For every 100 K amps of Surge Current Capacity, 120 amps RMS of internal, integral fusing shall be required.
  - B. Individual surge components shall be sand packed and fused at a maximum of 7 1/2 amps to prevent violent failure. The fusing shall be UL listed to be capable of interrupting up to 300 kA symmetrical fault current with 600VAC applied. Replaceable fusing is unacceptable. Overcurrent protection that limits specified surge currents is not acceptable.

### 2.3 DESIGN REQUIREMENTS

A. Protection Modes

The SPD shall provide protection as follows: All modes, L-N or L-L, L-G and N-G (where applicable) Note: L = Line, G = Ground, N = Neutral



B. UL 1449 Ratings

The maximum UL 1449 listed surge ratings for each and/or all of the specified protection modes shall not exceed the following in any mode of protection:

<u>System voltage</u>	Voltage Protection Rating L-L
120/208 or 120/240 volt	900 volts
277/480 volt	1800 volts

## C. Noise Attenuation

The unit shall be UL 1283 Listed as an electromagnetic interference filter in type 2 locations. The filter shall provide insertion loss with a maximum of 60 dB from 100 KHz to 100 MHz per 50 Ohm Insertion Loss Methodology from MIL 220A. The system shall provide up to 120 dB insertion loss from 100 KHz to 100 MHz when used in a coordinated facility system.

 Life Cycle Testing The SPD system shall be duty life cycle tested to survive 16,000 20kV, 10kA Surges, per IEEE C62.41 Category C3 surge current with less than 5% degradation of clamping voltage.

### 2.4 CONNECTIONS

A. The terminals shall be provided to accommodate wire sizes up to #10 AWG.

### 2.5 ACCESSORIES

A. Unit Status Indicators:

Red and green solid state indicators with printed labels shall be provided on the front cover to redundantly indicate on-line unit status including N-G monitoring. The absence of the green light and the presence of the red light shall reliably indicate that surge protection is reduced and service is needed to restore full operation.

- B. Dry Contacts for remote monitoring: Electrically isolated Form C dry contacts, one normally open and one normally closed set standard on all units for remote monitoring.
- C. Undervoltage detection: Unit shall be equipped with 70% undervoltage detection capability.
- D. Phase Loss Monitoring: Unit shall be equipped with phase loss monitoring.
- E. Power Loss Monitoring: Unit shall be equipped with power loss monitoring.

## 2.6 TESTING

A. Component Testing and Monitoring Unit shall include an on-line circuit which tests and redundantly monitors individual components in all protection modes including neutral to ground (where applicable). Units that require external test sets or equipment are unacceptable.



## 2.7 ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS

Α.	Storage Temperature:	-55 to +85 C (-67 to +187 F)
В.	Operating Temperature:	-40 to +60 C (-40 to 140 F)
C.	Relative Humidity:	0% to 95%
D.	Audible Noise:	less than 45 dBa at 5 feet (1.5 m).
E.	Operating Altitude:	0 to 18,000 feet above sea level.

### 2.8 WARRANTY

A. The manufacturer shall provide a full 10 year parts and a 5 year labor warranty from date of shipment against any part failure when installed in compliance with manufacturer's written instructions, UL Listing requirements and any applicable national, state or local electrical codes. Direct, factory trained, ISO 9001 certified employees must be available for 48 hour assessment. A 24 hour 800 number must be available to support warranty.

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 INSTALLATION

A. Install the parallel SPD with short and straight conductors as practically possible. Locate adjacent to the switchboard or panel it is serving. The contractor shall twist the SPD input conductors together to reduce input conductor inductance. The contractor shall follow the SPD manufacturer's recommended installation practices as found in the installation, operation and maintenance manual and comply with all applicable codes. Provide ASCO Accuguide cable if the cable length exceeds 5 feet from the circuit breaker servicing the SPD.



## SECTION 26 51 00. 13 - LIGHTING FIXTURES- LIGHT EMITTING DIODE (LED)

#### PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 SCOPE
  - A. Furnish and install general and emergency lighting fixtures as noted on the drawings. Fixtures shall be completely wired with lamps installed and shall be in perfect operating condition at the time of substantial completion.
  - B. The types of lighting fixtures required for this project include:
    - 1. LED

#### 1.2 STANDARDS

- A. All fixtures shall conform to all applicable UL standards and shall be UL label including damp and wet location ratings. "ETL listed" is an acceptable listing.
- B. NFPA 101
- C. ANSI C82.1
- D. NEMA-LE
- E. All LED drivers shall be UL recognized Class 2 per UL1310 or non-Class 2 per UL 1012 as applicable.
- F. All LED drivers shall comply with applicable requirements of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) rules and regulations, Title 47 CFR part 15, for Non-Consumer Equipment.
- G. All LED drivers shall be RoHS compliant.
- H. TM-21
- I. LM-80
- J. LM-79
- K. L70
- L. DLC
- M. UL 1008
- 1.3 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS
  - A. Provide lighting fixtures produced by manufacturers as shown and scheduled.
  - B. LED DRIVER:
    - 1. Provide one of the following manufacturers
      - a. Eldo



- b. Lutron
- c. Osram
- d. Philips
- C. LAMPS:
  - 1. Provide one of the following LED Chip manufacturers
    - a. Cree
    - b. Nichia
    - c. North American Philips
    - d. Seoul
    - e. Lumileds

## 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Shop drawings shall include a brochure with a separate cut sheet for each fixture type arranged in alphabetical order with fixture and all accessories/options clearly labeled. Provide performance data for each fixture. Provide an independent test lab report for each fixture if requested by the Architect/Engineer.
- B. Provide driver and LED module data brochures for each fixture type.
- C. Furnish air handling and heat removal data for light fixtures specified with these requirements.
- 1.5 REQUIREMENTS OF REGULATORY AGENCIES
  - A. WORK IN ACCORDANCE WITH:
    - 1. National Electrical Code.
    - 2. Local, municipal, or state codes that have jurisdiction.
    - 3. UL fire resistance directory.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 MATERIALS AND COMPONENTS

A. General:

Provide the size, type and rating of each light fixture shown and scheduled. All light fixtures shall complete with reflectors, lens, trim rings, flanges, LED modules, lamp holders, drivers, fuses, wiring, earthquake clips, etc. to provide a complete functioning light fixture.

- B. Lighting Fixture Types:
  - 1. LED Fixtures
    - a. Fixtures shall be pre-wired with frame-in kit and integral thermal management system for fixtures. Driver shall be encased in metal-can construction for optimal thermal performance.
    - b. Total fixture lumen output is dependent on the chip, thermal management, driver current and optical system. LED fixtures shall be tested as a



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complete unit or system. Only DOE recognized CALiPER testing laboratory results shall be utilized.

- c. Interior LED fixtures shall have integral common mode and differential mode surge protection of 3kV(1.2/50µs, 2 ohm combination wave).
- d. Exterior LED fixtures shall have integral common mode and differential mode surge protection of 10kV/10kA(1.2/50µs, 2 ohm combination wave).
- 2. Exit signs
  - a. Exit signs shall meet all federal, state and local codes.
  - b. Provide fire alarm interface relay when required to flash exit signs.
  - c. Provide battery packs for emergency operation when not connected to emergency generator power.

### 2.2 LED MODULES AND DRIVERS - COORDINATE WITH LIGHT FIXTURE SCHEDULE

- A. LED
  - 1. Driver manufacturer shall have a 10-year history producing electronic drivers for the North American market.
  - 2. Driver shall carry a five year limited warranty from date of manufacture against defects in material or workmanship (including replacement) for operation at a maximum case temperature of 80 degrees Celsius.
  - 3. Drivers shall not contain any Polychlorinated Biphenyl (PCB).
  - 4. Provide driver with integral color-coded leads.
  - 5. Driver shall operate from 50/60 Hz input source of 120 Volt through 277 Volt or 347 Volt through 480 Volt with sustained variations of +/- 10% (voltage) with no damage to the driver.
  - 6. Driver output shall be regulated to +/- 5% across published load range. And shall have a power factor greater than .90 for primary application to 50% of full load rating with an input current Total Harmonic Distortion (THD) of less than 20% to 50% of full load rating.
  - 7. Provide drivers with a Class A sound rating.
  - Provide LED drivers for outdoor fixtures with a minimum operating temperature of -40 degrees Celsius (-40 F). Provide LED drivers for indoor fixtures with a minimum operating temperature of -20 degrees Celsius (-2F).
  - 9. Drivers shall tolerate sustained open circuit and short circuit output conditions without fail and auto-resetting without need for external fuses or trip devices.
  - 10. Driver output ripple current shall be less than 15% measured peak-to-average, with ripple frequency being greater than 100Hz.
  - 11. Driver performance requirements shall be met when operated to 50% of full load rating.
  - 12. Driver shall have integral thermal foldback to reduce driver power above rated case



temperature to protect the driver if temperatures reach unacceptable levels.

- 13. Drivers shall comply with NEMA 410 for in-rush current limits.
- 14. Dimmable drivers shall be controlled by a Class 2 low voltage 0-10VDC controller with dimming range controlled between 1 and 8VDC with source current 150μA.
- 2.3 LAMPS COORDINATE WITH LIGHT FIXTURE SCHEDULE
  - A. LED Lamps shall be appropriately matched to the driver with junction-down design for improved thermal management. Maximum DC Forward Current.
- 2.4 EMERGENCY LED BATTERY BACKUP
  - A. Provide Bodine #BSL310M for emergency light fixtures in 9 or 10-foot ceiling.
  - B. Provide Bodine #BSL20 for emergency LED driver for emergency light fixtures in ceiling heights greater than 12 feet.
  - C. Provide Bodine #BSL17-C2 for emergency LED driver for LED downlights.
  - D. Provide unswitched hot leg. Hot leg shall originate from the same branch circuit as required in NEC article 700.12 (F).

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

- 3.1 INSTALLATIONS
  - A. General
    - 1. Install the type of lighting fixture where shown and indicated in accordance with manufacturer's written instructions.
    - 2. Provide earthquake clips on all recessed lay-in lighting fixtures as required by building code.
    - 3. Adjust all adjustable lighting fixtures, as directed by the Architect.
    - 4. Provide safety chains and wire guards for lighting fixtures located in gymnasium, multi-purpose rooms, play areas, etc.
  - B. Coordination
    - 1. The contractor shall verify the type of fixtures with the ceiling types as indicated on the drawings. Any discrepancies shall immediately be brought to the architect's attention before the contractor places his order and accepts delivery. Fixtures shall fit exact in the type of ceiling scheduled. Provide plaster frames, trim rings and other accessories required for a correct fit.
    - 2. Provide supports attached to structural member to support fixtures when the ceiling system cannot maintain support. Provide separate supports for all recessed ceiling mounted HID fixtures.



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- 3. Refer to architectural reflected ceiling plan for the exact location of all lighting fixtures. Notify the architect for any discrepancies or conflicts with structural, architectural, mechanical piping or ductwork before installation.
- C. Mounting
  - 1. Provide support channels to support outlet boxes used support surface mounted lighting fixtures such as exit signs or downlights.
  - 2. Pendant or surface mounted fixture shall be provided with required mounting devices and accessories, including hickeys and stud-extensions, ball-aligners, canopies and stems. Locations of fixtures in mechanical areas shall be coordinated with mechanical contractor. Mounting stems of pendant fixtures shall be of the correct length to uniformly maintain the fixture heights shown on the drawings or established in the field. The allowable variation tolerance in mounting individual fixtures shall not exceed 1/4 inch and shall not vary more than 1/2 inch from the floor mounting height shown on the Drawings. Fixtures hung in continuous runs shall be installed absolutely level and in line with each other. Hanging devices shall comply with Code requirements. Fixtures shall employ single not twin stem hangers unless otherwise noted.
  - 3. All structure mounted fixtures (i.e. bracket mounted, pipe mounted and surface mounted) shall be provided with cables of suitable size and weight to support the weight of the fixture. Cables shall be fastened around or fastened to the housing of the fixture. On pendant fixtures, one safety cable of suitable size and weight to support the weight of the fixture assembly shall connect the top of the pendant to the supporting structure by means of welding or bolting, and one safety cable shall connect the housing of the fixture occurs, only one pendant must be cabled. Track fixtures for pendant mounted track shall also be supplied with clip-on safety cables of suitable size and weight to support the weight of the fixture.
  - 4. Provide secondary support wires from all four (4) corners of the lay-in fixtures to the structure above. Do not support fixtures from ceiling grid wire supports, piping, conduit, side walls, or mechanical equipment. Ceiling specifications do not supersede this requirement.
  - 5. [Where pole mounted luminaries are provided, provide appropriate anchor base pole as specified with manufacturer's recommended anchor bolts. Verify exact location on site for poles with Architect, Civil, and Landscape documents. Poles shall be installed on proper footing. Refer to details on the drawings. Provide grounding connection to a separately driven ground rod, outside of the footing. Where indicated provide pole with identification plate indicating pole number.]
- D. Electrical Connection
  - All light fixtures shall be connected from a branch circuit junction box using 1/2" flexible metal conduit or MC cable fixture pigtails not exceeding 8'- 0". Provide #12 AWG conductors. All fixtures must be grounded by using a grounding conductor. Fixture to fixture wiring of fixtures installed in an accessible ceiling is not permitted. Fixture whips shall not lay-on ceiling tile or grid. Provide caddy clips to provide additional support.



- E. Fire Rated Ceiling
  - 1. Provide fire rated canopy or enclosure for all fixtures recessed in a fire rated ceiling. The fire rated canopy or enclosure shall be as required by the UL design number listed in the UL fire resistance directory. Refer to architectural drawing for the UL design number. Coordinate with ceiling installer and manufacturer. Provide proper rated drivers for lighting fixtures installed within these rated enclosures.
- F. Air Handling Fixtures
  - 1. Install all air handling light fixtures with return air slot in the open position, if it is to be as an air handling fixture. Coordinate with mechanical contractor.

## 3.2 FINAL INSPECTION

- A. Remove all plastic and protective coating from all fixtures. Fixtures shall be thoroughly cleaned. Replace any damaged fixture or fixture parts including reflectors, louvers, lens and metal parts that show signs of corrosion.
- B. Replace all other defective fixtures showing signs of excessive usage.
- C. Demonstrate proper operation of all fixtures and controls. Refer to other sections and details on the drawings for lighting controls.



SECTION 32 31 19 – DECORATIVE METAL FENCES AND GATES

PART 1 GENERAL

- 1.01 WORK INCLUDED
  - A. Ornamental picket fencing and accessories.

#### 1.02 RELATED WORK

- A. Section 31 00 00 Earthwork
- B. Section 03 30 00 Concrete

#### 1.03 REFERENCES

- ASTM B117 Practice for Operating Sal-Spray (Fog) Apparatus
- ASTM B221 Standard Specification for Aluminum and Aluminum-Alloy Extruded Bars, Rods, Wire, Profiles and Tubes
- ASTM D523 Test Method for Sepcular Gloss
- ASTM D822 Practice for Conducting Tests on Paint and Related Coatings and Materials using Filtered Open-Flamed Carbon-Arc Light and Water Exposure Apparatus
- ASTM D1654 Test Method for Evaluation of Painted or Coated Specimens Subjected to Corrosive Environments
- ASTM D2244 Test Method for Calculation of Color Differences from Instrumentally Measured Color Coordinates
- ASTM D2794 Test Method of Resistance of Oraganic Coatings to the Effects of Rapid Deformation (Impact)
- ASTM D3359 Test Method for Measuring Adhesion by Tape Test

#### 1.04 SUBMITTALS:

- A. Changes in specification may not be made after the bid date.
- B. Shop Drawings: Layout of fence and gates with dimensions, details, and finishes of component accessories and post foundations.
- C. Product Data: Manufacturer's catalogue cuts indicating material compliance and specified options.
- D. Samples: Color selections for polyester finishes. If requested, samples of materials, (e.g. finials, caps, and accessories).

#### 1.05 PRODUCT HANDLING AND STORAGE

Upon receipt at the job site, all materials shall be checked to ensure that no damage occurred during shipping or handling. Materials shall be stored in such a manner to ensure proper ventilation and drainage, and to protect against damage, weather, vandalism and theft.

#### 1.06 SPECIAL WARRANTY

A. Provide manufacturer's standard limited warranty that its ornamental fence system is free from defects in material and workmanship including cracking, peeling, blistering and corroding for a period of 15 years from the date of purchase.

#### PART 2 PRODUCTS

#### 2.01 MANUFACTURER



- A. Products from other qualified manufacturers having a minimum of 5 years experience manufacturing ornamental picket fencing will be acceptable by the architect as equal, if approved in writing, ten days prior to bidding, and if they meet the following specifications for design, size, gauge of metal parts and fabrication.
- B. Ornamental Picket Fence: Style: Montage Plus. Genesis Style Height: As indicated on drawings

Approved Supplier: Ameristar Fence Products

### 2.02 ORNAMENTAL PICKET FENCE

- A. Pickets: Galvanized square steel tubular members manufactured per ASTM A-924/A-924M, having a 45,000 psi (310 MPa) yield strength and hot-dip galvanized per ASTM A653/A653M with a G90 zinc coating, 0.90 oz/ft<sup>2</sup> (0.27 kg/M<sup>2</sup>. Minimum size pickets 1" (25.4 mm). Space pickets 3-15/16" maximum (100 mm) face to face. Attach each picket to each rail with 1/4" (6 mm) industrial drive rivets. Size # 4. Minimum gauge wall thickness 16 gauge (.065mm)].
- B. Rails: 1-1/2" (38mm) x 1-3/8" (35mm) x 1-1/2" (38mm), 11 gauge [0.120" (3.05mm)] thick galvanized steel "U" channel per ASTM A-653/A-653M, having a 50,000 psi (344 MPa) yield strength and G90 zinc coating, 0.90 oz/fl<sup>2</sup> (0.27 kg/M<sup>2</sup>). Punch rails to receive pickets and rivets and attach rails to rail brackets with 2 each, 1/4" (6 mm) industrial drive rivets.
- C. Posts: Galvanized square steel tubular members manufactured per ASTM A-653/A-653M having a 45,000 psi (310 MPa) yield strength and G90 zinc coating, 0.90 oz/fl<sup>2</sup>). Zinc coating is(inside and outside), (Posts zinc coated outside and painted inside, is unacceptable). Minimum post size 2.5 inches (63.5 mm), having 14 gauge wall thickness (.083 mm).
- D. Accessories: Assembled panels with ornamental accessories attached using industrial drive rivets to prevent removal and vandalism.
- E. Finish: All pickets, channels, posts, fittings and accessories polyester powder coated individually after drilling and layout, to ensure maximum corrosion protection. (Coating of assembled sections is unacceptable). All components are given a 4-stage "Power Wash" pre-treatment process that cleans and prepares the galvanized surface to assure complete adhesion of the finish coat. All metal is then given a polyester resin based power coating applied by the electrostatic spray process, minimum 3 mils. The finish is then baked in a 450°F (232°C) (metal temperature) oven for 20 minutes. Color hall be as selected by Architect from manufacturers standard colors.

## 2.03 ACCESSORIES

- A. Rail Attachment Brackets die cast of zinc (ZAMAK #3 Alloy) per ASTM B86-83Z 33521. Ball and socket design capable of 30° swivel (up/down - left/right). Bracket to fully encapsulate rail end for complete security. (no substitution)
- B. Industrial Drive Rivets: Of sufficient length to attach items in a secure nonrattling position. Rivet to have a minimum of 1100 lbs. (4894 N) holding power and a shear strength of 1500 lbs. (6674 N).
- C. Ornamental Picket Fence Accessories: Provide indicated items required to complete fence system. Galvanize each ferrous metal item in accordance with ASTM B695 and finish to match framing.



- D. Post Caps: Formed steel, cast of malleable iron or aluminum alloy, weather tight closure cap. Provide one flat style post cap for each post.
- E. Rings: Cast aluminum. Attach ring to top rail by inserting mounting blocks into top rail and riveting through side of rail using 1/4" (6 mm) industrial drive rivet. Hold bottom of ring in place by dowel that protrudes from ring through predrilled hole in bottom rail.
- F. Picket Tops: Imperial top (pickets terminate inside of rail)

### 2.04 SETTING MATERIAL

- A. Concrete: Minimum 28 day compressive strength of 3000 psi (20 MPa).
- B. Flanged Posts: Provide flange type base plates with 4 holes for surface mounting of posts where indicated.

## PART 3 EXECUTION

#### 3.01 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify areas to receive fencing are completed to final grades and elevations.
- B. Ensure property lines and legal boundaries of work are clearly established.

#### 3.02 INSTALLATION

- A. Install fence in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
- B. Space posts uniformly at 7'8-3/4" (2356 mm) maximum face to face unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Concrete Set Posts: Drill hole in firm, undisturbed or compacted soil. Holes shall have diameter 4 times greater than nominal outside dimension of post, and depths approximately 6" (152 mm) deeper than post bottom. Excavate deeper as required for adequate support in soft and loose soils, and for posts with heavy lateral loads. Set post bottom 36" (914 mm) below surface when in firm, undisturbed soil. Place concrete around post in a continuous pour. Trowel finish around posts and slope to direct water away from posts.
  - 1. Gate Posts and Hardware: Set keepers, stops, sleeves and other accessories into concrete.
- D. Surface mount (wall mount) posts with mounting plates where indicated. Fasten with lag bolts and shields.
- E. Check each post for vertical and top alignment, and maintain in position during placement and finishing operation.
- F. Align fence panels between posts. Firmly attach rail brackets to posts with 1/4" (6 mm) bolt and lock nut, ensuring panels and posts remain plumb.

### 3.03 GATE INSTALLATION

- A. Install gates plumb, level and secure for full opening without interference.
- B. Attach hardware by means, which will prevent unauthorized removal.
- C. Adjust hardware for smooth operation.

#### 3.04 ACCESSORIES



A. Install post caps and other accessories to complete fence.

# 3.05 CLEANING

A. Clean up debris and unused material, and remove from site.

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